

## Ammanford AFC Players Profiles

**James Kirkwood** Keeper Ammanford youth product Mr dependable

**Rhys Fisher** Full Back Ammanford youth product great future ahead

**Luke Squires** Midfielder or plays wide ex Newcastle Emlyn

**Anthony Douglas** Defender but will play anywhere

**Alex Squires** Attacking midfield player and scores goals

**James Murray** Midfielder another local youth product

**Ben Soal** Midfielder Local Youth after spell with Carmarthen Town

**Euros Griffiths** Midfield Local youth product

**Rhys Morgan** Midfield Great prospect local boy

**Alex Thomas** Striker also can play wide

**Shaun Williams** Midfielder Another local youth product

**Geraint Rees** Midfielder local product

**Oliver Ardelino** Forward or mid field local player

**Nathan Jones** Local player mid field or forward

**Rhys Owen** Centre half ex Caerau / Port Talbot

**Craig Frater** Midfield / Forward transferred from Camford

**Luke Fayres** Centre Forward/Centre Half returns after retirement

**Ashley Richards** Centre Forward transferred from Garden Village

**Mathew Fisher** Forward back after spell with Haverfordwest Cty

**Brett Enoch** Forward Transferred from Tumble Utd this season

**Callum Humphries** Youth Team product forward

**Michael Morris** Transferred from Seaside Midfielder

### Manager

Gruff Harrison Ex Swansea schoolboy and Ammanford AFC

### Assistant Manager

Richard Stevens

### Director of Football and Coach

Colin Haines

## A Brief history of Ammanford AFC

### Today

**1908/9** First recorded fixture to date, a friendly against Rhondda touring team, against Ammanford Town.

**1920s** Ammanford Thursdays played at Caemawr Betws

**1930s** The first Betws soccer club called Betws Blackbirds played on Rice Road with their dressing rooms and head quarters at The Coopers Hotel Betws

The committee at that time had the foresight to purchase the playing field and for land to build a club house for £750.

**1949** Entered The Welsh League under the name Betws.

**1957/8** Finished runners up to Llanelli.

**1958/9** Champions of Division 2 (West) and promotion to Division 1. They also won the Division 2 cup beating Div 2 (East) champions Tredomen'

**1959/60** On Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> August the club played its opening first division Welsh League match at home , against Cardiff City and won 2-1.

**1960** At the request of The Welsh Football League. changed their name to Ammanford Town.

**1963** The club house was built.

**1964** At a cost of £4,000 a 450 seater stand and new changing rooms built.

**1966/67** Welsh League Div 1 Runners up to Cardiff City.

**1967/68** Welsh League Runners up again to Cardiff City by one point.

**1992** Amalgamated with Ammanford Athletic, and became Ammanford AFC.

**2003** April. Fire destroyed the stand and changing rooms.

**2006** Played first match at new ground The Rec

New pitch 101 x 63 metres

**2014** Relegated to Division 3