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AFC SOLIHULL COVENTRIANS

SATURDAY 3RD OCTOBER
RUMBUSH LANE, B94 5NA
3:00PM KICK OFF
MFL DIVISION 2

CHAIRMANS WELCOME

Good afternoon everyone and welcome back to Rumbush Lane for today's Midland Football League Division Two fixture against Coventrians.

Firstly, a warm welcome to everyone connected with Coventrians – their players, management team, committee and supporters. We hope you enjoy your afternoon with us and have a safe journey home afterwards.

We come into today's game on the back of an excellent result last weekend, with a 5-0 victory over Wake Green in the Les James Challenge Cup.

It was a really strong performance from the lads and exactly the sort of response we wanted. Cup football is always about getting your name into the next round, but to do it with five goals and a clean sheet made it an especially pleasing afternoon.

Now the challenge is to take that performance back into the league.

We've shown already this season what this group is capable of, but the key for us is consistency. There is plenty of football still to be played and plenty for us to compete for. We want Rumbush Lane to be a difficult place for teams to come and, as always, the support from the sidelines can play a massive part in that.

October gives us plenty of opportunities to get people down to Rumbush Lane, so I'd like to ask everyone connected with the club to help us build the crowds at our remaining home fixtures this month. If you're coming to a game, bring a mate, bring the family, bring the kids – and help us introduce a few more people to the Hounds.

Every extra person through the gate makes a difference to a club at our level, but just as importantly, we want to keep building a proper community around AFC Solihull and create a great atmosphere for the lads to play in.

We're also always looking for new businesses and individuals who would like to get involved with the club through sponsorship. Whether that's sponsoring a player, taking a pitchside advertising board or discussing another way of supporting the Hounds, we'd love to hear from you. Please come and speak to me or one of the committee today, or get in touch with the club through our social media channels.

Finally, thank you as always to our existing sponsors, volunteers, committee members and everyone who gives up their time to keep AFC Solihull moving forward. Your support really is appreciated.

Enjoy the game and hopefully we can follow up last weekend's cup win with another positive result today.

Up The Hounds

CHAIRMAN
PAUL WOODFORD



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PRE MATCH

COACHES CORNER

"There is a real belief and expectancy starting to grow in the lads regarding our quality in the squad, and what we should be achieving on a weekly basis. And that is great, but words are only so much. The lads have to put those beliefs into action and put together a run of results that certify the above.

Training has been great this week and the togetherness the group is showing is clear to see. We have all the ingredients needed to be successful.

As always though, football has a habit of flipping the script, so it is imperative that our approach and standards to the game are the same every week, to ensure another positive, dominant performance such as last week."

MANAGER:
JOE BALLINGER

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THE HOUNDS RECAP

AFC SOLIHULL 5-0 WAKE GREEN



26TH SEPTEMBER 2026
RUMBUSH LANE

"5 STAR PERFORMANCE AS THE HOUNDS PUT 5 PAST WAKES"

" PROGRESS IN THE LES JAMES CHALLENGE CUP LAST WEEKEND FOR THE HOUNDS SHOWING A DOMINANT HOME PERFORMANCE"

NEXT UP COVENTRIANS (H)

GOALSCORERS: ALLEN X2, GILMOUR, WILLIAMS, MCCARTHY

OPPOSITION REPORT:

FORMED:
2007

LEAGUE POSITION: 16TH

FORMER GROUND:
HOLBROOKS PARK

LAST SEASON:
14TH MFL DIVISION 2

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HOME GROUND:
THE COLLIERY
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PREVIOUS

MEETING

AFC SOLIHULL 2-2 COVENTRIANS

SATURDAY 27TH SEPTEMBER 2025

RUMBUSH LANE

GOALSCORER: LYCETT X2



STARING XI

1.CHAHAL

2.ANDREWS (C)

3.RIDDIFORD

4.BIRLEY

5.SILKE

6.HOULIHAN

7.SAED

8.FLETCHER

9.LYCETT

10. JONES

11. SEY

SUBS:

KAAR, ATKINS,DUNN,

POWER,MISTRY

CHARLIE SILKE

MAN OF THE MATCH

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DID YOU KNOW?

PRIOR TO JOINING THE HOUNDS OLLIE WHITEHOUSE FEATURED FOR COVENTRIANS MAKING 18 APPEARANCES IN THE FIRST HALF OF THE 25/26 SEASON THEN JOINING SOLIHULL IN THE SECOND HALF OF THE SEASON

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PLAYER Q&A

NAME: FIN GAYNOR
AGE: 24
POSITION: POSITION: UTILITY MAN – CENTRE MID, WING BACK, MAYBE CENTRE BACK🤣

What have you enjoyed most since joining the Hounds?

"Either the banter in the changing room - probably the best I've seen or the training sessions - they've been an unreal standard for the level.
"

Outside of football what do you do for a career?

"Primary school teacher"

If you could pick any professional player to play alongside who would it be?

"Kevin de bruyne"

Home games or away days?

"Home games "

What do you do pre match to prepare for games?

"I have a small breakfast- some fruit, yougurt and a coffee and I whack a load of vapour rub on my chest just before kick off"

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OCTOBER

LEAGUE AND CUP FIXTURES

3RD OCT
3:00PM

AFC SOLIHULL VS COVENTRIANS
MFL 2
RUMBUSH LANE

10TH OCT
2:00PM

AFC SOLIHULL VS LEAFIELD ATHLETIC
SATURDAY VASE
RUMBUSH LANE

17TH OCT
2:00PM

AFC SOLIHULL VS CENTRAL AJAX
COVENTRY CHARITY CUP
RUMBUSH LANE

24TH OCT
3:00PM

AFC SOLIHULL VS FAIRFIELD VILLA
MFL 2
RUMBUSH LANE

31ST OCT
3:00PM

COVENTRY ALVIS VS AFC SOLIHULL
MFL 2
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The Harry Moseley Cancer Charity

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AFC SOLIHULL'S CHARITY PARTNERSHIP

At AFC Solihull, we believe that football is about more than what happens on the pitch. It brings people together, creates friendships and gives us the opportunity to make a positive difference within our community.

That's why we're proud to be partnered with **Help Harry Help Others,** a charity dedicated to supporting people and families who are affected by cancer, while also helping to raise awareness and provide much-needed support within the local community.

The charity was founded in memory of Harry Moseley, a young Birmingham boy whose fundraising journey inspired thousands of people. Harry's determination to help others continues through the work of the charity today, supporting families when they need it most and helping to make a difficult time that little bit easier.

Our partnership gives AFC Solihull the opportunity to support this incredible work and use the football club as a platform to raise awareness, bring people together and encourage our supporters to get behind a cause that makes a genuine difference.

Supporting people & families affected by cancer

Raising awareness in our local community

Providing much-needed support

TO DONATE SCAN THE QR CODE BELOW

OR VISIT https://www.justgiving.com/charity/hhho

Football. Community. Together.

We're incredibly proud to stand alongside Help Harry Help Others and look forward to working together throughout the season.

We encourage everyone connected with AFC Solihull — players, coaches, volunteers, supporters and families — to find out more about the charity and the work they do.

MFL DIVISION 2

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Birmingham United	11	8	2	1	26	8	18	26
2	Earlswood Town	10	7	3	0	19	9	10	24
3	Cadbury Athletic	11	6	4	1	30	13	17	22
4	Hampton	11	7	1	3	21	9	12	22
5	Kenilworth Sporting	10	6	2	2	29	15	14	20
6	Coventry Colliery	10	5	2	3	23	17	6	17
7	A F C Solihull	10	4	3	3	17	11	6	15
8	Paget Rangers	10	5	1	4	14	16	-2	13 *
9	Central Ajax	10	3	3	4	16	17	-1	12
10	Nuneaton Griff	10	4	0	6	16	22	-6	12
11	Coventry Alvis	10	4	0	6	14	24	-10	12
12	Fairfield Villa	10	2	3	5	12	23	-11	9
13	Wake Green Amateur	10	2	2	6	9	14	-5	8
14	Bolehall Swifts	11	2	2	7	15	27	-12	8
15	Inkberrow	10	1	3	6	11	18	-7	6
16	Coventrians	10	0	1	9	7	36	-29	1

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KENJY CAMARA
KEATON CHAHAL
SAMUEL CORNBILL
JAKE DAVIS
BRETT FELLOWS
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