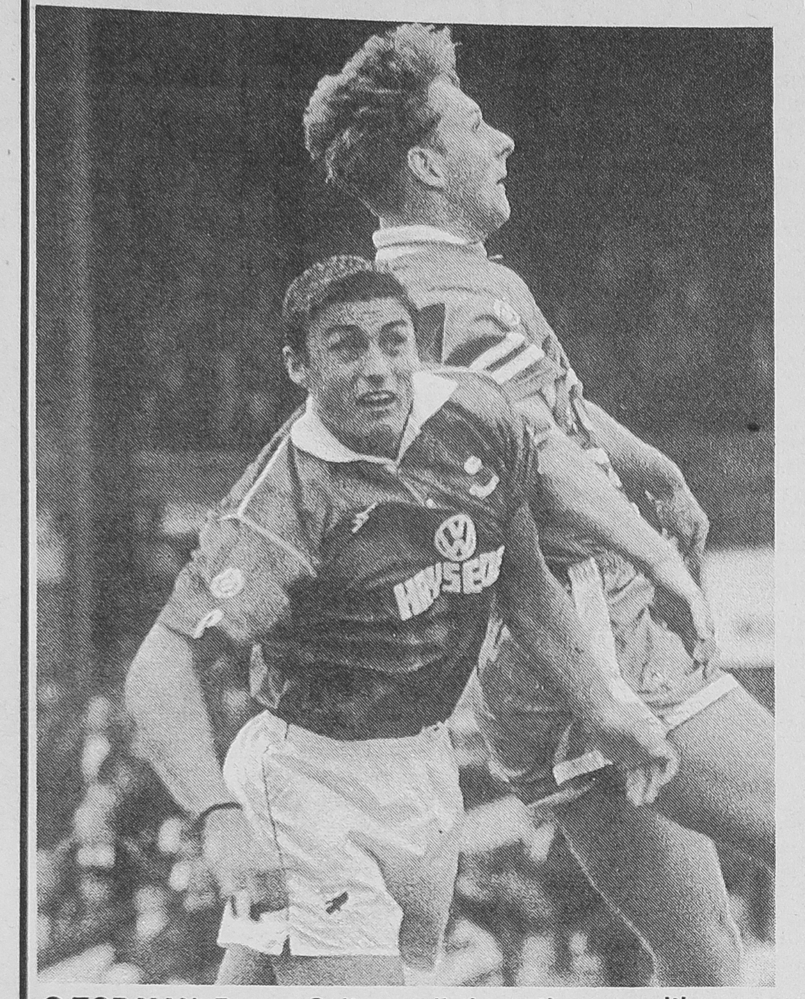
# Sports News

## TOWN MATCH VERDICT

Barnsley.........3
Luton Town....0 ★
(Half-time...3-0)

Brian Swain reports. Action pictures: Josh Levy



● TOP MAN: Darren Salton well above the opposition.

# ALL OVER BY THE INTERVAL

## Goalkeeper prevents a humiliation

THE battle was over almost before it began as Luton Town were swept aside at Oakwell.

Three down in 32 minutes, they escaped a real hiding at the hands of the club that kicked off the day as bottom of the First Division.

### Skipper out

The absence of skipper **Trevor Peak** through injury left the defence fragile, and sometimes static as Barnsley's simple mix of passing and long high ball did the business.

With painful irony **Wayne Biggins,** a striker **David Pleat** had admired but could not afford, scored twice on his home debut after his latest transfer, from Stoke.

The Town were well short of their potential. They didn't begin to play until it was too late, and the second-half revival that brought them back into the game foundered for lack of finishing and a little luck.

### Woodwork

Three efforts hit the woodwork, but before we kid outselves it could therefore have been 3-3, it has to be reported that **Andy Petterson** was the Town's man of the match by a comfortable margin.

He was heroic in the second half when the Town had to open it up and take risks at the back.

In one spell he made two incredible double saves, and saw a close-range drive by Neil Redfearn crash on to the crossbar.

Even **Darren Salton** found it difficult to cope with Barnsley's fierce direct attacking.

The 20-year-old has played with immense composure and spirit in his eight league games so far.

At almost any other club he would now be taken out of the firing line, and then brought back refreshed after a few weeks.

### Penalty?

At Oakwell, I wondered if he, and the rest of the Town side was suffering the after-effects of a tremendous effort made in midweek to try to save the cup-tie at Plymouth.

There, the Town had got close to earning a draw at least. At Oakwell, they were nowhere near from the early moments when luck and run of the ball had a dramatic effect at both ends of the pitch.

Biggins had ended the game's first attack by hooking a shot wide after a poor clearance header by **Des Linton.**

The Town replied from a free kick on the left, near the half-way line.

It was placed nicely to the edge of the box by **John Dreyer** and Salton's flick-on set up **Phil Gray** on a run that was halted by Gary Fleming's 'tackle' that looked like a penalty to many of us.

● HEADS UP: Phil Gray gets airborne for a header at goal as the Town get into their stride in the second half.

The appeals had scarcely died down as Barnsley booted clear, and Biggins was in possession near the half-way line, with Town men still upfield for their free kick.

Biggins raced through on his own, and with only three minutes played the Town were trailing as his left-foot shot zipped into the net.

The Town almost got back into it nine minutes later, with a neat corner tactic they rehearse in training.

A flag kick from the right was pulled back by **Jason Rees** and **Chris Kamara** made a late run to head forward. The ball reached **Steve Claridge** who turned it into the net, but from an offside position.

### Bombarded

Barnsley looked hungry for the ball, and more confident as they bombarded the Town with good service to Biggins and former Leeds target man John Pearson.

The pair had too much cleverness and power for Dreyer and Salton, and while **Julian James** strove hard to bolster the defence the rest of the midfield was out of touch. Kamara and **David Preece** both looked jaded.

Claridge ran his heart out on both flanks and down the middle, with patchy service no help to him, and Gray again had no luck at all in the box.

Petterson had to be quick and decisive as sweeper outside his area when Biggins almost capitalised on another clearance that caught the Town ball-watching, and the keeper was unlucky when he was beaten for the second time in the 26th minute.

### Pressure

He was put under tremendous pressure as Owen Archdeacon swung a corner into the goal area.

The best that could be done was a punch, but the ball went straight to Wayne Bullimore on the edge of the box and he clipped it back in for Pearson to rise above everyone and direct his header into the corner of the net.

Six minutes later humiliation was on the cards. Andy Rammell burst clear down the Town's right past Preece and **Marvin Johnson** and the hard low cross to the near post was deflected into the net by a close-range back-heel by Biggins.

Linton, who had tried to soldier on with a thigh strain suffered in the first few minutes, was taken off four minutes later, with **Scott Oakes** being invited to repeat his huge contribution to the cup-tie at Plymouth.

### Surprised

Fans who had been at Home Park were very surprised that Oakes was on the bench instead of in the starting line-up at Oakwell.

But he was not able to repeat his Plymouth form against a team that looked much better than relegation fodder.

The Town got their act together much more in the second half, and some of their football was good to watch.

But the defence had a brittle look about it, save for the fight displayed by James after moving into the right back slot.

A recovery might just have been possible if Claridge had been luckier in the first minute of the second half.

### Dramatic

But his header from a cross by Rees hit the bar, and most of the dramatic action after that was at the other end.

Petterson denied Biggins a hat-trick at least, and also produced splendid saves from Archdeacon, Rammell and Redfearn.

On the hour the Town enjoyed a promising spell, but Rees curled an angled shot against the far post, and Gray volleyed wide under pressure from a headed pass by Claridge.

Rees was taken off with 14 minutes to go to make way for **Damien Matthew,** who joined Johnson in a sweet move which ended with Preece hitting the post which had kept out Rees's effort.

And the final word almost went to Barnsley, with Petterson making two more saves against Biggins as Oakwell fans celebrated their first home win of the season.

### MATCH DETAILS

**TOWN: Petterson; Linton (Oakes 37 mins), Salton, Dreyer, Johnson; Rees (Matthew 76 mins), James, Kamara, Preece; Claridge, Gray.**

**BARNSLEY: Butler; Mark Robinson, Bishop, Fleming, Jamie Robinson; Rammell (O'Connell 76 mins), Bullimore, Archdeacon, Redfearn (Godfrey 82 mins); Pearson, Biggins**

**GOALS: Wayne Biggins two on his home debut, left foot drive at the end of a solo run in the third minute and back-heel at the near post from a hard low cross by Andy Rammell; John Parson header, 26 minutes, after Owen Archdeacon's corner was punched out to the edge of the box and returned smartly by Wayne Bullimore.**

**OTHER STRIKES: Town four saved, nine wide, one netted and ruled out for offside, and Steve Claridge, Jason Rees and David Preece all hit the woodwork in the second half; Barnsley 11 saved, six wide and Neil Redfearn shot against the bar. Corners: 11-9 to Barnsley.**

**REFEREE: Ken Lupton, Stockton. Very good but may have been wrong in turning down Town penalty appeals in the second minute.**

**BOOKED: Jason Rees for a silly foul on Mark Robinson; Daren Salton for a late tackle on Wayne Biggins; and Barnsley's Wayne Bullimore (foul on Julian James), Gary Fleming (dissent) and Mark Robinson (foul on Scott Oakes).**

**ATTENDANCE: 5,261, Barnsley's second lowest league gate of the season, but boosted by about 300 from Luton.**

**ENTERTAINMENT: Poor fare for visiting fans, with the Town swept aside like chaff in the wind in the first half, and not sharp enough to score in the second, when they had much more of the play.**

### The First Division

| | HOME | | | | | | AWAY | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | P | W | D | L | F | A | W | D | L | F | A | P |
| Newcastle | 10 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 16 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 3 | 30 |
| Charlton | 11 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 10 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 22 |
| Wolves | 11 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 11 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 8 | 1 | 21 |
| Leicester | 11 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 8 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 7 | 21 |
| West Ham | 10 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 4 | 20 |
| Swindon | 11 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 13 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 8 | 12 | 18 |
| Tranmere | 10 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 11 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 6 | 18 |
| Birmingham | 10 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 7 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 15 |
| Watford | 11 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 10 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 8 | 11 | 14 |
| Portsmouth | 10 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 9 | 12 | 14 |
| Millwall | 10 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 13 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 14 |
| Bristol City | 10 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 8 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 7 | 11 | 14 |
| Peterboro | 10 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 6 | 14 |
| Oxford Utd | 10 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 6 | 13 |
| Notts County | 11 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 10 | 15 | 12 |
| Sunderland | 10 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 11 | 11 |
| Derby | 10 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 7 | 7 | 9 |
| Grimsby | 10 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 6 | 8 | 9 |
| Brentford | 10 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 9 | 9 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 9 |
| Southend | 10 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 10 | 9 |
| Cambridge | 11 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 8 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 12 | 9 |
| Barnsley | 10 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 6 | 8 |
| Luton Town | 10 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 8 | 7 |
| Bristol Rovers | 11 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 9 | 13 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 8 | 15 | 6 |

# *Two-goal recovery is in vain*

## Coca-Cola Cup: Plymouth 3 Luton Town 2 (Agg 5-4)

ALTHOUGH they are out of the Coca-Cola Cup, beaten by a team from a division below them, the Town regained a lot of pride in a tremendous last half-hour at Home Park.

A revival sparked by the arrival of **Scott Oakes** as sub as an extra attacker pulled the deficit back to a single goal, and had Plymouth fans pleading for the final whistle long before the end.

### Damage done

But too much damage had already ben done at the other end, with two goals conceded in the first leg at Luton and three more at Home Park in the first 54 minutes.

At three down, it was the old story: the Town, the better footballing side, had no punch to complete the good work.

Plymouth made fewer chances but were more potent where it mattered.

They snatched a third-minute lead through **Kevin Nugent,** went two up five minutes after the break through **Gary Poole,** and seemed to be home and dry when **David Regis** got the third four minutes later.

The Town had been punished for pushing men upfield and being caught for pace at the back on the counter-attacks.

Two gambles were made by manager **David Pleat:** skipper **Trevor Peake** was brought back early after his hamstring injury, and that was a qualified success. He brought the leadership the team needed, but made a hash of a clearance to make the third goal a gift for Regis.

And he later limped out of the game with a muscle strain, which ruled him out of Saturday's fixture at Oakwell, where he was sorely missed.

### Variety and pace

More dramatic was the result of the second gamble, when Oakes went on to add variety and speed to the attack in place of midfielder **Julian James.**

With his first significant touch Oakes fired in a 25-yarder which **Peter Shilton** could not hold and **Steve Claridge** pounced on the rebound.

And Plymouth were rocked when another Oakes piledriver was neatly deflected past Shilton by **David Preece** to set up a grandstand finish.

Ironically, Plymouth created the clearer chances after that, with sub **Paul Adcock** spurning one and Poole hitting the bar from another.

The Town manager praised his men for the quality of their fightback after being three down. Before that, he said, they had dominated without being penetrative.

He admired "flashes of imaginative football" which suggested a young team is on the right lines, and added: "Overall we were better than Plymouth. But better doesn't mean the same as effective."

### Manager's error

Plymouth boss Shilton admitted he had boobed for the goal by Claridge. "I made a horlicks of it and gave them a goal to let them back into it," he said.

"But I was delighted with our team performance. We knew we would have to work very hard off the ball to close them down, pressurise them and make life difficult for them, and we did that very well."

### Match details

**LUTON TOWN:** Petterson; Linton, Salton, Peake (Dreyer 86 mins), Johnson; Rees, Kamara, James (Oakes 60 mins), Preece; Claridge, Gray.

**PLYMOUTH:** Shilton; Edworthy, Morrison, Hill, Spearing; Skinner, Joyce, Garner, Poole; Nugent (Adcock 69), Regis. Other sub: Barlow.

**GOALS:** Kevin Nugent, 3 mins, Gary Poole 50 and Dave Regis, 54, for Plymouth; Steve Claridge for the Town, 61 mins, after Peter Shilton found a drive by Scott Oakes too hot to hold; David Preece for the Town, 68 mins, deflection from a drive by Oakes.

**OTHER ATTEMPTS:** Town nine saved and six wide; Plymouth five saved, five wide and one hit the bar. Corners: 6-2 to the Town.

**REFEREE:** Martin Bodenham, Looe. Did well but the Town thought his linesman let him down by not giving offside in the build-up to Plymouth's second goal.

**BOOKED:** No-one.

**ATTENDANCE:** 8,946, Plymouth's best of the season so far, with nearly 200 from Luton doing their best to compete in the cheering match.

**ENTERTAINMENT:** Awful for the first hour as Plymouth went into a 3-0 lead, but tremendous as Scott Oakes inspired a Town-fightback which so nearly saved the day.

# *Managers' viewpoints*

**DAVID PLEAT suggested the Town had got what they deserved in terms of defending at Oakwell.**

**"We didn't deal with the high ball adequately," said the Luton manager. "If you defend too deep and the other side has players like John Pearson and that canny, wily Wayne Biggins, they will score score goals. If we were shell-shocked it was because of the aerial stuff."**

**He drew no consolation in hitting the woodwork three times in the second half. "They're incidentals," he said.**

**He agreed that the absence of Trevor Peake might have been important, particularly as boys need the help of men. But he hoped every Town player would analise his performance and asked himself: "Am I doing as well as I can?"**

**The inference was that on Saturday some would have to answer in the negative.**

**Mel Machin, the Barnsley manager, had a tone of "I told you so" after seeing his team move off the bottom of the table.**

**"We played some excellent football, great stuff," he said. "Someone was due to be beaten because in other games we have played well and not got the results we deserved. I always thought things would change, and today they did."**

## The season so far

● **RESULTS showing Town score first, Town goalscorers, attendances and league position:**

### BARCLAYS LEAGUE DIV I

**AUGUST**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 15 Leicester (a) 1-2 (Campbell) | 17,428 | - |
| 22 Bristol City (h) 0-3 | 7,926 | 22 |
| 29 Charlton (a) 0-0 | 6,302 | 21 |
| **SEPTEMBER** | | |
| 2 Newcastle (a) 0-2 | 27,054 | 21 |
| 5 Tranmere (h) 3-3 (Claridge, Linton, Oakes) | 6,801 | 23 |
| 13 Brentford (a) 2-1 (James, Gray) | 7,310 | 19 |
| 19 Birmingham (h) 1-1 (Claridge pen) | 8,481 | 21 |
| 26 Notts Co (a) 0-0 | 5,992 | 21 |
| **OCTOBER** | | |
| 3 Portsmouth (h) 1-4 (Dreyer) | 7,954 | 22 |
| 10 Barnsley (a) 0-3 | 5,261 | 23 |

**APPEARANCES (as sub in brackets): Ever-presents, ten each: Petterson, Linton, James, Gray and Preece; Claridge 9(1), Dreyer 8, Salton 8, Rees 8, Kamara 7, Peake 7, Oakes 4(5), Johnson 3(1), Hughes 3, Campbell 2(5), Matthew 1(2).**

**Number of players used: 16 (32 last season).**

**GOALS: Claridge 2 (1 pen) and one each by Campbell, Linton, Oakes, James, Gray and Dreyer.**

**ASSISTS: Gray 2, Claridge 1, Kamara 1, Linton 1, Hughes 1.**

### THE COCA-COLA CUP

Round 2, first leg:

**Sep 23 Plymouth (h) 2-2 (Claridge 2) ................3,702**

**Second leg:**

**Oct 6 Plymouth (a) 2-3 (Claridge, Preece)..........8,946**

**APPEARANCES: Two each by Petterson, Linton, Salton, Peake, Johnson, James, Kamara, Preece, Gray and Claridge. Oakes 1(1), Rees 1(1). One each as sub by Campbell and Dreyer.**

**GOALS: Claridge 3, Preece 1.**

# FOOTBALL

## Local league tables

### A & B Sports NHC Sunday League

#### PREMIER DIVISION

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | P |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| AFC Heron | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 3 | 6 |
| Sacred Heart | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 5 |
| Enterprise | 5 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 14 | 13 | 5 |
| St. Joseph's | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 4 |
| Brache Green Man | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 6 | 4 |
| LW Totternhoe | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 3 |
| FC Coral | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 7 | 3 |
| Crawley Sports | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 7 | 3 |
| Celtic Supporters | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 2 |
| TRWSS | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 13 | 2 |
| Stag Sports | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 7 | 1 |
| Limbury Black Swan | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 6 | 12 | 0 |

#### DIVISION ONE

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | P |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sacred Heart Res | 5 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 12 | 5 | 7 |
| Horseshoe Saints | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 8 | 4 | 6 |
| GIS Leagrave | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 6 | 4 |
| Stopsley Harriers | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 17 | 5 | 3 |
| St. Joseph's Res | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 3 | 3 |
| Crawley Sports Res | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 5 | 3 |
| Celtic Res | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 6 | 3 |
| Stopsley WMC | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| Hexton | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 1 |
| Vauxhall Hightown | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 17 | 1 |
| Lewsey | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 12 | 0 |

#### DIVISION TWO

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | P |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lilley Rangers | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 4 | 5 |
| Caddington | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 6 | 5 |
| The Swan | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 4 |
| AFC Heron Res | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 3 |
| Valley Sports | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Boater | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| AFC Wigmore | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 6 | 2 |
| LW Totternhoe Res | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Brewery | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 7 | 1 |
| Lea Sports | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 8 | 1 |
| Borough Arms | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 7 | 0 |

#### DIVISION THREE

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | P |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Stopsley Harriers R | 5 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 22 | 13 | 7 |
| NT Sugar Loaf | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 2 | 6 |
| Old Moat House | 4 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 18 | 10 | 6 |
| Parkside | 4 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 14 | 7 | 4 |
| Renault Dodge | 4 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 16 | 10 | 4 |
| FC Houghton | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 4 |
| Dog and Duck | 4 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 10 | 12 | 4 |
| Coulter | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 11 | 4 |
| Stopsley WMC Res | 5 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 10 | 19 | 4 |
| FC Coral Res | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 2 |
| GIS Leagrave Res | 5 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 8 | 20 | 1 |
| Strawplaiters | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 21 | 0 |

#### DIVISION FOUR

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | P |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Silsoe Rangers | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 16 | 4 | 4 |
| Caddington Res | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 9 | 5 | 4 |
| Britannia Airways | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 4 | 4 |
| Markyate | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 8 | 4 |
| Black Swan | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 10 | 4 |
| Checkout | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 7 | 2 |
| Magnum | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 2 |
| Cavalier | 3 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 6 | 2 |
| Laporte | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Lewsey Res | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 10 | 1 |
| AFC Stopsley | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 13 | 0 |

#### DIVISION FIVE

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | P |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Roman Legion | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 2 | 6 |
| Casa Bianca (61) | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 3 | 5 |
| AFC Oakley | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 4 | 5 |
| Flint United | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 4 |
| Wells Star | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 11 | 4 |
| Borough Arms Res | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 2 |
| Barbarians | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 7 | 7 | 2 |
| Lea Sports Res | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 2 |
| Crescent Social | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| Luton BR | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 1 |
| Streatley Chequers | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 11 | 1 |
| Kenilworth Rangers | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 11 | 1 |

#### DIVISION SIX

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | P |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wigmore Ath | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 31 | 4 | 8 |
| Thames United | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 21 | 5 | 8 |
| Lewsey Park Soc | 4 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 7 | 6 |
| FC Houghton Res | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 3 | 4 |
| Toddington | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 4 | 4 |
| HR Chequers | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 12 | 3 |
| White Swan | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 14 | 13 | 2 |
| Red Star Res | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 2 |
| Fidus | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 2 |
| Luton YS | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 13 | 2 |
| Renault Dodge Res | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 1 |
| Laporte Res | 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 5 | 16 | 0 |
| Rileys | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 27 | 0 |

#### DIVISION SEVEN

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | P |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Magnum Res | 5 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 13 | 8 | 7 |
| Royal Mail Luton | 4 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 22 | 3 | 6 |
| Old Moat House Res | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 2 | 6 |
| Markyate Res | 5 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 17 | 13 | 6 |
| Manor Rangers | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 3 | 5 |
| Red Lion | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 7 | 4 |
| Limbury United | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 8 | 3 |
| The Harrow | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 11 | 2 |
| Postels | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 |
| Luton Rover | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 8 | 0 |
| Luton Thameslink | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 17 | 0 |
| Kenilworth Rgrs Res | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 25 | 0 |

### A & B Sports SB Sunday League

#### PREMIER DIVISION

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | P |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sundon Park Social | 5 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 18 | 8 | 8 |
| Wheatsheaf | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 3 | 4 |
| RB Legion | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 3 | 4 |
| Chalton Strollers | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 3 |
| Coach and Horses | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 3 |
| Moor Park | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 3 |
| Emeralds | 4 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 11 | 11 | 2 |
| Farley Eagles | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 7 | 2 |
| Green Man Clophill | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 14 | 1 |
| Brickmakers | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 24 | 0 |

#### DIVISION ONE

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | P |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Leicester Arms | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 21 | 1 | 6 |
| Macom Eagles | 4 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 14 | 6 | 6 |
| Wheatsheaf Res | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 3 | 5 |
| Rose & Crown | 5 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 9 | 3 |
| Moor Park Res | 5 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 8 | 18 | 3 |
| Nurdin & Peacock | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 2 |
| Wigmore Arms | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| EG Chiltern | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 2 |
| Ramridge Members | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 8 | 2 |
| Slip End Utd | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 8 | 2 |
| Tophill Utd | 4 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 19 | 2 |
| Sportsman | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 9 | 1 |
| Britannia Airways | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

#### DIVISION TWO

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | P |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Blackberry Jack | 4 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 22 | 7 | 6 |
| Inter-City | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 21 | 8 | 6 |
| Suspension Systems | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 10 | 5 |
| Winston Churchill | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 16 | 2 | 4 |
| Beds Yeoman | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 4 |
| Windsor Castle | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 9 | 4 |
| Painters Arms | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 3 | 3 |
| Crown & Keg | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 3 |
| Queens Head | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 9 | 3 |
| Ch. Strollers Res | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Centurion | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Sugar Loaf Leagrave | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 11 | 0 |
| Wanderers | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 31 | 0 |
| The Engine | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 31 | 0 |

#### DIVISION THREE

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | P |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| S. Park Soc Res | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 5 | 8 |
| Vauxhall Griffin | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 5 | 4 |
| NV Athletic | 4 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 11 | 8 | 4 |
| Mercury | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 3 |
| Independent | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 2 |
| Lea Bank | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 2 |
| Robin Hood | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 9 | 2 |
| Bromley Ath | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 11 | 2 |
| Bedco | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 7 | 2 |
| Northside | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 9 | 2 |
| Air Express | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 12 | 1 |
| Engine Res | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 21 | 0 |

### Luton District and South Beds League

#### PREMIER DIVISION

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | P |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| AC Cadoza | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 1 | 8 |
| Rotheram OB | 4 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 14 | 3 | 7 |
| Lewsey Park | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 14 | 3 | 6 |
| Studham | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 3 | 6 |
| Luton Old Boys Res | 4 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 13 | 9 | 4 |
| Kent Ath | 4 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 12 | 9 | 4 |
| Stockwood Athletic | 4 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 7 | 15 | 4 |
| Christians | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 4 | 3 |
| Ebony | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 12 | 3 |
| Singh Sabha | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 6 | 2 |
| Eaton Bray | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 11 | 2 |
| Cricketers | 5 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 24 | 2 |
| Four Horseshoes | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 9 | 1 |
| Thistle | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 0 |

#### DIVISION ONE

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | P |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Crawley Green | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 12 | 4 | 5 |
| Dagnall | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 13 | 5 | 4 |
| Celtic | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 11 | 6 | 4 |
| Markyate | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 4 |
| Monarch | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 7 | 4 |
| Luton Eagles | 5 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 13 | 13 | 4 |
| Luton OB A | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 5 | 3 |
| Flitwick Town | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 6 | 3 |
| Lewsey Park Res | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 11 | 3 |
| High Town OB | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 11 | 15 | 3 |
| Manshead ODs | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Rotheram OB A | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 11 | 1 |
| 61FC Luton | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Eaton Bray Res | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| Kent Ath Res | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 0 |

#### DIVISION TWO

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | P |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Thistle Res | 4 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 4 | 6 |
| Whitbread Club | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 1 | 5 |
| Christians A | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 10 | 4 | 5 |
| Bitter End | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 7 | 5 |
| Brickmakers | 4 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 14 | 10 | 4 |
| Sportsman Dunstable | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 8 | 4 | 4 |
| Studham Res | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 8 | 4 |
| Thresher | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 5 | 3 |
| First and Last | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 4 | 3 |
| Sportsman Harl'ton | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 2 |
| Flitwick Tn Res | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 7 | 12 | 2 |
| Manshead ODs Res | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 11 | 1 |
| Markyate Res | 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 23 | 0 |

### Luton Sunday League

#### DIVISION ONE

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | P |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Norman King | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 21 | 10 | 8 |
| High Town | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 8 | 8 |
| Stopsley Ath | 4 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 18 | 8 | 6 |
| Lea United | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 7 | 4 |
| Black Swan Res | 5 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 16 | 18 | 4 |
| AFC Barn Owl A | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 7 | 3 |
| First & Last | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 7 | 2 |
| Meds | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 16 | 1 |
| Salisbury Arms | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 12 | 0 |
| Lea Sports A | 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 10 | 20 | 0 |

#### DIVISION TWO

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | P |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| AFC Barn Owl B | 5 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 18 | 10 | 7 |
| One Nation | 4 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 20 | 8 | 6 |
| Lea Sports B | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 9 | 8 | 4 |
| Icknield Rangers | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 3 |
| Luton Dukes | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 7 | 3 |
| GML Comets | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 2 |
| Purley Tavern | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| First & Last Hares | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 7 | 1 |
| Emerald Res | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 12 | 0 |
| Stone Rovers | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 20 | 0 |

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