



Leicestershire Women's Football 1971-72



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Nr		P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1	Wanderers	14	13	1	0	58	4	27
2	Emgals	14	11	0	3	79	14	22
3	Kays	14	11	0	3	64	30	22
4	Bedworth ladies	14	4	2	8	20	35	10
5	Leicester City Supporters LFC	14	5	0	9	17	42	10
6	Lansdowne Ladies	14	4	1	9	28	43	9
7	Rainbow Dazzlers	14	3	2	9	19	41	8
8	GEC/AEI	14	2	0	12	10	86	4

Winner: Wanderers

Runner Up: Emgals

Half of the Division were from Leicestershire.

Results and Match Details

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
29.8.1971	Kays Ladies	5	4	Emgals	Opening day shock defeat for Emgals - last season's First Division champions
29.8.1971	Wanderers	5	0	Bedworth Ladies	
10.10.1971	Kays	1	0	Leicester City Supporters	Kayes stayed top of the League.
10.10.1971	Rainbow Dazzlers	6	0	GEC/AEI	Th Dazzlers moved into 3 rd place.
31.10.1971	Bedworth Ladies	2	2	Lansdowne Ladies [Leicester]	Bedworth twice fought back from behind to snatch a draw
31.10.1971	Rainbow Dazzlers	1	4	Kays	Kays kept their 100% record.
14.11.1971	Kays	2	1	Lansdowne Ladies	
14.11.1971	Bedworth Ladies	4	1	GEC/AEI	GEC remained bottom of the League.
28.11.1971	Bedworth Ladies	0	4	Wanderers	This win put Wanderers 2 points behind League leaders Kays - who they still had to play both home and away.
5.12.1971	AEI/GEC	0	4	Wanderers	
2.1.1972	Kays Ladies	4	0	Rainbow Dazzlers	Kays were League leaders. Rainbow's first match for 3 weeks.
23.1.1972	Emgals	8	0	Kays Ladies	
6.2.1972	Emgals	12	0	GEC/AEI	Emgals went into 2 nd place on goal average above Kays
13.2.1972	Emgals	6	0	Lansdowne	
13.2.1972	Ranbow Dazzlers	0	0	Bedworth Ladies	Overseal
5.3.1972	Bedworth Ladies	W		Leicester City Supporters	
12.3.1972	Kays	5	2	Bedworth Ladies	
19.3.1972	Wanderers [Nuneaton] Bernadette Cook (2)	3	0	Kays	This victory of their nearest rivals gave the Wanderers the Midland Lades Football League title for the 4 th time in 5 seasons.

	Jane Spooner				
26.3.1972	Lansdowne Ladies	0	5	Wanderers Bernadette Cook (4) AN Other	
26.3.1972	Emgals	5	1	Bedworth Ladies	



Midland Ladies Football League Division II 1971-72

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Nr		P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1	Emgals B	12	8	2	2	60	10	18
2	Rye Piece Ladies	11	7	3	1	43	12	17
3	Tutbury Ladies	10	7	0	3	28	6	14
4	Western Athletic	12	5	2	5	28	22	12
5	Hillmorton Hunters	12	5	2	5	15	34	12
6	Conners	13	5	0	8	20	48	10
7	Leicester City B	12	3	1	8	6	29	7
8	Nuneaton Rangers	12	1	2	9	4	29	4

Winner: Emgals B

Runner Up: Tutbury Ladybirds

Leicestershire were represented by three teams – Emgals 'B', Leicester City Supporters 'B' and Western Athletic.

Results and Match Details

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
10.10.1971	Rye Piece	4	1	Western Athletic	Kays maintained their 100%recrd.
10.10.1971	Emgals B	10	0	Hillmorton Hunters	Thus result took Emgals into 2 nd place in the League.
17.10.1971	Hillmorton Hunters	1	0	Nuneaton Rangers	
?10.1971	Hillmorton Hunters	3	1	Conners	
24.10.1971	Rye Piece Ladies Londa Randle	2	2	Emgals 'B' Alice John (pen + 1)	Alice Johnson shot Emgals into the lead, but midway through the second half Linda Randle put Rye in front with 2 goals in 5 mins and it took a penalty from Alice Johnson to snatch a draw.
5.12.1971	Rye Piece Ladies	5	0	Leicester City Supporters 'B'	
6.2.1972	Hillmorton Hunters	3	0	Leicester City Supporters	
13.2.1971	Rye Piece Ladies	3	3	Hillmorton Hunters	
5.3.1972	Rye Piece Ladies		W	Hillmorton Hunters	
16.4.1972	Rye Piece Ladies	0	2	Tutbury Ladybirds	
26.3.1972	Western Athletic	1	6	Rye Piece	
23.4.1972	Tutbury Ladybirds Christine Riddel (2) Jackie Waker Karen Grant (2) Norma Ede	6	2	Rye Pieces og AN Other	



Midland Ladies Football League Cystic Fibrosis Cup 1971-72

Winner: Thame Ladies
Runner-Up: Emgals
No. of Entries: ?

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
	Kays Ladies			Bedworth Ladies	
16.1.1972	Lansdowne	0 (0)	2 (1)	Rainbow Dazzlers	Overseal. Very soft surface.
	Rye Piece Ladies			Leicester City Supporters 'A'	
13.2.1972	Wanderers	8	0	Emgals 'B'	

Quarter-Finals

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
	Kays or Bedworth Ladies			Lambar Ladies	
	Rye Pieces or Leicester City Supporters			Emgals	
	Rainbow Dazzlers			Thame Ladies	
17.4.1972	Wanderers			Blurton Albion	

Semi-Finals

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
29.4.1972	Emgals			Wanderers	Wanderers played two semi-final ties in 2 days - they played Swindon the next day in the Vice-Presidents Cup.
16.4.1972	Thame Ladies			Kays	Southam

Final

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
14.5.1972	Emgals	1	4	Thame Ladies	Worcester



Midland Ladies Football League Cup 1971-72

Winner: ?
Runner-Up: ?
No. of Entries: ?

Round 1

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
21.11.1971	Bedworth Ladies			Emgals B	
28.11.1971	GEC/AEI			Emgals A	
28.11.1971	Hillmorton Hunters	0	4	Rainbow Dazzlers	Leaders of Division 1 easily beating leaders of Division 2
21.11.1971	Kays	6	0	Rye Piece Ladies	

28.11.1971	Lansdowne Ladies			Western Athletic	
21.11.1971	Lodge Park			Conners	
28.11.1971	Nuneaton Rangers	1	8	Leicester City Supporters	
21.11.1971	Wanderers	3	0	Thame Ladies	

Quarter Finals

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
30.1.1972	Lodge Park [Redditch]	2	1	Rainbow Dazzlers	Redditch. Rainbow fielded a weakened side due to a "large number of indisposed players."

Semi-Finals

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
?	Emgals	5	0	Leicester City Supporters LFC	
27.5.1972	Wanderers			Lodge Park	Wanderers withdrew because of the venue and as a result the WFA ordered the final to be postponed pending an investigation.

Final

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
	Emgals			Lodge Park	



Midland Ladies Football League Vice Presidents Cup 1971-72

Winner: ?
Runner-Up: ?
No. of Entries: ?

Round 1

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
18.12.1971	Conners			Hillmorton Hunters	
18.12.1971	Emgals 'A'	7	0	GEC/AEI	
18.12.1971	Leicester City Supporters 'A'	P	P	Rainbow Dazzlers	Western Park, Leicester. Waterlogged pitch.
18.12.1971	Rye Piece Linda Randle (2) Rose Randle Jane Fitzpatrick Karen Dean	5	0	Nuneaton Rangers	
18.12.1971	Thame Ladies	8	1	Emgals 'B'	Oxford
	Swindon Spitfires			Lansdowne Ladies	
18.12.1972	Wanderers	P	P	Bedworth Ladies	Postponed due to 7 Wanderers players down with the flu
18.12.1972	Western Athletic	P	P	Kays	Waterlogged pitch

Round 1 Replays

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
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23.1.1971	Leicester City Supporters 'A'	1	2	Rainbow Dazzlers	Western Park, Leicester
23.1.1972	Wanderers	3	0	Bedworth Ladies	Heavy ground

Quarter Finals

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
27.2.1972	Kays			Swindon Spitfires	
27.2.1972	Hillmorton Hunters	0	5	Rainbow Dazzlers Ruth Riddell (3) Caroline Parrans (2)	Rugby Ruth Riddell scored a 16 min first half hat-trick.
27.2.1972	Thame Ladies	7	0	Rye Piece	
27.2.1972	Wanderers			Emgals	

Semi-Finals

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
30.4.1972	Swindon Spitfires	0	0	Wanderers	Worcester
2.4.1972	Thame Ladies	4	0	Rainbow Dazzlers	

Final

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
3.6.1972	Swindon Spitfires			Thame Ladies	Stretton-on-Dunsmore



Pat Gwynne Invitation Cup

Winner: ?
Runner-Up: ?
No. of Entries: ?

Round 1 [South Section]

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
19.3.1972	AEI/GEC	14	0	Robirch [Evesham]	
19.3.1972	Bedworth Rangers	2	0	Renold Ladies	
19.3.1972	Cope-Chat Ladies [Stroud]	1	2	Rype Piece [Bedford]	
19.3.1972	Hillmorton Hunters			Badsey Ladies	
19.3.1972	Holbrooks Athletic			Droitwich StAndrew's	
19.3.1972	Norton Ladies			Dudley Road Hospital	
19.3.1972	Nuneaton Rangers			Lodge Park [Redditch]	
19.3.1972	Villa Rangers			Bedworth Ladies	

Round 1 [North Section]

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
19.3.1972	Blurton Albin			County Canaries	
19.3.1972	Conners Ladies			Mansfield Ladies	
	Leicester City Supporters A			Leicester City Supporters B	
19.3.1972	Measham Ladies			Emgals B	
19.3.1972	Nottingham Imps			Western Athletic	

19.3.1972	Rainbow Dazzlers	0	1	Forest Rangers	Overseal.
19.3.1972	Rainbow Dazzlers Reserves			Notts United	
19.3.1972	Tutbury Ladybirds			Lansdowne Ladies	

Round 2

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
15.4.1972 or before	Badsey Ladies			Bedworth Rangers	
	Blurton Albion or County Canaries			Nottingham Imps	
	Droitwich St Andrew's			Norton Ladies	
	Leicester City Supporters LFC			Lodge Park	
	Mansfield Ladies			Forest Rangers	
	Notts United			Bedworth Rangers	
	Rye Piece			Bedworth Ladies	

Semi-Finals

Date	Home			Away	Match Details

Final

Date	Home			Away	Match Details



Rose Cup

Winner: Emgals B
Runner-Up: Rye Piece
No. of Entries: ?

Round 1

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
12.1.1971	Rye Piece	6	0	Conners	Due flu Coners could only field 8 players.
	Hillmorton Hunters	W		Western Athletic	Rugby

Semi-Finals

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
	Emgals B				
	Rye Piece				

Final

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
22.4.1972	Emgals 'B' Alice Johnson (2)	2	0	Rye Piece Ladies	Hillmorton Hunters ground, Rugby.



Stan Haines Trophy

Winner: Emgals
Runner-Up: Wanderers
No. of Entries: ?

Semi-Finals

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
10.10.1971	Emgals	9	1	Lansdowne Ladies	
10.10.1971	Bedworth Ladies	0	0	Wanderers	

Final

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
23.10.1971	Emgals	5	0	Wanderers	Stretton-on-Dunsmore