Quazar Julianadorp

Quazar FC is a professional football club based in the port-town of Julianadorp, Aurora, Pharos. Founded in 1885 as Julianadorp Old Central FC, changing several names over the years, with the final one, Quazar FC Julianadorp in 1995, when a group of supporters rescued the club from bankruptcy.



History

Formation and early years



1891 2nd division champions

Julianadorp Old Central Football Club formed in 1885, taking its name from the Old Central School in Julianadorp, where players had been pupils. The club's first match was a 1–0 victory over Julianadorp Port FC. It took only seven years for success to come to the club as they won the Auroran 2nd division in 1891–92.

At a meeting convened on 1 May 1905, the decision was taken to drop "Old Central" from the club's name, and

under its new name Julianadorp Football Club won the Auroran Cup the next year, beating Kinston FC 2-0 in the Trandor final. However, excessive debts



1906 Cup winning team

caused the club to fold in 1910. A year later, the club



Early team crests

was restarted under the name Julianadorp Flying Dutchmen FC. They continued to play on Julianadorp

Common, an open space downtown

Julianadorp and at various other locations in the area until 1912, when the side settled at Kram Lane. It was on disused swampland on the corner of Kram Lane and Heydon Road, just 200 yards from the Common. A lease was purchased with former co-owner of the land Mr.



Kram Lane Stadion

Knit providing £50 towards improvements. Some of the old players returned and the team found themselves competing once again. The club re-laid the pitch, fenced it off, added dressing rooms and revealed plans for the first covered stand.

Inter-war years

I was after WWI that the club produced their first great player. In 1919 Julianadorp-born Gill Armita, who had been decorated during the war, attended trials that the club held. He was

immediately signed up and given the centre-forward position before



Gill Armita

being moved back to centrehalf.

Julianadorp FDFC, led by Armita, won the Auroran cup for a 2nd time in 1922, beating Dynamo Corel 1-0, with Armita

scoring the only goal. Dynamo Corel were the 'victims' again two years later, when Julianadorp won the cup for a 3rd time, in Armita's last game for the club.

Under new chairman Bale van Cott, the stadium was improved and renovated, with van Cott financing himself the New South Stand in 1929. Meanwhile, the



1922 Aurora Cup final and the Julianadorp winning team



Kram Lane Stadion 1930

team dropped

the Flying Dutchmen from their name and returned to the old Julianadorp FC.

An upsurge in form in the 1930's coincided with the arrival of Julianadorp's next big star, centre-forward Viennis



Bale van Cott

'Doc' Dorden. He was a scoring machine and when he finally hung



'Doc' Dorden

up his boots, he had compiled a remarkable tally of 283 goals in 311 games and he would later go on to spend ten years as first team coach between 1945 and 1955 before joining the team's board. The team reached the Auroran League title 3 times (1935,1937,1938), but fell short to Kent Utd, Foundation BC and Dynamo Corel. However, they won twice the Auroran Cup, in 1937 against Eden Utd 3-0 (with 2 goals from Dorden) and in 1939 against Villa Town 2-1 (with Dorden scoring both goals).

The decline and the birth of Quazar

After WWII the team fell into a steady decline. The Kram Stadium could only accommodate 9000 spectators, but only 2,000 seats with the rest of the fans in standing terraces. The inability of the board to further renovate the stadium, due to its bad location in the city-center and the lack of proper funds to relocate, had its toll on the team.



Kram Lane Stadion 1960

In 1958 Julian adorp FC were relegated to the Auroran 2^{nd} division. It would take them 40 years before they managed to go back to the top tier. It would also take them a major redevelopment, that included a near-bankruptcy and a new change of name.

In August 1994 the board of directors announced its intent to file for bankruptcy. The club



Fans celebrating for the rescue of the club

owed more than 200,000 ff to taxes, players, staff and suppliers. Despite opposition from the fans and The Auroran Football Association, they were given permission to do so on 28 May 1995 after a 2–1 vote by the three-person, independent commission appointed by the court. The approval of the decision caused supporters to protest in the streets of Julianadorp. Finally, after a week of troubles, a solution was reached. The supporters founded a new club, Quazar FC, with each share valued at 100 ff. Next, the two clubs merged, forming Quazar Julianadorp FC, with the city, banks, suppliers and players cutting their demands in half.

The team advanced to Aurora's 1st division in 1997 and won the Auroran League in 2005, when they moved into their new stadium.

Financial spring and the new stadium

Yahim Grol, the new chairman and owner of a fleet of fishing ships, based in Julianadorp port, donated some of his property in the docks to built a new stadium. The city of Julianadorp also contributed, by buying the old venue of Kram Lane. Norden Point Stadion, named after Grol's company that has the naming rights for 25 years, replaced Quazar's former home Kram Stadion which had served the club since opening back in 1912. The new stadium was capable of accommodating 10,720 all-



Yahim Grol

seated supporters. Designed by Biong Architects as a rectangular football ground, Norden Point Stadion cost an estimated ff 16 million to build, and is currently one of the most





Norden Point Stadion

advanced stadiums in Aurora in terms of facilities. Norden Point was the first stadium in Pharos to feature artificial turf, which was a highly debated issue.

2005-

From 2005 and Quazar's 1st Auroran Championship title until 2013 and the expansion of the PSL, Quazar would win another 5 local championships and the PSC National title in 2009. In



Stefan Janes



Yokim Petin

2013-14 they competed in the PSC A division, failing to win promotion to PSL B, losing the play-off game to Kar Runui.

They made it in 2016, led by experienced coach Olynthus Thallos, as they finished on top of PSC A and were for the first time in their history in the PSL. The team featured players like 16-

year-old Folin Aerts, 17-year-old Stefan Janes, 20-year-old Yokim Petin, 21-year-old Lorn Devos and 22-year-old Cyrus Kors. The 'Thallos Babes' impressed the Pharonian public, as they managed to stay in PSL B in 2016-17, finishing in 9th position.

Thallos left in the summer of 2017 for Centralia Trandor and Ador Mulden, the youth coach of Ceiserstellen took his place. With most of the youngsters having being sold to bigger clubs, Mulden had to work with talented players from around Aurora. In 2020 the team finished on top of PSL B division and they were promoted for the first time in the top Pharonian League. Stefan Janes scored 20 goals, topping the scorers list.



Ador Mulden

The board had to sell the team's super star, Stefan Janes, to Foundation BC whose offer of 9 million ff they could not refuse. Mulden tried to keep the team to the PSL A, but they finished in 16th position, just 3 points lower of the relegation level. Things went even worse in 2022,

with the team finishing in 17th place, that meant they were back to PSC. Mulden was let go and Seth Belor took the manager position. Quazar finished on top of PSC A next season and they were back up to the PSL, only to be relegated again. Mulden, who worked for a season in Villa Town without success, came back and led Quazar back to the PSL in 2024-25.