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# CHAIRMAN'S NOTES

STEVE RICHARDSON



Good afternoon everyone and welcome to Townfield for this the final home game of our inaugural season in the Pitching-In Northern Premier League – West.

Today we welcome the Players, Management, Officials and supporters of Warrington Rylands FC.

These notes were written prior to the Easter Weekend fixtures, therefore hopefully many of you had an enjoyable trip to Kendal on Saturday.

Recent results have propelled the team to a very respectable mid table position, culminating in the 7-0 defeat of Market Drayton FC last Saturday and, irrespective of the opposition, to score 7 goals without conceding, is an impressive feat. It is therefore a great credit to the players, many of whom have been on the journey with us from the North West Counties, as to how hard they have worked this year to adapt to the rigours of a new level of football.

Also to our management duo of Wayne and Paul who have taken this season in their stride. They have moulded a squad together on what, I am prepared to accept, have been limited resources, but they have steadfastly stuck to the principle of playing the game in an entertaining and fair way. On this, the last home game of the 2021/22 season, I want to personally thank them for their efforts and hard work.

Last August, as we embarked on this season, we had expectations but no experience of what the months ahead may bring. What it has brought is a lot of hard work, enjoyment and new friends. I hope that you have all enjoyed 2021/22 and we all look forward to 2022/23.

My thanks also go out to all our club volunteers. They are the lifeblood of 1874 Northwich FC and nowhere is the slogan "By the fans, For the fans" more apt.

Please enjoy today's game. We know that against today's opposition it will not be easy. But given the superb support that you have given the boys this season I have every hope of a positive result.

**As Always, Be Loud and Proud**

**Up the '74.**

**Steve.**

P.S.  
Keep a date in your diary for Sunday April 24th. On this day we will be hosting our u21's here at Townfield, followed by a social get together and our 1874 Northwich FC End of Season awards.

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# FROM THE DUGOUT

PAUL & WAYNE



Good afternoon everyone and welcome to our League game against Rylands.

Our opponents this afternoon of course have a different model than ourselves and have made a number of big signings this year that has seen them challenge at the top of the table. We wish them all the best for whatever happens in the future and hopefully we'll be able to continue to progress in our own way.

It's been a season full of twists and turns and we've all learnt a number of things about life at this level, both on and off the pitch. Where you, the supporters, have been fantastic, is your support especially away from home where we've had a number of excellent away days. Of course we all want to improve our home form going into next season and if we can do this there's no reason why we can't build on this season's final position.

These notes are being written before our visit to Kendal Town, but our game at home to Market Drayton was very dominant and the seven goals scored didn't flatter us - it could easily have been more. We changed the formation for the game and straightaway many were making the link between the score and the change in formation.

We would have won regardless of the formation and we need to work on the defensive side of our game but it was an ideal game to test a few new things and give Jacob his first start - another excellent prospect to come out of our U21s. Joe and Yannick have done a brilliant job of developing the young talent over the past few seasons and with Joe moving on at the end of the season he'll leave some big shoes to fill.

The club have organised a Presentation Event for Sunday 24th April and we're hopeful many of you will come down to be part of the celebration. Our club missed out massively on a celebration in getting to this level, so in a small way we'd like to acknowledge the part the players played, including some of them that have since moved on.

There are a number of former players who will be joining us too.

Heading into next season there are always some unknowns at this level. Non-contracted players are free to be approached by other clubs very shortly and of course this works both ways. That said, we'd like to think the majority of this season's squad will stay on as has been the case in previous seasons and it's testament to the club that players want to play here as they're looked after so well.

We will be speaking to targets in the off season but it is also important that everyone has a break where possible and comes back refreshed and in the best frame of mind to go again in late June when preseason will start.

Enjoy today's game, have a great Summer and we also hope to see you in our last game of the season next Saturday at Mossley, and at the Presentation event and very shortly after that.

**Up the '74**

**Bows and Goody**

# SECRETARIAL MUSINGS

VICKI ENGLAND



**We've reached the final game of the season at Townfield and what a high profile game we have in store! Not only is it a Cheshire derby but today's result could have a significant bearing on the top of the table.**

I would like to welcome everyone connected with Warrington Rylands to mid Cheshire this afternoon. A special 'homecoming' welcome is reserved for Garry Clarke, who as everyone knows has always been a fantastic volunteer for 1874 helping us with articles and stats for our Ever Glorious and Newsletter.

He is also heavily involved in pulling the Annual Season Review together. Sadly, we don't get to see Garry as much at Townfield due to travel issues and as he lives close to Rylands, he takes his games in there. And I know, is most helpful to them too.

So, Garry has a foot in each camp today and will be hoping for a good game of football.

Warrington Rylands have been improving on and off the field over the last couple of years. Like us, they were upwardly moved thanks to a good record in the North West Counties League and of course, enjoyed a great FA Vase win last year.

They have continued their good form into the NPL and at the time of writing this (printing deadlines mean my notes are written quite a few days ago) sit at the top of the league having played out a draw last Saturday at Workington, their closest rivals.

So today is an important one for them, in their quest for the title. We're on a bit of decent form too so this should be an exciting 90 minutes!

Last Saturday, we enjoyed a cracking afternoon and a record league win at home against Market Drayton. In truth, the performance of their keeper was top notch and if it wasn't for him, it would have been double figures.

The folks from Market Drayton were top class and the lads on the field, very spirited. What a great club, it is a shame to see them in the predicament they are. I'm

hoping that our trip to Kendal a couple of days ago, also resulted in us smiling.

We have firmly cemented our place in the NPL West Division for next season and that is success in our first season, made even more special given the experienced opposition we have faced and because of the more limited resources open to us.

I know we went through a period of a few home defeats, which made us scratch our heads as to why, however we have had some terrific highs over the season.

We've played some fantastic football and our away record is as impressive as some of the teams at the top of the table.

My highlights were Trafford and Kidsgrove, both difficult games on the road but superb performances and goals. Kidsgrove was especially poignant, as Toddy was there to see the lads before his passing. He had such a smile on his face.

As it's my last notes this season (please don't worry, I've got about 5,000 words planned for the A.S.R! How lucky you are!) then I want to send out a few thank yous.

Firstly, to all supporters who have backed the lads whether they win, lose or draw. They know you have their backs and are very grateful for it. Our away support has been phenomenal.

We came into this league hoping to see more opposition supporters at Townfield and that's not

been the case other than a couple of occasions, but the backing you give the boys on the road has been fantastic.

A huge thank you to all our wonderful volunteers, who give so much effort to keep 1874 ticking along. It is massively appreciated. Thanks for all the fundraising, through the different initiatives and more recently at our Race Night. It makes the biggest difference.

We've met some good people this season from other clubs and the Northern Premier League, and I would thank NPL Officials for their guidance and assistance, as we were learning how things operate. It's good to know that they are at the end of a phone line, or Zoom call, if needed!

Much love to our fantastic players for the effort and entertainment. It's been good to see them adapt and settle at this level, they've not got carried away with wins or defeats and haven't panicked when a run of results hasn't gone quite as they would have liked.

It's been terrific to see some of the younger players coming through from our talented U21 team and those lads have not looked out of place in the first team.

To Andy Williams and Chris Appleton, who again work and support the lads and the management team week in week out. We can see the effect of Chris's support to Big T, who has had a confident season in the NPL. And Andy, well he has just made sure that home and away, everything is taken care of for the team. He is an unsung hero.

And to the legend that is Phil Lea, who has decided to hang up his medical bag at the end of the season. He's supported 1874 all the way through and before that, was a fantastic servant to other clubs. There's not enough space to say how we feel about Phil and all that he has done.

The guy is on the highest pedestal and always will be. Thanks Phil.

Finally, to our two Managers who have worked tirelessly for our Club. They always said it would be a challenge, to set the bar higher for our players and manage expectations and there's been times when it has been tricky for them, especially when player availability has played a part and with a run of a few defeats at home.

But the thing about Bow & Goodie is that they don't get carried away with defeats nor super wins. It's about keeping things on an even keel, to work with the resources they have and to look quickly at 'what's next.'

They have very demanding personal/work lives too so the balancing act they have performed has been fantastic and very much appreciated. They have done a great job, no doubt about that.

Enjoy today, hope to see a lot of you in Mossley next Saturday and then hopefully on Sunday 24th for our Club Day.

Watch for further details.

**For the final time this season.....**

**"Come on you Green Boys!"**

# SIMMO'S NOTES

ANDREW SIMPSON

## Time to be party poopers.

Well, it's one motivation to beat Warrington Rylands this afternoon!

Because of the deadline to write these notes, I'm unsure if the visitors will arrive at Townfield still occupying top spot in the West Division.

What I do know is that they will have been among the interested observers when Marine hosted Workington on Saturday.

A victory for the Cumbrians in that encounter will have left them in first place with two matches to play. So, you can understand why today's encounter is an important one for the away team.

With 1874 due at already-relegated Kendal Town 48 hours ago, we'll know too whether their hopes remain intact of finishing in the table's top half.

As I've written previously on these pages this season, that would be reason for cheer at the end of an encouraging debut campaign in the Northern Premier League's second tier.

The home side kicks off this head-to-head in positive mood after extending an unbeaten sequence to five matches following last weekend's success against Market Drayton.

A club record home league win means this run is now their longest without defeat this term.

That's precisely the forward momentum that Paul Bowyer and Wayne Goodison will want their side to take into the summer break.

Before then, they'll be spurred to put right a recent record against Rylands which includes a 3-1 reverse in the return game in February and THAT game in the FA Cup at the beginning of last season.

It's also an opportunity for the team, conquerors of Leek Town last month, to confirm recent on-pitch progress by testing themselves against opponents targeting promotion.

I'd like to conclude with a word or two for Mike Koral, who reached a milestone of 100 appearance in the club's colours last weekend – an occasion he marked by scoring twice in a 7-0 win.

Now established as one of the finest attacking full-backs playing locally, it seems jarring to think that he arrived at 1874 from Winsford as a striker – a position he played with distinction while coming through the ranks at Crewe Alexandra as a youngster.

His conversion is a genuine triumph for the management team, who deserve only praise for their persistence in helping him to hone his craft in an unfamiliar role.

The 29-year-old's consistent form attracted the attention of Nantwich Town, and it came as no surprise to me that he was judged by them to be good enough to play at a higher level.

However, his return to 1874 following a short spell with the Dabbers is entirely their gain.

Let's hope we get to enjoy him raiding on the right flank for a little while longer yet.

## Enjoy the game, folks.

Simmo



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# WE'VE MET BEFORE

## WARRINGTON RYLANDS 1906

1874 Northwich have played Warrington Rylands 1906 on four previous occasions, with each game having been played in four different competitions.

7th December 2019  
Macron Cup 3rd round at Gorsey Lane  
attendance 173

**Rylands 1-1 1874** (1874 won 3-2 on penalties)  
Rylands – Buckley  
1874 – Kennerley

28th December 2019  
NVCFCL Premier at Townfield  
attendance 348

**1874 2-1 Rylands**  
1874 – Knight, Ormrod  
Rylands – Drummond

1st September 2020  
FA Cup extra preliminary round at Townfield  
attendance 300

**1874 1-6 Rylands**  
1874 – Kennerley  
Rylands – Milne 3, Scarisbrick 2, Drummond

12th February 2022  
NPL West at Gorsey Lane  
attendance 369

**Rylands 3-1 1874**  
Rylands – Scarisbrick, Drummond, Buxton  
1874 – Foulds

# SWIMATHON

## KICKING OUR WAY FOR THE COMMUNITY

For several years 1874 Northwich Football Club has supported the Northwich Swimathon, organised by the town's Rotary Club. This year was no exception and a team participated in the event held at Northwich Memorial Court on Sunday 27th March. Although the team comprised of only three swimmers: John Coats (Treasurer), Maggie Coats (Welfare Officer) and Tim Johnson (Chairman's son-in-law), 126 lengths were completed in the allocated 55 minutes, swimming as in a relay.

The Rotary Club's chosen charities this year are Deafness Support Network (Northwich) and Riding for the Disabled (Sandy Lane Group, Weaverham). If you would like to recognise the efforts of the '74 team and support two local charities, either visit the Rotary Club's Just Giving page <https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/swimathon-22> (please mention the '74 team) or see John Coats who will collect donations, and ask if they can also be Gift Aided.

Well done, team!



# NPL NEWSDESK

by GARRY CLARKE

## SHILDON

Developing existing links with local schools and helping the homeless are among the items on Shildon's agenda following the award of a community grant.

Construction work is currently being completed on an artificial pitch which is central to the 'community garden' project, which is set to help the club in their ambition to enhance their status as a focal point in the town.

The club will be hosting schoolchildren over the upcoming Easter holidays as part of their longstanding Healthy Holidays initiative while the newly-installed surface will be provided free of charge for a local school to use through the summer term.

In addition, Shildon plan to introduce soup days to welcome homeless and vulnerable people into the club and provide hot meals, washing facilities and social opportunities.

The new projects have been boosted by a grant from the Trident Community Foundation, part of Northern Premier League partner Pitching In's multi-million-pound grassroots sport investment programme, and chairman David Dent explained how they would be putting it to good use.

Shildon are one of more than 40 clubs across the Pitching In Northern Premier, Southern and Isthmian Leagues to have been awarded grants of between £1,000 and £5,000 by the Trident Community Foundation, which is supported by Ladbrokes with the support of its owner Entain.

Having been named the Buildbase Club of the Year whilst in the Northern League in recognition of their community work, the club are committed to continuing using the power of football as a force for good.

Ladbrokes, with the support of its owner Entain, has launched a multi-million pound investment programme, Pitching In, designed to support and promote grassroots sports.

For more details see: <https://entaingroup.com/sustainability/pitching-in/>

## RADCLIFFE

A new sporting organisation has been established in Radcliffe, to be known as Radcliffe Football Foundation, which has already successfully brought together adult and junior football participation.

Radcliffe FC and Radcliffe Juniors FC will be represented on the Board of Trustees of the newly formed Foundation and are already working together to improve the lives of the Radcliffe community through sport.

The Radcliffe Football Foundation is working in partnership with Bury Council, the National Football Foundation and The Lancashire FA on developing a funding application for a 'state of the art' 3G football facility in Radcliffe which aims to create a full-sized 3G all-weather floodlit pitch, additional car parking for the juniors,

Radcliffe FC and the local community with a new pavilion that will meet the latest FA standards.

Bury Council has already set aside a total of £500,000 funding for the 3G pitch project and will seek additional funding from other partners too

## KIDSGROVE ATHLETIC

Kidsgrove Athletic assistant Anthony Buckle will step down at the end of the season after more than 30 years service.

Apart from a couple of years 'here and there', Buckle has been in and around Kidsgrove's first team set-up for over 30 years as a player, manager, and assistant manager, but now he feels it's the right time to step aside.

Manager Scott Dundas said: "The club can't thank Ant enough for the time, effort and dedication he has shown over the years and he will always be made to feel very welcome when he gets the time to come down and watch the lads in the future."

## GOT YOUR NUMBER?

Regular readers of Ever Glorious will know that we have asked a different illustrator to draw a number from 1 to 19 for the front covers of our league programmes over the course of the season.

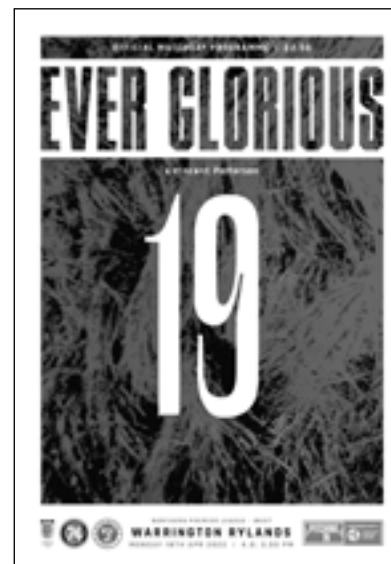
This final edition's cover is drawn for us by a designer called Vincent Patterson, and it is a wonderful way to bring things to a conclusion. We particularly love the depth in the background. Thanks, Vincent!

Bringing together and coordinating 19 different designs from 19 different designers hasn't been easy, but it has been tremendously rewarding. Our thanks to Lee (below) for coming up with the idea and kicking it off for us!

It's caused several late night e-mails, more than a little stress, one intermission for a cup game, one comprehensive spreadsheet of contacts, dead ends, and confirmations, and at least three evenings of nervously checking the weather reports and preparing for potential postponements (well done, Townfield!).

We're going to create a little poster of some sort to commemorate the whole endeavour, so if you want to see this season - an historic season for the club - immortalised on your wall, you're in luck! Format and size is still to be determined, but watch this space.

The only question now is what to do next season to top it... Hm. Any ideas, Lee..?



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# BIG GAME PREVIEW

by GARRY CLARKE



## 1874 NORTHWICH V WARRINGTON RYLANDS NORTHERN PREMIER LEAGUE - WEST

For our last home NPL West fixture of the 2021/22 we welcome Warrington Rylands to Townfield.

Having stepped up from the North West Counties League alongside 1874 last summer, Rylands have enjoyed an exceptional season having been in the play-off places for most of the campaign.

Rylands entered the Easter programme on top of the NPL West table, but may have dropped to second by the time today's game kicks off as they had no game on Saturday but second placed Workington, one point behind, were playing their game in hand at Marine on Saturday, where victory would take them to top spot.

Last, having their colours lowered in January, Rylands are unbeaten in their previous eleven games, but were held to a 1-1 draw at Workington last Saturday, whilst 1874 Northwich were beating Market Drayton Town 7-0 at home.

The league records of today's two teams (before Easter Saturday) is:

	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS
Rylands	36	25	6	5	92	36	+56	81
1874	35	13	7	14	59	56	+3	46

Away from their Gorsey Lane home, Rylands' record this season is:

P	W	D	L
18	10	5	3

Whilst 1874's home record is:

P	W	D	L
18	5	3	10

1874 Northwich have played Warrington Rylands 1906 on four previous occasions, with each game having been played in four different competitions, with both teams having two victories to their name.

The last meeting came on 12th February 2022 when Rylands won 3-1 at home.

By far the division's top scorers having scored 92 league goals so far, with 24 players contributing to the tally, Rylands top goal scorer is Kane Drummond who has netted 18 times this season.

### WARRINGTON RYLANDS FACT FILE

<i>Formed</i>	1906
<i>Ground</i>	Gorsey Lane
<i>Colours</i>	Blue
<i>Change Colours</i>	Red
<i>Nickname</i>	Blues
<i>Manager</i>	Dave McNabb

### FORMATION AND NAME CHANGES

Warrington Rylands 1906 Football Club was formed as a local works (wire manufacturer) team in 1906 as part of the Rylands Recreation Club whose clubhouse and grounds on the eastern side of Warrington at a site in between Gorsey Lane and Orford Road was opened by Rylands Brothers, owners of the famous Wireworks to provide sports and leisure facilities for their employees.

Originally known as Rylands Recreation the word Recreation dropped off the title as the club became known as Rylands.

In 2008 they amalgamated with Crosfields FC to form a new club, Crosfields/Rylands FC before reverting back to the Rylands title in 2012.

In 2020 the club changed its name to Warrington Rylands 1906 FC as a mark of its ambition to continue with its ambition to reach the highest level it could.

The name change ensured the Rylands name would remain synonymous with the club, whilst also recognising the club had played and been a part of Warrington and Rylands since 1906.

### LEAGUES

Prior to joining the Northern Premier League Rylands have played in several leagues including the Lancashire Combination, Warrington and District League, Mid Cheshire League, Cheshire League and the North West Counties League.

Rylands have been champions of the Warrington & District League (twice), Liverpool County Combination (once), and the Mid-Cheshire League (twice).

The team also played in the Lancashire Combination's war time Auxiliary Section during the 1918/19 season, finishing fifth in the table.

### FA VASE

In 1983/84 Rylands thought they were on their way to Wembley when they entered the last thirty-two of the FA Vase with wins over Blackpool Mechanics, Maghull, Atherton LR and Rainworth MW. But it was against the latter that saw an appeal against the length of the pitch, when it was found to be just over a yard short, a replay was ordered which Rainworth won 1-0.

Season 2020/21, however, turned out to be one of the most important seasons in the club's history winning the FA Vase at Wembley 3-2 against Binfield FC with centre-forward Elliott Nevitt scoring a hat trick.

### GROUND

Since their formation in 1906 Rylands have played at the same ground in Gorsey lane in the Orford area of the town.

In recent years the ground has undergone a major infrastructure upgrade with the building of seated stands, covered terracing, on-ground changing rooms, spectator toilets, committee room and provision of in-ground food and drink. And there is more to come.

### A BIT ABOUT THE TOWN

Despite Warrington being within the boundaries of the historic county of Lancashire, it is a large town, borough and unitary authority in Cheshire on the banks of the River Mersey.

The population in 2019 was estimated at 165,456 for the town's urban area, and just over 210,014 for the entire borough, the latter being more than double that of 1968 when it became a new town.

Warrington is the largest town in the ceremonial county of Cheshire.

Warrington was founded by the Romans at an important crossing place on the River Mersey. A new settlement was established by the Saxon Wærings. By the Middle Ages Warrington had emerged as a market town at the lowest bridging point of the river.





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## HALF TIME HALF DOZEN

Six general knowledge questions to keep your mind active whilst the players are having their half time oranges. Answers on Page 45.

1. Classing Australia as a continental landmass rather than an island, what is the largest island in the world?
2. What nickname was given to guitarist Eric Clapton, which was also the title of his 5th solos album?
3. In how many films did Pierce Brosnan portray James Bond?
4. Which country has the longest coastline?
5. The line "Frankly, my dear I don't give a damn" occurs in which famous Hollywood film?
6. Which British bird spends more time in flight than any other?

## TODAY'S OTHER FIXTURES

Bootle v Marine  
 Colne v Clitheroe  
 Glossop North End v Mossley  
 Leek Town v Kidsgrove Athletic  
 Newcastle Town v Market Drayton Town  
 Prescot Cables v Runcorn Linnets  
 Ramsbottom United v Trafford  
 Widnes v City of Liverpool  
 Workington AFC v Kendal Town

April 18th is the 108th day of the year (109th in leap years) in the Gregorian calendar; 257 days remain until the end of the year.

1903 - Bury beat Derby County 6-0 in the FA Cup Final played at Crystal Palace. It's still a record high score in the final although was equaled when Manchester City beat Watford by the same score line in the 2019 Wembley final.

1949 - The Republic of Ireland act came into effect ending the remaining statutory role of the British monarchy in relation to the state.

1980 - The Republic of Zimbabwe (formerly Rhodesia) comes into being with Canaan Banana as its first President.

### 1874 ON 18TH APRIL

1874 Northwich have previously played three times on the 18th April.

2016 NWCFL Premier *away* v Nelson **won 2-0**. Farnworth (2).

2015 NWCFL Premier *home* v AFC Blackpool, **lost 2-3**. Brandon, Mitchell.

2016 Mid Cheshire Senior Cup Final *away* v Witton Albion, **won 3-0**. Beadle 2, Farnworth.

2018 Mid Cheshire Senior Cup Semi-Final *away* v Winsford United, **lost 2-3**. Jackson, Winthrop.

# SIX YEARS AGO TODAY

## WITTON ALBION 0-3 1874 NORTHWICH

**MID-CHESHIRE DISTRICT SENIOR CUP  
FINAL  
18<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2016**

Captain Matt Woolley proudly lifted the Mid-Cheshire District Senior Cup at Wincham Park after his team had completely outplayed their Evostik League First Division North hosts in their first ever cup final.

1874 Northwich got off to a flying start, catching Witton Albion cold by taking the lead in the 3rd minute. Dilan Lomas' long ball down the flank set Tyler Edwards racing along the left wing, and then swinging in a cross which found Matt Beadle at the far post. 1874's leading goal scorer placed a firm header past the helpless Witton keeper.

Six minutes later 1874 were two up. Witton failed to clear a corner, allowing Ryan Jackson to return the ball into the danger area where Craig Farnworth rose highest to flick a header into the corner of the net.

After being dazed by 1874's whirlwind start, Witton started to feel their way into the game forcing a couple of corners and sending in a few shots from distance at 1874's goal.

Anything which they threw towards 1874's goal was comfortably and confidently dealt with by Greg Hall, with 1874's custodian pulling off a brilliant save in the closing minutes of the first half.

Witton pumped a long ball down the middle of the field, Danny Andrews hit a first time shot from 12 yards which Hall diving to his right diverted behind for a corner.

Moments later Witton keeper Ryan Neild did well to block a Beadle header from a corner at point blank range.

Witton started the second half with a renewed vigour but could not find a way past a resolute 1874 team who weathered the early storm and regained the upper hand.

A sweeping length of the field move in which Edwards, Beadle and Jackson combined ended with Jackson being forced wide and shooting into the side netting from a tight angle. Stuart Wellstead and Matt Woolley both had shots saved by Neild, who also pulled off a stunning double save to keep out a Wellstead free kick and deny Beadle from the rebound.

With time ticking away, Beadle twisting and turning Witton's Theo Chrisokhou inside out prompting the defender to trip him inches inside the penalty area.

Referee Jake Nield pointed to the penalty spot, Beadle picked himself up to convert the penalty with aplomb.

In the dying minutes Andrews fired in a firmly struck shot which Hall saved well to complete an outstanding team performance in which all eleven starters could have been selected as man of the match and made a mockery of the difference in leagues between the two teams.

Seconds later referee Nield blew the final whistle to bring to an end a one sided game and spark scenes of unbridled joy as players, management, officials and supporters joined together to celebrate on an historic night for 1874 Northwich FC.

**Witton** – Neild, Gardner, Chrisokhou, Wilson, Peers (Mullarkey), Andrews, Noone, Owens (Hickman), King, Hopley, Titchiner (Newton).  
*Subs not used:* Garner, Parker.

**1874** – Hall, Connor, Mitchell, Farnworth, Lomas, Chappell, Matthew Woolley, Jackson (Jack Woolley), Edwards (Riley), Wellstead, Beadle (Brandon).  
*Subs not used:* Thomas, James.

### Goals:

**Witton** –

**1874** – Beadle 3, 85 (penalty), Farnworth 4

Referee J Nield

Attendance 490

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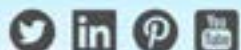




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## CAN YOU HELP ON MATCHDAYS?

The club is currently looking to recruit a person(s) to run the match day Cafe at Townfield. Due to changing circumstances affecting the current volunteers in the café, this position requires filling as soon as possible.

The cafe makes up a substantial part of matchday income and having worked hard to obtain control of this income, it is important that the club recruits suitable personnel to operate it. The position includes setting up the cafe pre match, serving supporters prior to and during the game, preparing and serving players

food post-match, cleaning down and packing up after the game. This is an extremely responsible position, and the club is prepared to consider suitable remuneration to the successful candidate or candidates.

Supporters / club owners who may be interested or have friends or family members who may be interested are requested to contact Steve Richardson ([community@1874Northwich.com](mailto:community@1874Northwich.com)) or Rob Ashcroft ([society@1874Northwich.com](mailto:society@1874Northwich.com)) or phone Steve on 07803901794.



# 1874 NORTHWICH SEASON 2021/22

## MATCH CENTRE by PETE GRIMES - correct as of 13/04/22

Competition key: all fixtures Northern Premier League West unless otherwise stated  
 FAC = FA Cup | FAT = FA Trophy | MAC = Macron League Cup  
 CSC = Cheshire Senior Cup | MCSC= Mid-Cheshire Senior Cup

DATE	OPPOSITION	FT	HT	Att	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	14	15	16	17	18	REFEREE
JUL 24	Runcorn Town (19/20 MAC F)	6-3	2-1	472	Aghayere	Koral*	Jackson L	Mitchell	Jones	Parker*	Gardner*(1)	Woolley M	McGowan(3)	Weir	Kennerley	Ormrod	Woolley J*(1)	Jackson R	Hare*	Cain*		Critchlow D
AUG 14	Clitheroe	2-2	1-2	441	Aghayere	Koral	Jackson L	Mitchell(1)	Jones	Parker	Gardner*	Woolley M*	McGowan(1)	Hare	Kennerley	Ormrod*	Jackson R*	Cain**	Woolley J	Russell		Young M
17	KIDSGROVE ATHLETIC	0-3	0-2	272	Aghayere	Koral	Jackson L	Mitchell	Jones	Parker	Gardner*	Ormrod	McGowan	Hare*	Kennerley*	Marrow	Jackson R*	Woods*	Woolley J*	Russell		Robinson B
21	Wythenshawe Town (FAC P)	2-1	1-1	301	Aghayere	Koral	Russell	Jackson L	Jones	Parker	Woolley J	Irlam*	Woods*(1)	Hare	Kennerley*	Marrow	Ormrod*	Gardner(1)*	Walker	Brough	Berman*	Hooton D
23	Market Drayton Town	1-0	1-0	155	Aghayere	Koral	Russell	Marrow	Jones	Parker	Woolley J*(1)	Ormrod	McGowan	Irlam*	Gardner*	Jackson R*	Woods	Knight*	Hare*	Jackson L		Lunn J
28	KENDAL TOWN	4-1	3-0	242	Aghayere	Koral*(1)	Russell	Marrow	Jones	Parker(1)	Jackson R	Irlam*(1)	McGowan*(1)	Hare	Knight	Ormrod*	Woods*	Gardner	Woolley J	Woolley M*		Lamb B
30	Runcorn Linnets	0-1	0-0	729	Aghayere	Koral	Russell	Marrow	Jones*	Parker	Woolley J	Irlam*	McGowan	Hare	Gardner*	Ormrod*	Woods	Jackson R	Knight*	Woolley M*		Graham J
SEP 4	Lancaster City (FAC Q1)	0-1	0-0	347	Aghayere	Koral	Russell	Marrow	Jones	Parker	Knight*	Woolley M	McGowan	Hare*	Woolley J*	Ormrod	Woods	Jackson R*	Irlam*	Gardner*	Kennerley	Corrigan L
7	LEEK TOWN	0-3	0-1	252	Aghayere	Koral	Russell	Marrow	Jones	Ormrod	Knight	Woolley M	Woods*	Parker	Woolley J*	Hare	Foulds	Kennerley*	Duckworth*	Gardner		Burton D
11	MARINE	0-2	0-2	270	Aghayere	Koral	Russell	Marrow	Jones	Ormrod	Knight*	Woolley M*	Woods	Parker	Woolley J*	Hare*	Kennerley*	Gardner*	Walker	Irlam		Kells S
14	NEWCASTLE TOWN	1-1	0-1	193	Aghayere	Koral	Russell*	Foulds	Jones	Irlam	Knight*	Woolley M(1)	Woods	Hare	Kennerley	Ormrod*	Woolley J	Marrow	Gardner*	Walker		Hitchell D
25	Workington	2-2	0-2	644	Aghayere	Koral	Kennerley	Foulds	Jones	Ormrod	Woolley J*	Woolley M(1)	Woods*	Irlam	Gardner	Parker*(1)	Smith*	Russell	Marrow	Mitchell		Beckett A
OCT 2	BOOTLE	0-5	0-0	226	Aghayere	Koral	Kennerley	Foulds	Jones	Ormrod*	Gardner*	Woolley M	Irlam*	Smith	Knight	Hare*	Turner*	Woolley J	Russell	Parker*		Bruce D
9	MARINE (FAT 2Q)	1-1	0-0	301	Aghayere	Koral	Russell	Foulds	Jones	Irlam	Kennerley	Parker(1)	Turner*	Hare*	Woolley J*	Ormrod*	Woods*	Knight	Smith	Gardner*	L 1-4 Pens	Roots P
12	City of Liverpool	1-0	1-0	291	Aghayere	Brough	Russell	Foulds	Jones	Irlam	Kennerley	Parker*	Woods	Hare	Woolley J*(1)	Ormrod*	Woolley M	Turner	Walker	Gardner*		Abson R
16	COLNE	1-2	1-0	245	Aghayere	Brough	Russell	Foulds	Jones	Ormrod*	Kennerley*	Irlam	Woods(1)	Parker	Woolley J*	Woolley M*	Knight*	Marrow	Nicholas	Gardner*		Jones C
20	Barnton (MCSC SF)	0-2	0-1	214	Aghayere	Connor	Kennerley	Marrow*	Ormrod	Weir	Knight*	Woolley M	Turner*	Nicholas	Gardner	Woods*	Walker	Hamman	Woolley J*	Russell*		Lambert J
23	Prescot Cables	2-1	1-1	531	Aghayere	Koral	Russell	Foulds	Jones	Weir	Woolley J*	Irlam	Turner*	Parker	Kennerley*	Woods(1)*	Knight*	Marrow	Nicholas	Gardner*		Strain D
NOV 6	RAMSBOTTOM UNITED	1-0	0-0	206	Aghayere	Koral	Russell	Foulds	Jones	Weir	Woolley J*	Irlam*	Woods*	Parker	Kennerley	Woolley M(1)*	Knight*	Hare	Turner*	Gardner		Mustafa Z
13	Glossop North End	1-1	1-0	492	Aghayere	Koral	Russell	Foulds*	Jones	Weir*	Woolley J*	Irlam	Woods(1)	Parker	Kennerley	Woolley M*	Knight	Ormrod*	O'Neill*	Gardner		Johnston I
20	Trafford	5-2	1-1	556	Aghayere	Koral	Kennerley	Foulds	Jones	Weir(1)	Woolley J(1)*	Woolley M(1)	Woods(1)	Parker*	O'Neill(1)*	Ormrod*	Knight*	Hare	Marrow	Gardner*		Ryder M
27	WIDNES	0-3	0-2	229	Aghayere	Koral	Kennerley	Foulds	Jones	Weir	Woolley J*	Woolley M	Woods	Parker	O'Neill*	Ormrod	Knight	Hare*	Marrow	Gardner		Lennon S
DEC 4	MOSSLEY	7-3	4-3	255	Aghayere	Koral(1)	Kennerley	Foulds	Ormrod	Weir(1)	Woolley J*	Woolley M(1)	Gardner*	Parker(2)*	O'Neill(2)	Marrow	Knight*	Hare*	Russell	Ellington*		McQuillan M
11	Kidsgrove Athletic	3-1	2-1	265	Aghayere	Koral	Kennerley	Foulds	Jones	Weir	Woolley J*	Woolley M	Gardner(1)*	Parker	O'Neill(1)*	Ormrod	Knight*	Hare	Reed(1)*	Woods*		Bond D
18	CLITHEROE	2-2	2-1	307	Aghayere	Koral	Kennerley	Foulds	Jones	Weir	Woolley J	Woolley M(1)	Reed	Parker(1)*	Gardner*	Ormrod	Irlam*	Hare*	Russell	Woods		Jones C
JAN 1	RUNCORN LINNETS	1-2	1-1	645	Aghayere	Koral	Kennerley	Foulds	Jones	Hare*	Woolley J	Woolley M	Reed	Parker(1)*	Gardner*	Weir*	Irlam*	Woods	Russell	O'Neill*		Burton D
4	Vauxhall Motors (CSC 2)	1-1	0-0	140	Aghayere	Koral*	Kennerley	Foulds	Jones	Hare	O'Neill*	Weir	Woods*	Irlam	Gardner	Reed*	Parker*	Woolley J*	Hamman	Ellington	L 6-5 Pens	Lambert J
15	WORKINGTON	2-4	2-3	292	Aghayere	Koral	Kennerley*	Foulds	Irlam	Weir*	Woolley J	Woolley M	Reed(2)	Parker	O'Neill*	Hare	Russell*	Gardner*	O'Neill*	McGowan*		Ryder M
22	Colne	4-0	0-0	353	Aghayere	Koral*	Russell	Foulds	Irlam	Weir	Woolley J	Woolley M(2)	Reed(1)*	Hare	Gardner*	Kennerley(1)*	Ormrod	O'Neill*	McGowan*	Hamman		Archibald M
29	PRESCOT CABLES	0-1	0-1	380	Aghayere	Woolley J	Russell	Foulds*	Irlam	Weir	O'Neill*	Woolley M	Reed	Hare	Kennerley*	Jones*	Ormrod	Parker*	McGowan*	Gardner		Griffiths L
FEB 8	GLOSSOP NORTH END	0-1	0-1	205	Aghayere	Koral	Russell*	Foulds	Fenton	Weir	O'Neill	Woolley M	McGowan	Hare*	Gardner*	Reed*	Knight*	Woolley J	Kennerley	Irlam*		Hitchell D
12	Warrington Rylands	1-3	0-2	369	Aghayere	Koral	Russell	Foulds(1)	Jones	Weir	Woolley J*	Woolley M*	Reed	Irlam	Kennerley*	Hare	Knight*	McGowan*	O'Neill*	Gardner		Bell E
26	CITY OF LIVERPOOL	2-2	0-1	230	Aghayere	Koral	Russell*	Foulds	Jones	Weir	Woolley J*	Irlam	Reed(1)	O'Neill	Kennerley*	Woolley M*	Knight(1)*	McGowan	Hare	Gardner*		Lamb B
MAR 1	Ramsbottom United	0-2	0-1	261	Aghayere	Koral	Kennerley	Fenton	Jones*	Hare	Gardner	Woolley M	Reed	O'Neill*	Knight*	Foulds	Irlam*	McGowan*	Weir	Woolley J*		Crosley J
5	Bootle	2-3	22	594	Aghayere	Koral	Kennerley	Fenton	Jones	Hare	Aghayere J*	Weir(1)	McGowan*(1)	Irlam	Knight*	Foulds	Reed*	Woolley M	O'Neill*	Gardner*		Carney E
12	Marine	0-1	0-1	1337	Aghayere	Koral	Kennerley	Foulds	Jones	Weir	Woolley J*	Woolley M	McGowan	Irlam	O'Neill*	Fenton	Reed*	Hare*	Knight	Gardner		Young M
19	Leek Town	2-1	1-0	524	Aghayere	Koral	Kennerley	Fenton*	Jones	Hare	Woolley J(2)	Woolley M	Reed*	Gardner	Knight*	Foulds*	Graham	O'Neill*	McGowan*	Noble		Cooper W
26	Widnes	1-1	1-1	230	Aghayere	Koral	Kennerley	Fenton	Jones	Hare	Woolley J	Woolley M(1)	McGowan*	Gardner*	Knight*	Foulds	Graham	O'Neill*	Reed*	Irlam*		Croft D
29	Newcastle Town	1-0	0-0	266	Aghayere	Koral	Kennerley	Fenton(1)	Jones	Hare	Woolley J*	Woolley M	McGowan*	Gardner*	O'Neill	Foulds	Graham	Knight*	Reed*	Irlam*		Scalfe B
APR 2	TRAFFORD	3-0	1-0	242	Aghayere	Koral	Kennerley	Fenton	Jones	Hare(1)	Woolley J*	Woolley M	Reed(1)	Irlam*	O'Neill*	Foulds	Graham	Knight*	Hamman*	Gardner(1)*		Bell E
9	MARKET DRAYTON TOWN	7-0	4-0	240	Aghayere	Koral(2)	Kennerley*	Fenton(2)	Jones	Foulds	Hamman*	Woolley M	Reed(1)	McGowan(1)	Irlam*	Woolley J	Graham*	O'Neill*	Hare	Gardner(1)*		Lamb B
16	Kendal Town	-	-	-																		
18	WARRINGTON RYLANDS	-	-	-																		
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# HISTORIES AND PROFILES

## THE '74

Whilst fans of clubs with longer and supposedly more illustrious histories might not believe this, there are many really great things about supporting a club as young as 1874!

One of these is that in each and every season of our existence, there has always been at least one event that has created a new record and helped to shape our short, but so far quite amazing history!

So, when it comes to summing up our history, it really is a case of where do we start and what do we include or leave out?

Some might say - and we would find it difficult to argue against this point - that the principal landmark occurred on the 15 November 2012 when disillusioned members of the Northwich Victoria Supporters Trust voted overwhelmingly to create a new club. However, others might make the case for the evening of Wednesday 10 July 2013, for this was when '74 played their first ever game against local side Lostock Gralam.

On that warm, balmy evening, just short of 400 fans turned out to see the first game of a club that they had decided to create, was something different, new and, most importantly, something that they had a direct say in. In short, a true fans' run club

Prior to that night a massive amount of hard work had been put in to ensure that the club could kick-off, as planned at the start of the 2013/14 season. This included

- Our successful application to join the North West Counties Football League
- The appointment of our first 'Gaffer', Ian Street
- The signing our first ground sharing agreement with Winsford United

The level of support shown for the new club wasn't a flash in the pan either as during our first season 1874's average home league attendance was 320 – which put the club in the top 100 best supported clubs in non-league football.

As it happened, '74 finished one place outside the two promotion spots, but due to the sudden and unfortunate demise of second-placed Formby, the club were asked whether we would like to take up the vacant spot in the Premier Division – an offer that was readily accepted!

So, season two presented '74 with the opportunity to create even more records – and boy, did we take this chance with both hands! Along the way several new milestones were achieved, including our first ever appearance in the FA Cup and our highest league placing of 3rd in the NWCFL Premier Division.

The 2015/16 season proved to be a steady campaign in the league with an eventual finishing spot of 4th, but it ended in a truly memorable manner when Ian Street's side outclassed local rivals and Step 3 outfit Witton Albion by a 3-0 score-line on their own turf to lift the Mid Cheshire District Cup for the first time. This Trophy was retained the following campaign with a 1-0 win over rivals Northwich Vics, but by this time the management of the club had passed into the hands of Paul Bowyer and Wayne Goodison – both of whom had been part of Ian Street's back-room team.

The impact of the new management team was truly remarkable, as the 2017/18 season proved to be far and away the most exciting and memorable in the short history of 1874, during which the 'Go-Bo' Green Army.

- Defeated National League North and former FA Trophy winners North Ferriby in the FA Cup
- Finally exited the competition on penalties in a 3rd Qualifying Round replay
- Reached the semi-finals of the FA Vase, only for eventual winners Thatcham Town to deny '74 a trip to Wembley by triumphing 4-2 on aggregate.
- Took hundreds of fans to away ties at Leighton and Thatcham
- Recorded a record home attendance of 1,674 in the second leg of the semi-final against the Wiltshire outfit
- Ended the season by playing a mammoth 26 games in just 57 days and 69 games overall

Given the successes of the '17/18 campaign, it would have been astonishing if '74 had been able to equal the achievements of the previous season. After all, even the top clubs in the country struggle to repeat their immediate past triumphs – so why should this not be true for '74?

So, a final position of 10th – the lowest that the club had finished in since being promoted to the Premier Division – did seem to suggest a further decline in the clubs' fortunes.

But that would be completely wrong...

You see, 1874's final standing was hugely influenced by a poor start to the season in which the loss of key players from the '17/18 campaign - allied to a cruel run of injuries to many of the clubs' key creative and attacking players - resulted in a somewhat disjointed first few months of the season.

The result of this was that a realistic title charge was not on the cards and - equally disappointing - '74 also suffered early exits in both the FA Cup and Vase. Another factor that we probably didn't fully appreciate at the time was the impact that the untimely death in December 2017 of our inspirational and dearly loved Chairman Paul Stockton had on the club.

Given these issues, it might have been easy for the club to let the season drift out to a below par end. However, the management team, Board and supporters were not prepared to let this happen and collectively they banded together and as a result in the last third of the season the side won 10 of its remaining 16 games, drawing 3 and losing 3.

Of this sequence, the most memorable and important came on the afternoon of Saturday 4 May 2019 when '74 lifted their first major piece of silverware when an 88th minute goal from Aaron Smith proved enough to give The Greens a thoroughly deserved 1-0 victory over league champions City of Liverpool FC in the final of the NWCFL League Cup at Moss Lane, home of Altrincham FC, a game that was witnessed by over 1,000 fans.

The joyous scenes that followed the final whistle will live forever in the memories of all the 500+ '74 fans that were lucky to be there and further vindicated the decision that they had taken just over 6 years earlier to form a new club. This cup win proved to be a springboard for the club as from the very outset of the 2019/20 season it was clear that '74 would be one of the main contenders for the NWCFL title.

Another good FA Cup run – which was halted at the 2nd Qualifying Round by an admittedly fortunate Whitby Town side – was the precursor to an astonishing league campaign that included a 15-game unbeaten league run – another club record. But it wasn't just the results that were impressive, it was the swash-buckling, stylish passing and pressing style of play in which '74 played the game that brought them so many plaudits and admiration from other clubs and commentators from all quarters. But in addition to their verve and panache, the side also possessed a steely, never-say-die, attitude that that gained them several precious points from seemingly difficult positions. This left '74 in the box seat at the head of the league with 9 games left and 8 points ahead of second placed Rylands with a game in hand.

So, if there was ever a bunch of players and back-room staff that deserved to end a season celebrating a league title win, then it ought to have been our fabulous, wonderful team who represent our brilliant little club. But alas, and for entirely understandable reasons, this was not to be. For as we all now know, the COVID 19 outbreak resulted in a sudden cessation to grassroots football and, heartbreakingly, the players, officials and fans alike were denied seeing the league trophy being paraded around Townfield.

However, although we didn't know it at the time, '74's elevation to Step 4 was to be deferred as opposed to being denied as due to the re-organisation of the National League Pyramid, '74 became eligible for promotion to the newly created Northern Premier League West! And to celebrate this elevation, on 24 July 2021 the Greens became the first club in the 40+ year history of the competition to retain the NWCFL League Cup by convincingly defeating Runcorn Town 6-3 in the much delayed 2019/20 final.



So, the coming season is undoubtedly going to be one of the sternest tests we've had since starting off on this exciting journey, but it is one that all of us are relishing! But that is enough about what happens on the pitch with '74.

You see, another unique thing about '74 is that it is not all about what happens on the 6,000 square metres of turf.

For instance, both supporters and players regularly meet together at well attended and organised social events, including race nights, beer festivals, bowls competitions, cricket matches, fans forums, Christmas and end of year presentation dinners – all of which have cemented the special bond our club has between its fans, players, management and Directors.

In addition, from the very start, the club sought to develop, build and nurture relationships with the local business community. Our success in this sphere can be gauged by the fact that well respected local company Britannia Carpets has been a key sponsor during for each year of our existence and they have now been joined by another locally based 'Blue-Chip' company Oxyl-Pro.

Likewise, for the past 6 years we've also forged excellent relationships with our chosen charity partners, which have included the Winsford-based

Neuromuscular Centre, St Luke's Hospice and children's hospice 'The Joshua Tree'. In addition, regular collections have also taken place for local food banks, homeless people shelters, The Samaritans, Armed Services veterans, and a myriad of other deserving causes as well as attendance at community events.

The partnerships we have forged with the voluntary sector are yet another example of how 1874 is demonstrating its commitment to be a 'community' club in terms of actions rather than words.

The 2014/15 season also saw the club run an U21 side and since then several of their number have now progress to the First-team squad. More recently, 1874 have fielded sides at junior level and our plan is build on the establishment of this team as a stepping stone towards the creation of other sides covering all age groups, gender, and abilities.

Mention of all age groups and abilities reminds us that, along with the Cheshire FA, '74 have also played a major role in establishing local 'walking football' sessions each week which have proved to be hugely popular with the 'more mature' folks of Mid-Cheshire, most of whom might had thought that their playing days were well behind them!

2019 was also a landmark year off the field as, for the first time, 1874 finally played within the boundary

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of the town of Northwich having signed a 2 year agreement to share Barnton's Townfield Lane stadium. A huge amount of work has been undertaken since this deal was signed to further improve the facilities for players, officials and supporters alike and by doing so to enhance the match-day experience for all - as well as meeting the ground-grading requirements that are necessary for promotion to Step 4.

So, all in all, 1874 is a club that is on the up.

But any progress that we may make will be achieved in a responsible and sustainable manner. Indeed, one of our main principles is that we will not jeopardise the long-term interests of the club by spending money just in order to ensure success on the pitch.

So you could say that Inclusivity, Openness, Community and Sustainability is our USP.

But allied to this we also want to have success on and off the pitch and – as importantly - lots of fun!

And in our first eight years, we think that we've achieved all of these aims beyond our wildest dreams!

## PROFILES

**36 The Management Team** – 1874 have been guided since April 2017 by the managerial duo of Paul Bowyer and Wayne Goodison and the pair recently took charge of their 200th game. Telford based Paul – who is a teacher by profession – joined '74 at its inception and played in the clubs' historic first game against Lostock Gralam. His entire playing career was spent in the National game system and included spells with Congleton Town, Telford United and Alsager Town.

In comparison, Wayne spent the majority of his career in the Football League, firstly with Barnsley and then Crewe and Rochdale, chalking up a total of 209 league games. Since his playing days ended, he's held a number of management posts, including at Buxton, Trafford, Salford City and Chorley.

**Tony Aghayere** – 'Big T' as he is affectionately known was well known to '74 fans before signing for the club in January 2019 as he'd previously been a key member of the Colne side that won the NWCFL title in 2016. Born in Spain, he started as a youngster at Burnley and his career has also included stops at Padiham, Mossley and Salford.

**Ethan Brough** – A recent graduate from '74's well regarded Under 21 side, Ethan made his debut in the FA Trophy defeat to Marine at the beginning of October in the right-back berth.

**Harry Cain** – Snapped up from near neighbours Sandbach United in the summer of 2019, 24 year old Harry proved to be a real hit with the '74 faithful with his direct, pacy wing-play that often left opposing defences terrorised. Prior to joining up with '74 he'd also played in the colours of Altrincham, Prescot Cables, Nantwich Town and Skelmersdale.

**Paul Connor** – Paul returned to the club this summer after spending the last campaign at Congleton. Originally signed back in the summer of 2014 from Maine Road, Paul has now chalked up over 200 games for '74, principally on the right hand flank.

**Markell Foulds** – Another player who has joined the club on dual registration deal - this time with Barnoldswick Town - Markell has a wealth of youth football behind him including a scholarship with Salford City and for the UCFB Academy. He has also played in the colours of Clitheroe.

**Callum Gardner** – Now approaching the 100 game mark for '74, Cal was snapped up from local rivals Winsford United in the summer of 2018 after a number of impressive performances for 'The Blues' against us. He has played for the full England FUTSAL side and counts Mossley, FC United, Abbey Hey and Congleton amongst his previous clubs.

**Sam Hare** – A member of Glossop's 205 NWCFL 'Double' winning side, Sam joined '74 from the Derbyshire outfit in 2016. Since then he's made over 100 outings in a green shirt. Now 29, he started out with Stockport County and is a key member of the '74 midfield and real fans favourite!

**Jack Irlam** – Having missed the truncated 2019/20 season with an ankle injury, 24 year old Jack will no doubt be keen to add to his current tally of 38 outings for '74. Signed from Runcorn Town, he's also been on the books of Ashton Town, Barnton and City of Liverpool.

**Mark Jones** – 1874's Mr Reliable, Mark is an unflappable, cultured player who has played a major role in our success over recent years since arriving in the summer of 2016. A versatile operator who can play equally well in midfield or the centre of defence, 35 year old Mark counts Witton, and Radcliffe amongst his earlier ports of call.

**Taylor Kennerley** – A local lad, Taylor was the first graduate from the 1874 U21 side to play for the First XI and has since clocked up approaching 150 games for '74, either on the wing or as a more traditional striker.

**Mike Koral** – Another Mid-Cheshire lad, Mike had played as a winger or striker for his previous clubs – which have included Congleton, Winsford and Droylsden. However, since joining the club midway through the 2018/19 season, the 28 year old has been converted to a right wing-back by the '74 management team and has certainly thrived in his new role.

**Lee Knight** – A physical and direct player who can play on either flank or as a striker, Lee re-joined '74 during the summer from Warrington Rylands. Having started out at Oldham Athletic, Lee had original moved to Mid-Cheshire from Padiham and also counts Bradford Avenue amongst his former clubs.

**Jack Marrow** – Aged 18, Jack recently finished his scholarship with Crewe Alexandra before joining the club this summer and has since impressed many at '74 with his cool, calm style of play.

### Scott McGowan

By the end of the truncated 2020/21 campaign, 'Scotty' had banged in no less than 133 goals in just 192 outings for the club, and rejoins us for his fourth spell at the club after a period of time spent at Macclesfield.

**Ryan Mitchell** – 'Mitch' is our only member of the side that lined-up for our very first league fixture v Oldham Boro back in August 2013 who is still with the club. Aged 31, he started out at 1874 as a right full-back but has since been converted to a centre-half. A former Tranmere Rovers trainee, Mitch has also had stops at Alsager Town, Leigh RMI, Winsford United and Stone Dominoes. Had it not been for injury, he would be well past the 250 game mark for the club by now.

**Mackenzie O'Neill** – Most recently found scoring against 1874 for Prescot Cables, young forward Mackenzie impressed the managers enough for them to pursue him, signing for the Greens a short time later. Already off the mark for his new club, fans will be hoping for more of his exciting wide play in the coming months.

**James Ormrod** – This midfielder and occasional central defender played 40 games for Maine Road as an 18 year old before switching to Barnoldswick Town. Now aged 22 James has so far made 22 appearances for the club and much is expected from this exciting young talent.

**Jake Parker** – A really smart midfielder who certainly has an eye for goal – as the statistics bear out - 26 year old Jake started out with Fleetwood Town and has since played for Ramsbottom United, Witton Albion, Colwyn Bay and Irlam. He broke the 100 appearance barrier last season and in this time has netted 45 goals.

### Jamie Reed

A recent signing for the '74, Jamie joins us from North Wales, and his wealth of experience should make his presence something to think about for many a defender. Scored on his debut away to Kidsgrove Athletic.

**Matty Russell** – Another member of Glossop's 2015 'Double' winning side who now plys his trade for '74, Matty is a real favourite of the '74 faithful, particularly when he bombs forward to initiate or support attacks from his left-sided berth. A native of Stockport, he's now made over a century of appearances and counts Maine Road as one of his former clubs.

**Lucas Weir** – The son of former Everton and Scotland stalwart David Weir, Lucas first joined '74 in 2018 but left shortly afterwards to undertake a football scholarship in the USA. A commanding midfield player, he played a starring role in the 6-3 NWCFL Cup win over Runcorn Town in July of this year.

**Dimeji Willan** – Formally with Stockport County, Dimeji signed for 1874 this summer and will initially act as back-up for first choice 'keeper Tony Aghayere.

**Joe Woolley** – The younger brother of the club captain, Joe is actually one of three Woolley brothers who have played for '74, the other being Jack. Snapped up from Market Drayton in 2015, his career with '74 has been blighted by injury, a fact underlined by the statistic that he's made less than 50 outings since moving to his home town club. Happily he's now returned to his home town club. Happily he's now returned to his home town club. Happily he's now returned to his home town club. Happily he's now returned to his home town club. Happily he's now returned to his home town club.

**Matt Woolley** – The club captain, Matty is also '74's longest serving player having made his debut as a substitute in the 2014 Christmas-time tussle with Widnes. A Northwich lad, he was signed from Cheshire League side Knutsford FC. Matt has had spells at Congleton Town, Alsager, Witton Albion and FC Halifax Town and recently became the first '74 player to play 300 games for the club.







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# HISTORIES AND PROFILES

## TODAY'S VISITORS: WARRINGTON RYLANDS

Warrington Rylands 1906 Football Club was formed as a local works (wire manufacturer) team in 1906 as part of the Rylands Recreation Club whose clubhouse and grounds on the eastern side of Warrington at a site in between Gorse Lane and Orford Road was opened by Rylands Brothers, owners of the famous Wireworks to provide sports and leisure facilities for their employees.

Over the years Rylands have played in several competitions including the Lancashire Combination, Warrington and District League, Mid Cheshire League, Cheshire League and now compete at the highest level in our history, the Northern Premier League West Division. During this time our trophy cabinet has seen success in, the Warrington Guardian Cup (5 times), Liverpool Challenge Cup, Lancashire Amateur Shield, Mid Cheshire League and Cup, North West counties Division 1 North, and North West Counties Champions of Champions cup.

The team also played in the Lancashire Combination's war time Auxiliary Section during the 1918/19 season finishing fifth in the table.

Prior to joining the North West Counties League in 2018 Rylands played in the Warrington & District League, Liverpool County Combination, and the Mid-Cheshire League. They were champions of each of these leagues winning the Warrington League in 1957/58 and 1958/59. 1957/58 was an especially good season for the club as they completed a treble in bringing back the Warrington League title, the Guardian Cup and Liverpool Cup and continued with success in the Liverpool Combination in 1960/61.

Further success followed in the Mid-Cheshire League in 1980/81 and 1983/84. Losing just once when winning the Mid-Cheshire League in 1983/84 Rylands thought they were on their way to Wembley when they entered the last thirty-two of the FA Vase with wins over Blackpool Mechanics, Maghull, Atherton LR and Rainworth MVV. But it was against the latter that saw an appeal against the length of the pitch, when it was found to be just over a yard short, a replay was ordered which Rainworth won 1-0.

A barren run of years followed which was ended when a newly formed youth team lifted the Warrington & District Youth Cup with an extra time win over local rivals Warrington Town. This provided the springboard for senior honours in 1993 with the Reserves winning the Mid Cheshire League Division Two Cup with an extra time win over Knutsford.

Prior to the start of the 1996/97 season the club formed a link with a local junior club – Beechfield – with these youth sides bringing trophies in to the club winning the Warrington & District Youth Cup in 1997, and in 1999 both the Warrington & District League and Cup. These young players rejuvenated the club and in 1999/2000 the first team reached the Mid-Cheshire League Cup Final only to lose out to Knutsford in a penalty shoot-out after being reduced to nine men with twenty minutes of extra time left. Season 2001/02 would see a surprise end to the campaign. An undefeated run of nine games saw the first team snatch runners-up spot on goal difference.

The club then once more fell on hard times and in 2008 amalgamated with Crosfields FC to form a new club, Crosfields / Rylands FC. Under the new name both the first and reserve teams reached Mid-Cheshire League Cup Finals, unfortunately losing in both. Prior to the start of the 2012/13 season, the club resumed the name of Rylands FC with the backing of a new sponsor, Triple S Sports & Entertainment Group – led by former Rylands player Paul Stretford. The first team went on to win the Warrington Guardian Cup in 2015, whilst also being Mid-Cheshire League Cup runners up in 2013, 2014 and 2018.

After restoring stability to the first and reserve teams, the club's executive agreed to change direction and grow a junior and youth section. In 2016 successful local junior club Fife Rangers joined bringing seventeen teams and over two hundred players under the Rylands Football Club banner, including two female teams. A little later the clubs elite development team was formed, Rylands U21s who joined the NW Development league.

In June 2018 Dave McNabb was appointed joint first team manager alongside local lad Stuart Wellstead as

player manager, at the club and set about transforming the team and ambitions for the club.

First step was to become part of the FA non-league pyramid by gaining entry in to the North West Counties League, which was achieved when the club were invited to apply for a position in the North West Counties Division 1 South for season 2018/19

During the pre-season McNab and Wellstead commenced a major recruitment drive to build a team that would be competitive at a higher level. The recruitment combined with excellent preparation and outstanding performances on the pitch saw the club win the North West Counties Division 1 South Championship and also go on to win the division one champion's trophy, beating Division 1 North Champions, Longridge Town 3-0.

For season 2019/20 McNabb took sole charge of the team and the club changed its name to Warrington Rylands 1906 FC as a mark of its ambition to continue with its ambition to reach the highest level it could. The name change ensured the Rylands name would remain synonymous with the club, whilst also recognising the club had played and been a part of Warrington and Rylands since 1906, still playing on the same ground.

In preparation of playing at the highest level it had ever reached major infrastructure took place at the Gorse Lane Ground with the building of seated stands, covered terracing, on ground changing rooms, spectator toilets, committee room and provision of in ground food and drink. Warrington Rylands 1906 FC Gorse Lane Ground was ready to take its place in the North West Counties Premier League for season 2019/20 with the unveiling of the newly opened Ron Stretford Stand the clubs former Treasurer and the Ian Finchett Pavilions the clubs former Chairman.

The club were denied back to back promotions to the Northern Premier League due to the COVID Pandemic that caused the 2019/20 season was abandoned with the club sitting second in the North West Counties Premier League.

Similarly in season 2020/21 the season was curtailed with the club in top position in the league.

Season 2020/21 however, turned out to be one of the most important seasons in the clubs history winning the FA Vase at Wembley 3-2 against Binfield FC with centre-forward Elliott Nevitt scoring a hat trick.

Having broken the clubs previous record of a last thirty-two place against West Auckland the team, due to the COVID Pandemic entered in to a weekly round of FA Vase Cup games beating the 2019/20 FA Vase Hebburn Town Winners in the Quarter-Final at Gorse Lane only one week after the North East team had beaten Consett Town at Wembley, in the Semi-Final Rylands beat Walsall Wood 2-1 to send them to Wembley for the final the following Saturday.

The Club went in to overdrive to sell 1,500 tickets in four days which are the biggest gate receipts in Rylands history, as well as breaking other records by becoming the first Warrington football team in the history of the game to win a national tournament.

Season 2020/21 also saw the club enter the FA Cup which saw the team make the Second Qualifying Round at home against York City, live on the BBC and in front of a COVID restricted sell-out crowd of 300, the furthest the club has ever achieved in the FA Cup.

Furthermore the week after the successful Wembley Final the club were promoted to the Northern Premier League (West Division) as part of the FA National League restructure as one of three highest point per game achievers during the two previous covid affected seasons.

Season 2021/22 will see Warrington Rylands 1906 FC competing in the Northern Premier League (West Division) the highest level the club has played and will also see the club take part in the FA Trophy for the first time in our 115 year history.

## PLAYER PROFILES

**WILL APPELYARD** - 22 year goalkeeper came through the youth system at home town club Crewe Alexandra. Also having played for Stevenage, FC Halifax Town, Royston Town, Bedford Town and Oldham Athletic he joined Rylands in January 2022 from Tadcaster Albion.

**SCOTT BAKKOR** – well travelled Warrington born striker who returned to Rylands in February 2022 signing from Stalybridge Celtic. Since leaving Rylands in 2013 he has played for Warrington Town, Clitheroe, Marine, Curzon Ashton, Witton Albion, Colwyn Bay and Skelmersdale United.

**JOE BUNNEY** – an experienced versatile 28 year old who can play left back, left winger or striker. Born in Gorton he started his career with Lancaster City in 2011 whilst studying sports science at Myerscough College in Preston. After playing for several non-league clubs including Kendal Town and Northwich Victoria he joined Rochdale in 2013. After playing 122 for Rochdale he has also played league football for Northampton Town, Blackpool and Grimsby Town. Joe joined Rylands in October 2021 from Altrincham whom he joined during the summer of 2021.

**ADAM BUXTON** – experienced versatile player who can play in a number of positions. Born in Liverpool he started his career at Wigan Athletic, played for Burton Albion and Accrington Stanley on loan before being released by Wigan and joining Accrington. Playing over 100 Football League has also played for Tranmere Rovers, Morecambe, York City and Prestatyn Town. He joined Rylands prior to the 2021/22 season.

**CALLUM DOLAN** – young midfield player started his career in the youth set up at Manchester United before moving to Blackburn Rovers and Bury. Born in Offerton he joined Stockport Town in the NWCFL and then signed for Altrincham. He moved onto Oldham Athletic before playing for Radcliffe and Matlock Town. Joined Rylands summer 2021.

**CHARLIE DOYLE** – midfield player from Salford who started his career at Bury. Since leaving Bury he has had spells at FC United and Irlam before signing for Rylands in the summer of 2020. Charlie was a member of Rylands FA Vase winning team at Wembley.

**KANE DRUMMOND** – forward signed from the Robbie Fowler Academy in the summer of 2019. A junior player at Liverpool FC he joined the Fowler Academy in July 2017 where he was part of their winning English Colleges Championship and Dubai

International Super Cup winning teams. Kane was a member of the FA Vase winning team at Wembley.

**SAM EGERTON** – 29 year old central defender. Signed from Matlock Town in September 2021. Sam numbers amongst his previous clubs Trafford, Ashton United., Nantwich Town, Stalybridge Celtic and Lancaster City.

**DEAN FURMAN** – 33 year old midfielder born in Cape Town. He started his career with Glasgow Rangers and has also played for Bradford City, Oldham Athletic, Doncaster Rovers and SuperSport United. Capped at full international level 58 times by South Africa he joined Rylands from Altrincham in January 2022.

**WARREN GERRARD** – midfield or defence. He was one of the first players signed by Rylands in the summer of 2018 when they stepped up to the NWCFL. Previous clubs Bolton Wanderers, St Helens Town and New Street. Member of Rylands 2018/19 NWCFL 1st Division championship squad played in NWCFL 1st Division Champions Cup winning team and was a member of the Wembley FA Vase winning team. He made his 100th appearance for Rylands in December 2021. Currently playing on loan at Lower Breck.

**JAKE HILTON** – young goalkeeper. Released by Crewe Alexandra, he also plays for Loughborough University. Joined Rylands prior to the 2021/22 season

**MATTY HUGHES** – experienced forward born in Salford. He began his career coming through the youth ranks at Everton before joining Golborne Sports. In 2012 he joined Skelmersdale United from where he moved to Fleetwood Town. After two loan spells with Chester he moved to AFC Fylde, played for Chorley before returning to Chester. Joined Stalybridge Celtic from whom Rylands signed him in September 2021.

**JOHNNY HUNT** - 31 year old utility player born in Liverpool. He joined Rylands in January 2022 from Connah's Quay Nomads, having started his career at Wrexham. An England C international he has also played for Cambridge United, Chester, Mansfield Town, Stevange, Hamilton Accies, Kettering Town and Prestatyn Town.

**STEVE IRWIN** – central midfielder joined Rylands in March 2022 from Marine. He began his career with Liverpool in 2008 and has had time abroad with Telstar (Holland), FF Jaro (Finland) and Aab (Denmark). Since returning to the UK he has had spells at Skelmersdale

United, FC United of Manchester in the National North and a short spell at Stalybridge Celtic.

**PADDY LACEY** – joined Rylands in February 2022 from National League North side Chester. Starting his career with Sheffield Wednesday he joined Bradford City in July 2011 and had loan spells with Southport and Vauxhall Motors. He also had spells with Altrincham, Barrow, Droylsden, Accrington Stanley, Southport and Stalybridge Celtic before joining Chester in September 2022. Born in Liverpool, the 28 year old midfielder is also a professional boxer.

**GRAEME MCCALL** – goalkeeper and captain. He was one of the first players signed by Rylands in the summer of 2018 when they stepped up to the NWCFL. Previous clubs include Everton, Leicester City, St Helens Town, Garswood United and City of Liverpool. Member of Rylands 2018/19 NWCFL 1st Division championship squad played in NWCFL 1st Division Champions Cup winning team and was a member of the Wembley FA Vase winning team. He made his 100th appearance for the club in November 2021.

**ELLIOT MORRIS** – winger originally signed from Winstanley Warriors in 2019. In his second spell at Gorse Lane, having re-signed on dual registration from Skelmersdale United in March 2022.

**JAMES NEILD** - a 20-year-old defender from Trafford in December 2021. Previously with Curzon Ashton he came through Rochdale's youth system.

**ANDY SCARISBRICK** – midfielder player from Liverpool. Started his career at Accrington Stanley where he played in their youth and reserve teams. After leaving Accrington he joined Prescot Cables, where he played and scored in the 2017 Liverpool Senior Cup Final. He had a brief spell at Cammell Laird before signing for Rylands in February 2019. A member of the NWCFL First Division winning squad in 2019 he was a member of Rylands FA Vase winning team at Wembley.

**MICHAEL SIMPSON** – full back signed from Runcorn Linnets in the summer of 2020. Signed for

Manchester United Academy aged 8 before starting senior career at Bury. Having been released by his Bury he joined his home town club Skelmersdale United, he has also played for Witton Albion. He won the NWCFL title with Runcorn in 2018. Also playing on dual registration with Skelmersdale.

**RICK SMITH** – centre back signed from Atherton Collieries in April 2021. He has also played for FC United, Radcliffe Stockport Sports, Salford City and Ashton United. Rick was a member of Rylands FA Vase winning team at Wembley.

**JACK TINNING** – full back or midfield player from Denton. Jack started his career playing at Stockport County and Oldham Athletic. He joined Rylands in October 2020 from 1874 Northwich having also played for Barnoldswick Town, Abbey Hey, Padiham and FC United. Jack was a member of Rylands FA Vase winning team at Wembley. Also playing for Prestwich Heys on dual registration.

**DECLAN WALKER** – full back. Came through the youth ranks at Wrexham making 19 appearances for the first team before playing for Bangor City and Aberystwyth where he was top scorer in 2018/19 and scored the winning goal in the Welsh Cup final. He joined Stalybridge Celtic in 2020 and a year later moved to Matlock Town from where he joined Rylands in September 2021. Although born in Warrington he has played six times for the Republic of Ireland at under 19s level.

**DAVID WEBB** – midfielder signed from Nantwich Town in January 2022. He started his career in the youth set up of Tranmere Rovers before playing for Queens FC, Marine and the RAF. He can also play right back or as a striker.





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# Mossley



Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> Apr  
 Kick-off: 3.00pm  
 Seel Park, Market Street, Mossley,  
 Lancashire, OL5 0ES

From Northwich, approx. 35miles and one hour. Exit M60 J23 following A635 Ashton-under-Lyne then A670 to Mossley. After approximately 2.5 miles drop down the hill into Mossley town centre. Passing supermarket on left turn right before the traffic lights (SP George Lawton Hall). Continue up the hill and left onto Market Street. Ground is approx. 200 yards on the left next to the Highland Laddie pub (not CAMRA listed).



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BUS 350 FROM ASHTON BUS STATION EVERY 20 MINS TO MARKET STREET, MOSSLEY. 2 MINUTE WALK TO THE GROUND.

## RAIL

MOSSLEY. 10 MINUTES WALK.

Local Pubs: CAMRA (Pub Guide - High Peak, Tameside & North East Cheshire CAMRA) lists 12 outlets in Mossley. Nearest to the ground is the Fleece (free house/Donkeystone) and the most interesting look to include the Gillery (free house with local beers from Millstone and Donkeystone breweries) which is 1 of 4 close to the station.

Local Restaurants: Not open until evening, although some pubs incl Gillery serve food.

Food and Drink at Ground: Refreshment hut in ground serving Pies, Burgers, Chips and a variety of beverages. The Social Club sells a vast range of canned, bottled and draught beers.

Local Interest: Huddersfield Narrow Canal, Dovestones Reservoir, Hartshead Pike.

# MATCH REPORT

by JACK OWEN



**1874 NORTHWICH 7-0 MARKET DRAYTON TOWN**  
 NORTHERN PREMIER LEAGUE - WEST  
 SATURDAY 9TH APRIL 2022 | K.O. 3.00PM

'74 put their already relegated visitors to the sword at Townfield in a result which also saw the Greens break their record for biggest ever home league win.

'74 started fast and raced into a two goal lead, Mike Koral - marking his 100th appearance for the club - opening the scoring and Jamie Reed doubling it with a pair of smart finishes inside the box.

Mike Koral doubled his tally for the day with a low driven effort that left Lawrence with no chance, before Scott McGowan ended the half with a composed finish after picking the pocket of a defender on the edge of the Market Drayton area.

The second half started in much the same way as the first half ended, with Market Drayton's young keeper managing to keep the score respectable with a series of impressive saves. However, the Greens weren't to be denied for too long, and young defender Matthew Fenton continued his impressive break into the side by grabbing a brace with two thumping headers from successive corners to make it 6-0 to the hosts.

The final goal of the game came from Callam Gardner who saved the best til last - lobbing the keeper from 40 yards.

**1874** - Aghayere, Koral, Kennerley (Gardner), Fenton, Jones, Foulds, Hamman (O'Neill), M Woolley, Reed, McGowan, Irlam (Graham). *Subs not used:* J Woolley, Hare.

**Market Drayton Town** - Lawrence, East, Dutton, Meddows, Sweeney, Jones (Care), Madama (Johnson), Margina, Greer, Mackay, Price. *Subs not used:* Rawlins.

### Goals:

**1874** - Koral 5' 22', Reed 14', McGowan 40', Fenton 72' 78', Gardner 83'.

**Market Drayton Town** -

Referee B Lamb

Attendance 240







# SQUADS

NORTHERN PREMIER LEAGUE - WEST  
vs WARRINGTON RYLANDS  
MONDAY 18TH APR 2021 | K.O. 3.00PM

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## MANAGER

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Matt WOOLLEY*				

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David WEBB				



\*Expected squads / asterisks indicate player was in most recent matchday squad, please see matchday information online for up to date line-ups

## MATCH OFFICIALS

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## NEXT FIXTURE

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