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A WELCOME From Billy Montague (Club Secretary)

We would like to extend a very warm welcome to everyone in attendance at the UTS Stadium this afternoon for this PITCHING-IN Northern Premier League East Division game.

Our opponents today are STOCKTON TOWN FC who arrive at the UTS Stadium after their relatively short journey from Teesside. "The Anchors" are enjoying another remarkable season in the PITCHING-IN Northern Premier League East Division after their promotion from the Northern League at the end of the 2020-21 season. They are deservedly sitting in second position in the League Table at the top of the chasing pack of Clubs who are well behind the outstanding run-away leaders Worksop Town. Stockton currently hold a four point advantage over Hebburn Town and are eleven points ahead of Dunston having played two games more. They look "nailed-on" to finish in a second consecutive Play-Off position which would be another tremendous achievement after their meteoric rise through the Non-League System.

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The two Clubs enjoy a very competitive but cordial relationship and have met twice already this season at Stockton. Way back in the middle of October we played a League game at Bishopton Road and Dunston managed to come out on top by two goals to one in a hard-fought encounter. Just before Christmas Dunston faced the tough prospect of being drawn away at Stockton in a Durham County Challenge Cup Quarter-Final Tie and this time we turned in one of our best performances of the season to progress by three goals to one. Our visitors will be determined to gain some revenge today to consolidate their lofty League position.

We also extend a warm welcome to our Match Officials this afternoon. Referee Kirk Freeth travels from Wallsend, and he is joined by his Assistant Referees Tom Lishman and Andrew Bailey who both come from Newcastle.

Supporters old and new are very well appreciated and we hope you enjoy your visit to the UTS Stadium this afternoon. If you require any help or information about the Club and facilities, please do not hesitate to contact any Management Committee Member. Details of Part-Season Tickets, Executive Package, Club Merchandise, Concessions and Sponsorship Opportunities can be obtained from any Club Official or at the Club Office.

Let's look forward to a competitive match. Enjoy the game!



Dunston FC Football Club History

The Club first saw light of day in 1975 as a humble works outfit. Long-serving Club stalwart, John Thompson, along with some of his fellow workmates at Her Majesty's Stationery Office Gateshead, decided to form a football team and joined the Newcastle City Amateur League playing at the Civil Service Sports Ground, Longbenton, Newcastle.

Early success inspired John to develop the Club and it moved to a new base, The Bay Horse public house in Whickham. The Club name was changed to Whickham Sports FC. Playing on public parks pitch in Dunston, the Club entered the Northern Amateur League. Numerous successes were achieved at this level including League Championships and League Cup wins.

In 1980 the Club joined the Northern Combination League. Further League and Cup triumphs followed and a move to a base nearer the home ground seemed logical. The Club moved to a new base at the Dunston Mechanics Social Club and became known as Dunston Mechanics F.C. As the club progressed, land in the locality was leased from Gateshead MBC and the management committee began to develop the present ground.

At this stage an approach was made to the Federation Brewery for sponsorship to assist in the progress of the Club. When they kindly agreed to become the Club's main sponsors, the name was changed to Dunston Federation Brewery F.C. After finishing as League Champions and League Cup Winners in 1987, the Club left the Northern Combination League and joined the Wearside League. Following a period of four seasons in the Wearside League – being League Champions twice and League Cup Winners once – the club felt a need to seek new opportunities and an application was made to join the prestigious Northern Football League.

During their time in the Wearside League, the club had made considerable improvements to Federation Park with progress to a higher status of football in mind, and their application to join the Northern League was successful. The Club had now realised one of its main ambitions and so entered the National Pyramid of Non-League Football.

In its second season in the Northern League, the Club won the Second Division Title and was promoted to the First Division. That season also saw the Club reach the last eight of the national FA Vase competition.

The Club was now an established Northern League Club having won the League Challenge Cup three years in succession from 1998 to 2000. Dunston also won the J. R. Cleator Cup in 1999/2000 and 2000/2001. Season 2003/2004 was one to remember when the club won the Northern League Championship for the first time and also lifted the League Challenge Cup. They also reached the final qualifying round of the F.A. Cup – the furthest they have ever reached in that competition.

After such a magnificent season in 2003/2004, the club went one better the following season when they repeated the Northern League Championship and Challenge Cup Double and also lifted the J. R. Cleator Cup once more.

In 2009, having been without a main sponsor for the previous three seasons, Mr. Shaun Sadler of UTS Engineering kindly agreed to provide a generous sponsorship package and it was agreed that the Club be known as Dunston UTS Football Club. The name of the ground was changed from Federation Park to The UTS Stadium.

The Club enjoyed a momentous season in 2011-2012 when, under the Management duo of Billy Irwin and Tony Harrison, they finished third in the Northern League and achieved the greatest success in their history. After a memorable run in the FA Vase, the side reached the Final at Wembley Stadium and went on to lift the trophy with a superb 2-0 victory over West Auckland Town.

After a few barren years, the Club sprang back to life again at the end of the 2017-2018 season when finishing as Runners-Up in the Durham Challenge Cup Final and going one better with victory in the Brooks Miles Memorial League Cup Final. Building on the new-found momentum, Dunston continued in the same vein in the following season with a great run in the FA Cup, going out in the final Qualifying Round to National League neighbours Gateshead in front of a record crowd of 2,525 at the UTS Stadium. The Club finished the 2018-2019 season as convincing Champions of the Northern League First Division, seventeen points ahead of their nearest rivals. Promotion ensued to the BetVictor Northern Premier North West Division but FA Regulations dictated that the “Club Playing Name” must not include any reference to a sponsor so the “UTS” was reluctantly dropped from the Club Title before the new season commenced. Shaun Sadler showed remarkable understanding of the situation and agreed to continue his wonderful sponsorship of the Club. With the aid of a generous grant from the FSIF, improvements were completed to bring the ground up to NPL standards.

The step up proved a bit more difficult than expected against tougher opponents in the NPL North West Division. Some promising early results were tempered by some setbacks, and it wasn't until the turn of the year that the team achieved any great consistency. The early cancellation of League proceedings due to Covid-19 in March

2020 saw the Club finish in mid-table. After yet another early curtailment in 2020-21, Dunston added to the playing squad in time for the opening of the newly formed NPL East Division for the 2021-22 season. Some very good results were achieved but a couple of disappointing runs resulted in a final sixth-place finish, just missing out on the end-of-season Play-Offs.

Over the years the Club has always recognised that success on the field must be coupled with hard work behind the scenes. The efforts of the management committee and ground staff at The UTS Stadium have ensured that the ground is a credit to the Club. Many of the backroom staff at the Club have been involved since it was founded in 1975. It's a tribute to their commitment and hard work that the Club has become one of the most successful and respected on the North East non-league scene.



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Dan played football from an early age and joined Hull City AFC when he was 10, earning a professional contract aged 18. Loughborough University followed where he completed a degree in Accounting and Financial Management while playing non-league football. He was an athlete who enjoyed the gym and took his health and nutrition very seriously. He lived life to the full and had so much ahead of him.

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CLUB NEWS

Dunston UTS are delighted to welcome Dale Pearson to the club, following his transfer from Morpeth Town. The versatile forward who can play centrally or out wide, also has experience with Consett AFC – where he scored 67 goals in 84 games, West Allotment Celtic and Blyth Spartans.

He brings added firepower as Dunston continue to chase a playoff place.



Our away game against Stocksbridge Park Steels has been rescheduled and will now take place on Saturday March 11th with a 15:00pm KO.

MATCH REPORT | SPENNYMOOR TOWN (H)

FT: Dunston FC 0-2 Spennymoor Town

Goals: McKeown (32, 61)

Att: 245

Dunston exited the Durham Challenge Cup at the semi-final stage as Spennymoor Town ran out 2-0 winners at The UTS Stadium. A goal in either half for Corey McKeown booked the visitors a spot in the final.

Dunston made one change to the starting XI that defeated Sheffield on Saturday as Jake Jensen slotted in ahead of the injured Ursene Mouanda. New signing Dale Pearson was among those on the bench.



After a quiet opening quarter of an hour, the first big chance of the game fell the way of the visitors. Mark Anderson found his way through on goal before firing a right-footed effort into the side netting from six-yards-out.

Dunston responded well and came incredibly close to netting the opener after 22 minutes. Terry Galbraith found his way into the penalty area and saw a headed effort miraculously saved by Spennymoor shot-stopper Harry Flatters.

After coming close to taking the lead, Dunston were made to pay for the missed effort as Corey McKeown took advantage of a loose ball in the area after 32 minutes and slotted the ball into the bottom corner after a succession of dangerous corners.

After what was a rather uneventful first forty-five minutes, Dunston began the second half strongly and almost grabbed an equaliser five minutes in. Jude Swailes was on the stretch in the box but, he couldn't quite connect cleanly with the ball making it simple for Flatters between the sticks.

Spennymoor began to find their footing again and, with 61 minutes on the clock, they dealt a huge blow to Dunston. The ball fell to Corey McKeown just outside the box and the winger kept his composure and curled the ball into the bottom corner for his second goal of the evening.

Despite the setback, Dunston continued to show spirit. With 18 minutes to go, Dale Pearson had a snapshot blocked and go behind for a corner. From the resulting corner, Jon Shaw took aim from the edge of the box and saw his effort blocked as well.

Minutes later, from another corner, Dunston came close again. Spennymoor goalkeeper Harry Flatters was at his best to deny Galbraith from just a few yards out before Pearson hooked a shot towards goal which again was saved by Flatters.

With time running out, Dunston's chances of fighting back were growing slim. In fact, it was the visitors who almost grabbed a third goal as Connor Shanks fired a goal-bound shot towards goal, but Jude Swailes was there to produce a massive block to keep the score as it was.



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Today's Visitors | Stockton Town

GOALKEEPERS

LEWIS McDONALD Lewis signed for the Anchors in the summer of 2021 and will provide competition for the number one shirt. An excellent background in non-league, the shot-stopper has previously played for Marske United and Billingham Town – and has played against Stockton Town for the latter.

CALLUM ROBERTS Callum joined from Billingham Synthonia, where he spent one season with the Northern League side. Before that, Callum spent six years of his youth career with Sunderland before joining Preston North End in 2014, where he spent two years on a scholarship, and he went on to sign a professional contract in April 2017. He was involved in the first team setup at PNE and played a key role in helping the Lilywhites reach the FA Youth Cup Quarter-Finals, making two saves in a penalty shoot-out against Everton. Callum also spent time on loan at Skelmersdale United in the Evo-Stik league. Callum is very mobile, agile, has good feet and has great hands, and brings a steely assurance to the defence.

DEFENDERS

TOM COULTHARD Tom is a product of the youth system here at Stockton Town. The defender broke through into the first team squad when he was 17 and has been an ever present since. A tough, strong, quick, thoroughbred of a centre half, Tom rarely gets ruffled or loses a challenge in the air or on the floor and has forged an impressive long-standing partnership at the back alongside captain Adam Nicholson. Tom has a decent scoring record for a defender and is also partial to scoring the odd free kick or penalty when called on.

LOUIE HALL Louie is another player to have made the transition up to the first team from our Under-18 side this summer and has certainly impressed both management and supporters alike with some great performances in pre-season. Louie is calm and composed on the ball, knows how to do both sides of the game very well, and can also get forward with ease.

LEWIS KING Lewis was a member of Hartlepool United Academy until 16. He then spent time at Burnley in their youth set up before returning to the North East and joining Spennymoor Town where he impressed with a string of solid performances for the Under-18s earning a call into the first team squad. Lewis is a great prospect, he's

athletic and likes to get forward when playing as a full back but is very difficult to get past when defending and can perform equally as a centre back.

DAN McWILLIAMS Dan is a Stockton lad and after being released aged 16 from Middlesbrough Academy where he played in the Nike Cup winning side. He played for the Anchors for a season, but the talented left footer was taken into the Northern League by Billingham Synthonia and the following year he joined a very good Guisborough side.

The full-back moved with the manager to Whitby Town in 2015 and was a regular for the NPL Premier side. Dan is an athletic quick left sided defender who operates mainly at left back. He's technically excellent and a good passer of the ball and is comfortable in possession at either end of the pitch.

DALE MULLIGAN Dale re-joined his brother Nathan at his hometown Club after a spell at Shildon. He played for the Anchors during their successful Wembley run in the 2017/18 season and won Manager's Player of the Year for some colossal performances, leaving for the Railwaymen early the next season. Dale is an old school centre half, big and strong with a great never-say-die attitude. He is a no-nonsense player, good in the air and loves a tackle, and always defends with everything on the line. His experience of the Northern League, and character, strengthens the squad further.

ADAM NICHOLSON Club Captain 'Adi' re-joined Stockton Town to play Under-18 football and went on to make his senior debut in the first ever season of adult football in the Teesside League age 16 and now has notched up over 400 appearances for the first team. At 6'5", his strength is in the air, but his commitment to the team and desire to win are a major factor in a back four that has been so instrumental in the team's success to date. After missing most of the Wembley season with a serious knee injury, he fought his way back to be first choice again and was back to his dominant best last season. A good organiser and reader of the game, he's forged a formidable partnership with Tom that has now spanned eight seasons – and he also has an impressive goal scoring record for a defender.

MIDFIELDERS

ALFIE CONWAY Alfie is one of five Under-18 players to have impressed this pre-season and signed with the first team ahead of their first season in Step 4. Brother of Sam, the midfielder shows experience beyond his age and is comfortable in possession and going forward.

LIAM COOKE Liam started his career with Middlesbrough, playing with their Academy, before joining Whitby Town on a dual registration in August 2019, following a trial with the club. In December 2021, the midfielder joined Stockton Town on a

permanent deal from Whitby, where he made 37 appearances. Cooke is a playmaker with an eye for a pass and can play either behind the front man or out wide and knows where the back of the net is. He is also the brother of Bradford City attacking midfielder Callum Cooke.

SHANE HENRY Shane's nickname 'The Bull' becomes clear when you see him play. He joins his hometown club after six seasons playing National League Football with Spennymoor Town who he joined from Whitby Town in 2014. He is renowned for his powerful midfield displays and tireless work-ethic on the pitch. Twice Managers' Player of the Year at the Moors his experience will be invaluable in the Anchors drive to climb the pyramid and he will become an essential cog in the midfield.

NATHAN MULLIGAN Nathan was with Middlesbrough FC until his release at age 18, when he joined Darlington FC and played in the Football League. He joined Stockton Town from Billingham Synthonia having previously played for Whitby Town, Marske United and Norton & Stockton Ancients. Nathan's quality and experience was key on the road to Wembley in 2018 – in the FA Vase Final – and he wrote himself into Anchors history by tucking away the crucial penalty in the Semi-Final Second Leg against Marske. Nathan is a technically good, all-round player, mobile, deceptively good in the air and can play in a variety of positions but operates mainly as an attacking or holding midfielder. He scores goals, is up there at the club for being a penalty expert and always contributes in every game.

CAMERON PAINTER Painter was Stockton's third signing of the summer, arriving from National League North side Blyth Spartans. The midfielder, who can also play in defence at right back, was with the Anchors youth set up before heading to then-Football League club Grimsby Town. The midfielder went on to sign a professional contract aged 18, also moving out on loan to Lincolnshire-based Spalding United, of the Northern Premier League, for three months in 2020. At just 20-years-old, Painter has bags of ability, and will bring a lot of versatility and energy to the Stockton team.

TOM PORTAS Tom started his career at Middlesbrough's youth Academy leaving at age 15. He played for Stockton Towns successful U16s before being picked up by Guisborough where he received a lot of attention. He joined Whitby Town in 2011 and won three Player of the Year awards at the club in season 2012/13. He signed for Darlington in the summer of 2014 and scored the goal of the season against Bamber Bridge. Tom starred in two consecutive promotions for the Quakers including winning the NPL Premier Title. After missing most of the 2016/17 season with a bad injury, he left and spent last season at West Auckland. Tom is a mobile, all round, proven high quality, central midfielder who has a complete range of passing and dead ball skills.

FORWARDS

ELLIOTT BEDDOW One of the highly sought-after strikers this summer, Beddow put pen to paper and become the club's fourth signing of the summer. The marksman has spent the last two seasons playing in the Northern League, where he scored 31 goals in all competitions last season for the Blues – including 24 in the league to help his side finish third behind promoted clubs North Shields and Consett. Beddow began his senior career at Billingham Town in 2016 and was part of the Town side, which pipped Thornaby to the Northern League Division Two title in 2019. The striker then made the move across Teesside to Teesdale Park in 2020 and has featured against the Anchors for both Clubs. With pace to burn, Beddow has no hesitation making those darting runs in behind the defence but can also hold the ball up well and bring others into the game. There's no doubt that the former Thornaby man will make the step up to the Northern Premier League with ease and continue where he left off in the Northern League in front of goal.

PETER BULMER Peter previously played at Guisborough Town in the Northern League, where he won the North Riding Senior Cup. He then joined Marske United and played his part in winning the Northern League Division One title in 2018. Pete is an intelligent footballer who can play a variety of positions, including full-back. He operates mainly as a wide attacker and with his pace, quick feet and close control he's very difficult to defend against as he can go inside or outside comfortably.

KEV HAYES Kev forced his way into the first team squad during the Northern League Second Division title winning season in 2017 with a string of impressive performances for the Under-18s and then continued that form to cement a regular starting place. Kev is the type of player that spectators want to see on the ball as much as possible, a naturally gifted wide attacker, who commits defenders with a drop of the shoulder, can go past players at very close quarters and has rocket of a left foot. The winger can play on either side of the pitch and with his work rate and regular goals, he is a vital member of the attacking part of the team. After some mesmerising performances on the way to the FA Vase Final in 2018, he was voted North East Young Player of the Year by the Sunday Sun.

MIKEY ROBERTS Mikey is a Stockton lad who had previously played at Guisborough Town, Spennymoor Town, Whitby Town and Marske United before returning home. He won the North Riding Senior Cup with both Guisborough and Whitby and then the Northern League Division One title with Marske in 2018. Quick, skilful and a good finisher with great technique, Mikey has a great work ethic and is always on the move and a nightmare to mark.

LLOYD SHOBO Shobo made his first-team debut against Worksop Town in April 2022, and has signed for the 2022/23 season, where he will continue developing as a player, learning from experienced marksmen like Stephen Thompson and Matty Tymon. The youngster has ability in abundance and after impressing with the Under-18 side over the last two seasons, first team manager Dunwell brought him into the squad.

STEPHEN THOMPSON Stockton's first statement signing of the summer came in the shape of former Spennymoor Town striker Thompson, who had gained promotion from the Northern Premier League East Division with Marske United last season. Thompson has spent the last two seasons with Spennymoor but was with the Seasiders for the final two months of the campaign and made a successful impact as he claimed another promotion. The experienced marksman joined Darlington from Durham City back in 2012 and went on to become the joint-all-time top goalscorer with 100 goals and also the longest serving player in the club's history. The striker can play up front, out wide or in the number 10 role, and has shown throughout his career that he can easily adapt to whichever role he is required to play in. The signing of Thompson is a big statement of intent from the Anchors, who will be aiming to rack up the goals in the 2022/23 season and go one better than last season.

MATTY TYMON Having saw two strikers depart in the summer, the Anchors were quick to snap up their summer targets, as Tymon become the second signing after Thompson. The former Marske United man spent the last two seasons with the Seasiders, where he went on to score 32 goals in 68 appearances. The striker featured against the Anchors three times last season and played a pivotal role in the Seasiders gaining promotion to Step 3 for the first time after a 2-1 win in the Play-off Final against Stockton. The 32-year-old started his career with Hartlepool United and following a two-year spell with Workington, he made the move to Whitby Town, where he remained until 2020 before a move to Marske followed. Tymon is an out-and-out striker, who certainly knows where the back of the net is. He will bring bags of experience to the Stockton team and will be aiming to help the team go one better this season.

MANAGEMENT TEAM

MANAGER – MICHAEL DUNWELL Michael first joined Stockton Town at the end of the 2012/13 season, and he was part of the side that claimed their first ever honour in senior football – the Wearside League title. He was appointed player/coach that summer and guided the team to the league title before being appointed first team manager in 2014. In his first season, the team achieved a clean sweep of trophies and in the following season, they gained promotion to the Northern League after securing their fourth-consecutive Wearside League title. Stockton's rise continued with the Northern League Division Two title – at their first attempt – in the 2016/17 season, and

the best was to come. A sixth-place finish in their first season in Division One went hand-in-hand with a trip to Wembley, something which Michael missed out on twice as a player, losing in the semi-finals. The incredible achievement was thoroughly deserved and the whole weekend of the FA Vase Final was something that will live with that whole squad for the rest of their lives.

ASSISTANT MANAGER – JD BRIGGS JD Briggs joined Hartlepool United from school in 1996 and completed two years as a YTS before signing Professional forms in 1998. JD first joined the club as Michael Dunwell's assistant in and has been by his side for the last years.

COACH – JOHN FIELDING John is a great addition to the coaching staff. With his professional playing experience his knowledge, he will be vital to the continued development of the first team.

GOALKEEPING COACH – JASON HAMILTON Jason was a late developer and first played in the Northern League when he joined Billingham Town at age 30. He has been with the Anchors backroom staff for six years.

PHYSIO – SAM HIGGINS Sam is a hugely popular member of the first team staff. Having been with us right from the Wearside League days, he has developed into a top-class Physio, with his own private practice.

Club Profile | Stockton Town



Founded: 1987

Nickname(s): The Anchors

Ground: Bishopton Road West

Capacity: 1,800 (200 seated)

Chairman: Martin Hillerby

Manager: Michael Dunwell

2021/22 League Position: 4th out of 19

Club Colours: Yellow

Notable Honours: Northern Premier League East Division play-off runners-up (2021/22)

FA Vase runners-up (2016-17)

Northern League Division Two winners (2016-17)



Club History | Stockton Town

Stockton Town FC was formed in 1979 under its original name, Hartburn Juniors. Although records around that time are sketchy, it would appear the club was formed by Derrick Small, who at the time was coaching youngsters from the Hartburn area of Stockton at the local YMCA. The club home colours of yellow/royal shirts and royal shorts established then, remains the same now.

Throughout the eighties and nineties Hartburn Juniors continued to grow and operate as a junior football club, competing in the Teesside Junior Football Alliance. The club from time to time had various bases around the town, but the early years of the new Millennium saw a marked change in the club and a permanent base at Our Lady of St Bedes School on Bishopton Road West, Stockton.



It was felt by the members that the club's name didn't really reflect the area where most players came from. The club had grown and now had players who came from all over Stockton Borough, so it was decided to change the name to Stockton Town Football Club. There was also a desire to resurrect a senior football team to represent the town of Stockton and it was felt this would create a great development opportunity for the whole club and provide to achieve this from grass roots through a junior football club was possible.

In April 2008, the club underwent a massive investment totalling £1.4 million, which also saw a partnership with Stockton Borough Council, Stockton Sixth Form College and Our Lady & St Bedes School to develop the facilities at the site, building a new clubhouse and changing facilities. This development was the springboard for a further expansion for the club.

The next step was to introduce open age men's football to the club. Stockton Town had proved very successful in producing top quality young players that then from age 16 went on to play for various local non-league teams. The club decided it wanted to give these youngsters an opportunity to stay within the club, so in the 2009/10 season, Stockton Town entered a team in the Teesside League Second Division, using a mix of players from the outgoing and current Under-18s.

The improvement continued in 2011/12, with a third-place finish and a League Cup final appearance, losing 2-0 to Ryhope CW. In 2012/13, Stockton Town, with a squad made-up mainly of young, local homegrown talent, won their first trophy in senior football, clinching the Wearside League title with a spectacular run-in, winning the final 12 games to overhaul Willington FC in the last game of the season.

Unbeaten in all competitions, the team missed out on a 'perfect' season by losing their penultimate league game, away to Prudhoe. The next season saw a fourth-consecutive Wearside League title along with the League Cup and Monkwearmouth Cup back in the Bishopton Road trophy Cabinet. During this period the Club had been working to improve facilities to the required standard to gain promotion to the Northern League and after twice being thwarted at the last minute, promotion was finally achieved in the spring of 2016 and shortly after the club opened its stadium facility with a league game against Horden CW.

The 2016/17 season saw the unprecedented success continue in the club's first season in the Northern League Second Division by winning the League title and losing the Ernest Armstrong Memorial Cup Final to Northallerton Town on penalties. In a memorable first campaign in the Northern League, the club was visibly growing and topped the average attendance charts for Division Two (179). Stockton Town unbelievably had risen from an Under-18s team to Northern League Division One in just eight years.

The 2017/18 season saw a disastrous, almost terminal, start to the first season in Northern League Division One, turn into the season of a lifetime for everyone involved at the club. After losing the first eight league games, the team rallied to win 19 and draw one of the next 23 matches, a run that saw the Anchors climb the table to safety and also set up an exciting run in the FA Vase. The highlight of



this was beating competition favourites West Auckland Town in the Fifth Round in extra-time of a thrilling game. Comparatively straightforward home victories against Stourport Swifts and Windsor FC set up an all-Northern League Semi-Final clash with champions-elect Marske United. An epic two-legged affair took

place, with both games played on Stockton's home ground, ending with joyous scenes and pitch invasions from the huge 1,800 crowd as Stockton Town edged out Marske United 3-2 on aggregate to clinch a place at Wembley. The FA Vase Final was a day to remember and a fantastic occasion for the town and the whole of the Club, but despite a brave attempt the lads went down 1-0 against Thatcham Town, the memories will last forever.

After another good but at times frustrating season in 2018/19, the club made a series of key signings in the close season with a view to pushing for promotion to Step 4 and the proposed 'additional' East Division.

It was the defence that was the foundation for what was building to be a season of a lifetime only for the pandemic restrictions to force The FA to end it prematurely and cruelly leave the Anchors with nothing to show for all their labours. They dominated the league campaign, losing just once and conceding a paltry 14 goals in 30 League matches. They were on a 20-game unbeaten run when the curtain was brought down, and the team were, pretty much, steam rolling their way to glory. Good runs in the FA Cup and FA Vase, along with a jaunt to the Semi-Final of the Durham County Cup, causing an upset against South Shields along the way, looked to merely punctuate what seemed to be a runaway promotion and title-winning campaign.

As always, the club marched on, and the Anchors signed Spennymoor Town midfielder Shane Henry and former defender Dale Mulligan re-signed for the 2020/21 season. With the bit between their teeth, Stockton went into the season wanting to pick up where they left off.

The season itself began with a 2-0 win against Shildon in the FA Cup, but there were only 12 league games played before the UK went into another national lockdown in November 2020 – the Anchors were sitting second in the table with 27 points. Football did return, but it was the FA Vase and not the league as Stockton beat Charnock Richard 4-2 at home after a four-week break before losing out against Shildon in the next round of the competition. This turned out to be the final match of the 2020/21 season as the pandemic continued and meant no more football could safely be played.

With over 40 games played across the two seasons, questions were being asked as to what would happen with the outcome of the season. The Football Association decided to combine the two seasons during their restructure of non-league football, meaning the Anchors finished top on points-per-game – therefore gaining promotion to the Northern Premier League for the first time in the club's history. Michael Dunwell's side headed into their first season in the Northern Premier League East Division full of belief that they won't just be there to make up the numbers but compete with the very best in the league.

And it turned out to be the case as the Anchors managed to finish fourth in the table and make the Play-offs in their first season at Step 4. A historic night in Cleethorpes in the Semi-Final will live long in the memory. Adam Nicholson and Kev Hayes scored the goals to fire Stockton through to the Final, where they took on local rivals Marske United. Unfortunately, promotion to the Premier Division wasn't to be as two wonder strikes was the difference between the sides in difficult conditions. Dunwell and the Stockton management team recruited four players in the summer of 2022, with former Spennymoor Town striker Stephen Thompson the first through the door. Former Marske striker Matty Tymon, ex-Blyth Spartans and Stockton youth product Cameron Painter, and highly sought-after striker Elliott Beddow also followed as the Anchors look to push to go one better in the 2022/23 campaign.

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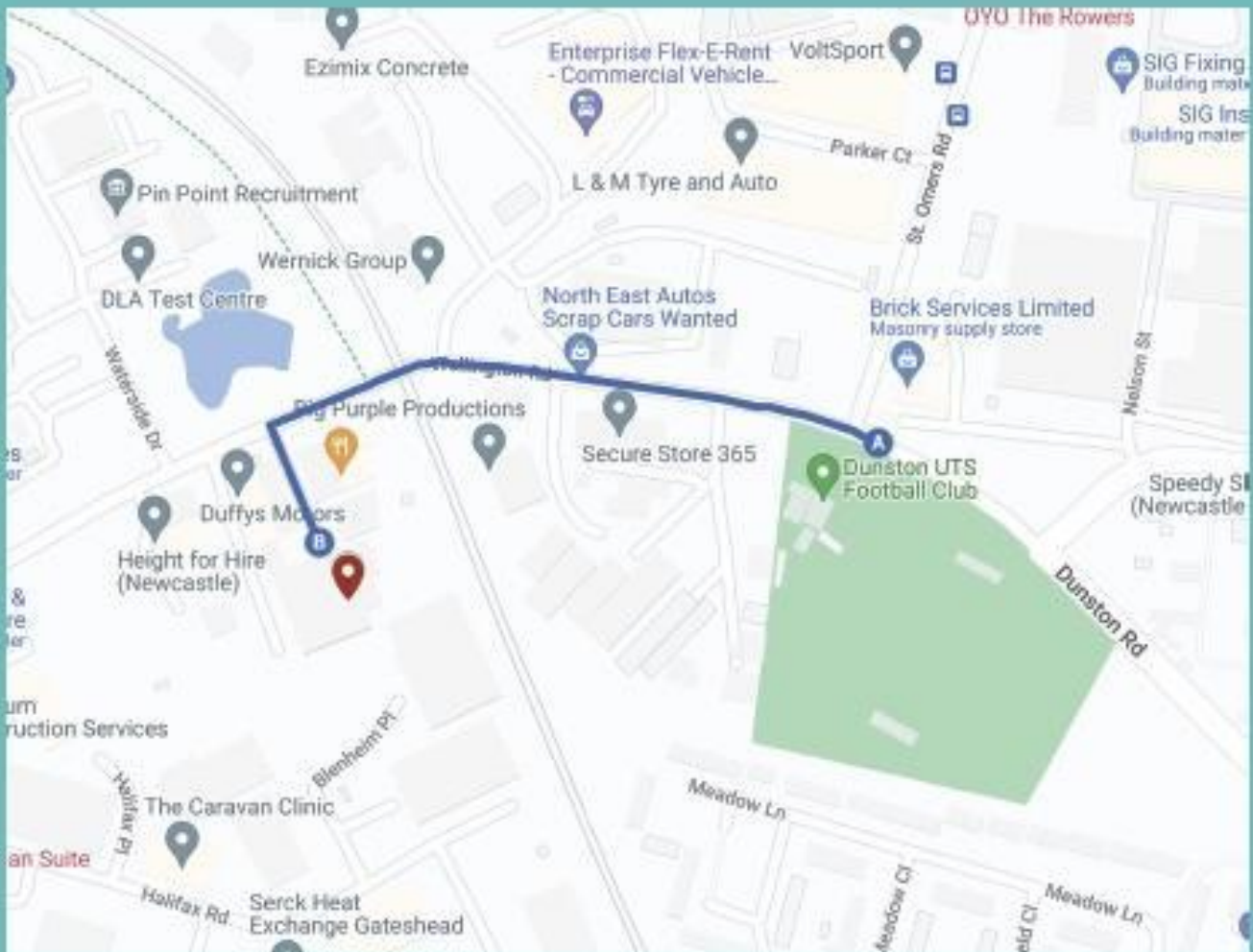
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2022-2023



JAMES ANDERSON

Anderson joins on a year- long loan from Northern Premier League Outfit Morpeth Town.

The young keeper shone during his time on loan at Whickham and looks to bolster Dunston's promotion credentials. Anderson has two appearances under his belt at Morpeth, one of which included a penalty save in an FA Trophy game against Warrington Town. Anderson links up with new goalkeeping coach Lee Kennedy in what sees an all-new line-up in Dunston's goalkeeping department.



CRAIG BAXTER

Craig Baxter is a defensively strong and composed right back who brings a wealth of experience of playing higher up in leagues to the Dunston back line. Craig has a proven track record of success, a key player for The Mariners over a five-season spell and making 188 appearances and played an integral role in the Gateshead side which reached the National League playoff final at Wembley Stadium in the 2013/14 season.

Described as rock solid at the back and strong going forward, Baxter's signing was a major coup for Dunston UTS FC, and Craig's addition was obvious, with the full back picking up the 2021/22 managers player of the season, players player of the season and committee's player of the season



Dunston FC Player Profiles

2022-2023



Richard Coulson

Richie arrived in early December 2021 from Northern League side Whitley Bay. He has an eye for goal and picked up six goals in the back end of the 2021/22 season. Able to play anywhere across the frontline, Richie has added versatility to the Dunston side, and will be looking to kick on in the 2022/23 season. The forward has had spells with Seaham Red Star in The Northern League and prior to that had played for his local side Hazelrigg Victory for whom he scored 174 goals, registered 100 assists and won 31 Man of the Match awards in only 189 appearances.



Sadó Djaló

Sadó arrived early on in the 2021/22 season from Northern League side Bedlington Terriers, where he had made a serious impression. His credentials were there for all to see, with the frontman scoring 11 goals for Dunston in a short period for the club. Sadó was quickly snapped up by National League North outfit Blyth Spartans, however under new boss Terry Mitchell his playtime was limited. A short loan back to the UTS Stadium has been followed by a more permanent deal, which sees Sadó return looking to ignite old form.



Jack Elliott

Jack Elliott is a very talented player who returned to Dunston in September 2019 following a brief spell with Hebburn Town. He progressed through Newcastle United's Academy and has had spells at Consett AFC and Whickham. Jack adds speed to the Dunston side and causes headaches for full backs of opposing teams. Since his arrival, Jack has been an ever-present figure in the starting eleven and continues to give his all in a Dunston shirt.



Dunston FC Player Profiles

2022-2023



Carl Finnigan :-

Carl arrived at the UTS Stadium in September 2022 following a period on the sidelines due to a health scare. After 8 months out, Finnigan will look to provide Dunston with experience and fire power up front, having enjoyed spells with Falkirk, Gateshead, South Shields, Whickham and Morepeth Town. The frontman was on fine form for South Shields, scoring 72 goals in 115 games, including one at Wembley in the clubs FA Vase triumph. Carl has also enjoyed spells in South Africa and Botswana, and will be looking to reignite his fine goalscoring pedigree in what is a lethal front line.



Tez Galbraith :-

Terry Galbraith became Chris Swailes' second major signing of the 2020/21 season as the Club pulled off a major coup to bring the player back to where his footballing career began. On his signing, Dunston FC Manager Chris Swailes said, "For me he'll bring leadership, he's vocal wherever he plays, he'll bring experience, and these are valuable especially in this league". Galbraith made his name at Dunston FC as a youngster having joined from Redheugh Boys Club. He was a key player for Billy Irwin's FA Vase winning side in 2012 alongside Chris Swailes and Liam Connell.



Regarded as one of the brightest prospects in The Northern League during his first spell with the club, he left The UTS Stadium in November 2012 to join Darlington FC. During his seven seasons at Darlington, he would go on to win three promotion medals, making over 250 appearances and scoring over 50 goals for The Quakers and became a genuine favourite with their supporters. After leaving Darlington at the end of the 2019/20 season, Dunston moved quickly to secure his signature. Long standing Club Chairman Mr Malcolm James said, "When Terry became available it was just natural that we'd be interested in the lad". He added " We're a club that is looking to go forward; Terry Galbraith and recent signing Liam Connell are two lads who we've always wanted to bring back to the club as this is where their hearts are". Terry captained Darlington during the 2018/19 season and spent last season playing in The National League North. Considered to be one of the best left backs in the history of Dunston FC, he can play at the centre of defence, centre midfield and left wing, adding quality, leadership, and versatility to the Dunston side.

Dunston FC Player Profiles

2022-2023



Michael Fowler :-

Michael Fowler arrived at The UTS Stadium having recently completed a Scholarship in The USA with Coastal Carolina Chanticleers. He started his career with Sunderland AFC before then moving on to Burnley, where he was a prolific scorer at youth level. Having completed a successful scholarship with The Premier League side, he then joined Fleetwood Town as part of their development squad. He has had loan spells with FC United of Manchester, Guiseley and Bamber Bridge, before moving to the UTS Stadium in July 2021. Michael hit the ground running in his first season and scooped the clubs top scorer award despite being at the club for just half a season.



Jake Jensen :-

Jake was one of the multiple signings for the club in the summer of 2022. He was on a football scholarship in the United States for four years from Summer 2018 and that was where he most recently played. Jake is a technically gifted midfielder that brings energy and tenacity to the pitch along with a range of passing from the middle of the park. In his words, he tries to “emulate Bruno from the Toon.



Will Jenkins :-

Will Jenkins signed on-loan from South Shields in August 2022 and will remain with the club until January 2023. Will is a talented midfielder who has come through the youth system at The Mariners and has gone on to make over 40 appearances for the South Shields first team at quite a young age. Will can play across the midfield and netted his first goal for Dunston at Bridlington Town on August 19th in the Emirates FA Cup Preliminary Round.



Dunston FC Player Profiles

2022-2023



Ursene Mouanda :-

Ursene joined Dunston FC from South Shields in early January 2020 and marked his debut with a Man of the Match performance in a 1-0 win away to Colne. Known as an athletic and competitive defensive midfielder, he was previously with Rangers before signing professional terms with Kilmarnock. A product of Monkseaton Academy, he was selected to captain England U18's Schoolboys in 2016, bringing him to the attention of numerous professional clubs. Following his release from Kilmarnock, he was quickly snapped up by South Shields. With competition for places at Mariners Park high, he spent the start of the 2019/20 season on loan at Blyth Spartans before arriving at The UTS Stadium and has been an ever-present member of Chris Swailes' side ever since.



Michael Pearson :-

Having previously played for Hartlepool United, Blyth Spartans and South Shields, the current Club vice-captain joined Dunston UTS FC prior to the start of the 2015/16 season from Consett AFC, a season in which he would receive The Player of the Season Award. An industrious and combative player, he possesses a versatility which allows him to comfortably play in numerous positions, he has since gone on to play more than 100 games for Dunston, captaining the side on many occasions.



His outstanding performances during Dunston's 2018/19 Northern League title winning season saw him deservedly collect a plethora of awards at the end of the season namely, Players' Player of the Year Award, Management Player of the Season and Committee Player of the Season. During his time at Dunston, Michael has collected a Northern League winners medal, Northern League Cup medal and JR Cleator Cup Winners medal.

Dunston FC Player Profiles

2022-2023



Brampoque Serra Da Silva Sá

“Brash” joined Dunston in the early stages of the 2022/23 season, primarily as a midfielder. The Guinea-Bissau born player links up with former teammate Sadó Djaló, and provides key cover across the whole of midfield.



Craig Scott :-

Craig Scott transferred to the club from Newcastle Benfield in October 2018 to bolster the backline and went on to cement his place in the side, becoming the club’s captain and leading by example from the back. Craig is a very experienced player at Northern League level having previously had two stints at Ashington and a spell at Slough Town while working in the London area.

“Scotty” played a vital role for the club during the Northern League title winning campaign and continues to be an assured and composed figure in the back line.



Jon Shaw :-

Jon signed for Dunston this summer from Northern Premier League side South Shields. Jon has a formidable record at non-league level within the North East, scoring 52 goals for Gateshead over two spells with the club.

The ex-forward, who has now moved back into a central defensive position, adds an abundance of experience to the Dunston side. Spells at Luton Town, Sheffield Wednesday and Rochdale AFC outline his class, and he will add versatility and strength to the Dunston backline.



Dunston FC Player Profiles

2022-2023



Dan Staples :-

Dan signed for the club in July 2022 after impressing during pre-season. The goalkeeper has spells with Newcastle United, Sunderland, Wrexham and Bedlington Terriers. Most recently, he was at Consett and made a huge impact in his first appearances in cup-competition against North Shields in the 2021/22 season. He saved a penalty inside the final five minutes to ensure his side the victory.



Jude Swailes :-

Having been with Newcastle United since he was a youngster, Jude emerged through the club's Academy system, before moving up into the ranks of The Premier League side's Under 23's squad. Making over 30 appearances in a black and white shirt, across both the Premier League Under-18's and Under 23's in Premier League 2, the highly regarded youngster was offered a two-year contract at St James' Park at the end of last season. Jude decided against the offer, in favour of a move to the USA, where he joined Charleston College in South Carolina. Jude is a strong thorn in the Dunston back line, and can be described as a no-nonsense centre half, willing to put his body on the line for the club.



Jake Turnbull :-

Jake Turnbull signed for Dunston on New Year's Eve 2021 from Northern League side Newcastle Benfield, and the pacy winger has had previous spells with Ashington and Heaton Stannington. Jake has kicked on since his arrival and has proved a tricky player for opposition defences to deal with. Following his signing for the club, assistant manager Jon MacDonald stated: "Jake is a very good athlete player, he's quick, strong and versatile and we think he has a good profile for this division".



Dunston FC Player Profiles

2022-2023



Liam Thear :-

Liam Thear has been at Dunston for a large number of years and moved to the club after completing a successful stint at Gateshead FC Academy, where he was highly rated. Following his release, he was snapped up by then Dunston manager Billy Irwin.

"Scrappy" is a very strong and tricky player who has matured and developed tremendously whilst at Dunston. After a superb start to last season, Liam suffered a serious ACL injury in The FA Cup fixture at home to local neighbours Gateshead FC last season. Since his recovery, he has proved to be a vital asset to Chris Swailes' side, fighting for every ball and contributing with both goals and assists.



Phil Turnbull :-

Central midfielder Phil Turnbull can play with either foot and is described as a fiercely competitive player and joined the club along with ex-teammate Craig Baxter in 2021. Having started out at Hartlepool United before joining York City, with loan spells at Blyth Spartans and Gateshead, a permanent move to Gateshead in 2008 seen him play over 300 games for the Tynesiders and played a vital role in the National League season which saw the Heed reach Wembley.



Jack Camarda:-

Jack Camarda comes to Dunston UTS looking to add extra quality to an already exciting midfield. In the past, he spent various spells at Oldham Athletic, Mansfield Town and Wolverhampton Wanderers as a junior, before landing a two-year academy scholarship at Fleetwood Town. T

More recently, Jack has been playing for island club Isle of Man FC, where he quickly established himself in the starting XI during the club's inaugural season in the NWCD West Division. Now studying Sports Science at Durham University, Camarda looks to add fire to Dunston's midfield when required, with the youngster bringing speed, trickery and agility to Chris Swailes' squad.



Dunston FC Player Profiles

Managerial Profiles



Chris Swailes :-

Chris was appointed manager October 2016 after the shock departure of long serving Billy Irwin, Swaz has a wealth of football experience, after a long professional career he played for Gateshead and Blyth Spartans before joining Dunston and was a lynchpin in the team when we won the FA Vase in 2012, he then moved to Morpeth Town where he guided them to more Wembley success, scoring in the final victory over Hereford FC.



Jon McDonald:-

A Wallsend lad, Jon made the move to The UTS Stadium in early March of 2021 from Northern Premier League side Morpeth Town, where he had held the equivalent position for three seasons. During his second spell at Craik Park, he had been part of two successive promotions with “The Highwaymen” and a Northumberland Senior Cup victory in the 2018/19 season. He brings with him a wealth of experience and knowledge. He has previously managed Blyth AFC, guiding them to The Northern League 2nd Division title in the 2017/18 season, as well as managerial spells with West Allotment Celtic and North Shields in The Northern League. Jon successfully completed his UEFA A License with The Scottish FA in March 2022.



Mark Scott :-

Mark joins the club with experience in coaching at South Shields FC and North Shields FC where he worked with assistant manager Jon McDonald, More recently, he has spent time at Spennymoor Town FC where he was part of the academy coaching staff. He holds a UEFA A License and will be a superb addition to an already vastly experienced coaching set up.

Upon joining the club, Mark said: “I’m delighted to join the club. As an opposing player and coach over the years I have always admired Dunston as a well-run and successful club.



Dunston FC Player Profiles

Managerial Profiles



LEE KENNEDY

Lee joined Dunston in July 2022 and has immediately jumped into the task. Lee brings with him a wealth of experience, working with a range of teams at all levels of the game. Lee will look to pass on his knowledge and skills to Dunston's new breed of goalkeepers, following the departure of stalwart's Liam Connell and Andrew Clark, as the club look to push on under the helm of Chris Swailes.



LEWIS BLACK

Lewis joined Chris Swailes' back-room staff in July 2021 having completed three years of studying at Newcastle College University Centre, graduating with a First-Class Honours Degree in Exercise & Sport Rehabilitation.

Alongside his studies he completed a three-year placement at Park View Academy of Sport and was able to develop his skills as a practitioner. Following on, he then became sports therapist for Chester-le-Street United.



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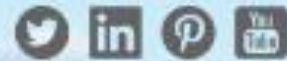
Dunston booked their place in the last four of the Durham FA County Cup with a resounding 3-1 victory away at Stockton Town. Liam Thear had put Dunston ahead, before the lead was doubled midway through the half with Carl Finnigan firing home. Despite Stockton hitting back before halftime through Cameron Painter, Michael Fowler struck late on as Dunston's dominance in attack was rewarded.



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INTERVIEW | James Anderson

Since his arrival from Morpeth Town in the summer, young goalkeeper James Anderson has added real experience to his CV. Under the guidance of goalkeeping coach Lee Kennedy, James has made real progress in his career, and has at several times this season made vital interventions to win vital points for Dunston.

Following a magnificent performance away at Sheffield FC last weekend, which saw James pick up the Man of the Match award, we sat down with him to discuss his season so far.

On his season so far, James said:

“So far it has been a bit of a rollercoaster. There has been ups and downs for me personally and the team, but being part of a great dressing room has been a great experience. We’ve got a great set of lads and are well on for the play-offs.”

As well as Lee Kennedy helping to show James the way in the goalkeeping department, he has also had the chance to connect with Dan Staples who has provided stern competition to the starting spot. When asked how much of an effect the pair have had on his development, Anderson was unable to play down their support.

He said: *“It is always good having a good goalkeeper group and having both Lee and Dan has helped push me further on. Lee brings out enjoyable and challenging sessions, and Dan brings real experience in the game which has helped me develop specific parts of my abilities.”*

Anderson currently has seven clean sheets to his name so far this season, and with 12 games to play, there is the potential for at least a few more. The return of Jon Shaw to the backline



will help that cause further, and in recent weeks the Dunston defence has looked as strong as it has been all season. Anderson admitted that keeping clean sheets helps to bleed real confidence to himself, as well as the wider team:

“The aim this season is just to get as many points on the board as possible, but keeping clean sheets is a massive help towards that aim.

“Personally, keeping a clean sheet is a huge confidence boost and it makes you want to keep a streak going.

“But, it also gives confidence to the whole team, starting from the strikers right the way to the defence.”



Anderson enjoyed perhaps his best performance of the season at Sheffield FC last weekend. On a tough pitch, he dealt with any back passes that would often bobble up at the last second. He commanded his area brilliantly in the air, and in stoppage time made a brilliant diving save to ensure that Dunston left South Yorkshire with a clean sheet as well as 3 points. Anderson agreed that it may have been his best performance so far in a Dunston shirt.

He explained: *“Personally, I think it was my most assured and confident performance of the season.*

“Saying that, I did not have to make a save until the dying minutes of the game which is a massive credit to the full team and the way we defended for the full 90 minutes.”

With twelve massive games left this season to ensure Dunston finish the season in a play-off spot, it is imperative that Anderson and his teammates build a run of wins to bridge the gap between the teams below Dunston in the table. Anderson believes that the squad is more than capable of reaching it's goal and insists that the squad's morale may be key to that.

He said: *“We have a really good squad which is full of quality. Every player wants to play and that provides healthy competition by pushing other players on.*

“The team morale is very good and we are all pushing in the same direction. The new additions to the squad of late means we are looking very strong and I believe we will make the playoffs.”

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1.	Workshop Town	26	12	2	0	10	1	1	22	3	1	75	16	59	69
2.	Stockton Town	28	9	1	4	7	4	3	16	5	7	57	29	28	53
3.	Hebburn Town	25	7	1	4	8	3	2	15	4	6	38	35	3	49
4.	Stocksbridge Park Steels	26	6	2	4	8	2	4	14	4	8	42	28	14	46
5.	Dunston	26	6	3	4	6	3	4	12	6	8	45	35	10	42
6.	Long Eaton United	27	5	4	4	6	3	5	11	7	9	42	42	0	40
7.	Cleethorpes Town	26	7	2	5	4	4	4	11	6	9	34	32	2	39
8.	Pontefract Collieries	26	7	4	3	3	4	5	10	8	8	51	42	9	38
9.	Grimsby Borough	26	3	3	5	8	2	5	11	5	10	39	38	1	38
10.	Consett AFC	26	5	2	6	4	5	4	9	7	10	38	39	-1	34
11.	Ossett United	25	4	4	5	4	5	3	8	9	8	35	31	4	33
12.	Brighouse Town	26	5	2	6	4	3	6	9	5	12	47	44	3	32
13.	Lincoln United	25	4	4	4	3	5	5	7	9	9	40	50	-10	30
14.	Bridlington Town	26	4	6	3	3	3	7	7	9	10	31	49	-18	30
15.	Sheffield	24	4	4	3	3	3	7	7	7	10	32	41	-9	28
16.	North Shields	25	5	6	3	1	3	7	6	9	10	26	34	-8	27
17.	Grantham Town	26	2	3	8	3	6	4	5	9	12	24	35	-11	24
18.	Shildon	25	3	4	5	3	2	8	6	6	13	25	41	-16	24
19.	Carlton Town	25	2	2	10	4	2	5	6	4	15	30	52	-22	22
20.	Tadcaster Albion	27	1	6	6	0	2	12	1	8	18	20	58	-38	11





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