

# GLOUCESTERSHIRE FA

## U18 Youth Shield



02/05/2024



7pm



Oaklands Park



**HALLEN**

**VS**

**SLIMBRIDGE**



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# Gloucestershire FA

## County Cups Committee Board

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On behalf of the Gloucestershire FA County Cups Committee Board, I would like to welcome today's teams, Hallen and Slimbridge and their players, club officials and supporters to Oaklands Park for this U18 Youth Shield match. I also welcome the match officials, Liam Beames, James West, Samuel Wilmot and Kevin Slade, whose appointment recognises their performances this season. I hope they enjoy the occasion. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the GFA staff and the County Cups Committee members for all their hard work. Their combined work is vital to the success of our cup competitions. It only remains for me to wish both teams and the match officials good luck for today's game and hope that it is a memorable occasion for you all.

Derek Cumner, Gloucestershire FA Cups Committee (South)



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SMILING ON THE PITCH  
- THAT'S WHEN  
I'M MOST  
DANGEROUS."



**COACHES. IT STARTS WITH YOU.**  
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# U18 YOUTH SHIELD

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This season's tournament saw 37 teams enter, and we are now down to the final two teams, Hallen and Slimbridge competing to be crowned as the 2023/24 Champions. Should the score be level after 90 minutes of play, the winner shall be decided by the taking of kicks from the penalty mark in accordance with the procedures defined in the 'Laws of the Game'. No extra time will be played. Read on to find out how the two teams got here and who is playing in today's final.

## MATCH OFFICIALS

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REFEREE: Liam Beames

ASSISTANT: James West

ASSISTANT: Samuel Wilmot

4TH OFFICIAL: Kevin Slade



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# HALLEN

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## SQUAD LIST

1. Zac Thomas (C)
2. Toby Brown
3. Harrison Waller
4. Tom Cheeseman
5. Alfie Andrews
6. Jake Goodfield
7. Liam Nicholls
8. Saul Lewis
9. Zaid Samadi
10. Barney Ray
11. Harrison Fairman
12. Yunus Sert
16. Callum Trueman
14. Lewis Trueman
15. Charlie Wenham
22. Logan Heynes

## Manager

Lee Fairman

## Coach

Nigel Edmunds

## Coach

Jason Goodfield

## KIT

Shirts - Blue/Black Stripe

Shorts - Blue

Socks - Black

GK - Pink



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# HALLEN



## Route to the Final

First Round - Bye

Second Round - Bye vs Longwell Green Sports

Third Round - 8-0 vs Rockleaze Rangers

Quarter Final - 4-0 vs Red Falcon Club Colts

Semi-Final - 2-1 vs Brimscombe & Thrupp

## Manager's Comment

For some of these players, this has been a journey lasting many years. Some have been together since they were 5 years old and have played through all of the age groups within the club.

A highly successful group who in the last few years have been 2021/22 Avon Youth League U16 Div 1 Champions, 2022 GFA U16 Cup winners and last year were U18s Western Counties Floodlight Youth League - North Division Champions.

This season they are currently sitting 2nd place in the WCFYL Premier Division and are still in with a chance of the league title with a couple of games to go.

During this season and this tournament, Hallen U18s have used eight 15 year olds which shows great potential for the next few years; whilst eight eligible players from this squad have played for Hallen AFC 1st Team this season in the Toolstation Western League.

**Lee Fairman**



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# SLIMBRIDGE

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## SQUAD LIST

1. Evan Coombs
2. Alex Stratford
3. Devon Morgan
4. Joshua Barclays
5. Billy Wainwright
6. Joel Jagger
7. James Tainton
8. Jake Portch
9. Kieran Bennett
10. Will Tainton (C)
11. Cameron Low
1. Billy Pullin
12. Shamar Thomas
14. Arian Askari
15. Kieran Gardiner
16. Dillano Pennant
18. Zak Jones
19. Tye Moore
21. Noah Freckleton

## Head of Football Development

Kevin Russell

## Manager/Head Coach

Kieran Brice-Ingles

## Coaches

Ben Jagger

## Physio

Tom Read

## KIT

Shirts - Green

Shorts - Green

Socks - Green

GK - Maroon



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# SLIMBRIDGE

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## Route to the Final

1st Round - 4-3 vs Churchdown Panthers

2nd Round - 10-2 vs Leckhampton Rovers Boas

3rd Round - 11-1 vs Bishops Cleeve Colts

Quarter Final - 6-2 vs Rockleaze Rangers

Semi Final - 6-0 vs Bristol Manor Farm

## Manager's Comment

I'd like to take this opportunity to say a massive thankyou to every player who has played for us this season, your effort, attitude and desire has been awesome and nothing I say will ever show you how grateful I am, and to those who sadly won't return next season I wish you all the best and hope to see you smashing it in men's football! You all have a massive future.

Lastly a massive thankyou needs to go to everyone involved with the squad this season, the parents for their support and patience, Barry and Colin Gaye for all the work they do around the club, following us to away games with their awesome support and just outright being the best chairmen you could ask for, Kevin Russell for overseeing everything and giving the players all the time they need if they ever needed a chat or just wanted some advice but also for the support he gave myself through the season, and lastly Alena Wrixon, the work you do behind the scenes never goes unrecognised, without you there would be no Slimbridge, thankyou for putting up with me and Kev all season!

**Kieran Brice-Ingles**



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# County Cup Finals Schedule and Results

## **Sunday 17th March**

### **U13 Girls Cup**

St Nicholas Youth U13 Black 1-0  
Gotherington Juniors U13 Youth

## **Sunday 17th March**

### **U15 Girls Cup**

Gotherington Juniors Youth 3-0 City of  
Gloucester Women Youth U15 Meteors

## **Sunday 17th March**

### **U14 Girls Cup**

FC Highnam Youth U14 Girls vs 1-1 (10-11  
on pens) Cheltenham Town Ladies Youth  
U14 Tigers

## **Tuesday 2nd April**

### **Primary Cup (North)**

Chalford 4ths 0-6 Longlevens 5ths

## **Tuesday 2nd April**

### **Primary Cup (South)**

Bristol Boys 1-4 AC Moose

## **Thursday 4th April**

### **Minor Cup (South)**

FC United of Yate 2-1 FC Rangers

## **Tuesday 9th April**

### **Intermediate Cup (South)**

Made Forever 3-4 Woodlands

## **Tuesday 9th April**

### **Intermediate Cup (North)**

Montpellier 0-2 Abbeymead Rovers

## **Thursday 11th April**

### **Womens Challenge Cup**

Bitton Development 5-0 Longlevens

## **Tuesday 16th April**

### **Junior Cup (South)**

Bristol Barcelona 2-1 Filton Athletic  
Reserves

## **Tuesday 16th April**

### **Minor Cup (North)**

Old Richians Reserves 1-5 Rising Star

## **Thursday 18th April**

### **Women's Trophy**

Cheltenham Town Ladies Reserves 0-2 AEK  
Boco

## **Sunday 21st April**

### **U12 (9v9) Boys Cup**

Lydney Town 1-7 Bristol Rovers Supporters

## **Sunday 21st April**

### **U12 (9v9) Girls Cup**

Cheltenham Town 2-1 City of Gloucester

## **Sunday 21st April**

### **U15 Boys Cup**

Longwell Green Sports Athletic 2-0  
Mangotsfield United Eagles



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# County Cup Finals Schedule and Results

## **Tuesday 23rd April**

### **Senior Challenge Cup**

Gloucester City 2-2 (5-4 on pens) Bishops  
Cleeve

## **Tuesday 23rd April**

### **Senior Amateur Cup**

Hanham Athletic 2-2 (5-6 on pens)  
Brockworth Albion

## **Thursday 25th April**

### **Challenge Trophy**

Mangotsfield United 3-2 Cheltenham  
Saracens

## **Sunday 28th April**

### **U14 Boys Cup**

Brockworth Albion 1-1 (3-2) Port of Bristol  
Purple

## **Sunday 28th April**

### **U13 Boys Cup**

St Alhelms Clarets 0-2 Rockleaze Rangers

## **Sunday 28th April**

### **U16 Girls Cup**

Lydney Town Lionesses 2-3 FC Highnam

## **Tuesday 30th April**

### **U16 Boys Cup**

Longlevens 1-2 Avon Athletic

## **Tuesday 30th April**

### **Junior Cup (North)**

Tetbury Town First 2-1 Taverers First

## **Thursday 2nd May**

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Hallen vs Slimbridge



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