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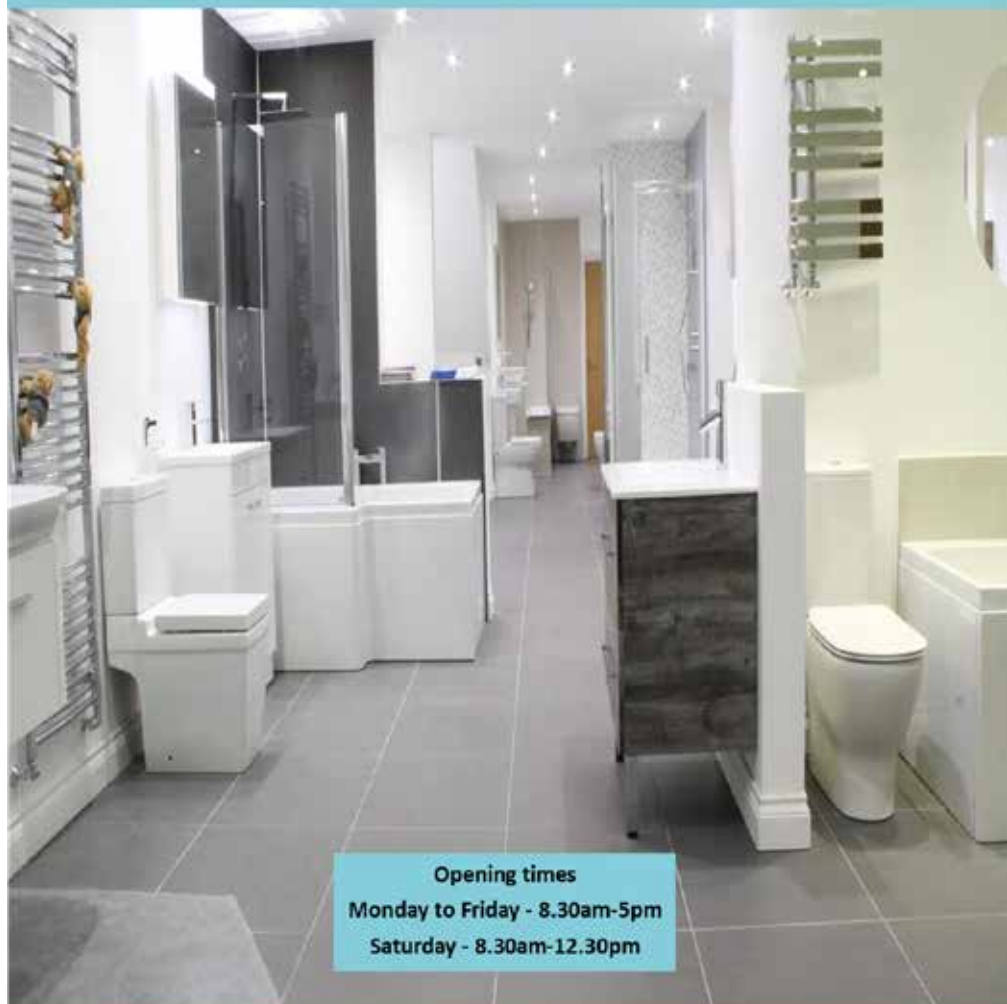
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Broadwell 1st Team Appearances - 158

Broadwell 1st Team Goals - 24

2019/20 .. 17 Appearances - 1 Goals (Covid)

2020/21 .. 5 Appearances - 0 Goals (Covid)

2021/22 .. 30 Appearances - 5 Goals

2022/23 .. 34 Appearances - 6 Goals

2023/24 .. 16 Appearances - 3 Goals

2024/25 .. 20 Appearances - 2 Goals

2025/26 .. 31 Appearances - 7 Goals

2026/27 .. 6 Appearances - 0 Goals

Name - Dan Brain (AKA Brainer)

Age - 23

Position - Midfield

Previous Teams - Cinderford Town, Lydney Town

Favourite Broadwell Game - I have 2 the 2023 Les James Cup Final v Sharpness we won 3-1 and I had a hand in all 3 goals. Also, Ruardean Hill at Home last season when I scored 2 in the last 15 mins to win 2 - 1.

Most annoying Team Mate - Gaffer (Guy Jones)

Funniest Team Mate - (Coach) Kirk Imm

HISTORY OF FRAMPTON UNITED

Frampton Utd AFC was founded in 1891, making it one of the founder members of the Stroud League. They have played at the Bell Field for over 80 years and originally their HQ was the Bell Hotel until 1968 when new changing quarters were built on the Bell Field.

The club has competed in a number of leagues within the county. The early years seeing them in the Stroud League, and the now obsolete Severn Vale League. The club joined the Glos. Northern Senior League in 1953/54 which they were to play for just one season, before returning in 1964.

In 1976/77 the Reserve XI won the Stroud Division One League and were promoted to the Glos. Northern Senior League whilst the 1st XI then went on to play in the Glos. County League in which they competed for a further 10 years.

As with many clubs, around 2002 results of both teams were not going our way, and a couple of difficult seasons lay ahead.

Eventually the club began to see the good times return, with the 1st XI finishing 3rd in the Stroud and District League in 2007/08, and Runners Up in 2008/09. In 2008/09 the Club also became the winners of the North Glos. County Cup, their first silverware for some years and very much celebrated!

2009/10 the 1st XI became Champions of the Stroud League Division 1 ensuring promotion to the Northern Senior League once again. They also won the Section 'B' Stroud Charity Cup.

2010/11 promotion to GNSL Div 1 was gained by winning the GNSL Div 2 League.

2011/12 promotion to Glos County League was gained by becoming Ru/Up in the GNSL Div 1 League.

2012/13 we re-introduced a 3rd team, who now play in Stroud & District League Division 4.

2017/18 2nd XI were promoted to GNSL Div 2

2023/24 Lee Driver-Dickerson returned as manager of the 1st XI ,3rds promoted to Stroud Division 3

2024/25 1st win Glos FA County Cup & Les James Cup

2025/26 1st retain Les James Cup, Appoint Craig Robinson as manager

FRAMPTON UNITED PROFILES

Tom Kaye – 25/26 season Golden Glove winner, not just a great shot stopper but also very good with his feet.

Dom Brown – Captain and reliable centre back. Gives 100% every time.

Billy Curtis – Another reliable defender who gives it his all, when he's not playing cricket.

Stanley Shilton – Willing to run through a wall for the team, bags of energy and determination.

George Driver-Dickerson – Solid defender always puts in consistent performances with a decent delivery as well.

Jude Mee – Young defender with great attitude and potential. Striving for a solid season this year.

Harvey Bain – New to the club. A strong and powerful defender who has settled in well across pre-season.

Freddie Fisher – Returning after finishing Uni, athletic and committed, great to have him back.

Fin Blythe – Great left foot which will be aiming to chip in with a few goal contributions this season.

Kieran Marks – Another new addition to the club, fantastic attitude and confident ball player.

Matty Halsey – Frampton's Young Player of the Year for 25/26 season. Made the step up and consistently performed, added a few goals to his game along the way.

Manolo Marquez – Frampton faithful, always driving others to be better whilst consistently being effective in front of goal.

Harry Churchley – Hard working midfielder who's got two decent feet. Got a long range goal in his locker.

Joe Rowsell – Young midfielder with stacks of ability. Not afraid to get into a tackle as well.

Charlie Nash – Returning to the club after a year away. Very tidy with his feet, great to see him back at the club.

Freddie Porter – Reliable and consistent. Very good left foot and technically good on the ball.

George Blythe – Ball playing midfielder who covers the pitch well. Two good feet and a range of passing.

Harvey Long – Hard working centre midfielder who likes to affect the game going forward.

Harvey Cowley – Returning after finishing Uni. Great attitude and energy, pleased to have him back at the club.

Archie Howarth – Young winger returning after a year away. Fantastic pace and versatile, works hard for the team.

Aayaan Ali – Another new face. Pacey forward with plenty of potential. Excited to see what the season brings.

Jake Lewis – New young forward joining the club who's settled in well. Works hard and has an eye for goal.

MATCH REPORTS

Another warm day at Arnall drive saw **Broadwell Amateurs** take three points in a game of smash and grab against Henbury & Rockleaze. Things didn't start well for H&R when a mix up between Harry Trett and Bleran Thaqi saw Thaqi dispossessed on the edge of the area allowing Henry Malcolm to float the ball over Trett for a fourth minute Broadwell lead. H&R then had a great deal of pressure but didn't really test Chovanec in the visitor's goal until the 16th minute when a delicious Harvey Moran cross saw Kane Mannings rise above Harry Knight and his powerful header struck the post and rolled into the net to level proceedings. Two minutes later James Capon should have put H&R in front but his stabbed effort went wide. H&R had a penalty appeal waved away but even with both teams trying to play football chances were few and far between. H&R started the second half strongly and were pushing for a second goal but were denied by Chovanec's good save from Moran's drive and a few minutes later Moran should have done better when he blasted a good cross from Abdul Bangoura over the top. It was all H&R now and Drew Sawdon stretching every bone in his body missed a header from underneath the bar on 59 minutes followed by a tight offside decision denying Capon. On 63 minutes Broadwell had their first chance of the half when Jamie Belfitt's effort was turned around the post by Trett. Capon then had another good chance but his effort was hit tamely into the side netting. Broadwell then retook the lead on 77 minutes when Belfitt was brought down by Thaqi for a cast iron penalty which Creed netted despite Trett's best effort. H&R then pushed and pushed with several crosses and corners causing panic in the visitor's box but it wasn't to be and Broadwell held out for three points.

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Harrow Hill Res v Lydney Town A

Mitcheldean v Milkwall

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FIRST TEAM MANAGER GUY JONES

FIRST TEAM ASSISTANTS KIRK IMM & CHRIS BRAIN

SECOND TEAM MANAGER JASON ROONEY

THIRD TEAM MANAGER BRANDON LEACH

PROGRAMME EDITOR MARK GABRIEL

Broadwell welcome you all to today's home fixture against Frampton United in the league, we hope they enjoy their stay and have a safe journey home.

Smash and grab win last win at Henbury & Rockleaze coming away with a 2-1 victory. Goals coming from Harry Malcolm and a Jamie Creed penalty after Jamie Belfitt was brought down in the box.

4 wins out of 4 but we're not getting carried away so but hope we can keep this run going.

Again we appreciate all your support.

Coffee, tea & refreshments in the clubhouse.

Enjoy the game.

Dave Watkins, Broadwell AFC Chairman

TODAYS SQUADS

BROADWELL AFC

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DAN BRAIN

LIAM BRAIN

JAMIE CREED

HARRY MALCOLM

AARON POWELL

ETHAN DUNSCOMBE

KRIS BURNARD

NATHAN DAVIES

HARVEY MORONEY GK

DOM BROWN CAPT

STAN SHILTON

BILLY CURTIS

HARVEY BAIN

FIN BLYTHE

KIERAN MARK

FREDDIE PORTER

GEORGE BLYTHE

MANOLO MARQUEZ

HARVEY LONG

ARCHIE HOWARTH

HARVEY COWLEY

AAYAAN ALI

MATTY HALSEY

JOE ROWSELL

JOEY SPILL

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FIXTURES

Broadwell v Frampton

Quedgeley v Chalford

Ruardean Hill v Stoke Gifford

Totterdown v Bishops Cleeve

University of Bristol v Henbury & Rockleaze

Wick v Filton

COUNTY LEAGUE 2026/27

Quedgeley Wanderers	7	5	2	0	26	3	23	17
Bishops Cleeve Development	7	4	1	2	13	10	3	13
University of Bristol	5	4	0	1	13	5	8	12
Broadwell Amateurs	4	4	0	0	10	2	8	12
Henbury & Rockleaze	6	3	1	2	10	10	0	10
Longlevens Reserves	7	3	1	3	12	14	-2	10
AFC Mangotsfield Rocks	7	2	2	3	14	12	2	8
Tewkesbury Town	3	2	1	0	4	2	2	7
Frampton United	5	1	3	1	7	7	0	6
Stoke Gifford SGS United	8	1	3	4	9	14	-5	6
Wick	8	1	3	4	7	13	-6	6
Filton Athletic	6	0	4	2	9	11	-2	4
Chalford	5	0	4	1	2	5	-3	4
Ruardean Hill Rangers	3	1	0	2	3	12	-9	3
Totterdown United	7	0	1	6	4	23	-19	1

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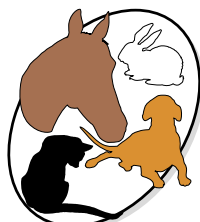
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BROADWELL AFC PEN PICS



Jack Watkins - Goalkeeper

One from the youth production line now starting his 6th Season in senior football. Great shot stopper who very rarely misses a game.



Jack Knight - Defender

Former Harrow Hill, right back or Right Midfield Jack can play both carries the ball well and has a very long throw in his locker. Loves a moan though.



Harry Knight - Defender

Younger brother of Jack and the better footballer (sorry Jack). Centre Half or Right Back, strong as an Ox and never shirks a challenge.



Jordi Locke - Defender

Ex Whitecroft Centre Mid who played Left Back last season due to lack of numbers. Mr dependable who adapted very quickly to his new role.



Aidan Creighton - Defender (Captain)

El Capitano or Mr Angry whichever you like. First name on the team sheet and can play anywhere along the back line. Another Mr dependable who we couldn't do without. Picked up another Player of the Season award think that's 4 in 4 now.



Ethan Dunscombe - Defender

Ex Viney Hill Midfielder who joined start of last season. Mr Utility who played Defence, Midfield and Striker for us. Never moans or lets us down wherever we play him.



Kian Skidmore - Defender

Kian 23 is also back at the club after playing at a higher level for Cinderford and Lydney. Can play Left Back or wide in midfield, loves a tackle and has a wand of a left foot sometimes.



Kris Burnard - Defender

Missed far too many games in recent seasons through injury and suspension but if we can keep fit is one of the best Centre Half's in the County. Also thinks he's a striker but scoring record isn't the best.



Nath Davies - Midfielder

Nath who played Cinderford Town 18s when he was younger joined us 3 seasons ago from Harrow Hill. Work horse midfielder who gets around the pitch so well. Chips in with the odd goal but really should get more.



Ben Fishwick - Midfielder

Senior statesman of the squad, Mr calm on the ball, rarely gives it away. Just what you need in Centre Mid, his experience will be valuable with such a young squad.



Jamie Creed - Striker

One we have been chasing for a while. Finally happy to get the local lad over the line and still only 18. Bags of talent and hopefully lead the line this year and find the back of the net on numerous occasions



Harry Malcom - Midfield

Another young tough tackling Midfielder who joined early last season from Malvern. Such a great engine and does so much work that goes unnoticed. Got a good future ahead of him.



Jamie Belfitt - Midfield

Young Mr Belf definitely gets his footballing ability from his Mum. Played wide last couple of seasons and also as a makeshift Striker. Picked up Players Player last season and will be looking to push on again this season.



Dan Brain - Midfield

Dan had a few years away playing higher at Cinderford and Lydney. One of our most creative players and still only 23, always looking to create and pops up now and again with a goal. Will hopefully play more central this season.



Connor Smith - Defender

A young Right back who never lets us down, tenacious and has a great engine. This season will want to push on and try and cement a position in the first team



Liam Brain - Midfield

Younger brother to Dan and goes by the nickname of Snowman. Baby of the group at 17 but will be looking for a regular starting spot this season. Can pick a pass and has bags of energy.



Rhys Childs - Defender

Rhys is a young quick defender who played reserve and A Team football last season. Bags of energy and doesn't mind getting stuck in for his age. Another one Guy will be keeping a close eye on.



Aaron Powell - Midfield

Aaron has signed this season from Lydbrook Ath. Can play multiple positions and has a wand of a left foot. Looking to cement his place in the team as the season progresses. Shone in pre-season games.



Phil Chovenac - Goalkeeper

Phil has joined us this season after playing last year for Gloucester City Under18s. Phil is confident with both feet and a great shot stopper. May need to take a bit of length off his goal kicks though.



Guy Jones - Manager

Mr Broadwell - Now his 4rd season in charge but 6th overall being involved with the first team. Hoping to push on and have a good season with probably the strongest ever squad he's had available.



Kirk Imm - Coach

Kirk loves being on the training pitch with the lads delivering sessions. Good job his sessions are better than his time keeping. Loves his Tactic Board.



Chris Brain - Coach

Persuaded to come out of retirement by Guy after taking a 2-year break. Last time at the Hawthorns led the team to their highest ever finish in the County League, also winning the Les James League Cup their first ever piece of silverware at Step 7.

BROADWELL AFC HISTORY

Broadwell Football Club was formed in 1905 by the local working men and originally played at "The Purples" Coalway. In the 1930s Broadwell moved to play at "Wynols Hill" where they stayed until 1947, when they moved again to what is now known as "The Hawthorns". This was done with the help of the two late trustees, Mr Bert Ruck, and Mr Frank Haviland.

Over the years various facilities were used such as "the Rising Sun", church hall, and the local working men's club. However, in 1963 with the help of the chairperson, Mr Rube Kibble, Secretary William Smith and committee men Mr Cyril Hamblin, a new changing quarter was officially opened by referee Mr Tom Finney.

These new changing quarters were totally funded by the club's own money after refusal of a grant by both the G.F.A. and F.A.

In 1982, a bar facility was opened by the late president Mr. Hubert Smith and seven years later a new bar, skittles alley, kitchen, and referees changing room were added by a dedicated bunch of Broadwell supporters and sponsors.

The football social club has a strong golf society which plays twice a year open to all club members young or old regardless of ability.

The football club currently run three senior sides, which play on a Saturday. Broadwell won the G.F.A. Senior Amateur cup north in its inaugural year in 1925-26 and reached the final on two other occasions, losing to Charlton Kings in 1947-48 and Bishops Cleeve in 1964-65. Other honours over the years have been the northern senior league division one championship in 1925-26, 1946-47 and division two runners up in 1976-77. Runners up in the G.F.A. Challenge trophy season 1998-99. Winning the Northern Senior league again in 1993-94 enabled them to gain promotion to the county league, before being voted from the league three seasons later.

Broadwell's most famous player was the late Colin Hamblin who was also went on to play for the county; a trophy cabinet in his honour is proudly displayed in the club house.

2006-07 Season the first eleven finished as runners up to Tuffley Rovers in Northern Senior league Division 1. After a run of eighteen games without defeat a bad run of five defeats in the last eight games stopped them winning the league. Broadwell lost to Tuffley Rovers at Harrow Hill in the GFA senior county cup final the same season.

Broadwell were crowned Senior North County Cup Winners in season 2008-09 beating Shortwood Res 2-1 in the final at Slimbridge AFC.

Season 2009-10 the first team lost in the semi-finals of the GFA county cup and finished third in the league. The club continually finished in the top five for the next five seasons.

2014-15 Season saw the first team win the northern senior league title, win the Reg Davies memorial league cup, and come runners up to Brockworth Albion in the senior north county cup.

The clubs committee committed to changing room improvements and without any funding built new away changing rooms along with referee/assistants changing rooms, completed in April 2015. After a good first campaign finishing sixth under Gary Hurcombe the first team were managed by Lee Williams and Scott Albon finishing 12th in the league season 2016-17, reaching the final of the Les James cup losing to AEK BOCO 3-0.

Season 2017-18 saw Broadwell in the top five of the league for most of the season only to fall away at the later part due to the high volume of games played eventually finishing in seventh place. Broadwell did however jointly win the Respect league with Frampton United with a remarkable 100% record of no bookings for dissent. Season 2018-19 proved difficult for the club Manager Lee Williams and Scott Albon jointly retired from Management but continue their close links with the club. Season 2019-20 the club moved out of their comfort zone and appointed a manager from outside the club. Simon Beardsell ex Cheltenham Town Youth academy coach who stood down October 2019. The club were lucky to appoint immediately local coach Stuart Liddington ex Lydney Town, his task to improve on season 2019-20 league position. The extended period away from football due to Covid saw Stuart leave the club and return to Lydney Town 2020. First Team duties were now in the very capable hands of Chris Brain, who's task is to blend our successful under eighteen team into first team players.

Chris made a positive impact, with Guy Jones as his assistant, bringing in some top players but nurturing the existing squad members seeing them secure some great results during the season, not to forget mentioning the team winning the Les James Cup in a tough battle against Sharpness, seeing Broadwell secure a 3-1 win! A great game and a great achievement for everyone.

The 2022 season saw the team start with Chris but unfortunately a few weeks in Chris made the decision to step down from the Manager role which made way for Guy Jones to step up from Assistant Manager to Manager.

Guy had some big shoes to fill in what was his debut as a County League Manager but he took on the role and gave it his all. Working hard on keeping morale up and spirits high, Guy continued to work with the team he had, making sure each game was a positive vibe, setting small goals and always applauding the results, regardless of win or lose. The season proved to be a tough one for Broadwell and during the final weeks of the we found ourselves at the bottom of the league table and heading towards the relegation zone. It looked a tough gig for Guy and the team to pull through and remain in the County League but through sheer determination from everyone and the support of all at Broadwell they did it! The final matches gave them the points they needed to remain just above relegation and another season heading into the County League.

Over the past couple of years Broadwell Club have benefited from some dedicated and enthusiastic club members who work tirelessly to improve our facilities, look after our grounds and keep everything tip top. They are fondly known as "The Wednesday Crew" and they are very much appreciated by all involved at Broadwell AFC, so much so they were awarded Clubman of the year at the club's annual presentation in 2024!

Going into the 2024/2025 season Guy Jones remained as first Team Manager and halfway through was joined by Kirk Imm. Another challenging season saw the boys keep their county league season for another year.

Last season saw the return of Chris Brain as Coach to help Guy and Kirk along with a more settled squad the team finish in a comfortable mid table position.



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