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## SATURDAY 1ST FEBRUARY







FC DEPORTIVO GALICIA

15:00

**EPSOM & EWELL** 

**BEDFONT RECREATION GROUND - TW 14 9JR** 



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Combined Counties League Division 1

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#### A little welcome



Rogelio Loureda
General Secretary

Roger to everyone that knows him. Has been involved in Spanish football in the UK pretty much since its inception – 50 years!!! Well known through our time in Middlesex County League. Loves making a point at League meetings.

#### Welcome to Bedfont Rec Sports Ground.... Our new home.

We welcome the players and supporters of **Epsom & Ewell F.** We hope you can take away a pleasant experience from today's visit. There is ample room at the bar and hospitality available for our opponents along with the match officials after the game.

#### 2019/20 - What's Ahead For DGL?

As a club our objective this coming season is most certainly to carry on our success from 2016/17 where we won promotion as Champions from the Middlesex County Premier. We left as the longest competing club and must say in some considerable style, a tribute to our players and management. In our first season at Step 6, 2017/18 we managed a 12<sup>th</sup> league position finish, reached 2 semi-finals and a quarter final so a fitting haul for a first season and all the new responsibilities it brought us.

The new challenges that lie ahead will be difficult but at the same time exciting as we attempt to cement our position in the Combined Counties League and continue to improve as a club in all areas.

Our goal is to participate in the FA Cup. Although we applied for 2017/18 we were denied a place, but we know what we must do this season to make it a reality for 2019/20. Having had progressive success in the FA Vase over the last 4 seasons, reaching the 1st Rd Proper last season we continue to chase our dream.

Our motto "Todo por un sueño" – everything for a dream pushes us on.

Looks like onwards and upwards for us. More people behind the scenes and I must say very committed individuals who have the desire to make our club succeed and be the best we can, on and off the field.

Yours in football Rogelio Loureda FC Deportivo Galicia











## 16/20

### FC DEPORTIVO GALICIA

Where are we, what's to come?

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Fleet Spurs

Westside

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#### Combined Counties League Division 1 Latest Table Positions **Division One**



Xavi Perez



League Table

Jersey Bulls

Tooting Bec

Fleet Spurs

Sandhurst Town

Epsom & Ewell

AFC Hayes

Ash United

**Bagshot** 

Westside

FC Deportivo Galicia

Chessington & Hook United

**British Airways** 

Godalming Town

Upcoming fixtures......

28/01/20

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Eversley & California

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Bedfont & Feltham

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Kensington & Ealing Borough

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#### **Welcomes The Salts**

#### **Epsom & Ewell FC - History**

We were founded in March 1918 as Epsom Juniors Cricket Club and played throughout the summer. In the autumn, Epsom Juniors F.C. came into being and played a handful of games from what is now known as Alexandra Recreation Ground. Competitive football followed as we entered the Surrey Junior League in 1919, and became founder members of the Sutton & District League in 1920.

A change of name in July 1922 to Epsom Town F.C. heralded the start of a very successful era. By now resident at the Horton Hospital Sports Ground, we were unfortunate to lose 2-1 after extra time at Dorking F.C.'s Pixham Lane ground to Caterham Mental Hospital in a replay of the Surrey Junior Cup Final. However, we won three other trophies that season, the Leatherhead Hospital Shield, the Sutton Hospital Cup, and the Epsom Hospital Cup. In addition, we also won the Sutton & District League, and under the forward thinking of their visionary Chairman Hugh Bradley, took the step into Intermediate Football, where we won the Southern Suburban League without losing a match. Senior football was granted as we were unanimously accepted into the Surrey Senior League for 1924/25, where we finished third.

In September 1925, the club relocated to the old Ewell F.C. ground at West Street, which was purchased through the generosity of our future President Robert Bradshaw. In 1925/26 the Championship of the Surrey Senior League was attained, and the following season, we defeated Egham 1-0 at Egham in the League Charity Cup to complete a League and Cup "double".

Election to the London League followed, and the title was claimed in the first attempt in 1927/28. Unfortunately, we were unable to repeat this, instead finishing runners-up in 1931/32, 1932/33, 1934/35, 1936/37 and 1937/38. Cup Honours were limited, although in 1929 Redhill defeated us 3-2 in front of 4,600 at Guildford in our first Surrey Senior Cup Final, having seen off Wimbledon 4-1 in the semi-final!

The thirties were a very successful era, and we won the Surrey Charity (Senior) Shield in 1933 with an impressive 5-0 win over Woking at Kingfield. However, the proudest moment of our pre-war history was an appearance in the First Round Proper of the F.A.Cup in 1933/34. Woking (after a replay), Nunhead, Tooting & Mitcham, Beddington Corner, and Leytonstone were defeated, and a crowd of 9,485 at the Lea Bridge Speedway Stadium witnessed a 4-2 loss against the hosts Clapton Orient. At the end of that season we changed our name to Epsom F.C.

In 1939 a newly formed team, Epsom Town (no connection to the earlier name) shared the ground with Epsom F.C. However, this arrangement was suspended when war was declared, and we folded for the duration. In the meantime, Club Chairman Charles Pettett threw in his lot with Epsom Town in an attempt to boost morale by keeping the football flag flying. It was successful, as that club competed continuously throughout the war years, winning the Surrey Combination in 1939/40, and reaching the Surrey Senior Cup Final in 1944, losing 3-1 to Tooting & Mitcham, at Sandy Lane. After the war, Epsom F.C. restarted, continuing in the London League and reclaimed West Street. Temporary homes were found for Epsom Town while they competed for a season in the newly created Corinthian League, but disbanded in 1946.

In 1949 we entered the Corinthian League ourselves, where in 1952 we reached the League Memorial Shield Final in 1952, going down 2-1 to Champions Hounslow at Eastbourne after leading at half-time. Things improved further with the signing of the former English Amateur International Pat Lynch from Hendon, finishing third in 1952/53, while in 1954 we reached the Surrey Senior Cup Final for the second time in our history, losing unluckily 2-0 to Corinthian Casuals in front of 6,159 at Selhurst Park. In 1955 we won the Surrey Senior Shield with a 1-0 win over Carshalton Athletic at West Street.



Welcomes The Salts, cont......

We appointed our first ever Manager, Kingstonian legend Doug Whitehead in 1955 and the Corinthian League double was almost achieved in 1956/57, but two losses in the final week, along with a 2-0 defeat in the Cup Final to Maidenhead United at Dorking ensured that we ended with neither, finishing fourth. However in 1960, we finally raised the Shield with a 2-0 revenge win over Maidenhead at Vale Farm, home of Wembley F.C.

In 1960 we changed our name once again to Epsom & Ewell F.C. This was not because of any merger with Ewell & Stoneleigh as is often quoted, but was an attempt to increase support across the whole of the Borough. In 1963 the Corinthian League merged with the Athenian and Delphian Leagues, and we were placed in Division One of the new structure, but the sixties were full of poor results and we were relegated in 1965.

Despite a string of managers, most notably ex-Leyton Orient winger Jimmy Smith, and Tony Williams, now famous for his creation of the F.A. Yearbooks, our fortunes did not improve significantly and further relegations were avoided in the early seventies by the benefit of re-election. However in 1973, despite "improving" to finish second from bottom, the Athenian League ran out of patience and cut us loose. This was unfortunate timing as we had just cleared all of our debts, and in addition to a virtually new Committee, former Fulham player Pat O'Connell had taken over as Manager.

The Surrey Senior League took us in at the last minute, and the new squad, including young striker Tommy Tuite, won the League Cup, and the following season, 1974/75 achieved a second Surrey Senior League "double". However, the season would always be remembered for reaching the Final of the inaugural F.A. Vase, where 9,500 saw the Blues edged out 2-1 by Hoddesdon Town at Wembley Stadium. The Athenian League welcomed us back, and promotion to the top flight was achieved in that first season. In 1976/77 we reached the Athenian League Cup Final, losing 1-0 at Chalfont St Peter.

By then, we knew that we had been invited to join the expanding Isthmian League for 1977/78, and were placed in the new Division Two. Our first match under floodlights took place against Met Police in August 1977, and the title was clinched the following April, securing a move to Division One. In 1979/80 we won the Southern Combination Cup 7-2 over Hampton on their own pitch, where the opposition were blitzed by five goals from Tuite. The following season a new clubhouse opened at West Street, and we finally won the Surrey Senior Cup, defeating Woking 2-1 at Tooting & Mitcham, although we just missed out on promotion. In 1983/84 we clinched a spot in the Premier Division as runners-up, although this time we missed out in the Surrey Senior Cup Final, defeated 4-0 by Sutton United at Imber Court.

With Adrian Hill as Manager since 1982, we survived comfortably in our first season at the new level, but Hill's departure to Croydon in 1985 started a decline. Much of the squad left with Hill, and new Manager Alan Webb had too much to do. We were relegated in 1986, and following Webb's departure soon after, Player / Manager Ricky Kidd nearly but not quite saved us from our second straight relegation. Adrian Hill replaced Kidd for a second spell at the helm in 1990, but we were placed in the new Division Three in 1991 in league reorganisation following a finish one position below the required half way mark.



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In 2002 Adrian Hill took us back up to Division 1 South, where we topped the table for a month, eventually finishing 9th, but Hill's retirement at the end of the season led to relegation a year later and then in 2006 we were transferred into the Combined Counties League Premier Division. In October 2006 Lyndon Buckwell, a former player became our new Manager, and in his first full season (2007/08) we were back in the top ten. In 2008/09 we exceeded this achievement and finished in fourth place after heading the table for a few months. In 2009/10 the club recovered from a slow start to finish fifth and also reached the last 32 of the F.A.Vase for the first time in 21 years, bowing out 3-2 in Northamptonshire to Long Buckby. In April of 2010 we terminated our seventeen-year ground sharing agreement with Banstead Athletic and spent two unspectacular seasons at Merstham F.C. before relocating to High Road, home of Chipstead F.C. for the 2012/13 season.

The season brought significant playing success as a slow start was followed by a spectacular run of form, including a club record 12 straight League wins, which put us at the top of the table for over a month before a tough run in resulted in a final position of fifth. However, any disappointment there was tempered by the club's first silverware since 1981 when we defeated South Park 3-0 at Farnborough to win the Combined Counties League Cup. Lyndon also marked 300 games in charge of the club in early 2013. On a sadder note, 2012/13 also marked one thousand games since we left West Street.

We carried our fine form into 2013/14 and led the league with eight straight wins but couldn't hold on and had to settle for third place, our highest league finish since 1984, but the following season Lyndon Buckwell departed and Glyn Mandeville and new Assistant Matt Smith steered the club to seventh place, despite a substantial budget cut and this improved to fourth place in 2015/16.

In the summer of 2016 our club visited France and played a friendly against our twin town Chantilly, which was where the England team had been based before their Euro 2016 campaign. The players were able to meet Roy Hodgson and Gary Neville and performed admirably as ambassadors for our town.

In 2016/17 we started the season with an incredible 9-2 win at newly promoted Bedfont & Feltham in a match where we had trailed 2-0 at half time and went on to repeat our fourth place finish in the League. In addition, we reached the League Cup Final but were defeated 4-1 by Westfield at Windsor FC.

However, in summer 2017, we suffered a large player exodus with a substantial number joining local rivals Sutton Common Rovers. Glyn was unable to replace them with enough players of real quality and three quarters of the season was pent at the foot of the table. Glyn's resignation in January 2018 led to the club promoting our Coach Neil Grant into the Manager's role and although he managed to get us off the foot of the table, relegation was always likely and was confirmed in mid-April; not a great way to celebrate our Centenary!

The attempts at bouncing straight back did not start particularly well and Grant departed in October. He was replaced by Simon Funnell, who stepped up from his Assistant role and oversaw a good run of results which took us back up to the fringes of the promotion race, before a defeat to Frimley Green derailed our season and we tailed off to finish in eighth position. We had the consolation of reaching the Division One League Cup Final at Meadowbank, home of Dorking Wanderers, but again Frimley Green stood in our way and defeated us by the only goal. We now commence our eighth season at High Road with a clear target of promotion back into the top flight of the Combined Counties League through one of the four promotion spots that are available this year.

Meanwhile, the search continues for a new ground back in the Borough.....





Protocol for Dealing with Abuse Aimed at Players, Managers or Match Officials by spectators (Step 1-6 (men's game); tiers 2-4 women's game)

This protocol aims to deal with discriminatory behaviour by spectators at football matches. The club safety officer, home club representative (e.g. club secretary/chairman), stewards and police are responsible for monitoring, reporting and acting on abuse from spectators.

This protocol applies specifically where incidents are heard or witnessed by players, managers or match officials on the pitch. It aims to ensure that racist, homophobic or other abuse directed at players, managers or match officials is effectively addressed and that participants feel protected.

Offenders should be identified and dealt with efficiently by the club and police, while ensuring that the match is not unduly interrupted.

- The incident should in the first instance be brought to the attention of the referee.
- The referee should report the incident to the home club's safety officer or responsible home club representative and police via the fourth official. (If there is no fourth official appointed the referee should stop play and report the incident to a member of the home club's safety management and note the incident with an assistant referee.)
- The police and safety officer/home club representative should seek to identify the person/people responsible and take appropriate action while the match continues.
- If, within an amount of time agreed by the safety officer/home club representative and referee, the problem continues, the referee (in consultation with the police and safety officer/home club representative) may remove the players from the field and suspend the match, allowing the police and safety officer/home club representative a further opportunity to deal with the problem.
- If the matter cannot be dealt with satisfactorily and the welfare of any participants, in terms of the threat of continued abuse, remains at risk, the referee should consider abandoning the match.
- Any decision to suspend or abandon a match should be taken by the referee after full
  consultation with the police and safety officer/home club representative, and after consultation
  with the team managers and captains.

Where no police are present in the stadium, the initial decision-making responsibility belongs to the safety officer, including informing the police. Where the safety officer or police are not present initial decision-making responsibility should be made in consultation between the referee and home club representative.

The protocol should be appropriately referenced in pre-match safety briefings for match officials and in the training of match day stewards.











#### **DGL** on Sky News

We had a very exciting opportunity to get some air time on SKY News, predominantly a piece on BREXIT but for us it put the Club out Nationally with our unique shirt on view for MILLIONS of viewers to see. Over 100,000 views online!!!!!!! – Potential Sponsors, take note if you want real exposure.

You can see the entire piece (4min 30sec in duration) on our Facebook page. FC Deportivo Galicia - London













**Social Media** 



### Twitter: @FCDGalicia

Our Twitter page has proved to be a bit of success. It has grown in following steadily over the last few years where we can boast over **3.5**k followers which include the likes of **Juan Mata Fernando Torres, Guillen Balague & Graham Hunter** from **SkySports** along with a long list of pro footballers, journalists and all top media – radio & TV channels from Spain. It's fair to say, we reach a wide and very exclusive audience.

Why not hit the follow button and help us increase our reach even further – help us grow!

### Facebook: FC Deportivo Galicia - London

Our Facebook page took a bit of an overhaul a few months ago. Our following grew to such an extent that we had to create a new profile. **FC Deportivo Galicia – London** is the new name so please **LIKE** the page when you have a moment. Here you will find up to date content for results, events, the odd tongue in cheek player profile, videos and pictures from games and lots of other interesting information.

Thanks to **Arantxa Arranz** for all our video and photo content.

### Other stuff in the pipeline or work in progress

Most importantly our website is currently undergoing a complete update as we transition from our "ClubWebsite" offering to "**Pitchero**". This will enable us to offer a new **App** which you can already subscribe to by downloading and registering. It already offers some good information to keep up with the more finer details of games. Our YouTube Channel is also in the process of completion.

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With huge thanks to local consultancy firm – 3 Touch who have kindly taken up the Match Ball Sponsor for our big game today.

## Have you thought about becoming a Match Ball Sponsor?

For the sum of £35 we can offer:

- Entry to the game for you and 3 guests.
- A season ticket for our remaining home fixtures (which already brings its own benefits)
- A mention on Twitter and Facebook
- And most importantly you would be helping us out!!

If you're interested in getting involved, please ask one of the coaching staff on match day or get in contact via one of our social media outlets.







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So, what's going on....?



**Ruben Dieguez** 





Dean Simms





#### **Midweek Round-up**

**DGL 3-1 Fleet Spurs**, a result that takes us through to the semi-final of the Esoteric Records Challenge Cup and in some style.

The football the boys played and are playing on a consistent basis is mouthwatering. The young talent we now have is just so exciting to watch - players enjoying and thriving with our style. They will get even better.

Our goals yesterday from **Anton (2)** and **Anas** and could've been much more, much much more! but we wont complain.

The other story of the evening is the unbelievable achievement of Antón Fernández Casal who yesterday joined the exclusive DGL 100 goals club with his brace joining the likes of **Jose Andon** and **Juan Carlos Cambeiro**. (pictured below)

Anton has managed to this in 4.5 seasons at the highest level the club has played at. His haul includes 13 hat tricks with a double hat trick in one game. Truly impressive and well done young man.

Brilliant to see Eduardo Cagigao Souto on a surprise visit. Totally unexpected.





10 Year comparison ....wow













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Galicia, where's that? Never heard of that place!











The four provinces of Galicia and their pro clubs.....







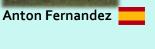
Lugo – <mark>CD Lugo</mark> (2<sup>nd</sup> Division)

Ourense – CD Ourense (3<sup>rd</sup> Division)





A Coruña - (2<sup>nd</sup> Division) RC Deportivo de La Coruña







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Just a little bit about us......

We run 3 teams with ambitions of setting up a youth section

1st Team:(DGL1) - Compete in the Combined Counties 1st Division Res Team:(DGL2) - Compete in the Middlesex County 1st Division West Vets Team:(DGLVets) - Compete in the West Middlesex Veterans League

We are now in our 3rd at Step 6 & fair to say it has been a learning curve, but we have done well to settle in. Reaching 4 Semi-finals in the period and satisfactory finishes in the league. With many lessons learnt we come into 2019/20 knowing what to expect and with targets.

We have a long and proud history that dates to 1968 when the club was formed as a friendly gathering of early Galician immigrants. Since our birth we have steadily risen through the small minor Sunday Leagues and then in season 95/96 we made the leap to Saturday football.

At the point of promotion in 2016/17 we were the Middlesex County Football League's longest serving club!

Our progression has been steady and had its ups and downs but more recently, following a 5-year plan put in place during season 2012/13 we have;

- achieved Adult Club Charter Standard Status, steadily upgraded our facilities,
- increased our back-room staff,
- attracted exceptional players drawn to a unique style of football. In fact, many of our players are sons and grandsons of the founder members and probably the reason we have managed to keep the club going for so many years.
- applied to, accepted and played the FA Vase in 2016/17/18 reaching 1st Rd Proper
- applied for promotion to Combined Counties Step 6 1st Division for season 17/18
- Promoted as Middlesex County Premier Champions 2016/17
- ultimate ambition is to participate in The FA Cup.

Where we go from 19/20 will greatly depend on the continued support of our members but more so the possibility that we can attract individuals or companies that can help take us to the next level, which with our progression to Step 6 is very important for us. However, as most grass roots clubs find, this is probably the most challenging part of running a club like ours.

We are professionally run by experienced business & football individuals totally focused on doing things the right way. ALL dedicated high caliber volunteers.

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Our Greatest Hour - History





2016/2017 — The team broke all club records, a great season, an unforgettable season with a memorable reward for all the hard work.













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The Squads

Saturday 1st February 2020 - Combined Counties League Division 1

	SQUADS	E. E
FC Deportivo Galicia		Epsom & Ewell FC
Dani Diaz		Conor Young (GK)
Martin Kepski	$\square$	Ben Ashton (GK)
Ali Soussi		Joe Bonass-Ward
Ayoub Izologoun	$\square$	Scott Murphy (C)
Matt Surmon	$\square$	Todd Murphy
Anas Izologoun	$\square$	Lloyd Connelly
Seb Philongen		Bobby Bennett
Oscar Ropars		Taryn Smith
Julian Lorenzo		Adam Heagney
Razzy Nadeem		Robert Hendry
John Trabi		Jahmahl King
Leo Carvhalo		James Fray
Diogo Ortiz		Tariq Straker
Anton Fernandez		Steven Betancourt
Xavi Perez		Tyrell Hallier-Degale
Dylan Thomas		Corey Haywood-Roye
		Gideon Acheampong
		Jacob Skelly
		Jake Robinson
		Daniel Duncanson
		Jordan-Boateng Anderson
Manager: Leo Deca	ьо	Manager: Sam Morgan

Manager: Sam Morgan Assistants: Tim Moffatt Paul Marshall



The Officials:

Referee: Reuben Simon

Assistants: Gary Creal Aadam Mirza



Coach:

Head Coach: Jose Andon



Murat Muftuoglu









Peña Montesinos **DGL Supporters Club** 



Michael McCarthy, two of our Montesinos

supporters.



CD Montesinos MOM award sponsored by DGL Supporters Club. Featured in Local newspaper

#### Peña Montesinos.....

Introducing our supporters' club down in Torrevieja which is in the South of Spain and thank you for your continued support.

Truth is, these guys are very much an integral part of our club having formed some 3 seasons ago. Loyal supporters of their own non-league club of Club Deportivo Montesinos who compete in the 1ª Regional Valenciana (similar level to CCL Div1) - They can be spotted in many bars around the area if not at the ground wearing their Monte shirt, in the bars sipping on an Estrella Galicia or 2 or 3 wearing our very own DGL shirts.

So, this group of expats has brought something different and unique to us, which once again sets us aside from everyone else. These boys have connected with other DGL followers who ordinarily would never have met. They exchange banter on Facebook and more importantly are always offering encouragement and support.

One of the lads - Steve Hall, who is currently in the UK has been very helpful (Steve has cycled to all 92 league grounds for charity !!!!!) and offering help and advice for us to raise some funding.

Thanks for the support from afar..... Steve, Angus, Callum, Eddie, Andy and El Smoggo (Timmy)







