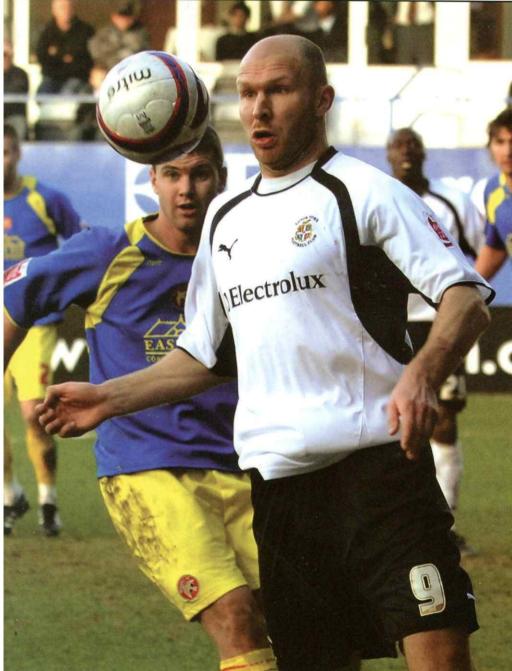
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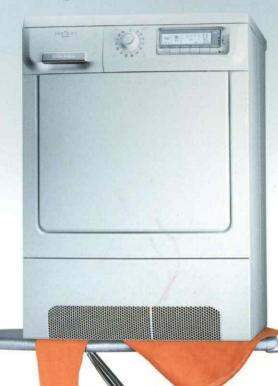






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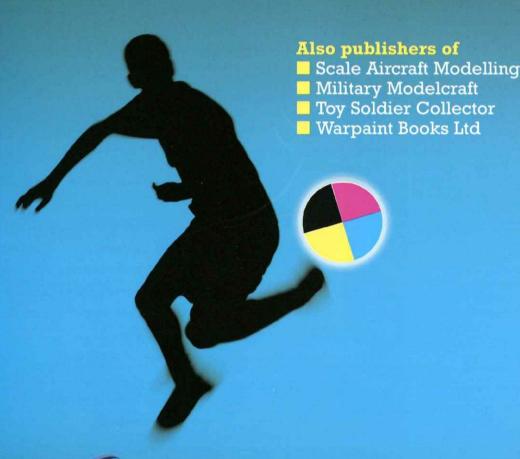
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Good afternoon and thanks for coming along to join us at Kenilworth Road for the match against Oldham Athletic. Oh, how we could do with a win to lift morale and, judging by our second half performance at Carlisle on Tuesday night, perhaps today could be the day to get it!

Off the field, we are continuing to do what we can for the future of our beloved football club, but we are still not in control and we have only actually been working within the stadium for just over two weeks, not a long time at all.

There is an enormous amount of because, understandably, no key decisions apart from the obvious survival issues - have been made since November when we entered administration. That work includes sorting out a host of details concerning next season - urgently.

A vital part of our attention is focused on the Football League, our creditors and getting out of administration as soon as possible. I have to say it is mighty tough. What's more, we have to give certain parties a set period of time or notice and that means our hands are often tied, when we would really like to move things along more quickly.

Despite that, we are ahead of schedule because the Adminstrator,

"Off the field, we are continuing to do what we can for the future of our beloved football club."

Brendan Guilfoyle, has allowed us 'access to all areas' sooner than might have been. Originally, we thought we might have been unable to get into detail until after completing the purchase of the club in late April or early May, but we are already stuck in!.

Rest assured that things are on

track and everyone is working very hard. The staff have been enormously supportive and, for that, we are very grateful.

Thanks to them and to you, our fellow fans, who have offered to help in so many different ways. We will be taking you up on it in time, but it isn't easy to delegate at this stage because we are dealing with such specific priorities.

One final point. You'll have gathered a planning application's been lodged for a stadium at Junction 12. This comes from the developers Goodmans and is not a joint application with the club. As you know, we are not with or against any stadium plan until we have completed our independent feasibility study.

A reminder that next Saturday, for our home match with Cheltenham Town, there is another 'Kids for special offer, when youngsters can purchase a ticket for 40p provided they are accompanied a full paying adult.

Hope you enjoy today's game - in fact, here's hoping we all do!!

Nick Owen



HARFORD

Welcome back to Kenilworth Road to today's clash with Oldham Athletic.

After a run of disappointing results I hope today we can give you all something to cheer about.

Myself and everyone connected with the club are

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in the making."

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the role and I am sure

we have a great captain

desperate to see this poor run of results come to an end.

In terms of results the club has been on a downward spiral for about eighteen months, but I am sure it will bottom out soon, and then we can look forward to a brighter and more positive future on the field.

I was also looking to the future when I decided to make Keith Keane the Captain of Luton Town Football Club. Keith had no hesitation in accepting this role and the responsibility that goes with the job, and I am sure we have a great captain in the making.

Once again, on our travels to both Southend and Carlisle we came away empty handed points wise.

It's always very difficult when you go a goal down, especially away from home. Every game we seem to get punished for our basic errors and we must cut out these mistakes to give ourselves a chance, and hopefully re-create the second half performance which I witnessed at Carlisle.

I would like to thank all the supporters who made those journeys; especially the trip to Carlisle which I

> understand was long and arduous for a lot of you.

It is now going to take a monumental effort to put a run of results together to amass enough points to stave of relegation.

We must all believe that this is possible and I will be instilling this into the players day in, day out.

I would also like to extend a warm welcome to John Sheridan, his directors, staff, players and fans to Luton Town Football Club.

Once again thank you for your support.

Keep the faith.

Mick

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THE CAPTAIN

Firstly, I would like to thank all the fans who made the trip to Carlisle on Tuesday night.

We were all disappointed with our first half performance, but I feel we raised the bar in the second, and we now need to replicate that performance for 90 minutes every

The second half proved we can play good football and that we have what it takes to start winning games and moving up the table, hopefully starting with three points this afternoon.

It was also great to see Ryan Charles make his full debut for the team. He has been excellent for our youth all season and is their top goal scorer so it's nice to see his hard work pay off.

Rio is a great kid and has a lot of potential. Having gone through our youth system myself it's great to see another product of it in our first team.

I am proud to be wearing the Captain's armband for the remainder of the season, although it was a shock when Mick offered it to me.

Chris Perry has been doing a great job these last few months and so I know I have big shoes to fill. However I have the backing of a great team, and together I know we can pull through and get some much needed victories.

Today's fixture against Oldham is bound to be another difficult match.

They come into the game chasing the play-off pack and will be hoping to continue in their promotion chase.

However, you can rest assure that we will all be doing everything we can to make this afternoon difficult for them,

KEITH KEANE



"The second half proved we can play good football and that we have what it takes to start winning games."

first victory under Mick.

As we already have a relatively small squad, it hits us harder when we have players out injured or with illness.

But Darren Currie and Don Hutchison are training with us again and were both on the bench against Carlilse and so hopefully our squad is beginning to strengthen.

so that we can come away with our With so much going on off the pitch at the moment it's vital that we remain focused on the game this afternoon.

Please continue to get behind us.

Enjoy the game.

Keith

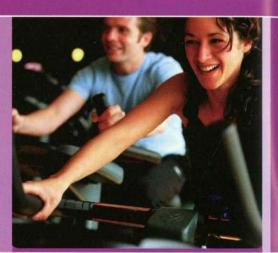




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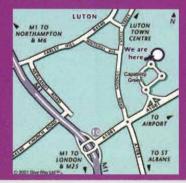
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CLUB SECRETARY

CHERRY NEWBERY

Firstly, welcome to the first of three consecutive home Saturday first team fixtures.

The fixture schedules really do need looking at. Whilst appreciating there is a criteria that has to be adhered to, supporters should be the main consideration, with regard also to the travelling to matches, the cost and as importantly the cash- flow to clubs. I was speaking with Carlisle at the game last Tuesday and they were unhappy that they do not have a home game for the remaining three Saturdays during March. There must be a way to resolve this. We used to play 'home and away' with no problem and you would think in this technological age that it would be easy to put this back in place.

I am very pleased to advise supporters that the Club has been successful in achieving The Football League's Excellence Award 2008. The award is given following two mystery fan visits to the stadium and in addition, is based on information provided to The League regarding child safeguarding material. The matches the mystery fan's came to were Tranmere on 22nd December and Nottingham Forest on 11th December. They reported on many aspects which included ease of purchasing tickets, pricing, stewarding, shop, food etc.

Last week I was invited to the L & D Hospital Radio Open Day, and what an eye opener it proved to be. I simply had no idea of the scale of the operation they run 24 hours a day and which is manned totally by volunteers. Alan Pleasants, the Chairman, showed me around their two studios and I met volunteers who had worked here at the club when we broadcast matches to the Luton and Dunstable Hospital. The radio station covers all tastes in music, requests can be made, and they also have guests coming into the studio. Access is free to all patients at the hospital, but if you live in the Luton area you can also listen to the station via I 134AM. If you would like to volunteer to help hospital radio please do email voluntaryservices@ldh.nhs.uk

We are looking to develop a relationship over the coming months with L & D Hospital Radio with interviews, reports and updates of the clubs progress, both on and off the field. We will keep supporters informed.

Here today are members of the Royal National Lifeboat Institution who are holding a bucket collection. We have all seen the pictures of the gales and the tremendous problems for shipping over the past week and the need for our lifeboats to go to the rescue in horrendous conditions.

Enjoy the game, get behind the team and see you next Saturday.

Cherry

Can we please advise you that the Opening Hours for the Easter holiday period will be as follows:

Good Friday March 21st: Ticket Office and Club Shop 10am to 2pm Easter Saturday March 22nd: Home match day v Cheltenham Easter Monday March 24th: Complex closed.

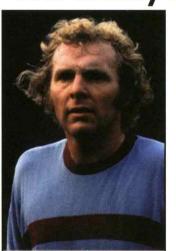
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Check out the website for more information and to register your

Bobby was a champion - will your team be champions in 2008?

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Once you have accessed the site, don't forget to bookmark it or save the URL!

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Luton Town Supporters Club Player of the Season Presentation Evening



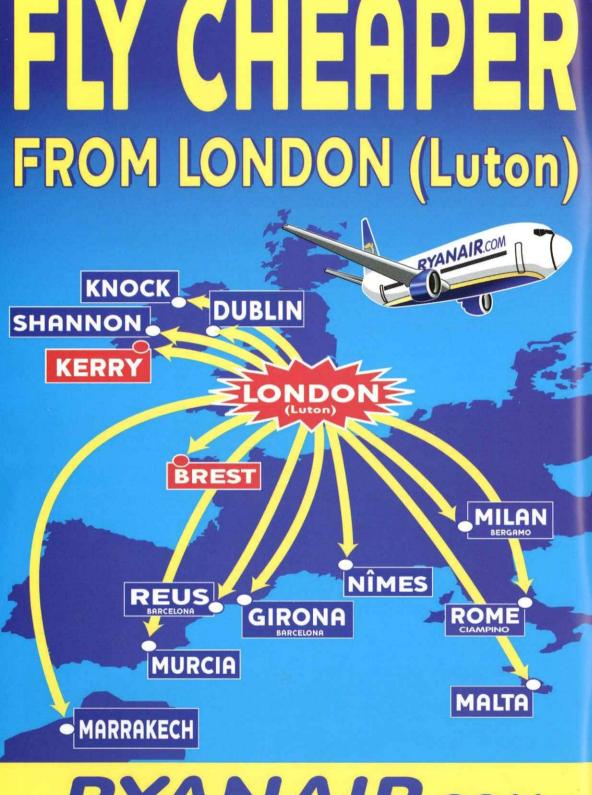
The annual Luton Town Supporters Club Player of the Season Presentation Evening, in conjunction with Luton Town Football Club, will take place on Sunday May 4, 2008.



This event is usually a popular evening and Mick Harford and his first team players will be in attendance at the Riverside Suite at the Vauxhall Recreation Centre on Gipsy Lane, Luton.

A hot/cold buffet will be available on the evening and tickets for this event are priced at £15 for LTSC members and £21 for non-members (subject to availability).

Tickets can be purchased from the Luton Town Supporters Club kiosk in Kenilworth Road on first team match days or you can reserve your tickets by calling Vic and Merilyn Fussell on 01908 569339.



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The OLDHAM Beginnings: 1895

The club was formed in 1895 and originally known as Pine Villa FC, changing the club name in 1899. Oldham joined the Football League in 1907-08 and were promoted to the top flight a couple of years later. Unlike many clubs, Oldham adapted to their new league status well, finishing in third position in their first league season, missing out on promotion by only two points and boasting an unbeaten home record.

Top Player: Ritchie



Andy Ritchie is regarded as one of Oldham Athletic's finest ever footballers, and is also an ex-manager of the club Ritchie started his career 1977-78 with Manchester United, and later played for Brighton & Hove Albion, Leeds United, Oldham Athletic

and Scarborough, making 661 appearances (88 as substitute) and scoring 210 goals throughout his

Top Manager: Rovie

loe Royle spent twelve years in charge at Boundary Park, turning an average Second Division club into a Premier League outfit. Royle's teams won many friends with their carefree, cavalier style. During Royle's time at Boundary



Park, Oldham were beat en in the 1990 League Cup final by Nottingham Forest, and reached the last four of the FA Cup twice (in 1990 and 1994), losing both times to Manchester United. After relegation to the First Division in 1994, Royle resigned as manager of

Top Game:

Oldham 3 - 3 Manchester United FA Cup Semi-Final, May 1990

The small industrial town of Oldham Athletic was gripped by football fever. Managed by Joe Royle the Lactics had just reached the League Cup final and were also challenging for promotion. Oldham started the better and just after five minutes, Earl Barrett put Oldham in front. Near the half hour mark, Bryan Robson equalised before Neil Webb's head Manchester United in front. Oldham instantly replied as Ian Marshall smashed a volley into the back of the net. During extra time, Danny Wallace gave United the lead, but the drama was not over as Oldham substitute, Roger Palmer was on hand to force a replay.

WELCOME TO OLDHAM

Despite being ravaged by injuries in recent weeks, Boundary Park's finest arrive at Kenilworth Road still within sniffing distance of a top-six spot. John Sheridan's side are missing their key strike duo of Lee Hughes and Craig Davies, as well as Captain Sean Gregan, but, after wins over Tranmere and Bournemouth in their last two matches, hopes are high of a second successive play-off finish.

Sheridan's outfit have actually gone five games without a win on the road.

but are well capable of performing away from home, as both Leeds and Everton can testify this season. The Latics destroyed their north-west rivals in

the league at Elland Road in December shortly before shocking Goodison Park with a 1-0 win in the FA Cup courtesy of a stunning longrange effort from midfielder Gary McDonald.

While Oldham's football has been constantly entertaining, achieving consistent results has been more of a problem, with the two games previous to last week's victories indicative of why they have been infuriating to support at times this season: a dismal 1-0 home reverse to lowly Hartlepool was followed by an

emphatic 3-1 defeat of play-off rivals Tranmere, although the latter result was particularly satisfying for Oldham fans given that ex-Latics boss Ronnie Moore is now at the helm at Prenton

Sheridan took over from Moore at Boundary Park in 2006 and, until Blackpool rather fortuitously won in the play-off semis, looked set to end Oldham's decade-long stay in League One at his first attempt. The ex-Ireland international subsequently

> rebuilt the side in the closed season and, given his pedigree as a player, it is no surprise that the Latics have continued to flourish by keeping the ball

on the deck.

"SHERIDAN HAS A

SQUAD THAT WILL

BODE WELL FOR

THE FUTURE."

Sheridan started his career at Leeds. where he was a terrace hero and helped the club climb back into the top-flight in the late eighties. He moved on the Sheffield Wednesday and became the mainstay of their successful side of the early 1990s, often playing alongside former Luton favourite Danny Wilson. Notably, he hit a scorcher to beat Manchester United in the 1991 League Cup Final and was the lynchpin of the side that reached Wembley in both cup competitions two years later.



The real headline-grabber has been 13-goal Craig Davies, but with both the Welsh international and Hughes out today Sheridan is likely to continue with Lewis Alessandra and Leeds loanee Leon Constantine up front, particularly after the two combined to good effect in the win over Tranmere. Also worth watching out for is 19-year-old right-back and captain Neil Eardley, whose maturity and poise was on display in the win against Bournemouth when he netted both goals from the spot.

Between the sticks for Oldham will be veteran keeper Mark Crossley, who at 38 remains an exceptional shot-stopper and will be hoping to shut out the Hatters today as the Latics look to secure an eighth away

win of the season and really get back amongst the promotion pack.

Previous encounters in recent seasons have been close affairs with three of the last four encounters ending in draws - the most recent occurring this season when the Hatters gained an impressive 1-1 draw at Boundary Park.

The last meeting at Kenilworth Road between the two sides came in August 2004 where goals from Steve Howard and Paul Underwood sealed a 2-1 win, which was Luton's first win against Oldham in ten previous attempts.

The Fan's View

GARY DONALD Oldham supporter

How has this season gone?

Over the last few weeks it has been really exciting. We have won three of the last four games and we are heading in the right direction in the League One table. I didn't think we would have enough in the squad to get us up into the play-offs, but we have been playing well recently and there is a bit of optimism around the Club. The only concern is that we have a lot of players missing through injury and I hope that don't prove to be costly at this stage of the sea-

What are Oldham's aims this season?

Everyone at Oldham was disappointed to have missed out on promotion through the play-offs last season, so hopefully we can get in the top six again and go one better this time around. It's a very tight league at the moment, so back-toback wins can really propel you up the table. Easter will be crucial if we are going to make a bid for promotion.

Who has been your key signing?

I have been impressed with the form of Reuben Hazell this season. I didn't really know much about the player when he joined up, but he has been a key defender for us this season. He is good in the air, reads the game well and his all round play has been decent.

Who will be your one to watch this afternoon?

There are a few, but Neal Eardley has been awesome this season and goes into this game with three goals in his last two games. Neil has a massive future in the game and is already a Welsh international at the age of 19. Also watch out for JP



Kalala, who I have been impressed with in the last handful of games he has been involved in.

Who will win League One?

Swansea have dipped in the last couple of weeks, but they should still go on and win the league. The race for second looks as though it will go down to the wire, but I think Carlisle might pip Doncaster and Nottingham Forest to that position.







Last meeting: Dec 04, 2007: Football League One Oldham I - I Luton Town

Last season: Oldham competed in the League One playoffs, finishing in sixth position. They were beaten by Blackpool in the semi-finals, losing 5-2 on aggregate.



THE VISITORS THE KEY MEN FOR OLDHAM

Joined Oldham on a permanent basis in January 2007 following a successful loan spell. After being frozen out at Leeds, the influential defender arrived at Boundary Park on loan in November 2006. He then signed a contract until the end of the 2008/09 campaign after having his Elland Road contract cancelled. Gregan began his career at Darlington, where he made 134 appearances, before moving to Preston and West Brom. Gregan made 31 appearances for the club last season as Oldham reached the play-off semi-finals.



Goalkeepers

Mark Crosslev

Experienced stopper who inked a one-year contract in June 2007. The Welsh international joined Oldham after leaving Premiership outfit Fulham as a free agent. Crossley - capped eight times by his country - began his career as a trainee at Nottingham Forest, and went on to make 384 appearances for the City Ground club over a 13-year period. He went on to have spells at Millwall, Middlesbrough, Sheffield Wed and Stoke City Along with Dave Beasant, he remains the only goalkeeper ever to save a penalty in normal time in an FA Cup Final, and is the only player ever to deny Matthew Le Tissier from the penalty spot.

Josh Bell

Josh Bell joined Latics on a two-year apprenticeship in May 2006. The goalkeeper broke into the youth side at the back end of the 2006/07 campaign, also making appearances for

Defenders

Neal Eardley

Widely regarded as one of Oldham's brightest prospects, Neal Eardley is a product of the club's successful youth system. Eardley joined the senior squad for pre-season training ahead of the 2006/07 season and forced himself into the team under new boss John Sheridan. Eardley won his first senior cap for Wales when he appeared as a half-time substitute during their 1-0 international friendly win over Bulgaria in Burgas on August 22, 2007.

Stefan Stam

Signed for Latics following a successful trial period during the 2003/04 season, Stefan Stam has played for PSV Eindhoven and AZ Alkmaar. He signed a new one-year deal in July 2007.

Kelvin Lomax

John Sheridan rescued Kelvin Lomax from the footballing wilderness by bringing him back to the club in summer 2006, after he was released by former boss Ronnie Moore at the end of the 2005/06 season. Lomax completed a successful two-month loan spell at Rochdale between September and October 2007, making ten appearances for the League Two side.

Reuben Hazell

Latics signed defender Reuben Hazell to a deal until summer 2009 in November 2007 after two successive one-month contracts. The centre-half started his career as a trainee at 2 Aston Villa, before joining Tranmere Rovers in July 1999. Hazell made 54 appearances whilst at Prenton Park, but he was on the move again in February 2002, joining Torquay United on a permanent basis following a successful loan spell. He then moved to Chesterfield, making 80 appearances, before leaving to the join the Latics.

John Thompson

Versatile defender, who joined Latics on a free transfer in June 2007. Started his career at Nottingham Forest and has been capped three times by the Republic of Ireland.



Midfielders

Mark Allott

Mark Allott rejoined Latics in summer 2007 after six-seasons away from Boundary Park. A long-term target for manager John Sheridan, Allott signed a two-year contract after leaving Chesterfield for an undisclosed fee. Originally a product of the Boundary Park youth system, Allott scored within ten minutes of being introduced as a substitute for his debut against Bolton Wanderers on December 12, 1996.



IP Kalala left 2006/07 play-off finalists Yeovil to sign for Latics on a twoyear deal in June 2007. Kalala made 42 appearances for the Glovers in 2006/07, helping them to a 5th-placed finish in League One. The combative midfielder arrived in Britain in July 2005 when he signed for Grimsby Town, and made his name with a stunning winner as the Mariners knocked Premier League side Tottenham Hotspur out of the Carling Cup in 2005/06. Kalala has been capped six times by his native DR Congo.

Scottish midfielder Gary McDonald became John Sheridan's first capture as Latics manager in the summer of 2006, McDonald oined Latics on a free transfer from Kilmarnock, where he quickly progressed through the ranks to the first team. He went on to make 116 appearances for Killie, scoring fourteen times before moving south on a two-year deal.

Chris Taylor

Starlet Chris Taylor signed a new deal until summer 2010 in April 2007 after an impressive season last year. The midfielder made his full debut in the 3-0 home win against Nottingham Forest in 2005/06, going on to make 13 further appearances. Taylor made further progress during 2006/07, appearing 51 times and scoring his first goal for the club in the I-I draw at Carlisle. The announcement of a new deal at Boundary Park put an end to speculation that Taylor may leave the club in a big-money move.

David Livermore

David Livermore signed for Latics on loan from Hull City on the final day of the January transfer window -a deal extended until the end of March recently. Livermore is already a veteran of over 350 senior games, the majority of them for Millwall.

Lee Hughes

Lee Hughes joined Oldham Athletic on a two-year contract in August 2007. Hughes began his career with Conference side Kidderminster Harriers, firing 35 goals in 1996/97 before joining West Bromwich Albion for £200,000 - the record fee paid for a non-league player. He rocketed to fame with four successful campaigns at the Hawthorns, bagging 86 goals in 174 appearances - a ratio of a goal every two games. He moved to Coventry in the summer of 2001, but he

played just 40 times for City (14 goals) before returning to West Bromwich Albion for £2.5m after one season. After a short spell out of the game, he returned to sign a two-year contract at Oldham and scored his first goals for the club in a 3-0 win at Bournemouth in November 2007.

Matthew Wolfenden

Striker Matthew Wolfenden signed a new two-year contract with the club in summer 2007. A product of the Boundary Park youth system, the forward has the distinction of being one of Latics' youngest-ever players. The striker made his senior debut during the 2003/04 season as a substitute against Swindon Town aged just 16 years and 115 days. A regular scorer at reserve and youth level, Wolfenden impressed in Lee Duxbury's second string last season. He also made eight appearances for the first team, scoring his first-ever senior goal in the 3-1 defeat at Blackpool in the second leg of the Coca-Cola League One play-offs.

Jordan Robertson joined the club on a month-long emergency loan from Sheffield United in late February 2008. Robertson spent the first half of the season on loan at Scottish Premier League side Dundee United, scoring four goals during his stay on Tayside. However, he was recalled by the Blades in January. He also clocked up more League experience during a spell with Northampton Town - scoring on his debut for the Cobblers against Athletic in January 2007 - and Torquay United. Robertson scored his first goal for the club in the 3-0 win at Port Vale on March 1.



ROGER WASH tells the stories behind some special moments in Hatters history



Harford returns with a bang

Pictured above, Mick Harford celebrates a goal against Manchester United in April 1992 just seven months after his 'second coming' return to Kenilworth Road.

During the 1991-92 season, new manager David Pleat had suffered difficulties both on and off the field the previous summer. Top scorer Lars Elstrup had disappeared, the chairman had resigned and crowd favourite Kingsley Black had been sold to Nottingham Forest.

Results in the early part of the campaign were poor and it took until the fifth League game before a goal was scored which obviously highlighted the Town's deficiency.

Pleat was desperate for a goalscorer and pushed the boat out to bring in a former Hatters hero in the shape of Mick Harford. The big striker jumped at the chance to return to Kenilworth Road, where he had previously enjoyed

Luton Town 2 - 1 Oldham Athletic Date: Saturday September 14, 1991 Place: Kenilworth Road

the best and most productive time of his career, and was greeted by a rapturous crowd who turned up to see one of the previous season's promoted sides, Oldham, put to the sword in his first game back.

The Latics had not read the script though and always looked dangerous with their powerful strikeforce of lan Marshall and Graeme Sharp and it was the former who opened the scoring with a header on 52 minutes.

The Town now needed to chase the game and despite throwing everyone forward in search of an equaliser they did not look like scoring until a double substitution was made with Paul Telfer and Kurt Nogan coming on in place of Brian Stein and Darron McDonough.

The two fresh and enthusiastic

youngsters turned the game on its head with their enthusiasm and willingness to run at the Oldham defence but, as the minutes ticked away, it looked as though the Latics would escape with all three points.

With five minutes to go the ball was worked down the right by full-back Matthew Jackson and Telfer, for Nogan who put over a low cross for Harford, who had escaped from his marker, to tap in.

The crowd went wild and in true 'Roy of the Rovers' fashion Harford was on hand to take advantage of some hesitancy in the Oldham defence to hit a sweet overhead kick into the roof of the net in injury time to secure an unlikely victory.

Pleat said afterwards, "I have to be mean with Luton's money and I think I paid a little over the top for a man of 32, but I knew what Mick had to offer and what he was really worth to us."



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Goals: None
Substitutes:Andrew (58 Morgan),
Parkin (70 McVeigh),
Goodall (70 Davis)
Not used: Currie, Charles
None



REFEREE: Jarnail Singh (Middlesex)



FOUL... Substitute Calvin Andrew is unlucky when his second half goal is disallowed after a foul on the Walsall goalkeeper

HATTERS ACTION



FEET FIRST...Matthew Spring gets in a tangle with the Walsall defence when they both slide to keep in control of the ball

MANAGER'S VIEW



"The first half performance was unacceptable and the players have totally let themselves down.

"The second half we picked up a little bit, although we didn't really create a lot.

"It is going to have to be a massive turnaround and I'm not accepting that performance today.

"It was totally inept. It looks like the players, as a team, needs educating. I have got to manage them and try and get the best out of what I have got.

"The whole team is feeling sorry for themselves and they are down at the moment. It's very frustrating, but the players reputation is on the line and it has be a massive improvement from them."

Mick Harford

Luton continue to wait for their first win under manager Mick Harford following a 1-0 defeat at the hands of Walsall.

Luton rarely threatened the Walsall goal, whose strike arrived after just four minutes through Stefan Moore.

Luton did have the ball in the back of the net on 85 minutes when Calvin Andrew headed home from close range, only for the referee to disallow it for a foul on the goalkeeper.

The visitors started brightly and looked to score in the opening few minutes when a shot from Anthony Gerrard, after a poorly cleared corner, forced Keith Keane to clear the ball off the line.

Walsall had taken the game to the Hatters in the early stages and the deadlock was soon broken when on four minutes a ball from Tommy Mooney released Moore, who was allowed to roll the ball past Dean Brill, who was praying for an offside flag, and into an open goal.

Luton were determined to make an impression on the game and created their best effort of the game on 32 minutes after Paul McVeigh crossed the ball to Stephen O'Leary who turned to shoot on the half volley. However, Clayton Ince was quick of the mark and made a comfortable save on the bounce.

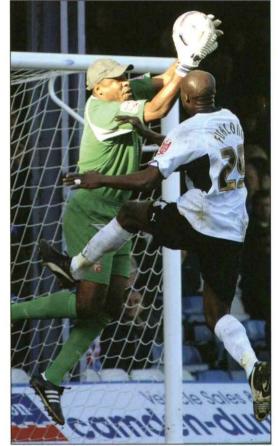
As the time ticked on, Luton were growing increasingly desperate for a goal. Spring opened up a perfect opportunity, when on 81 minutes, he left the visitors standing to take a shot from distance. Ince managed to tip the ball over but the Hatters were rewarded with a corner for his effort.

From the resulting kick, the Luton midfielder crossed the ball into the area to the waiting Andrew, who headed the ball in to the goal only for it to be disallowed after a foul on the goalkeeper.

LUTON 0 WALSALL I



WATCHING... Luton strikers Paul McVeigh and Drew Talbot fail to make the most of a Luton corner



CAUGHT OUT... Goalkeeper Clayton Ince beats Paul Furlong to the ball



STAY BACK... Stephen O'Leary stays one step ahead of Walsali's Lee Holmes



ATTACK... Sol Davis tries to find a way to clear his lines after a Walsall attack

SIMON'S STATS



SIMON PITTS finds some fascinating facts about today's team

The number of previous league meetings between the sides at Kenilworth Road. Luton have won nine times, there have been eight occasions. The Hatters have scored 35 goals, and have conceded 20 goals to the Latics.

The most number of goals scored in this fixture, and it was the first time the sides met, back on the opening day of the 1953/54 season. Johnny Downie scored a hat trick, on his Luton debut, with Jim Pemberton netting the other. The crowd of 22822, was not only the highest of the season for Luton, but also for this fixture.

The most number of goals scored by Luton in this fixture. Another opening day fixture, this time in the 1978/79 season. Seven players made their Luton debut in this fixture and it was not going well as the visitors were leading 1-0 at half time. In amazing second half Luton hit six goals without reply! Bob Hatton scored just 15 seconds into the half, before David Moss netted twice either side of a Brian Stein goal. Lif Fuccillo scored from the penalty spot to make it 5-1 before Hatton rounded off the scoring with his second late in the game.

The number of league matches played between the sides at Kenilworth Road since Oldham Athletic were victorious. The Hatters have won five of these, with an amazing six draws! Luton have netted 14 times in these matches, whilst just seven goals have been conceded.

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DEBUT SCORER.. Stuart Douglas

The number of penalties scored by Luton in this fixture. Mike Harrison scored the first on the opening day of the 1968/69 season, as the Hatters won 4-0. Fuccillo's penalty in the 6-1 victory, again on the opening day of a season, in August 1978, was the second successful spot kick by the Hatters. The last time that a penalty was converted was when David Moss netted in the Championship winning 1981/82 season. Moss scored again after the break to confirm the victory Incidentally Darron McDonough was sent off for Oldham in this fixture, he was of course to join Luton a few years later!

The number of players scoring against Oldham on their Luton league debuts! Johnny Downie's hat trick in 53/54 has been previously mentioned, as has Mike Harrison's penalty in 68/69. Brian Lewis also scored in the latter of these games, and like Harrison was also making his Luton debut. Bob Hatton and David Moss both scored a brace on their Luton debuts in 78/79. A 17 year old Stuart Douglas scored in the I-I draw in 1995/96, whilst substitute Andre Scarlett netted in injury time to secure a 2-0 win in October 1998.

Current Luton manager Mick Harford has scored three times against Oldham Athletic whilst playing for Luton. He made a sensational return to the Club in 1991/92 when he netted two late goals on his "second" debut to turn a 1-0 deficit into a 2-1 victory. He also netted in the 5-1 defeat at Boundary Park later in the season.

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Rovers. Steve Taylor only made 20 appearances in 1978/79 after his transfer, his only goal came in a 4-1 win against Burnley, Darron McDonough stayed at Kenilworth Road for six seasons, making 127 appearances and scoring 7 goals, before moving to Newcastle United. The number of players who have moved to Oldham from Luton. Paul Shepherd had made just

seven appearances in the 2000/01 season for the Hatters before his transfer to Oldham, Dean Crowe made 79 appearances and scored 17 goals in three seasons at Kenilworth Road. He scored on his debut at Plymouth, whilst on loan from Stoke, a move that was made permanent a month later. Crowe netted 15 goals in 34 league appearances during the promotion season of 2001/02, but managed just two goals from 27 appearances the following season. Ironically his last appearance, as a substitute, also came against Plymouth, a 1-1 draw in March 2004 before his free transfer to Oldham

that season, but only made six league appearances the following season before he moved to Doncaster

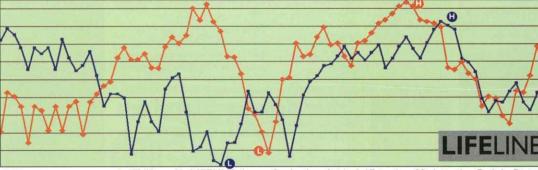
The number of players who have moved from Oldham to Luton. Ron Swan was the first of these,

but he only featured in the 1966/67 season, making just 14 appearances in goal for the Hatters.

Laurie Sheffield was the next player to make the move, and he made his debut against his former

side on the opening day of the 1968/69 season. Sheffield scored 12 goals in 29 league appearances

The Hatters have met Oldham 45 times in all. Luton have won 16, and Oldham 13 with 16 draws OLDHAM LUTON



THIS week's LIFELINE shows Royle they finished 17 in the 23rd in the English Division how Luton and Oldham's old First Division in 1992-93. Four League, just one point fortunes have risen and fallen 31 points behind League above Hartlepool United who over the years. Oldham's high winners Leeds United. Their finished bottom of the league

point came when, under Joe low was when they finished with just 27 points.

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STEVEN DOVE with all the latest news from around the other 23 clubs in the division



Cox set for **Brighton** return

Brighton manager Dean Wilkins is ready to end the exile of winger Dean

Cox, 20, was dropped for the win over Gillingham and did not travel to Carlisle for what the club described as "disciplinary reasons".

But Wilkins told BBC Southern Counties Radio: "I feel it's the right time to bring him back..

"There's been some reflection on Dean's part. We're just trying to achieve success together and we all have to be conscious of that."

Cherries squad to defer salaries



Bournemouth's players have agreed to help the club financially as the impact of

administration continues.

A proportion of all squad salaries have been deferred for February after an agreement was reached with the Professional Footballers' Association.

"Nobody's complaining. It's helping the club financially and we're told it's not long until the takeover," captain Neil Young told BBC Radio



CRISIS... Bournemouth entered administration recently

Bournemouth are hoping to find new buyers by the beginning of April.

The PFA are helping the club with payment of salaries in the short term.

Chief executive Gordon

Taylor said: "The Cherries' players have been brilliant, It's important the public know that.

"The PFA are helping all they can at this time, until the future of the club is

Doncaster's O'Connor set for surgery

Doncaster defender James O'Connor is to have hernia surgery - after playing on through the pain in a bid to delay the operation until the summer.

"lames has been having discomfort for some while," manager Sean O'Driscoll told the club's website. "He's only been training a couple of times a week, and if the player isn't happy, there is no point in prolonging the decision to have surgery."





Boss backs **Mackay**

Hartlepool boss Danny Wilson has tipped rookie striker Michael Mackay to deliver goals following his winner at Oldham recently.

The 25-year-old' knocked his fourth strike of the campaign against Oldham

And Wilson said: "He just doesn't get disappointed,"

"He's a real handful, especially up front." and he's always up for Tilson was forced to play the challenge." midfielder Hal-Robson



Swansea's League One title challenge has been boosted by the news that Jason Scotland has not broken his toe.



Oldham's on-loan striker Jordan have played his last ame for the club after suffering ankle ligament damage



Crystal Palace.

Swindon defender lack late call-up to face



Tranmere Rovers hope to have defender lan next two weeks as he steps up his comeback



results.

MOVE...Maher

Carlisle striker Kevin Gall has said he is enjoying his loan spell of at Darlington and at Darlington and would be happy to make a permanent switch to the Arena.



Cheltenham defender Gavin Caines will miss the rest of the season as he prepares for an operation on next week



Crewe have completed the loan signing of Preston winger Joe Anyinsah until the end of the season



Orient boss Martin Ling has told his players a place in play-offs is theirs for the taking.



Millwall manager Kenny Jackett has hailed his team's 2win over Swansea last week as their best performance of the season



Heath set for loan

Leeds boss Gary McAllister has told defender Matt Heath to go out on loan. The 27-year-old has

played 32 games for Leeds this season but is out of contract in the summer.

"Matt was one of the players I sat down and told him there were two or three players ahead of him." McAllister said.



Andy Williams says Bristol Rovers must forget about their FA Cup run for 2007/08 and focus on making a late challenge on the League One play-offs.

The striker believes the Pirates can still make the end-of-season shake-up, but says the team need to put together an instant run of good

Williams said: "It's a short period of time after the West Brom match and we need to get that game out of our heads and try to bounce back straight

"We've shown we can put a run together and we believe the league position at the moment is a false one. It's up to us now to take the opportunity we've got in the league with all the games in hand."



Gills boss Mark Stimson told BBC Radio Kent: "He knows the buzz you get from winning and until you've tasted that you don't know how

"He's up for the challenge, and will play a massive part for us."



FOCUS.. Andy Williams

trying for days. But Tilson is confident "But it's difficult at the the injury problems will moment, no-one wants not prevent them from chasing a position in the to let anyone out.

bones."

fit striker lames Walker

in the 2-0 victory over

Despite this, the Blues

boss was pleased with

the performance of his

He said: "Hal had

couple of days, so I

thought for him to

as he did is a credit

to him, but we are

down to the bare

get through as long

only been back

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makeshift frontline.

Luton Town at the

weekend

Tilson struggling in

search of Southend

firepower

Southend United manag-

admitted that getting a

striker to the club on

loan is proving difficult.

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Essex: "We may

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Tilson only has

one fit striker in

play-offs. "We are playing well at the moment and the





Smith has said he thought he would never play for the Robins again, after his



Goodison back within the from a knee injury

Whalley expecting Money suitors

Walsall chief executive Roy Whalley says manager Richard Money's success is bound to attract attention from other clubs in time.

"It's one of the penalties of success," Whalley said. "It's a bit like players. If they do well they're always going to attract the interest of so-called bigger clubs.

The only consolation is he's got to achieve success at Walsall to get the offer from other clubs."

Cobblers re-sign Jones



Northampton have re-signed Wolves defender Daniel Jones on loan for the rest of the

Jones, who impressed while on loan at Northampton earlier this season, can be recalled by Wolves at 24 hours' notice. Cobblers boss Stuart Gray said: "Daniel doesn't need any introduction. We know

about him and he knows all about us."



Davies hit by new injury



for those players," Ritchie

registered our interest, at

least two Championship

clubs made a move for

said. "As soon as we

Forest midfielder Arron Davies will be out action for at least three weeks with a hamstring strain.

Davies sustained the injury during Saturday's goalless draw with Crewe Alexandra at Gresty

The winger was making his first start in more than a month but was forced to

come off after 74 minutes.



leaves Yeovil

Yeovil Town have terminated the contract of striker Lee Morris by mutual consent.

The 27-year-old has failed to recover from a second cruciate ligament rupture. sustained in August

The popular forward joined the Glovers in August 2006 and scored six goals in 40 appearances for the club.

Manager Russell Slade said: "I'm really gutted for Lee because ever since our days together at Sheffield United he has been plagued by injuries."





has admitted that Huddersfield Town have missed out on another two loan targets.

After Izale McLeod rejected a move to the Galpharm, Ritchie turned his attentions to West Brom's Craig



STAYING... Kuai



investor into the club. The Vale have been subject to takeover rumours, with Edinburgh businessman Pat Munro thought to be lining up a bid for the club. Sinnott said: "There's no doubt we need investment. If a deal arrives that is in the best interests of the club then I would welcome that."

HATTERS ACTION

SOUTHEND 2 LUTON 0









REFEREE: Rob Lewis (Shropshire)



ATTACK... Paul Furlong skips past Southend's fallen Peter Clarke to continue another Luton attack

FINGERTIP SAVE...Luton keeper Dean Brill manages to keep a Southend shot out of the net with a breathtaking save

MANAGER'S VIEW



"I'm bitterly disappointed but I'll keep working hard to turn it around. I take full responsibility.

"We were up against the wind but what's frustrating is our play in the final third of the pitch. We're not scoring when we are on top in games.

"We didn't create a lot to be fair. The work rate and the effort are there but just not the goals at the minute.

"We've tried all sorts of formations with the players we've got available but nothing's come off."

Mick Harford

A dreadful game at Roots Hall, which offered little entertainment, saw Southend take all three points thanks to strikes from Nicky Bailey and

Luton were saved by a heavier defeat by some fine goalkeeping from Dean Brill, who enjoyed a good game despite an error which gifted Southend's second goal.

A Steve Robinson free-kick out to Keith Keane on the right saw the Hatters defender tee up David Bell for a shot, but the midfielder failed to connect with the half volley, as Southend goalkeeper Darryl Flahavan made a comfortable save.

Southend responded immediately and a Mark Gower corner caused confusion in the area and when the ball broke to Charlie Mulgrew, the midfielder had his shot cleared off the line by Richard Jackson.

But the first half turned out to be a complete non show from both sides.

It didn't look as though either side were capable of breaking the deadlock, but on 37 minutes the deadlock was broken when a left wing run and cross from Walker resulted in a deep cross to Tommy Black, whose volley across the face of the goal fell into the path of Bailey, who prodded past Brill from close range.

The second half showed no signs of any improvements as both teams struggled to contend with the windy conditions.

In a desperate bid to turn things around, boss Mick Harford threw caution to the wind and introduced prolific youth team goalscorer Ryan Charles, for his first senior appearance for the Hatters.

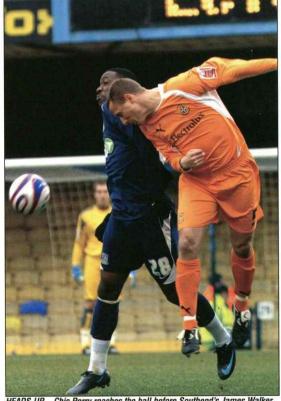
But despite plenty of effort from both teams, there was little in terms of goal mouth action, in a game that showed little quality.

Southend did add a second deep into stoppage time, when a back pass from Matthew Spring, had Brill rushing out of his goal, but his poor clearance fell straight to Walker, who rounded the Hatters goalkeeper for a shot into an unguarded net.

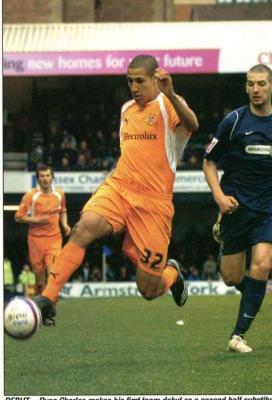
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CLOSE CONTROL. David Bell keeps calm as he brings the ball out of midfield, despite a lunging tackle from the Southend defender



HEADS UP... Chis Perry reaches the ball before Southend's James Walker



DEBUT... Ryan Charles makes his first team debut as a second half substitute





An interview with

RICHARD LANGLEY

For the first time this season, there seems to be some light at the end of the tunnel for Hatters midfielder Richard Langley.

The former OPR and Cardiff man has endured an horrendous season since breaking his leg during a pre-season friendly game against Rushden & Diamonds last July.

Langley hasn't kicked a ball since a heavy tackle from Diamonds' Michael Rankin forced him off on a stretcher, with serious concerns about his future in the game.

However, the determination of Langley has finally seen him reap some reward after returning to training with the first team squad last

Although there is still a long battle for the 28-year-old to undertake, it does bode well for the midfielder that his future in the game is back on track.

And for Langley, his return to training means he is one step closer to bringing down the curtains on a eight month nightmare.

Talking to today's matchday programme, Langley said: "I had been training with the youth team for about two weeks prior to me coming back with the first team.

"It has been a long time coming and a very frustrating time for me. I have been itching to come back, looking over at the first-team's training sessions and wanting to get out there, but I have had too take things slowly.

"It has been a nice feeling to finally get back out on the training ground with the rest of the lads, but I know I still have some way to go to get back to match fitness.

"What was pleasing for me was that I have come through the first training session with the first-team feeling OK. I felt a bit tired and a bit below the pace, but that is to be expected as I have been out for so long.

"I probably need a few more sespaces and hopefully I can start COMEBACK..Richard Langley is back in training

pushing on from there."

However, Langley, who is a Jamaican international, is fully aware that he still has plenty of work ahead of him before he is back playing competitively in a Hatters shirt.

The midfielder admits that it has been

I have got to be professional about the situation and I have got to think about my long term future.

particularly frustrating for him this season as he has been unable to help his team-mates get themselves out of the Club's current predicament.

"I have been going to all the home matches and it is hard sitting on the sides, not being able to do anything to help our current situation," continued

"It has been difficult for me this season, but it has been even harder for the rest of the lads because they have had to play through the adminis-

"However, I think performances are getting better and if we can continue to play the way that we know we can then it would be good to finish off the season on some sort of high, regardless of what happens.

"Everyone at the moment can do with some kind of lift and I know the players are working hard to string a few wins together and give us something to cheer about."

Despite his enthusiasm to return to action for the Hatters, Langley knows that he has had to patiently work through his rehabilitation programme.

The midfielder has been put through his paces behind the scenes, putting in the hours in the gymnasium in a

bid to regain his fitness.

And Langley isn't taking any chances in his pursuit to making a Luton comeback.

"There have been times when I have thought to myself, 'I want to get back out there no matter what'.

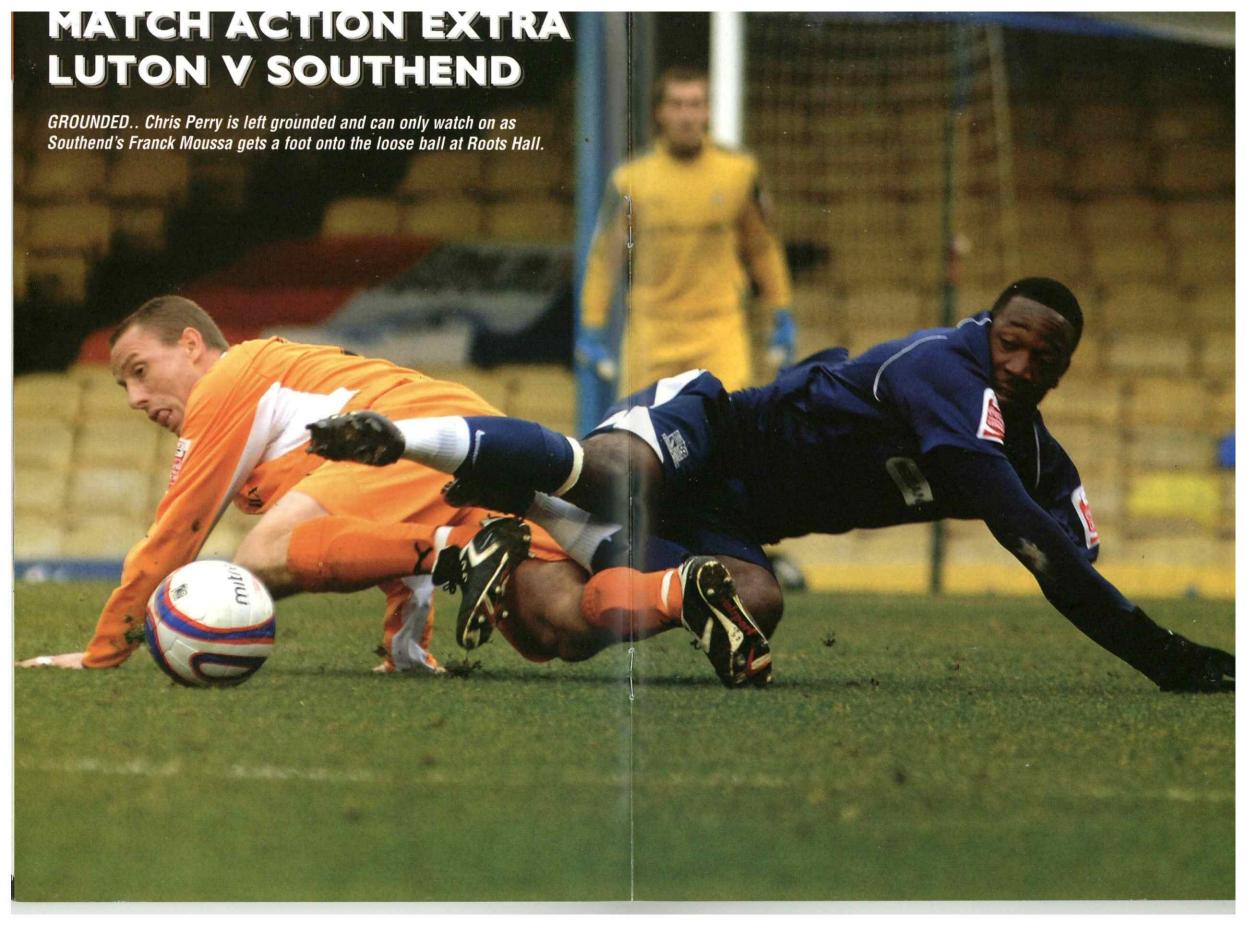
"However I have got to be professional about the situation and I have got to think long term.

"I have been out of action for a long time and I need to make sure that the rehabilitation is done correctly. I don't want to cut any corners.

"It is difficult to know when I will be back. I come to training some days and I feel great, other days I come in and I think to myself that I am another two or three days away from actually training.

It will all depend on how I progress with the rehabilitation really. It is going well at the moment."





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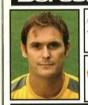








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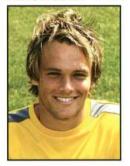
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Hutch and **Currie** return for Hatters at **Roots Hall**

Darren Currie and Don Hutchison played their first competitive game for over a month in the reserves 4-0 defeat at Southend.

Both players have been missing from the first team squad since late lanuary after picking up injuries.

However, thery successfully came through 90 minutes at Roots Hall as they stepped up their comebacks to Mick Harford's squad.

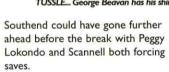
The Hatters side consisted mainly of youth players with Ross Faulds, Riccardo Biggi, Harry Hogarth and lamie McGuinness all given the chance to shine.

And Charles almost made an immediate impact when, on five minutes, the youngster found space inside the area, but dragged his shot wide of the right post.

Luton looked impressive in the opening stages and on 18 minutes, Hutchison fired a 25-yard free-kick that was tipped over by Southend goalkeeper Steve Collis.

Southend then got the breakthrough on 22 minutes when Damian Scannell took advantage of a mistake in the Luton defence, to side foot home from eight yards.

The home side doubled their advantage seven minutes later, when Franck Moussa headed Lewis Hunt's cross from the right, past the outstretched arms of Faulds.



The Blues dominated the second half and on 51 minutes Zoltan Liptak side footed home a Hunt free-kick on the right to make it 3-0.

Charles almost reduced Southend's lead two minutes later when he was put clean through by Currie's pass, but the striker was denied by a breathtaking save from Collis.

But any chance of a fight back evaporated when Moussa grabbed his second of the game on 67 minutes, firing a right footed shot from the edge of the area past Faulds.

The Hatters finished the game the



pace on 81 minutes, but drilled a low shot from 25-yards wide of the

Southend could have added a fifth in stoppage time, but Scannell rattled the woodwork with a right footed effort, before Liptak forced Faulds into a fine save with a close range header.

Southend: Collis, Hunt, Herd, Grant, Liptak, Hopkins, Scannell, Moussa, Harrold, Higgins (Henry 79), Lokando

Luton: Faulds, Biggi, Davis (Goodall 46), Hutchison, Hogarth, Beavan, McGuinness (Osborne-Ricketts 46), Nowland, Parkin (Harrison-Barker 68), Charles, Currie

LUTON TOWN YOUTH TEAM

Hatters do themselves proud in QPR encounter



ON FORM. Mark Farthing impressed against QPR Luton came close to upsetting the odds as they were narrowly defeated by league-leaders OPR in a tense encounter at Ely Way.

QPR haven't been beaten in the league all season, and despite the visitors naming a hugely experienced side, it took them until late in the second half to score the only goal of the game.

Luton had matched their opponents in the first-half in the blustery weather conditions and had a number of chances to take the lead.

The Hatters, who were without defender George Beavan and leading scorer Ryan Charles, introduced a number of relatively inexperienced players for this game, including Oliver Cleaver.

And Cummins felt his side were more than a match for the title favourites this season.

"This was a decent game for us against decent opposition. QPR have an excellent youth set-up and this was always

Luton 0 - I QPR HT 0-0

going to be a difficult test for us.

"The weather played a massive part in the game for us, because it was a little windy and the pitch was a little lively.

"QPR are a very physical and strong side. They fielded a much older team than what we did and I thought for the first 45 minutes we more than matched them - I couldn't have been more pleased with our performance.

"We played against the wind in the first half and we restricted them to just one

"I thought that the young lads that came in on the day were more than a match for OPR."

shot. It made the team talk relatively easy at half-time, because we had to keep doing what we were doing.

"The start of the second half was a very even game and I honestly felt we might have enough in the locker to go on and win it.

"However, we conceded after 70 minutes when, after a decent piece of play by their winger allowed him to come inside and score with a cross-cumshot, which deflected in off of one of our players.

"It was disappointing because I thought a draw would have been a fair result, but I wasn't overly disappointed

because the game gave me a chance to put a few of the young lads in.

"We had a couple of big names out, like George Beavan and Ryan Charles, two players who have done exceptionally well for us this season.

"However, with so many of the secondyear players out, I was really delighted with the way we played.

There was particular praise for midfielder Mark Farthing, who has discovered a rich run of form for the youth team in recent weeks.

"I thought Mark Farthing on the day was the pick of the players. He is hitting a bit of form at the moment.

"He has been excellent for us this season. He has a great understanding of the game and always looks confident on the

Cummins is now starting to plan ahead for the new season, and looks set to introduce a number of his younger players in a bid to give them more experience.

"Over the next few weeks you will be seeing some more of the younger lads

"When you're at the top of the league it can make things very difficult because you want to go on and win the division, but getting results is not as important as developing players.

"I thought the young lads that came in on the day were more than a match for

Youthful Hatters get their chance to shine

A youthful Luton Town Under-18's side recorded a creditable I-I draw at Colchester United in the Puma Youth Alliance South East Conference last week-

With decisions made on professional contracts just days earlier, Elliott Osborne-Ricketts was the only second year scholar to feature as boss Chris Cummins starts making preparations for next season.

The team consisted mainly of first year scholars and Under-16 players, whilst 14year-old Ryan Da Silva was also handed his first start.

Mark Farthing headed Luton in front from an Osborne-Ricketts corner on the half hour mark, as the Hatters enjoyed much of the early possession.

Colchester I-I Luton Farthing (30) HT 0-1

But Colchester hit back on 75 minutes to take a share of the spoils.

Billy Gruelich had two wonderful opportunities to win it late on for Luton, but the striker was denied by the U's goal-

However, despite being unable to pick up the victory, it was a performance that Cummins was particularly pleased with.

He said: "It was a great performance. We only had one second year playing, which was Elliott Osbourne-Ricketts, the rest

preparing for next season and have a good look at some lads coming in.

"We have got some good players within our ranks and the ones that are pushing through our system will learn a lot from this experience.

"We tired in the last 15 minutes and they got on top, but generally I was very pleased with the way we played.

"We played some good football at times, and in the first half we controlled large periods of the game which was pleasing."

Luton were hoping to build on this result this morning, when they entertained Brentford, A report of this game will "I think it's important now that I start appear in our next matchday programme.

The current teams who are founder members of the Luton Town Partnership Club scheme are as follows: Club Name Number of Teams Number of Players Dunstable Town Maulden Magnies AFC Kempston Colts H.R. Hatters Potton Lower School AFC Shillington Houghton Athletic St Joseph Youth Leighton United 295 Studham & Kensworth 15 Arlesey Town 180 Bedford Town Colts 75 Luton Dynamos Warden Hill Tigers 75 Luton Town Ladies Wheatsheaf, Flitwick 15 Crawley Green FC 405 Dunstable College Luton United

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STUART SMITH gives us the latest news on our Football League Community Cup













Good afternoon and welcome to this afternoon's game. In recent weeks we have hosted our Local Heats of the third annual Football League Community Cup for Year 6 School Children and also the Football League Under 13 Girls Community Cup.

Both tournaments offer a progressive route Nationally for the Local Winners. The National Final of both Tournaments gives the opportunity for the children to emulate their hero's and play at Wembley Stadium.

Our local Heats of the Community Cup for under 13 Girls saw a closely fought competition with Streetfields Middle and Stopsley High School reaching the competition final. The two schools fought out a thrilling final which ended in a 0 - 0 draw.

The resulting penalty shoot out saw Streetfields progress to the Area Finals at West Bromwich Albion. The girls had the privilege of representing our Football Club and their School whilst wearing Luton Town colours.

The Streetfield girls put up a great fight in this competition and only failed to reach the Semi Finals on goal difference.

Our local heats of the Community Cup for Year 6 children was very well supported, again we were privileged to witness a tournament played in a perfect spirit. Bramingham Primary, Pirton Hill Junior and Streetfields Middle qualified comfortably into the Semi Finals with Ashton Middle also qualifying as best runners up.

From there Bramingham and Ashton performed extremely well in the Semi Finals to make their way into the Final which Bramingham eventually won 2 - 1.

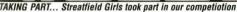
Bramingham Primary now has the opportunity to represent our football club and their school in the Regional Finals at Leyton Orient in April.

I wish them luck and hopefully they can progress still further.

Enjoy the game

Stuart Smith











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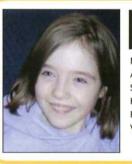
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LUTON LADIES

DAVE BAKER reports on the latest action from the Luton Town Ladies

Three Luton Ladies Youth squads top their leagues thanks to impressive recent victories



QUICK FEET... Amy Summerfield leaves her team mates standing as she goes on the attack

Three of the Town's youth squads now top their various leagues with the most impressive performance coming from the Under 15's who took on last seasons cup final conquerors Tottenham Hotspur.

Luton Under-15's Luton Town 7 - 0 Tottenham Hotspur

The game started evenly and was goalless after 20 minutes, but the Hatters were determined to make sure it didn't stay that way and went on to smash home seven goals without reply, notching up their century of league goals for this season.

Nicola Henman and Leah Maddix both scored twice with further strikes from Helen Brown, a superb volley from Leanne Lizaitis and the 100th goal from Stephanie Anes.

Three wins from the remaining five fixtures should be enough to clinch the title.

Luton Under-14's Luton Town 4 - 0 Peterborough

There has been a remarkable turnaround in the Under 14's fortunes and massive credit must go to the management team of John Wyatt and Ian Moffat, who just 18 months ago, formed a new squad which now tops the league.

The latest in a series of floodlit friendlies took place recently against previously undefeated Peterborough. Once again the team turned in a superb performance comprehensively brushing

their opponents aside in a 4-0 win. Holly Sheridan led the way with a hat trick and Amelia Glean scored the other with a well taken penalty.

Luton Under-14's Luton Town 5 - 0 Fairlands

The table topping victory came against Stevenage based Fairlands in a 5-0 win where Olivia Korenteng fired a hat trick and Maise Wyatt added the other two goals.

Luton Under-II's Luton Town 5 - 0 Garston

Our Under II's are top of their league being pursued by Spurs who have games in hand. A superb I-0 away win over fellow challengers Denham United was followed up by a comprehensive 5-0 win over Garston to keep up the pressure at the top. Goals were scored by Abby Kunert and there were doubles for Rebecca Reeve and Kristie Keyte.

Luton Under-16's Luton Town 2 - 2 Watford

There was also good news for an injury hit Under 16 squad who fell 2-0 behind to rivals Watford but a gutsy second half show saw a recovery which secured a well deserved 2-2 draw with two goals from Shannon Bagshaw.

Luton Reserve's Kent Magpies 2 - 4 Luton Town

The Reserves continued their climb up the league picking up five points in a week with draws against Kent Magpies and Battersea and a 4-2 away win also against the Magpies.

Youth team striker Yasmin Hickling made her senior debut and capped a very promising performance with a goal and there were also goals for Kirsty McIntosh, Rebecca Dimmock and Beth Hedges.

Luton Ladies's Luton Town I - 2 Swindon Town

The First Team suffered their first back to back defeats in memory going down 2-1 and 2-0 to Swindon Town and Plymouth Argyle respectively.

The Swindon defeat was a quarter final tie where the winning goal was not scored until the 92nd minute in a game the Town should have won had they taken their earlier chances. Rebecca Kane scored Luton's goal from a defence splitting pass from Janine Daly but the winner was just too late in the game for a recovery.

Luton Ladies's Luton Town 0 - 2 Plymouth Argyle

Argyle have suffered just a single defeat all season and were comfortably matched by a determined Luton side. But the points went West in a mad defensive five minutes just after the interval.

Town's next fixture is the County Cup final against Bedford Town tomorrow at Arlesey Town with a 2pm kick off.

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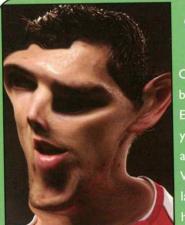
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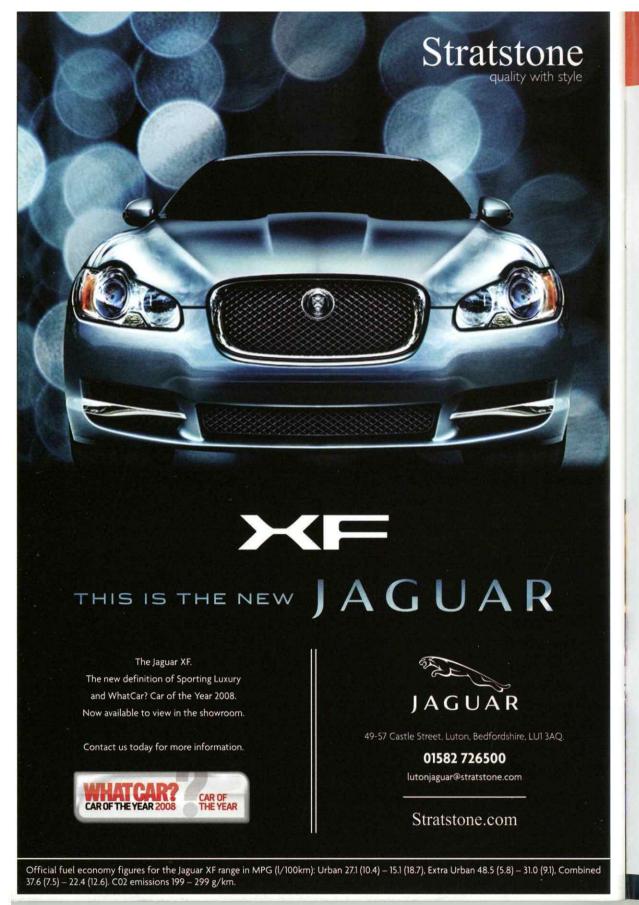
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All answers on Page 65



results from League one

DONCASTER preserved their second place in League One in midweek as they held off plucky Gillingham to win 2-I at the Keepmoat Stadium.

Carlisle are still hot on the heels of Doncaster following their win over the Hatters on Tuesday night, whilst Nottingham Forest and Southend shared the points in the play-off battle at Roots Hall - Forest coming from behind as the game finished I-I.

Performance of the evening must go to Cheltenham who stunned Leeds 2-I at Elland Road to boost their survival hopes.

League leaders Swansea were held I-I at the Liberty Stadium by Tranmere and Oldham carried on their play-off bid with a 2-0 win over lowly Bournemouth.

Crewe Alexandra 0 Port Vale 2

Port Vale registered only their second win in 18 games with a 2-0 victory at the Alexandra Stadium. Paul Harsley opened the scoring with a penalty in the 57th minute before Luke Rodgers sealed the points for the bottom club with nine minutes remaining.

Doncaster Rovers 2 Gillingham I

Doncaster continued their automatic promotion challenge with a 2-1 win over Gillingham at the Keepmoat Stadium.

James Coppinger gave Rovers the lead in the fourth minute when he latched onto Richie Wellens long ball to slip the ball past

LEAGUE ROUND-UP

Paul Heffernan doubled the home side's lead when he converted from the spot three

Bygrave had handled in the box.

The Gills pulled one back after Adam Miller's corner was dropped by Neil Sullivan and Andrew Crofts was on hand to turn the ball in from close range in the 56th minute.

minutes into the second half after Adam

Hartlepool United 2 Huddersfield Town I

Sam Collins and Michael Mackay struck as Hartlepool beat Huddersfield at Victoria Park.

Collins made it two goals in two games when he converted on 30 minutes before Mackay doubled their advantage five minutes into the second half.

Nathan Clarke (64) pulled one back for the Terriers but the hosts held on as the move up to mid-table.

Leeds United I Cheltenham Town 2

Cheltenham's survival bid was given a timely boost as the Robins recorded a superb 2-1 win at Elland Road. David Bird (38) and Alex Russell (63) put the visitors 2-0 ahead before Anthony Elding pulled one back with five minutes remaining.

Leyton Orient 2 Swindon Town I

Adam Boyd scored two goals in four minutes as Leyton Orient saw off Swindon at the Matchroom Stadium. An Alton Thelwell own goal gave the Robins a 20th minute lead before

Boyd's second-half brace stole the points.

Oldham Athletic 2 Bournemouth 0

A Neal Eardley brace inflicted more agony on relegation-bound Bournemouth at Boundary Park. The Latics full-back made it four goals in four games as he struck two penalties in the 24th and 80th minute.

Southend I Nottingham Forest I

Hal Robson-Kanu's first goal for Southend wasn't enough to claim the points as Steve Tilson's men were held at home by play-off chasing rivals Nottingham Forest at Roots Hall. The onloan winger put the home side ahead in the 20th minute before Matt Thornhill (65) rescued a point for Colin Calderwood's men.

Swansea City I Tranmere Rovers I

Chris Greenacre's stoppage-time goal earned Tranmere a point at high-flying Swansea. Alan Tate struck two minutes before half-time to give the league leaders the lead before Greenacre arrived late on to claim the visitors a share of the spoils.

Walsall I Brighton & Hove Albon 2

Anthony Gerrard went from hero to villain as Brighton condemned Walsall to back-to-back defeats at the Banks's Stadium.

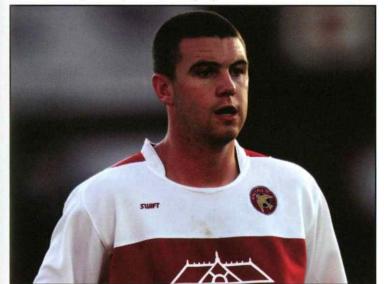
Gerrard put Richard Money's play-off chasing side ahead on the 29th minute but ended up inadvertently netting the Seagulls' winner with 11 minutes r emaining.

Nicky Forster's 15th goal of the season levelled things up on 34 minutes before Gerrard's misjudgement sealed the win. The hosts finished the game with 10 men as substitute Richard Taundry was shown a red card in injury-time.

Yeovil Town 0 Millwall I

Bas Savage struck with 20 minutes remaining as Millwall made it two wins out of two with an impressive win at Huish Park.

The victory moves the Lions seven points away from the relegation zone.



HERO TO VILAIN... Anthony Gerrard scored one and an own goal for Walsall



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TODAY'S MATCHES

The Easter Holiday programme just around the corner sees everyone playing back-to-back games in quick succession.

SWANSEA (1st) have seen a blip in form over recent weeks having lost to MILLWALL (18th) and only picking up a draw at home against TRANMERE (9th) in midweek.

And they once again face another difficult game this weekend with a trip to in-form NORTHAMPTON TOWN (12th), who are making a late surge for the play-offs.

The Cobblers have lost just once in their last 12 games, and at Sixfields have gone nine games without a defeat.

The chasing pack for the League One title all have tough encounters this weekend. CARLISLE'S (3rd) form at home has been impressive having gone 14 games unbeaten at Brunton Park, but they will look to try and rediscover their form on the road with a trip to SWINDON (14th) this afternoon.

And DONCASTER ROVERS (2nd), are also on the road as they face a



SCORER... Luke Rodgers scored for Vale

FORM GUIDE

ay programme tricky trip to BRIGHTON (11th).

Doncaster have shown plenty of good form on the road this season having lost just once in their last 14 League games.

Elsewhere, the City Ground will host a massive encounter this afternoon with NOTTINGHAM FOREST (4th), taking on WALSALL (5th).

Earlier in the season, Forest had hopes of winning automatic promotion, but their wayward form means they are ten points off the automatic promotion places.

Forest have won only three of their last I I games in League One whilst Walsall, who have surprised many with their form this season, have lost their last two games.

LEEDS (7th), who have only managed two wins under the regime of new boss Gary McAllister, will fancy their chances of keeping the pressure on the play-off pack when they make the trip to bottom club PORT VALE (24th).

However, Vale will be boosted by their 2-0 win at CREWE (20th) in midweek as goals from Paul Harsley and Luke Rodgers secured their first victory in 11 games.

After their fine FA Cup run came to an end last weekend, BRISTOL ROVERS (16th) will be hoping for a late run to lift them into the playoffs. The Pirates have got four games in hand over some teams in the division, and victory over CHELTENHAM (19th), could spearhead a charge for the playoffs.

Millwall have rediscovered their form at the right time in the season having recorded back-to-back wins in League One. They take on LEYTON ORIENT (10th), who have struggled away from Brisbane Road with just one win in their last nine.

TODAY'S LEAGUE ONE FIXTURES

Bournemouth v Yeovil
Brighton v Doncaster
Cheltenham v Bristol R
Gillingham v Crewe
Huddersfield v Southend
Millwall v Leyton Orient
Northampton v Swansea
Nottm Forest v Walsall
Port Vale v Leeds
Swindon v Carlisle
Tranmere v Hartlepool

HOME FORM TABLE

	Last :	SIX LE	eagu	e gar	nes			
	W	D	Ľ	F	A	GD	Pts	
Carlisle	6	0	0	10	3	7	18	
Hartlepool	5	0	1	17	7	10	15	
Doncaster	5	0	1	9	6	3	15	
Brighton	4	2	0	1.1	4	7	14	
Southend	4	2	0	9	4	5	14	
Oldham	4	1	1	12	5	7	13	
Nottm Forest	4	1	1	9	2	7	13	
Swansea	4	1	- 1	8	5	3	13	
Northampton	3	3	0	9	2	7	12	
Bristol Rovers	3	2	1	8	- 5	3	11	
Cheltenham	3	2	1	6	4	2	1.1	
Tranmere	3	1	2	7	5	2	10	
Swindon	3	1	2	9	8	- 1	10	
Bournemouth	3	1	2	11.	11	0	10	
Gillingham	2	3	1	4	1	3	9	
Huddersfield	3	0	3	5	6	-1,	9	
Walsall	2	2	2	7	7	0	8	
Millwall	2	1	3	7	8	-1	7	
Leyton Orient	2	1	3	6	7	-1	7	
Yeovil	2	1	3	3	7	-4	7	
Leeds	1	2	3	5	7	-2	5	
Port Vale	1	2	3	7	12	-5	5	
Crewe	0	4	2	3	6	-3	4	
LLITON	0	2	4	2	9	-6	2	

AWAY FORM TABLE

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	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts
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Swansea	3	2	1	10	5	5	11
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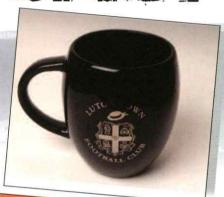




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ROGER WASH looks at every post-war

Christopher (Chris) Alan WILLMOTT

Bedford born Chris joined Luton from school and after working his way up through the ranks at Kenilworth Road suddenly found himself thrust into the first team following the Hatter's double sale of Graham Alexander and Steve Davis in 1999.

A tall and powerful defender, Chris filled in reliably at either full-back or centre-half for the remainder of the 1998/99 campaign before an amazing £350,000 bid came in from Premiership Wimbledon that summer which was too good to turn down.

Chris could never carve out a regular place in the Dons team and came back to Luton for two loan spells in 2003 before making a permanent move to Northampton where he enjoyed greater success. Chris is now at Conference side Oxford United.



Daniel (Danny) Joseph WILSON

Wigan born Danny started his football career with Bury before moving to Chesterfield where his strong, forceful midfield performances caught the eye of Nottingham Forest manager Brian Clough, leading to a transfer in January 1983.

Surprisingly, Danny did not settle at the City Ground and switched to Brighton but returned to the top flight when he became Luton manager Ray Harford's first major signing in the summer of 1987.

Slotting straight into the side, Northern Ireland international Danny was virtually ever present over the next three seasons with his all action displays as the Hatters made four trips to Wembley, appeared in an F.A.Cup semi-final and diced with the threat of relegation.



After spells with Sheffield Wednesday and Barnsley, Danny settled into management and is currently in the hot seat at Hartlepool.

James (Jim) Allan WILSON

Hailing from Musselburgh, Jim turned out as an amateur for Peterborough whilst serving in the RAF during the war. After demobilisation he signed professional forms with Posh, then in the Midland League, and was then spotted by Luton scouts leading to him moving to Kenilworth Road for a sizeable fee and the promise of a friendly match.

Although making his League debut for the Hatters in 1947/48, the quick and tenacious full-back, who could play on either flank, enjoyed a long run in the side in the following campaign before losing out to the consistent pairing of Billy Cooke and Bud Aherne.

lim moved on to Northampton in 1951 and then had a short spell at Chesterfield before settling back in Scotland where he died in 1997.

Marc David WILSON

Belfast born Marc joined Portsmouth from school and soon earned a reputation as a talented midfielder, comfortable on the ball with an eye for goal.

After a spell on loan at Yeovil in March 2006 which lasted only two games, Marc enjoyed a much longer run at Bournemouth starting in lanuary 2007 which ran to the end of the season by which time he had notched up 19 appearances and scored three goals.

Although Bournemouth would have loved to have kept him, Pompey would not sell but after a further spell in the reserves at Fratton Park he was sent out on loan once more, this time to Luton.



After making his debut for the Hatters in a 0-0 draw at Walsall in November 2007, Marc went on to make four starts, and was only on the losing side once, before returning to the south coast.

player to have appeared for THE HATTERS in the Football League

Robert James WILSON

After joining his local club Fulham from school in 1977 and then signing professional forms two years later, Robert was converted into an attacking midfielder from full-back and enjoyed five successful seasons at Craven Cottage during which time he helped his side from Division Three to the brink of Division One. Surprisingly transferred to Millwall in 1985, Robert only lasted a year at the Den before he rejoined his old manager Ray Harford at Luton for £40,000. Despite scoring on his home debut Robert soon lost his place to Mark Stein and for the rest of his stay at Kenilworth Road was used as a utility man in a variety of positions none of which he made his own.

Robert moved back to Fulham in 1987 and then enjoyed stays at Huddersfield, Rotherham and several non-League clubs before taking up a position at Huddersfield in their youth development office.

Robert (Robbie) WINTERS

Robbie had been plying his trade in Scotland for ten years before accepting the chance to try his luck south of the border at Luton, but he then saw only 45 minutes of action at Kenilworth Road!

Starting with Dundee United in 1992, Robbie soon earned a reputation as a brave and forceful striker which won him a big money move to Aberdeen where he became a prolific scorer, although his most memorable performance came in the Scottish FA Cup final of 2000 when he replaced injured goalkeeper Jim Leighton after two minutes and conceded four goals as Rangers romped home 4-0.

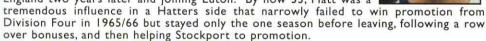


By now a Scottish international, Robbie came to loe Kinnear's Luton in August 2002 but played only the first half of the opening day defeat at the hands of Peterborough without making an impact. He then decided on a complete change of scene and joined Brann in Norway who he still turns out for.

Maurice (Matt) WOODS

Matt started off at Everton in 1947 but after nine years at Goodison and only eight League appearances he moved to Blackburn for £6,000.Immediately becoming a mainstay in the heart of the Rovers defence, Matt helped his new side to promotion to the top flight in his first full season and was generally reckoned to be the best un-capped centre-half of his era showing superb timing and power in the air allied to fine organisational and leadership skills.

Matt eventually left Ewood Park in 1963 for a spell in Australia. where he finally won international honours, before coming back to England two years later and joining Luton. By now 33, Matt was a



Matt later managed Stockport before becoming an HGV driver. He now lives in Cheadle in retirement.

Jamie Marcus WOODSFORD

Ipswich born lamie joined Luton from school and made his way up through the youth ranks at Kenilworth Road before signing professional forms in March 1995. A quick and clever striker, lamie made his League debut coming on as substitute in a 1-0 win at Port Vale in September 1994 and with an England Youth international call-up following swiftly afterwards his career seemed set. Sadly, Jamie could not then manage to push his way into the League eleven on a regular basis and despite being loaned out to Portadown for first team experience he was eventually forced to accept the inevitable.

Jamie now works for Royal Mail.





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the ground on your right.

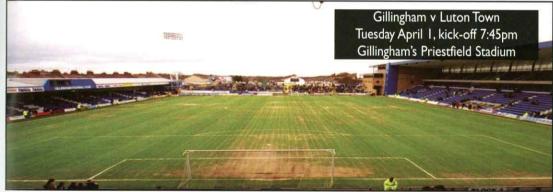
Parking: Street parking can be found on the small estate on your left just past the ground.

Pubs: It is best to grab a beer around London Bridge before moving onto the ground. There are bars at the back of the stands that serve alcohol as well as some decent food such as chicken and chips.

Town on Tour will be leaving Maple Road at 12noon. The fare for LTSC members is £10, concessions £9 and non-members £12. To book seats for this

trip, visit the supporters kiosk or phone 07960 567465. You can book online by visiting the Fans section of www.lutontown.co.uk or via www.lutontownsc.co.uk

The Bobbers Travel Club will depart from Cranfield at 11am and Luton at 12noon. Cost for this trip is £12 adults and £10 child and OAP. Supporters wishing to book their place for this trip should visit the Bobbers Travel Kiosk at the back of the Kenilworth Road end of the ground, or telephone 01234 856542.



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will mean driving a bit further away to do so. There is also a pay and display car park (£1 for 3 hours) on Railway Street near Gillingham station, which is less than 10 mins walk from the ground.

Pubs: The 'Livingstone Arms' on Gillingham Road is known as an away supporters pub. The atmosphere within the pub is both warm and friendly and there is even complimentary bar food laid on for fans.

Town on Tour will be leaving Maple Road at 4pm with a pickup at the MK Coachway approximately 30mins later. The fare for LTSC members is £15, concessions £13 and non-members £17.

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LUTON TOWN V CHELTENHAM TOWN

Saturday March 22, 2008 League One 3pm

Tickets are now on sale at normal pre-matchday prices.

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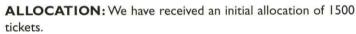
MILLWALL V LUTON TOWN

Monday March 24, 2008 League One 3pm

Tickets are now on General Sale from the Ticket Office.

Tickets will remain on sale until kick-off on Saturday March 22.

This game is ALL TICKET, no tickets will be available on the day of the game.



TICKET PRICES:

Adult £20, Seniors (over 65) £13, Under 16's £11, Under 12's (accompanied by an adult with ticket) £8, Wheelchair disabled (with a carer free of charge) £20



LUTON TOWN v CREWE ALEXANDRA

Saturday March 29, 2008 League One 3pm

Tickets are now on sale at normal pre-matchday prices.



TICKET OFFICE OPENING HOURS

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Good Friday March 21st: 10am to 2pm Easter Saturday: Normal Home matchday hours Easter Monday: Closed.



Tuesday April 1, 2008 League One 7:45pm

Tickets are now on General Sale from the Ticket Office.

Tickets will remain on sale until 12noon on Tuesday April 1.

Tickets can be purchased on the night of the game via cash turnstiles although there will be a £3 increase on all tickets.

ALLOCATION: We have received an initial allocation of 1000 tickets.

TICKET PRICES:

Adult £17, Seniors (over 65) £12, Young Adult (16-21 years old) £11, Juniors (under 16) £9, Ambulant/Wheelchair disabled (with a carer free of charge) £17

Please note that tickets purchased for the original fixture on Tuesday February 12 2008 remain valid.



NORTHAMPTON TOWN V LUTON TOWN

Saturday April 5, 2008 League One 3pm

Tickets are now on General Sale from the Ticket Office.

Tickets will remain on sale until 12 noon on Friday April 4.

This game is ALL TICKET, no tickets will be available on the day o the game.

ALLOCATION: We have received an initial allocation of 900 tickets.

TICKET PRICES:

Adult £22, Seniors (over 60) and Students (ID required) £18, Under 16's £15, Under 7's FREE.

Disabled £16, Junior Disabled £13 (carer free of charge)



LUTON TOWN V BRIGHTON

Saturday April 12, 2008 League One 3pm

Tickets are now on sale at normal pre-matchday prices.



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Sat Aug 11	HARTLEPOOL UNITED	Н	2-1	8,013	608	3
Tue Aug 14	Dagenham & Redbridge (CCI)	Α	2-1	1,754	397	-
Sat Aug 18	Swindon Town	Α	1-2	7,520	1,013	10
Sat Aug 25	GILLINGHAM	Н	3-1	6,178	508	4
Tues Aug 28	SUNDERLAND (CC2)	Н	3-0	4,401	787	(*)
Sat Sept 1	Leeds United	Α	0-1	26,856	tbc	7
Tues Sept 4	NORTHAMPTON (JPT1)	Н	2-0	2,532	373	-
Sat Sept 8	BRISTOL ROVERS	Н	1-2	6,131	564	11
Fri Sept 14	Tranmere Rovers	Α	1-2	6,525	252	17
Sat Sept 22	PORT VALE	Н	2-1	6,084	138	13
Tues Sept 25	CHARLTON ATH (CC3)	Н	3-1(aet)	4,534	776	
Sat Sept 29	Huddersfield Town	Α	0-2	9,028	543	16
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	Yeovil Town			4,848	tbc	17
Sat Oct 6	DONCASTER ROVERS	Н	1-1	6,513	472	17
Tue Oct 9	Gillingham (JPT2)	A	3-4	1,417	101	-
Mon Oct 15	NORTHAMPTONTOWN	Н	4-1	5,881	420	14
Sat Oct 20	Crewe Alexandra	Α	0-2	4,490	435	15
Sat Oct 27	NOTTINGHAM FOREST	H	2-1	8,524	1,800	13
Wed Oct 31	EVERTON (CC4)	Н	0-1(aet)	8,944	1,777	-
Sat Nov 3	Brighton	Α	1-3	5,317	tbc	15
Tue Nov 6	CARLISLE UNITED	Н	0-0	5,462	408	17
Sat Nov 10	BRENTFORD: FA Cup I	Н	1-1	4,167	789	
Sat Nov 17	Walsall	A	0-0	5,056	510	17
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Tue Dec 4	Oldham Athletic	A	1-1	4,251	176	22
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Fri Dec 14	Cheltenham Town	Α	0-1	3,702	355	23
Sat Dec 22	TRANMERE ROVERS	Н	1-0	6,070	235	22
Wed Dec 26	Bristol Rovers	Α	1-1	7,556	413	23
Sat Dec 29	Port Vale	Α	2-1	4,224	579	22
Tue Jan I	YEOVIL TOWN	Н	1-0	6,811	392	21
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Sat Jan 12	SWANSEA CITY	Н	1-3	6,756	827	22
Tues Jan 15	Liverpool: FA Cup 3 Rep	Α	0-5	41,446	5,716	-
Sat Jan 19	Leyton Orient	A	1-2	5,516	1,023	22
Tues Jan 22	Bournemouth	A	3-4	3,489	232	22
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Sat Jan 26				9,297		
Tue Jan 29	SWINDON TOWN	Н	0-1	5,738	325	23
Sat Feb 2	Hartlepool United	A	0-4	3,913	228	23
Sat Feb 9	AFC BOURNEMOUTH	Н	1-4	5,897	387	22
Sat Feb 16	LEYTON ORIENT	Н	0-1	6,412	1,086	22
Fri Feb 22	Swansea City	Α	0-1	14,122	206	22
Tues Feb 26	MILLWALL	Н	1-1	6,417	755	22
Sat Mar I	WALSALL	Н	0-1	6,157	575	23
Sat Mar 8	Southend United	Α	0-2	8,241	455	23
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Mon Mar 24	Millwall	************	15:00			
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Tues Apr 1	Gillingham	A	19:45			
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QUIZ ANSWERS

BIT OF A BLUR Stewart Downing

10 TO TEST YOU 1) Norwegian, 2) Barcelona, 3) Roma, 4) Preston, 5) Oldham Athletic, 6) Steve McManaman, 7) Theo Walcott, 8) Jimmy Greaves, 9) 3, 10) Bobby Moore

BADGE BODGE Top: Barnsley and Southampton. Bottom: QPR and Hartlepool.

LETTERS PLAY Luton player: George Beavan. Team's nickname: Saddlers (Walsall). Premiership manager: Kevin Keegan (Newcastle United). League One ground: City Ground (Nottingham Forest). Luton legend: Bob Morton

Goalscorers in Capitals & bold. Denotes player booked Denotes player sent off First Substitute Second Substitute Second Substitute OG Denotes of Point Trophy Carling Cup Fixture Shorts Sky Sports

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Saturday March 22, 2008 League One Kick-Off 3pm

Luton Town v CHELTENHAM TOWN

Cheltenham are like so many other teams who have come up from non-league football, making an instant impression in the Football League.

Since Cheltenham were promoted to the Football League in 1999, the Club have showed no signs of heading back through the non-league trap door and have gained plenty of success along the way

During the 2001-02 season, they enjoyed promotion success in the League Two play-offs, beating old rivals Rushden & Diamonds in a thrilling final at the Millennium Stadium.

Although they were relegated a year later, the Robins were determined to preserve their Football League status and their hard work paid off, when in the 2005-06 season, they returned to League One with another play-off success, this time beating Grimsby I-0 in the final.

Although this season is turning out to be a repeat of the previous season, where the Club are fighting for their League One survival, you can only be impressed by the work being done at Whaddon Road.

Cheltenham's season has been eventful to say the least. In October, the Club's fears that manager John Ward would leave came to reality when he moved north to join Carlisle United.

At the time, supporters feared the worst as Ward had brought much success to an inexperienced squad, that were struggling to cope with the demands of League One football.

Some saw it as a gamble when Cheltenham appointed Keith Downing as their new boss, who had worked alongside Ward as his assistant.

But Downing is impressing on a shoestring budget at Whaddon Road and has built a squad in his short reign in charge that are capable of staying in League One next season.

Most recently, the Club have brought in well travelled midfielder Chris Armstrong as well as securing loan deals of Bristol City pair Steve Brooker and Alex Russell.

The bright spot for Cheltenham has been the form of youngster Stephen Gillespie, a former Liverpool trainee who recently had a loan spell with Bristol City.

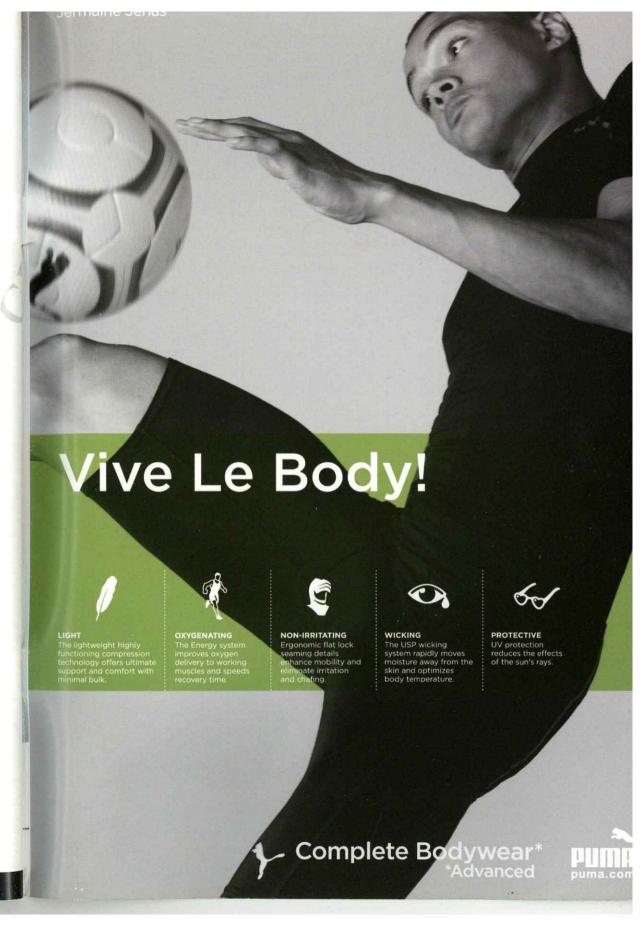
The striker is already attracting plenty of interest from clubs around the country and has impressed with his 10 goals this

At the back is the experienced Alan Wright, who enjoyed a successful eight year stay at Aston Villa earlier in his career.



Head 2 head

	Luton	Draw Cheltenham				
League	2	2				
FA Cup	0	0	0			
League Cup	0	0	0			
Other	0	0	0			
TOTAL	2 (40%)	2 (40%)	l (20%)			



The line-ups

Luton Town

Manager: Mick Harford
Colours: White shirts, black
shorts

PI Sc

- I Dean Brill
- 3 Alan Goodall
- 4 Don Hutchison
- 5 Chris Perry
- 7 Dean Morgan
- 8 David Bell
- 9 Sam Parkin
- 10 Darren Currie
- II Paul Peschisolido
- 12 Richard Jackson ■
- 14 Steve Robinson
- I5 Stephen O'Leary ■
- 17 Lewis Emanuel
- 19 Drew Talbot
- 20 Calvin Andrew
- 21 Keith Keane
- 22 Richard Langley
- 24 Paul Underwood ■
- 25 Matthew Spring
- 26 Sol Davis
- 28 Paul McVeigh
- 29 Paul Furlong
- 32 Ryan Charles
- 35 Marlon Beresford ■
- 37 George Beavan

Oldham Athletic

Manager: John Sheridan
Colours: Blue shirts and blue

PI Sc

- I Mark Crossley □□
- 2 Neal Eardley

shorts

- 3 David Livermore \square \square
- 4 JP Kalala
- 5 John Thompson
- 6 Stefan Stam
- 7 Jordan Robertson
- 8 Mark Allott
- 9 Lee Hughes
- 10 Craig Davies
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- 19 Michael Pearson 🗆 🗆
- 22 Andy Liddell
- 24 Deane Smalley 🔲 🔾
- 25 Lewis Alessandra 🗆 🗅
- 26 Ashley Kelly
- 30 Leon Constantine
- 31 Josh Bell
- 32 Paul Black
- 42 Aaron Chalmers 🗆 🗅

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Assistant: M D Rowley

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4th Official: J D A Hopkins

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