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= = Club officials = =

As of 14 September 2015 .

= = = Board = = =

Chairman : John Berylson

Chief executive : Andy Ambler

Directors : James T. Berylson , Constantine Gontikas , Trevor Keyse , Demos Kouvaris , Richard Press and Peter Garston

= = = Coaching staff = = =

Head Coach : Neil Harris

Assistant Head Coach : David Livermore

First Team Coach : Andy Frampton

Goalkeeping coach : Kevin Pressman

Academy director : Scott Fitzgerald

Elite development squad manager : Justin Skinner

Chief scout : Terry Bullivant

= = Honours = =

Based on all results during the club 's 89 seasons in the Football League from 1920 ? 21 to 2015 ? 16 , Millwall are ranked as the 39th most successful club in English football . The following table details the club 's major achievements :

= = Records and statistics = =

Barry Kitchener holds the record for Millwall appearances , having played 596 matches between 1966 and 1982 . The goalscoring record is held by Neil Harris , with 138 in all competitions . He broke the previous record of 111 goals , held by Teddy Sheringham on 13 January 2009 , during a 3 ? 2 away win at Crewe Alexandra . The club 's widest victory margin in the league is 9 ? 1 , a scoreline which they achieved twice in their Football League Third Division South championship @-@ winning year of 1927 . They beat both Torquay United and Coventry City by this score at The Den . Millwall 's heaviest league defeat was 8 ? 1 away to Plymouth Argyle in 1932 . The club 's heaviest loss in all competitions was a 9 ? 1 defeat at Aston Villa in an FA Cup fourth @-@ round second @-@ leg in 1946 . Millwall 's largest Cup win was 7 ? 0 over Gateshead in 1936 . Their highest scoring aggregate game was a 12 @-@ goal thriller at home to Preston North End in 1930 when Millwall lost 7 ? 5 .

= = = Player records = = =

As of 8 May 2015

See List of Millwall F.C. seasons for Millwall 's top goalscorer each year since 1895 .

= = Millwall in European football = =

On 22 May 2004 Millwall played Manchester United in the FA Cup Final , losing 3 ? 0 . As United had already qualified for the UEFA Champions League , Millwall were assured of playing in the

UEFA Cup . Millwall played in the first round proper and lost 4 ? 2 on aggregate to Ferencváros .

= = = European record = = =

= = Supporters and hooliganism = =

Millwall have averaged a gate close to 12 @, @ 000 per home game over their 86 seasons in the Football League , while the club have spent the majority of that time yo @-@ yoining back and forth between the second and third tiers of English football . Originally based in the East End of London , the club moved across the River Thames in 1910 to south east London and support is drawn from the surrounding areas . The club and fans have a historic association with football hooliganism , which came to prevalence in the 1970s and 1980s with a firm known originally as F @-@ Troop , eventually becoming more widely known as the Millwall Bushwackers , who were one of the most notorious hooligan gangs in England . On five occasions The Den was closed by The FA and the club has received numerous fines for crowd disorder . The BBC documentary Panorama was invited into the club by Millwall in 1977 to show the hooligan reputation was a myth and being blown out of proportion by reporting . Instead the BBC portrayed hooliganism as being deeply rooted in Millwall , and attempted to link them to the far @-@ right political party National Front . The show was extremely damaging for the club . Former club chairman Reg Burr once commented : " Millwall are a convenient coat peg for football to hang its social ills on " , an example being the reporting of convicted murderer Gavin Grant . Although he had played for eight different clubs , playing his fewest number of games ( four ) for Millwall , and was signed to Bradford City at the time , the BBC used the headline , " Former Millwall striker Gavin Grant guilty of murder " .

The stigma of violence attached to Millwall can be traced back over 100 years . Millwall played local rivals West Ham United away at Upton Park on 17 September 1906 in a Western League game . Both sets of supporters were primarily made up of dockers , who lived and worked in the same locality in east London . Many were rivals working for opposing firms and vying for the same business . A local newspaper , East Ham Echo , reported that , " From the very first kick of the ball it was seen likely to be some trouble , but the storm burst when Dean and Jarvis came into collision ( Millwall had two players sent off during the match ) . This aroused considerable excitement among the spectators . The crowds on the bank having caught the fever , free fights were plentiful . " In the 1920s Millwall 's ground was closed for two weeks after a Newport County goalkeeper , who had been struck by missiles , jumped into the crowd to confront some of the home supporters and was knocked unconscious . The ground was again closed for two weeks in 1934 following crowd disturbances after the visit of Bradford ( Park Avenue ) . Pitch invasions resulted in another closure in 1947 and in 1950 the club was fined after a referee and linesman were ambushed outside the ground .

In the 1960s , hooliganism in England became more widely reported . On 6 November 1965 Millwall beat west London club Brentford 2 ? 1 away at Griffin Park and during the game a hand grenade was thrown onto the pitch from the Millwall end . Brentford 's goalkeeper Chic Brodie picked it up , inspected it and threw it into his goal . It was later retrieved by police and determined to be a harmless dummy . There was fighting inside and outside the ground during the game between both sets of supporters , with one Millwall fan sustaining a broken jaw . The Sun newspaper ran the sensationalist grenade @-@ related headline " Soccer Marches to War ! " Trouble was reported at Loftus Road on 26 March 1966 during a match between Queens Park Rangers and Millwall , at a time when both sides were near the top of the league table pushing for promotion to Division Two , but the London derby was won 6 ? 1 by the west London based team , QPR . In the second @-@ half , a coin was thrown from the terraces , which struck Millwall player Len Julians on the head , drawing blood . The stadium announcer warned that the game would be abandoned if there were any more disturbances from the crowd , prompting some Millwall fans to invade the pitch in an unsuccessful attempt to get the game abandoned . When Millwall 's unbeaten home record of 59 games came to an end against Plymouth Argyle in 1967 , the windows of the away team 's coach

were smashed . In the same year , a referee was attacked and the FA ordered the club to erect fences around The Den 's terracing . On 11 March 1978 a riot broke out at The Den during an FA Cup quarter @-@ final between Millwall and Ipswich Town , with the home team losing 6 ? 1 . Fighting began on the terraces and spilled onto the pitch ; dozens of fans were injured , with some hooligans turning on their own team 's supporters leaving some innocent fans bloodied . Bobby Robson , then manager of Ipswich , said of Millwall fans afterward , " They [ the police ] should have turned the flamethrowers on them " . In 1982 Millwall club chairman Alan Thorne threatened to close the club because of violence sparked by losing in the FA Cup to non @-@ league side Slough Town .

The 1985 Kenilworth Road riot , after an FA Cup sixth @-@ round match between Luton Town and Millwall on 13 March 1985 , became one of the worst and widely reported incidents of football hooliganism to date . On that night , approximately 20 @,@ 000 people packed into a ground that usually only held half that number to watch Luton beat Millwall 1 ? 0 . Numerous pitch invasions , fighting in the stands and missile @-@ throwing occurred , of which one such object hit Luton 's goalkeeper Les Sealey . It led to a ban on away supporters by Luton from their Kenilworth Road ground for four years . Luton were asked by Millwall to make the Wednesday night match all @-@ ticket , but this was ignored . As a result , rival hooligan firms gained access to the stadium . As well as the Millwall hooligans and those belonging to Luton 's firm the MIGs , many of the 31 fans arrested after the violence were identified as being from Chelsea 's Headhunters firm and West Ham United 's Inter City Firm . The FA commissioned an inquiry which concluded that it was " not satisfied that Millwall F.C. took all reasonable precautions in accordance with the requirements of FA Rule 31 ( A ) ( II ) . " A £ 7 @,@ 500 fine was levied against Millwall , though this was later withdrawn on appeal . The penalty that Millwall faced was perhaps that the club 's name was now " synonymous with everything that was bad in football and society " .

In May 2002 , hundreds of hooligans attaching themselves to Millwall were involved in disorder around the ground , after the team lost a play @-@ off game to Birmingham City . It was described by the BBC as one of the worst cases of civil disorder seen in Britain in recent times . A police spokeswoman said that 47 police officers and 24 police horses were injured , and the Metropolitan Police considered suing the club after the events . The then chairman Theo Paphitis responded that Millwall could not be blamed for the actions of a mindless minority who attach themselves to the club . " The problem of mob violence is not solely a Millwall problem , it is not a football problem , it is a problem which plagues the whole of our society " , he said . Paphitis later introduced a membership scheme whereby only fans who would be prepared to join and carry membership cards would be allowed into The Den . Scotland Yard withdrew its threat to sue , stating : " In light of the efforts made and a donation to a charity helping injured police officers , the Metropolitan Police Service has decided not to pursue legal action against Millwall F.C. in relation to the disorder " . Some legal experts said it would have been difficult to hold a football club responsible for something that occurred away from its ground and involved people who did not attend the match . The scheme introduced by Paphitis now only applies to perceived high @-@ risk away games . Many fans blame the scheme for diminishing Millwall 's away support , such as at Leeds United where fans are issued with vouchers which are then exchanged for tickets at a designated point of West Yorkshire Police 's choosing on the day of the game . Also , early kick @-@ off times arranged by the police often result in only a few hundred fans making the trip .

In January 2009 , hundreds of Millwall fans perceived as " high risk " individuals gained access to an FA Cup fourth @-@ round match away at Hull City . The game , won 2 ? 0 by Hull , was overshadowed when seats , coins and plastic bottles were thrown by some away supporters . There were conflicting reports in the media as to whether missiles were initially thrown by Hull supporters following chanting and jeering by Millwall fans of Jimmy Bullard ( an ex @-@ West Ham player ) just prior to the fixture . On 25 August 2009 , Millwall played away at West Ham United in the Football League Cup , losing 3 ? 1 after extra time . One Millwall supporter was stabbed during clashes between the two sets of fans outside the ground . The game saw hundreds of West Ham fans invade the pitch on three occasions , forcing the game to be temporarily suspended once . The police later said the violence , because of its scale , was organised beforehand . In the aftermath of

the disorder , Millwall were handed three charges by the FA and later cleared of all of them ; West Ham received four charges and were found guilty on two counts : violent , threatening , obscene and provocative behaviour , and entering the field of play . West Ham were fined £ 115 @, @ 000 , an amount seen as an insult by Millwall , which staunchly defended the actions of its own fans and the club 's inability to do any more than it had for a match at a rival 's ground .

After a game against Queens Park Rangers at Loftus Road in September 2010 , manager Kenny Jackett said Millwall 's hooligan problems are to a certain extent exaggerated by media sensationalism . " I see it as unjust . We are an easy club to criticise and in my time [ at the club ] , the way we have been reported is unfair " , he said . Other examples of this include archive footage of their hooligan element 's past bad behaviour being shown , when disorder has occurred at other grounds , not involving them . During a game between Millwall and Huddersfield Town , The Observer reported that a Huddersfield Town fan had thrown a coin at a linesman , and that some Millwall fans had intervened , and handed the culprit over to police . The News of the World , however , bore the headline : " Millwall Thugs Deck Linesman With Concrete " . This has led to a siege mentality among supporters of the club , which gave rise to the Millwall fans ' famous terrace chant , No one likes us , we don 't care , being sung in defiant defence of themselves and their team . In April 2013 , Millwall met Wigan Athletic in a semi @-@ final of the FA Cup . Millwall lost the game 2 ? 0 . Towards the end of the match , violence broke out in part of the stand allocated to Millwall , with individuals fighting amongst themselves and then against police , resulting in 14 arrests , of which two were Wigan supporters . In January 2014 , a Millwall fan ripped a linesman 's flag after a corner was not given to his side during a game against Leicester City ; Millwall lost 1 ? 3 .

= = In the community = =

In 1985 , the club founded the Millwall Community Scheme ( MCS ) , which offers sporting , educational and charitable projects . The scheme is based next door to The Den , in the Lions Centre . Working with local children from the surrounding boroughs of Lewisham and Southwark , Millwall aim " to teach life lessons wrapped in football " , helping with social inclusion . The club help promote anti @-@ knife and anti @-@ gun crime . In a match against Charlton Athletic in 2009 , both teams wore special kits for the match in honour of murdered local teenagers and supporters Jimmy Mizen and Rob Knox . The logos of both clubs ' shirt sponsors were replaced by the text , " Street violence ruins lives " . The club has also helped raise over £ 10 @, @ 000 for the charity Help for Heroes .

= = In popular culture = =

Millwall have been depicted in films several times , specifically highlighting the club 's hooliganism firm the Bushwackers and the rivalry with West Ham United . Often glorifying football violence in the beginning , each film typically ends in loss of life , showing the futility of hooliganism .

The Firm ( 1989 ) ? Real life Millwall supporter Gary Oldman plays Bex , leader of football firm the Inter City Crew , a fictional representation of West Ham 's Inter City Firm and their violent exploits . Millwall 's Bushwackers firm are called The Buccaneers in the film .

Arrivederci Millwall ( 1990 ) ? A group of Millwall supporters travel to the 1982 World Cup in Spain , just after the Falklands War breaks out , intent on avenging a personal loss .

Black Books ( 2000 ) ? In the first episode " Cooking the Books " , Bernard Black ( Dylan Moran ) attempts to antagonise some Millwall hooligans into injuring him severely enough so that he may avoid doing his taxes . Upon remarking , " How does the song go ? Millwall , Millwall , we 're really dreadful and all of our girlfriends are unfulfilled and alienated , " he succeeds .

The Football Factory ( 2004 ) ? Primarily about the Chelsea Headhunters , who fight numerous other firms on away days , culminating in a big fight against Millwall 's Bushwackers .

Green Street ( 2005 ) ? Elijah Wood plays an American student who gets involved with West Ham 's firm . The film builds up to a big clash with Millwall 's firm at the climax , after the two teams are

drawn against each other in the Cup , foreshadowing similarities to the 2009 Upton Park riot .

Rise of the Footsoldier ( 2007 ) ? The rise of a football hooligan is chronicled from his beginnings on the terraces to becoming a member of a notorious gang of criminals . The rivalry between West Ham and Millwall is portrayed during the opening scenes of the film .

Dhan Dhana Dhan Goal ( 2007 ) ? The main protagonist Sunny Bhasin ( John Abraham ) initially agrees to leave Southall United Football Club and signs a lucrative offer to play for Millwall F.C. He later decides not to play for Millwall though .

Green Street 2 : Stand Your Ground ( 2009 ) ? A direct @-@ to @-@ video sequel to Green Street . It follows on directly from the original 's climax , with several members of West Ham 's and Millwall 's firms ending up in prison together and arranging a football match .

The Firm ( 2009 ) ? A remake by Nick Love , director of The Football Factory and himself a Millwall supporter . Set in the 1980s , the film focuses on the music , fashion and culture surrounding football at the time . It was generally well received by critics . In October 2009 , the Metropolitan Police released still photos from the film in relation to a search for hooligans from the Upton Park riot . The mistake led to an apology from Scotland Yard .

St George 's Day ( 2012 ) ? A British gangster film which featured cameos from Millwall players Liam Trotter , Alan Dunne , David Forde , Darren Ward and Scott Barron . The film also included several Millwall references such as ' No One Likes Us ' and ' We Fear No Foe ' .

The club 's ground The Den doubled as The Dragons Lair , home ground of fictional team Harchester United in the television series Dream Team . It also appeared in episodes of the shows The Bill and Primeval . In literature , books such as " No One Likes Us , We Don 't Care : True Stories from Millwall , Britain 's Most Notorious Football Hooligans " by Andrew Woods focuses on the hooligan element of Millwall . Sunday Mirror columnist Michael Calvin spent the 2009 ? 10 season covering Millwall , writing the book Family : Life , Death and Football . The book looks at the rivalry with West Ham United , the stabbing of a Millwall supporter and the Lions play @-@ off success and promotion to The Championship under Kenny Jackett .

= = = Notable supporters = = =

= = = Official = = =

Official website

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= = = News = = =

Millwall F.C. on BBC Sport : Club news ? Recent results ? Upcoming fixtures

Millwall news from Sky Sports

News at Den

Millwall at Football League

= = = General = = =

Millwall History Files

Millwall FC ? The Millwall Year ( s )

Millwall Supporters Club

Past Millwall kits ( 1885 ? present )