

CLAPTON COMMUNITY FOOTBALL CLUB

*THIS CLUB BELONGS
TO YOU AND ME*



OLD SPOTTED DOG GROUND

WALTER TULL WAY, 212 UPTON LANE, FOREST GATE, LONDON E7 9NF



*WE ARE CLAPTON CFC
ALWAYS ANTIFASCIST*

**Clapton CFC vs
May & Baker
Eastbrook CFC**

Saturday, Mar 28th 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, Dean Bouho

150 APPEARANCES:

James Briggs, Noah Adejokun, Fred Taylor

100 APPEARANCES:

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

50 APPEARANCE MEDALS:

Carl Paul, Jeff Twumasi, Verity Phillips, Fionn Glancy, Allana Scoble, Adam Sidky, Mim Chadwick, Liam Smyth, Sherwin Stanley, Joel Akuwudike, Lewis Owiredu, Arthur Wright, Dan AnFossey, Felix Murray, Joshua Adejokun, Noora Oikarainen, Khadir Elyas, Polly Adams, Prince Kwakye, Fama Sangare, Teju Callisto, Emmanuel Olasehinde, Alice Sharpe, Louis Brown, Alasdair Gurney, Seb Hartwell, Sam Cook, James Paveley, Elizabeth Atoyebi, Sin Cheung, Cameron Gordon, Egle Trezzi, Ruby Earle, Ross Broadway, Kaylee Shurety, Tami Unuefa, Suleyman Zahmoul, Korahn Gayle, Ana Holmes, Samba Badjana

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OPPONENTS

MAY & BAKER CFC

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

May & Baker FC is the former works team of a chemical factory which operated in Dagenham until 2014. The football team can trace its history back to 1923 and until 2018 played next to the factory, but had to move to Barking Rugby Club then Aveley's Parkside, and now Parsloes Park in order to climb up the levels. The club - now called the May & Baker Eastbrook Community Club to incorporate the name of the area of Dagenham - have been in the Eastern Counties League Division One South since it was founded in 2018 and have finished as high as fourth.

Form guide

It's been a poor season and one win in 11 saw them slide down the table. However, two wins in a row has taken them out of the relegation zone on goal difference.

Previous meetings

The away game this season ended in a 3-0 win with goals from Fred Taylor, Tami Unuefa and Nathan Cook. Two seasons ago, we won 5-3 away then the home game 2-0.

Player/s to watch

Former West Ham academy player Kevin Musimami has nine goals in 14 games since dual signing from higher division Romford.

FOUR GAMES TO GO

Clapton CFC Men's First Team now **need just one point to seal a play-off place**. The play-off semi-final would be on **April 25** and the final **May 2**. They are one-legged ties held at the home of the higher placed team. To have any chance of automatic promotion, we realistically need to win all four games and hope Hutton lose two of their last five plus Coggleshall Town drop points.

IT'S OFFICIAL

Newham Council has accepted our request to officially recognise **Walter Tull Way** as the name of the path beside the Old Spotted Dog Ground.

CLEAN SWEEP

Korahn Gayle becomes the **first player** in Clapton CFC's history to score for all men's teams - **First, Development and Over 35s** - in the same season.

NON-LEAGUE DAY

Today is Non-League Day, this is the **third time** we've had a home game on Non-League Day, with previous occasions seeing crowds of **909** and **952**.

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LEAPMOTOR MG VAUXHALL PEUGEOT HYUNDAI

GEOFF OCRAN

MEN'S HEAD COACH

Since my last programme notes, we've had two more wins on the bounce against tricky opposition to keep our unbeaten run going. That's 15 without defeat so far.

Last Friday, we were up against Lymore Gardens who are still in the play-off hunt. They made it very difficult to play through the lines so we had to draw them out and then attack via the wide areas. Even when they equalised, I was confident that we could still create opportunities especially when the game opened up. It was a goal of the season contender from Louis Brown to put us back in the lead.

That followed on from a home win and clean sheet against Cannons Wood, with early and late goals from Alfie Francis and Flavien Stierlen bookending an even game in between.

The form of Hutton and Coggeshall Town means we can't afford to drop any points to have any chance of finishing top and getting automatic promotion. If we fall short, I've said all season we want to play at home in the play-offs so finishing second would seal that. To a certain extent, the destiny is in our hands, and whatever happens it should make for a very entertaining end to the season.

Today's opponents May & Baker are just as desperate as us for points but for different reasons near the foot of the table. We will fight for everything so complacency is not an option.

Non League Day is always a great opportunity for us to reflect on what we have built from the ground up since 2018.

A chance to celebrate all the unsung heroes who are the foundation of the club. Three more points would make NLD even better heading into Easter!

#NonLeagueDay #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

| | |
|----|-------------------------------------|
| 18 | Fred Taylor |
| 11 | Louis Brown |
| 9 | Andre Odeku |
| 8 | James Briggs, Sam Cook |
| 7 | Cameron Gordon, Flavien Stierlen |
| 6 | Nathan Cook |
| 5 | Julian Austin |

LEAGUE TABLE

CCFC are **2nd** in the table on 78 points, 5 points off the top. Scan the QR code to view the full table.



STAT OF THE DAY

9853 fans have watched Men's First Team league games at the **Old Spotted Dog Ground** so far this season, beating the previous best of **9274** set last season.

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LEAPMOTOR



VAUXHALL



HYUNDAI

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.





3-1 win for **Clapton CFC**
against **Lymore Gardens**

Friday night lights at Redbridge FC saw Clapton CFC Men's First Team seal a win and extend the unbeaten run to 15 games. With goals from **Fred Taylor**, **Nathan Cook** and a goal of genuine quality from **Louis Brown**.



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

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

MAY & BAKER EASTBROOK

Idris Aminu
Kyle Ayiro
Freddie Blackham
Harry Carter
Anthony Cooke
Moukhamed Dia
Modou Gueye
Georgie Downes
Giovanni Ellis
Alfie Fitzearle
Charlie Hare
Jahvud Irish
Adolson Joao
Khalil Juma
Wesley Mbedzi
Bradley Mott
Kevin Musimami
Argest Nela
Emmanuel Odunaike
Amari Perkins
Sebastian Ramirez
Blaise Uwandji
Aaron Wole-Romiluyi

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, April 12th at 2pm - CCFC Women's
First Team vs Dulwich Hamlet Reserves

OFFICIALS

Referee

Andrew Wheaton

Assistant Referees

David Leeks
Jake Hinson



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