

KIM LITTLE CLUB CAPTAIN

Club captain Kim Little is a highly talented and skilful player who is capable of controlling the game from midfield. She had a fantastic 2018/19 season making 21 appearances, scoring 12 goals and assisting seven. Kim was included in the Women's Super League (WSL) Team of the Season, along with Vivianne Miedema and Lia Wälti.

Born in the Scottish village of Mintlaw, Kim first represented her country in 2007 when she was only 16. She was part of the first Scotland women's team to go to a World Cup tournament in 2019. Kim scored the opening goal in a memorable 3-3 draw against Argentina.

Kim originally joined Arsenal in 2008 and enjoyed a hugely successful spell at the club. In five years she helped Arsenal to 11 trophies before departing to Seattle Reign in 2013. Over two seasons for the US club Kim averaged a goal every two games. Her impressive goalscoring continued in the 2015/16



season while on loan at the Australian club Melbourne City. There Kim was named Player of the Match in the 2016 Grand Final. She finally re-signed for Arsenal in 2017 after being named BBC Women's Footballer of the Year in 2016.

This season Kim scored an outstanding goal at the first ever north London derby in the WSL. In front of 38,262 fans, Kim calmly controlled a loose ball before creating space to thump a left-footed shot past the Spurs goalkeeper. Arsenal supporters everywhere look forward to more magical moments from Kim in the future.



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1. How many goals did Kim score in the 2018/19 season?

21	7
19	12
2. Why was the 2019 World Cup particularly special for Scotland?

Scotland were the hosts	It was Scotland’s first World Cup
Scotland were the holders	It was the first ever World Cup
3. Which club did Kim join in 2013?

Arsenal	Melbourne City
Tottenham Hotspur	Seattle Reign
4. “Kim calmly controlled the loose ball...” What type of word is **calmly**?

Noun	Adjective
Adverb	Verb
5. Put these events from Kim’s career in order.

Number from 1 for the earliest event to 4 for the most recent event.

- Joined Seattle Reign
- Scored in the first WSL north London derby
- Named BBC Women’s Footballer of the Year
- First represented Scotland



ANSWERS: 1) 12 2) It was Scotland's first World Cup 3) Seattle Reign 4) Adverb 5) From top: 2,4,3,1