

# WALTHAMSTOW FC

2025-26 **match programme**



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# WALTHAMSTOW FC

Match Day Centres, Wadham Lodge, Kitchener Road, Walthamstow, E17 4JP

*Working in partnership with Ryan FC.*

## CLUB MANAGEMENT

**President:** Andy Perkins

**Chairman:** Steve Howe

**Vice Chairman:** Andrzej Perkins

**Company Secretary:** Vacant

**Treasurer:** Vacant

**Secretary:** Adam Richardson

**Club Historian:** David Chapman

**Charter Standard Secretary:** Tony Brazier

**Life Members:** A. Brazier M.B.E., J. Brazier, D. Chapman, C.E. Gross, K.J. Harris, S. Howe, G. Larkbey, A. D. Perkins, A. P. Perkins, D. Salmon, K. Thomas, C. Ward, D.E. Ward

## MEMBERSHIP

Affiliated to the Essex County FA

**First Team:** Isthmian League Div One North

**Reserve Team:** Essex Alliance Senior Division

**Youth Teams:** Eastern Junior Alliance and Hackney Marshes Saturday League

## FIRST TEAM MANAGEMENT

**Manager:** Vinny Murphy

**Assistant Manager:** Tony Murphy

**Physiotherapists:** Becky Dibble & Lucelta Eugene

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*Club Officers: L Doherty, S Howe, A P Perkins,  
A D Perkins and R Williams*

*Owner: Lee Doherty*

# CLUB HONOURS



## As Leyton FC (1868-1880)

FA Cup Second Round: 1875/6

FA Cup First Round: 1874/5, 1876/7, 1878/9

## As Matlock Swifts (1890-1895)

Essex Junior Cup Winners: 1893/4

London Junior Cup Winners: 1894/5

Leyton & District Alliance Champions: 1892/3, 1893/4

Herald Cup Winners: 1891/2

## As Leyton FC (1895-1904)

Essex Senior Cup Winners: 1896/7, 1897/8, 1899/0, 1900/1, 1901/2, 1902/3

London Senior Cup Winners: 1903/4

South Essex League Champions: 1895/6, 1876/7, 1899/0, 1899/0

Walthamstow Charity Cup Winners: 1896/7

Walthamstow Charity Cup Runners-Up: 1897/8, 1901/2

## As Leyton FC (Professional) (1904-1912)

FA Cup Third Round: 1909/10

FA Cup First Round: 1910/1, 1911/2

## As Leyton FC (1919-1976)

FA Amateur Cup Winners: 1926/7, 1927/8

FA Amateur Cup Runners-Up: 1928/9, 1933/4, 1936/7, 1951/2

FA Cup Second Round: 1925/6, 1929/30, 1951/2

FA Cup First Round: 1927/8, 1928/9, 1952/3, 1955/6

Athenian League Champions: 1928/9, 1965/6, 1966/7

Essex Senior Cup Winners: 1929/30, 1930/1, 1934/5

Essex Senior Cup Runners-Up: 1932/3, 1949/50

London Senior Cup Runners-Up: 1933/4, 1937/8, 1945/6

London Challenge Cup Runners-Up: 1927/8

London League Champions: 1923/4, 1925/5, 1925/6

Essex T'side Trophy Winners: 1951/2, 1963/4, 1966/7, 1992/3

East Anglian Cup Winners: 1972/3

Grays & Tilbury Cup Winners: 1939/40, 1941/2 (shared)

London Charity Winners: 1934/5, 1936/7

West Ham Charity Cup Winners: 1929/30

Leyton & Walthamstow Hospital Cup Winners: 1925/6

## As Leyton-Wingate FC (1976-1992)

FA Cup First Round: 1985/6

Athenian League Champions: 1981/2

Athenian League Division One Champions: 1976/7

Essex Senior Trophy Winners: 1984/5

Isthmian League Division Two (N) Champions: 1984/5

Waltham Forest Darts League Division Two Champions: 1992

## As Pennant FC and Walthamstow Pennant FC (1965 – 1995)

London Senior Cup Runners-Up: 1990/1

London Junior Cup Winners: 1974/5

SW League Junior Cup Winners: 1968/9

SW League Intermediate Cup Winners: 1969/70

SW League Senior Cup Winners: 1970/71

SW League Premier League Winners: 1972/3

London Metropolitan League Winners: 1974/5

London Met League Runners-Up: 1978/9, 1979/80, 1981/2

London Met League Int. Cup Runners-Up: 1977/8, 1978/9

Spartan League Winners: 1990/1

Spartan Reserve League Winners: 1980/1, 1990/1

Spartan Reserve League Cup Winners: 1980/1, 1988/9, 1990/1

## As Leyton Pennant FC (1995-2003)

London Challenge Cup Runners-Up: 1995/6, 1996/7

Essex Senior Trophy Winners: 1995/6

Eastern Floodlit Cup Winners: 1997/8, 1998/9

Essex & Herts Champion's Cup Winners: 1996/7

Essex & Herts Border Comb Cup Winners: 1996/7

All-England Veterans Cup Winners: 2001/2

## As Waltham Forest FC (2003-2018)

Essex Senior Cup Winners: 2005/6

All-England Veterans Cup Winners: 2003/4

Suburban League Division Winners: 2005/6

Essex Veterans Cup Winners: 2017/8, 2018/9

## As Walthamstow FC (2018-Present)

Len Cordell Trophy Plate Winners: 2020/1

Essex Senior League Winners: 2021/2

## Recent Youth Teams

EJA Under 18s Trophy Winners: 2003/4

Conference Youth League: Winners: 2005/6

Essex Pelly Cup Runners-Up: 2005/6

EJA Under 15s League Cup Winners: 2021/2

JPL Under 15s National Cup Winners: 2021/2

## Awards

Essex County FA Website of the Year: 2012

Essex Senior League Programme of the Year: 2017/8, 2021/2

Soccer Swap Shop League Programme of the Year: 2018/9,

2020/1, 2021/2, 2022/3 (Runner-up 2019/20)

## Supporters' Teams

Waltham Forest Darts League Division Two Champions: 1992

Chaos Cup Wooden Spoon: 2023, 2024

WANTED:

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Walthamstow are back under the lights at Wadham Lodge on Tuesday 16 September as they prepare to host Grays Athletic in what promises to be a compelling Isthmian League Division One North clash.

Fresh off a convincing 3–0 win over Brantham Athletic at the weekend, Walthamstow will be looking to build momentum and continue climbing the table. Goals from Rasheed Salau, Callum Ibe, and Brian Garzon highlighted their attacking prowess, while a solid defensive display ensured a clean sheet and a much-needed confidence boost.

Grays Athletic arrive in East London with ambitions of their own. A side with pedigree and a strong fanbase, they've made a steady start to the season and will be keen to test themselves against a Walthamstow team that's beginning to find rhythm. Their recent form has been mixed, but they possess enough quality to pose a threat, especially on the counter.

This fixture also carries added intrigue as both clubs have aspirations of pushing toward the playoff places. Walthamstow will be hoping to make Wadham Lodge a fortress this season, and a midweek win against a respected opponent like Grays would send a strong message to the rest of the division.

Expect a fast-paced, physical contest with plenty of attacking intent. With key players like Salau and Garzon in form, and a growing sense of belief in the squad, Walthamstow will be aiming to take all three points and keep their upward trajectory going. Kick-off is at 7:45pm, and fans can look forward to an entertaining evening of football.



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