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Official Match Day Programme







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Saturday 9th November 2024, KO 2:30pm



ISUZU FA Vase – 2nd Round 2024/25



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Welcome to The 1878 Stadium, Burnham Football Club

Hello and welcome to The 1878 Stadium for this ISUZU FA Vase 2nd Round tie between Burnham and our friends from Cobham FC.

Cobham's Chairman Dave Tippetts will, like us, hope to progress in this prestigious cup competition. Manager Craig Lewington's first team squad currently sit in 4th position in the Premier Division South league table. Accumulating 33 points from 19 games, with 9 wins, 6 draws and a total of 37 goals for, 22 against. That includes their recent midweek match away at Tooting & Mitcham United ended 0 - 2. Let's give the club, team and their supporters a warm welcome to The 1878 Stadium this afternoon.

Burnham are in 10th position in the Combined Counties Football League Premier Division North with 21 points from just 13 games. In the first round of the Isuzu FA Vase Burnham and Eastbourne ended the 90 with a goalless draw followed by a nail-biting climax where Burnham were victorious 5-3 on penalties. Cheer us on today, the lads really do appreciate your continued support.

As usual our pitch side snack bar M&Ms is open for today's supporters and there's a wide selection of hot and cold food and refreshments on sale. Check out our <u>Match Day Info</u> page on our website and continue to read the rest of this free programme for more too.

If you want to follow us on our socials then just search @BurnhamFC1878

Thank you for coming to watch the game this afternoon. We will be observing a period of silence before kick-off for Armistice Day and as a mark of respect for those who lost their lives during WW1 and WW2.

Enjoy the game everyone.

Paul Butler

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Combined Counties Football League Premier Division North League Table

Live Match Updates on X (Twitter)

Following trials the Combined Counties Football League has made the use of Football Web Pages compulsory for all clubs to use on match days. FWP is an online platform where supporters access fixture news and match updates via a mobile app or website. Each team has its own management area where representatives post live match updates including a **Team Sheet**. Typically it is the responsibility of the Home Team to manage live match updates.

Table, Results and Fixtures

Burnham Football Club have taken steps to ensure its club website is regularly updated and dynamically linked to the FA's website – Full Time.

Social Profiles

Burnham Football Club regularly posts updates across all social profiles throughout the week. Apart from Facebook you can find us on all the main social networks using the name @BurnhamFC1878. To find us on Facebook just search Burnham Football Club.

LinkTree

Our online profiles are all linked from here https://linktr.ee/BurnhamFC1878

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2	North Greenford United	17	10	2	5	19	32
3	Amersham Town	15	9	3	3	17	30
4	Holyport	15	8	5	2	12	29
5	Bedfont Sports	14	7	3	4	18	24
6	Hilltop	18	7	2	9	-13	23
7	Milton United	15	6	4	5	0	22
8	Ardley United	16	7	1	8	-4	22
9	Virginia Water	16	6	4	6	-4	22
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Recent Results | Burnham FC

PDN	02/11/2024	British Airways	0 - 4	BURNHAM FC	Premier Division North
PDN	26/10/2024	BURNHAMFC	1 - 1	Broadfields United	Premier Division North
PDN	23/10/2024	BURNHAMFC	2 - 2	Virginia Water	Premier Division North
FAV	20/10/2024	BURNHAM FC	0 – 0 (Pens 5-3)	Eastbourne United	ISUZU FA Vase
PCC	15/10/2024	Woodley United	1 - 1	BURNHAM FC	Premier Challenge Cup
PDN	12/10/2024	BURNHAM FC	2 - 1	Reading City	Premier Division North

Upcoming Fixtures | Burnham FC (Subject to change)

FAV	09/11/2024	BURNHAM FC	V	Cobham	3pm	ISUZU FA Vase
PDN	16/11/2024	Risborough Rangers	V	BURNHAM FC	3pm	Premier Division North
PDN	23/11/2024	BURNHAM FC	V	Wallingford & Crowmarsh	3pm	Premier Division North
PDN	30/11/2024	BURNHAM FC	V	Harefield United	3pm	Premier Division North
PDN	07/12/2024	Wallingford & Crowmarsh	V	BURNHAM FC	3pm	Premier Division North
PDN	11/12/2024	BURNHAM FC	٧	British Airways	7:45pm	Premier Division North
PDN	14/12/2024	Bedfont Spports	٧	Harefield United	3pm	Premier Division North
PDN	18/12/2024	BURNHAM FC	٧	Holyport	7:45pm	Premier Division North
PDN	21/12/2024	BURNHAM FC	٧	Wembley	3pm	Premier Division North
PDN	28/12/2024	BURNHAM FC	V	Berks County	3pm	Premier Division North
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PDN	04/01/2025	Ardley United	٧	BURNHAM FC	3pm	Premier Division North
PDN	08/01/2025	BURNHAM FC	٧	Risborough Rangers	7:45pm	Premier Division North
PDN	11/01/2025	BURNHAM FC	V	Amersham Town	3pm	Premier Division North
PDN	18/01/2025	Wokingham Town	V	BURNHAM FC	3pm	Premier Division North
PDN	25/01/2025	Egham Town	V	BURNHAM FC	3pm	Premier Division North





A BRIFF HISTORY OF BURNHAM FOOTBALL CLUB

Founded in 1878, <u>Burnham Football Club</u> is the second oldest club Buckinghamshire. We played in the early years, with considerable success, in various leagues, before joining the Great Western Combination in 1948. We moved to the Wycombe Combination in 1964 and then spent one season (1970/71) in the Reading Combination. In 1971 the club was elected to the Hellenic League. Winning both the Premier Division and League Cup in 1975/76. We were also twice beaten finalists in the League Cup too.

In 1977 the club were elected to the Athenian League and were twice runners-up before the league folded in 1984. We competed in the London Spartan League in 1984/85. Winning both the Premier Division title and the League Cup.

The summer of 1985 bought about the amalgamation of the football club with Hillingdon Borough FC, who had lost their ground and were about to fold. We played in the Southern League as Burnham & Hillingdon FC and reverted back to the former name of Burnham FC in 1987. Season 1994/95 saw us finish bottom. Resulting in relegation to the Hellenic League.

After 3 seasons in the Hellenic League, finishing fifth, third and again third in 1998/99. the club won both the Premier Division title and the League Cup. Therefore, gaining promotion back to the Southern Football League. The 2006/07 season saw us achieve our highest league position. Finishing 3rd and thus qualifying for the end of season Promotion Play-Off semi-final. Unfortunately losing to the eventual winners – Swindon Supermarine.

The 2012-2013 season was, without doubt, the most successful in the football club's history. The First Team won the Evo Stik League Southern Division One Central (Southern League) championship. Earning promotion to the newly sponsored Calor League Premier Division (Southern League), while our Reserves won the UHLSPORT Hellenic League Division Two East championship at the first time of asking. Earning promotion to Division One East where they came up against the First Teams of many of the previous season's opposition.

CUP COMPETITION HISTORY

In cup competitions Burnham reached the Quarter Final of the FA Vase in 1977/78 and then went one better in reaching the Semi Final in 1982/83. Losing 4-2 over two legs to Halesowen Town. The clubs record attendance of 2400 was achieved in the home leg. We have twice reached the Third Qualifying round of the FA Cup and in 2005/06 we reached the First Round Proper for the first time ever, before losing at home to Aldershot Town. In the F.A.Trophy we reached the Fourth Round (the last 16) in 1999/2000. Before losing to Scarborough in a replay after a creditable 1-1 draw at The Gore. In the Berks & Bucks Senior Cup we reached the Semi Final twice before losing on both occasions to Chesham United.

On the 22nd May 2024 the blues were successful in beating Virginia Water 2-1 at the Racecourse Ground (Ascot United) and won the 2023/24 Combined Counties Football League / Cherry Red Records Premier Challenge Cup, aka the League Cup.

AND NOW...

Burnham FC now play in the Cherry Red Records Combined Counties Premier League North. During the Covid-19 pandemic the renamed 1878 stadium and its facilities have undergone a major refurbishment programme. Providing the new chairman, Glenn Skivington, with the chance to achieve one of his key objectives of building closer links with local clubs and the local community. We now have more teams, more clubs and more leagues enjoying the state of the art 3G pitch which was completed in July 2021. Going forward Burnham Football Club will continue to develop as a local sports facility. Creating a pathway for young players, whether they want to play professionally or build a career within the sports industry.

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History of Cobham FC

Cobham Football Club was formed on Friday 5 November 1886 by Founding President, Hon. Alan Egerton MP and villagers connected with the local Coffee Tavern. The Vicar offered to supply it with a football. On 4 November 1890, The Evening Telegraph reported on the death of our Centre Half, Arthur Smith, following injuries sustained in a match vs Kingston Wanderers. In 1892, the Club affiliated to the Surrey FA. The home ground was never settled with various fields around the outskirts of the village being used at different times. During the late 1920's they played in the Kingston and District League winning division 1 in 1928/29 and 1929/30. Following the Club gaining intermediate status in 1933, Cobham won the Surrey Intermediate League Cup (Central) in 1933/34 and 1935/36. The Club achieved senior status in 1938 upon election to the new Surrey Senior League.

The war years between 1939 to 1945 saw a vote to agree a temporary merger with the Avorians Sports Club to form Cobham Avorians to ensure local football continued.

After the War, the Club made home at Cobham recreation ground until 1955/6 when it moved to Anvil lane also known as the Leg o' Mutton field. The club took its nickname from the word anvil and thus became the Hammers. Phil Walker and Trevor Lee of Millwall FC and Cricketer Bob Willis of Surrey & England are amongst famous ex-players.

During the 70's, 80's and 90's the club had a really good local feel with the ground being a vibrant hub of football. The World Famous Rock Band, Moody Blues, played an Annual Charity Match at Cobham Football Club, giving us our record attendance of 2,000 in 1974/75. The floodlights were installed in season 1996/97 and were christened with a game against Conference side Woking FC on 18th February 1997. The Hammers were founder members of the Combined Counties League moving up from the now defunct Surrey Senior League. They finished second to Ash United in 1998/9. Amongst long serving stalwarts such as Dave Tippetts who first joined the club in the 1980's, the pride of place on the clubhouse wall goes to a painting of Reg Madgwick, who served as player, committee member and fund raiser. When he died in 1995, he requested his ashes be scattered on the pitch and left all his worldly possessions to the club and the decision was made to rename the ground The Reg Madgwick Stadium in his honour.

The Club won the Combined Counties Premier League Challenge Cup in 2001/02 beating Bedfont FC 3-2. After the stand went up in 2004, the club was a mainstay in the Combined Counties Division 1 under the overall guidance until 2015 of the late Ken Reed who died in 2018.

After a new committee was elected in 2015 led by Dave Tippetts, the club has built its Junior football with 16 sides to compliment the men's team and the new seated stand, new fencing and the dual turnstile were put in during April 2016 to allow the ground to achieve a Grade D (Step 4) rating. 2017/2018 saw the club promoted to the Combined Counties Premier Division under the guidance of Sam Merison and the introduction of an Under 23 side to support the first team. In august 2019 the club was awarded the status of FA Charter Standard Club. During the covid years, Cobham enjoyed record cup runs in the FA Cup (1st qualifying round) and last 16 of the FA Vase in 2020/21. The club most recent trophies are the unique weekend double achieved by Pete Doherty's Under 23's winning the Surrey Elite Intermediate League's Reserve Division Covid Cup & Challenge Cup in 2021 beating Frimley Green Under 23's & Virginia Water Reserves both on penalties. This adds to their 2019 triumph over SCR FC under 23's also on penalties to win the Combined Counties Development League Cup. Committee Stalwarts such as Ewemade Orobator and Mark Cornish have helped to grow the club and gain many of the town's businesses on board as sponsors and suppliers, the Hammers are on a firm footing for progression with the town and families at the heart of our plans.



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- Football tragedy Abuse

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(Including the pitch-side hatch)

Match Days at The 1878 Stadium, Burnham Football Club

We welcome visitors to the 1878 Stadium on a regular basis. For some it's a frequent return and for others it's their first time to the ground. The following information provides some useful guidance with links for more information.

The 1878 Stadium

Maximum capacity 2,500 including covered seating for 300 in the main stand. There is also a small covered section on the far side of the pitch with standing room only. Supporters can watch from the concrete path behind the fencing which surrounds the artificial 3G surface. Supporters are not allowed on the pitch and pitch invasions are not permitted.

Travel

Burnham Football Club - The 1878 Stadium, Wymers Wood Rd, Burnham, Slough SL1 8JG

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If you're travelling by car, coach or train - Directions here

Burnham Railway Station (Elizabeth Line), buses Nos 5, 12, 53 and 702. It's a 1.7mile/ 30 mins walk to Burnham Football Club. There are local taxi firms and hotels listed on our useful links page: Local Taxis

Parking

There are approximately 100 free parking spaces at the 1878 Stadium. However, with players and management attending you may be required to park off site. If you do then please be park sensibly, keep traffic flowing and allow driveway access.

Parking is offered on a first come first served basis. Fines have been issued by the Police for parking illegally on the roads outside the stadium. It takes approx 10-15 minutes to walk to the 1878 Stadium from Burnham Village High Street. Therefore, please park sensibly, walk or car share if possible.

Please DO NOT park in spaces reserved for Burnham FC Management or in front of the double gates which lead onto the pitch. These gates are to allow access for the emergency services during training and on match days.

There is also <u>wheelchair access</u> to the ground, with access to toilets both inside the <u>Blues Bar and Cafe</u> and within the Stadium itself.

The Blues Bar and Cafe

Live matches on Sky and TNT (BT Sport) are available to watch while you relax and enjoy the club's main bar and social space. Alcoholic drinks and soft drinks are available, cash and card payments accepted. The Blues Bar and Cafe is also available for hire, please use the form provided if you would like to learn more and check availability.

Admission

Please check our <u>social profiles</u> prior to match days. Admission prices differ depending on who is playing and whether it is a league or cup fixture. As an example, admission prices for all Burnham FC LEAGUE MATCHES are as follows:

ADULTS £8

CONCESSIONS (65+) £5

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Refreshments and Food

Teas, coffees, soft drinks and alcoholic beverages can be purchased before and during the game from the Stadium Cafe hatch just inside the turnstiles. You can also purchase confectionery and hot food there too – Cash and card payments are accepted. *Only drinks purchased from the premisses can be consumed on the premisses – Plastic containers only within the stadium.*

<u>Toilets available</u> outside at the end of the stadium and inside the <u>Blues Bar and Cafe</u>.

Please be aware:

- o Abusive behaviour towards staff will not be tolerated.
- Dogs are allowed in the stadium, however, they must be kept on a lead at all times.
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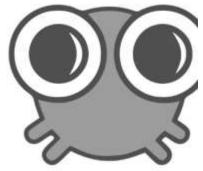
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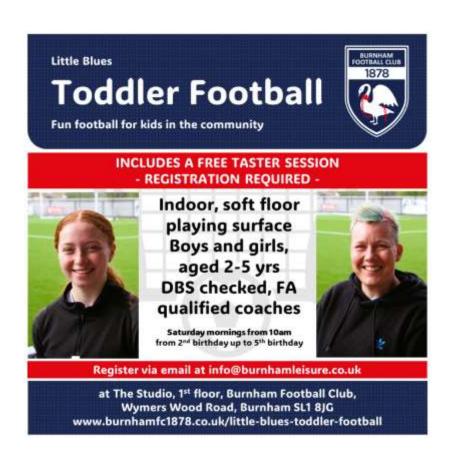
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If you arrive early, for whatever reason, no problem. You can wait in the Blues Bar or in the outside seating area until your allocated start time. We also ask you to allow enough time before your paid session ends for the hand over.

Once you have finished your match why not grab some refreshments from the <u>Blues Bar and Cafe</u> before leaving The 1878 Stadium. Further information: <u>What's the difference between 3G and 4G?</u>

Pitch dimensions

115 yards by 75 yards. The distance of pitch from the dressing rooms is 5 meters.

Important information for players, managers and spectators

We have VERY strict rules regarding permitted footwear when anyone enters the pitch enclosure. Rules that apply to players, those in the dugouts and supporters who, for example, want to take photos. Please read – Permitted Footwear at The 1878 Stadium, Burnham Football Club

For the benefit of the players

We want people to enjoy their time at The 1878 Stadium. If for any reason you forget to bring your boots or Astros, there is a selection of boots in various sizes you can borrow while you are here. Just ask a staff member at pitch side hatch for help.

Sitting or laying on the pitch (unless genuinely injured), wearing flat shoes, trainers, sliders, socks or bear feet has the effect of ironing the grass fibres. Flattening the surface damages the complex water drainage system, causing waterlogging and dramatically reducing the life expectancy of the artificial pitch. Socks only, bear feet, shoes, trainers or sliders with flat soles are NOT permitted – No Excuses! Abusive behaviour towards staff will not be tolerated. If you want to learn why, click here

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First Team Managers Mo Bakkali / Omar El-Bakali

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Physio Millie Watts



Match Officials

Referee **David Evans**

Assistant Patrick Griffin

Assistant Paul Bennett



Cobham FC

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