

# THE DPL DISPATCH

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**BALTI SPORTS v BLANDFORD UNITED** – 20/04/24



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## Welcome .....

To the 29th edition of the DPL DISPATCH.

This edition covers the League Matches played on the 16<sup>th</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> April 2024

**Blandford United FC** were beaten for the 1<sup>st</sup> time in the League this season as they found **Balti Sports FC** too hot to handle at Cranford Avenue, this means the Royals have dropped 5 out of 6 points in their last 2 games, so nudging the door open for those below, and if **Sturminster Newton FC** win their midweek game in hand, they will be just 2 points behind the Leaders and as fate would have it, this Saturday sees the 2 play each other at what will be a packed Park Road in Blandford.

This season has seen the same 4 clubs reach the Semi Final's of both our League Cup Competition and that of the Dorset Senior Cup Competition and following the last remaining League Cup Semi Final match played at the weekend, we now have symmetry as ALL 4 sides have reached a final, **CONGRATULATIONS** to ALL 4 Clubs

### **Dorset Premier League Cup Final**

**Sturminster Newton FC** v **Wimborne Town FC Reserves**

### **Dorset Senior Trophy Final**

**Blandford United FC** v **Holt United FC**

Again, i would like to take this opportunity to thank each and every one of you who submit reports on behalf of your Club's to me for inclusion in the Dispatch, your efforts are greatly appreciated, I would also like to thank all the photographers who submit pictures to me that do bring the corresponding Match Report to colourful life, again your efforts and submissions are greatly appreciated.

Midweek fixtures will need to be scheduled throughout April & May, this process is ever changing, and may I remind ALL Clubs that the season **NOW** goes up to and including the **18<sup>th</sup> May 2024**, following an extension granted to ALL "Regional Feeder Leagues" by the Football Association.

We still have a vacancy for a Main Sponsor for the League and we are looking now towards season 2024 / 2025, if this is of interest to you, please contact me to discuss on;

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*Giles Kilshawe*

## LEAGUE MATCH REPORTS – Tuesday 16th of April 2024

<b>HOLT UNITED FC</b>	<b>(9)</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>STURMINSTER MARSHALL FC</b>	<b>(0)</b>	<b>0</b>

The Bulls stampeded all over Sturminster Marshall at Petersham Lane in the Dorset Premier Football League with a hat trick of hat tricks being scored in a big home win.

This was always going to be a big ask for the young Sturminster side and so it proved on the night as the hosts were in a goalscoring mind set, with ALI GARARD, SCOTT BUNGAY & SAM BENNETT all helping themselves to hat tricks with the hosts other goals scored by CHRIS MANNERS, SAM HERRINGTON, COREY ELWICK, BEN LE-BOW & EMIL JACOBSEN.

<b>POOLE BOROUGH FC</b>	<b>(0)</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>BOURNEMOUTH SPORTS FC</b>	<b>(2)</b>	<b>4</b>

Bournemouth Sports end of season good form continued as they signed off their 2023/2024 campaign with a 4-0 away win at Turlin Moor against hosts Poole Borough.



The men from Chapel Gate got off to a perfect start when striker JACK VOISEY converted from close range following a cross by winger James Bergin in the second minute. Fellow striker SAM DARLOW fired his 21st goal of the season in all competitions into the roof of the next on four minutes again following a fast paced attack from the visitors.

After this whirlwing start by the visitors, the hosts grew into the game and tested Sports with a number of free kicks, but yet again the visitors held firm and dealt comfortably with what was thrown at them. Jack Voisey almost added a 3rd just before half time, but he saw his shot go marginally wide of the far post.

**HT 0-2**

Into the second half and Bournemouth were back on the front foot with captain MATT GANE scoring early on with a shot inside the box. Winger KAROL BOROWSKI added a

4th moments later following a great run and s, hot inside the box. Sports were rarely troubled in the second half by the hosts who struggled to get any foothold in the game and Sports could have added to there tally late on with Gabriel Spennato going close.

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## LEAGUE MATCH REPORT – Wednesday 17th of April 2024

<b>SWANAGE TOWN &amp; HERSTON FC</b>	<b>(0)</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>DORCHESTER SPORTS FC</b>	<b>(0)</b>	<b>2</b>

Dorchester Sports picked up the points after a hard fought victory under the lights at Days Park against Swanage T&H in the Dorset Premeir Football League with the hosts ending with 8 players on the field.

Swanage started brightly in a very even first half with both sides creating chances however a mixture of good goalkeeping and wayward shots kept the score to 0-0. Peacock went close for the Swans following good work from Streams, however Jacques in the home goal had to be alert on several occasions, producing good saves to deny the lively Sports attackers. Just before the break, Peacock went close to opening the scoring for the home side, however he saw his shot hit the post.

### **HT 0-0**

Both sides were again probing for the breakthrough goal and Sports keeper Duncalf produced great saves to deny Ocean Smith and Peacock. However it was the visitors who produced the opening goal with ALEX GODFREY scoring from close range on 73 minutes. Back came the hosts with Peacock and Brassington being denied the equaliser following great saves from Sports keeper Duncalf. Swanage were then dealt a massive blow on 81 minutes when keeper Kadin Jacques received a red card for fouling the Sports forward just outside the box. The visitors secured the points with an OWEN PEART penalty conversion on 87 minutes. Swanage's Brassington was sin binned following the penalty decision and with time running out Streams was red carded for a challenge on his opponent meaning Swanage finished with eight players and a disappointing defeat on the night.



## LEAGUE MATCH REPORTS – Saturday 20th of April 2024

**BALTI SPORTS FC**  
**BLANDFORD UNITED FC**

(1)      2  
(1)      1

Balti Sports blew the title race wide open as they handed previously unbeaten Blandford United their 1<sup>st</sup> League defeat of the season in the Dorset Premier Football League at Cranford Avenue.



Balti took the game to their opponents from the off as they looked to unsettle the League leaders and took the lead when good work by Matt Chambers saw a shot by STEF STAVRINOS somehow squirm under the visiting keeper and just crossing the line, Balti should have then doubled their lead but Ethan Devaney just couldn't

connect to an excellent ball from Matt Chambers. Back came the Royals and they drew level when STEVE SMITH headed in from a corner.

**HT 1-1**

The second half followed much the same pattern as the 1<sup>st</sup> with the hosts enjoying good periods of play but they had to also defend valiantly as the Royals pushed forward in search of a 2<sup>nd</sup> goal, however it was the hosts who scored next as that man STEF STAVRINOS received the ball on the half way line before running forward and scoring with a shot that went in off the post, what a finish. Back came Blandford and Mark Ford should have equalised when well placed but he



shot straight at the home keeper. With time running out the Royals threw everything at Balti but they defended to a man and held on for this deserved win.

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<b>STURMINSTER NEWTON FC</b>	<b>(0)</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>MERLEY COBHAM SPORTS FC</b>	<b>(0)</b>	<b>0</b>

Merley Cobham Sports travelled to Barnett's Field to take on title contenders Sturminster Newton on Saturday, they were looking to make life difficult for the North Dorset outfit who currently sit 8 points behind leaders Blandford but with a couple of games in hand. It was a really tight affair in the cool sunshine but it was the Cherries of Sturminster Newton that nicked a one goal win courtesy of an Andrei Munteanu own goal in the 77th minute of an absorbing encounter.



The Cherries were quick out of the blocks with Cobham keeper Coombes needed to save in the second minute but in general, the opening exchanges were keenly fought and pretty even. Theo Crane in the Cherries goal was brought into action in the 18th minute, good work between Adam Hall and Kingsley Eze-Sunday saw the latter cut in across the edge of the box from the left and his stinging left footed drive was pushed past the post by Crane.

Coombes was back in action again on 28 minutes saving well from Will Guppy. Eze-Sunday was a threat for Cobham but as the game drifted into added on time in the first half a counter attack from Sturminster Newton saw an effort from Buddy O'Shea cannon to safety off the upright and the teams were locked at the break.

**HT 0-0**

The second half started evenly but as the game got cancelled out in midfield the use of the long ball became far more prevalent and the home side were looking to counter

attack where they could, that said, the central defence pairing of Toby Ord and Ellis George took care of most things and Callum Perry and Munteanu were looking solid at the fullback positions. Coombes saved well, again, from Bevis in the 57th minute and then the game became a little scrappy, both sides resorting to the long ball at times. The deciding moment of the game occurred in the 77th minute when a free kick was dubiously awarded to the Cherries, the ball was clipped into the mix and I felt that Coombes, who had a fine game in the Cobham goal, should have come for the ball but he was rooted to the spot and the unfortunate Munteanu won the header but deflected into the net at the far post. Cobham had their moments and the Cherries tiring backline were struggling to deal with things as effectively as earlier, Eze-Sunday went close again but then on the break, a rare mistake let in Aaron Lane-Laney but Coombes came to the rescue again. Cobham had a late flurry of corners which caused some panic for the home side but the Cherries managed to see the game out and claim the three points that saw them move within 5 points of leaders Blandford Utd who slipped up against Balti Sports, losing 2-1.



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<b>BRIDPORT FC RESERVES</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>DORCHESTER SPORTS FC</b>	<b>(0)</b>	<b>1</b>

On a sunny afternoon at St Mary's the Bees hosted Dorchester Sports in a local derby in the Dorset Premier Football League, which also had a bit of extra spice with five of the Bridport side having played for Sports at some point in their careers.

The Bees started slight better in a frantic start with sports struggling to get the ball down on a bobbly St Mary's surface but chances were few and far between. Bridport took the lead on the half hour mark with Baker sliding the ball wide to Harry Burwood and a pin point cross was headed home by JOSH BAKER. Sports started to grow into the game and were getting success down the left hand side creating their first real



clear cut chance which was saved by Cuff at the near post and Bridport held on to go in at the break with their noses in front.

**HT 1-0**

The second half starting much the same, with the Bees putting in 110% effort all over the pitch and they doubled their lead when Josh Bakers shot from outside the area was parried by the visitor's keeper. Matty Loader was first to react, forcing the keeper into another save before DAN BAGGS calmly rounded the keeper before slotting home from a narrow angle. Sports then came to life and were creating chance after chance, a goal mouth scramble was cleared off the line on numerous occasions but the bees survived. Man of the match Cuff in the Bridport goal made three or four saves to help keep the host's in front. Sports managed to pull one back with a couple minutes left on the clock when Jake Mansley was adjudged to have fouled in the box which former Bees player OWEN PEART slotted home to leave a nervy finish. The Bees held on for a vital three points defending brilliantly all game, with Dan Baggs playing as a target man was brilliant rarely missing a header all game.

**SHERBORNE TOWN FC RESERVES**  
**DORCHESTER SPORTS FC**

<b>(0)</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>(0)</b>	<b>1</b>

[Sherborne's Reserves welcomed Holt United to Raleigh Grove with the visitors sitting pretty near the top of the Dorset Premeir Football League and the Bulls were fresh from scoring 14 goals midweek.](#)

This game was a little bit of a free hit for the Zebras as they needed to concentrate on teams around them at the foot of the table. The hosts started the game positively and it was important that they stayed tight and not to concede early. As it turned out Sherborne started very well and battled for everything and didn't give Holt any time on the ball. Both sides had plenty of chances but no real threat on goal as the interval arrived.

**HT 0-0**

The instruction for the hosts was quite simple and were told to do exactly the same as in the 1<sup>st</sup> half and their chance would come. On 65mins an excellent flick on header fell right in the path for JAMIE JARMAN to smash home his first time effort to put us 1-0 which was fitting reward for all their hard work. The one thing they needed to do was to stay tight and build on our lead but true to our form, 2 mins later we conceded to make it 1-1 with GEORGE ASHBY scoring for the Bulls. However, the hosts did not wilt and stuck to their game plan and held on for a much needed point.

**SWANAGE TOWN & HERSTON FC**  
**STURMINSTER MARSHALL FC**

**(4)**  
**(0)**

**10**  
**0**

There was a Goal Avalanche At Day's Park as Swanage T&H recorded a double figure victory against basement side Sturminster Marshall in The Dorset Premier League.

Swanage took 18 minutes to register their first goal from DAN REEKS, then slowly grew in confidence to break the visitors stubborn resistance. Further goals by JACK HUGHES, OCEAN SMITH and DAN REEKS again, who completed his brace put the Swans firmly in the driving seat before the break.

**HT 4-0**

Swanage totally dominated the second half with six more goals from CODY MOORE, CHARLIE DYKE, an OG, OCEAN SMITH with his second, SAM WILLCOCKS and a penalty converted by CHARLIE BRASSINGTON.

**POOLE BOROUGH FC**  
**WIMBORNE TOWN FC RESERVES**

**(0)**  
**(1)**

**1**  
**3**

Wimborne Town Reserves take all three points at the Moor with two goals to keep the pressure up on the sides above them in the Dorset Premier Football League.



The visitors made a good start and Foden was called into action early with a smart save. Wimborne went one up after good work down Borough right hand side and easily finished from close range by SONNY PIKE. Conor Jevon for the hosts saw his tame shot easily saved then missed another good opportunity. Wimborne themselves missed a couple of good chances after good approach play.

**HT 0-1**

After a quiet start, Jevon again goes close for the hosts then Foden sticks out a leg to deflect the ball agonisingly past the Borough post to thwart the visitors. Fu then went close for Borough before CONOR JEVON capitalised on a goalkeeping error to roll the ball into an empty net to bring the sides level. The home side

grew in confidence and put the visitors under pressure without troubling their keeper. Then in the final minutes saw the visitors take advantage of poor defending with an edge of the box finish from FINLAY TOGHILL and another close range finish by ADDWELL CHIPANGURA to wrap the game up.

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The DPL, alas fell at their 1<sup>st</sup> hurdle in this season's competition going down 2-0 to the Thames Valley League, with the game played at the 3<sup>rd</sup> attempt after 2 Postponements due to the very wet weather experienced by many Leagues.

On behalf of the League Management Committee of the Dorset Premier Football League we thank Bob, his backroom team, the players for their efforts on the day and to our Member Clubs for supporting the Rep Side in this year's Competition.

### Competition Results -To Date

#### First Round

29.NOV Liverpool Premier League  vs  Manchester League 1 - 2

#### Second Round

20.JAN Isle of Man Premier League  vs  Cheshire League IOM - W/O

13.JAN Manchester League  vs  West Cheshire League 6 - 0

13.JAN York League  vs  West Yorkshire League 1 - 1 - WYL -won 4-3 on Pens

31.JAN Humber Premier League  vs  Yorkshire Amateur League 3 - 1

20.JAN Essex Olympian League  vs  Essex & Suffolk Border League ESBL - W/O

13.JAN Herts Senior County League  vs  Southern Amateur League 2 - 2 - HSCL won 4-2 on Pens

20.JAN Amateur Football Combination  vs  Arthurian League 1 - 2

03.FEB Thames Valley Premier League  vs  Dorset Premier League 2 - 0

## Quarter Finals

24.FEB	Arthurian League		vs		Thames Valley Premier League	1 - 0
20.FEB	West Yorkshire League		vs		Humber Premier League	3 - 0
17.FEB	Herts Senior County League		vs		Essex & Suffolk Border League	2 - 0
16.FEB	Manchester League		vs		Cheshire League	ML - W/O

## Semi Finals

16.MAR	Arthurian League		vs		Herts Senior County League	0 - 2
23.MAR	Manchester League		vs		West Yorkshire League	1 - 4

## Final

TBC	West Yorkshire League		vs		Herts Senior County League
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The League Management Committee is rightfully very proud of its Representative side and its record in this National Competition, since the Competitions inception in 2003/04 **OUR LEAGUE** has reached the Semi Finals on 3 separate occasions, with the last Semi Final appearance being a 5-2 defeat to eventual Competition Winners the Jersey Combination League in 2019/2020 (*the last time the competition was played*).

*The DPLs playing record in this National Competition is as follows.*

## THE FA NATIONAL LEAGUE SYSTEM CUP



### 2003/04

Rnd 1	Home	Hampshire League	Won	3	-	1
Rnd 2	Home	South Western League	Lost	1	-	0

## 2005/06

Rnd 1	Home	Gloucestershire League	Won	3	-	2	
Rnd 2	Home	Guernsey League	Lost	5	-	4	

## 2007/08

Rnd 1	Home	Hampshire League	Lost	2	-	1	Hampshire Lge withdrew
Rnd 2	Home	South Western League	Won	3	-	2	
Qtr Final	Away	Southern Amateur League	Lost	3	-	1	AET - 1-1 @ FT

## 2009/10

Prelim	Away	Brighton & Hove District League	Won	3	-	0	
Rnd 1	Home	Sussex County League (Div 3)	Won	5	-	2	AET - 2-2 @ FT
Rnd 2	Away	Bedfordshire Football League	Won	2	-	1	
Qtr Final	Away	Jersey Combination League	Won	1	-	0	
Semi Final	Away	Guernsey League	Lost	3	-	2	



## 2011/12

Prelim	Home	Hampshire Premier League	Won	2	-	2	5-4 on Penalties - AET - 2-2 @ FT Dorset Premier Lg withdrew
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## 2013/14

Rnd 1	Away	Wiltshire Premier League	Won	5	-	0	
Rnd 2	Away	Kent County League	Won	1	-	0	
Qtr Final	Home	Jersey Combination League	Won	1	-	0	
Semi Final	Away	Herts Senior County League	Lost	4	-	2	AET - 2-2 @ FT

## 2015/16

Rnd 1	Away	Peterborough & District League	Won	4	-	3	
Rnd 2	Away	Herts Senior County League	Lost	3	-	0	

## 2017/18

Rnd 1	Home	Kent County League	Lost	3	-	2	
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## 2019/20

Rnd 1	Home	Mid Sussex League	Won		-		Mid Sussex League withdrew
Rnd 2	Away	Guernsey League	Won	3	-	3	5-4 on Penalties - AET - 3-3 @ FT
Qtr Final	Home	Peterborough & District League	Won	1	-	0	
Semi Final	Home	Jersey Combination League	Lost	5	-	2	

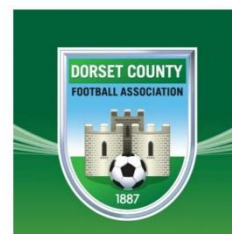
## 2021/22

No Competition held due to the Coronavirus Pandemic

## 2023/24

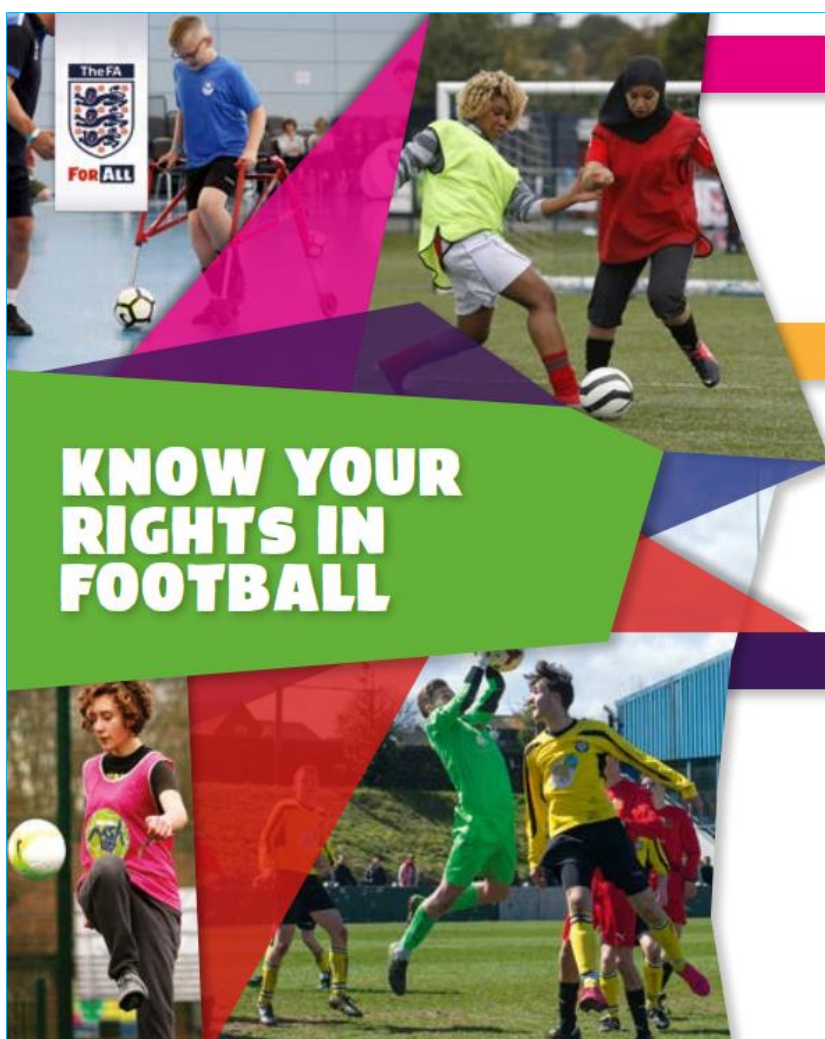
Rnd 2	Away	Thames Valley Premier League	Lost	2	-	0	
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## COUNTY CORNER



# FOR 16/17-YEAR-OLDS

## Who play open aged Football (Adult) – “KNOW YOUR RIGHTS”



### YOUR RIGHTS:

- You have the right to feel safe on and offline;
- You have the right to healthy relationships and appropriate boundaries;
- You have the right not to be bullied, harassed or intimidated;
- You have the right not to feel uncomfortable or unsafe;
- You have the right not to be discriminated against because of your age, gender, gender reassignment, ethnicity, sexual orientation, marital status or civil partnership, faith, ability or disability, pregnancy and maternity.

### WHAT YOU CAN DO:

- Tell an adult you trust at home, school or college or at football;
- E-mail [safeguarding@TheFA.com](mailto:safeguarding@TheFA.com), or speak to a Designated Safeguarding Officer;
- Contact the NSPCC for free **0800 800 5000** or Childline **0800 1111** or visit their website for more information;
- If someone is in immediate danger dial 999 to speak to the Police;
- Set up privacy settings for your online profiles;
- Report inappropriate online behaviour to CEOP.

### HELPFUL ORGS:

- NSPCC: [nspcc.org.uk/what-you-can-do/report-abuse](https://nspcc.org.uk/what-you-can-do/report-abuse)  
Childline: [childline.org.uk](https://childline.org.uk) Helpline: **0800 1111**  
CEOP: [ceop.police.uk/ceop-reporting](https://ceop.police.uk/ceop-reporting)  
ThinkUknow: [thinkuknow.co.uk/14\\_plus](https://thinkuknow.co.uk/14_plus)  
ChildNet: [childnet.com/young-people/secondary](https://childnet.com/young-people/secondary)  
Samaritans: [samaritans.org/how-we-can-help-you](https://samaritans.org/how-we-can-help-you)  
Helpline is open 24 hrs a day: **116 123**  
Stonewall: [stonewall.org.uk/help-advice](https://stonewall.org.uk/help-advice)  
Stonewall Youth: [youngstonewall.org.uk](https://youngstonewall.org.uk)  
YoungMinds: [youngminds.org.uk](https://youngminds.org.uk)  
DisrespectNoBody: [disrespectnobody.co.uk](https://disrespectnobody.co.uk)

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR SEASON 2023 – 2024

- All clubs with open age teams will be required to have a named Club Welfare Officer at the point of affiliation from 2023 – 2024 season onwards.
- All open age teams with 16/17-year-old players must ensure that the team coaches must have an in-date FA DBS in place.
- It is the responsibility of clubs to ensure that they are aware of any 16/17-year-olds playing, and to adhere to the FA DBS requirements.

# STATS



## Latest League Table

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	GD	PTS
1	Blandford United FC	27	22	4	1	69	70
2	Sturminster Newton United FC	26	21	2	3	61	65
3	Wimborne Town FC Reserves	25	19	4	2	75	58*
4	Holt United FC	25	17	3	5	43	54
5	Merley Cobham Sports FC	28	16	5	7	59	53
6	Portland United FC Reserves	29	13	7	9	24	46
7	Bournemouth Sports FC	30	13	5	12	20	44
8	Swanage Town & Herston FC	29	13	3	13	24	42
9	Dorchester Sports FC	28	12	5	11	27	41
10	Hamworthy United FC Reserves	27	11	3	13	3	36
11	Balti Sports FC	26	10	3	13	-8	33
12	Westland Sports FC	26	9	2	15	-2	29
13	Poole Borough FC	26	7	1	18	-27	22
14	Bridport FC Reserves	28	6	1	21	-45	19
15	Sherborne Town FC Reserves	25	2	4	19	-45	10
16	Sturminster Marshall FC	29	0	0	29	-278	0

\* adjustment made

## Upcoming Fixtures

Lg	23/04/24 18:30	Sturminster Marshall FC	VS	Holt United FC	CHURCHILL CLOSE RECREATION GROUND	Dorset Premier Football League
Lg	24/04/24 18:30	Poole Borough FC	VS	Merley Cobham Sports FC	TURLIN MOOR RECREATION GROUND	Dorset Premier Football League
Lg	24/04/24 19:30	Wimborne Town FC Reserves	VS	Hamworthy United FC Reserves	J&B&C'S STADIUM NEW CUTHBURY	Dorset Premier Football League
Lg	24/04/24 19:45	Sherborne Town FC Reserves	VS	Balti Sports FC	SHERBORNE TOWN F.C	Dorset Premier Football League
Lg	24/04/24 19:45	Swanage Town & Herston FC	VS	Sturminster Newton United FC	SWANAGE TOWN & HERSTON FOOTBALL CLUB	Dorset Premier Football League
Lg	27/04/24 15:00	Balti Sports FC	VS	Wimborne Town FC Reserves	WEYMOUTH COLLEGE SPORTS CENTRE	Dorset Premier Football League
Lg	27/04/24 15:00	Blandford United FC	VS	Sturminster Newton United FC	PARK ROAD RECREATION GROUND	Dorset Premier Football League
Lg	27/04/24 15:00	Holt United FC	VS	Westland Sports FC	GAUNTS COMMON PLAYING FIELD	Dorset Premier Football League
Lg	27/04/24 15:00	Poole Borough FC	VS	Hamworthy United FC Reserves	TURLIN MOOR RECREATION GROUND	Dorset Premier Football League
Lg	27/04/24 15:00	Portland United FC Reserves	VS	Merley Cobham Sports FC	PORTLAND UNITED FC (CAMP AND SATHERLEY STADIUM)	Dorset Premier Football League
Lg	27/04/24 15:00	Sherborne Town FC Reserves	VS	Dorchester Sports FC	SHERBORNE TOWN F.C	Dorset Premier Football League

## **LEAGUE CUP 2023 – 2024**



Preliminary Round			
29 Aug	Shaftesbury FC Res	3 - 5	Swanage Town & Herston FC

1 <sup>st</sup> Round			
23 Sep	Balti Sports FC	1 - 5	Sturminster Newton FC
	Bournemouth Sports FC	6 - 2	Swanage Town & Herston FC
	Merley CS FC	2 - 1	Dorchester Sports FC
	Westland Sports FC	2 - 4	Wimborne Town FC Res
27 Sep	Sherborne Town FC Res	0 - 4	Portland Utd FC Res
30 Sep	Blandford Utd FC	3 - 1	Bridport FC Res
	Poole Borough FC	1 - 0	Hamworthy Utd FC Res
	Sturminster Marshall FC	0 - 16	Holt Utd FC

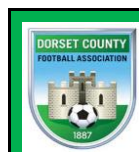
Quarter Finals			
28 Oct	Blandford Utd FC	4 - 0	Poole Borough FC
28 Oct	Bournemouth Sports FC	2 - 6	Wimborne Town FC Res
16 Dec	Portland Utd FC Res	0 - 2	Holt Utd FC
16 Dec	Sturminster Newton FC	4 - 2	Merley CS FC

Semi Finals			
30 Mar	Sturminster Newton FC	1 - 0	Blandford Utd FC
13 Apr	Holt Utd FC	1 - 2	Wimborne Town FC Res

Final			
TBA	Sturminster Newton FC	V	Wimborne Town FC Res



## COUNTY CUPS 2023 – 2024



### D.C.F.A - SENIOR TROPHY - Round 1 Sponsored by Dorset & Somerset Air Ambulance



October 7 <sup>th</sup>	2:30pm	BALTI SPORTS FC	8	V	0	SHAFTESBURY FC RESERVES
		BOURNEMOUTH SPORTS FC	5	V	1	SHERBORNE TOWN FC RESERVES
		<i>cranborne fc</i>	1	V	8	HOLT UNITED FC
		HAMWORTHY UNITED FC RESERVES	6	V	4	<i>Hamworthy rec fc development</i>
		POOLE BOROUGH FC	1	V	3	WIMBORNE TOWN FC RESERVES
		STURMINSTER NEWTON FC	12	V	0	STURMINSTER MARSHALL FC
		<i>tisbury united fc</i>	1	V	4	DORCHESTER SPORTS FC
		<i>westland sports fc reserves</i>	1	V	10	<i>puddletown fc</i>
October 14 <sup>th</sup>	2:30pm	<i>Bournemouth electric fc</i>	0	V	6	<i>wincanton fc reserves</i>
ALL Other entrants have received a BYE						

### Round 2

November 4 <sup>th</sup>	1.30pm	DORCHESTER SPORTS FC	9	V	0	<i>puddletown FC</i>
		PORTLAND UTD FC RESERVES	1	V	2	WIMBORNE TOWN FC RESERVES
November 11 <sup>th</sup>	1.30pm	BALTI SPORTS FC	1	V	2	HOLT UNITED FC
		<i>allendale fc</i>	4	V	0	<i>lyme regis FC</i>
		BLANDFORD UTD FC	2	V	1	MERLEY CS FC
		<i>bisterne utd fc</i>	1	V	4	STURMINSTER NEWTON FC
		<i>wincanton fc reserves</i>	1	V	1	BRIDPORT FC RESERVES – <b>W 4-2 on Pens</b>
November 14 <sup>th</sup>	7.45pm	HAMWORTHY UTD FC RESERVES	3	V	3	BOURNEMOUTH SPORTS FC – <b>W 4-2 on Pens</b>

### Quarter Finals

December 2 <sup>nd</sup>	1.30pm	<i>allendale fc</i>	2	V	7	WIMBORNE TOWN FC RESERVES
		BRIDPORT FC RESERVES	0	V	2	BLANDFORD UTD FC
		STURMINSTER NEWTON FC	4	V	2	BOURNEMOUTH SPORTS FC
December 9 <sup>th</sup>	1.30pm	DORCHESTER SPORTS FC	2	V	4	HOLT UNITED FC

## Semi - Finals

March 2nd	3.00pm	WIMBORNE TOWN FC RESERVES	0	V	1	BLANDFORD UTD FC
March 9th	2.30pm	STURMINSTER NEWTON FC	0	V	2	HOLT UNITED FC

## Final

May 14th	7.30pm	<b>BLANDFORD UTD FC</b>		V		<b>HOLT UNITED FC</b>
@ The County Ground – Hamworthy United F C						



## S.F.A SATURDAY TROPHY

2nd Sep 2023	14.00	Fry Club FC	2	v	1	WESTLAND SPORTS FC

Hampshire FA



## H.F.A SATURDAY TROPHY

18th Nov 2023	14.00	BOURNEMOUTH SPORTS FC	1	v	2	Crofton Saints

# DPL – Respect Table 23/24

The DPL runs a Competition throughout each season to do with Respect and is based around the Points the Match Referee awards each Club in the following areas on a Match Day.

- Behaviour of Players
- Behaviour of Manager
- Behaviour of the Captain

Each area is marked out of 10 with 2 points deducted for each Sin Bin received & 3 points deducted for each S6 Red card received - (*Foul & Abusive Language*)

Each block is measured over 5 games with the Club receiving the most marks getting **£75.00** from the League – from games 6 – 10 onwards there is also a further award of **£25.00** for the side with the most improved performance against the previous block of 5 games.

GAMES 16 – 20 is now Complete as follows.

		GAME 16					GAME 17					GAME 18					GAME 19					GAME 20									
		BoP	BoM	Cap	Sin Bin	S6	BoP	BoM	Cap	Sin Bin	S6	BoP	BoM	Cap	Sin Bin	S6	BoP	BoM	Cap	Sin Bin	S6	BoP	BoM	Cap	Sin Bin	S6					
Westlands	131	8	9	8			25	8	9	8			25	8	7	8			23	8	10	10			28	10	10	10			30
Blandford	130	8	9	7			24	7	6	5			18	10	10	10			30	10	8	10			28	10	10	10			30
Merley CS	127	7	8	7			22	9	9	9			27	8	8	8			24	7	10	10			27	8	9	10			27
Dor Spts	122	8	10	9			27	10	10	10			30	7	8	8			23	10	10	10			30	2	3	7			12
Stur Marsh	119	9	8	7			24	7	7	10			24	8	8	8			24	8	5	7	-2		18	10	9	10			29
Wimb T Res	118	8	9	7	-2		22	9	9	8			26	8	8	8			24	9	9	7			25	7	7	7			21
Sherb Res	117	8	7	8			23	7	10	10			27	2	1	8	-4		7	10	10	10			30	10	10	10			30
Balti	116	6	6	5			17	8	10	10			28	5	9	3	-2		15	9	9	9			27	9	10	10			29
Swanage	115	9	9	9			27	8	10	9			27	7	9	6			22	7	7	3			17	7	8	7			22
Holt	114	9	9	7			25	8	8	9			25	10	10	9			29	4	3	3			10	8	9	8			25
Ham Utd Res	113	9	10	9			28	8	9	7			24	7	5	5			17	7	8	7			22	8	6	8			22
Port Res	112	7	7	6			20	9	10	9			28	8	9	10			27	4	5	7	-2		14	8	8	7			23
Brid Res	111	8	9	8			25	8	9	9			26	7	7	7			21	7	9	4			20	7	6	6			19
Stur/New	111	9	7	10			26	7	7	7	-2		19	8	9	8	-2		23	5	10	7			22	7	7	7			21
Bmth Sports	107	6	6	5			17	7	7	7			21	8	9	5			22	9	9	8			26	7	7	7			21
Poole B	107	8	9	8			25	4	6	6			16	8	10	2			20	8	9	8			25	7	7	7			21

**CONGRATULATIONS** to **WESTLAND SPORTS FC**

Who finished Top and will receive **£75.00**

**WESTLAND SPORTS FC & BLANDFORD UNITED FC & DORCHESTER SPORTS FC** were also the **JOINT** most improved Clubs on the previous Block of 5 Games and will receive **£12.50**

# DPL – CLUB MAP 23/24

