



After a period of inactivity in the Combination we now face four games in consecutive weeks. The first is tomorrow afternoon here at Adams Park when Brighton & Hove Albion are the visitors, the match kicks off at 2pm. The following Thursday afternoon we face Bristol Rovers, once more the match will be at Adams Park with a 2pm kick off. We hope as many of you as possible will come along to these two games as your support is always valued, especially by the players. On Wednesday 4th October we travel to Bournemouth for another 2pm kick off and hope by now we have kept our unbeaten record in tact and are pushing further up the table. The final game for me to mention is at Norwich City on Thursday 12th October, kick off 7.30pm. Last season we had to go to Ipswich and entertain Norwich at home, this season the fixtures have been reversed. With so many games to worry about involving the first team I only hope we can recapture the spirit we started with in the reserve camp. It is some weeks since we played our last game and it is important we get the team in the right frame of mind for the job in



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Under 19's

A very disappointing performance against Luton could not be blamed on the boys late night duties at the ground following the Oxford first team game. Nor was it down to it being a very warm morning. It was due to very lethargic players who completely failed to work as a unit and individually were very poor. We allowed Luton time to knock the ball around comfortably while giving away possession far too cheaply. This was all after a bright opening five minutes when we had a goal disallowed and forced a number of corners. Sadly that was our only good period in the game after which we allowed Luton to dominate, although they themselves were poor in the last third of the field. The second half was much the same until the 65th minute when our defence was caught square allowing Dillon to beat Steve Williams. We rallied somewhat and did press forward, helped by the introduction of 15 year old Mark Philo in midfield, where he has impressed for the under 17's, showing