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**FA WNL LEAGUE SOUTHERN PREMIER DIVISION
CHELTENHAM TOWN WOMEN VS WATFORD WOMEN
14/09/25 - 2.00PM KICK-OFF**



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INTRODUCING CHELTENHAM TOWN WOMEN'S RESERVES IN PARTNERSHIP WITH UNIVERSITY DEGREES ABROAD



Back in June, we announced our partnership with University Degrees Abroad, who would help form our reserves team for the 2025/26 season!

Last weekend, they played their first game of the season. Despite a 4-1 loss to Keynsham Town Development.

The team will look to bounce back when they take on Bridgwater United Reserves today, before looking ahead to their first FAWNL Reserve Cup game against Rugby Borough on September 21st.

The reserves this season are led by the brilliant Aneakea Reay-Kemp. Reay-Kemp started coaching with her military work team (Intelligence Corps). After this, she started doing her coaching courses, and then was approached by the Army coaching staff to join the team.

First, she did the Army Women's Development team, and then got the job to do the Army Women's Senior team last season, going into their second season this month.

Reay-Kemp has also done stints with Chippenham Town Youth teams.

This year, she was part of the Midlands cohort for The Powerhouse Project, which is a company owned by Mollie and Rosie Kimita (ex-professional footballers).

Their company spearheads women in sport, and it was through their 12-week programme that she was approached by Steve Lilley for this job with Cheltenham Town Reserves.

You can read more about the UDA programme by heading to their website: www.udauk.org!

ANDY LIDDLE



- Cheltenham Town Women FC's Chairman shares his thoughts on today's fixture

Welcome back to Kayte Lane after our sojourn last weekend.

We're on a tremendous run and there is a real buzz around the Club.

We welcome the players, staff and fans of Watford this afternoon for what will be a real challenge.

Watford were in the Championship only 2 season ago, are unbeaten in the League, and have scored 16 without reply in the cup this season!

Things don't get any easier with the long trip to table-topping Bournemouth next weekend.

Both games have come early for a young side still connecting, and will be fascinating encounters.

It is great to have www.rootnourish.com on board, another partnership demonstrating the commercial benefits of linking up with the Club and our growing outreach.

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It is also great to have 20+ players along from recently established Whittington Park YouthFC, and we hope our mascots have an unforgettable afternoon.

Finally, our reserves are up and running and we're appreciative of the strong links with our friends University Degrees Abroad www.udauk.org.

Recruitment has mainly come from overseas students on courses at the University of Gloucestershire and we're sure this pathway will be producing strong challenges for the First Team in the very near future.

Thanks for getting behind the team, your support is hugely important to the Club.

Andy Liddle
Chairman



TOM DAVIES

MANAGER'S NOTES...

Good afternoon, and welcome to Kayte Lane for today's league fixture against Watford FC.

I'd like to extend a warm welcome to René, their staff, players, and the travelling supporters.

Watford are a side with a clear identity and a way of playing that has brought them a lot of success in recent years, with some fantastic individual players throughout their squad.

We respect them and the threat they bring, but like every team we face, they will have to earn the right to play, earn our respect on the pitch, and meet a group who will work tirelessly to impose ourselves and continue building on the way we want to play football.

We come into today on the back of two excellent results.

Our 1-0 win away at Oxford United was a huge moment for this group.

Oxford are one of the title favourites, and the disparity between what the clubs can offer is huge.

But the work, commitment, and heart of our players

shone through, these things you can't buy.

It was a strong, resilient performance that upset the odds, and one that we fully deserved.

We followed that up with a 4-0 win against Birmingham City PGA, with a rotated XI and a completely different type of game.

Where Oxford required grit and defensive discipline, Birmingham required professionalism and control, and we showed that we can turn up under pressure and manage games in the right way.

"Hard work" is easy to say but not always easy to show.

This group continues to put in maximum effort in every performance, and it's a hugely pleasing part of who we are.

Enjoy the game,

Tom





CHELTENHAM TOWN WOMEN FC **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

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WWW.CTWOMENFC.COM

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Today's Opposition: Watford



PREVIOUS OUTINGS:

Watford FC will be one of the favourites for the Southern Premier Division title this season, having been relegated from the Championship two seasons ago.

The hornets have started their season in great form, only dropping points in a 0-0 with Lewis on the opening day.

Since that game, Watford have seen wins against Plymouth Argyle and AFC Wimbledon, 2-0 and 2-1 respectively.

Similarly to Cheltenham, Watford are also top of their FAWNL League Cup Group with two wins in two.

A 7-0 win against Charlton Athletic's Academy was followed by a 9-0 win over Chesham United last weekend, a game which saw six different goalscorers.



ONE(S) TO WATCH:



Lachante Paul, Flo Fyfe & Maddison Perry

We could have picked any of Watford's front line this week, with three players having three goals in three games. So we did! Lachante Paul, Flo Fyfe and Madison Perry are all going to be players to watch this afternoon.

Perry scored a brace to secure a 2-0 win over Plymouth Argyle, and was also one of six goal scorers against Chesham United in the League Cup. The same game saw Paul score a hat trick. Fyfe scored a brace against Charlton Athletic Academy, and another against Wimbledon.

IN THE DUGOUT: RENEE HECTOR

Today's Opposition manager is Renee Hector, someone with plenty of experience in and around the women's game.

At just 29-years-old, Hector became the youngest manager in the FAWNL Southern Premier Division, and helped the side to a top-three finish last season.

Last campaign, her side narrowly missed out on promotion, finishing third, whilst she picked up FAWNL Premier Division manager of the month for November.

After retiring at 26 due to injury, Hector has had to overcome adversity within the game, and is currently a UEFA B licensed coach.



Last Season vs Cheltenham:

The Robinesses will be looking for a result to rectify their misfortunes against Watford this season, after suffering two defeats against these opponents last season.

At Kayte Lane, Cheltenham fell to a 2-1 defeat despite threats of a late comeback, Anais Trinci grabbing one back just after the

hour mark after the Hornets went 2-0 up.

Away from home it was the same story, the hosts going 2-0 up thanks to two quick-fire second-half goals from Megan Chandler and Anna Filbey.



CHELTENHAM TOWN WOMEN FC 2025/26 SQUAD



1. CHARLOTTE HAYNES

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2. ANAIS TRINCI



3. CHARLOTTE
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4. HOLLY FINCH

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MATCH ACTION

Sunday, September 7 2025 | 14:00 | FA WNL League Cup - Group F



CHELTEHAM TOWN WFC

4-0

BIRMINGHAM CITY U21'S



Cheltenham Town Women made it four wins in a row with a strong 4-0 win against Birmingham City Under-21's in the FAWNL League Cup.

Goals from Issy Newns, Courtney Jones, Una Lue and Louise Guymira gave Cheltenham all three points.

Cheltenham opened the scoring early on through Newns, who took aim from the edge of the area, her strike nestling into the bottom left-hand corner to give the Robinesses a 1-0 lead within the opening 10-minutes.

Birmingham City had a chance to level the game from the penalty spot, Emily Fitzpatrick hitting the post from 12 yards after Emily Owen was penalised for a handball.

But, not long after, Jones doubled Cheltenham's lead, heading home after meeting Libby Bell's corner.

Lue had an opportunity for a third despite the visitors piling on the pressure, cutting in on the left-hand side, before unleashing a powerful effort that fell just wide of the right post. Cheltenham went into the break with a two-goal advantage.

Lue was proving a handful for the young Blues defence, her first effort of the second half flying just wide of the near post after beating Nadyne Da Silva for pace.

Meg Arnott then tried an ambitious effort from 40 yards, seeing Felgate off her line, but the effort didn't trouble the young keeper in the end.

As Cheltenham were pushing for a third, Lue met Emma Congrave's cross, but her effort was tame and easily held by Felgate.

The striker then saw her effort smash against the bar from long range, before Amelie Curtis won the ball back in the final third, her driven effort narrowly wide in a period of dominance from the home side.

Charlotte Haynes was called into action, producing a great save to deny Lucy Powis in a one-on-one as Birmingham looked for a route back into the game.

However, Lue finally got her goal just before the hour mark, running in behind before slotting her effort into the bottom right-hand corner.

Substitute Guymira picked the ball up inside her own half before charging up the pitch and unleashing a powerful effort, which zipped past the grasp of Felgate to give the Robinesses a strong four-goal lead.

Haynes was called into action yet again with the 90-minute mark approaching, this time a high diving catch to keep her clean sheet intact.



GETTING TO KNOW... CHARLOTTE HAYNES

**10 QUICK QUESTIONS TO GET TO
KNOW OUR NUMBER ONE!**

What's your favourite food?

Probably going to be a steak.

Who was your football idol growing up?

Siobhan Chamberlin [Ex Manchester United Goalkeeper]. I actually have a tattoo which says "Work until your idols become your rivals". I played with her at Bristol Academy, then a couple of years later she was my rival when I played for Yeovil and she was at Liverpool!

Who do you support?

I actually don't support men's football! But I would probably say I like Newcastle.

If you could have a superpower, what superpower would it be?

Probably just to jump! I'm tall, but I actually can't jump very high!

What are your favourite pre-match song/songs?

It would have to be Show Me Love, I think it's a new song that came out this year. [WizTheMc & bees & honey]

If you were stuck on a desert island with a teammate, which teammate would you pick?

It's got to be Charlotte [Salisbury-Williams]! She just makes me laugh and she's so funny! We would survive together.



Pineapple on pizza, yes or no?

Absolutely not!!

If you had to play a sport other than football, what would that sport be?

I'd probably go back to Athletics! I got to Nationals at Heptathlon and Pentathlon and i do miss that.

If you could time-travel, would you go to the past or future?

The future because I'd probably be on a lot more money than I am right now!

If you could only eat one thing for the rest of your life, what would it be?

Probably chicken dippers.

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FIXTURES AND RESULTS

2025/26 COMPETITIVE FIXTURES



The FA Women's
National League

DATE		OPPOSITION	COMP.	ATT	POM
AUG					
Sun 17	H	Exeter City Women	FAWNL SP	0-2	178 Evans
Thur 21	H	Worcester City Women	FAWNL LC	2-0	102 Owen
Sun 24	A	Real Bedford Women	FAWNL SP	1-4	Salisbury-Williams
Sun 31	H	Oxford United Women	FAWNL SP	1-0	143 Haynes
SEP					
Sun 7	H	Birmingham City Academy	FAWNL LC	4-0	110 Curtis
Sun 14	H	Watford FC Women	FAWNL SP	14:00	
Sun 21	A	AFC Bournemouth Women	FAWNL SP	14:00	
Sun 28	A	Kidderminster Harriers Women	FAWNL LC	14:00	
OCT					
Sun 5	H	Plymouth Argyle Women	FAWNL SP	14:00	
Sun 12	A	AFC Wimbledon Women	FAWNL SP	14:00	
Thur 30	A	Gwalia United Women	FAWNL SP	19:45	
NOV					
Sun 2	H	Lewes FC Women	FAWNL SP	14:00	
Sun 16	A	Hashtag United Women	FAWNL SP	14:00	
Sun 30	H	Billericay Town Women	FAWNL SP	14:00	
DEC					
Sun 7	A	Exeter City Women	FAWNL SP	14:00	
JAN					
Sun 4	H	Real Bedford Women	FAWNL SP	14:00	
Sun 25	A	Oxford United Women	FAWNL SP	14:00	
FEB					
Sun 8	A	Lewes FC Women	FAWNL SP	14:00	
Thur 19	H	Gwalia United Women	FAWNL SP	19:45	
Sun 22	A	Watford FC Women	FAWNL SP	14:00	
MAR					
Sun 8	H	AFC Bournemouth Women	FAWNL SP	14:00	
Sun 22	H	AFC Wimbledon Women	FAWNL SP	14:00	
Sun 29	A	Plymouth Argyle Women	FAWNL SP	14:00	
APR					
Sun 12	H	Hashtag United Women	FAWNL SP	14:00	
Sun 26	A	Billericay Town Women	FAWNL SP	14:00	

Fixture details subject to change

FAWNL SP: FA Women's National League Southern Premier

FAWNL LC: FA Women's National League League Cup Group F

POM: Player of the Match (as chosen by poll, match sponsor, or opposition where applicable)



TODAY'S TEAMS

CHELTENHAM TOWN WFC

- 01 Charlotte Haynes
- 02 Anais Trinci
- 03 Charlotte Salisbury-Williams
- 04 Holly Finch
- 05 Courtney Jones
- 06 Casi Evans
- 07 Amelie Curtis
- 08 Megan Arnott
- 09 Clarabella Hall
- 10 Libby Bell
- 13 Ffion Llewellyn
- 15 Emily Owen (c)
- 16 Louise Guymira
- 17 Karly Norman
- 18 Brooke Ellis
- 19 Emma Congrave
- 20 Issy Newns
- 21 Una Lue
- Freya Boucher
- Anaiya Brady

Manager: Tom Davies

WATFORD WOMEN

- 01 Rebekah Dowsett
- 02 Niamh Peacock
- 03 Grace Garrad
- 04 Anna Filbey
- 05 Anne Meiwald
- 06 Sophie McLean
- 07 Lachante Paul
- 08 Ava Kuyken
- 09 Madison Perry
- 10 Annie Rossiter
- 11 Isabella Fisher
- 12 Ellie Head
- 13 Chloe Sansom
- 14 Eva Gray
- 15 Andria Georgiou
- 16 Marcie O'Meara
- 17 Megan Chandler (c)
- 18 Poppy Wilson
- 19 Daisy Hind
- 20 Lucy Lyon
- 21 Flo Fyfe
- 22 Maya Kendell
- 23 Coral Haines
- 24 Soraya Walsh
- 99 Freda Ayisi

Head Coach: Renee Hector



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TODAY'S MATCH OFFICIALS

Referee:
Imogen Gates
Assistant Referees:
Max Thompson &
Paul Sparrow