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# A WARM TRUNGLE PARC WELCOME AGAIN! TO EVERYONE FROM

# BASHLEY



for the second Saturday in a row

## **FRONT COVER PHOTO**

The Mousehole 'Neon Huddle' as they come together at the end of the Pitching-In Southern League Division One match on Bank Holiday Monday at Tavistock, which ended 2-2 after the hosts equalised in the 97th minute.

Mousehole Goals:

Hayden Turner 26' (pen) Hayden Turner 43'

Attendance: 304

The result puts The Seagulls in 5th place in the League, as they remain undefeated in six games so far this season after promotion, with two wins and two draws in the League, and two wins in the FA Cup LAST SATURDAY 26th August

PITCHING-IN SOUTHERN LEAGUE DIVISION ONE SOUTH

Mousehole 2-2 Bashley

Scorers: 1-0 Jack Calver 29' 1-1 Toby Bailey 39' 2-1 Hayden Turner 59' 2-2 Adam Grange 85'

Attendance: 244



#### **MOUSEHOLE AFC : THE SEAGULLS**

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#### CHAIRMAN'S CHAT Deryk Heywood



I would like to Welcome BACK the Players, Staff, Committee and Supporters from BASHLEY for this much- awaited First Qualifying Round in the Emirates FA Cup at Trungle Parc.

I hope you all have a very enjoyable day with us. I really wish you all the best with your journey. You didn't have much luck with the draw ! We will do whatever we can to help you with your pre-match preparations.

Over the last few years we've made some great friends, and now Bashley, after a great day here in the Southern League last Saturday. Best wishes to everyone at the match for a safe and straightforward trip back home.

In the meantime, let's not forget this is the furthest that Mousehole have gone in the FA Cup in the three seasons we've been in the competition,.....but we want to go further!

If today's match is drawn, there's no extra time or a penalty shoot out, but a Replay at Bashley's Glen Mex Stadium on Tuesday (5th September), by which time the draw for the Second Qualifying Round will have been announced. A Replay would mean the postponement of our League fixture at Bristol Manor Farm

Next Saturday, at Malvern Town in the Isuzu FA trophy - our firstever tie in that competition as well as our furthest travel distance to date - the Rules are different, in that a draw at 90 minutes would result in a penalty shoot-out to decide the winner.

Enjoy today's game - Deryk

#### MANAGER'S MESSAGE Jake Ash



We look forward to hosting Bashley for the second time in seven days. I really enjoyed the game last week, despite the setback of conceding so late.

I thought it was a proper game, with two decent sides trying to play in a expansive manner. Bashley are without doubt the best team we have faced this season.

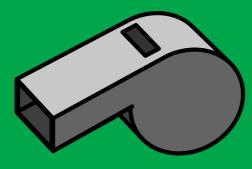
Monday on the other hand was a real disappointment. After a slow start we got ourselves into a good position and really should have seen the game out. However, I think it says a lot for how far the group have come that we are so disappointed to take only a point from a team of Tavistock's experience.

Hopefully, today is as good a spectacle as last week and we can see this one out and look forward to the excitement of the draw on Monday.

Enjoy the game 👊

Jake

## WITH MANY THANKS TO TODAY'S MATCH OFFICIALS



# <u>REFEREE</u> DAN FRIZZELL



# ASSISTANT REFEREES JOSH EYRE

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#### **MOUSEHOLE AFC FIRST TEAM SQUAD Colours: White and Green GK:** Orange **Callam Mconie Ryan Barrett Tallan Mitchell Josh Bissett** Lewis Moyle (GK) **Jack Bray-Evans**

Jack Calver (Captain) Tim Nixon Ollie Chenoweth (GK) Josh Otto Andy Elcock **Kyle Fraser** Mark Goldsworthy **Max Hill Morgan Lewis** 

**Brandon Pursall Paulo Ranalli Sousa Josh Storey Jack Symons** Hayden Turner

Both teamsheets for the match will be written up on the clubhouse whiteboard

#### **BASHLEY SQUAD**

Ross Casey (GK) Felix Bruce (GK) Jamie Webber Sam Davidson Dan Thompson **Ben Jefford** Jonny Davis Billy Lowes (C) Luke Delaney Harry McGrath

Adam Grange **Brett Williams Freddie Bullard Abdulai Baggie Rian Drake Toby Bailey** Lewis Ross **Bue Bennett Blu Sexton-**Chadwick Matt Tubbs

#### **THE EMIRATES FA CUP**

Mousehole v Bashley Today's First Qualifying Round How they got here

#### **MOUSEHOLE**

Extra Preliminary Round 5th August Mousehole 4-1 Ilfracombe Town\*

Preliminary Round 19th August St Blazey<sup>\*</sup> 1-5 Mousehole

#### **BASHLEY**

Preliminary Round 19th August Fareham Town<sup>\*\*</sup> 2-3 Bashley

\*Western League Premier (Step 5) \*\*Wessex League Premier (Step 5)

#### **BASHLEY STAFF**

**TEAM MANAGER: Matt Tubbs ASSISTANT MANAGER: Leon Scott GOALKEEPER COACH: Mark Phillips PHYSIOTHERAPIST: Paul Diggins ASSISTANT PHYSIO: Kane Britten VIDEO ANALYST: Ryan White KIT MANAGER: Dan Elliott** 

#### **BASHLEY PLAYER PROFILES** (3 pages)

#### <u>GOALKEEPER</u>

ROSS CASEY - Popular and very capable goalkeeper - the club's Player of the Year last season. Good vocal organiser of the defence in front of him. Started his career with Totton then moved on to Horndean and joined Bashley mid-way through 2021/22 season from neighbours Lymington Town.

#### **DEFENDERS**

JAMIE WEBBER - Came through Bashleyjunior ranks. Was originally a striker, but moved back to midfield and has since been converted to defence. He now looks a very accomplished and capable right-back, speedy, and reads the game well.
SAM DAVIDSON - Outstanding and versatile defender who originally got his breakthrough to senior ranks at Dorchester before moving on to Shaftsbury and then Bashley. Commanding in the air at both ends.

DAN THOMPSON - Ever-reliable at the heart of the Bashley defence and also an asset at the other end of the field with his long-throw capability often the equivalent of a corner kick. Beat the odds which were stacked against him for playing again last season after a long spell out for a foot operation - but he has returned to renew his old defensive partnership with Sam Davidson.

BEN JEFFORD - Joined from AFC Totton in summer 2023. Signed for Totton from Basingstoke Town in 2021 after impressing in the Hampshire Invitational Tournament. An experienced and strong left-back, he played at Wembley in a National League Promotion Play-Off Final for Forest Green Rovers against Grimsby Town in 2016, alongside his Totton - and now Bashley - team-mate Brett Williams.

JONNY DAVIS - Rejoined the club in summer 2023. He began his Bashley career in the development squad and was a prominent figure in the Under-19's Alliance squad of 2019 which also included midfielder Toby Bailey. Returned to Bashley after several years of studying and playing in the USA. Put enough good performances as a triallist during the preseason friendlies to earn a squad place. RIAN DRAKE - The first acquisition of summer 2023, arriving at from neighbours Lymington. The 24 year-old decided to move on after Lymington's relegation to the Wessex League - due to ground grading. He made 32 appearances for them during the 2022-23 season and is seen as experienced cover in what manager Matt Tubbs very much regards as a "squad" set-up.

#### **MIDFIELDERS**

BILLY LOWES - No-nonsense tricky midfielder vastly experienced at this level. Joined Bashley in summer 2022 after five years and 186 games at Dorchester Town. Started his senior career at Poole Town in 2012 and has also played 80+ games for Weymouth, Wimborne Town (loan) and AFC Totton (loan). Virtually everpresent for The Bash last season.

BRAD MORRIS - Combative and classy midfielder, and club captain, who many thought could play at a higher level, but has remained loyal to his original club, Bashley. Youngest in the "Morris line". His father Paul was team manager until November 2022, and grandfather Tony was a stalwart at neighbours New Milton before switching allegiance to Bashley.

HARVEY SLADE - Back with Bashley for a third spell, this time on loan. Versatile young midfielder who came through the youth ranks at Bashley before moving to the USA where he played national standard football with Wright University and Flint City Bucks. Made a huge impact last season with some vital goals and impressive midfield performances - form which led to him earning a move to Weymouth. Yet to cement a place there so has returned to the GlenMex on loan.

TOBY BAILEY - Joined The Bash in March 2023, in the same week as Jake Adams, after two years with Lymington. The son of former Bournemouth star John Bailey, who also played latterly for Lymington. John is in the only Bournemouth player ever to score at Wembley - in a 2-1 defeat to Grimsby Town in the 1998 Autoshields Cup Final. Toby was previously a student at Brockenhurst College, and was coached there by Bashley boss Matt Tubbs, who is senior sports manager at the College. LEWIS ROSS - Experienced attacking midfielder and dead-ball expert who topped the Bashley scoring charts in 2021/22, helping them to promotion from the Wessex Premier. Was out on joint registration at Stoneham for a time last season and now similarly with neighbouring Brockenhurst, although Bashley are currently making use of their first call on his services.

#### **FORWARDS**

HARRY McGRATH - Striker who followed in his father Pete's footsteps as a player with Bashley before moving to Lymington Town and then Dorchester before returning to Bashley last season where he has been a virtual ever-present since.

ADAM GRANGE - Former England youth international striker who was originally with Poole Town. Joined Bashley from Winchester in 2022 after a spell with Andover Town. Fast and direct attacker who specialises in turning defenders inside-out!
FREDDIE BULLARD - Signed from Lymington during the summer - and hoping to have a luckier season than the last. Playing for away at Willand Rovers, he was involved in a freak accidental collision with Willand goalkeeper George Burton. The game was abandoned as Bullard was taken to hospital with four broken ribs, three of them shattered, and a punctured lung. Fortunately he has made a full recovery, and the 20-year-old is looking forward to his new career at the GlenMex.

BRETT WILLIAMS - Vastly experienced centre-forward who played EFL football for Rotherham, Northampton and Aldershot, in addition to several teams in the upper echelons of non-league. Played in a National League Play-Off Final for Forest Green Rovers in 2016 and won promotion to the National League with Weymouth in 2019/20.

CONOR WHITELEY - Another who returned to the club in Summer 2023, having previously signed for Bashley when he was 18. He went on to score 35 goals in 86 Wessex League games before joining Sholing. Before that Conor was an Academy player with both Southampton and AFC Bournemouth, and after being released by The Cherries aged 15, he joined the Eastleigh Development Scheme on a scholarship. Now 24, he is back at the GlenMex on loan from Totton. ABDULAI BAGGIE - Joined the club one week into this season from Gosport Borough. He came through the Academy at Reading in the days when they won promotion to the Premier League, meaning it was tough to break into the senior squad. He was loaned out to Rotherham, Crawley and Port Vale and since then has had experience with Tranmere, Stockport, Eastleigh and Weymouth. His career includes 69 Football League appearances as well as 102 for Weymouth in the National League. He also has five international caps for Sierra Leone.

#### **BASHLEY CLUB HISTORY** (5 pages)

BASHLEY Football Club was founded in 1947. We joined the Bournemouth League in 1950 and left in 1983 to join the Hampshire League.

In 1986 we became founder members of the Wessex League and won the title for next three seasons. In 1987-88 Bashley reached the semi-finals of the FA Vase, losing narrowly to Emley over two legs.

The club joined the Southern League Southern Division in 1989 and won the title in their first season. The following season in the Premier Division Bash were in contention for promotion to the Conference but finished in fourth place. The club's rise came to an end two years later with relegation back to the Southern Division.

Bashley reached the FA Cup First Round proper for the first time in 1994/95 and won 1-0 at Chesham. A Second-Round home tie with Swansea ended with a 1-0 defeat, with Bash coming close to causing a huge upset.

In 1997 Bash appointed ex-European Cup winner Jimmy Case as manager. We were promotion challengers during 1997-98, but eventually finished third, with a good FA Trophy run into the last sixteen, losing narrowly at Conference side Hayes.

Young Bash midfielder, Wade Elliott, signed for AFC Bournemouth in January 2000 for £5,000, with Bash receiving further appearance money. Wade subsequently progressed to the Championship with Burnley.

2001/2002 resulted in another FA Trophy run ended by finalists, Stevenage Borough of the Conference. A top six place was achieved in 2002/03. The season was capped by a first ever Hampshire Senior Cup final, played at Southampton's St Mary's. It was a superb occasion for the club despite an eventual 2-1 defeat to Conference bound Aldershot Town, with Bash coming close to defeating their illustrious opponents. Barry Blankley resigned early in 2002-3 and leading players departed. Bashley narrowly missed out on promotion under new manager John Robson and had to settle for a place in Isthmian Division One, as a result of FA restructuring

Robson departed, and Geoff Butler was appointed in the summer. Bash started well but had to settle for a mid table finish. Butler departed summer 2005 and Dave Wakefield took charge as player/manager. After a poor start, Wakefield left, and Steve Riley took over as player/manager. An excellent run-in saw Bash finish just outside the play off places.

Another FA restructure saw Bash back in the Southern League South and West Division. They enjoyed a record-breaking season, winning the league by 28 points and achieving a rare double century of 102 points and 111 goals, including a spell of 27 League matches unbeaten.

Promotion was an all-round team effort, Bash having the most prolific attack and the meanest defence in the league. Richard Gillespie finished up with 41 goals, the highest total in any of the Southern League divisions and broke the club all time goalscoring record held by Colin Cummings, which had stood for over thirty years.

Bashley acquitted themselves well in the Southern Premier and finished in fifth place. 2007-08 ended in disappointment with a 4-1 defeat by Team Bath in the play-off semi-final.

Steve Riley brought in new signings, but 2008-9 was a very different season. Bash were in the bottom four for long periods but ended with a final position of 14th. Summer 2009 saw the departure of Gillespie to Eastleigh, having scored 173 goals in 308 appearances.

Steve Riley signed Farnborough striker Mark Gamble to ensure that Bash entered 2009-10 with renewed hope of being competitive and that season we just missed out on a top five finish on final day of the season.

An FA Trophy run saw Bash eventually lose to Conference National side, Crawley Town. Bash lost more key players for 2010-11 but rallied to secure a top half finish. After a good start to the next season Bash struggled. A solid run ensured survival, although Steve Riley left during the summer. Bash appointed former Basingstoke manager Frank Gray for 2012-13 and ended the season in 17th place. Paul Gazzard and Stewart Kearn took over the hot seats in 2013-14 with a much-reduced budget. Results did not go for Bashley, players departed and Kearn stepped down. John Pyatt joined Gazzard in an unsuccessful attempt to stave off relegation.

The club was relegated to the South and West Division and were lucky to survive the season. Andy Darnton, Graham Speechley-Price, Martin Spiers and Dominic Cuncliffe all had brief spells as manager before Speechley-Price took over as caretaker manager February 2015. The club battled on but finished bottom and were relegated. Andy Howard took the reserves to the 2014-15 Wyvern League title.

The FA reprieved Bashley, ensuring Southern League football. Ex league player David Stride became manager, only to be replaced by Steve Riley. Riley resigned following a run of defeats and Tom Prodomo took charge. The season ended with no wins, two draws, a bottom finish and relegation to the Wessex League. Season highlight was the 1-0 FA Trophy win against Cinderford, eventual S&W champions.

2016-7, Bashley's first season back in the Wessex for many years, resulted in a 14th place finish. Almost at the end of that season manager Tom Prodomo departed for Weymouth.

Bashley promoted from within with former player and assistant manager Paul Morris taking over in the manager's hot seat for 2017-18. The highlight of the season came from the Reserves who won the Wyvern Combination League Cup; with the first team again finishing in 14th place. After that, Bashley settled into the Wessex Premier with their football and facilities attracting the highest gates in the league.

In 2020 Banbury Builders became ground sponsors and refurbished the stand, dressing rooms and boardroom complex as well as renovating the clubhouse. A new observation platform and sponsors room has been added. The ground was re-named the GlenMex Stadium. In March 2021, Paul Lucas MD of Banbury Builders, was appointed Chairman, with the stated ambition to "take the club as far as it can possibly go." The first step along that road came with a second-placed finish in the Wessex Premier in 2021/22 and promotion back to the Southern League on the back of an amazing unbeaten run of 19 games from mid-January to the end of the season, which ended with a memorable 4-0 win away to neighbours Christchurch.

Last season, there was substantial team re-structuring along the way - as well as a change of manager in November, when playercoach Matt Tubbs took over as first team manager, replacing long-serving Paul Morris.

Matt, with his wealth of Football League and coaching experience, was tasked with taking the club another step forward in status - and against the odds, they were in with a very real chance of the play-offs right up to half-time on the final day of the season.

At 3.45pm Bashley were in one of the play-of places. They led 1-0 in their final game at Paulton Rovers, while Evesham, their main rivals, were 2-0 down and reduced to 10 men v Totton.

Then, for The Bash, it all went pear-shaped! Paulton equalised, and then went on to a 2-1 win, while Evesham's 10 staged a stunning fight-back to beat Totton. To add a little salt to the wound, Tavistock came out of the pack to nudge Bashley down to seventh in the final placings.

The hope was that Bashley could keep their nucleus of 14 first team players. In these days when so many players move around, it was no surprise that some departed.

Two of last season's top performers, super-consistent left back Sam Jackson, and 16-goal leading scorer Jack Lovell, both departed for equally-ambitious neighbours Wimborne, while Cameron Beard returned to Shaftsbury after half-a-season back at Bashley, where he had started his career.

Promising young striker Joe Smith decided he would have better opportunities elsewhere, and joined Downton.
However, the club moved swiftly for replacements - and also added some other talent, particularly players with experience not only at the current level, but also above.

Left-back Ben Jefford was seen as a straight replacement for Jackson, while his AFC Totton team-mate, striker Brett Williams also moved to the GlenMex as Lovell's replacement. A third Totton player, Conor Whiteley was also signed - this time on loan.

Also loaned in was Harvey Slade, a dynamic midfielder whose performances in three months at Bashley in the autumn of 2022 had earned him a move to Weymouth.

Also returning to Bashley was defender Jonny Davis, who started out with the club as a junior before moving to the USA where he furthered his "soccer" career.

Another top midfielder, the vastly-experienced Luke Delaney, came in after a spell with Hungerford Town.

In addition, two players - Rian Drake and Freddie Bullard, were signed from Lymington, Bashley's near-neighbours, who were unluckily relegated due to concerns over their stadium.

And a week into the season another with Football League experience, winger Abdulai Baggie, was recruited to the squad.

Bashley have started the season well, beating Yate Town 2-0 in a tight encounter on the opening day, following up with a 0-0 midweek draw at Melksham, and a dramatic last-kick winner in a 3-2 FA Cup win away to Fareham Last Saturday.

#### **BASHLEY CLUB HONOURS**

Hampshire League Division 3 Champions: 1984/85 Wessex League Champions: 1986/87, 1987/88, 1988/89 Southern League Southern Division: 1989/90 Southern League Division 1 South West Champions: 2006/07 Russell-Cotes Benevolent Cup Winners: 1985/86, 1990/91, 1992/93

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