

FIXTURE GRIDS

NCEL Prem	ARM	ARN	BRO	ECC	GLP	GLS	HLM	LIN	LIV	LON	MAL	MIC	NOS	PAR	PIC	SEL	SHI	SOU	THA	WIN
Armthorpe Welfare	15/12	13/10	19/01	05/01	01/09	17/11	15/09	16/02	29/09	27/10	26/04	01/03	27/08	12/04	01/12	15/03	29/12	29/03	02/02	
Arnold Town	03/05		01/03	12/01	22/12	19/01	29/03	02/02	15/09	16/02	15/03	01/12	29/09	05/01	17/11	12/04	13/10	08/12	27/10	26/01
Brodsworth Welfare	08/03	06/10		03/11	20/10	05/04	08/09	19/04	08/12	03/05	25/08	23/02	22/12	22/03	09/02	tba	12/01	0-3	26/01	24/11
Eccleshill United	25/08	27/08	29/03		26/01	16/02	26/04	01/03	13/10	15/03	12/04	0-2	27/10	08/09	15/12	29/12	17/11	09/02	01/12	29/09
Glapwell	5-2	29/12	15/03	01/09		02/02	12/04	16/02	29/09	01/03	29/03	15/12	13/10	19/01	01/12	26/04	27/10	12/01	17/11	15/09
Glasshoughton Welf	26/01	25/08	tba	0-4	08/09		15/12	13/10	15/03	27/10	01/12	12/01	29/03	09/02	29/12	1-3	12/04	23/02	26/04	01/03
Hallam	05/04	03/11	02/02	08/12	24/11	03/05		05/01	12/01	19/01	16/02	22/03	26/01	19/04	08/03	20/10	15/09	06/10	29/09	22/12
Lincoln Moorlands	08/09	12/09	01/12	06/10	1-3	08/03	3-3		29/03	17/11	15/12	26/01	12/04	23/02	27/08	25/08	26/04	22/03	29/12	20/10
Liversedge	0-1	09/02	26/04	08/03	23/02	20/10	27/08	03/11		12/04	29/12	08/09	01/12	06/10	25/08	26/01	15/12	05/04	1-0	22/03
Long Eaton United	23/02	1-0	15/12	20/10	06/10	22/03	25/08	05/04	24/11		3-1	09/02	26/04	08/03	tba	08/09	29/12	19/04	12/01	03/11
Maltby Main	22/03	20/10	19/01	24/11	03/11	19/04	2-0	03/05	22/12	05/01		08/03	27/08	05/04	08/09	06/10	26/01	12/09	09/02	08/12
Mickleover Sports	08/12	19/04	29/09	05/01	03/05	27/08	27/10	tba	02/02	15/09	13/10		16/02	22/12	29/03	17/11	01/03	24/11	15/03	19/01
Nostell Miners Welfare	06/10	23/02	29/12	22/03	08/03	03/11	tba	24/11	19/04	08/12	12/01	11/09		20/10	1-1	09/02	2-2	03/05	25/08	05/04
Parkgate	12/01	2-1	27/10	02/02	25/08	15/09	01/12	29/09	01/03	13/10	17/11	29/12	15/03		26/04	15/12	29/03	26/01	12/04	16/02
Pickering Town	24/11	05/04	15/09	03/05	19/04	22/12	13/10	12/01	19/01	26/01	29/09	03/11	02/02	08/12		22/03	16/02	20/10	01/03	05/01
Selby Town	19/04	24/11	16/02	22/12	08/12	05/01	15/03	19/01	01/09	02/02	01/03	05/04	15/09	03/05	27/10		29/09	03/11	13/10	27/08
Shirebrook Town	20/10	08/03	27/08	05/04	22/03	24/11	09/02	08/12	13/05	22/12	01/09	06/10	05/01	03/11	12/09	23/02		25/08	4-0	19/04
South Normanton Ath	22/12	26/04	05/01	15/09	27/08	29/09	01/03	27/10	17/11	01/12	02/02	12/04	15/12	tba	15/03	29/03	19/01		16/02	13/10
Thackley	03/11	22/03	01/09	19/04	05/04	08/12	23/02	22/12	05/01	27/08	15/09	20/10	19/01	24/11	06/10	08/03	02/02	22/09		03/05
Winterton Rangers	12/09	tba	12/04	23/02	09/02	06/10	29/12	15/03	27/10	29/03	26/04	25/08	17/11	3-0	0-0	12/01	01/12	08/03		15/12

NCEL Div One	AFC	BAR	BOR	BOT	DIN	GED	HAL	LEE	PON	RAI	ROS	SCA	STA	TAD	TEV	WOR	YOR
AFC Emley	01/12	22/12	02/02	05/01	16/02	12/01	01/03	29/03	19/01	13/10	15/09	27/10	15/03	17/11	15/12	29/09	
Barton Town Old Boys	05/04		24/11	01/09	08/12	15/09	22/12	29/09	27/10	12/04	02/02	05/01	16/02	13/10	01/03	4-1	19/01
Borrowash Victoria	0-2	29/03		15/09	12/04	29/09	05/01	13/10	17/11	tba	16/02	19/01	01/03	27/10	15/03	01/12	02/02
Bottesford Town	19/04	12/01	26/01		09/02	17/11	06/10	01/12	05/01	23/02	29/03	20/10	15/12	22/12	29/12	26/04	15/03
Dinnington Town	25/08	15/12	29/12	29/09		13/10	19/01	27/10	01/12	15/09	01/03	02/02	15/03	17/11	29/03	1-1	16/02
Gedling Town	06/10	26/01	09/02	22/03	23/02		20/10	5-0	08/09	08/03	15/12	03/11	29/12	25/08	12/01	12/04	24/11
Hall Road Rangers	tba	4-0	25/08	16/02	19/04	01/03		15/03	15/12	02/02	27/10	29/09	17/11	29/03	01/12	29/12	13/10
Leeds Met Carnegie	20/10	09/02	23/02	05/04	08/03	22/12	03/11		19/04	22/03	12/04	1-4	12/01	26/04	26/01	06/10	08/12
Pontefract Collieries	24/11	08/03	22/03	25/08	05/04	19/01	08/12	02/02		22/12	15/09	12/04	29/09	16/02	13/10	03/11	01/09
Rainworth Miners Welf	08/09	29/12	12/01	13/10	26/01	27/10	26/04	17/11	0-1		15/03	16/02	29/03	01/12	15/12	25/08	01/03
Rossington Main	23/02	19/04	06/10	24/11	20/10	08/12	08/03	29/12	26/01	03/11		22/03	25/08	12/01	26/04	09/02	05/04
Scarborough Athletic	26/01	25/08	26/04	01/03	tba	15/03	09/02	29/03	29/12	06/10	17/11		01/12	15/12	22/12	tba	27/10
Staveley Miners Welf	08/03	06/10	20/10	08/12	03/11	19/04	22/03	tba	09/02	24/11	05/01	05/04		26/01	tba	23/02	22/12
Tadcaster Albion	03/11	23/02	08/03	2-1	22/03	05/01	24/11	19/01	06/10	05/04	01/09	08/12	15/09		09/02	20/10	12/04
Teversal	22/03	20/10	03/11	12/04	24/11	tba	05/04	15/09	23/02	08/12	19/01	2-1	02/02	29/09		08/03	05/01
Worsbrough Bridge	08/12	17/11	05/04	19/01	22/12	02/02	tba	16/02	15/03	05/01	29/09	12/01	13/10	01/03	27/10		15/09
Yorkshire Amateur	09/02	26/04	22/09	03/11	06/10	29/03	23/02	15/12	12/01	20/10	01/12	08/03	1-1	29/12	25/08	26/01	



The
Northern Counties East
Football League

TOP SCORERS

NCEL Premier Division				
Name	Team	Gls	H	A
1 Ian Brown	Glapwell	3	1	2
Jamie Smith	Shirebrook Town	3	3	0
Will Tomlinson	Hallam	3	0	3
4 Michael Buckley	Long Eaton United	2	2	0
Caine Cheetham	Parkgate	2	2	0
Andy Howland	Eccleshill United	2	0	2
David Ricardo	Winterton Rangers	2	2	0
Chris Rosindale	Eccleshill United	2	0	2
Marc Sherlock	Glapwell	2	2	0
NCEL Division One				
Name	Team	Gls	H	A
1 Matty Kennett	Scarborough Athletic	2	0	2
Paul Palmer	Hall Road Rangers	2	2	0
Tim Wilks	Gedling Town	2	2	0

NCEL OFFICIALS

President: Frank Catt
Vice Presidents: Tom Dixon, Ronald Skidmore, Derek Waterfall, Barry Wood
Chairman: Tom Dixon
Vice Chairman: Derek Waterfall
Life Members: Clifford Morris, Anthony Ridsdale
Secretary/Treasurer: Brian Gould
Registration Secretary: Stephen Wall
Fixture/Referees' Secretary: David Morrall
Referees' Assessors' Secretary: Steve Rhodes
Website Editor: Jason Harrison
Club Representatives: Bruce Bickerdike (Parkgate), Karl Blackburn (Yorkshire Amateur), Ernest Forrest (Hallam), Bruce Hatton (Armthorpe Welfare), Peter Lang (Shirebrook Town)
League Address: 42 Thirlmere Drive, Dronfield, Derbyshire, S18 2HW

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IN THE MEDIA

All-NCEL FA Cup Clash Kicks Off Competition

(Source: The FA)

Dinnington Town's home FA Cup clash with NCEL rivals Maltby Main was named as the Tie Of The Round by the Football Association.

That meant it was brought forward to a Friday evening game and kicked-off at 7.30 so that it would officially get the competition underway.

Sky Sports cameras were there to capture the moment and the FA Cup itself was on display at Phoenix Park.

622 people turned up to the match that saw Maltby Main take the lead just after the half-hour mark through Ashley Longstaff.

But, the home side recovered and went through with a 2-1 victory after strikes from Kieran Gallagher and Ant Lynam in the last twenty minutes.

More details of the weekend's FA Cup clashes can be found in the Match Review section later in the Newsletter.

Beanz Meanz Cup Win For Long Eaton

(Source: Long Eaton)

Long Eaton United started their FA Cup bid at the weekend slightly differently to the rest of the NCEL.

Ahead of their home tie with Bridgnorth Town, the team enjoyed a good old-fashioned 70's breakfast of beans-on-toast and arrived at their club house decked out in 70's clothes.

Indeed, it was management team Craig Weston and Steve Hamilton who took to the kitchen to cook the team their breakfasts and it seemed to work as they won the tie 2-1.

Chairman Jim Fairley said: "Craig and Steve are obviously building a great team spirit at Long Eaton.

"And, that's obvious when you see the players enjoying themselves and, just as importantly, winning games.

"It's very early days but, so far, we have a 100% record - played three and won three - and it's been a good start to the season."

Hamilton added: "The lads know me and Craig enjoy the benefits of a good team spirit but we're all here to do a job and that's to do our best for Long Eaton United on a consistent basis.

"If we can be successful in doing that then we know we have the ability at this club to achieve a top-six finish this season."

Success Off The Field For Eagles

(Source: Nottinghamshire FA)

A group of hardy Arnold Town supporters were celebrating after their opening league fixture - despite seeing their team lose.

The Eagles went down 2-1 at Parkgate, with a Thomas penalty their only success.

To make matters worse, Arnold had Smith sent off for two bookings late in the game.

Off the field however, the magnificent seven supporters who walked all the way to the ground in Rotherham from Arnold, raised around £1,600 towards the new Eagle Valley ground.

Gedling Issue 'Support Us' Plea

(Source: Gedling Town)

Gedling Town have urged locals to get down to the Riverside Ground and cheer their side on.

Gedling chairman, Roland Ash, said: "We have a very good squad this season and have had a great pre-season but we do need support now that local teams have gained promotion.

"We need the local support to allow Gedling a chance to attempt for promotion this season.

"And, with the entrance fee the lowest in the area, fans can be sure of value for money.

"So, all you non-league fans come and give us the support as, without you, we are not a team."

Hallam Keen To Keep Up With Rivals

(Source: The Sheffield Star)

Hallam FC are determined not to be left behind in Sheffield's non-league footballing stakes.

Rivals Sheffield FC have just been promoted from the Northern Counties East league and are joining Stocksbridge higher up the soccer pyramid in the UniBond South.

But the Sandygate club are determined to make their mark when the serious action starts.

They have recruited two ex-Sheffield players in Ryan O'Carroll and Ben Cressey and extended the squad further with Staveley's Rob Cam, Danny Bainbridge and Adam Tyler.

Retford's Will Tomlinson and Rossington's Nicky Scaife are newcomers too.

LEAGUE TABLES

NCEL Premier Division

as at 15/08/07

	Home						Away						Pts	+/-
	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A			
1 Glapwell	2	1	0	0	5	2	1	0	0	3	1	6	5	
2 Long Eaton United	2	2	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	3	
3 Shirebrook Town	2	1	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	2	2	4	4	
4 Winterton Rangers	2	1	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	3	
5 South Normanton Athletic	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	3	3	
6 Eccleshill United	2	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	0	4	0	3	2	
7 Selby Town	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	1	3	2	
8 Micklegate Sports	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	3	2	
9 Maltby Main	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	3	3	0	
10 Liversedge	2	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	
11 Armthorpe Welfare	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	3	5	3	-2	
12 Parkgate	2	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	3	3	-2	
13 Nostell Miners Welfare	2	0	2	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	
14 Pickering Town	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	2	0	
15 Lincoln Moorlands Railway	2	0	1	1	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	-2	
16 Hallam	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	5	1	-2	
17 Arnold Town	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	3	0	-2	
18 Brodsworth Welfare	1	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	-3	
19 Thackley	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	5	0	-5	
20 Glasshoughton Welfare	2	0	0	2	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	-6	

NCEL Division One

as at 18/08/07

	Home						Away						Pts	+/-
	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A			
1 Gedling Town	1	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	5	
2 Hall Road Rangers	1	1	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	4	
3 Scarborough Athletic	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	5	3	3	2	
4 AFC Emley	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	3	2	
5 Tadcaster Albion	1	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	
6 Teversal	1	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	
7 Pontefract Collieries	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	3	1	
8 Barton Town Old Boys	2	1	0	0	4	1	0	0	1	0	4	3	-1	
9 Dinnington Town	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	
10 Staveley Miners Welfare	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	
11 Yorkshire Amateur	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	
12 Worsbrough Bridge Ath	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	5	1	-3	
13 Rossington Main	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
14 Bottesford Town	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	-1	
15 Rainworth Miners Welfare	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	-1	
16 Borrowash Victoria	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	-2	
17 Leeds Met Carnegie	2	0	0	1	1	4	0	0	1	0	5	0	-8	

MATCH CENTRE

Pontefract Collieries 0-0 Selby Town	Att: 76
<i>(Rep: Tue 21/08)</i>	
Shifnal Town 1-1 Arnold Town	
Steve Edwards 46 Mark O'Dea 75	
<i>(Rep: Tue 21/08)</i>	
South Normanton Ath 1-0 Lye Town	Att: 64
Valadmir Santos Farrell 65	
Teversal 2-2 Coventry Sphinx	Att: 104
Andy Woodcock 35 Craig Martin 63pen	
Dean Short 60 Wayne Pulford 75	
<i>(Rep: Wed 22/08)</i>	
Thackley 0-1 Ashington	Att: 109
Andrew Weeks 59	
Tividale 1-4 Mickleover Sports	
Washington 1-3 Pickering Town	
Winterton Rangers 3-2 Armthorpe Welfare	Att: 64
Lee Mohammed 29 Nathan Iley 65	
Rob Northen 39pen Lee Danyz 90	
Danny Clarke 89pen	
NCEL Division One	
Barton Town Old Boys 4-1 Worsbrough Bridge Ath	Att: 278
Leeds Met Carnegie 1-4 Scarborough Athletic	
James Russell 48 Matty Kennett 35	
Joe Lightowler 42 Matty Kennett 65	
Craig Hogg 85	

Sunday 19th August, 2007

FA Cup Extra Preliminary Round

Billingham Town 6-1 Eccleshill United
<i>(at Hartlepool United FC)</i>

Monday 20th August, 2007

FA Cup Extra Preliminary Round Replay

Atherton Collieries v Rossington Main	7:45pm
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NCEL Wilkinson Sword Trophy Second Round

Leeds Met Carnegie v Dinnington Town	7:45pm
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Tuesday 21st August, 2007

FA Cup Extra Preliminary Round Replay

Arnold Town v Shifnal Town	7:45pm
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Dudley Town v Glapwell	7:45pm
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Liversedge v Glasshoughton Welfare	7:45pm
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Selby Town v Pontefract Collieries	7:45pm
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NCEL Wilkinson Sword Trophy Second Round

Barton Town Old Boys v AFC Emley	7:45pm
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Scarborough Athletic v Rainworth Miners Welfare	7:45pm
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Yorkshire Amateur v Bottesford Town	7:45pm
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Wednesday 22nd August, 2007

FA Cup Extra Preliminary Round Replay

Coventry Sphinx v Teversal	7:45pm
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NCEL Wilkinson Sword Trophy Second Round

Hall Road Rangers v Borrowwash Victoria	7:45pm
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Saturday 25th August, 2007

NCEL Premier Division

Brodsworth Welfare v Maltby Main	3:00pm
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Eccleshill United v Armthorpe Welfare	3:00pm
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Glasshoughton Welfare v Arnold Town	3:00pm
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Lincoln Moorlands Railway v Selby Town	3:00pm
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Liversedge v Pickering Town	3:00pm
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Long Eaton United v Hallam	3:00pm
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Nostell Miners Welfare v Thackley	3:00pm
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Parkgate v Glapwell	3:00pm
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Shirebrook Town v South Normanton Athletic	3:00pm
Winterton Rangers v Mickleover Sports	3:00pm
NCEL Division One	
Dinnington Town v AFC Emley	3:00pm
Gedling Town v Tadcaster Albion	3:00pm
Hall Road Rangers v Borrowwash Victoria	3:00pm
Pontefract Collieries v Bottesford Town	3:00pm
Rainworth Miners Welfare v Worsbrough Bridge Ath	3:00pm
Rossington Main v Staveley Miners Welfare	3:00pm
Scarborough Athletic v Barton Town Old Boys	3:00pm
Yorkshire Amateur v Teversal	3:00pm

Monday 27th August, 2007

NCEL Premier Division

Armthorpe Welfare v Parkgate	3:00pm
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Eccleshill United v Arnold Town	3:00pm
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Lincoln Moorlands Railway v Pickering Town	3:00pm
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Liversedge v Hallam	3:00pm
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Maltby Main v Nostell Miners Welfare	12:00pm
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Mickleover Sports v Glasshoughton Welfare	3:00pm
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Selby Town v Winterton Rangers	3:00pm
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Shirebrook Town v Brodsworth Welfare	3:00pm
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South Normanton Athletic v Glapwell	3:00pm
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Thackley v Long Eaton United	3:00pm
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Tuesday 28th August, 2007

NCEL Wilkinson Sword Trophy Second Round

Gedling Town v Rossington Main	7:45pm
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Pontefract Collieries v Staveley Miners Welfare	7:45pm
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Teversal v Tadcaster Albion	7:45pm
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Saturday 1st September, 2007

FA Cup Preliminary Round

Castle Vle or Brierley H&W v Rossington Main	3:00pm
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Glapwell or Dudley Town v Staveley Miners Welfare	3:00pm
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Glosshtn Welf or Lvsdge v Tadcaster Albion	3:00pm
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Hall Road Rangers v Crook T or Sunderland RCA	3:00pm
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Hallam v AFC Emley	3:00pm
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Leamington v Shifnal Town or Arnold Town	3:00pm
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Mickleover Sports v Long Eaton United	3:00pm
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Parkgate v Alsager Town	3:00pm
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Pontefract Colls or Selby T v Pickering Town	3:00pm
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Rossendale United v Dinnington Town	3:00pm
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Rossington Mn or Athtn Clls v Bacup Borough	3:00pm
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South Normanton Athletic v Bedworth United	3:00pm
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Teversal or Contry Sphinx v Rainworth Miners Welfare	3:00pm
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Winterton Rangers v Morpeth Town	3:00pm
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NCEL Premier Division

Armthorpe Welfare v Glasshoughton Welfare	3:00pm
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Glapwell v Eccleshill United	3:00pm
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Selby Town v Liversedge	3:00pm
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Shirebrook Town v Maltby Main	3:00pm
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Thackley v Brodsworth Welfare	3:00pm
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NCEL Division One

Barton Town Old Boys v Bottesford Town	3:00pm
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Pontefract Collieries v Yorkshire Amateur	3:00pm
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Tadcaster Albion v Rossington Main	3:00pm
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(For the latest information regarding goalscorers, attendances and team lists, check out the NCEL website at www.ncel.org.uk.)

MATCH REVIEW

(Round 1 - Sat 11th Aug to Sun 12th Aug)

Derbyshire reigned supreme in the Premier Division after the opening round of fixtures with four clubs from that county in the top five.

Glapwell lived up to their pre-season hype as one of the sides favourite for promotion to the UniBond as they beat visitors Armthorpe Welfare 5-2 to head the table.

They had gone behind thanks to a Stuart Preston goal before Ian Brown and Matt Varley had put them ahead by the break and Craig Mitchell had made it 3-1 on 59 minutes.

James Walker halved the deficit nine minutes later to keep the game interesting until substitute Marc Sherlock's late double secured the victory for the Hall Corner side.

Premier Division newcomers South Normanton Athletic are in second after a 3-0 win at Brodsworth Welfare.

And, a Nathan Parker goal and a brace from Michael Buckley saw Long Eaton United beat Maltby Main 3-1 with Craig Archer grabbing the consolation for the away side.

Selby Town were the only side to stop it being a Derbyshire top four as they won 3-1 at Glasshoughton Welfare.

And, Mickleover Sports complete the top five with a 2-0 victory at Eccleshill United on Sunday with strikes from Adam Betteridge and Richard Bailey.

There were also opening day victories for Liversedge and Parkgate.

Sedge were single goal winners at home to Thackley whilst a Caine Cheetham double saw last year's Division One champions Parkgate claim a 2-1 victory over visitors Arnold Town.

The remaining three top flight games finished level with Winterton Rangers and Pickering Town playing out a goalless draw, a last minute Paul Bedford strike saw Nostell Miners Welfare claim a 2-2 home draw with Shirebrook Town whilst Lincoln Moorlands Railway and Hallam shared six goals.

In Division One, five new sides were playing their first ever NCEL matches and all tasted defeat on the opening day.

The biggest crowd of the day was, as expected, at Carnarvon Street where over 400 people saw Scarborough Athletic's first competitive game.

But, it was the hosts Teversal who would take the points in a 2-1 win as a late Gavin Short goal claimed the points after Athletic's Dave Thompson had cancelled out an opening half

strike by Dean Short.

Rainworth Miners Welfare were single goal losers in their match at home to Pontefract Collieries, but they were defeated in bizarre fashion.

A clearance by the Wrens on the hour mark struck the referee and bounced to the feet of Craig Elliott who converted the only goal of the game.

A last-minute Simon Roche goal was not enough for Bottesford Town as they went down 2-1 at Tadcaster Albion, Guiseppe Downing and Rob Ellis with the goals for the home side.

Barton Town Old Boys were beaten 4-0 at Hall Road Rangers with a Paul Palmer brace and one each for Jamie Barnwell and Chris Hudson doing the damage.

But, the biggest scoreline came at the Riverside Ground as Gedling Town put five past Leeds Met Carnegie without reply.

James Whitehead, Tim Wilks and Phil Massingham had put them three-up by the break before Ben Cobby and a second from Wilks ended the rout.

AFC Emley were the only Division One away winners as Antony Leech and Kyle Jones saw them claim a 2-0 victory at Borrowwash Victoria.

And, Dinnington Town were held to a 1-1 draw at home to Worsbrough Bridge Athletic whilst it was the same scoreline between Yorkshire Amateur and Staveley Miners Welfare.

(Round 2 - Tue 14th Aug to Wed 15th Aug)

Glapwell have continued to be the early pacesetters in the Premier Division after their 3-1 win at Lincoln Moorlands Railway.

Ian Brown and Ian Streater had given them a two-goal advantage over the top flight newcomers at the break before Brown grabbed his second and the Hall Corner side's third on 53 minutes.

Railway then grabbed a consolation through Nick Robinson with five minutes remaining.

That was one of eight Premier Division matches played to a finish in midweek whilst the match between Brodsworth Welfare and Selby Town had to be called off at half-time due to floodlight failure with the score goalless.

The only other team to have played two and won two are Long Eaton United with Ben Roffey's 46th-minute strike claiming all three points at home to Arnold Town.

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MATCH REVIEW

Last season strugglers Shirebrook Town have had a far better start this time round as a Jamie Smith hat-trick helped them to a 4-0 home win over Thackley to move up into third, Martin Rowbottom grabbed the fourth in the final minute.

And, Winterton Rangers were 3-0 victors over visitors Parkgate in a clash between two promoted sides.

A David Ricardo brace with a third from Rob Northen gave them the three points that sees them climb into fourth.

Eccleshill United picked up their first points of the new campaign with a convincing 4-0 win at Glasshoughton Welfare, a result that leaves Welfare at the bottom of the table.

It was goalless at half-time before a Chris Rosindale penalty and Andy Howland strike had them two-up by the hour mark.

And, both players grabbed a second to make it a comfortable night for the Eagles.

Strikes from Craig McCormick and Mike Taylor saw Maltby Main pick up three points with a 3-0 home victory over Hallam whilst there was late drama in the remaining two matches.

Liam Muirhead struck the only goal of the game in the 90th minute as Armthorpe Welfare won at Liversedge.

And, Joe Connor's penalty in injury time saw Pickering Town pick up a point in a 1-1 draw at Nostell Miners Welfare.

It had started promisingly for Welfare with Ben Gilbert giving them the lead in the opening seconds but the hosts had two players sent off and they just couldn't hold on for their first ever Premier Division victory.

Meanwhile, Hall Road Rangers will be at home to Borrowwash Victoria next week in the second round of the Wilkinson Sword Trophy.

Rob Petch's strike in the first minute of the second period of extra time saw them claim a 3-2 win over visitors Worsbrough Bridge Athletic.

Rangers had been two goals down as Chris Boreham and Kelvin Ryan had put Athletic in a strong position.

Matt Spencer pulled one back before the interval and Paul Palmer scored halfway through the second period to force another thirty minutes.

(Round 3 - Fri 17th Aug to Sun 19th Aug)

The FA Cup was the main focus for NCEL clubs on the second weekend of the season as 31 teams from the

league took part in the Extra Preliminary Round.

There were six all-NCEL ties with first being the FA-designated Tie Of The Round that saw Dinnington Town win 2-1 at home to Maltby Main.

Ashley Longstaff had put Main ahead on 31 minutes before Kiearan Gallagher levelled matters with nineteen minutes remaining and Ant Lynam gave the hosts the victory soon after.

Parkgate also have bragging rights having won 3-2 at Brodsworth Welfare whilst Glasshoughton Welfare were held to a 1-1 draw at home to Liversedge and Pontefract Collieries and Selby Town must replay after a goalless draw.

A Paul Palmer hat-trick helped Hall Road Rangers to a comfortable 6-1 win over visitors Tadcaster Albion.

And, two penalties, one each for Rob Northen and Danny Clarke helped Winterton Rangers to a 3-2 victory at home to Armthorpe Welfare.

There are four other replays to take place this midweek after Glapwell were held 2-2 by Dudley Town at Hall Corner while it was the same scoreline for Rossington Main at home to Atherton Collieries.

Mark O'Dea's late strike earned ten-man Arnold Town a replay after a 1-1 draw at Shifnal Town and Teversal must play again after sharing four goals with Coventry Sphinx.

Teams that have booked their place in the Preliminary Round include Mickleover Sports and Pickering Town who won 4-1 at Tividale and 3-1 at Washington, respectively.

Malc Brown, Adam Lillie and Glen Natriss helped Rainworth Miners Welfare win 3-0 at Nuneaton Griff whilst a Rob Cam brace saw Hallam notch up a 2-0 victory against Nelson.

Gedling Town were 3-1 victors at Cradley Town whilst Valadmir Santos Farrell grabbed the only goal in South Normanton Athletic's win at home to Lye Town.

Meanwhile, the FA Cup dream is over for Borrowwash Victoria, Bottesford Town, Yorkshire Amateur, Lincoln Moorlands Railway, Shirebrook Town and Thackley.

There were two matches in NCEL Division One with Barton Town Old Boys and Scarborough Athletic both picking up their first ever wins in the League and both by a 4-1 scoreline.

Barton won at home to Worsbrough Bridge Athletic whilst two goals from Matty Kennett helped Athletic move up into third place after two games.

MATCH CENTRE

Saturday 11th August, 2007

NCEL Premier Division

Brodsworth Welfare	0-3	South Normanton Athletic Joel Hodgkinson 15 Chris Murdock 40 Martin Bowles 56	Att: 58
Glapwell	5-2	Armthorpe Welfare Stuart Preston 6 James Walker 68	
Ian Brown 10 Matt Varley 43 Craig Mitchell 59 Marc Sherlock 86, 89			
Glasshoughton Welfare	1-3	Selby Town Craig Sutton 1 Adam Russell 80 Tom Matthews 81	Att: 74
Tom Reid 14og			
Lincoln Moorlands Rwy	3-3	Hallam Will Tomlinson 29, 32, 54	Att: 90
Ryan Porter 13 Rob Lund 57 Kahmeez Spence 63			
Liversedge	1-0	Thackley	Att: 54
Luke Caulfield 35 Long Eaton United	3-1	Maltby Main Craig Archer 70	Att: 78
Nathan Parker 12 Michael Buckley 47, 62			
Nostell Miners Welfare	2-2	Shirebrook Town Darren Rushton 46 Joe Naylor 73	Att: 41
Darren Rushton 46 Paul Bedford 90			
Parkgate	2-1	Arnold Town Frazer Thomas 88pen	Att: 79
Caine Cheetham 35, 64 Winterton Rangers	0-0	Pickering Town	

NCEL Division One

Borrowwash Victoria	0-2	AFC Emley Antony Leech 54 Kyle Jones 62	Att: 72
Dinnington Town	1-1	Worsbrough Bridge Ath Lee Poskitt 62	Att: 75
Michael Blythen 40 Gedling Town	5-0	Leeds Met Carnegie	
James Whitehead 7 Tim Wilks 12, 79 Phil Massingham 43 Ben Copley 66			
Hall Road Rangers	4-0	Barton Town Old Boys	Att: 72
Jamie Barnwell 38 Paul Palmer 46, 55 Chris Hudson 84			
Rainworth Miners Welf	0-1	Pontefract Collieries Craig Elliott 61	Att: 54
Tadcaster Albion	2-1	Bottesford Town Simon Roche 90	Att: 427
Guisepppe Downing 28 Rob Ellis 77 Teversal	2-1	Scarborough Athletic Dave Thompson 50	Att: 28
Dean Short 9 Gavin Short 89			
Yorkshire Amateur	1-1	Staveley Miners Welfare Paul Graham 40og	
Leroy Watson 71			

Sunday 12th August, 2007

NCEL Premier Division

Eccleshill United	0-2	Mickleover Sports Adam Betteridge 20 Richard Bailey 71	Att: 53
Monday 13th August, 2007			
Friendlies			
Dinnington Town	2-1	Sheffield United	Att: 250

Tuesday 14th August, 2007

NCEL Premier Division

Brodsworth Welfare	A-A	Selby Town	
			(Half-Time - 0-0 - Floodlight Failure)

Glasshoughton Welfare	0-4	Eccleshill United Chris Rosindale 55pen, 80 Andy Howland 57, 68	Att: 108
Liversedge	0-1	Armthorpe Welfare Liam Muirhead 90	Att: 96
Long Eaton United	1-0	Arnold Town	Att: 60
Ben Roffey 46 Maltby Main	2-0	Hallam	Att: 80
Craig McCormick 69 Mike Taylor 83			
Nostell Miners Welfare	1-1	Pickering Town Joe Connor 90pen	
Ben Gilbert 1			

Wednesday 15th August, 2007

NCEL Wilkinson Sword Trophy First Round

Hall Road Rangers	3-2	Worsbrough Bridge Ath	Att: 67
Matt Spencer 35 (aet) Paul Palmer 66 Rob Petch 106		Chris Boreham 12 Kelvin Ryan 25	
NCEL Premier Division			
Lincoln Moorlands Rwy	1-3	Glapwell Ian Brown 24, 53 Ian Streather 30	Att: 86
Nick Robinson 85			
Shirebrook Town	4-0	Thackley	Att: 96
Jamie Smith 44, 68, 83 Martin Rowbottom 90 Winterton Rangers	3-0	Parkgate	
David Ricardo 17, 21 Rob Northen 64			

Friday 17th August, 2007

FA Cup Extra Preliminary Round

Borrowwash Victoria	0-1	Biddulph Victoria Chris Boast 21	Att: 266
Antony Leech 54 Danny Clapham 36, 90 Glen Walton 44	3-0	Darwen	Att: 622
Dinnington Town	2-1	Maltby Main Ashley Longstaff 31	
Kieran Gallagher 72 Ant Lynam 75			

Saturday 18th August, 2007

FA Cup Extra Preliminary Round

Borrowwash Victoria	0-1	Biddulph Victoria Chris Boast 21	Att: 103
Bottesford Town	1-2	Shildon Adam Emson 20 Daniel Moore 30	
John Baross 81			
Brodsworth Welfare	2-3	Parkgate	Att: 53
Cradley Town	1-3	Gedling Town James Whitehead 16 Nicky Kennerdale 77 Millins 81	
Jones 68			
Darlington Railway Ath	6-0	Yorkshire Amateur	Att: 55
Deeping Rangers	5-0	Lincoln Moorlands Railway	
Glapwell	2-2	Dudley Town (Rep: Tue 21/08)	
(Rep: Tue 21/08)			
Glasshoughton Welfare	1-1	Liversedge (Rep: Tue 21/08)	
Hall Road Rangers	6-1	Tadcaster Albion Danny Gray 39	Att: 78
Jamie Barnwell 2 Paul Palmer 25, 38, 87 David Ingram 42 Adam Walker 54			
Hallam	2-0	Nelson	Att: 82
Rob Cam 36, 55			
(at Nelson FC)			
Highgate United	2-1	Shirebrook Town	Att: 67
Long Eaton United	2-1	Bridgnorth Town Steve Handley 90	
Michael Buckley 2 Scott Downie 88 Nuneaton Griff	0-3	Rainworth Miners Welfare Malc Brown 13 Adam Lillie 70 Glen Natriss 90	