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ROUND FOUR

ISSUE 08



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MATCHDAY PROGRAMME.

MK DONS WOMEN v BIRMINGHAM CITY WOMEN

10.12.23 | 3PM | STADIUM MK

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Charlie Bill.

MANAGER



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Good afternoon all & we are glad to welcome you back to Stadium MK & occasions don't come much bigger than today's Women's FA Cup tie.

The past few weeks have seen a run of cup games where which has allowed us to continue our good form of this season, we have played 17 games so far & only lost 4 of them. With only 1 of those losses being bigger than a one goal margin so this has allowed us to continue some excellent momentum.

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We have worked hard knowing it will be our last fixture before Christmas.

We finish off 2023 with one final game & it ends similar to how it started as our first game of 2023 was an away tie to Charlton, where we competed for large spells in the game only to lose to a last minute goal. We hope that we can use the experiences of that game to help us during today's fixture.

We know that we've been given the toughest possible opposition in round three with Birmingham showing some superb form of late & a really front

footed style of football and we can't wait for the challenge that it will present today. We have worked hard knowing it will be our last fixture before Christmas to top of an exceptional year for this fantastic group. We have to be switched on every minute of the game today but these are the occasions you live for as both players & staff.

Once again the support will be massive to drive the players on, I can't thank you enough for all of you that have supported us during 2023 & if it's your first time today I have no doubt we will see you again with the players becoming role models away from football.

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Charlie

News Round.

Last Time Out

Last time out the Dons travelled away in the 2nd Round of the Adobe Women's FA Cup to face Worcester City Women. The opening stages of the game proved to be quite difficult for Charlie Bill's side, as the home side's confidence grew in front of a record crowd with the Dons coming close through O'Brien who struck the upright following Puddick's delivery. O'Brien came close again, but was saved by Worcester City's shot-stopper. Wood fired the Dons ahead early on in the second half, collecting the ball in the box from Warren's delivery and finding the roof of the net, which was quickly followed up by Mitchell's strike to double the lead and add her ninth goal of the season so far. In the closing stages of the game, Wood added her second goal of the game producing an excellent solo effort to beat multiple defenders before finding the back of the net to instil a three-goal advantage, which saw the Dons progress through to today's third round tie.



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Academy News

Last weekend, there were only two fixtures for the Girls Academy, which saw the Under 15's take on Wargrave in the Berks and Bucks County Cup, and the Under 16's face Nottingham Forrest, with wins across the board for both respective age-groups.

There is some exciting news to share for the Under 19's Football and Education Programme, as there is another upcoming recruitment event on Wednesday 13th December 2023. The training session will provide players with an opportunity to attend amongst current students, and other 15/16-year-olds that are exploring different options for them to pursue in September 2024 - for more information, please contact

ethan.wallbank@mkdonsset.com



Up Next

The Dons return to action in the new year, as they face Hashtag United for the second time this season. The previous meeting back in October saw Charlie Bill's side defeat the (then) league leaders and put an end to their unbeaten start in the Southern Premier Division since their promotion last season. The Tags will no-doubt look for revenge at the reverse fixture in the New Year, so will definitely be one not to miss!



Today's Opponent's

Birmingham City Women
Football Club is an English
women's football club
affiliated with Birmingham
City Football Club.

The Blues were founding members of the FA Women's Super League in 2011, and currently play in the second-tier of women's football in the Barclays Women's Championship. Darren Carters' side are currently sat 5th place in the league, but are hopeful to continue their current form, and edge closer for a return to the Women's Super League next season

Darren Carter

Carter was appointed as Head Coach in May 2022, signing a two-year deal.

During 2022/23 his side finished second in the Championship, which is a testament to his coaching abilities and the team's dedication.

Being also crowned Manager of the Month further solidifies his impact on the team's success, the future looks promising for the Blues under Carter's guidance.

Birmingham City.

Key Players.

Gemma Lawley

Defender



Blues defender, Lawley was recently awarded as the Barclays Women's Championship Player of the Month for November, scoring the decisive goal against London City Lionesses, and helping the team to two other league wins against Reading and Durham.

Christie Harrison-Murray

Midfielder



Scottish International, Harrison-Murray is an attacking midfielder that has captained the Blues since her arrival in 2020. Harrison-Murray boasts a wealth of experience having previously featured for the likes of Celtic, Glasgow City and Liverpool before making the switch to the Blues, since making 70 appearances and scoring 4 goals.

Ivana Fuso

Midfielder



Brazilian International, Fuso was raised in Germany progressing through the youth ranks at SV Böblingen, before making the switch to SC Freiburg, FC Basel and Manchester United before most recently signing for a club-record transfer fee in September 2023 for Darren Carters' side in the Barclays Women's Championship.

Ticket Office.

HOME AND AWAY

JANUARY



Hashtag United

TBC

Sun Jan 07 2024 - K.O 2pm

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Ipswich Town

AGL Arena

Sun Jan 14 2024 - K.O 2pm

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Cheltenham Town

TBC

Sun Jan 28 2024 - K.O 7.45pm

H



FEBRUARY



Billericay Town

AGP Arena

Sun Feb 11 2024 - K.O 2pm

A



London Bees

TBC

Sun Feb 21 2024 - K.O 2pm

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MARCH



Chatham Town

The Sports Ground

Sun Mar 10 2024 - K.O 2pm

A



Rugby Borough

Nationwide Windows Arena

Wed Mar 13 2024 - K.O 7.45pm

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OPENING HOURS.

Box Office Opening Hours

Mon, Thur, Fri

10am - 4pm

Tuesday (Non-Home matchday)

10am - 7pm

Tuesday (Home matchday)

10am - Half Time

Wed, Sun

Closed

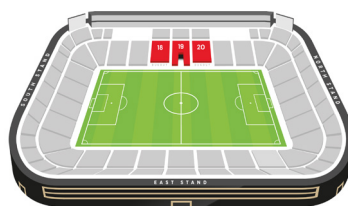
Saturday (Non-Home matchday)

Closed

Saturday (Home matchday)

10am - Half Time

(Open after the final whistle for 30 minutes)



West Wing

Lucy Wood.

THE INTERVIEW

Nationality British

Place of Birth Huntingdon

Position Forward

Number 10

Previous Clubs Arsenal, Leicester City

Favourite Team Tottenham Hotspur

Favourite Player Jermaine Defoe

Favourite MK Dons Women Memory

Scoring a last-minute winning goal against
Chichester City Ladies at Stadium MK (28.02.22)

Favourite Pre Match Meal Chicken and Pasta

Interesting Fact I can write with both hands



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Training night.

Fairfields | 5th December 2023



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Player Sponsorships.

Player Sponsorship | Option 1

- Framed, signed photo by the sponsored player (presented at sponsors' evening)
- Company logo displayed within the player profile section on the official club website throughout the season
- Company logo displayed on the player sponsor section of the matchday supplement
- Company logo displayed on social media announcements (goals, milestones etc.)
- Invitation for up to two people to attend the player sponsor' presentation evening
- Two matchday tickets, for each home game (inc. cup fixtures)
- £50 received directly by the player

£350 per player

Player Sponsorship | Option 2

Company to receive all the benefits as option 1, including...

- £100 received directly by the player
- Up to 6 matchday tickets, for each home game (inc. cup fixtures)
- Selected player to visit company – social media announcement

£480 per player

Sponsorship Opportunities

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| 5 Catherine Beaver Player Sponsor MKDSA <small>MARSHALL KITCHEN DESIGN SERVICES</small> | 6 Sofia Stovold Player Sponsor Concept | 7 Laura Mitchell Player Sponsor Available | 8 Rhianne Rush Player Sponsor Available |
| 9 Mollie Coupar Player Sponsor SURETY FIRE SOLUTIONS | 10 Lucy Wood Player Sponsor Louise Walsh | 11 Therese Addison Player Sponsor Available | 13 Darcy Guy Player Sponsor Orla Hobbs |
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C A S T O R E



Milton Keynes Dons

Manager – Charlie Bill

- 1 Chloe Sansom
- 2 Hannah Warren
- 3 Nicola Puddick
- 4 Gemma Biggadike
- 5 Catherine Beaver
- 6 Sofia Stovold
- 7 Laura Mitchell
- 8 Rhianne Rush
- 9 Mollie Coupar
- 10 Lucy Wood
- 11 Therese Addison
- 13 Darcy Guy
- 14 Tricia Gould
- 15 Zoe Creaney
- 16 Megan Attenborough
- 17 Leyla O'Brien
- 18 Lily Dolling
- 20 Macey Herd
- 21 Amy Mclean
- 22 Hannah Davies
- 23 Kerry Newman
- 25 Amelie Timon
- 26 Hannah Samuels
- 27 Adekite Fatuga-Dada
- 28 Olivia Welham
- 29 Madeline Welham
- 30 Emily Wilson
- 33 Georgie Giddings

Referee: Joanne Horwood

Assistant Referees: Oğuz Kağan Işık \ Wyndham Trusler

Fourth Official: Emma Chamberlain

MK Dons Elite Partners



Birmingham City

Head Coach – Darren Carter

- 1 Lucy Thomas
- 2 Martha Harris
- 3 Ellie Mason
- 4 Louise Quinn
- 6 Gemma Lawley
- 7 Jade Pennock
- 8 Jamie Finn
- 9 Libby Smith
- 10 Christie Harrison-Murphy
- 11 Katie Dungate
- 12 Lily Agg
- 13 Ivana Fuso
- 14 Siobhan Wilson
- 17 Lucy Quinn
- 20 Cho So-Hyun
- 21 Claudia Walker
- 22 Remi Allen
- 23 Charlie Devlin
- 24 Jade Moore
- 26 Choe Yu-Ri
- 27 Abbi Jenner
- 28 Charlotte Clarke
- 29 Lucy Jones
- 30 Neve Herron
- 40 Delphi Cole
- 42 Layla Banaras