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VS



HYTHE & DIBDEN FC



DATE
TUE 13 OCT 2026



COMPETITION
**SDFA SENIOR CUP
2ND ROUND**



KICK-OFF
7:45PM



VENUE
**RINGWOOD COMMUNITY HUB
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CHAIR'S WELCOME

A very warm welcome to the Ringwood Community Hub for this evening's SDFA Southampton Senior Cup 2nd Round tie against Wessex Premier League side Hythe and Dibden FC.



We welcome our visitors' players, committee members, and spectators, together with match officials, referee **Peter Whitten**, and his assistants **Gray Surman**, and **Rudi Burton**.

A very special welcome back to Richard Morse, H&D's team manager. Rich spent 5 hugely influential years at RTFC from June 2018, helping to guide the club through the challenges of the Covid period and setting standards and values that still underpin so much of what we hold dear today.

Was great to see at Saturday's game Matt and Craig of the Goal Diggers South Coast Football Vlog. They're *"Two middle aged blokes recording their football adventures across the south coast visiting non-league clubs in Dorset, Hampshire, Wiltshire & occasionally much further afield. Think older people trying to keep up with trends but with added football."*

I highly recommend their Vlog. Widely available on YouTube it's always a good watch, not just for the game highlights but for the added interviews and their experiences of the local area - ie pubs!



Have a watch.... [Ep. 172 "Farmer Craig" Ringwood Town v Colden Common, Wessex League Division One, 10.10.26](#)

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MANAGER'S NOTES

What a response to the defeat at Bashley.

Against a well-organised and efficient Colden Common side, we produced an excellent result. Historically, this is a fixture we have struggled in, so to come away with the win, and once again show the character to recover from a losing position, is particularly pleasing.

I was very satisfied with our performance at times, especially during the opening 35 minutes and much of the 2nd half. At home, we are beginning to show real confidence on the ball and are producing some very good football. Scoring twice from set pieces was refreshing, but we also created a few good opportunities from open play.

Ollie Brown continues to thrive in the forward areas, while it was fantastic to see recent signing Sam Danvers score his first goal for the club. There was more good news with the return of club legend Joe Petty from Lymington, and I am equally delighted that long-term target Alex Morris has finally joined us. Alex is a versatile, quick and exciting young player who will add even more quality to the squad.

We now have an excellent blend of talented young players and the right senior figures. The culture, standards and mindset within the first team are steadily moving in the right direction, and it is a wonderful thing to witness. Credit must go to our outstanding players and staff, who continue to give everything for the club week after week.

Attention now turns to a couple of 'pressure-free' cup ties against higher-level opposition. We will embrace the challenge, enjoy the experience and see where the journey takes us.

Finally, I would like to welcome my predecessor, Rich Morse, back to Ringwood. He deserves great respect for his contribution to the club, and I look forward to seeing him on tonight.

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TODAY'S OPPOSITION

Hythe and Dibden FC

Club History

The club was established in 1902. In 1947, then known as Hythe and Power United, they joined Division Three West of the Hampshire League. The club won the division in 1949–50, but were relegated back to Division Three West at the end of the 1951–52 season after finishing bottom of Division Two. They were transferred to Division Three East in 1954, and the two third divisions were merged into one in 1955. The club finished bottom of Division Three in 1957–58 and 1959–60. After finishing bottom of Division Three for a third time in 1961–62, the club dropped into the junior leagues in Southampton.

Hythe & Dibden won Division Two of the Southampton League in 1970–71. The following season they finished second in Division One and were promoted to the Premier Division. However, two relegations saw the club back in Division Two by 1975. They won the title in 1975–76, but then yo-yoed between Division One and Division Two for several seasons. The club were promoted to the Premier Division in 1986, and returned to the Hampshire League in 1994 when they joined Division Three.[After finishing as Division Three runners-up in their first season, the club were promoted to Division Two. In 1999 the league was reorganised and the club were placed in the Premier Division.

In 2004 the Hampshire League merged into the Wessex League, with Hythe & Dibden placed in the new Division Two. Two seasons later it was renamed Division One. In 2021 the club were promoted to the Premier Division based on their results in the abandoned 2019–20 and 2020–21 seasons.



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TODAY'S OPPOSITION

Hythe & Dibden FC

Recent Results

Type	Date / Time	Home Team		Away Team	
PREM	10/10/26 15:00	Petersfield Town		1 - 1	 Hythe & Dibden
IBLC	06/10/26 19:45	Hythe & Dibden		0 - 5	 Hamble Club
PREM	03/10/26 15:00	Hythe & Dibden		1 - 2	 Bashley
PREM	29/09/26 19:45	Hythe & Dibden		0 - 1	 Horndean
PREM	26/09/26 15:00	Fleetlands		1 - 3	 Hythe & Dibden
PREM	22/09/26 19:45	Laverstock & Ford		4 - 3	 Hythe & Dibden
PREM	19/09/26 15:00	Hythe & Dibden		1 - 1	 Bemerton Heath Harlequins



TODAY'S OPPOSITION

Hythe & Dibden FC

Wessex Premier League

POS	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Fareham Town	11	10	0	1	26	7	19	30
2	Hamble Club	15	6	6	3	36	22	14	24
3	Hamworthy Recreation	10	7	2	1	28	12	16	23
4	Millbrook	12	7	2	3	22	14	8	23
5	Laverstock & Ford	12	6	4	2	32	22	10	22
6	Brockenhurst	11	7	1	3	23	18	5	22
7	Horndean	14	7	1	6	24	20	4	22
8	Sturminster Newton United	13	6	3	4	27	18	9	21
9	Downton	14	6	2	6	30	25	5	20
10	Bashley	10	6	1	3	25	14	11	19
11	Fleetlands	11	5	3	3	21	20	1	18
12	Hythe & Dibden	17	4	4	9	23	29	-6	16
13	Andover New Street	11	3	6	2	20	13	7	15
14	Cowes Sports	10	4	3	3	15	14	1	15
15	Baffins Milton Rovers	12	4	3	5	19	22	-3	15
16	Sherborne Town	13	2	6	5	13	22	-9	12
17	East Cowes Victoria Athletic	11	2	5	4	16	22	-6	11
18	Petersfield Town	13	2	5	6	18	29	-11	11
19	Bemerton Heath Harlequins	14	2	3	9	18	47	-29	9
20	Bournemouth Poppies	12	1	2	9	9	30	-21	5
21	Christchurch	12	0	2	10	16	41	-25	2

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Match Reports

Ringwood Town Disability Match reports for Southern Inclusive League opening games Sunday 4th Oct 2026

Ringwood Town B 2-1 AFC Totton C

A game of few chances. Katie defended well from the 1st minute helping keep the Totton attackers at bay. Richard Blake scored at the near post to take the lead then Totton equalised shortly thereafter. Stuart, Katie and Richard performed creditably in supporting the loaned players drafted in due to player absences. A loan player scored late on to make the score 2-1.

Ringwood Town B 0-0 Brendon66

Chances were at a premium in this one. The best chance fell to James Brown who forced a great save from the Brendon 66 keeper. Richard Blake had couple chances further on but with no luck.

Ringwood Town B 2-2 ST. Francis

Ringwood Town started slowly. St. Francis created several chances, scoring twice early on. Katie provided a great assist for Richard to make the score 2-1. Nearing the final whistle Ringwood equalised. James Brown, turning the Totton midfielder, made a quick darting run down the right side, and his shot was turned in by Richard. This meant the day ended with Ringwood Town B unbeaten.

Squad list

- 3. James Brown
- 10. Richard Blake
- 13. Stuart Mander
- 14. Katie Brown (captain)

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Match Reports

Ringwood Town Disability Match reports for Southern Inclusive League

Ringwood Town A 1-1 Brendon 66 B

A very close game with Ringwood Town making a slow start. Brendon scored with good finish early on. A fortunate equaliser followed when the Brendon keeper's goal kick fell to Jordan Williams who had no problem slotting it home. Full credit then to Ringwood's keeper Ben Christopher who made a world class save to keep the score at 1-1.

Ringwood Town A 4-0 Hamble Purple

A game which Ringwood Town started brightly. Jordan scored early on to make it 1-0 then a few minutes later scored again with a long-range finish to make it 2-0. Another good finished later secured a hattrick for Jordan. New signing James Coe scored on his first start to make it 4-0.

Ringwood Town A 4-0 Hamble Red

Ringwood Town continued where they left off. An early goal from Jordan was followed with his second after a good left-footed finish. Hamble Red pressed but the defence of Williams & Damien held firm. James Coe scored the 3rd with neat finish then after few more attempts Kieran Luckham scored to make it 4-0. Hamble pushed but could not breach Ringwood's defence.

Ringwood Town A 0-3 Brendon 66 A

An impressive performance by Brendon with football which wouldn't look out place higher up the pyramid. Ringwood competed well but struggled to match their opponents.

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Match Reports

Ringwood Town Disability

Match reports for Southern Inclusive League

Special mention

Jordan Williams on fire with 9 goals in 6 games in total and already beaten his tally for last season

Squad list

1. Ben Christopher
2. Mace Traves
3. James Coe
4. Damein Dominey
5. William McCuish (captain)
6. Kieran Luckham
9. Jordan Williams

Thanks to James Brown for the match reports!

If anyone has disability or SEN needs, has interest in playing football or wants to improve their fitness or improve their social skills and wish to join a great group of people, please contact the RTFC

Club Disability officer Abbie Barnes.

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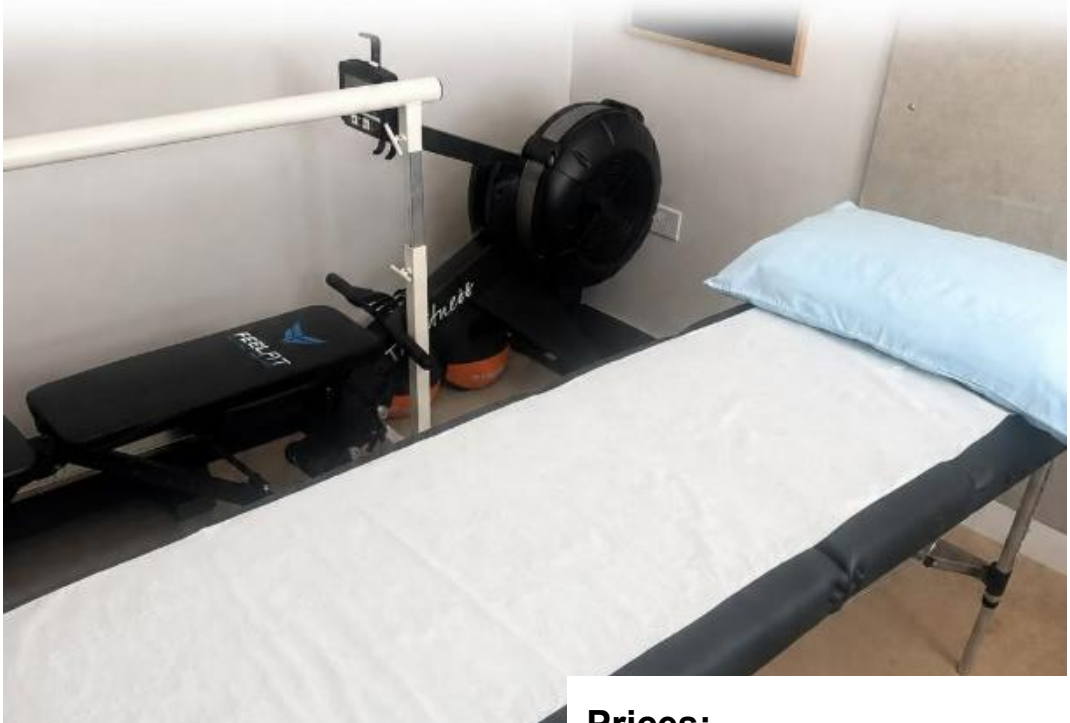
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Date	H/A	Opponents	Comp	Result	H	A	Scorers
Sat 01-Aug	H	AFC Aldermaston	Wx Lg1	Draw	2	2	Bradwell, May
Tue 04-Aug	H	Newport (IOW)	HSC	Won	3	0	Correia (2), Bradwell
Sat 08-Aug	A	Whitchurch Utd	Wx Lg1	Lost	1	2	Harris
Tue 04-Aug	H	Ham Utd	Wx Lg1	Draw	1	1	Vint (pen)
Sat 15-Aug	H	Frimley Green	Wx Lg1	Won	3	2	Harris (2), Bradwell
Tue 18-Aug	H	Christchurch	HSC	Won	3	1	Brown (pen), Harris, Bradwell
Tue 25-Aug	H	Blanford Utd	Wx Lg1	Won	1	0	Bennett
Sat 29-Aug	H	Totton & Eling	Wx Lg1	Won	5	0	Bradwell (3), Claxton, Bignell
Sat 05-Sep	A	Cove	Wx Lg1	Draw	0	0	
Sat 05-Sep	H	Ham Utd	FAV	Lost	1	1	(3-4 pens) Harrison
Wed 16-Sep	A	New Milton Town	Wx Lg1	Won	2	1	Brown
Sat 19-Sep	A	Amesbury Town	Wx Lg1	Lost	2	5	Brown, Harris
Tue 22-Sep	H	Lymington Town	Wx Lg1	Won	3	1	Brown (2), Harris
Sat 26-Sep	H	Ash United	Wx Lg1	Draw	3	3	Brown (2), Orchard
Tue 29-Sep	A	Romsey Town	Wx Lg1	Won	3	1	Brown (2), Vint
Sat 03-Oct	A	Hedge End Rgrs	Wx Lg1	Won	2	1	Vint, Brown
Tue 06-Oct	A	Bashley	LC	Lost	2	5	Bignell, Jackson
Sat 10-Oct	A	Colden Common	Wx Lg1	Won	3	2	Danvers, Bignell, Brown



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FIXTURES COMING UP

Type	Date / Time	Home Team	Away Team
RCC	20/10/26 19:45	Cowes Sports 	VS  Ringwood Town
DIV1	24/10/26 15:00	Ringwood Town 	VS  Fawley AFC
DIV1	27/10/26 19:45	Folland Sports 	VS  Ringwood Town
DIV1	31/10/26 15:00	Ringwood Town 	VS  Sandhurst Town
DIV1	07/11/26 15:00	Newport (IOW) 	VS  Ringwood Town
HSC	10/11/26 19:45	Ringwood Town 	VS  AFC Stoneham
DIV1	14/11/26 15:00	Ringwood Town 	VS  Alresford Town



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VELOCITY WESSEX LEAGUE DIV 1 TABLE

POS	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	New Milton Town	11	9	1	1	28	11	17	28
2	Ringwood Town	14	8	4	2	31	21	10	28
3	Amesbury Town	13	7	2	4	26	30	-4	23
4	Sandhurst Town	12	6	2	4	26	14	12	20
5	Cove	9	6	1	2	21	11	10	19
6	Frimley Green	13	6	1	6	30	22	8	19
7	Folland Sports	12	6	1	5	27	21	6	19
8	Newport (IOW)	9	5	3	1	25	13	12	18
9	Fawley AFC	10	5	3	2	19	14	5	18
10	Blandford United	11	5	2	4	22	21	1	17
11	Hedge End Rangers	10	5	1	4	17	16	1	16
12	Whitchurch United	12	4	4	4	23	29	-6	16
13	Lymington Town	14	4	4	6	20	35	-15	15*
14	Romsey Town	10	4	1	5	20	19	1	13
15	Colden Common	11	4	1	6	24	24	0	13
16	Ash United	10	3	4	3	17	17	0	13
17	Alresford Town	14	3	3	8	20	29	-9	12
18	AFC Aldermaston	12	2	4	6	18	21	-3	10
19	Kintbury Rangers	12	2	4	6	16	29	-13	10
20	Hamworthy United	11	2	2	7	19	25	-6	8
21	Totton & Eling	12	1	0	11	14	41	-27	3

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Today's Squads

Tue 13th Oct 2026

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Felix Bruce (GK)	
Will Orchard	
Sam Danvers	
Ted Bignell	
Alex Morris	
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Luke Pothas	
Danny May	
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Riley Claxton	
Josh Ridland	
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Ollie Brown	
Ben Harris	
Denys Tysplakov	
Lee Vint	

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Assistant Manager: Oscar Easton

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