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Sports News

TOWN MATCH VERDICT

Luton Town...2
Watford.....0
(Half-time.....0-0)

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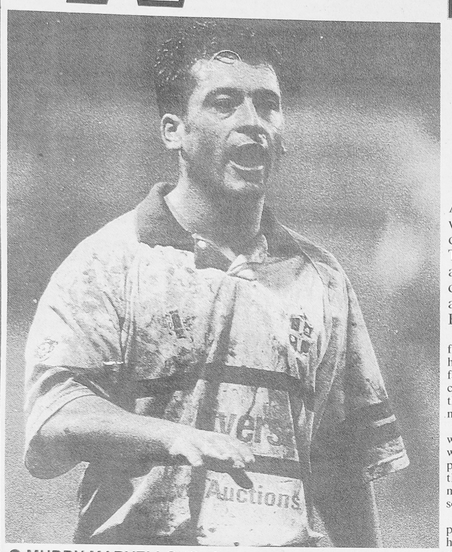
LATE STRIKES SETTLE DERBY



● MUDDY MARVELLOUS: Jason Rees, the midfielder who won ITV's man of the match award, selected by Portsmouth manager Jim Smith.

AT THE end of a week filled with despair, Luton Town rose to meet and defiantly beat a difficult challenge at Kenilworth Road on Sunday.

With **Darren Salton** fighting for his life in hospital, his distraught father had found time to contact the club to tell them that its normal life must go on.

That, he said, was what his boy would want, and the Town players responded as though in tribute to a much-loved favourite son.

On a difficult muddy pitch, Watford were hardly in the game, and only goalkeeper Perry Suckling kept them in it for 70 minutes before two tremendous goals gave the Town their first home win of the season.

And as in the game against Millwall the previous week, it was the performance of the whole team that gave pleasure.

Live on TV, it was more confirmation that there is considerable ability throughout the squad.

TWO CRACKERS EARN A HOME WIN AT LAST

Second

Confidence is back, and it was backed by great determination to ensure that Watford were second best by a long way.

Their sweeper system was unhinged by clean passing, even if the Town did not get round the back of the visiting defence as often as we would like.

In midfield **Jason Rees** and **David Preece** were magnificent pocket battleships firing away through the quagmire for 90 minutes solid.

Their work kept the Town on top almost throughout, and **Scott Oakes,** deputising for **Paul Telfer,** grabbed his chance with a marvellous goal to take the final sting out of the Hornets.

That was in the 74th minute, three minutes after **Ian Benjamin** had opened his account for the Town to give them a richly deserved lead.

It was not a fire and passion local derby, but both teams did remarkably well to put on entertainment on a pitch with some puddles where the ball stopped dead, and with other areas, mainly on the wings, where passes zipped off the surface.

Pocket

Watford were without leading scorer Paul Furlong, and **Trevor Peake** and **Marvin Johnson** had Ken Charlery and Roger Willis in their pockets.

Wide defenders **John Dreyer** and **Julian James** were calm and sensible, choosing the right times to go forward, and **Ceri Hughes** continued to make progress towards regaining the power and persistence that marked him out as something special before his injury.

The Town made it look easy, and **Phil Gray** and **Ian Benjamin** made Watford look very uncomfortable at the back despite their use of skipper David Holdsworth as a sweeper.

Alec Chamberlain was almost redundant in the first half, in which his opposite number had to make saves from Gray, James, Oakes and, the most difficult of all, a screaming first time drive by Rees.

Watford stirred themselves for a brief spell early in the second half and might have nicked the lead when defender Keith Dublin popped up at the far post to meet a corner, and headed wide.

But the Town were never put under the sort of pressure they exerted at the other end, and it was no more than their due when the first of two top quality goals broke the deadlock, in the 71st minute.

Worked

It began with a throw-in by Rees deep in his own half. The ball was worked down the right flank by Preece, James and Gray, who released Oakes for a run at a back-pedalling defence.

His cross was from the right wing was spot on. Suckling dropped it, and Preece was denied by Suckling's desperate falling block-save. But the ball ran to Dreyer, backing up on the left, and he sent in an inviting cross which Benjamin met with a thrilling diving header to power the ball into the corner of the net from near the penalty spot.

Three minutes later, with Watford trying to get forward in numbers, they were halted and turned inside out in a matter of seconds.

Power

Gray laid off a pass which took the covering man out, and Oakes miraculously powered down the muddy middle on a solo run remarkable for its pace and control.

Suckling advanced, and was well beaten as Oakes hit a right-foot shot low past his right hand. That was the end of it for the visitors, and they knew it.

Match details

LUTON TOWN: Chamberlain; James, Peake, Johnson, Dreyer; Oakes (Williams 89 mins), Rees, Preece, Hughes; Gray, Benjamin. Other sub: Skelton.

WATFORD: Suckling; Lavin, (Bazeley 79 mins) Dublin, Holdsworth, Ashby, Drysdale; Hessenthaler, Porter, Putney; Charlery, Willis. Other sub: Nogan.

GOALS: 1-0, 71 minutes: diving header by Ian Benjamin from cross by John Dreyer after a sweeping passing move ended with Perry Suckling beating out David Preece's attempt at goal. 2-0, 74 minutes: Scott Oakes, 20-yard low drive into far corner after a solo run from just inside the Town half.

OTHER ATTEMPTS: Town five saved and four wide; Watford one saved and five wide. Corners: 12-3 to the Town.

REFEREE: David Frampton, Poole. Hardly up to First Division standard: he stopped play to lecture Julian James deep in the Watford half, and left the fullback stranded from the quick free kick. And time and again, in defiance of a FIFA edict, he did nothing about players kicking the ball away to delay free kicks.

BOOKED: David Preece for retaliation after being fouled; Jason Res and Phil Gray for fouls.

ATTENDANCE: 8,341, very good for a match shown live on television on a gloomy damp Sunday afternoon.

ENTERTAINMENT: Great value for money, with the Town slick and sharp on a very difficult muddy pitch.

REFLECTION: "We did it for Darren Salton," said David Preece, a reminder that it was only a game, played while the 20-year-old defender was critically ill in hospital.

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
17 Derby (h) 1-3 (Johnson) 8,848 23
25 Peterborough (a) 3-2 (Gray 2, Telfer) 7,125 22
31 Southend (h) 2-2 (James, Gray) 7,256 22

NOVEMBER

3 Cambridge (a) 3-3 (Oakes, Gray 2)..... 5,715 22
7 Grimsby (h) 1-4 (Gray) 6,928 22
14 Oxford (a) 0-4 ..... 5,760 22
21 Millwall (h) 1-1 (Gray)..... 8,371 23
29 Watford (h) 2-0 (Benjamin, Oakes)..... 8,341 21

APPEARANCES (as sub in brackets): Ever-presents with 18 each: James and Gray. Preece 17, Linton 16, Salton 15, Petterson 14, Peake 13, Rees 12, Kamara 12, Johnson 10(2), Dreyer 10, Oakes 8(9), Hughes 5, Telfer 4(1), Chamberlain 4, Campbell 2(7), Benjamin 2, Williams (1).

BEFORE TRANSFERS: Claridge 15(1); Matthew (loan) 3(2). Number of players used: 20 (32 last season).

GOALS: Gray 8, Oakes 3, Claridge 2 (1 pen), James 2. One each by Campbell, Linton, Dreyer, Johnson, Telfer and Benjamin.

ASSISTS: Gray 4. Two each by Preece, Claridge and Kamara. One each by James, Linton, Hughes, Salton, Johnson, Rees and Dreyer.

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.

ANGLO-ITALIAN CUP

Sep 15 Watford (a) 0-0 5,197
29 Bristol City (h) 1-1 (Claridge).....2,538

APPEARANCES: Two each by Petterson, Linton, Salton, Rees, James, Kamara, Claridge and Gray. Preece 1(1), Campbell 1(1), Peake 1, Johnson 1, Dreyer 1, Matthew 1, Oakes (2).

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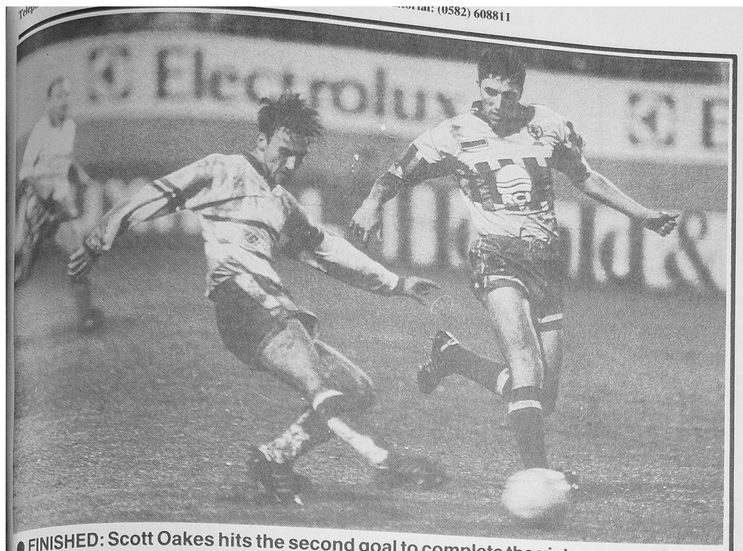

● FINISHED: Scott Oakes hits the second goal to complete the victory.

'We did it for Darren'

FOOTBALL was put into perspective for everyone connected with Luton Town by the grievous news of Darren Salton's accident.

As he lay in a coma on a life support machine, there was none of the bubbling delight that normally greets victories over the old enemy.

David Preece, the Town's longest-serving player, summed it up quietly. "We played for Darren, and I think it showed," he said.

There had been an emotional and thoughtful preparation in the dressing room.

Mr. John Salton had somehow found time to think of Luton Town during his anxious hours at the bedside of his son.

He wrote a letter to thank the club for its help, and to tell the players that life still had to go on.

Darren, he said, would want his pals to go out and play, and beat Watford.

Ian Benjamin said: "It was a very emotional occasion. It must have been a difficult letter to write, but it was a tremendous gesture."

Manager David Pleat, who looked pale and drained, said: "It was a tremendous thing for Mr. Salton to do, at such a terrible time for him and his wife."

If the game had been due for Saturday, two days after the accident, he doubted if his players could have coped, and he might have thought about asking for a postponement.

Friday's training was cancelled as shock, worry and disbelief swamped all feeling, and the usual routine.

But by Saturday a quiet and determined mood had take over. The general feeling among the players was that they wanted to play, and do well for the boy who was destined for great things.

Listening to Mr Pleat, you got the feeling that getting back to work was some sort of therapy, a release valve from the overwhelming feeling of shock and pain that has hit everyone who knows the quiet and courteous youngster who was on the verge of completing a full set of international honours for Scotland.

Salton had been recruited, with his mate Paul Telfer, as a 14-year-old schoolboy.

They came south from Edinburgh together and became inseparable best friends.

The pain and deep feeling for both of them has been all the greater because Telfer and Salton have grown up in the very close-knit community that is Luton Town, and been part of it for four years.

"Players look on them as their brothers," said the manager.

With so many thoughts elsewhere, there was a quiet and deep satisfaction among the Town staff at the way the team had gone to work when they could easily have been forgiven if thoughts and concentration had been lost in sorrow.

Adapt

Watford boss Steve Perryman had no grumbles about the result, although he said that until Ian Benjamin struck he thought it was going to be a goal-less draw.

His disappointment was that his men did not adapt to the conditions as well as Luton did.

He was glad that they showed commitment and effort, but not so happy at the lack of football brain that allowed them to fall into the off-side trap regularly.

Mr Pleat had more to be pleased about. It was the Town's first home win in eight months, one they deserved because they showed they wanted it.

And once again two sets of supporters had been given something to enjoy.

The result lifted the Town out of the bottom three, but the road to safety will still be difficult.

Worries

Injuries, worries about the pitch, and the facts of financial life all lay in wait to catch the manager who celebrates too soon.

Mr Pleat talked about his lack of depth. His subs on Sunday were a pair of 19-year-olds, Martin Williams and Aaron Skelton.

Boys will continue to be asked to become men overnight.

Said the manager: "We only have young men in reserve. And you know what happens to them at Luton... the vultures pinch them."

THE FIRST DIVISION

FOR THE SECOND time this season the Town were bottom of the First Division for 24 hours when Bristol Rovers and Southend inched above them on Saturday night.

The last time it happened the Town won for the first time this season, at Brentford, also on a Sunday. This week's victory over Watford pushed them out of the bottom three for the first time in two months.

	HOME					AWAY					
	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	P
Newcastle	18	8	1	1	22	5	7	0	1	16	9	46
Tranmere	18	7	3	0	22	6	3	1	4	10	14	34
West Ham	18	5	1	2	19	8	5	2	3	17	9	33
Swindon	19	7	2	1	22	11	2	4	3	14	17	33
Wolves	19	5	4	1	21	13	3	4	2	10	7	32
Millwall	18	6	2	0	21	6	2	4	4	7	10	30
Portsmouth	18	7	0	1	18	2	1	5	4	15	21	29
Grimsby	18	4	3	1	13	9	4	1	5	15	12	28
Leicester City	19	5	3	3	12	11	3	1	4	10	12	28
Peterborough	17	2	4	4	14	16	5	1	1	14	8	26
Charlton	19	4	4	2	13	8	3	1	5	9	11	26
Bristol City	18	5	3	2	16	14	2	0	6	11	24	24
Derby	18	2	0	6	12	15	5	3	2	16	9	24
Barnsley	18	4	2	4	10	8	3	1	4	12	9	24
Oxford Utd	18	3	5	2	16	10	2	3	4	12	13	23
Watford	19	4	2	3	14	14	2	3	5	11	17	23
Brentford	18	5	2	4	19	14	1	2	4	7	9	22
Sunderland	18	3	2	3	10	9	3	1	6	7	18	21
Birmingham	17	4	0	3	9	11	1	4	5	5	16	19
Cambridge	19	4	1	4	12	15	0	5	5	8	22	18
Luton Town	18	1	4	4	12	21	2	3	4	9	17	16
Notts County	19	1	4	3	7	11	2	2	7	14	28	15
Southend	18	2	3	3	8	9	1	2	7	9	19	14
Bristol Rovers	19	2	1	6	12	24	1	3	6	12	23	13

● ON THE WAY: Ian Benjamin's header beats Perry Suckling.

Local soccer tables

A & B Sports NHC Sunday League

PREMIER DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Enterprise	8	5	1	2	19	13	11
Celtic Supporters	9	4	2	3	27	11	10
St. Joseph's	6	5	0	1	18	5	10
Sacred Heart	7	4	2	1	13	5	10
AFC Heron	8	4	1	3	20	17	9
FC Coral	7	3	2	2	17	15	8
Brache Green Man	7	3	1	3	15	13	7
Crawley Sports	7	3	1	3	10	12	7
LW Totternhoe	5	2	1	2	11	11	5
TRWSS	8	2	1	5	17	27	5
Stag Sports	6	1	2	3	10	18	4
Limbury Black Swan	8	0	0	8	15	45	0

DIVISION ONE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Sacred Heart Res	9	4	4	1	21	7	12
Stopsley Harriers	7	3	3	1	35	10	9
Stopsley WMC	8	3	3	2	11	7	9
St. Joseph's Res	5	3	2	0	14	7	8
Horseshoe Saints	7	3	2	2	11	8	8
GIS Leagrave	5	3	1	1	12	9	7
Crawley Sports Res	6	2	2	2	10	17	6
Heaton	6	1	3	2	7	14	5
Celtic Res	6	1	2	3	10	14	4
Lewsey	5	0	1	4	6	16	1
Vauxhall Hightown	6	0	1	5	4	32	1

DIVISION TWO

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Lilley Rangers	8	5	3	0	28	13	13
Caddington	7	4	2	1	21	15	10
AFC Heron Res	8	3	2	3	16	17	8
Valley Sports	7	3	1	3	19	15	7
The Swan	5	3	0	2	10	8	6
LW Totternhoe Res	4	2	1	1	12	8	5
Lea Sports	6	1	3	2	12	15	5
Boater	5	2	0	3	8	8	4
AFC Wigmore	4	2	0	2	9	9	4
Brewery	6	1	2	3	10	15	4
Borough Arms	6	0	0	6	5	27	0

DIVISION THREE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Stopsley Harriers R	10	7	1	2	37	24	15
FC Houghton	8	6	1	1	25	5	13
NT Sugar Loaf	6	5	0	1	21	8	10
Dog and Duck	9	5	0	4	26	19	10
Renault Dodge	8	4	1	3	24	13	9
Coulter	7	4	1	2	17	18	9
FC Coral Res	6	4	0	2	16	10	8
Old Moat House	8	3	1	4	20	29	7
Parkside	8	3	0	5	22	18	6
Red Star	5	3	0	2	11	13	6
Stopsley WMC Res	8	2	0	6	11	27	4
GIS Leagrave Res	9	0	2	7	11	37	2
Strawplaiters	8	0	1	7	11	31	1

DIVISION FOUR

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Black Swan	7	5	0	2	17	15	10
Checkou	7	3	1	3	18	12	7
Silsoe Rangers	4	2	2	0	22	10	6
Caddington Res	4	2	2	0	11	6	6
Magnum	4	3	0	1	12	7	6
Britannia Airways	5	1	4	0	9	6	6
Markyate	5	3	0	2	15	13	6
Cavalier	7	1	3	3	10	14	5
Lewsey Res	7	1	2	4	12	26	4
Laporte	3	0	2	1	7	8	2
AFC Stopsley	7	1	0	6	9	25	2

DIVISION FIVE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Barbarians	9	5	1	3	24	16	11
Roman Legion	5	5	0	0	30	2	10
AFC Oakley	6	4	2	0	22	8	10
Wells Star	8	4	2	2	14	16	10
Flint United	5	4	1	0	26	4	9
Crescent Social	6	4	1	1	11	7	9
Casa Bianca (61)	6	2	1	3	12	10	5
Lea Sports Res	6	2	1	3	12	13	5
Streatley Chequers	7	2	1	4	5	19	5
Kenilworth Rangers	8	1	1	6	6	20	3
Borough Arms Res	6	1	0	5	9	18	2
Luton BR	8	0	1	7	6	44	1

DIVISION SIX

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Wigmore Ath	7	7	0	0	50	8	14
Thames United	5	5	0	0	26	4	10
Fidus	7	4	0	3	19	15	8
FC Houghton Res	4	3	1	0	16	7	7
Toddington	7	3	0	4	17	15	6
White Swan	6	3	0	3	24	24	6
Lewsey Park Soc	5	3	0	2	12	13	6
HR Chequers	9	2	2	5	13	34	6
Renault Dodge Res	4	1	1	2	5	9	3
Red Star Res	5	1	0	4	9	18	2
Luton YS	6	1	0	5	9	27	2
Rileys	6	0	0	6	10	37	0

DIVISION SEVEN

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Old Moat House Res	7	6	1	0	28	7	13
Limbury United	8	5	2	1	35	21	12
Magnum Res	8	5	1	2	21	14	11
Royal Mail Luton	6	5	0	1	34	5	10
Manor Rangers	8	4	2	2	22	17	10
Markyate Res	9	3	2	4	25	25	8
Red Lion	7	2	1	4	16	22	5
The Harrow	7	2	1	4	19	26	5
Pastels	5	1	2	2	13	14	4
Luton Thameslink	7	2	0	5	15	34	4
Kenilworth Rgrs Res	9	2	0	7	17	40	4
Luton Rover	7	1	0	6	9	29	2

Luton District & S. Beds League

PREMIER DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Luton Old Boys Res	9	5	2	2	36	16	12
Four Horseshoes	9	5	2	2	19	12	12
AF Cadoza	9	5	1	3	21	9	11
Studham	6	5	0	1	14	8	10
Kent Ath	9	4	1	4	21	17	9
Stockwood Athletic	8	4	1	3	15	21	9
Lewsey Park	7	3	2	2	19	11	8
Christians	8	3	2	3	22	14	8
Rotheram OB	6	3	1	2	13	7	7
Ebony	9	3	1	5	18	22	7
Eaton Bray	8	3	1	4	16	23	7
Singh Sabha	8	2	2	4	12	20	6
Cricketers	7	2	0	5	7	28	4
Thistle	8	0	0	8	6	31	0

DIVISION ONE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Dagnall	7	5	2	0	39	10	12
Manshead (OD)	6	4	0	2	27	6	12
Flitwick Town	10	5	2	3	27	24	12
Crawley Green	8	4	2	2	24	13	10
Monarch Aircraft	7	4	0	3	19	13	8
Kent Ath Res	7	4	0	3	18	13	8
Lewsey Park Res	8	3	1	4	23	28	7
Markyate	4	2	2	0	6	4	6
Celtic	6	2	2	2	19	18	6
Luton Old Boys A	8	2	2	4	20	22	6
Luton Eagles	8	2	2	4	20	26	6
Rotheram OB A	6	2	2	2	14	20	6
High Town Old Boys	8	1	1	6	13	31	3
Eaton Bray Res	9	0	0	9	7	48	0

DIVISION TWO

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Whitbread Club	10	5	3	2	26	17	13
Bitter End	8	5	2	1	20	13	12
Sportsman Dunstable	9	4	3	2	18	10	11
Brickmakers	9	5	0	4	30	19	10
Thistle Res	8	5	0	3	17	14	10
Studham Res	9	4	2	3	18	21	10
Sportsman Harlton	8	4	2	2	16	11	8
First and Last	8	3	2	3	15	14	8
Thresher	4	3	1	0	16	7	7
Christians A	8	3	1	4	14	13	7
Manshead ODs Res	7	2	1	4	22	33	5
Flitwick To Res	6	1	2	3	10	15	4
Markyate Res	10	0	1	9	7	42	1

Luton Sunday League

DIVISION ONE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Norman King	9	9	0	0	39	16	18
High Town	7	6	0	1	26	13	12
Stopsley Ath	8	4	2	2	32	20	10
Black Swan Res	10	4	1	5	30	31	9
AFC Barn Owl A	8	3	2	1	18	11	8
Lea United	5	2	1	2	9	14	5
Lea Sports A	9	2	0	7	25	37	4
Meds	7	1	2	4	20	35	4
First & Last	7	1	0	6	15	26	2
Salisbury Arms	4	0	0	4	7	20	0

DIVISION TWO

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
AFC Barn Owl B	10	5	2	3	33	28	12
First & Last Hares	7	4	2	1	24	16	10
GML Comets	6	4	0	2	27	15	8
Lea Sports B	9	3	2	4	24	23	8
One Nation	8	3	1	4	26	22	7
Luton Dukes	6	3	1	2	15	13	7
Emerald Res	7	2	3	2	19	25	7
Icknield Rangers	6	2	1	3	8	13	5
Purley Tavern	3	1	1	1	8	9	3
Stone Rovers	6	0	1	5	7	27	1

A & B South Beds Sunday League

PREMIER DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Coach and Horses	7	5	2	0	27	5	12
Sundon Park Social	8	5	2	1	23	12	12
Moor Park	3	3	2	0	15	3	8
RB Legion	4	3	1	0	7	3	7
Wheatsheaf	4	3	0	1	14	3	6
Chalton Strollers	3	2	1	0	10	1	5
Green Man Clophill	7	2	1	4	10	23	5
Emeralds	9	1	1	7	13	28	3
Farley Eagles	6	1	0	5	2	11	2
Brickmakers	7	0	0	7	6	38	0

DIVISION ONE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Wheatsheaf Res	9	6	1	2	28	7	13
Nurdin & Peacock	7	6	1	0	28	12	13
Leicester Arms	7	6	0	1	40	4	12
Macom Eagles	6	5	0	1	19	7	10
EG Chiltern	7	3	1	3	19	19	7
Slip End Utd	6	3	0	3	17	21	6
Wigmore Arms	7	2	1	4	21	25	5
Moor Park Res	9	2	1	6	13	29	5
Sportsman	5	1	1	3	9	19	3
Rose & Crown	7	1	1	5	10	21	3
Ramridge Members	6	1	1	4	13	29	3
Tophill Utd	6	1	0	5	7	31	2

DIVISION TWO

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Blackberry Jack	9	6	0	3	38	16	12
Inter-City	6	6	0	0	32	11	12
Queens Head	9	5	1	3	36	16	11
Crown & Keg	7	3	2	2	9	7	8
Winston Churchill	3	3	0	0	19	3	6
Beds Yeoman	3	3	0	0	9	4	6
Windsor Castle	6	3	0	3	15	16	6
Painters Arms	3	2	1	0	11	6	5
Suspension Systems	5	2	1	2	12	18	5
Sugar Loaf Leagrave	7	1	1	5	8	20	3
Ch. Strollers Res	3	0	0	3	3	8	0
The Engine	5	0	0	5	9	20	0
Centurion	2	0	0	2	0	20	0
Wanderers	6	0	0	6	6	42	0

DIVISION THREE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
S. Park Soc Res	9	9	0	0	44	9	18
NV Athletic	7	5	0	2	31	15	10
Robin Hood	7	4	0	3	25	11	8
Mercury	5	3	1	1	11	5	7
Vauxhall Griffin	4	2	1	1	24	12	5
Air Express	6	2	1	3	9	20	5
Engine Res	7	2	0	5	15	28	4
Lea Bank	3	1	1	1	8	8	3
Northside	6	1	0	5	9	17	2
Bromley Ath	5	1	0	4	15	28	2
Independent	4	1	0	3	7	21	2
Bedco	5	1	0	4	4	28	2