

## CWMBRAN CELTIC

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Jac Evans  
Andrew Larcombe ©  
Alex McDowell  
Armani Brown  
Dominic Morris  
Joseph Bowen  
Joshua Hinwood  
Cole Doolan  
Mario van Dieren  
Isaac Powell  
Lewis Ellis  
Efan Fletcher  
Arthur Furness  
Oliver Berry  
Finley Hayman  
Sam Powell  
Tim Ap Sion  
Gabriel Howells  
Evan Maidment  
Thomas Dean  
Tommy Challenger  
Iwan Hooper (GK)  
**Manager:** Simon Berry  
**Assistant:** Ryan Thomas  
**Coaches:** Stephen Muir; Conor James  
Sam Lewis; Daniel Spencer  
**First Aider:** Martin Ingram  
**Colours:** Yellow Blue Yellow

## CARDIFF DRACONIANS

### Away Squad

Harry Johnson (GK)  
Luke Davies  
Luke Bridgeman ©  
Efu Kazadi  
Marinho Manga  
Sam Cawley  
Nathan Mathias  
Samuel Roberts  
Dylan Amin  
Myles Corson  
Lewis James  
Harry Noaks (GK)  
Benjamin Hartrey  
Dafydd Ball  
Daniel Bowen  
Harry Treharne  
Luke Evans  
Jacob Benford  
Liam Mallam  
Jamal Roberts  
Harri Edwards  
**Manager:** Nana Baah  
**Assistant:** Benjamin Hartrey  
**Coaches:** Paul Smith; Darren Buttle  
**Sports Therapist:** Emma Ryan  
**First Aider:** Nicholas Driscoll  
**Colours:** Back/White Black Red

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Referee: Kris Hames (Aberdare)

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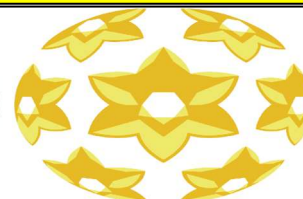
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LEAGUE TABLES 2025/26

JD CYMRU SOUTH		P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts
1	Cambrian United	19	15	2	2	47	14	33	47
2	Trefelin BGC	16	12	3	1	36	9	27	39
3	Ammanford	18	10	7	1	28	10	18	37
4	Caerau Ely	17	9	4	4	32	21	11	31
5	Newport City	18	6	9	3	25	21	4	27
6	Aberystwyth Town	17	8	3	6	21	17	4	27
7	Carmarthen Town	19	6	9	4	19	17	2	27
8	Cardiff Draconians	17	8	2	7	26	22	4	26
9	Treowen Stars	17	6	4	7	30	34	-4	22
10	Llantwit Major	17	4	8	5	19	21	-2	20
11	Baglan Dragons	17	4	7	6	21	22	-1	19
12	Pontypridd United	19	4	4	11	26	33	-7	16
13	Trethomas Bluebirds	18	3	7	8	24	35	-11	16
14	Afan Lido	18	3	3	12	16	38	-22	12
15	Ynysyhir Albions	18	3	3	12	13	38	-25	12
16	Cwmbran Celtic	17	0	5	12	13	44	-31	5

CWMBRAN CELTIC HOME/AWAY	P	W	D	L	F	A	+/-	Pts
HOME	7	0	2	5	5	16	-11	2
AWAY	10	0	3	7	8	28	-20	3
TOTAL	17	0	5	12	13	44	-31	5

Champion Conference		P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts
1	Llanelli Town	1	1	0	0	7	1	6	3
2	Abercarn United	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	Afan Lido	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	Ammanford	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	Cardiff Corinthians	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	Cwmbran Celtic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	Lliswerry	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	Newport City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	Penybont	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	South Gower	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	Trefelin BGC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	Brecon Corries	1	0	0	1	1	7	-6	0

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WELCOME TO CELTIC PARK

Celtic play visitors Cardiff Draconians tonight for the 3rd time this season. The newly promoted Draconians entertained Celtic in September in the Welsh Cup. Celtic took the lead 1-0 through a goal by Jac Evans. The hosts pulled back to take the lead before Josh Gibson equalised in the 65<sup>th</sup> minute. Draconians again took the lead, but Celtic missed the opportunity to level again in the 88<sup>th</sup> minute when Evans failed from the penalty spot and Draconians made it 4-2 with a last minute goal.

A fortnight later in the league at Celtic Park, Celtic again took the lead through Josh Gibson but Draconians scored twice in the 2<sup>nd</sup> half to win 2-1.

CARDIFF DRACONIANS LEAGUE RECORD LAST 6 SEASONS

Season	League	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	Pos
2018-19	SW ALL-P	30	21	3	6	98	40	66	3/16
2019-20	SW ALL-P	15	11	2	2	53	21	35	2/16
2021-22	ARDAL-SW	30	18	3	9	70	41	57	4/16
2022-23	ARDAL-SW	30	8	5	17	47	62	29	13/16
2023-24	ARDAL-SW	30	15	7	8	58	42	52	3/16
2024-25	ARDAL-SW	30	20	6	4	59	25	43	1/16





## A BRIEF HISTORY OF CWMBRAN CELTIC 1925-2025

Cwmbran Celtic Football Club was formed in 1925. In the early years the club was known as CYMS (Catholic Young Men's Society). After the immediate success of winning the Newport & District Division 2 Section A title in 1925/26 there was then a 25-year gap before the next trophy, the Premier Division title in 1950/51. The club disbanded in the late 1950s largely as a consequence of national service call-ups but an influx of junior and youth players brought about the re-forming of the club in 1964 under the new name Cwmbran Catholics. In 1970/71 Celtic won the Gwent Senior Cup. In 1972/73 with playing membership open to all denominations the club dropped the catholic title and re-named as Cwmbran Celtic winning the Gwent Amateur Cup and finishing runners-up in the Gwent Premier League. In 1979 the club bought its own premises at Oak Street, Old Cwmbran, the club's present headquarters. The club's ground was in Cwmbran Park but around 1995 they moved to the grounds outside Cwmbran Stadium which were shared with Cwmbran Cricket club. The cricket club later moved to Caerleon and Celtic obtained the lease from Torfaen Council.

Celtic played in the Gwent County League in the 1980s and 1990s and after gaining promotion as champions of Division 2 in 1986/87 they remained in the 1st division for the next 10 seasons. However a disastrous slide found the club languishing in the 3rd division when Paul "Dishy" Richardson became manager in 1999. He transformed the side bringing in experienced ex-Cwmbran Town stalwarts Mickey Copeman and Kevin Payne alongside teenage striker Shane Williamson who for a dozen seasons was top scorer. The side was later bolstered by the return of ex-professionals Ben Graham and Mark Parfitt who had started their careers with Celtic as juniors. There were successive promotions from the 3rd to 1st division between 1999 and 2001 and in 1999/2000 Celtic won the Gwent County league cup.

In 2004/05 under new player-manager Mickey Copeman, the club were runners-up to Clydach Wasps who applied for membership of the Welsh Football League but their ground was adjudged to be not of the required standard. Celtic applied instead. Their ground was also not up to standard but they were shared Cwmbran Stadium with Cwmbran Town and the Welsh League accepted the club's application.

In their first season in the WFL, 2005/06, Celtic struggled near the bottom of the 3rd division all season. In April they travelled to Chepstow Town needing a win to stay in the league. They went 1-0 down. With minutes of normal time remaining substitute Jason Price equalised but a draw was not enough. In the 9th minute of time added on player manager Mickey Copeman went up for a corner. The ball was cleared off the goal-line by a Chepstow defender, it hit Copeman on the back and rebounded into the net. Celtic had achieved a last gasp win and, by winning their final match against Seven Sisters, Celtic escaped relegation on goal difference.

The following season, 2006/07, Celtic, now back at their upgraded and newly named ground, Celtic Park, were transformed. They only lost two games and enjoyed a 24-match unbeaten run. They went to Risca for their last match already promoted but needed to win to secure the Championship ahead of Llanwern. With three minutes left Celtic were 1-0 down playing with 10 men after a red card for Kevin Payne. Then Sammy Winter equalised with a speculative long range shot and in the last minute a Risca clearance found full back Ben Graham outside the box. He hit a perfect looping volley over the goalkeeper's head and into the net. Celtic were champions.

In Division 2 Celtic consolidated their position in 2007/08 and 2008/09 during which they introduced a number of players from their new partnership with Fairwater High School Football Academy in Cwmbran managed by Celtic coach Della Cheedy. In 2009/10 Celtic were front runners destined to win the Championship. However they lost two key defenders at a crucial

## A BRIEF HISTORY OF CWMBRAN CELTIC 1925-2025 *(continued)*

time and vital points were dropped. Nevertheless Celtic finished their games in 1st place and would win the title if Penrhiwceiber failed to win at Newcastle Emlyn. The home side was 2-0 up at one stage but Ceiber clawed their way back to win 3-2 and deny Celtic the championship. At the end of the season Mickey Copeman stood down after seven years during which he secured three promotions which took the club from Gwent County League to the top division of the Welsh League.

In their first season in the 1st division, 2010/11 under new manager Ben Graham, Celtic struggled for much of the season and were firmly planted in the relegation zone but a superb run-in during which they won seven and drew three of 14 games earned them 12th place out of 16. In 2011/12 a good start was made under Alan Dibble who stepped down in September with the team in 5th place, to be replaced by Gareth Morgan. Either side of Christmas, Celtic were 2nd but they had a dismal end of season run and again finished 12th.

In 2012/13 with head coach Della Cheedy at the helm, Celtic started brightly with some fine performances including a 4-2 win versus reigning champions Cambrian & Clydach but they lost their way in the New year and at one stage were in last place. However, with characteristic determination they dragged themselves up the table and sealed another season in the top division with a resounding 5-1 win against Haverfordwest County. Under Steve Morgan in 2013/14 Celtic underperformed finishing 4th from bottom and with Afan Lido relegated from the Welsh Premier League, Celtic were relegated despite appealing to an FAW arbitration. With Della Cheedy back as manager in 2014/15 Celtic finished 7th in Division 2.

In 2015/16 Nicky Church started as manager but he resigned mid-season. Ex Ton Pentre boss Dean Morris took over, won two manager of the month awards, and guided Celtic to the runners-up position and promotion on the back of 10 straight wins. The club also reached the quarter finals of the Welsh Cup, going down 2-1 after a brave fight at home to WPL side Port Talbot. Josh Bull was the Welsh League's top scorer with 32 league goals.

In 2016/17, back in the 1st Division, Celtic went top of the league early in the season. Dean Morris resigned in March 2017 and first teamer Lee Challenger took over, winning his first five games in charge as the team ended in 6th place, their best position in five seasons in the top tier. In 2017/18 Celtic finished 8th in the league and enjoyed their best ever league cup run, reaching the semi-final before losing to Llanelli Town 3-0. Chris Ham was Welsh Division 1 player of the season and top scorer with 28 league goals. In 2018/19 Celtic finished a disappointing 10th in the League with Lee Challenger resigning in March 2019.

In 2019/20, for the inaugural season of the Cymru League South, Celtic installed Nicky Morgan and Simon Truman as the management team. With nine new signings there was a lot of optimism for a successful season but the team never got going and after a 6-1 drubbing at Pontypridd in January the club regretfully dismissed the management duo. Development team manager James Kinsella took over with Matthew Williams as assistant, the team finishing 13th in a curtailed season due to the pandemic.

In 2020/21, because of the covid pandemic only one game was played, a 2-0 defeat at Pontypridd Town in the Nathaniel MG League cup. In 2021/22 having lost key players, Celtic were involved in a basement battle to avoid relegation. Four successive wins late on took them out of the bottom three and an equaliser in time added on by Andrew Hewitt saved Celtic and took opponents Risca United down into the Ardal League. In 2022/23 Celtic finished 8<sup>th</sup>. In 2023/24 they finished 10<sup>th</sup> Alex Botnrhon won the Cymru South Golden Boot with 30 goals. Last season, in the club's centenary season, under new manager Simon Berry, Celtic lost several key players including Alex Bonthron during the season, but Simon recruited a number of young replacements and the team beat Llantwit Major on the last day of the season to finish 13<sup>th</sup> and avoid relegation.

# CWMBRAN CELTIC MEN'S FIXTURES & RESULTS 2025/2026

Date	Team	Venue	F - A	Scorers
20-Jul	Pontypridd United (MG Cup R1)	Away	0 - 0 2 - 4	PENS: Powell.I; Berry.T
26-Jul	Carmarthen Town	Home	0 - 4	
08-Aug	Cambrian United	Away	0 - 4	
15-Aug	Afan Lido	Home	1 - 4	Gibson
22-Aug	Trefelin BGC	Away	0 - 4	
25-Aug	Newport City	Home	1 - 1	Hinwood
30-Aug	Carmarthen Town (WBS R1)	Home	0 - 0 3 - 4	PENS: Powell.I; Dieren; Gibson
06-Sep	Treowen Stars	Away	2 - 2	Evans; Powell.I
13-Sep	Aberystwyth Town	Away	0 - 2	
20-Sep	Cardiff Draconians (WC R1)	Away	2 - 4	Evans; Gibson
26-Sep	Trethomas Bluebirds	Home	2 - 2	Gibson; Larcombe (P)
04-Oct	Cardiff Draconians	Away	1 - 2	Gibson
10-Oct	Caerau Ely	Home	0 - 2	
24-Oct	Ammanford	Away	1 - 2	Doolan
31-Oct	Baglan Dragons	Home	0 - 1	
07-Nov	Pontypridd United	Away	0 - 7	
29-Nov	Ynyshir Albions	Away	0 - 1	
27-Dec	Newport City	Away	2 - 2	Dieren (P); OG
02-Jan	Treowen Stars	Home	1 - 2	Gibson
10-Jan	Carmarthen Town	Away	2 - 2	Hinwood; Larcombe
16-Jan	Cardiff Draconians	Home		
20-Jan	Llantwit Major	Home		
23-Jan	Pontypridd United	Home		
30-Jan	Trethomas Bluebirds	Away		
14-Feb	Llantwit Major	Away		
21-Feb	Aberystwyth Town	Home		
01-Mar	Baglan Dragons	Away		
06-Mar	Ynyshir Albions	Home		
13-Mar	Trefelin BGC	Home		
21-Mar	Caerau Ely	Away		
27-Mar	Cambrian United	Home		
04-Apr	Afan Lido	Away		
18-Apr	Ammanford	Home		

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# CWMBRAN CELTIC 2025/26 MEN'S PLAYER STATISTICS

Player	Pos	JD	WC	MG	WBS	SUB	Total	Goals			MOTM	Cards	
								JD	Cup	Total		Y	R
Alex McDowell	M	8			1	4	13						
Andrew Larcombe	D	12		1		3	16	1		1	2	2	- 1
Arthur Furness	D	8		1	1	9	19					1	- 0
Cole Doolan	M	15	1	1		2	19	1		1	1	1	- 0
Dominic Morris	M					1	1						
Efan Fletcher	M	7		1		8	16					1	- 0
Evan Maidment	M	1			1	8	10					2	- 0
Finley Hayman	M	11	1	1		3	16					4	- 1
Gabriel Howells	M	3	1			8	12						
Harry Roe	D	1			1	6	8					1	- 0
Iestyn Davies	D	5					5				2	2	- 0
Isaac Powell	M	16	1	1	1		19	1		1	1	3	- 0
Iwan Hooper	GK	6		1	1		8						
Jac Evans	D	12	1		1	2	16	1	1	2	2		
James Conway	M					1	1						
Joseph Bowen	M	8	1	1	1	1	12						
Joshua Gibson	M	12	1	1	1	4	19	4	1	5	2	1	- 0
Joshua Hinwood	D	13	1				14	1		1		3	- 0
Kian Bodenham	D	3				2	5				2		
Lewis Watkins	GK	11	1				12				2		
Lloyd Perkins	M	1				3	4						
Louis Cochrane	M	1					1						
Luke Edwards	D	5		1		2	8				2		
Mario van Dieren	M	12	1		1	1	15	1		1	4	3	- 0
Oliver Berry	D	1				6	7						
Robert Jones	F	1				1	2					1	- 0
Sam Powell	D	13	1	1			15					3	- 0
Tom Berry	F					2	2						
Thomas Dean	M					4	4						
Tommy Challenger	M					3	3						
Tyler Broom	D	1			1	7	9					2	- 0

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## JD CYMRU SOUTH FIXTURES (Round 16)

Afan Lido	0-2	Ynyshir Albions
Ammanford	v	Aberystwyth Town
Caerau Ely	v	Treowen Stars
Cambrian United	3-0	Carmarthen Town
Cwmbran Celtic	v	Cardiff Draconians
Newport City	0-0	Pontypridd United
Trefelin BGC	v	Baglan Dragons
Trethomas Bluebirds	2-2	Llantwit Major




### CWMBRAN CELTIC SOCIAL MEDIA LINKS

Keep up to date with all the news and action at Cwmbran Celtic football club.

**CLUB WEBSITE:** [cwmbrenceltic.com](http://cwmbrenceltic.com)

Contains the latest news and dedicated sections for each of the club's teams containing current and past facts and figures. There is also a gallery featuring photos of the club's current and past games and social activities.

 Men: @CwmbranCeltic1; Women: @CwmbranCeltLFC  
Instant access to all the news, chat and banter as it happens.

 **CWMBRAN CELTIC FC MEDIABOX:**

Maintained by club photographer Steve Roberts. Mainly photographs, but access to news, chat and banter for those who prefer Facebook.

### OTHER FOOTBALL LINKS OF INTEREST

Unofficial Welsh League Message Board: <http://welshleague.proboards.com/posts/>

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JD CYMRU SOUTH 25/26	Aberystwyth Town	Afan Lido	Ammanford	Baglan Dragons	Caerau Ely	Cambrian United	Cardiff Draconians	Carmarthen Town	Cwmbran Celtic	Llantwit Major	Newport City	Pontypridd United	Trefelin BGC	Treowen Stars	Trethomas Bluebirds	Ynyshir Albions
Aberystwyth Town	X	28-Mar	25-Aug 0 0	09-Aug 2 1	01-Mar	29-Nov 1 2	24-Jan	01-Jan 1 1	13-Sep 2 0	04-Apr	25-Oct 0 1	16-Aug 0 0	08-Nov 0 2	14-Feb	14-Mar	22-Nov 4 0
Afan Lido	27-Sep 0 1	X	01-Mar	10-Oct 1 1	31-Oct 3 2	13-Mar	16-Sep 1 3	23-Jan	04-Apr	20-Mar	13-Feb	15-Nov 2 2	30-Dec 0 2	09-Aug 0 4	20-Feb	16-Dec 0 2
Ammanford	24-Feb	07-Nov 6 0	X	20-Mar	05-Sep 3 2	20-Feb	06-Mar	10-Oct 1 1	24-Oct 2 1	08-Aug 2 1	03-Apr	26-Sep 1 1	23-Jan	22-Aug 1 0	13-Feb	03-Jan 2 0
Baglan Dragons	tba	26-Dec 3 1	29-Nov 0 3	X	14-Mar	27-Sep 0 1	13-Sep 0 0	28-Mar	01-Mar	04-Oct 1 1	17-Aug 3 3	27-Jul 3 0	06-Sep 1 1	25-Oct 3 4	18-Apr	07-Nov 2 1
Caerau Ely	20-Dec 1 0	06-Mar	31-Jan	17-Sep 2 1	X	07-Nov 2 3	02-Jan 2 1	20-Feb	21-Mar	12-Sep 0 0	21-Oct 4 3	25-Aug 2 0	16-Jan	20-Jan	08-Aug 1 1	03-Apr
Cambrian United	21-Mar	12-Sep 4 0	14-Nov 1 1	03-Apr	13-Feb	X	01-Nov 5 2	13-Dec 3 0	08-Aug 4 0	22-Aug 2 1	23-Jan	01-Jan 1 0	10-Oct 0 2	25-Jul 4 0	01-Mar	25-Aug 2 0
Cardiff Draconians	06-Sep 3 1	18-Apr	26-Jul 0 1	14-Feb	16-Aug 0 1	10-Jan 0 2	X	14-Mar	04-Oct 2 1	26-Dec 2 0	28-Mar	01-Mar	07-Feb	08-Nov 4 3	25-Oct 3 0	31-Jan
Carmarthen Town	22-Aug 1 0	24-Oct 1 0	26-Dec 0 1	25-Aug 0 0	28-Nov 1 1	04-Oct 0 0	09-Aug 2 1	X	10-Jan 2 2	30-Jan	27-Sep 1 0	04-Apr	13-Feb	12-Sep 1 1	08-Nov 1 1	21-Mar
Cwmbran Celtic	21-Feb	15-Aug 1 4	18-Apr	31-Oct 0 1	10-Oct 0 2	27-Mar	16-Jan	26-Jul 0 4	X	20-Jan	25-Aug 1 1	23-Jan	13-Mar	02-Jan 1 2	26-Sep 2 2	06-Mar
Llantwit Major	26-Jul 1 2	29-Nov 1 0	14-Mar	03-Jan 0 0	28-Mar	18-Apr	27-Sep 0 2	16-Aug 0 0	14-Feb	X	08-Nov 2 2	11-Oct 2 0	01-Mar	24-Jan	06-Sep 2 1	25-Oct 2 1
Newport City	31-Jan	25-Jul 1 0	01-Nov 0 0	06-Mar	09-Jan 1 1	05-Sep 2 1	10-Dec 2 1	01-Mar	27-Dec 2 2	20-Feb	X	05-Dec 0 0	18-Apr	20-Mar	10-Oct 1 1	22-Aug 1 1
Pontypridd United	26-Dec 0 1	30-Jan	09-Jan 0 3	21-Feb	18-Apr	24-Oct 2 4	22-Aug 1 2	05-Sep 3 1	07-Nov 7 0	06-Mar	12-Sep 1 3	X	27-Mar	03-Oct 5 2	28-Nov 2 1	08-Aug 2 3
Trefelin BGC	07-Mar	04-Oct 0 0	12-Sep 2 0	27-Jan	26-Dec 3 0	30-Jan	20-Mar	14-Nov 2 0	22-Aug 4 0	25-Aug 3 3	09-Aug 0 2	01-Nov 2 0	X	03-Apr	09-Jan 3 1	20-Feb
Treowen Stars	11-Oct 2 3	tba	28-Mar	31-Jan	27-Sep 0 5	07-Mar	21-Feb	18-Apr	06-Sep 2 2	01-Nov 1 1	29-Nov 2 0	14-Mar	16-Aug 1 3	X	26-Dec 2 0	15-Nov 3 0
Trethomas Bluebirds	01-Nov 2 3	22-Aug 3 2	03-Oct 1 1	20-Dec 2 1	23-Jan	15-Aug 0 5	04-Apr	06-Mar	30-Jan	05-Dec 2 2	06-Feb	20-Mar	25-Jul 1 2	25-Aug 1 1	X	13-Sep 4 1
Ynyshir Albions	18-Apr	06-Sep 1 2	16-Aug 0 0	24-Jan	26-Jul 1 4	26-Dec 1 3	11-Oct 0 0	01-Nov 0 2	29-Nov 1 0	tba	14-Mar	14-Feb	27-Sep 0 5	01-Mar	28-Mar	X



### MATCH REPORT: CWMBRAN CELTIC 1 - 2 TREOWEN STARS (02-Jan)

Cwmbran Celtic's run without a win stretched into the New Year to 19 games when they went down to Gwent rivals Treowen Stars under the Celtic Park floodlights. For the visitors, who fielded 3 ex-Celtic players, centre backs Tommy James and Callum Hodges and striker Tom Meachan, this was their 4<sup>th</sup> successive league win.

The crowd was a Celtic league record 262 spectators, testament to the contribution that floodlit football gives to local football. Chances were few

and far between and it was the Stars who took the lead in the 27<sup>th</sup> minute when a wicked curve on Gavin Meachen's corner sent the ball past the crowded box to the far post



where Tommy James had the simplest of tap ins. Celtic's only chance of the half occurred in the 40<sup>th</sup> minute when, from a corner, they had 3 strikes at goal, but all were half hit and eventually Treowen's veteran keeper Cael Jones gathered the ball to clear.

In the 2<sup>nd</sup> half, on the hour the Stars brought on substitute Maccsen Evans and 3 minutes later he put his side 2-0 ahead when, from a corner, Callum Hodges, pulled away from the melee in the goalmouth and back flicked the ball into the 6-yard box where Evans was quickest to react to poke the ball over the line. Celtic brought on substitute Josh Gibson and in the 86<sup>th</sup> minute he pulled a goal back for Celtic. A throw from the right was cleared to Isaac Powell whose measured cross was met by Gibson whose shot was not hit with any power but it squirmed through the keeper's legs into the net. Celtic pushed to the end and, in the 4<sup>th</sup> minute of time added on, Jones punched a cross clear but it fell to Gibson who shimmied sideways to make room for a shot but, off balance, he screwed his shot wide of the far upright and Treowen survived to take the 3 points. *JOHN STOCKWELL*

### MATCH REPORT: CARMATHEN TOWN 2 - 2 CWMBRAN CELTIC (10-Jan)

Cwmbran Celtic fought back from two goals down to earn a 2-2 draw away at Carmarthen Town on Saturday.

Carmarthen forward Liam Thomas rounded Lewis Watkins and rolled the ball home six minutes before half-time to put his side ahead at the break, before Keyon Reffell then doubled the lead five minutes after the restart with a clinical low finish into the bottom corner.

The hosts were seemingly in control of the contest, but Celtic pulled a goal back through Josh Hinwood on 72 minutes before he turned provider to set up captain Andy Larcombe to equalise in stoppage time.

Seventh-place Carmarthen now sit 10 points behind the promotion spots, while Celtic are seven points adrift of safety but with a game in hand on the three teams above them.





## CWMBRAN CELTIC PEN PICTURES 2025/2026

Ages are at 18 July 2025 Appearances & Goals in brackets [ ] up to & including April 2025

### Goalkeepers

**Lewis Watkins:** goalkeeper, age 33. Celtic's longest serving player. Joined from Newport County youth 2010. No 2 keeper during his early years but has shown great dedication & continuous improvement between the sticks. Captain 2021/22. Debut: Caldicot Town Aug 10. [209]

**Iwan Hooper:** goalkeeper, age 22. Joined 2022/23 from Westfields. Former clubs: Hereford FC, Cheltenham Town, Chippenham Town. Was in Cymru South league squad v Cymru North 2024. Left club briefly last season to join Taffs Well but returned in March. Debut: Taffs Well Jul 23. [35]

### Defenders

**Oliver Berry:** Left back, age 19. Signed from Risca U last season. Spent a season on loan at Caerleon to gain senior experience. Son of manager Simon Berry. Debut: Trefelin BGC Aug 24 [28/1]

**Dominic Connor:** left wing/back, age 38. Elder statesman of the team. Signed from Caldicot T 2011/12. Former clubs: Chepstow T, Garden City juniors. Top scorer 2014/15 with 14 goals. Debut: AFC Porth Oct 11 scoring the only goal. [292/40]

**Sam Powell:** right back, age 28. Product of Celtic juniors & youth. Elder brother of Isaac. Son of John Powell, ex-Cwmbran Town player & Celtic coach. Debut: Cwmbran U Apr 19. [81/4]

**Kian Bodenham:** right back, age 20. Joined from Barry Town U. Former club: Goytre. Missed most of last season with serious leg injury. Brother Jack plays professional for The New Saints. Father Paul played for Celtic Juniors & 1<sup>st</sup> team in Gwent County. Debut: Taffs Well Jul 22. [69/1]

**Jac Evans:** left back, age 19. Signed this season. Former club: Goytre.

**Arthur Furness:** left back, age 31. Signed last season in transfer window. Former clubs: Risca United, Abergavenny Town, Stoke Gifford. Academy coach at Bristol Rovers. Debut: Feb 25 Carmarthen T [9/1]

**Andrew Larcombe:** centre back, age 37. Joined 2014/15. Captain Fantastic. Can also play midfield, striker & stand-in goalkeeper. Former clubs: Undy A, Llanwern, Liswerry, Newport YMCA, Eveswell. Debut: Blaenavon Blues Sep 14. [294/30]

### Midfielders

**Joseph Bowen:** centre midfield, age 22. Signed last season in transfer window from Ammanford. Former clubs: Cardiff MET, Dafen Welfare, Llanelli Town. Debut: Jan 25 Trefelin BGC [9] Pontypridd U, Cambrian, Risca U, Cascade YC. Debut: Feb 25 Goytre U. [8]

## CWMBRAN CELTIC PEN PICTURES 2025/2026 (continued)



Lewis Watkins



Iwan Hooper



Oliver Berry



Dominic Connor



Samuel Powell



Kian Bodenham



Mario van Dieren



Efan Fletcher



Evan Maidment



Jac Evans



Finley Hayman



Joseph Bowen



Cole Doolan



Isaac Powell



JD CYMRU SOUTH			Result	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	
18-Jul	Fri	Pontypridd United (MG Cup R1)	0 - 0 2 - 4	Hooper	Furness	*Edwards	Powell.S	Larcombe	Bowen	Doolan	Hayman	Powell.I 1p	Fletcher	Gibson	Dean	Maidment	Berry.T 1p	McDowell	Challenger	Jones	Cochrane	
26-Jul	Sat	Carmarthen Town	0 - 4	Hooper	Furness	Edwards	Bowen	*Larcombe	Powell.S	Doolan	Hayman	Jones	Fletcher	Gibson	Howells	Maidment	Challenger	Berry.O	Broom	Roe	Berry.T	
08-Aug	Fri	Cambrian United	0 - 4	Hooper	Furness	*Edwards	Cochrane	Larcombe	Powell.S	Doolan	Dieren	Roe	Fletcher	Gibson	Berry.O	Watkins	Broom	Howells	Maidment	Powell.I	Perkins	
15-Aug	Fri	Afan Lido	1 - 4	Watkins	Broom	Edwards	Bowen	Hinwood	Perkins	Doolan	Dieren	Larcombe	Fletcher	*Gibson 1	Roe	Hooper	Furness	Howells	Berry	Powell.I	Hayman	
22-Aug	Fri	Trefelin BGC	0 - 4	Watkins	Furness	Edwards	Bowen	Powell.S	Hinwood	Hayman	Dieren	Larcombe	Evans	*Gibson	Doolan	Hooper	Perkins	Roe	Powell.I	Broom	Maintenance	
25-Aug	Mon	Newport City	1 - 1	Watkins	Powell.S	Doolan	Bowen	*Dieren	Hinwood 1	Hayman	Edwards	Larcombe	McDowell	Gibson	Furness	Hooper	Broom	Roe	Evans	Powell.I	Maintenance	
30-Aug	Sat	Carmarthen Town (WBS R1) Pens	0 - 0 3 - 4	Hooper	Broom	Evans	Bowen	*Dieren 1p	Hinwood	Roe	McDowell	Gibson 1p	Furness	Maidment	Doolan	Watkins	Hayman	Larcombe	Edwards	Powell.I 1p	Davies	
06-Sep	Sat	Treowen Stars	2 - 2	Hooper	Powell.S	*Doolan	Bowen	Davies	Larcombe	Hayman	McDowell	Evans 1	Furness	Gibson		Watkins	Maidment	Edwards	Conway	Powell.I 1	Perkins	
13-Sep	Sat	Aberystwyth Town	0 - 2	Watkins	Powell.S	Furness	Bowen	Davies	*Dieren	Maidment		Howells	Evans	Gibson	Broom	Hooper	Larcombe	Fletcher	Roe	Powell.I		
20-Sep	Sat	Cardiff Draconians (WC R1)	2 - 4	Watkins	Powell.S	Doolan	Bowen	*Dieren	Hinwood	Hayman	Fletcher	Howells	Evans 1	Gibson 1	Furness	Hooper	McDowell	Maidment	Roe	Powell.I	Broom	
26-Sep	Fri	Trethomas Bluebirds	2 - 2	Watkins	Powell.S	Evans	Hayman	Dieren	Hinwood	Doolan	Fletcher	*Larcombe (P)	McDowell	Gibson 1	Furness	Hooper	Broom	Howells	Roe	Powell.I		
04-Oct	Sat	Cardiff Draconians	1 - 2	Watkins	Powell.S	*Evans	Hayman	Roe	Hinwood	Doolan	Fletcher	Larcombe	McDowell	Gibson 1	Furness	Hooper	Broom	Howells	Dieren	Powell.I	Bowen	
10-Oct	Fri	Caerau Ely	0 - 2	Watkins	McDowell	Evans	Powell.S	*Davies	Hinwood	Hayman	Bowen	Doolan	Fletcher	Furness	Berry.O	Hooper	Broom	Howells	Dieren	Powell.I		
24-Oct	Fri	Ammanford	1 - 2	Hooper	McDowell	Evans	Powell.S	*Davies	Hinwood	Dieren	Bowen	Doolan 1	Fletcher	Maidment	Furness	Broom	Berry.O	Gibson	Roe	Powell.I	Howells	
31-Oct	Fri	Baglan Dragons	0 - 1	Hooper	McDowell	Evans	Powell.S	Davies	Hinwood	Dieren	Doolan	Gibson	Fletcher	Furness	Berry.O	Broom	Hayman	Maidment	Roe	*Powell.I	Dean	
07-Nov	Fri	Pontypridd United	0 - 7	Hooper	McDowell	Evans	Powell.S	Dieren	Hinwood	Hayman	Doolan	Gibson	Fletcher	Furness	Berry.O	Watkins	Larcombe	*Bodenham	Roe	Powell.I	Howells	
29-Nov	Sat	Ynyshir Albions	0 - 1	*Watkins	Powell.S	Berry	Dieren	Larcombe	Hinwood	Doolan	Fletcher	Evans	Furness	Gibson	McDowell	Hooper	Hayman	Maidment	Bodenham	Powell.I	Dean	
27-Dec	Sat	Newport City	2 - 2	Watkins	*Bodenham	Evans	Hayman	Dieren (P)	Hinwood	Doolan	Powell.I	Larcombe	Howells	Furness	Gibson	Hooper	Fletcher	Maidment	Berry	Dean	Challenger	
02-Jan	Fri	Treowen Stars	1 - 2	Watkins	Bodenham	Evans	Hayman	Dieren	Hinwood	Doolan	Powell.I	Larcombe	Howells	Furness	Gibson 1	Hooper	Fletcher	Maidment	McDowell	Dean	Challenger	
10-Jan	Sat	Carmarthen Town	2 - 2	*Watkins	Furness	Evans	Hayman	Bodenham	Hinwood 1	Doolan	Powell.I	Larcombe 1	Fletcher	MvDowell	Howells	Hooper	Challenger	Maidment	Morris	Dean		
16-Jan	Fri	Cardiff Draconians																				
20-Jan	Tue	Llantwit Major																				
23-Jan	Fri	Pontypridd United																				
30-Jan	Fri	Trethomas Bluebirds																				
14-Feb	Sat	Llantwit Major																				
21-Feb	Sat	Aberystwyth Town																				
01-Mar	Sun	Baglan Dragons																				
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## CWMBRAN CELTIC PEN PICTURES 2025/2026 (continued)



Thomas Dean



Louis Cochrane



Alex McDowell



Tommy Challenger



Gabriel Howells



Tom Berry



Andrew Larcombe



Simon Berry



Ryan Thomas



Martin Ingram



Stephen Muir



Conor James



Sam Lewis

## CWMBRAN CELTIC PEN PICTURES 2025/2026 (continued)

### Midfielders

**Tommy Challenger:** midfield, age 18. Signed last season in transfer window. Former clubs: Pontypridd U, Cambrian, Risca U, Cascade YC. Debut: Feb 25 Goytre U. [8]

**Thomas Dean:** Midfield, age 19. Signed from Taffs Well January 2025 and had a short break with Tredegar Town, but rejoined August this season. Previous clubs include Pontypridd United, Tonyrefail and Cambrian United.

**Louis Cochrane:** midfield, age 28. Played for Celtic Juniors. Left to study at Cardiff MET. Re-joined club in 2020. Debut: Llanelli T Nov 24 [8]

**Cole Doolan:** midfield, age 25. Joined 2022/23 from Croesyceiliog. Debut: Ynyshir Feb 23. [16]

**Finley Hayman:** midfield, age 21. Joined this season. Former clubs: Taffs Well, Trethomas Bluebirds, Trefelin BGC, Llantwit Major, Canton. Debut: Pontypridd U Jul 25

**Alex McDowell:** midfield, age 28. Product of Celtic juniors & Academy. Graduated from Leeds Beckett University where he was captain in final year. Futsal for Cardiff University & Wales. Debut: Caerau (Ely) Mar 14. [164/5]

**Isaac Powell:** centre midfield, age 24. Former clubs: Hereford Lads, Westfields, Cwmbran T, Albion Rovers, Griffithstown. Debut: Cwmaman U Feb 18 [114/7]

**Mario Van Dieren:** midfield, age 29. Joined last season after international transfer deadline so played for Reserves for whom he was Player of Season. Debut: Llanelli T Aug 24 [24/1]

### Forwards

**Tom Berry:** Forward, age 28. Signed this season. Son of manager Simon Berry. Former clubs: Sifil, Risca U. Debut: Pontypridd U Jul 25

**Efan Fletcher:** Forward, age 18. Signed this season. Former clubs: Baglan Dragons, Goytre U, Cambrian U. Debut: Pontypridd U Jul 25

**Gabriel Howells:** forward, age 18. Product of Celtic Academy. Debut: Taffs Well Jul 23. [21/5]

**Evan Maidment:** midfield, age 18. Product of Cwmbran Celtic Academy.

### Management Team

**Simon Berry:** Manager. Joined last season after 7 years at Risca United, firstly as coach & then as manager. Previously managed Newport Civil Service & Monmouth Town youth who were Welsh Youth league champions in 2015/16. Played for Cromwell in Gwent County & Newport Civil Service in Welsh League.

**Stephen Muir:** Assistant Manager. Joined last season from Caerleon.

**Sam (The Trucker) Lewis:** GK Coach. Product of Newport & District football. Head of Celtic Women's Football. Debut Goytre U Aug 22. [1]

**Martin Ingram:** Physio and kit man.

**Conor James:** Physio. Ex Celtic junior & youth. USW student. Celtic Academy coach.

**Ryan Thomas:** Football analyst.

## A BRIEF HISTORY OF CARDIFF DRACONIANS

The Draconians were founded in 1963, receiving special permission to use the Draconians name first used by a Welsh representative side. In their first season in the Cardiff Combination League, they finished as Second Division champions.

The club changed its name to Gabalfa Draconians at about the time that the Llanidloes Road ground was first used for home games (1984–85 season), before reverting to their original name in 2000 when they entered the South Wales Amateur League.

After finishing as runner-up in the South Wales Alliance League Premier Division in 2019–20 and being granted a tier 3 licence by the Football Association of Wales, the club initially failed to gain a place in the new tier 3. However, after the withdrawal and folding of STM Sports, on 3 August 2020 the club was informed that they had been accepted to the new tier 3 Ardal Leagues South West for the 2020–21 season as the highest placed team from the Alliance League who had been awarded a licence.

In their first season in the Ardal South West, the club were runners up in the first Ardal Southern Cup final.

The club finished champions of the Ardal South West in the 2024-25 season and were promoted to the Cymru South (the Welsh second tier) for the first time in their history.



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## MATCH REPORT: CWMBRAN CELTIC 5 - 1 LLANTWIT FARDRE (21-Dec)

*Women: Bute Energy Welsh Cup (R2)*

Celtic lined up in the Welsh Cup round 2 against Division 1 side Llantwit Fardre at Llantarnam School. The visitors were on a run of 8 games without defeat. Celtic gave Alex Cridland a start in goal and they took a 2-0 lead in the 1<sup>st</sup> half with goals in the 7<sup>th</sup> minute by Casey Daniels and 39<sup>th</sup> minute by Cerys Shipley, both from assists by Hollie Channing.

In the 2<sup>nd</sup> half Celtic scored 2 more goals - another for Cerys Shipley on 47 minutes and on 52 minutes by Georgie Cridland which was a 3<sup>rd</sup> assist by Hollie Channing and her 5<sup>th</sup> assist in this cup competition. Carys Woodward pulled a goal back for Llantwit in the 55<sup>th</sup> minute but Fiona Anthony made the score 5-1 in the 82<sup>nd</sup> minute with her 9<sup>th</sup> goal of the season.

Celtic gave first outings of the season to substitutes Sian Anthony and 17-year-old Nevaeh Cole for whom it was the youngster's debut after having played 8 games for Celtic Reserves since her move from Pontypridd at the start of the season.

JOHN STOCKWELL

## MATCH REPORT: COED DUON 0 - 10 CWMBRAN CELTIC (04-Jan)

*Women: Hugh James Cup (R3)*

Celtic's SWFA 3<sup>rd</sup> round cup game against Coed Duon was played at the Blackwood Comp School 3G. Celtic were always in control against their Division 1 hosts. They were 4-0 ahead at half time. The goals from Lauren Boyd (8 minutes), an own goal (28 minutes), Lauren Boyd again (30 minutes) and Hollie Channing from a Boyd assist (45 minutes).

In the 2<sup>nd</sup> half Coed Duon held out until the 60<sup>th</sup> minute when the floodgates opened. Lauren Boyd laid on a goal for Gracie Grosvenor. Maisie Morris assisted 2 goals, for Jodie Challenger (69 minutes) and Gracie Grosvenor (74 minutes). Celtic continued to press and captain Eloise Meaney scored two goals (84 & 86 minutes) both assisted by Lauren Boyd and Fiona Anthony made the score 10-0 (87 minutes) from an assist by Cerys Shipley.

Lauren Boyd was Celtic's most influential player with 2 goals which take her to 13 for the season and 4 assists.

JOHN STOCKWELL





## CWMBRAN CELTIC 2025/26 WOMEN'S PLAYER STATISTICS

Player	Pos	Appearances						Goals			MOTM	Cards Y - R
		ADRAN	TROPHY	WC	SWFA	SUB	Total	ADRAN	CUP	Total		
Abigail Jones	D	3	4	3	2	1	13		1	1		
Alex Cridland	F		2	3		4	9		4	4		
Amie Preston-Roberts	GK	5	4	2	2		13					
Casey Daniels	F	1		2	1		4		4	4		
Cerys Pinchard	M	4	4	1	2		11	1	1	2	2	
Cerys Shipley	F	4	4	1	1	2	12		1	1	1	
Elena Scrivens	D	1	1	1		4	7					
Ellie Bidhendi	M	3	1	1		4	9		1	1		
Eloise Meaney	M	4	4	1	2	1	12		2	2	1	1 - 1
Ffion Evans	F				1	3	4		1	1		
Fiona Anthony	M	5	4	2	1	2	14	2	6	8	1	
Georgina Cridland	M	4	3	3	2	2	14		1	1	1	
Gracie Grosvenor	M	1		1	1	7	10		7	7	1	
Hollie Channing	F			3	1	9	13		1	1	1	2 - 0
Jodie Challenger	M	3	2	2	2	1	10		4	4	1	
Kaitlin Smith	F	1	2				3	1	1	2	1	
Lauren Boyd	M	4	2	2	1	3	12	3	10	13	1	
Macey Morris	M	3	2	1	1	3	10	2	1	3	1	
Mia Peacock	F					4	4					
Natalia Shwartz	D	5	1	1		1	8				1	
Nevaeh Cole	M					1	1					
Sian Anthony	D					1	1					
Summer Bowen-Quirk	M	4	4	3	2	1	14				1	1 - 0

## CWMBRAN CELTIC WOMEN'S FIXTURES & RESULTS 2025/2026

Date	Team	Venue	F - A	Scorers
07-Sep	Taffs Well (Trophy Group1)	Away	2 - 2	Boyd (2)
14-Sep	Penybont (Trophy Group1)	Away	2 - 1	Smith; Cridland.A
28-Sep	Carmarthen Town	Away	1 - 2	Smith
05-Oct	Llanelli Town	Home	4 - 0	Anthony.F (2); Boyd; Morris
12-Oct	Cascade (Trophy Group1)	Home	3 - 1	Anthony.F (2); Cridland.G
19-Oct	Penclawdd Bute Energy Welsh Cup (Q2)	Away	4 - 0	Anthony.F; Cridland.A (2); Boyd
23-Oct	Llanrumney United Hugh James SWFA Cup (R2)	Home	5 - 0	Challenger (2); Morris; Grosvenor; Evans
02-Nov	Penybont	Home	1 - 1	Pinchard; Bowen-Quirk (OG)
09-Nov	Briton Ferry Llansawel Genero Adran Trophy Cup (L16)	Away	2 - 3	Pinchard; Shipley
16-Nov	Taffs Well	Away	2 - 0	Morris; Boyd
30-Nov	Wattsville Bute Energy Welsh Cup (R1)	Away	19 - 0	Boyd (5); Daniels (4); Grosvenor (4); Anthony.F (2); Jones; Cridland.A;
07-Dec	Pure Swansea	Away	1 - 0	Boyd
21-Dec	Llantwit Fardre Bute Energy Welsh Cup (R2)	Home	5 - 1	Daniels; Shipley (2); Cridland.G; Anthony.F
04-Jan	Coed Duon Hugh James Cup (R3)	Away	10 - 0	Boyd (2); Channing; Meaney (2); Grosvenor (2); Challenger; OG;
18-Jan	Cardiff Met	Home		
25-Jan	Taffs Well	Home		
01-Feb	Penybont	Away		
08-Feb	Briton Ferry Llansawel Bute Energy Welsh Cup (QF)	Home		
15-Feb	Cascade YC	Away		
22-Feb	Cambrian United Hugh James Cup (QF)	Away		
01-Mar	Pure Swansea	Home		
15-Mar	Cardiff Met	Away		
22-Mar	Carmarthen Town	Home		
05-Apr	Llanelli Town	Away		
	Cascade YC	Home		

## WOMEN'S LEAGUE TABLE 2025/26

	GENERO ADRAN SOUTH	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts
1	Cardiff Met	6	5	0	1	17	7	10	15
2	Pure Swansea	6	4	0	2	10	7	3	12
3	Carmarthen Town	6	4	0	2	10	8	2	12
4	Cwmbbran Celtic	5	3	1	1	9	3	6	10
5	Penybont	6	3	1	2	11	12	-1	10
6	Llanelli Town	6	1	1	4	5	12	-7	4
7	Taffs Well	6	1	1	4	6	14	-8	4
8	Cascade YC	5	0	0	5	5	10	-5	0



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## CWMBRAN CELTIC 1st TEAM STATISTICS

Cwmbran Celtic 1st Team Statistics								
League	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	Position
2005/06 Div 3	34	11	3	20	43	60	36	15th (18)
2006/07 Div 3	32	20	10	2	68	35	70	1st (17) Champions
2007/08 Div 2	34	12	8	14	52	60	44	9th (18)
2008/09 Div 2	34	17	7	10	69	51	58	6th (18)
2009/10 Div 2	34	21	6	7	75	33	69	2nd (18) Promoted
2010/11 Div 1	30	10	7	13	45	50	37	12th (16)
2011/12 Div 1	30	12	2	16	32	54	38	12th (16)
2012/13 Div 1	28	9	5	14	41	52	32	12th (15)
2013/14 Div 1	30	7	5	18	40	58	26	13th (16) Relegated
2014/15 Div 2	30	11	14	5	53	31	47	7th (16)
2015/16 Div 2	30	24	0	6	89	33	72	2nd (16) Promoted
2016/17 Div 1	30	14	3	13	60	50	45	6th (16)
2017/18 Div 1	30	14	4	12	67	51	46	8th (16)
2018/19 Div 1	30	10	6	14	49	57	36	10th (16)
2019/20 Cymru (S)	22	6	4	12	29	44	22	13th (16)
2021/22 Cymru (S)	30	10	4	16	43	74	34	13th (16)
2022/23 Cymru (S)	30	10	8	12	62	53	38	8th (16)
2023/24 Cymru (S)	30	12	6	12	69	64	42	9th (16)
2024/25 Cymru (S)	30	9	3	18	39	62	30	13th (16)
2025/26 Cymru (S)	17	0	5	12	13	44	5	16th (16)
<b>Total</b>	<b>548</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>246</b>	<b>1038</b>	<b>1016</b>	<b>792</b>	

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**Support All Ages:** Your contribution directly funds everything from mini footballers to our 60+ walking football teams.

**Community First:** Every entry helps us strengthen our local community through sport, friendship, and fun.

**£10/Month:** A small commitment that makes a big impact on the future of Cwmbran Celtic.

**Be Part of the Legacy:** Help us build on 100 years of football and friendship – and lay the foundations for the next century!

**The way it works.**

Members will be asked to pay £10/ month by direct debit.

Members will be allocated a dedicated Number which they will keep until they cease membership.

(eg – if there are 300 members – members will get a number between 1 & 300).

Each month we'll do a random number draw for a cash prize(s).

A random number generator will be used to select the numbers.

The draw will be done live on Facebook & available to watch. It will also be available on our website.

*The small print*  
 The committee reserves the right to change the amounts & number of prizes & introduce special prize draws at their discretion. In case of dispute, the committees' decision is final.

**CLUB OFFICIALS SEASON 2025/2026**

President	John Stockwell
Chairman	Simon Berry
Vice Chairman	Malcolm Jarrett
Director of Football	Micky Copeman
General Secretary	Karen Robinson
Football Secretary	Tony Strange
Treasurer	Sue Perrett
Honorary Life Vice Presidents	Brian Stanley; Malcolm Jarrett
Safeguarding Officer	Karen Robinson
Newport & District Secretary	Matthew Hewkins
Media Officer	Neil Jones
First Team Manager	Simon Berry
First Team Assistant Manager	Ryan Thomas
First Team Kit Manager	Martin Ingram
Reserve Team Manager	Neil Jones
Reserve Assistant Manager	Ian Rawlings
Third Team Manager	Matthew Hewkins
Third Team Assistant Managers	Gareth Hinwood
Women's First Team Manager	Georgia Shwartz
Women's Development Manager	Kimberly Harrison
Women's Secretary	Lydia Meaney
Fund Raising Co-Ordinator	Andrea Jones; Justin Desmond
Transport Manager	Tony Strange
Ground Maintenance Squad	Patrick Murphy; Malcolm Jarrett; Steve Roberts
Programme Editors	John Stockwell; Tony Strange
Club Photographers	Steve Roberts
Kit Co-ordinator	Sue Perrett
Match Day Announcer	Malcolm Jarrett
Match Day Shop	Karen Robinson; Stephen Perkins; Tony Strange
Match Day Catering	Karen Robinson
Match Day Gateman	Andrew Bown
Match Reporter	John Stockwell

**Club Kit Information**  
 Colours  
 Alternative Colours

Yellow shirts, blue shorts & yellow socks  
 Green shirts, green shorts & green socks

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**Affiliations**  
 Football Association of Wales Limited, Gwent County Football Association & South Wales Football Association



**CYMRU LEAGUES**



## CWMBRAN CELTIC HONOURS

### Welsh League:

Division 2 Runners-up (2) 2009/10, 2015/16  
 Division 3 Winners 2006/7  
 Reserve Division (East) Winners (3) 2009/10, 2010/11, 2016/17, 2018/19; Runners up 2012/13, 2017/2018

### Gwent County:

Division 1 Runners-up 2004/5  
 Division 2 Winners 1986/7; Runners-up 2000/1  
 Division 3 Runners-up 1999/2000  
 Premier League Runners-up 1972/3  
 Senior Cup Winners 1970/1; Runners-up (2) 2007/8, 2008/9  
 Amateur Cup Winners 1972/3  
 Challenge Cup Winners 2000/1

### Newport & District League:

Premier Division Winners (6) Premier 1950/1, Premier A 1969/70, Premier Y 2000/1, 2006/7, 2009/10, 2010/11, 2022/23; Runners-up (3) Premier 1956/7, Premier Y 2005/6, 2016/17 Runners-up (1) 2024/25  
 Winners 1968/9; Runners-up (3) 1972/3, 1979/80, 2024/25

Premier B Winners 2000/1  
 Division 1R & 3 Winners Section A 1925/6  
 Division 2 Winners 1969/70; Runners-up (2) 1972/3, 1979/80  
 Division 2B Winners 1969/70; Runners-up (2) 1972/3, 1979/80  
 Senior Bowl Winners 2005/6; Runners-up (2) 1968/9, 2010/11, 2021/22  
 Junior Bowl Winners 1950/1; Runners-up 2005/6 3rd Division Cup Winners 1956/7

### Welsh Youth League:

Youth Division (East) U19 Winners (4): 2007/8, 2008/9, 2009/10, 2010/11; Runners up (3) 2012/13, 2013/14, 2024/25  
 Youth League Cup: Runners up 2014/15

### Newport Youth League:

Under 16 Division Winners 1970/1, Cup Winners 1970/1; Runners-up 1966/7  
 Under 18 Division Winners 1967/8

### Gwent County:

Under 14 Cup Winners 2011/12; Runners up 2012/13, Winners 2023/24  
 Under 16 Division Winners (3) 1990/1, 1994/5, 1998/9; Runners-up 2000/1, 2024/25 (\*U15 team)  
 Under 16 Cup Winners (4) 1993/4\*, 1994/5, 1998/9, 2000/1 (\*U15 team)  
 Under 18 Division Winners 2013/14, 2014/15; Runners-up (7) 1999/2000, 2000/1, 2004/5, 2007/8, 2024/25 (Div 2), 2009/10, 2010/11  
 Under 18 Cup Winners (2) 1967/8 (Mon Youth cup) 1990/1, Runners-up 1991/2  
 Under 19 Cup Runners-up 1973/4 (Mon Youth Cup) 1989/90

### Cwmbran Junior League:

Under 12 Division Runners-up 1973/4  
 Under 13 Division Winners (2) 1967/8, 1968/9; Runners-up 1966/7  
 Under 13 Cup Winners (3) 1966/7, 1967/8, 1968/9  
 Under 15 Cup Winners (3) 1968/9, 1970/1, 2024/25

### Torfaen Junior & Youth League:

Under 10 Division Winners (4) 1984/5, 1988/9, 1989/90, 1990/1; Runners-up (2) 1987/8, 1992/3  
 Under 10 Cup Winners (4) 1984/5, 1988/9, 1989/90, 1990/1  
 Under 12 Division Winners (12) 1986/7, 1987/8, 1989/90, 1990/1, 1991/2, 1992/3, 1994/5, 2003/4, 2004/5, 2005/6, 2007/8, 2008/9; Runners Up (1) 2024/25  
 Runners-up (4) 1990/1\*, 2000/2, 2009/10, 2010/11 (\*U11 team)  
 Under 12 Cup Winners (9) 1986/7, 1989/90, 1991/2, 1992/3, 1994/5, 1996/7, 2001/2, 2008/9, 2015/16  
 Runners-up (6) 1987/8, 1990/1, 2000/1, 2003/4, 2004/5, 2010/11, 2021/22  
 Under 13 Division Winners (2) 2021/22, 2022/23  
 Under 14 Division Winners (11) 1976/7, 1988/9, 1992/3, 1996/7, 2003/4, 2005/6, 2009/10, 2010/11, 2011/12, 2012/13, 2023/24; Runners-up 2012/13  
 Runners-up (3) 1989/90, 2004/5, 2006/7  
 Under 14 Cup Winners (10) 1976/7, 1983/4, 1992/3, 1996/7, 1998/9, 2006/7, 2010/11, 2012/13, 2022/23, 2023/24; Runners-up (1) 2004/5  
 Runners-up (1) 2021/22  
 Under 15 Division Winners (14) 1976/7, 1978/9, 1990/1, 1993/4, 1998/9, 2000/1, 2001/2, 2007/8, 2008/9, 2009/10, 2011/12, 2012/13, 2014/15, 2022/23  
 Under 16 Division Runners-up 2010/11, 2024/25  
 Under 16 Cup Winners (11) 1979/80, 1985/6, 1990/1, 1993/4, 1998/9, 2000/1, 2001/2, 2007/8, 2008/9, 2022/3, 2024/25  
 Runners-up (7) 1994/5, 2000/1\*, 2002/3, 2006/7\*, 2007/8\* (\*U15 team), 2013/14, 2014/15

### Women

SWWL Winners 2013/14; Runners up (2) 2012/13, 2016/17  
 SW FA Cup Runners-up 2022/23, 2023/24 (\*U15), 2024/25  
 League Cup Winners 2012/13, 2021/22; League Plate Winners 2016/17, 2022/23  
 SW FA Division 2 Winners 2023/24; Cup runners-up 2022/23  
 Veterans Wales Veterans Over 50 Cup winners 2018/19

