

CLAPTON COMMUNITY FOOTBALL CLUB

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OLD SPOTTED DOG GROUND

212 UPTON LANE, FOREST GATE, LONDON E7 9NT



**WE ARE CLAPTON CFC
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**Clapton CFC vs
Stansted FC**
Saturday, Jan 31st 2026.
Kick-off 3pm
Thurlow Nunn Eastern
Counties Football League
Division One South

CLAPTON COMMUNITY FOOTBALL CLUB



Clapton Community FC is a Community Benefit Society wholly owned and run by our 1500 plus members. We have women's and men's first teams and development teams, open access women, non-binary and youth training, five-a-side teams, youth teams, over 35s team and a cricket team.

OUR HOME

The Old Spotted Dog Ground, Walter Tull Way,
212 Upton Lane, Forest
Gate, London E7 9NP

The charity **Old Spotted Dog Ground Trust** operates the OSD on behalf of Clapton CFC members.

HONOURS

CLUB

- > **2023 Volunteer Grounds Team of the Year** - Grounds Management Association
- > **2023 Community Football Club of the Year** - National Game Awards
- > **2021 Lockdown Heroes Award Winners** - Football Supporters Association

MEN'S FIRST TEAM

- > **2025** Brian Lomax Trophy winners
- > **2025** Southern Counties East Football League Division One Cup winners
- > **2023** Middlesex County Football League Premier Division champions
- > **2022** Alec Smith Premier Division Cup winners
- > **2019** Middlesex County Football League Division One Central & East champions
- > **2019** Jim Rogers Presidents Cup winners

WOMEN'S FIRST TEAM

- > **2024** FSA Women's Trophy winners
- > **2023** FSA Women's Trophy winners
- > **2022** John Greenacre Memorial Trophy winners

RECORDS

ATTENDANCES - M1T

- > **1432** vs Forest Hill Park at Old Spotted Dog Ground, 2025
- > **1266** vs FC Roast at Stray Dog, 2019
- > **1242** vs Forest Hill Park at Mayesbrook Park, 2025
- > **1153** vs FC United of Manchester at Old Spotted Dog Ground, 2023
- > **1057** vs Hoddesdon Town at Old Spotted Dog Ground, 2025

ATTENDANCES - W1T

- > **3585** vs Brentford, Brentford Community Stadium, 2024
- > **1153** vs FC United of Manchester at Old Spotted Dog Ground, 2023
- > **775** vs FC St. Pauli at Old Spotted Dog Ground, 2023
- > **697** vs FC United of Manchester, Broadhurst Park, 2021
- > **500** vs Ashford at Old Spotted Dog Ground,

APPEARANCES

200 APPEARANCES:

Jack Francis

150 APPEARANCES:

Dean Bouho, James Briggs, Noah Adejokun, Fred Taylor

100 APPEARANCES:

Mendonca, Emily Link, Lucy Spours, Li Steiner, Charlie Fagan, Julian Austin, Marta Boiro, Bailey Pryce, Marta Casanovas, Cemal Agdelen, Junia Charlton, Geoff Ocran, Lenny Holmes, Annie Lyons

50 APPEARANCE MEDALS:

Stefan Kilron, Verity Phillips, Carl Paul, Fionn Glancy, Mim Chadwick, Liam Smyth, Jeff Twumasi, Allana Scoble, Sherwin Stanley, Joel Akuwudike, Arthur Wright, Dan Anfossy, Lewis Owiredu, Joshua Adejokun, Adam Sidky, Khadir Elyas, Polly Adams, Prince Kwakye, Fama Sangare, Teju Callisto, Noora Oikarainen, Felix Murray, Emmanuel Olasehinde, Alice Sharpe, Alasdair Gurney, James Pavely, Seb Hartwell, Sin Cheung, Cameron Gordon, Suleyman Zahmoul, Ana Holmes, Ruby Earle, Samba Badjana

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OPPONENTS

STANSTED FC

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

The Airportmen formed in 1902 and have played at Hargrave Park since 1937. They won the FA Vase at Wembley in 1984, beating Stamford 3-2 in front of 8000 spectators. They won the Essex Senior League title in 2010, with Dwight Gayle leading the goalscoring charts, but were denied promotion due to ground grading issues. Having been laterally moved between the Spartan South Midlands League and ESL for a few seasons, they were relegated to our division last season.

Form guide

Stansted have moved up to fourth place, having lost just once in their last 11 games. The pick of those performances must be the 11-0 home win against NW London. They've also had 5 wins in the last 7.

Previous meetings

The away game in September ended up 3-2 despite goals from Jeff Twumasi and James Briggs. Last season, we won there 2-1 in the FA Vase, with Fred Taylor scoring twice.

Player/s to watch

Experienced prolific striker Michael Mignot, formerly of West Essex, Wormley Rovers and Cannons Wood, has 17 goals. Meanwhile, 16-year-old striker Harry Pittuck has eight goals already in his debut season in adult football. Both scored against us in the game earlier in the season.

FIXTURE UPDATES

The Clapton CFC Men's First Team fixture list is once again complete with postponed games rearranged.

The game at **Enfield Borough** has been rearranged for **Wednesday night (February 4)** at the Maurice Rebak Stadium. The home game against our nearest rivals **Barkingside** has been moved to a midweek and will be played on **Tuesday, February 10.**

The visit to **Dunmow Town** has been brought forward a day to **Friday, February 20** at their ground share at

Hoddesdon Town. The away trip to **Burnham Ramblers**, one of our longest journeys, is now on **Saturday, March 7.**

After today, the Men's First Team have just **four Saturday home games** and the **Tuesday home game left.** The Women's First Team only have **four Sunday home games.**

If Clapton CFC Men's First Team were to qualify for the play-offs, the one-legged semis would be on the weekend of **April 24/25/26**, and the final on the next weekend (**May 1/2/3**).



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HYUNDAI

GEOFF OCRAN

MEN'S HEAD COACH

Morale and confidence was at a low after the Tooting Bec game in the London Senior Trophy quarter-final earlier this month. That was our last chance of cup silverware for this season but we lost 2-0. The most disappointing aspect was that we never really got going at any stage even when they went down to 10 men so we just had to put it down to a really bad day at the office and regroup.

A back-to-basics training session and two back-to-back away wins in a week has put everyone back in good spirits. We look like we are ready to embrace the challenge of the business end of the season and with injured players returning, the squad is looking healthy again.

We lost to Stansted earlier in the season so it's a great chance for a double whammy today which is taking points off a play-off rival and also avenging the away defeat. Recent defeats to Brimsdown and Newbury Forest put us in a do-or-die situation in the Eastern Counties League which means our approach now is to win as many games as possible to guarantee a play off position. Draws don't really help much, especially at home.

Our travelling support away to Tooting Bec, Southend Manor last Saturday and AS London on Wednesday has been second to none and we've used that to motivate the players to match the passion from the fans on the pitch. Let's make it 3 on the bounce today!

#ClaptonFamily #OSD #Step6 #WeGoAgain

ABOUT US

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MEN'S FIRST TEAM

Geoff Ocran - Manager
Sham Darr - Assistant Manager
Jack Mellors - First Team Coach
Aqs Hafeji - First Team Coach/Data Analyst
Robin Philpott - Goalkeeper Coach
Kasita Boateng - Physiotherapist

TOP SCORERS

17	Fred Taylor
8	Andre Odeku James Briggs
7	Cameron Gordon
6	Flavien Stierlen
4	Julian Austin, Nathan Cook, Sam Cook

LEAGUE TABLE

CCFC are **3rd** in the table on 51 points, 12 points off the top, with games in hand. Scan the QR code to view the full table.

STAT OF THE DAY

Two milestones achieved at Southend Manor last Saturday - the Men's First Team's **50th away league win** and **450th league goal**.
Gary Price

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FOUL LANGUAGE

KEEP IT DOWN

FOR THE KIDS

To increase attendances at our grounds, the Thurlow Nunn League, in conjunction with its clubs and its sponsor, Thurlow Nunn, is promoting the need to turn matches into a more family-orientated entertainment in a family-friendly environment.

The League understands that football is a game of intensity and passion. In the heat of the moment, frustrations grow, tempers can be lost and there is an urgent need to share your feelings with others.

The League also understands that, in that moment, you may use language that others may not feel is appropriate in a family setting.

Nothing will send parents and/or grandparents heading quickly for the exits with their youngsters, never to return, than a constant stream of foul language. All we ask is that you **keep it down** for the kids.

Thank you, Thurlow Nunn League.





CCFC

MEN'S FIRST TEAM



GOALKEEPERS

Toby Emerson
Jack Francis
Chris Mathers
Robin Philpott

DEFENDERS

Dean Bouho
Andrea Caio
Junia Charlton
Sam Cook
Charlie Fagan
Alasdair Gurney
Seb Hartwell
Bailey Pryce
Brad Robinson
Adam Sidky
Tami Unuefa
Will Wright

MIDFIELDERS

Cemal Agdelen
Gabriel
Akuwudike
Joel Akuwudike
Julian Austin
James Briggs
Ross Broadway
Nathan Cook
Azariah
George-Lawal
Fionn Glancy
James Goldring
Pete Jamieson
Felix Murray
James Pavely
Enzo Pina
Jeffrey Twumasi

FORWARDS

Louis Brown
Nico Bunduku
Alfie Francis
Korahn Gayle
Cameron Gordon
David Makisi
Andre Odeku
Lewis Owiredo
Flavien Stierlen
Fred Taylor
Jacob Wintour

STANSTED FC

Zac Argent
Reece Barnett
Samuel Butler
Conrad Ciekieski
Ollie Collier
Tom Cottle-Wood
Anthony Da Silva
Ross Gill
Alfie Gleghorn
George Hamill
Connor Hammond
Thomas Massey
Jaden Marzell
Michael Mignot
Freddie O'Brien
Finn Osborn
Harry Pittuck
Nathan Scarborough
Aaron Thomas
Danny Wickenden

KEEP IT DOWN

The Thurlow Nunn Eastern Counties League is promoting the need to make games more family friendly and asks you to **please keep foul language down for the kids.**

OSD NEXT GAME HERE AT THE OLD SPOTTED DOG GROUND

Sunday, February 8th at 2pm -

CCFC Women's First Team vs Actonians Res

OFFICIALS

Referee

Oliver Humphreys

Assistant Referees

Rami Badaoui
Abu Taher

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