

Total Motion Midland Football League Newsletter



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League News

HIGHLY PRESTIGIOUS MIDLANDS BUSINESS TO HEADLINE SPONSOR

MIDLAND FOOTBALL LEAGUE

The Midland Football League are pleased to announce that Total Motion Vehicle Management Limited, based at Meridian Park Leicester, have agreed to be the Headline Sponsor of the League for the foreseeable future.

Total Motion was founded in 1999 by the current Managing Director and owner, Simon Hill, and is the largest family run and privately owned fleet management and leasing provider in the UK. In recent times the Company has been named amongst the UK's 1000 most dynamic SME's (Small and Medium sized Enterprises) by the London Stock Exchange for two consecutive years. They also scooped the 'Outstanding Growth' and 'Business of the Year' awards at the East Midlands Chamber of Commerce Awards Ceremony held on Friday evening.

From their Leicestershire headquarters they provide complete, bespoke solutions to organisations throughout the UK and Europe who operate fleets from 30 to in excess of 60,000 vehicles. They are directly responsible for over 25,000 drivers in 14 countries on behalf of over 4000 clients and the fleet management consultancy service supports clients with a combined fleet size in excess of 460,000 vehicles across the world.

Simon Hill is delighted with the partnership. He says 'Working with the community has always been close to the heart of the business and supporting Non-League grassroots football ticks all the boxes. Total Motion wants to be a part of each club's future by growing together and enjoying a mutually beneficial relationship. Incentives are being put in place for each club to achieve and that there are no limits as to how much each club can benefit from these incentives. The objective of Total Motion is to help each individual club to grow and develop with the sponsorship and that the Company sees this as a long standing relationship and hope to be a part of the MFL for many years to come.'

Michael Joiner, Chairman of the Midland Football League, says 'I am delighted that a highly prestigious company such as Total Motion have agreed to sponsor the MFL. The Directors and Officers of the League together with the Clubs will do everything within our power to support the Sponsorship so that we can mutually look forward to a lengthy relationship to the benefit of both parties.' For the foreseeable future the League will be known as the Total Motion Midland Football League.

Great deal for **Atherstone Town** Football Club

ATHERSTONE Town have secured a major new sponsorship deal which chairman Justin Palmer hopes will help move them on to the next level.

The Adders have linked up with Mark Webster & Co Estate Agents, who have secured naming rights on the ground until the end of the 2018/19 season. The deal sees Sheepy Road renamed The Mark Webster Community Stadium.

“This is a major deal for the club and we are delighted that Mark has put his trust and confidence in the Adders,” said chairman Palmer. “As a club, we have been getting a lot of support from the local community. People and businesses are more willing to work with us as a club than two years ago. And so to get this deal done is absolutely fantastic. We have worked hard to get this deal over the line and, as I say, we really appreciate Mark’s confidence in us.”

FA Vase Round 1

Matches to be played Saturday October 21st

Walsall Wood vs Atherstone Town

Lutterworth Town vs Coventry United

Westfields vs Shifnal Town

Brocton vs Wednesfield

Stourport Swifts vs Shirebrook Town

Worcester City vs Sherwood Colliery

Rugby Town vs Harrowby United

Pinxton vs Heather St Johns

Racing Club Warwick vs Clipstone

Haughmond vs Worksop Town

Bardon Hill vs Quorn

Stafford Town vs Kimberley Miners Welfare

AFC Wulfrunians vs Leicester Nirvana

Rushden & Higham United vs Highgate United or Whitchurch Alport

Holbeach United vs South Normanton Athletic

Polymac Packaging League Cup Round 2

Heanor Town	v	Nuneaton Griff	Tues 10 Oct
Uttoxeter Town	v	Heath Hayes	1-3
Lichfield City	v	Rocester	Tues 17 Oct
South Normanton Athletic	v	Coventry Alvis	Wed 18 Oct
Hinckley AFC	v	Heather St Johns	Tues 10 Oct
Leicester Road	v	Coventry United	Tues 10 Oct
Rugby Town	v	Coventry Copsewood	Tues 24 Oct
Quorn	v	Atherstone Town	2-2; 5p4
Walsall Wood	v	Highgate United	Tues 24 Oct
Boldmere St Michaels	v	Paget Rangers	Tues 31 Oct
Haughmond	v	Coleshill Town	Tues 31 Oct
Shawbury United	v	Sporting Khalsa	0-4
Stourport Swifts	v	Westfields	Tues 17 Oct
Racing Club Warwick	v	Studley	2-1
Littleton	v	Worcester City	2-0
AFC Wulfrunians	v	Bromsgrove Sporting	Tues 17 Oct

Polymac Packaging League Cup Round 3

Leicester Road or Coventry United	v	Quorn
Heanor Town or Nuneaton Griff	v	Heath Hayes
Rugby Town or Coventry Copsewood	v	South Normanton Athletic or Coventry Alvis
Lichfield City or Rocester	v	Hinckley AFC or Heather St Johns
Racing Club Warwick	v	Boldmere St Michaels or Paget Rangers
Haughmond or Coleshill Town	v	Sporting Khalsa
AFC Wulfrunians or Bromsgrove Sporting	v	Littleton
Stourport Swifts or Westfields	v	Walsall Wood or Highgate United

Les James Challenge Cup Round 2

Boldmere Sports	v	Redditch Borough	14 Oct
NKF Burbage	v	Feckenham or GNP Sports	
Droitwich Spa	v	Alcester Town	4 Nov
Smithswood Firs	v	Inkberrow	4 Nov
Coton Green or Coventrians	v	Moors Academy	4 Nov
Barnt Green Spartak	v	Knowle	11 Nov
F C Stratford	v	Bartestree	11 Nov
Fairfield Villa	v	Birmingham Tigers	11 Nov

Presidents Cup Round 2

Feckenham or Coton Green	v	Bloxwich Town	
Droitwich Spa	v	Northfield Town	25 Nov
Smithswood Firs	v	NKF Burbage or Fairfield Villa	
Hampton	v	Barnt Green Spartak or Redditch Borough	

Challenge Vase Round 2

Alcester Town	v	CT Shush or AFC Solihull	11 Nov
Enville Athletic or Coventrians	v	Central Ajax	25 Nov
Boldmere Sports	v	GNP Sports	4 Nov
Inkberrow	v	FC Stratford	21 Oct

Challenge Bowl Round 2

Coleshill Town	v	Boldmere St Michaels	4 Nov
Droitwich Spa G & B	v	Wychall Wanderers	7 Oct
Bedworth United	v	Aylestone Park	4 Nov
Coventry United	v	Continental Star	11 Nov
Milton Keynes College	v	Kettering Town	21 Oct
H O W Academy	v	Sutton Coldfield Town	21 Oct
Tamworth	v	Quorn	14 Oct
Evesham United	v	Brocton	11 Nov

Travels of the Press Officer

Saturday September 23rd

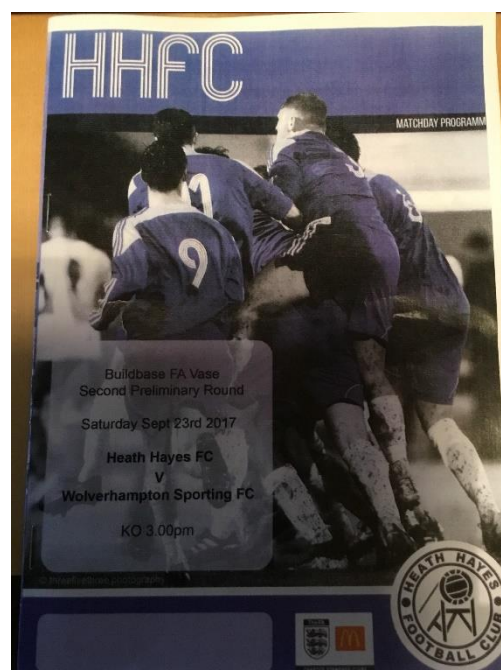
FA Vase 2nd Qualifying Round

Heath Hayes 0 Wolverhampton Sporting Community 3

Wolverhampton Sporting Community have started the West Midlands Regional League season on fire winning all 7 games with a +29 goal difference. Heath Hayes have had mixed results in Division 1 of the MFL with goals at both ends of the pitch the order of the day. With a place in the 1st round proper of the FA Vase the prize for the victors, an open game was expected. It was the visitors that started the brightest with Tom Hill testing Mark Wiggins in the first minute after Jon Ledford had crossed from the goalline. In the 3rd minute, Wiggins had to race off his line to hack the ball away from Ledford. Dimitri Dunkley got beyond the Heath Hayes defence but Wiggins made the save. In the 5th minute, Dunkley miss hit a cross which deceived Wiggins and hit the crossbar. It was all Sporting and Mitch Clarke was off target, volleying over the vr from a free-kick. Heath Hayes' first chance fell to Regan Smith who raced through on goal but Jamie Gettings made the stop. In the 15th minute, the pressure told as Sporting took a deserved lead. Dunkley picked up the ball on the left and sent a low shot across Wiggins and into the far corner. Mitch Teece had a chance for the home side but his shot was straight at Gettings. Letford again found space on the right and his cross was just behind the waiting Dunkley. On the half hour mark, Smith dragged a shot wide. Sporting made it 2-0 in the 39th minute. AN excellent rrough ball from Ashley Evans was perfectly into the path of Dunkley and he slid the ball past the advancing Wiggins. Hill somehow managed to send a shot over the trees before Sporting made it three on the stroke of half-time. Letford again was prominent. Reaching the byeline and playing the ball inside to Hill who made no mistake.

The second half began with Sporting having the majority of the play without looking like extending their lead. A foul challenge by Angelo Franco in the 57th minute saw a melée ensue with Franco fortunate to only receive a yellow card. The visitors began to push for more goals and Dunkley should have had a hat-trick with Wiggins saving with his legs. In the 74th minute, Hill came close to scoring his second when his shot took the faintest deflection over the bar. Clarke volleyed over again for Sporting before Heath Hayes substitute Ben Cooling forced the Sporting defence to block his close range effort. Alex Scott made a fine defensive clearance for Heath Hayes, clearing a flicked heade off the line. In the 83rd minute, Dunkley was again one-on-one with the keeper, toe poking the ball past Wiggins but not getting enough on it allowing the defence to clear. Chris Horton had a rare chance for Heath Hayes but headed wide of the target. In the 85th minute, Dunkley was again foiled by Wiggins and moments later Keiron Northwood hit the side netting when well placed. Wes Gray, on as substitute for Sporting had an effort blocked by Connor Haddaway and in the last minute Hill headed over.

A comfortable win for a very impressive Wolves Sporting and it is easy to see why they have made such a good start to the season.



Tuesday September 26th

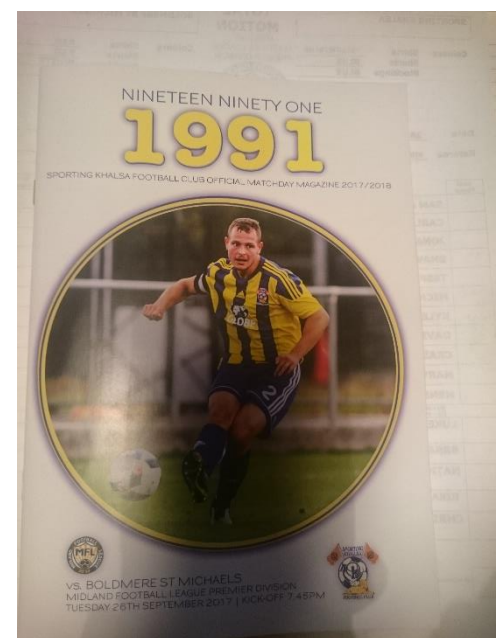
Total Motion Midland Football League Premier Division

Sporting Khalsa 5 Boldmere St Michaels 0

A final game under floodlights at the Aspray Arena before workmen move in to install a new 4G pitch. Khalsa had a chance inside 25 seconds when a mistake by Lewis Fenney almost gifted a chance to Craig Bannister. David Meese had an effort which cleared the bar in the 2nd minute. A low cross from Bannister was cleared from the feet of Kyle Brady as Khalsa dominated. In the 12th minute, a quick break from Boldmere saw the ball played into the path of Ryan Nesbitt but his shot took a deflection for a corner. Khalsa should have taken the lead in the 14th minute when Brady was through on goal however Fenney made a fine save. Two minutes later, Bannister's goalbound effort cannoned off Meese and away to safety. A poor clearance from Khalsa keeper Sam Arnold found Nicky Dodd, who tried his luck from 40 yards but he was way off target. Khalsa took the lead in the 23rd minute. A left wing cross from Jonny Haynes was half cleared as far as Mike Perks on the edge of the area. Perks picked his spot and the ball flew past Fenney. The home side doubled the lead on the half hour mark. A free-kick from Bannister was met with a firm header by Meese and the ball cannoned off the bar. Shawn Boothe reacted quickest to head the rebound into the empty net. Boldmere had a half chance in the 38th minute, Jack Skinner firing wide from Cameron Gayle's cross. In stoppage time, a foul by Carlo Franco on Dodd gave Boldmere a free-kick on the edge of the area. Nesbitt stepped up but cleared the bar with his attempt.

Khalsa continued to dominate after the break with a cross from Brady clipping the crossbar. In the 52nd minute, Mensah Kinch had a chance for Khalsa but volleyed wide of the target. An excellent cross from Bannister was palmed away by Fenney with Tesfa Robinson ready to pounce. In the 61st minute, Fenney raced off his line to take the ball away from Bannister. Boldmere came close to clawing a goal back when Skinner fired across goal after creating space. This was a brief respite as Bannister and Meese combined to set up Marvin Nisbett and his first time effort was well saved by Fenney. A quick break from the home side gave Nisbett another opportunity but his shot was too near Fenney. Brady was next to try his luck, his shot on the turn well held by Fenney. Khalsa substitute Rikardo Reid was introduced in the 79th minute and with his first touch, he curled a shot narrowly wide. Boldmere were still in it, and after beating a defender, Ryan Shaw hit a shot straight at Arnold when brilliantly placed. In the 83rd minute, Khalsa scored number three. A ball into the box was half cleared by the Mikes, it was picked up Perks and his superb shot flew in off the far post. Two minutes later it was 4. A cross from Franco picked out Meese who beat his defender with an unbelievable piece of skill, controlling and turning the defender in one move before volleying past Fenney with his second touch. Into stoppage time, Khalsa ut the gloss on the performance with a 5th goal. Reid's cross from the right wing picked out Brady, who made no mistake with another quality finish.

Four goals of the highest quality and an excellent performance from Khalsa who appear to be getting into their stride.



Review

FA Vase 2nd Qualifying Round

Pride of place in the FA Vase goes to **Heather St Johns** who knocked out Premier Division **Rocester** 3-0 at St Johns Park. **Haughmond** eased into the 1st round proper with a 4-1 win at **Bilston Town Community**, Andy Jones scoring twice. **Boldmere St Michaels** and **Worcester City** were involved in a thriller at the Trevor Brown Memorial Ground. An 89th minute equaliser from Nicky Dodd for The Mikes made it 2-2 and sent the game into extra time. Joe Smith scored for the Mikes with Daye Reynolds grabbing his second of the game to draw things level. In the 109th minute step forward Lee Hughes who saw his team into Round 1. **South Normanton Athletic** fell behind at **Boston Town** after just 8 minutes but The Shiners came back to win 2-1. A double from Matt Hearsey helped **AFC Wulfrunians** to a 4-2 win at **Chelmsley Town**. **Walsall Wood** travelled to West Midlands Regional League Leaders **Cradley Town** and made it through to Round 1 with a 2-0 win. **Brocton** had a thumping victory, 6-0 away at WMRL **Dudley Sports**, the goals shared across the team. Kyle Turner scored a hat-trick for **Atherstone Town** as they beat WMRL **Dudley Town** 4-0 at The Dell Stadium. WMRL frontrunners **Wolverhampton Sporting Community** travelled to **Heath Hayes** and made comfortable progress with a 3-0 win, Dimitri Dunkley scoring twice. A goal two minutes from time from Ryan Evans gave **Quorn** a 2-1 win at **Holbrook Sports**. A Joe Boachie double wasn't enough for **Loughborough University** as they were beaten 4-2 at Hollywell by **Staveley Miners Welfare**. **Racing Club Warwick** went goal crazy as they beat **Coventry Copsewood** 7-1 at Townsend Meadow. Luke Cole scored three and Sean Kavanagh two to send the Racers through. Division 2 **Droitwich Spa** were seconds away from the 1st round at **Shifnal Town** but a last minute equaliser for the home side sent it into extra-time. Ben Novis made it 3-2 to Shifnal in the 107th minute and that's how it finished. Spa finished the game with 8 men and Shifnal 9 as the referee showed 5 red cards. **Long Eaton United** bowed out of the competition losing 3-1 at **Shirebrook Town**. **Rugby Town** had four different scorers as they beat **Smethwick** 4-1 at the Aspray Arena. Ryan Pace scored twice for **Stafford Town** as they beat **Ashby Ivanhoe** 4-1 at Evans Park. **Stourport Swifts** had five different scorers in their 5-1 victory over **Paget Rangers** at Walshes Meadow. A goal in each half gave North West Counties **Hanley Town** a 2-0 win at Division 1 leaders **Studley**. **Littleton** went out of the competition at WMRL **Wellington** losing 2-1. **Westfields** had a tough looking fixture at home to **Daventry Town** but a 6-0 win says otherwise with Carlos Moreira and Kingsford Adjei scoring twice.

Coventry United looked to be heading out of the competition at home to **Stone Old Alleynians** but two goals in stoppage time sent them through 2-1. **Uttoxeter Town** were beaten 1-0 by former MFL side **Bardon Hill** at Oldfields.

Premier Division

Just two games in the Premier Division on Saturday and they both impacted the top of the table. **Leaders Coleshill Town** made it 7 wins out of 9 with the returning Jordan Nadat getting the only goal of the game at **Shepshed Dynamo**. **Bromsgrove Sporting** move up to 2nd with a 2-0 local derby win over **Lye Town** in front of a bumper 765 at The Victoria Ground.

Coleshill Town extended their lead at the top of the table to 6 points with a 3-2 win over **Highgate United** at Pack Meadow. Dean Rathbone scored twice for the Colemen who were 3-0 up at the break. **Sporting Khalsa** moved up to 7th with an emphatic 5-0 win over **Boldmere St Michaels**, Mike Perks scoring twice. A late penalty save from John Bateman denied **Haughmond** a share of the points as **AFC Wulfrunians** ran out 2-1 at the CKW Stadium.

League Table

1	<u>Coleshill Town</u>	10	8	1	1	23	11	12	25
2	<u>Bromsgrove Sporting</u>	8	6	1	1	17	7	10	19
3	<u>Worcester City</u>	8	5	2	1	24	9	15	17
4	<u>Coventry United</u>	8	5	1	2	22	9	13	16
5	<u>Heanor Town</u>	8	5	1	2	17	14	3	16
6	<u>Shepshed Dynamo</u>	8	5	0	3	22	9	13	15
7	<u>Sporting Khalsa</u>	9	4	3	2	20	11	9	15
8	<u>Coventry Sphinx</u>	9	4	3	2	13	10	3	15
9	<u>Lye Town</u>	9	4	3	2	12	9	3	15
10	<u>AFC Wulfrunians</u>	8	5	0	3	11	14	-3	15
11	<u>Rugby Town</u>	9	4	2	3	13	9	4	14
12	<u>Stourport Swifts</u>	10	4	1	5	18	22	-4	13
13	<u>Highgate United</u>	8	3	2	3	10	10	0	11
14	<u>Haughmond</u>	7	2	1	4	9	14	-5	7
15	<u>Rocester</u>	8	2	1	5	13	22	-9	7
16	<u>South Normanton Athletic</u>	9	2	1	6	8	21	-13	7
17	<u>Westfields</u>	4	2	0	2	9	8	1	6
18	<u>Long Eaton United</u>	8	1	3	4	13	17	-4	6
19	<u>Boldmere St Michaels</u>	7	1	2	4	9	21	-12	5
20	<u>Loughborough University</u>	9	1	1	7	6	18	-12	4
21	<u>Quorn</u>	8	1	1	6	9	26	-17	4
22	<u>Shawbury United</u>	8	1	0	7	9	16	-7	3

Division 1

One game in Division 1 and **Ilkeston Town** move up to 5th following a 4-1 win over **Hinckley AFC** at The New Manor Ground. Alex Marshall and Montel Gibson both scored twice for The Robins.

League Table

1	<u>Studley</u>	9	7	1	1	19	9	10	22
2	<u>Walsall Wood</u>	7	6	0	1	24	6	18	18
3	<u>Hinckley AFC</u>	9	5	1	3	26	16	10	16
4	<u>Atherstone Town</u>	8	5	1	2	21	13	8	16
5	<u>Ilkeston Town</u>	9	4	3	2	15	8	7	15
6	<u>Chelmsley Town</u>	9	5	0	4	13	20	-7	15
7	<u>Lichfield City</u>	7	4	2	1	17	12	5	14
8	<u>Racing Club Warwick</u>	8	4	2	2	14	10	4	14
9	<u>Leicester Road</u>	7	4	1	2	14	9	5	13
10	<u>Heather St Johns</u>	7	4	0	3	24	16	8	12
11	<u>Stafford Town</u>	10	4	0	6	17	21	-4	12
12	<u>Coventry Copsewood</u>	10	4	0	6	13	17	-4	12
13	<u>Heath Hayes</u>	8	3	2	3	21	18	3	11
14	<u>Bolehall Swifts</u>	9	3	2	4	11	21	-10	11
15	<u>Paget Rangers</u>	7	3	1	3	13	11	2	10
16	<u>Uttoxeter Town</u>	10	3	1	6	16	24	-8	10
17	<u>Littleton</u>	8	3	0	5	14	14	0	9
18	<u>Pershore Town</u>	8	3	0	5	17	18	-1	9
19	<u>Brocton</u>	6	2	1	3	11	12	-1	7
20	<u>Nuneaton Griff</u>	9	2	0	7	8	24	-16	6
21	<u>Coventry Alvis</u>	10	2	0	8	7	32	-25	6
22	<u>Cadbury Athletic</u>	7	1	2	4	9	13	-4	5

Division 2

Montpellier closed within a point of leaders NKF Burbage following a 3-1 win at **Earlswood Town**. **Smithswood Firs** continued their rise up the table with a 2-1 win over **Feckenham**. **Knowle** are 4th, a 2-0 win over **Fairfield Villa** at The Robin's Nest moving them to within a point of the top three. **Bloxwich Town** jumped two places in the table following a 2-0 win over **Redditch Borough** both goals from Sam Melia. **Coton Green** and **Barnt Green Spartak** shared 6 goals at New Mill Lane, Andy Millan scoring twice for the home side.

1	<u>NKF Burbage</u>	7	5	1	1	20	11	9	16
2	<u>Montpellier</u>	6	5	0	1	25	6	19	15
3	<u>Hampton</u>	7	4	1	2	13	13	0	13
4	<u>Knowle</u>	7	4	0	3	17	13	4	12
5	<u>Northfield Town</u>	7	3	3	1	10	6	4	12
6	<u>Smithswood Firs</u>	5	3	1	1	12	6	6	10
7	<u>Coton Green</u>	6	2	3	1	13	9	4	9
8	<u>Feckenham</u>	7	3	0	4	11	16	-5	9
9	<u>Redditch Borough</u>	7	2	2	3	12	11	1	8
10	<u>Droitwich Spa</u>	5	2	2	1	7	7	0	8
11	<u>Barnt Green Spartak</u>	7	1	4	2	10	13	-3	7
12	<u>Earlswood Town</u>	7	1	4	2	7	10	-3	7
13	<u>Bloxwich Town</u>	7	2	0	5	13	16	-3	6
14	<u>Moors Academy</u>	5	1	1	3	5	15	-10	4
15	<u>Fairfield Villa</u>	7	1	1	5	8	19	-11	4
16	<u>Pelsall Villa</u>	5	0	1	4	7	19	-12	1

Division 3

FC Stratford continued their goal scoring feats with a 10-0 win at **Continental Star**. Dylan Parker and James Gifford both scored hat-tricks enabling **FC Stratford** to maintain their 100% start. **Alcester Town** were another side to bang in the goals, 9-1 at home to **Castle Vale Town**. Ellis Kalach scored three and there were doubles for James Ward and Alfie Bloomer. These big wins deflected attention from league leaders **GNP Sports** who made it 6 out of 6 with a 3-1 win at home to **CT Shush**, Aaron Donaldson scoring twice. **Central Ajax** remain unbeaten, as a last minute equaliser from Sam Smith ensured a 2-2 draw at **AFC Solihull**. **Coventrians** are 4th following a 3-2 win over **Shipston Excelsior** at Holbrooks Park. **Boldmere Sports & Social Falcons** moved into the top 6 with a 5-3 at **Leamington Hibernian**. James Clarke scored twice for Boldmere with Ainsley Francis matching the feat for Hibs.

1	<u>GNP Sports</u>	660016	6	10	18	
2	<u>FC Stratford</u>	440033	2	31	12	
3	<u>Bartestree</u>	540115	5	10	12	
4	<u>Coventrians</u>	731319	15	4	10	
5	<u>Central Ajax</u>	523011	6	5	9	
6	<u>Boldmere Sports & Social Falcons</u>	530212	12	0	9	
7	<u>Alcester Town</u>	521215	10	5	7	
8	<u>Shipston Excelsior</u>	520318	17	1	6	
9	<u>Continental Star</u>	4202	7	18-11	6	
10	<u>CT Shush</u>	4121	6	5	1	5
11	<u>Enville Athletic</u>	5122	5	10	-5	5
12	<u>Birmingham Tigers</u>	4112	9	13	-4	4
13	<u>Inkberrow</u>	4022	8	13	-5	2
14	<u>AFC Solihull</u>	5023	7	12	-5	2
15	<u>Leamington Hibernian</u>	5023	7	22-15	2	
16	<u>Castle Vale Town</u>	5005	3	25-22	0	

Les James Memorial Charity Cup 1st Round

Bartestree continued their fine start to the season with a 2-0 win at **Enville Athletic**. The top two in Division 2 met at Kirkby Road and **NKF Burbage** edged a thriller beating **Hampton** 4-3.

Challenge Vase

Inkberrow and **Birmingham Tigers** shared 6 goals but it was Inkberrow that progressed winning the penalty shoot out 4-3. Nathan Davies scored twice for Inkberrow with Abubaker Abdulkarim scoring two for Tigers

Presidents Cup

Northfield Town scored twice in the opening 5 minutes to set themselves on the way to a 7-1 win over **Pelsall Villa**. Adam Garmson and Scott Taylor both scored twice for Northfield.

Smedley Crooke Memorial Charity Cup

NKF Burbage bowed out of the competition losing a penalty shoot out at Bromyard Town after it finished 2-2 at full time.

Other Cups

Pershore Town were knocked out of the Worcestershire Senior Urn losing 5-2 at Bewdley Town. **Lye Town** progressed in the same competition winning 2-1 at **Studley**

In the Coventry Charity Cup, **Coventry Alvis** and Rugby Borough went to penalties after finishing 1-1 after 90 minutes. No-one would have expected the shoot out to finish 12-11 in favour of Alvis.

Reserves

CHALLENGE TROPHY ROUND 1

Group "A"

Nuneaton Griff **1** v **1** Bolehall Swifts

Group "B"

Cadbury Athletic **3** v **1** Bromsgrove Sporting

RESERVE DIVISION

Alvechurch **0** v **2** Coton Green

STAFFORDSHIRE CHALLENGE CUP ROUND 1

Brocton u21 **8** v **1** Lichfield City Res

Whittington Res **0** v **9** Walsall Wood Res

1	<u>Coton Green Reserves</u>	33006159
2	<u>Gresley Reserves</u>	22007166
3	<u>Walsall Wood Reserves</u>	11002023
4	<u>Bolehall Swifts Reserves</u>	11002113
5	<u>Alvechurch Reserves</u>	310257-23
6	<u>Nuneaton Griff Reserves</u>	210126-43
7	<u>Bromsgrove Sporting Reserves</u>	100112-10
8	<u>Cadbury Athletic Reserves</u>	200224-20
9	<u>Lichfield City Reserves</u>	100102-20
10	<u>Knowle Reserves</u>	200214-30

Under 21 Division

UNDER 21 DIVISION EAST

Atherstone Town	1	v	4	Leicester Nirvana
Bedworth United	2	v	1	Coventry United
Coleshill Town	2	v	0	Kettering Town
Milton Keynes College	1	v	0	Aylestone Park
Quorn	1	v	0	AFC Rushden & Diamonds Elite
Tamworth	4	v	1	Football CV Reds

UNDER 21 DIVISION WEST

Droitwich Spa G & B	2	v	2	Evesham United
Highgate United	3	v	5	Heath Hayes
H O W Academy	1	v	2	Continental Star
Rushall Olympic	0	v	3	Boldmere St Michaels
Worcester City	4	v	1	Sutton Coldfield Town
Wychall Wanderers	2	v	2	AFC Redditch

1 <u>Tamworth U21</u>	5 4 1 0 19 3 16 13 1	1 <u>Heath Hayes U21</u>	5 4 1 0 15 7 8 13
2 <u>Quorn U21</u>	5 4 1 0 12 4 8 13 2	2 <u>Worcester City U21</u>	4 4 0 0 15 4 11 12
3 <u>Bedworth United U21</u>	5 4 0 1 6 7 -1 12 3	3 <u>Boldmere St Michaels U21</u>	6 3 2 1 20 11 9 11
4 <u>Coleshill Town U21</u>	5 3 2 0 18 3 15 11 4	4 <u>Evesham United U21</u>	6 3 2 1 14 8 6 11
5 <u>Milton Keynes College U21</u>	5 3 1 1 11 8 3 10 5	5 <u>Continental Star U21</u>	5 3 1 1 15 9 6 10
6 <u>Aylestone Park U21</u>	5 2 0 3 12 13 -1 6 6	6 <u>Droitwich Spa BG U21</u>	6 1 3 2 10 12 -2 6
7 <u>Coventry United U21</u>	5 1 2 2 9 10 -1 5 7	7 <u>Wychall Wanderers U21</u>	5 1 2 2 11 20 -9 5
8 <u>Leicester Nirvana U21</u>	5 1 1 3 7 14 -7 4 8	8 <u>AFC Redditch U21</u>	5 1 1 3 9 16 -7 4
9 <u>Atherstone Town U21</u>	5 1 0 4 10 15 -5 3 9	9 <u>Brocton U21</u>	2 1 0 1 5 6 -1 3
10 <u>Kettering Town U21</u>	5 1 0 4 3 10 -7 3 10	10 <u>H.O.W. Academy U21</u>	5 1 0 4 8 10 -2 3
11 <u>FCV Reds U21</u>	2 0 0 2 2 7 -5 0 11	11 <u>Sutton Coldfield Town U21</u>	4 0 3 1 7 10 -3 3
12 <u>AFC Rushden & Diamonds Elite U21</u>	4 0 0 4 0 15 -15 0 12	12 <u>Highgate United U21</u>	5 0 1 4 7 17 -10 1
		13 <u>Rushall Olympic U21</u>	2 0 0 2 0 6 -6 0

Leading scorers

Premier Division

Mark Danks	Worcester City	9
Dave Reynolds	Worcester City	9
Lei Brown	Highgate United	8
Steve Hole	Haughmond	8
Aaron Lloyd	Stourport Swifts	8
Ryan Nesbitt	Boldmere St Michaels	8
Oli Roome	Rocester	8
Martin Smyth	Rocester	8
Jack Till	Lye Town	8
Marco Adaggio	Highgate United	7
Craig Bannister	Sporting Khalsa	7
Shay Brennan	Shepshed Dynamo	7
Liam Hurst	Shepshed Dynamo	7
David Kolodynski	Rugby Town	7
David Meese	Sporting Khalsa	7
Dean Rathbone	Coleshill Town	7
Nick Turton	AFC Wulfrunians	7
Reuben Wiggins-Thomas	Rugby Town	7
Jake Betts	Shepshed Dynamo	6
Joe Boachie	Loughborough University	6
Tyan Edmunds	Coleshill Town	6
Matt Gardner	Coleshill Town	6
Ryan Harkin	Coventry Sphinx	6
Nick MacPherson	Stourport Swifts	6
Mitch Piggon	Coventry United	6
Elliot Reeves	Heanor Town	6
Craig Reid	Coventry United	6
Jamie Sleigh	Heanor Town	6

Division 1

George Bowerman	Hinckley AFC	12
Daniel Carter	Littleton	11
Simeon Cobourne	Heather St Johns	11
Alex Naughton	Atherstone Town	11
Regan Smith	Heath Hayes	11
Paul Sullivan	Walsall Wood	10
Joey Butlin	Walsall Wood	9
Andy Nicol	Studley	8
Michael Wright	Pershore Town / Littleton	8
Daniel Carter	Paget Rangers	7
Jamie Clarke	Pershore Town	7
Adam Knight	Racing Club Warwick	7
Greg Downes	Leicester Road	6
Alex Marshall	Ilkeston Town	6
Jemeul Mills	Chelmsley Town	6
Daniel Priest	Pershore Town	6
Michael Bloore	Bolehall Swifts	5
Jack Cook	Heather St Johns	5
Jack Edwards	Brocton	5
Kyle Esplin	Uttoxeter Town	5
Dan Griffiths	Lichfield City	5
Jake Humphries	Heath Hayes	5
Matt Langham	Leicester Road	5
Craig Marshall	Lichfield City	5
Ryan Pace	Coventry Alvis, Stafford Town	5
Jack Weldon	Heath Hayes	5
Dave Yonwin	Heather St Johns	5

Division 2

Stuart Hendrie	Montpellier	14
Martin Crawford	Smithswood Firs	10
Trea Bertie	Smithswood Firs	8
Adam Garmson	Northfield Town	7
Steve Ruck	Knowle	7
Dominic Strevens	Barnt Green Spartak	7
Nathan Astill	NKF Burbage	6
Sam Melia	Bloxwich Town	6
Ainsley Seivwright	Hampton	6
Umit Eminoglu	Feckenham	5
James Lemon	Droitwich Spa	5
Andrew Millan	Coton Green	5
Cameron Moriarty	Bloxwich Town	5
Kelsn Shepard	Montpellier	5
Jess Adcock	NKF Burbage	4
Ellis Blakemore	Fairfield Villa	4
Alex Coultas	NKF Burbage	4
Adam Goodby	Coton Green	4
Ben Lund	Pelsall Villa	4
Craig Malins	Redditch Borough	4
Daniel Murphy	Feckenham	4
Tom Smith	NKF Burbage	4

Division 3

James Gifford	FC Stratford	12
Dylan Parker	FC Stratford	11
James Drinkwater	Shipston Excelsior	8
Jimmy Ward	Alcester Town	8
Reece Gibson	Boldmere Sports & Social Falcons	7
Nathan Davies	Inkberrow	6
Tyler Haddow	Coventrians	6
Ellis Kalach	Alcester Town	6
Louis Mann	Bartestree	6
Ben Hill	FC Stratford	5
Charlie Cook	GNP Sports	4
Jonathan Hamer	AFC Solihull	4
Jake Harris	Shipston Excelsior	4
Miles Langford	Bartestree	4
Younes Touaiti	Birmingham Tigers	4
Tom Parnaby	FC Stratford	4

Reserves

Dean Fisher	Alvechurch	7
Samuel Hammerton	Gresley	6
Zakim Evans	Gresley	4
Daniel Lawrence	Alvechurch	4
Harry Landsowne	Gresley	4
Kyle Wainwright	Walsall Wood	4
Liam Arrowsmith	Coton Green	3
Josh Dutton	Gresley	3
Callum Hall	Walsall Wood	3
Curtis Haynes	Coton Green	3
Marc Johnston	Nuneaton Griff	3
Kane Lee	Gresley	3

Under 21

Joel Steer	Tamworth	9
Liam Lockett	Worcester City	7
Ryan Palmer	Coventry United	6
Andre Lawrence	Sutton Coldfield	5
Samuel Major-Beddoes	Evesham United	5
Yasin Peart	Boldmere St Michaels	5
Shay Beeby	Aylestone Park	4
Ewan Dunbar	Evesham United	4
Sam Ford	Coleshill Town	4
Bailey Fuller	H.O.W. Academy	4
Jordan Lovell	Continental Star	4
King-David Marstaller	Milton Keynes College	4
Jordan McKenzie	AFC Redditch	4

Preview

Premier Division

Leaders **Coleshill Town** welcome 5th placed **Heanor Town** to Pack Meadow hoping to maintain their 6 point league at the top of the table. 2nd placed **Bromsgrove Sporting** travel to Derbyshire to face **South Normanton Athletic** who have lost their last two home league games. Two high scoring sides meet at The Victoria Ground with 3rd placed **Worcester City** hosting 6th placed **Shepshed Dynamo**. Two defeats on the spin have slowed **Coventry United's** and they welcome **AFC Wulfrunians** to the Butts Park Arena, Wulfs winning the reverse fixture 1-0. **Westfields** are already 6 games behind some of their rivals and they are back in league action at the Spray Arena against **Sporting Khalsa**, who moved up to 7th after their midweek win over Boldmere St Michaels. Two sides in the bottom 5 meet at Grange Park with **Long Eaton United** hosting bottom club **Shawbury United**. **Quorn** are one place off the bottom and they welcome mid table **Stourport Swifts** to Farley Way. **Rugby Town** are unbeaten in 7 games in all competitions and they travel to the Trevor Brown Memorial Ground to face **Boldmere St Michaels**. **Haughmond** have made an impact in FA competitions this season but they will want to start climbing the MFL table with a win at home to **Loughborough University** who have won 1 in 9. **Coventry Sphinx** have made an excellent start to the season and they travel to The Coppice to face improving **Highgate United**. **Rocester** welcome **Lye Town** to Hillsfield with both sides on a run of poor results.

Division 1

Plenty of games to choose from in Division 1 this weekend. Leaders **Studley** welcome in-form **Heather St Johns** to The Beehive. Heather have won their last 6 games scoring 28 goals in the process while Studley have won 7 out of 9 in the league this season. 2nd placed **Walsall Wood** travel to Townsend Meadow to face a **Racing Club Warwick** side on a high after last week's 7 goal win in the FA Vase. 5th meets 9th at The New Manor Ground with **Ilkeston Town** hosting **Leicester Road**. The Robins have won their last 4 home league games while The Road ended Walsall Wood's 100% record in their last game. **Hinckley AFC** have picked up one point in their last two league games and they will want to get back to winning ways against visitors **Brocton** who have had success in the FA Vase but have struggled for results in the league. There is a good looking game at Sheepy Road where 4th placed **Atherstone Town** welcome **Paget Rangers**. **Lichfield City** can move into the top 4 if they can pick up three points at bottom club **Cadbury Athletic** and other results go their way. There is a promise of goals at Rene Road where 14th placed **Bolehall Swifts** meet 13th placed **Heath Hayes**. **Stafford Town** travel to 5 Acres to face **Littleton** where a win for the home side would see them close the 6 spaces between the two sides. 16th meets 18th at Oldfields with **Uttoxeter Town** hosting **Pershore Town**

Division 2

Leaders **NKF Burbage** host 11th placed **Barnt Green Spartak** with the chance to extend their lead at the top of the table. 3rd placed **Hampton** will go second with a win away to basement side **Pelsall Villa**. 4th placed **Knowle** can go level on points with Montpellier if they can win at **Earlswood Town**. **Northfield Town** can also join the group of clubs near the top of the table if they can win at 8th placed **Feckenham**. Out of form **Redditch Borough** welcome in-form **Smithswood Firs** to the MSS hoping to upset the form book. 14th meets 13th at Tally Ho with **Moors Academy** welcoming **Bloxwich Town** who were boosted with a win over Redditch Borough last week.

Division 3

With the top two in cup action, **Bartestree** can move up to 2nd if they get anything out of their home game with 15th placed **Leamington Hibernian**. **Boldmere Sports & Social Falcons** can move to within 6 points of the leaders with a home win over **AFC Solihull**. **Castle Vale Town** are still searching for their first points of the season and they welcome **CT Shush** to The Vale Stadium. **Alcester Town** scored 9 last weekend and will be hoping to continue in that vein when they travel to newcomers **Birmingham Tigers**, themselves scoring goals aplenty. 8th meets 9th at London Road with **Shipston Excelsior** hosting **Continental Star**.

Les James Challenge Cup Round 1

Division 2 **Coton Green** host Division 3 **Coventrians** with the reward a home tie against Moors Academy.

Other Fixtures

COVENTRY EVENING TELEGRAPH CUP

Round 1

Coventry Alvis	v	Coventry Plumbing & Heating	
Coventry Copsewood	v	Whitnash Town	
Central Ajax	v	Woodlands WMC	
FC Stratford	v	Chelmsley Town	

Round 2

GNP Sports	v	AEI Rugby	
Nuneaton Griff	v	Coventry Colliery	

WORCESTERSHIRE JUNIOR CUP ROUND 1

Alvechurch Res	v	Evesham United u21	2.00
Fairfield Villa	v	Worcester City u21	2.00
Inkberrow	v	Bredon	2.00
Droitwich Spa	v	Montpellier	2.00

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE LOWER JUNIOR CUP

Kettering Town	v	Corby White Hart Locos	2.00
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Reserves

CHALLENGE TROPHY ROUND 1

Group "A"

Gresley	v	Coton Green
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RESERVE DIVISION

Cadbury Athletic	v	Nuneaton Griff
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Knowle	v	Lichfield City
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Walsall Wood	v	Bolehall Swifts
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Under 21 Divisions

UNDER 21 DIVISION EAST

Aylestone Park	v	Tamworth	10.30
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Coleshill Town	v	Bedworth United	10.30
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Coventry United	v	Milton Keynes College	11.00
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Football CV Reds	v	Atherstone Town	10.30
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Quorn	v	Leicester Nirvana	10.30
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UNDER 21 DIVISION WEST

Brocton	v	Boldmere St Michaels	10.30
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Continental Star	v	Highgate United	11.30
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Droitwich Spa G & B	v	Rushall Olympic	10.30
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Heath Hayes	v	Wychall Wanderers	10.30
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Sutton Coldfield Town	v	H O W Academy	10.30
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