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WEEKLY ROUND-UP

'Lions Roar ' on opening day

Pagham got their season off to a storming start – roaring into a four-goal half-time lead *en route* to a five-goal rout of Crawley Down Gatwick, on the opening day of the new SCFL season, helped by an Evan Harris brace.

Horsham YMCA also recorded a 5-0 win, defeating Little Common at Gorings Mead – including two from Josh Neathey.

Petersfield on their SCFL debut recoded an impressive 3-0 win at last season's play-off semi-finalists Crowborough Athletic, with all the goals shared by the Kimber brothers, Callum & Liam.

Loxwood's Charlie Martin recorded the first goal scored in the new season – with his 8th minute strike in the 2-2 draw with Bexhill. The Pirate's in fact looked to have taken all three points with what appeared to be a winner deep into stoppage time, only for their hosts to go straight down the other end to level the scores again.

Haywards Heath took the points in the opening day battle between two of the fancied sides as they defeated Eastbourne United 2-0, United were left to rue a whole catalogue of missed chances in the first half. Meanwhile a brace from veteran striker Lee Robinson gave Newhaven the points in a 2-1 success against AFC Varndeanians, although the Dockers played with 10 men for more than half the game.

A Lewis Rustell brace helped Midhurst to a 3-1 win over Lingfield, while there was also a win for Peacehaven, 2-0 at Shoreham. Hassocks also took all three points with a solitary late goal against Saltdean United.

SATURDAY 27th JULY		
PREMIER DIVISION		
Crowborough Athletic	0 - 3 [ATT: 210]	Petersfield Town C Kimber (45+1) (65); L Kimber (57)
Hassocks J Troak (79)	1 - 0 [ATT: 305]	Saltdean United
Haywards Heath Town D Goldsmith (32); L Finney (88 pen)	2 - 0 [ATT: 354]	Eastbourne United
Horsham YMCA J Neathey (20) (62);C Collcutt (45); M Clark (69);L Roberts (77)	5 - 0 [ATT: 65]	Little Common
Loxwood C Martin (8); T Webster (90+7)	2 - 2 [ATT: 65]	Bexhill United T Capon (25); A Cook (90+6)
Midhurst & Ease. L Rustell (32) (60); L Hamilton (75)	3 - 1 [ATT: 92]	Lingfield C Wilford (90+5)
Newhaven L Robinson (32) (70)	2 - 1 [ATT: 304]	AFC Varndeanians D Gifford (90)
Pagham T Holland (14); O Hambleton (31); A Davidson (33); E Harris (44) (67)	5 - 0 [ATT: 117]	Crawley Down Gatwick
Roffey	0 - 0 [ATT: 102]	Wick
Shoreham	0 - 2 [ATT: 265]	Peacehaven & Tels. H Blackmore (14); M Hollobone (40)

RESULTS



Presentation of cheque to the Sussex MS centre, at Southwick – with proceeds raised at the Annual Dinner.

FORTHCOMING FIXTURES

TUESDAY 30th JULY

PREMIER DIVISION						
Crowborough Athletic	v	Eastbourne United		C Findlay-Geer	M James	M Preston
Hassocks	v	Bexhill United		D Cooper	G Bolton	D Bryant
Lingfield	v	Saltdean United		W Pocock	D Bailey	S Fogden
Loxwood	v	Shoreham		P O'Reilly	N Baker	N Philby
Midhurst & Ease.	v	Wick		l Lane	A Howard	A O'Brien
Petersfield Town	v	Pagham		M Spence	J Wills	B Greening
Roffey	v	Peacehaven & Tels.	7.30pm	O Lawrence	O Cotton	L Johnson

SATURDAY 3rd AUGUST

FA CUP - Extra Preliminary Round

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v	Petersfield Town	FA Appt		
v	Midhurst & Ease.	FA Appt		
v	Faversham Town	FA Appt		
v	Loxwood	FA Appt		
v	Bearsted	FA Appt		
v	Roffey	FA Appt		
v	Little Common	FA Appt		
v	Sporting Bengal Utd	FA Appt		
v	Pagham	FA Appt		
v	Haywards Heath Town	FA Appt		
v	Crawley Down Gatwick	FA Appt		
v	Newhaven	FA Appt		
v	Hollands & Blair	FA Appt		
v	Wick	FA Appt		
v	AFC Varndeanians	FA Appt		
v	Seaford Town	D Austin	D Hall	G Van Wyk
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Arundel	v	Billingshurst	D eaton	P Farmer	A Symons	
Chessington & Hook Utd	v	AFC Uckfield Town	B Cox	M Forman	P Buckland	
Godalming Town	v	Selsey	M James	B Coomber	P Shepherd	
Infinity	v	Dorking Wanderers B	J Codgell	C White	J Johnson	
Mile Oak	v	Copthorne	D Stappletpn	C Bird	W Mulvennety	
Montpelier Villa	v	Oakwood	O Radley	D Carter	E Sinyei	
Reigate Priory	v	Worthing United	J Burgess	M Goff	C Huckle	
Storrington	v	East Preston	M Ryan	A Howard	C Taylor	

SUNDAY 4th AUGUST

FA CUP - Extra Preliminary Round							
Peacehaven & Tels.	v	Shoreham		FA Appt			
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DIVISION ONE							
Forest Row	v	Banstead Athletic	1.00pm	P Lindsev	L Johnson	D Smith	
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