

# CLAPTON COMMUNITY FOOTBALL CLUB

*THIS CLUB BELONGS  
TO YOU AND ME*

## OLD SPOTTED DOG GROUND

212 UPTON LANE, FOREST GATE, LONDON E7 9NP

Clapton CFC vs  
Camden Town WFC  
Sunday, Dec 7th 2025.  
Kick-off 2pm  
London & South East Regional  
Women's Football League  
Division One North



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ALWAYS ANTIFASCIST



# OPPONENTS

## CAMDEN TOWN WFC

Welcome to today's  
visiting players, coaches,  
supporters and officials

Camden Town WFC are only of the oldest independent women's football clubs in London, formed in 1986. When new owners took over four seasons ago they set an ambition of reaching the WSL - and it's been so far so good with three promotions. Last season they pipped Hammersmith to the league title and both are likely to tussle it out for back-to-back promotion this season, with Bromley in the mix too. Their front-of-shirt sponsor is Adobe and Alessia Russo attended their kit launch in the summer.

### Form guide

While Camden are mid-table, they are not out of the chase for the one promotion spot, having four games in hand over some teams. Additionally, all seven of their league games so far this season have been played away due to their home Maurice Rebak Stadium being closed for repairs after the tragic death of Chichester City player Billy Uigar at the ground.

### Previous meetings

None.

### Player/s to watch

Striker Anna Kimberley is top scorer this season on four. Victory Edema scored 16 goals from just 8 starts last season.

# HALL OF FAME

Lenny Holmes recently became the 19th player (and 7th Women's First Team player) to make **100 competitive appearances for CCFC**. The other six are Maria Mendonca, Emily Link, Lucy Spours, Li Steiner, Marta Boiro and Marta Casanovas. If Annie Lyons plays today, she will also hit 100 appearances.

## TOY APPEAL TOTAL

Our annual collection for the **Newham Christmas Toy Appeal** at the last few games raised **£842.23** - which has been doubled via **Big Give** match funding to **£1684.46**.

## MERRY CHRISTMAS

This is the team's final home game before Christmas. **Thanks for your support**. Pop into the Clubhouse for a free mince pie, and to buy a cup of mulled cider.

## REST OF 2025

The last **Women's First Team** game of 2025 is next Sunday away at **Herne Bay**, kick off 3.30pm. The team are back here against **Dulwich Hamlet Reserves** on January 4.

The **Reserves** are in John Greenacre Memorial Trophy action today away at **Balham**. Next Sunday they play **East London** in the league at Hackney Marshes, kick off 10.30am.

Next Saturday, the **FTFA** team play **Peckham Town** at noon on Clapham Common Northside and the **Devs** face **Stonewall** at 10.30am at Victoria Park.

## OTHER DATES

**CCFC's Annual General Meeting** is on **December 15**. If you're not yet a member, or have let your membership lapse, **now is the perfect moment to join**. It costs just £10 a year - £5 for concessions.

If you forget to visit the merch stall today, the merch volunteers will be packing and posting orders on **December 10** and **December 17**. So

your final chance to order online and have your item delivered before Christmas will be midnight on **December 16**.

After that, your last opportunity to buy before Christmas will be on the merch stall at the Men's First Team game against NW London on **December 20**. That's also the date of our **Christmas party** here at the OSD after that match.



# ALICE SHARPE

## WOMEN'S HEAD COACH

Good afternoon and welcome back to the Old Spotted Dog for today's match. A warm welcome as well to our visitors - and to everyone who's bundled up, shown up, and continues to carry this club with your energy and love.

I want to start by saying how proud I am of the team for last week's performance. It was disciplined, organised, and built on players sacrificing for one another. Everyone committed to the plan, everyone worked for the person next to them, and everyone showed what it means to be part of this squad. And honestly - for the space of inches, that scoreline could have looked very different. Football can be cruel in that way, but it can also be incredibly encouraging, because we know how close we are to turning those margins into goals.

While Brentford last week was a big one emotionally, today is huge in terms of what it could mean for us come the end of the season. These are the matches that shape league positions, momentum, belief. We're at home, in our fortress, and we have to turn up ready not just to perform - but to score goals and impose ourselves on this pitch. The Old Spotted Dog should be a place where teams arrive with nerves and leave knowing they've been in a battle.

And as I think about that word - fortress- I'm reminded again of the strength of community around this club. One of the most beautiful things about football is how it throws together people from different backgrounds, personalities, quirks, and qualities who might never otherwise cross paths. This team is full of that love and support, and this club reflects it right back. It's a privilege to be part of something built on care as much as on football.

Let's bring that spirit onto the pitch today. Let's make the Dog loud, fierce, and inspiring. And let's get the result we know we're capable of. See you on the touchline.

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### TOP SCORERS

12	Leigha Bradding-Butler
9	Maria Mendonca
7	Marta Boiro
6	Emily Link
2	Aimee Shaw, Annie Lyons, Egle Trezzi

### LEAGUE TABLE

CCFC are **3rd** in the table on 21 points, ten points off the top. Scan the QR code to view the full table.



## ABOUT US

Clapton Community FC is a Community Benefit Society wholly owned and run by our members. The charity Old Spotted Dog Ground Trust operates the ground on behalf of Clapton CFC members.

### WOMEN'S FIRST TEAM

Alice Sharpe - Head Coach

Brian Bramble and  
Jack Francis - Coaches

# CCFC

## WOMEN'S FIRST TEAM



### GOALKEEPERS

Ella Bowles  
Janell Mathurin

### DEFENDERS

Marta Boiro  
Mim Chadwick  
Ruby Earle  
Lenny Holmes  
Annie Lyons  
Julia Moulton  
Noora Oikarainen  
Allana Scoble  
Alice Sharpe  
Kaylee Shurety  
Eva van der Uliet

### MIDFIELDERS

Ching Chun  
Lucy Fell  
Lucy Spours  
Li Steiner  
Egle Trezzi

### FORWARDS

Leigha Bradding-Butler  
Marta Casanovas  
Emily Link  
Maria Mendonca  
Aimee Shaw  
Sophie Ugur

### CAMDEN TOWN WFC

Maxine Borden  
Lia Cam  
Gemma Clenshaw  
Orla Conlan  
Victory Edema  
Shanice Etherington  
Kelly Faye  
Hannah Forbes  
Hannah Gough  
Connie Howarth  
Sophie Hoyle  
Megan Kapadia  
Anna Kimberley  
Rebecca Linney  
Emme Morgan  
Josie Shand  
Rebecca Smith  
Virginia Somers  
Maria Vera  
Tamsin Wickens  
Sanaa Williams

**OSD** NEXT GAME HERE AT THE  
OLD SPOTTED DOG GROUND

Saturday, December 20th at 3pm -

CCFC Men's First Team vs NW London

### OFFICIALS

#### Referee

David Dice

#### Assistant Referees

Adam Thackeray  
Amaan Ramzan



**100% FAN-OWNED FOOTBALL**  
BECOME A MEMBER, JOIN A COMMITTEE,  
GET INVOLVED, LEND A HAND, BUILD THE CLUB