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**MATCHDAY
PROGRAMME**

LEIGH RAMBLERS

v

OLD CHELMSFORDIANS

K.O. 14:00

SATURDAY 28 OCTOBER 2023

PROKIT UK ESSEX OLYMPIAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE
PREMIER DIVISION

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Meet James. Man Utd supporter, Lego enthusiast, Car fan. James also has a progressive muscle wasting condition which is life-limiting and currently incurable

Sadly, James' twin brothers, Joshua and Myles have also received the same diagnosis.

Alongside Corin Underwriting, The Rams are proud to support the I Fight for James campaign. We will be undertaking a number of fundraising activities throughout the course of the season – look out for further announcements!

The family would like to send a special note of thanks for all donations received so far and to all those taking part in the upcoming events.

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CLUB DETAILS

GROUND

Belfairs Sports Ground
Eastwood Road North
Leigh on Sea
Essex
SS9 4LR

CLUB OFFICIALS

President: Paul Cannon
Chairman: Matthew Southgate
Vice Chairman: Justin Mountstephens
Secretary: Richard Ackery
Treasurer: Taylor Stewart

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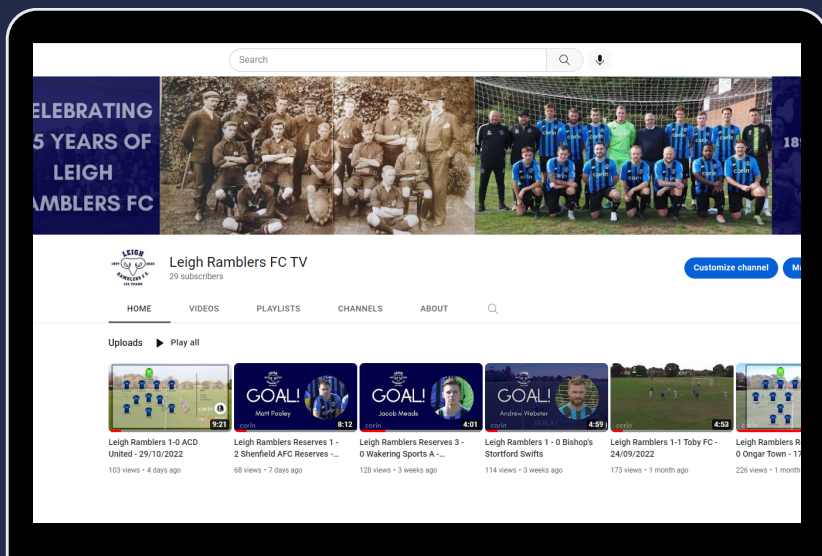


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WELCOME TO BELFAIRS PARK



A very warm welcome to Belfairs Park, once again, where the 1st Team find themselves at home in the EOFL Premier Division for a second successive week. Joining us to today are Old Chelmsfordians who have been performing very well since being promoted last season. The two sides already faced off in Chelmsford and the Rams will be hoping for a different outcome on their more familiar, a decidedly larger, pitch. After a few challenging weeks, Rams can take a lot of heart from last week's draw with Old Southendian and we look to build on that performance. Best of luck to both sides today.

The Reserves are in Reserve League Cup action today, as they head to Division 4 Shenfield, a side that has won every game since a tight defeat on the opening day of the season.

Meanwhile both the A Team and Veterans are also in action here at Belfairs Park this afternoon. After picking up their first point of the season last weekend, the A Team welcome South Essex United in the Southend Borough & District Football Combination League Premier Division. The Vets chase back to back wins for the first time this season, as they face Galleywood. With both teams currently level on 10 points, this should be a good, competitive game.

Last but not least, the Sunday Vets are in action in Basildon tomorrow. Having kick-started their season with a County Cup Round 1 win just a couple of weeks ago, they'll be hoping for a third successive win as they take on third-placed Bluehouse.

As always - all the best to all youth, girls and ladies teams this weekend.

COME ON YOU RAMS!

UPCOMING FIXTURES @ BELFAIRS PARK

Saturday 4 November 2023

Leigh Ramblers Reserves v Leigh Town @ 14:00

County Cup - Leigh Ramblers Veterans v Catholic United @ 13:30

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TODAY'S OPPOSITION

OLD CHELMSFORDIANS

The Old Chelmsfordians Association was established in 1895 for former students of King Edward VI Grammar School in Chelmsford. The Sports and Social sections were set up in 1947 through the organisation of a War Memorial Fund, leading to the acquisition of the Memorial Field in Lawford Lane. This remains their base to this day, although having been promoted to the Premier Division this season, they are playing their home matches at the Grammar School.

This is OC's first visit to Belfairs Park since the two sides were competing against each other in Division One back in 2016 and although the Rams were to gain promotion that year, OC's took the 3 points away from home. The only players surviving from that teamsheet today are stalwarts Ryan Lowe and Patrick Cannon.

The last meeting between the two sides took place on a hot day in September, where Rams were defeated 3-1 by the home side. Although the pick of the day's goals was an exquisite freekick from Nathan Dewberry. You can watch highlights of that game [here](#).

LAST MEETING

Old Chelmsfordians 3 - 1 Leigh Ramblers

Date: 02/09/2023

Venue: Bedford Playing Fields

EOFL Premier Division

LEADING GOALSCORERS 2023/24

Matthew Crick

Appearances: 6

Goals: 5

Charlie Portaway

Appearances: 7

Goals: 5

Dean Palmer

Appearances: 8

Goals: 5



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Chairman: David Grainger
Secretary: David Grainger
Manager: Scott Fleming & Jim Wright
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LATEST RESULTS

RAMS

Form (Last 5) - LLLWD

21/10/2023 - EOFL Prem
RAMS 1 - 1 Old Southendian

14/10/2023 - EOFL Prem
Rayleigh Town 7 - 1 **RAMS**

07/10/2023 - EOFL Prem
Harold Wood Athletic 2 - 0 **RAMS**

30/09/2023 - Essex Premier Cup
RAMS 1 - 2 ACD United (AET)

23/09/2023 - EOFL Prem
RAMS 2 - 1 Catholic United

OLD CHELMSFORDIANS

Form (Last 5) -WWLDW

21/10/2023 - EOFL Prem
OC 5 - 4 Harold Wood Athletic

14/10/2023 - EOFL Prem
Toby 1 - 4 **OC**

07/10/2023 - Essex Premier Cup
OC 2 - 2 Colne Athletic (9-10 Pens)

30/09/2023 - EOFL Prem
OC 2 - 2 Runwell Sports

23/09/2023 - EOFL Prem
Bishop's Stortford Swifts 0 - 3 **OC**

LAST WEEK...

Saturday 21 October 2023

Rams 1 - 1 Old Southendian

 C. Batchelor

Basildon Town 2 - 0 Rams Reserves
Reserves

Rams A 2 - 2 Southend Collegians

 B. Deeming
 C. Weekes

Stanway Pegasus A 0 - 3 Rams Veterans

O. Rice 
G. Barr 

Sunday 22 October 2023

Rams Sunday Veterans 2 - 0 Landsdowne 91

 M. Stanley
 M. Allen

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LEAGUE TABLES



ProKit UK Essex Olympian Football League - Premier Division

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Rayleigh Town Saturday First	11	10	0	1	39	11	28	30
2	Sungate Saturday First	10	9	1	0	39	8	31	28
3	Old Southendian First	11	7	2	2	35	16	19	23
4	Old Chelmsfordians First	10	6	2	2	31	23	8	20
5	Catholic United Saturday First	11	6	0	5	23	17	6	18
6	Bishop's Stortford Swifts First	11	5	2	4	22	24	-2	17
7	Shenfield A First	11	5	1	5	22	22	0	16
8	Leigh Ramblers First	10	3	3	4	18	23	-5	12
9	Runwell Sports Saturday First	10	3	1	6	16	28	-12	10
10	Kelvedon Hatch First	9	2	2	5	14	24	-10	8
11	Canning Town First	10	2	1	7	21	28	-7	7
12	Springfield First	9	2	1	6	11	22	-11	7
13	Harold Wood Athletic First	11	2	1	8	23	46	-23	7
14	Toby First	10	1	1	8	15	37	-22	4



ProKit UK Essex Olympian Football League - Division 2

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Catholic United Saturday Reserves	8	7	1	0	30	10	20	22
2	Burnham Ramblers Reserves	9	7	0	2	26	14	12	21
3	Hutton Reserves	10	6	1	3	30	22	8	19
4	Rayleigh Town Saturday Reserves	8	6	0	2	18	12	6	18
5	Pitsea Athletic Saturday First	9	5	1	3	25	16	9	16
6	Basilidon Town Reserves	8	5	0	3	17	14	3	15
7	BKS Sports First	7	4	0	3	17	11	6	12
8	Leigh Town Saturday First	9	3	0	6	20	21	-1	9
9	Roydon First	8	3	0	5	12	14	-2	9
10	Waking Sports Reserves	8	2	0	6	7	25	-18	6
11	AS Rawreth First	9	2	0	7	7	26	-19	6
12	Old Southendian Reserves	8	2	1	5	14	18	-4	5*
13	Leigh Ramblers Reserves	9	1	0	8	6	26	-20	3

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Southend Borough & District Football Combination League - Premier Division

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	GD	PTS
1	Rochford Town	6	4	2	0	11	14
2	Ashingdon	6	3	1	2	1	10
3	Ekco Park	6	2	3	1	6	9
4	South Essex United	6	2	2	2	8	8
5	Earls Hall United	3	2	0	1	4	6
6	Leigh Ramblers A	4	0	1	3	-8	1
7	Southend Collegians	5	0	1	4	-22	1



Essex Veterans League - Division 3 East

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Tillingham Hotspur	6	5	0	1	22	2	20	15
2	Felsted Rovers	5	4	1	0	19	6	13	13
3	Leigh Ramblers	5	3	1	1	19	11	8	10
4	Valley Green	6	3	1	2	15	9	6	10
5	AS Rawreth	4	3	1	0	13	8	5	10
6	Galleywood	6	3	1	2	17	13	4	10
7	Runwell Sports Reserves	5	2	3	0	12	10	2	9
8	Stanway Pegasus A	5	1	1	3	8	13	-5	4
9	Ravens Legends Reserves	4	0	1	3	5	11	-6	1
10	Witham Town Reserves	5	0	1	4	6	23	-17	1
11	Fobs Peverel	5	0	1	4	7	27	-20	1
12	Stoke by Nayland	4	0	0	4	5	15	-10	0



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Sceptre Sunday League - Division 1

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	GD	PTS
1	Rayleigh Sunday First	5	4	1	0	7	13
2	Mornington (S) First	6	4	1	1	6	13
3	Fryerns (S) First	3	3	0	0	18	9
4	Thames Rovers (S) First	5	3	0	2	3	9
5	Southend Collegians Sunday	5	2	1	2	9	7
6	Wickford & Runwell United (S) First	4	2	1	1	2	7
7	Wickford Town Sunday First	5	2	0	3	-2	6
8	Benfleet A	4	1	1	2	-3	4
9	Pitsea Athletic Sunday First	4	0	2	2	-5	2
10	Leigh Ramblers Sunday	5	0	1	4	-13	1
11	Corinthians Sunday First	4	0	0	4	-22	0



Southend Borough Combination Veterans League - Division 1

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	GD	PTS
1	Sparco European (S) Veterans First	6	4	1	1	14	13
2	Hullbridge Sports FC Sunday Veterans	3	3	0	0	11	9
3	Bluehouse (S) Veterans First	5	3	0	2	-7	9
4	Corinthians Veterans Reserves	3	2	0	1	5	6
5	Sutton Sports (S) Veterans	5	2	0	3	1	6
6	Leigh Ramblers Sunday Veterans	4	1	2	1	1	5
7	Landsdowne 91 (S) Veterans First	6	1	1	4	-15	4
8	Diablo Vets First	5	0	2	3	-3	2
9	William de Ferrers (S) Veterans First	1	0	0	1	-7	0



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UNITED
VETS**



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THIS WEEK'S OTHER GAMES



RESERVE LEAGUE CUP

SHENFIELD RESERVES v **RAMS RESERVES**

28/10/2023 @ 14:00

St Martin's School

CM13 2HG

RAMS A v **SOUTH ESSEX UNITED**

28/10/2023 @ 14:00

Belfairs Park

SS9 4LR

RAMS VETERANS v **GALLEYWOOD**

28/10/2023 @ 14:00

Belfairs Park

SS9 4LR

RAYLEIGH v **RAMS SUNDAY VETS**

29/10/2023 @ 10:30

Markhams Chase

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TEAMS



LEIGH RAMBLERS

SHIRTS: BLUE/BLACK, SHORTS: BLACK, SOCKS: BLACK

EXACT MATCHDAY SQUAD & SHIRT NOS. TBC

1. Dylan **SKINNER**
2. Sam **NAGLE**
3. Patrick **CANNON**
4. Dan **LOFTS**
5. Ben **DUFAUX**
6. Jack **HAUSER**
7. Corey **WOOD**
8. Matt **ALLUM**
9. Billy **RANSOME**
10. Nathan **DEWBERRY**
11. Louie **HUNT**
12. Josh **ARROWSMITH**
13. Matt **POOLEY**

Manager: Terry **JOHNSON**

OLD CHELMSFORDIANS

SHIRTS: RED, SHORTS: BLACK, SOCKS: RED

EXACT MATCHDAY SQUAD & SHIRT NOS. TBC

1. Ryan **BATCHFORD**
2. Ryan **BAXTER**
3. Jordan **BODEN**
4. Bradley **HIBBITT**
5. Max **JOHNSON**
6. Joe **MURPHY**
7. Dean **PALMER**
8. Samuel **POLLARD**
9. Charlie **PORTWAY**
10. Shane **PRITCHARD**
11. Jonny **WASKETT**
12. Matthew **CRICK**
13. Billy **DUKE**
14. Taylor **ELLIS**
15. William **KING**
16. Jack **MUNDY**

Manager: Scott **FLEMING** & Jim **WRIGHT**

Referee: Daniel **MANN**

Assistants: Lily **PRIEST**, George **POTTER**

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