

BIGGEST HOME ATTENDANCE OF EACH SEASON

*(In respect of early seasons, published attendance figures are scarce,
and in each case the highest known figure is listed)*

1885/86	200	v Luton Town (1-0)	Friendly
1886/87	200	v London Caledonians (2-1)	Friendly
1887/88	800	v Old Carthusians (1-3)	FA Cup 2nd Round
1888/89	2,000	v Great Marlow (0-2)	FA Cup 3rd Qualifying Round
1889/90	2,000	v Swifts (2-5)	FA Cup 3rd Qualifying Round
1890/91	600/800	v 93rd Regt (Highlanders) (2-3)	FA Cup 2nd Qualifying Round
1891/92	2,000	v Crewe Alexandra (1-9)	Friendly
1892/93	1,200	v Wolverton L&NWR (6-1)	Friendly
1893/94	1,000/2,000	v Luton Town (2-3)	Friendly
"	2,000	v Wolverton L&NWR (4-1)	Friendly
1894/95	1,200	v Watford St Mary's (1-2 – abandoned)	Herts County Cup Semi-Final 2nd replay
1895/96	1,600	v Woolwich Arsenal Reserves (2-6)	Friendly
1896/97	2,000	v Watford St Mary's (1-2)	Friendly
1897/98	3,000	v Warmley (4-0)	Southern League Division 2
"	3,000	v Scottish Amateurs (3-2)	Friendly
1898/99	3,000	v Crewe Alexandra (1-3)	Friendly
1899/1900	2,000/3,000	v Wolverton L&NWR (1-0)	FA Cup 2nd Qualifying Round
"	2,500	v Chesham Town (2-1)	Southern League Division 2
1900/01	5,000	v Tottenham Hotspur (2-1)	Southern League Division 1
1901/02	5,000	v Luton Town (1-2)	FA Cup 4th Qualifying Round
"	4,000/5,000	v Portsmouth (0-5)	Southern League Division 1
1902/03	3,000/4,000	v Wellingborough (3-1)	Southern League Division 1
"	4,000	v Tottenham Hotspur (1-2)	Southern League Division 1
"	4,000	v Portsmouth (1-4)	Southern League Division 1
1903/04	3,500	v Leicester Fosse (2-1)	Friendly
1904/05	7,500	v Luton Town (3-0)	Southern League Division 1
1905/06	8,000/9,000	v Luton Town (1-1)	Southern League Division 1
1906/07	9,000/10,000	v Luton Town (2-2)	Southern League Division 1
1907/08	9,500	v Luton Town (2-1)	Southern League Division 1
1908/09	9,000/10,000	v Luton Town (0-3)	Southern League Division 1
1909/10	5,000	v Swindon Town (0-1)	Southern League Division 1
"	4,000/5,000	v Brighton & Hove Albion (1-2)	Southern League Division 1
"	3,000/5,000	v Northampton Town (2-0)	Southern League Division 1
"	5,000	v Millwall (0-2)	Southern League Division 1
1910/11	6,000/8,000	v Luton Town (1-0)	Southern League Division 1
"	7,000	v Northampton Town (2-2)	Southern League Division 1
1911/12	7,000	v Wolverhampton Wanderers (0-0)	FA Cup 1st Round
1912/13	4,000/6,000	v Coventry City (1-1)	Southern League Division 1
"	5,500	v Portsmouth (1-2)	Southern League Division 1
1913/14	4,000/6,000	v Southend United (1-2)	Southern League Division 1
"	5,000	v Swindon Town (1-2)	Southern League Division 1
"	5,000	v Northampton Town (3-3)	Southern League Division 1
"	5,000	v Queens Park Rangers (2-0)	Southern League Division 1
1914/15	8,000	v Luton Town (2-4)	Southern League Division 1
1915/16	4,000	v Luton Town (2-1)	London Combination Supplementary Competition
1916/17	3,000	v Luton Town (4-7)	London Combination
1919/20	10,000+	v Luton Town (4-2)	Southern League Division 1
1920/21	11,772	v Luton Town (1-0)	Football League Division 3
1921/22	9,000	v Northampton Town (2-2)	Football League Division 3 (South)
1922/23	12,727	v Cardiff City (2-2)	FA Cup 1st Round replay
1923/24	23,444	v Newcastle United (0-1)	FA Cup 3rd Round
1924/25	12,574	v Brighton & Hove Albion (1-1)	FA Cup 1st Round
1925/26	13,035	v Luton Town (2-0)	Football League Division 3 (South)
1926/27	15,499	v Brighton & Hove Albion (0-1)	FA Cup 2nd Round
1927/28	13,727	v Millwall (0-3)	Football League Division 3 (South)
1928/29	20,395	v Luton Town (3-2)	Football League Division 3 (South)
1929/30	16,945	v Luton Town (0-4)	Football League Division 3 (South)
1930/31	22,740	v Brighton & Hove Albion (2-0)	FA Cup 4th Round
1931/32	23,457	v Bradford (1-0)	FA Cup 5th Round
1932/33	12,130	v Luton Town (4-1)	Football League Division 3 (South)
1933/34	14,892/15,397	v Reading (0-3)	FA Cup 1st Round
1934/35	13,615	v Coventry City (2-0)	Football League Division 3 (South)
1935/36	14,906	v Luton Town (1-3)	Football League Division 3 (South)
1936/37	27,632	v Luton Town (1-3)	Football League Division 3 (South)
1937/38	20,456	v Queens Park Rangers (3-1)	Football League Division 3 (South)
1938/39	11,386	v Bristol City (2-2)	Football League Division 3 (South)
1939/40	10,381	v Arsenal (1-3)	Football League South 'A'
1940/41	10,884	v Arsenal (0-4)	Football League Cup 2nd Round 1st Leg
1941/42	5,328	v Arsenal (3-1)	London League
1942/43	8,726	v Arsenal (1-1)	Football League Cup South Qualifying Competition
1943/44	7,887	v Arsenal (0-2)	Football League South
1944/45	7,730	v Chelsea (1-6)	Football League South
1945/46	11,215	v Queens Park Rangers (0-2)	Football League Division 3 South (North)
1946/47	20,030	v Cardiff City (2-0)	Football League Division 3 (South)

1947/48	22,406	v Queens Park Rangers (0-1)	Football League Division 3 (South)
1948/49	22,612	v Notts County (1-1)	Football League Division 3 (South)
1949/50	32,384	v Manchester United (0-1)	FA Cup 4th Round
1950/51	18,074	v Millwall (0-0)	Football League Division 3 (South)
1951/52	17,053	v Millwall (1-2)	Football League Division 3 (South)
1952/53	22,875	v Queens Park Rangers (1-1)	Football League Division 3 (South)
1953/54	18,000	v All-Star XI (3-3)	Benefit Match
1954/55	17,544	v Leyton Orient (1-3)	Football League Division 3 (South)
1955/56	15,486	v Millwall (4-2)	Football League Division 3 (South)
1956/57	15,648	v Aldershot (3-0)	Football League Division 3 (South)
1957/58	12,109	v Swindon Town (0-0)	Football League Division 3 (South)
1958/59	17,663	v Reading (1-1)	FA Cup 1st Round
1959/60	31,314	v Birmingham City (2-1)	FA Cup 3rd Round
1960/61	28,483	v Crystal Palace (1-0)	FA Cup 2nd Round replay
1961/62	20,889	v Peterborough United (2-3)	Football League Division 3
1962/63	19,015	v Northampton Town (4-2)	Football League Division 3
1963/64	23,410	v Coventry City (1-1)	Football League Division 3
1964/65	9,586	v Hull City (2-1)	Football League Division 3
1965/66	12,339	v Brentford (1-1)	Football League Division 3
1966/67	33,553	v Liverpool (0-0)	FA Cup 3rd Round
1967/68	23,461	v Sheffield United (0-1)	FA Cup 3rd Round
1968/69	34,099	v Manchester United (0-2)	FA Cup 4th Round replay
1969/70	34,047	v Liverpool (1-0)	FA Cup 6th Round
1970/71	24,381	v Luton Town (0-1)	Football League Division 2
1971/72	22,421	v Norwich City (1-1)	Football League Division 2
1972/73	15,676	v Sheffield United (0-1)	FA Cup 3rd Round
1973/74	10,202	v Bristol Rovers (0-0)	Football League Division 3
1974/75	11,635	v Crystal Palace (1-2)	Football League Division 3
1975/76	14,997	v Tottenham Hotspur (0-1)	Football League Cup 2nd Round
1976/77	9,382	v Brentford (0-1)	Football League Division 4
1977/78	18,947	v Southend United (1-1)	Football League Division 4
1978/79	27,656	v Nottingham Forest (0-0)	Football League Cup Semi-final 2nd leg
1979/80	28,000	v Arsenal (1-2)	FA Cup 6th Round
1980/81	27,542	v Coventry City (2-2)	Football League Cup 5th Round
1981/82	27,004	v West Ham United (2-0)	FA Cup 4th Round
1982/83	27,373	v Tottenham Hotspur (0-1)	Football League Division 1
1983/84	28,000	v Brighton & Hove Albion (3-1)	FA Cup 5th Round
1984/85	27,073	v Liverpool (1-1)	Football League Division 1
1985/86	28,097	v Liverpool (1-2)	FA Cup 6th Round replay
1986/87	23,171	v Liverpool (2-0)	Football League Division 1
1987/88	23,838	v Liverpool (1-4)	Football League Division 1
1988/89	20,078	v Derby County (2-1)	FA Cup 4th Round
1989/90	15,682	v West Ham United (0-1)	Football League Division 2
1990/91	17,172	v West Ham United (0-1)	Football League Division 2
1991/92	13,547	v Wolverhampton Wanderers (0-2)	Football League Division 2
1992/93	18,035	v Leeds United (2-1)	Football League Cup 3rd Round
1993/94	14,539	v Nottingham Forest (1-2)	Football League Division 1 (2nd tier)
1994/95	14,021	v Tottenham Hotspur (1-1)	Friendly
1995/96	20,089	v Leicester City (0-1)	Football League Division 1 (2nd tier)
1996/97	14,109	v Luton Town (1-1)	Football League Division 2 (3rd tier)
1997/98	18,306	v Sheffield Wednesday (1-1)	FA Cup 3rd Round
1998/99	20,303	v Grimsby Town (1-0)	Football League Division 1 (2nd tier)
1999/2000	21,590	v Sunderland (2-3)	FA Premier League
2000/01	18,871	v Manchester United (0-3)	Football League Cup 3rd Round
2001/02	20,105	v Arsenal (2-4)	FA Cup 3rd Round
2002/03	20,336	v Burnley (2-0)	FA Cup 6th Round
2003/04	21,121	v Chelsea (2-2)	FA Cup 3rd Round
2004/05	19,797	v Liverpool (0-1)	Football League Cup Semi-final 1st leg
2005/06	19,842	v Coventry City (4-0)	Football League Championship (2nd tier)
2006/07	19,830	v Newcastle United (1-1)	FA Premier League
2007/08	18,698	v Queens Park Rangers (2-4)	Football League Championship (2nd tier)
2008/09	16,851	v Chelsea (1-3)	FA Cup 5th Round
2009/10	17,120	v Newcastle United (1-2)	Football League Championship (2nd tier)
2010/11	15,538	v Queens Park Rangers (0-2)	Football League Championship (2nd tier)
2011/12	16,314	v Blackpool (0-2)	Football League Championship (2nd tier)
2012/13	16,968	v Leeds United (1-2)	Football League Championship (2nd tier)
2013/14	16,625	v Queens Park Rangers (0-0)	Football League Championship (2nd tier)
2014/15	22,250	v Sheffield Wednesday (1-1)	Football League Championship (2nd tier)
2015/16	21,012	v Sunderland (2-2)	FA Premier League
2016/17	21,118	v Manchester City (1-3)	FA Premier League

(In the last 11 seasons Watford have drawn four and lost seven in front of Vicarage Road's largest attendance)