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Editorial – James Warrener:

Welcome to the March 2026 WFCSA Newsletter.

It's been another eventful month in the life of Weymouth FC. Aren't they all?

This time we are on the topsy as opposed to turvy. League wins, a cup final success, a team scoring and not conceding (at the time of writing) and a group that has given us real hope of staying up. Something I had given up on in December and February.

Whatever happens now I think it will be a summer of looking forward with only lessons learned from 2025/2026. There is little to look back on fondly.

I was recently chatting to a step 5 player at work (he plays for Grantham Town who older Terras fans will remember us duelling with but have fallen on harder times than us) and he mentioned a new signing they had who I might remember.

Victor Odiaka!

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Weymouth FC can confirm the departure of Victor Odiaka

By WFCSA Office • 15th September 2025



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It took me a minute, but I remembered back to the FA Cup at Tadley Calleva. That was still in August of 2025, the first full month of the season but we were already on our second manager and had an evolving squad.

Sadly, for Victor, he took a fair amount of the blame for that day and would soon be gone from the club. But what this does show in pretty graphic detail is the churn of players and staff that we have had again this season.

I looked even further back to an editorial from my first spell in this editorial chair that was only just post-pandemic and that had this sentence...

"All I want for Weymouth FC is a season where we have one Chairman, one Manager"

Still relevant to this day and an aim that I still hold. Stability is what gets you results and consistency. Not "new manager bounce".

Fingers crossed that we are at the point now where we can move forward on and off the field with a clear vision and the patience and courage needed to get to our goals. That might still mean coming from a division lower than we are now, I hope not, but I will still be here even if that is the case.

James



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Chairman's column - Pete Nash:

Welcome to your March newsletter. As ever, I hope you are all keeping well?

Firstly, I hope you are all cheered by the latest run of results. Fours wins in a row, 12 goals for, 0 goals against and some silverware back in the trophy cabinet! Not to mention another win over our local rivals at their place!

The league table is looking a lot better at the moment, but rest assured, the recent run of results were no fluke, but the culmination of much hard work. The squad had to contend with losing a key member in Barney Stone and it took time to get reinforcements in. But we at last have competition for places, with a full bench to call upon when needed, which makes a massive difference.

We need to keep the momentum going, as we are acutely aware we are not safe yet.

At our game on Saturday away to Yate, you may have seen there was some crowd disturbance. Out of respect for the people at Yate Town, I will not go into too much detail about the events and circumstances, suffice to say that once again, a small minority of young supporters, not all associated with Weymouth FC I must add, seem intent on causing unrest at this level of non league football.

I want to assure you, as a club, we are working closely with Dorset Police to ensure our games are well controlled and stewarded.

We have brought in measures to help identify everyone who attends a game at the Bob Lucas Stadium, which is a benefit to everyone's safety and security. Having said all that, there are limits to what we can do, and we need the help and support of all fans to enable us to root out the perpetrators of this unacceptable behaviour.

Please help your club by reporting any incidents you see, or concerns you may have, to the nearest



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steward. Together, we can rid the game of this malaise and concentrate on what we enjoy most, that is watching football, having a drink and some banter with your mates on a warm sunny afternoon.

The Hall of Fame event was another great success. Pete Pavey, Ben Thomson, Jorge Diaz and Lee Bradford were inducted into the Hall of Fame, along with club founding members Jimmy Newport, Mark Frowde and Robert Bennett. Our thanks to Loose Moose for providing the catering.

I would also like to place on record my personal thanks to Claire Pavey and Ade MacDonald who do most of the heavy lifting in organising the evening.

Thanks also to Robin Nichols for organising the trophies.

Everyone's efforts were very much appreciated. Finally, thank you to everyone who came along and supported the event.

Thank you all for your continued support.

Best wishes to you all,

Pete

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WFCSA Draw winners - February 2026



CLARET & BLUE
LOTTERY

CLARET & BLUE WINNERS
Claret & Blue
Winners February
2026

1st ~ £265 ~ R Nichols (Weymouth)
[59] 2nd ~ £160 ~ M Avant
(Weymouth) [281] 3rd ~ £55 ~ E
Colebrooke (Weymouth) [92]

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1st ~ £270 ~ G Brand (Weymouth)
[456] 2nd ~ £165 ~ P Whalley
(Weymouth) [150] 3rd ~ 55 ~ R
Young (Verwood) [241]

Don't worry if you haven't seen your name on the list of winners as yet. You can either get yourself a number or add additional ones to have multiple opportunities to win.

Click [here](#) and select your number(s)



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What's on at WFC

Non League Day 28 March 2026 by Pete Nash



Non league day has been running for 16 years now and is scheduled during a Premier League international break. Supporters are encouraged to get out and support their local volunteer run non league club.

Prostate Cancer UK has teamed up with non league day to promote awareness of Prostate Cancer.

It is the most commonly diagnosed cancer in the UK. 64,000 men are diagnosed each year.

More than 12,000 men die from prostate cancer each year.

There are 540,000 men living with or after prostate cancer.

I was diagnosed in August 2023, having had my PSA monitored for some years due to ongoing symptoms. It's a shock I can tell you! Surprise doesn't really cover it! Takes some time to sink in and understand what it all means. It's like your world is shattered into a million little pieces. Do you have a future any more? What does that future look like? So much goes through your mind, it's really difficult at times to keep all the pieces in one place so you can at least try and put some of it



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back together again.

This is where Prostate Cancer UK come in. They provided me with information and vital support in those early days after diagnosis to help see a way forward. As we are all unique, and no two cancers are the same, we all tread a different path, but it's Prostate Cancer UK who can help guide you in the right direction.

My personal circumstances eventually lead me to chose active surveillance. My cancer is T2, meaning it is contained within the prostate. I've had a TURP to ease my symptoms and it has really helped and actually improved my overall quality of life. I'm well looked after and have nothing butpraise for the NHS team whose care I am in.

I am grateful to Prostate Cancer UK for all the support they give to men like me and for championing testing and treatments for this terrible disease. I am running my first marathon in 13 years to raise funds in support of all they do for us. I've managed to reach 18 miles on my longtraining runs, so I'm pretty confident, that whatever might go wrong, I should be able to hobble, limp, crawl and drag myself around to the finish! I'm nothing if not stubborn!

I will be at the game on 28th March, so please some and find me by the club shop. If you want to talk about my experience, your experience, or that of a loved one, then come and see me. If you would like to support my fundraising, that would be great as well, but I would rather chat and get the message out there, that is my main mission.

Yes, every penny helps with research and support for people like myself, but knowledge and understanding are equally important, because when detected early, this disease is beatable.

<https://prostatecanceruk.org/>



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Dear Terras supporters,

You are at the heart of Weymouth Football Club, and it is important that your voices help shape how the club continues to grow and develop.

The Fan Insight Project has been created to better understand how supporters experience Weymouth FC today. This includes listening to what you enjoy, what could be improved, and how we can strengthen the connection between the club and its community.

Over the coming weeks, supporters will have the opportunity to share their views through online surveys and in-person discussion sessions. The aim is simple: to listen properly and use that insight to help guide how the club communicates, operates, and engages with supporters in the future.

You can read more about the project and how to get involved in the full document linked [here](#).

Ben Miller

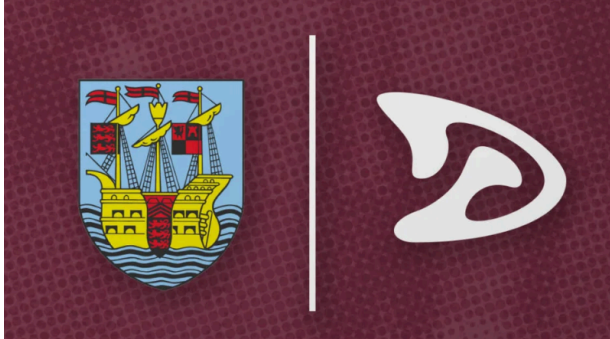
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Weymouth Football Club is pleased to announce it will be working with Dilley Studio on a project to support and strengthen the club's visual identity.

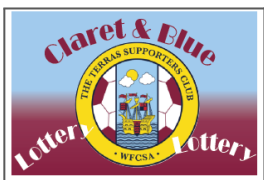
As the club continues to develop both on and off the pitch, it's important that our brand is clear, consistent and reflective of what sits at the heart of Weymouth Football Club.

This is not a rebrand. The collaboration will focus on improving brand consistency and aligning the club's identity across our platforms, while ensuring it continues to reflect our heritage, and connection with the community.

A key part of the process will involve listening to supporters as part of the Fan Insight Project and understanding what Weymouth FC means to the community, ensuring any work reflects the club's core values, history, and future ambitions.

Marcus Dilley, founder of Dilley Studio, is originally from Weymouth and has supported the club previously with digital projects. He brings a wealth of experience in sport, having worked with organisations including Adidas, Nike, Kappa, MLS, Wrexham, Wimbledon, the Olympics and the IPL.

We look forward to sharing updates with supporters as the project progresses.



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