Sunday 11th May Flitwick Football Centre





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Welcome!

Welcome to our Super Sunday event that brings our 2024/2025 season to a close with 14 Finals . Congratulations to all the teams who have reached their respective Final be it in the Cup , the Plate , the Trophy or the Shield . We hope they all have a splendid day and whatever the outcome they enjoy their game .

Hopefully they will enjoy some good support from the spectators who will encourage the players in the best possible way .

We are extremely grateful to the Flitwick Football Centre and Flitwick Eagles FC for hosting the event. Many thanks to them and indeed their staff for their work today.

Our sincere thanks are also extended to our Final sponsors. Luton Town Supporters Trust, Gary Wilson, Blitz Externals, LD Mortgage and Life Services and ELS Recruitment. Thanks also to Prestige Design and Workwear who have sponsored a Player of the Match trophy for each Final.

Congratulations to all our match officials on their appointment today. We thank them for their support provided to the League throughout last season and we hope they enjoy their game today.

May I also take this opportunity to thank my League Officers and Management Committee Members for all the work they do week in week out in administering our League and providing over 200 teams with such a good opportunity to participate in well organised competitive football.

Enjoy the games and thanks for your support

Peter Brown

M and S Services Chiltern Youth Football League - Chairman

Get to Know: Shortstown Sharks

<u>Shortstown Sharks</u>: Cup final kit colour: Orange and Yellow shits, Orange shorts, Orange socks

Facts about the club: Shortstown Rangers was founded in 2019 and joined league football during the 2021/2022 season. The club currently has ten teams ranging from U6's to U12's. In its short history club honours include U8's Bedfordshire Mini Soccer League Soccer Cup Winners (2022/2023) and U12's M&S Chiltern Youth Football League Division Four Winners and Runners Up (2023/2024). The club has a large impact within the local community at was recognised at the recent Bedford Sports and Physical Activity Awards where Lewis Knox won young volunteer of the year and the U9's team were highly commended in the team of the year category.

A message from manager Simon Prichett & Harry Samuel: What an incredible journey it's been! We couldn't be prouder of this amazing group of players—each one has shown heart, determination, and growth throughout the season. Reaching the final is a huge achievement in itself, and win or lose, they've already made us proud.

A massive thank you to all our supporters—your dedication, rain or shine, has meant the world to the team. Your cheers, encouragement, and presence on the sidelines have helped drive us forward every step of the way.

Let's enjoy this moment together

Get to Know: Flitwick Eagles

<u>Flitwick Eagles Greens:</u> Cup final kit colour: Blue and White striped shirts, Blue shorts, Blue socks.

Facts about the club: Flitwick Eagles was founded in 1986 by parents providing a Flitwick based team for their sons. At that time Flitwick was a rapidly growing town with a clear need for the development of local organisations. The club developed and expanded as the town grew and now fields around 56 teams each season providing opportunities for around 1000 members, from the infant boys and girls through to senior ladies' teams.

The club has made steady progress off the field also with the club being awarded The F.A. Charter Standard Community Club Status in 2003, one of the first in the County.

A message from managers Steve Gibson and Jamie Nicholas:

As a newly formed team for the 2024/2025 season, we are incredibly proud to have reached the league cup final. All the players have worked extremely hard throughout the season, forming new friendships along the way.

We're also truly thankful to our group of parents who have supported the team throughout the season, always cheering on the children with positivity - rain or shine!



Route to the Final

Shortstown Rangers Sharks: First round

02/03/25: Stopsley United Youth Giants- 2-0

Quarter Finals

16/03/25: Brickhill Wanderers All Star Juniors-4-4

(3-2 Penalties)

Semi Finals

06/04/25: Shenley FC Lionesses Girls - 2-1

Flitwick Eagles Greens: First Round

02/03/25: Stotfold juniors Whites - 2-1

Quarter Finals

16/03/25: Wixams Wanderers Allstars-1-1

Semi Finals

06/04/25: Shefford Saints Blues - 1-1 (2-1 Penalties)



Szymon

–A strong, reliable goalkeeper who's made history by scoring the most goals from goal this season—fearless in net and always ready to surprise.

Alfie

 A strong, fearless leader and captain, Alfie motivates his team, shows impressive skill on the ball, and scores standout goals regularly

Kobie

_- Brave and vocal in midfield, Kobie tackles hard, leads by example, and inspires teammates with his strength, energy, and determination.

•Samuel

- _- Composed, strong, and skilful, Samuel is a fearless tackler and dependable team player who brings calm and control to every game.
 - •Kashan Adaptable and polite, Kashan has grown into a confident, enthusiastic winger, showing great skill and flexibility across positions.

Barney

 A hardworking and reliable midfielder, Barney delivers powerful kicks, supports his teammates, and always gives his all on the pitch.

Clement

 Calm and composed, Clement is a quick, skilful left winger who weaves through defenders and plays with real confidence.

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Lando

_- Energetic and dynamic, Lando plays multiple positions with flair, scoring goals and showing impressive skill since joining mid-season.

Jacob P

 A quick left back with a powerful right foot, Jacob charges down the wing and defends with strength and speed.

•Ellis

_- Passionate, fearless, and full of flair, Ellis is quick and skilful—goals come from nowhere, and he's the team's biggest entertainer.

George

_- A top goal scorer with sharp positioning, George reads the game brilliantly and always finds space to strike.

Gabriel

- Strong, brave, and calm under pressure, Gabriel is a decisive defender who brings confidence and control to the back line.

Jacob C

 A whirlwind of pace and footwork, Jacob is adaptable, quick, and reads the game with intelligence and energy.

Danny

 Quick, brave, and steady, Danny has improved all season and become a rock in defence—no one gets past him easily



Cruz G

Our goalkeeper is an excellent shot stopper and has made some key saves for us. He is dedicated and has approached the whole season with a positive attitude.

Max M

A versatile player that willingly and confidently plays in multiple positions. Max always gives 100% effort and has recently been scoring goals from midfield.

Ethan A

Ethan has been brilliant in defence. He reads the game well, regularly anticipating and intercepting the ball, driving the team forward from defence into attack.

William B

Will is super quick and is often the first player to run back catching the opposition attacker with a recovery tackle. He has the heart of a lion and never gives up!

Rhys C

Moving from midfield into defence, he can hit a great long ball and continues to score goals for the team. He has received many 'player of the match' performances.

Florence R

'Long throw Flo' keeps all the boys in check! Scoring goals with lots of power, Flo has great strength and speed. The politest player on the team.

Alfie N

Captain of the team. Cool, calm and collected, with great technical ability and a wide range of passing. He chips in with both assists and goals.

Archie C

Archie has a brilliant attitude and shares his positivity on the pitch with his teammates; he is strong on the ball and has an amazing and precise long shot.

Harry T

In his own words Harry is simply 'built different' An all-round player with excellent footwork. He is excellent 1-on-1 and has often found the net for us this season.

Teddy M

Playing up a year, our top goal scorer has high energy and works hard for the team. He has scored all types of goals from all over the pitch.

Zac G

Joining as a striker, his defending ability has seen him move to the centre back position. A commanding presence Zac wins his duels and is brave in the tackle

David H

'Twinkle toes David' will break through defensive lines, manoeuvring the ball through the opposition defence. David has supported the team with both assist and goal contributions.

Riley H

Riley is a tenacious player who instantly closes down opposition players. His high intensity pressing and unbelievable work-rate often sets the tone for how we play.

Alfie R

Alfie is calm on the ball and is known for cutting in from the left and shooting across goal from his right. Always a positive player with a smile on his face.

Mattthew W

Tall and speedy Matthew is a willing runner – Not many will catch him when he hits top speed on the wing – he has recently scored important goals for the team.

Today's Match officials

Referee: Bertie Keen

Assistant 1: Cameron Beales

Assistant 2: Luke Lehri

Match Duration: 2x 30 Minutes—If scores are level at full time, the match will be decided by a Penalty Shootout.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank Flitwick Football Centre for the use for their ground for todays U12 Trophy final.

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