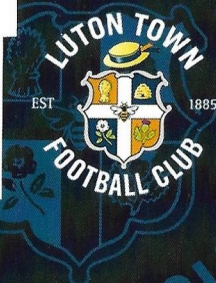


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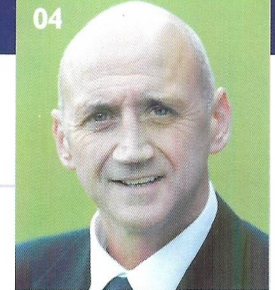
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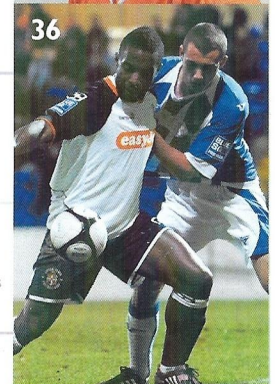
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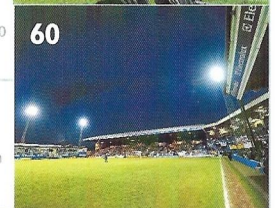
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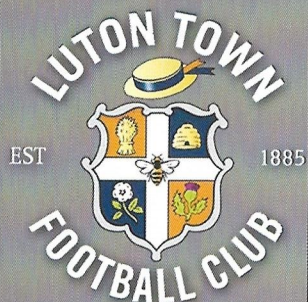
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MONEY TALKS

Good evening and welcome to Kenilworth Road to tonight's FA Cup replay against Rotherham United.

I would like to extend a warm welcome to Ronnie Moore, his assistant Jimmy Mullen, the players, supporters and officials of Rotherham for this much anticipated tie.

I know Ronnie and Jimmy extremely well and like them both but that will all be put to one side tonight for 90 minutes at least.

Cup matches under the Kenilworth Road floodlights have always had their own special unique atmosphere and tonight will be no different as two teams go head-to-head to face Southampton in the third round.

The objectives of clubs at our level and in Leagues 1 and 2 is to reach the third round of the FA Cup and a lot has been made about the potential tie in the next round.

While many people were disappointed that we could not draw one of the big clubs, we should be pleased that we have not been drawn away against a side where the surroundings are not so glamorous where we face a really tough test.

I think a game against Southampton at St Mary's probably lies in between. They still hold the status of a big club who weren't so long ago plying their trade in the Premier League.

We have been disappointed with the past two results in the league that have seen us take one point from a possible six available.

However, I have seen plenty in those two matches to fill me with confidence going into the second half of the season.

Bizarrely I think the goal we conceded against Kettering has burst our bubble and doused a wave of optimism very quickly.

It's a times like these that we have to stick together and we realise that 6,500 people at Kenilworth Road on a Wednesday night in the Blue Square Premier is remarkable and believe me, myself and the players hugely appreciated your loyal backing.

I can guarantee you we have a group of players at this Club, a management team, people in charge and people behind the scenes who are working their socks off to get this club back where it belongs as soon as possible.

We have only lost one game in seven and I genuinely think that in five-and-a-half games we have seen some very good performances.

On another day we would have beaten Kettering and on another day we could have been Chester.

We all know we could have won both and are disappointed, but we mustn't dwell on these set-backs and focus on the positives.

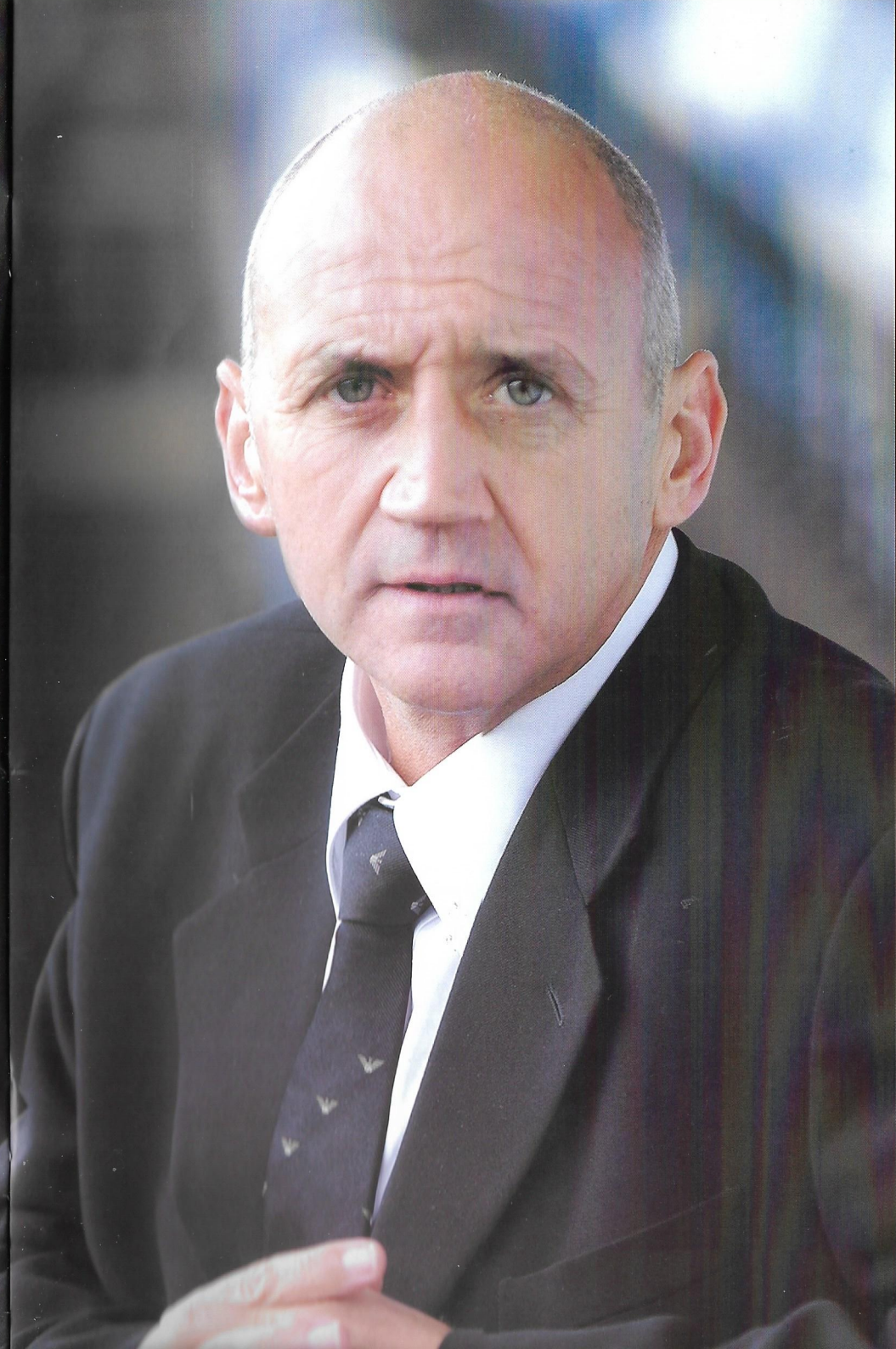
I have a clear way of how I want us to play in my mind. We're not there yet but I have seen signs of development and improvement since I took control.

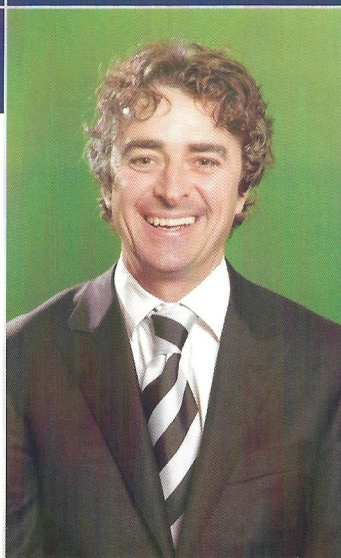
Nothing will happen overnight but we're getting there. I think we will come on strong once the players have tuned-in and everyone is available selection which we nearly are at.

The players are fully committed to this cause and they appreciate the support you give them home and away each week.

They understand that when people criticise it's just frustration and anger. It's up to us to make sure it doesn't affect us.

Enjoy the game tonight and keep up your magnificent support.





2020 MISSION

DIRECTOR ANTONY BROWN LOOKS BACK ON OUR RICH HISTORY IN THE FA CUP



A warm welcome to Kenilworth Road for tonight's FA Cup replay against League 2 high flyers Rotherham United.

We welcome the fans, players and staff from Rotherham who have made the long journey south for tonight's encounter.

After an evenly fought game at Rotherham last week I am sure we are in for an exciting game under the floodlights tonight. Both teams approached the first game in the right manner and I'm sure that will continue this evening.

A trip to Southampton awaits the winners and the financial rewards that go with that tie will, I'm sure, be most welcome for tonight's victors.

Throughout the history of the FA Cup, rightly labelled the greatest

cup competition in the world, we have enjoyed some memorable cup runs.

A final appearance in 1959, which our Chairman fondly remembers, followed by semi-final appearances in 1985, 1988 and 1994 have cemented our history within the competition.

And who could forget the great cup run in 1993/94?

Narrow 1-0 winners at home to Southend in the third round we were drawn in the fourth round away to Premier League Newcastle United.

A certain Tony Thorpe, on his full debut, smashed in a 30-yard goal, only to be pegged back by a last minute penalty by Peter Beardsley.

So we went back to Kenilworth Road for a cup replay under the

floodlights which produced another memorable game with the Hatters running out eventual winners 2-0, with goals by Scott Oakes and a young John Hartson.

Cardiff were dispatched in the next round with consummate ease, with a goal from one of my favourite players from that era, the vastly underrated David Preece. Again a Premiership team awaited in the next round, this time we were drawn away to West Ham.

After a 0-0 draw, the prospect of another exhilarating cup replay didn't disappoint in what was to be the game of the competition that year.

West Ham took the lead through a Martin Allen goal, only to be overshadowed by an absolutely superb hat-trick from Scott Oakes.

I remember coming out of the ground listening to West Ham fans saying the difference between the teams was Scott Oakes. Now that was an understatement!

We were eventually knocked out in the semi-final at Wembley to Chelsea in what was another memorable cup run for the Club.

In more recent times, the two games against Liverpool deserve a mention.

Who could forget the encounter in 2005/06, in front of a live TV audience, where we raced into a deserved 3-1 lead. An over enthusiastic Ian Wright in the studio urged the home side on!

Of course the game will be remembered for the Xavi Alonso goal from the halfway line, but my lasting memory from the game was seeing Rowan Vine make a mockery of England international Jamie

Carragher on several occasions!

The second recent FA Cup game with Liverpool will live long in the memory of all connected with the 2020 group. After drawing 1-1 at Kenilworth Road, and despite still being in administration, over 5,000 Hatters fans travelled north for the replay.

Despite losing the replay 5-0 the day was marked by 2020 being officially announced as the preferred bidder for the club.

Walking into Anfield, with 5,000 fans out-singing the Kop, made the hairs on the back of your neck stand up and the reality set in that we were soon to be the custodians of a proud and respected heritage.

More recently, I'd like to take this opportunity in welcoming two new signings to Kenilworth Road. Ashley Cain has joined on an initial one

month's loan deal from Coventry having worked with and impressed Kirk Stephens over the past few years.

We also welcome the first major signing under the stewardship of Richard Money in Matthew Barnes-Homer.

Matthew is a player who we monitored last year and when Richard re-ignited the interest, the board were only too happy to back the manager's judgement. We all wish Matthew well and hope he continues to progress here at Luton.

Enjoy tonight's game in what we hope will be another enthralling night under the floodlights where we will write yet another chapter in the proud history of Luton Town.

Join me in getting behind the team tonight!

Antony

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KEVIN NICHOLLS

The defeat against Kettering was a hugely disappointing result despite what we thought was a decent performance.

However, at the end of the day, it is football matches we want to be winning and this game is a results-based business so we've got to start to turning our superiority into goals and victories if we are to succeed this season.

It would have been an entirely different game had we taken our chances and we believed we could have been out of sight by the time they scored what turned out to be the winner.

At Kenilworth Road we seem to be getting punished far too often and are leaking too many goals which we have to iron out quickly because it is damaging our form in the league.

You only have to look at the games where we have dropped points at home to realise the extent of this with defeats to Stevenage, Rushden and Kettering and draws against York, Cambridge and Chester.

We drew with Chester for the second time this season on Saturday and I must take my hat off to them for standing up to us and earning a point after they were reduced to 10 men before half-time. They had a very young side who were determined not lose. On the day we felt it was going to take a lucky goal for us to win the points.

It was obviously frustrating not to turn all our possession into goals but we have got to keep going. We've found all season that it's been difficult to break teams down, especially at Kenilworth Road, but we're used to it now so there's no excuses.

It is up to us to now try and rectify our form at home starting with a positive result tonight against Rotherham United. It would be a great start with our next three league fixtures all at Kenilworth Road over the busy Christmas period.

Tonight's game, however, it won't be easy as we found out at the Don Valley Stadium 10 days ago. They are a good side and currently occupy a position in League 2's top three so we have to respect them.

The carrot has been dangled with a trip to Southampton awaiting the winners so tonight's game should make for entertaining and cut and thrust cup football.

We're all aware of the great atmosphere created on nights like this so get behind the lads and enjoy the game.

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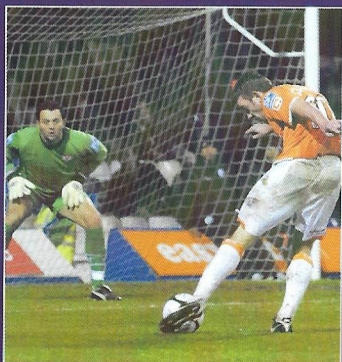




HATTERS NEWS

ALL THE LATEST FROM AROUND KENILWORTH ROAD

WEDNESDAY 2ND DECEMBER



The Town are beaten by a second half strike by Kettering Town winger Ritchie Partridge at Kenilworth Road in the Blue Square Premier.

In a game of few chances the closest the Hatters came during a disappointing 90 minutes was when Claude Gnakpa's right-wing cross was parried onto the crossbar by the Poppies' player/manager Lee Harper.

SATURDAY 5TH DECEMBER

Despite playing against 10 men for 48 minutes the Town fail to punish Chester City as they are held to a goalless draw against the Blue Square Premier's bottom side.

The Blues' right-back Kevin Roberts was the man dismissed three minutes before the interval after he hauled back Matthew Barnes-Homer.

After huffing and puffing the Hatters could not break the deadlock.

BIRTHDAY WISHES

Happy birthday to two generations of Town fans in the Goodman family today.

Philip is 56 while Margaret is celebrating her 79th birthday today. Both have been supporters of the Hatters all their life and have been season ticket holders of many years.

Enjoy the game love from all the family.

Happy 18th Birthday to Alice Osborne love from your boyfriend Craig Atkinson.

HONEST SUPPORTER

Following the original game between at the Don Valley Stadium we received this email from Mark Allen on behalf of his father Dave:

"Can I please put a thank-you message out to the Luton fan who found my Dad's wallet after the Rotherham v Luton FA Cup match.

"The prompt action of the supporter to hand it in to the Police meant that by the time we had left the ground and walked to the away coaches there was a senior Police Officer asking Luton supporters if any had lost a wallet which turned out to be my Dad's.

"All the contents were still inside including £100 in cash and we would both like to say a big thank you to honest fan who handed it in."

BOBBERS CLUB CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

The Luton Bobbers Club are holding a raffle to raise some much needed funds to keep them going.

Draw tickets are on sale now to win some great prizes, including an LCD 19-inch Phillips digital colour television, digital DAB/FM portable radio, an Eric Morecambe book, DVDs and many other prizes.

Tickets cost just 50p per strip or three for £1. The Draw will take place on Monday 28th December before the Eastbourne Borough match in the Bobbers Club.

Christmas is coming, so why not take a visit there before or after any home game for some great atmosphere, a drink and chat with other Hatters supporters.

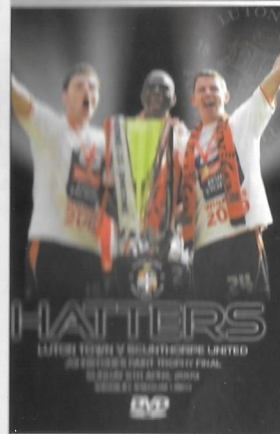
LIFT TO LUTON MATCHES

We have had a request from two die-hard fans that have travelled in the past to most home and away games but now not having their own transport they would like to be able to liaise with any Luton supporters in the Cranfield area near Bedford, that could give them a lift to either Luton or if not there to Flitwick railway station where they could catch a train to Luton.

If anyone can help, contact Peter and Simon on (01234) 750001.

IT'S YOUR PAGE

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If there's a song you want hear then get in touch at the email address at the top of the page.

HATTERSDIARY

WEDNESDAY 9TH DECEMBER

The Hatters' reserves are back in action in the totesport.com Combination when they entertain local rivals Watford.

The game will take place at Barton Rovers' Sharpenhoe Road ground at 7pm

SATURDAY 12TH DECEMBER

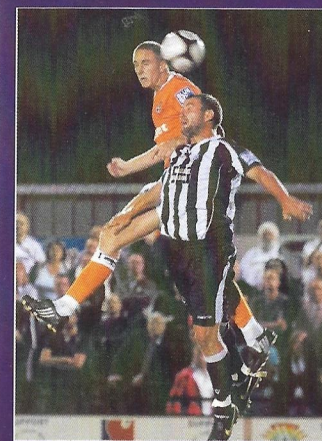
After a 4-3 victory in September and a 2-2 draw last month, the Hatters take on Cambridge United for the third time this season when they face the U's in the first round of the FA Trophy.

It will be the Town's first match in the competition in their history. Kick-off at the Abbey Stadium is at 12.30pm

SATURDAY 19TH DECEMBER

The Town are back in Blue Square Premier action when Forest Green Rovers make their first ever first to Kenilworth Road.

A goal from Tom Craddock was enough to give the Hatters the points when the two sides met last August. Kick-off 3pm.





ROTHERHAM UNITED

WE TAKE A LOOK AT TONIGHT'S VISITORS



After finishing in 17th place in the Championship in 2004 the Millers have endured two relegations and docked a total of 37 points – 17 of which were deducted at the beginning of last season.

Following a rock-bottom finish in the Championship in 2005, Rotherham just survived in League 1 the following season finishing two points clear of relegated Hartlepool and MK Dons.

However, after being deducted 10 points after applying for a CVA to save the club from liquidation in the 2006/07, the Millers were relegated to League 2 ending up 13 points from safety.

Rotherham's financial troubles continued in the following campaign but, after entering administration again and being docked another 10 points, they ended up finishing in a creditable ninth place, 14 points shy of the Play-Offs.

More points deductions followed last season when they were docked 17 along with Bournemouth but a fantastic season saw them easily avoid relegation as Mark Robins' side eventually finished in 14th place in League 2.

Nickname: The Millers.
Manager: Ronnie Moore.
Ground: The Don Valley Stadium.
Last season: League 2 14th

PREVIOUS MEETINGS:

Luton wins: 13
Rotherham wins: 10
Draws: 9

Despite holding a slender head-to-head advantage over Rotherham, the Town have failed to record a win the last five matches against the Millers in all competitions.

The Hatters last tasted victory over tonight's opponents in April 1997 when Tony Thorpe notched a hat-trick in a 3-0 success at Millmoor.

Rotherham have won their last two visits to Kenilworth Road including last season's 4-2 victory in the game before the Town won the Johnstone's Paint Trophy.

RECENT HISTORY

Rotherham's fortunes on and off the pitch over the last five seasons almost mirror that of the Hatters.

THE MANAGER

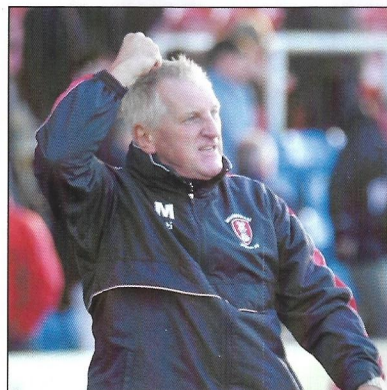
RONNIE MOORE

Widely recognised as one of the greatest Rotherham players of all time, Moore is currently enjoying his second spell in charge of the Millers.

After scoring 52 times in 125 league appearances as a player between 1980 and 1983, the popular Liverpool-born forward returned to Millmoor as manager in 1997.

At the helm for seven years, Moore's time in the hotseat saw unprecedented success as he helped the South Yorkshire outfit gain two successive promotions taking the club from League 2 to the Championship.

After spells at Oldham and Tranmere, Moore made his return to the club on 24th September 2009 after former boss Mark Robins took the reigns at Barnsley.



Rotherham United arrive at Kenilworth Road for tonight's replay on the back of a 2-2 draw against Burton Albion on Saturday.

The result, against Paul Pescholido's Brewers, saw them extend their current run of form to just one defeat in eight matches.

With the busy run of Christmas fixtures fast approaching, Manager Ronnie Moore, who took over from Mark Robins in September, is pleased with the solid start the Millers have made to the campaign.

"Our season is going well so far, we are where we want to be which is in the top three," he said.

"Promotion is our aim for the season so hopefully we can stay in that top three for as long as we can."



MILLERS RESPECTFUL OF HATTERS' THREAT

RONNIE MOORE ADMITS HE'S EXPECTING A CLOSE CUP TIE

League form takes a back seat though for at least for the next ninety minutes – possibly more – as Rotherham prepare for a match November's League 2 Manager of the Month is expecting to be very tough following the Hatters' good results in previous rounds.

"We know what to expect because Luton have beaten Rochdale and that proves what a good side they are. To go to Spotland and get a 2-0 win was a tremendous result," Moore explained.

"If you look at the size of the club and the support Luton get, they are at least a League 2 team in my eyes."

"Kenilworth Road is not the best of places to go because it is a tight and compact ground and the crowd are normally really up for it.

"It's going to be a really tough game for us but if we play to the best of our ability we will have a good chance of winning."

A trip to League 1 Southampton is up for grabs for tonight's winners and whilst that doesn't quite represent the Premier League big boys that every lower division club hopes for when they reach this

stage of the competition, it will still provide the chance for the victors to play at an impressive new ground.

Moore added: "No disrespect to Southampton but Luton and ourselves could have been looking at a potential tie against the likes of Manchester United or Liverpool.

"It will be a good for the players though if we get through because it's a terrific stadium down at St Mary's."

“ If you look at the size of the club and the support Luton get, they are at least a League 2 team in my eyes. ”



GOALKEEPERS

Andy Warrington

Goalkeeper who made the move from Bury to the Millers in May 2007 and in his first season with Rotherham he proved to be a very reliable last line of defence. He played in every single league game of the 2007/08 campaign and his consistent performances made him a huge hit with the Millers fans. He started out at York City and he made over 50 appearances for the Minstermen before moving to Doncaster Rovers in 1999. After nearly eight years at Belle Vue he made the switch to Bury, but his stay in Lancashire was short and after only 21 appearances he joined the Millers.

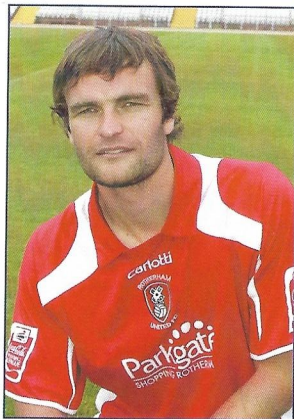
Jamie Annerson

After two loans spells with the club Jamie made the move from Sheffield United permanent in the summer. A former England Under-19 international, he has played once for the Millers in a Johnstone's Paint Trophy match against Grimsby in 2008.

DEFENDERS

Dale Tonge

Since making his league debut for Barnsley in the 2003/04 season Dale found it hard to break into the Oakwell first team on a regular basis, and took the opportunity to sign for Rotherham in May 2007. In his first full season at the club he became a first team regular



IAN SHARPS

making 31 starts at either full back or in a more advanced midfield role.

Jamie Green

Jamie broke into the Millers' first team at the end of the 2007/08 season making some impressive displays at left back. He is another product of the youth set up and he looks to have a very bright future with the Millers. He scored his first senior goal on the last game of the 2007/08 season in the 1-0 win over Barnet, the last ever goal at Millmoor.

Ian Sharps

Tall and powerful central defender who has been a mainstay of the Millers defence in recent seasons. He joined the club from Tranmere Rovers in August 2006 and was made Captain in his first season, going on to make 38 league appearances. He scored his first Millers goal in a 3-2 win at Leyton Orient and formed a strong defensive partnership alongside Pablo Mills. Last season was arguably his best yet and he was awarded the Player of the Year trophy.

Nick Fenton

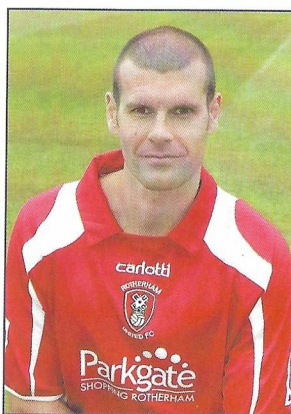
Experienced defender who signed for the Millers in August 2008. He started his career as a trainee with Manchester City and made 20 appearances in all competitions for City in just over four years at Maine Road. Nick was loaned out on a regular basis whilst at City and he played in a handful of games for Bournemouth and Notts County before moving permanently to Meadow Lane for £150,000 in November 2000. In 2004 he signed for Doncaster on a free transfer and in a two-year stint he played over 50 games but moved on in 2006 to sign for Grimsby Town.

Marc Joseph

An experienced and versatile defender who can operate anywhere across the backline. He signed for the Millers in July 2007 and slotted comfortably into the right back position, making his debut in the League Cup defeat to Sheffield Wednesday. Marc started his career with Cambridge United and has also played for Peterborough United, Hull City and Blackpool.

Mark Lynch

Defender who signed for the Millers in



NICK FENTON

May 2008 after his release by Yeovil Town. The full-back began his career as a trainee at Manchester United but failed to make the grade at Old Trafford and moved to Sunderland in 2004, after a loan spell at St. Johnstone. Mark struggled to break into the first team at Sunderland and moved to Hull City after just one season, but after just 15 league appearances for the Tigers, he joined Yeovil in 2006.

Andy Nicholas

Mark Robins signed Andy after a spell without a club following his release from Swindon Town. He settled straight into the side making a number solid displays and his long throws have become a vital weapon in the Millers attacking armoury. The left back started as a trainee with Liverpool but left in 2003 for regular first team football with Swindon where he made over 125 appearances in a five year spell. A dependable defender, Andy can also operate as centre half.

MIDFIELDERS

Pablo Mills

Pablo initially joined Rotherham as a central defender but played the majority of the last couple of seasons in central midfield, with great success. He started his career at Derby County and made over 50 appearances in four years at Pride Park. He was awarded the captaincy last season and started 42 games netting his only goal in the match against Chesterfield.



STEPHEN BROGAN

Danny Harrison

Midfielder who from Tranmere in May 2007 after making over 100 appearances for Rovers, Danny made an instant impact at the heart of the Millers' midfield. He scored his first goal for Rotherham in a League Cup tie against Sheffield Wednesday and also netted a brace in the away victory at Dagenham and Redbridge. A consistent and reliable performer he started 34 games in the 2009/10 season scoring a wonder goal against Southampton in the Carling Cup which was voted Millers' goal of the season.

Michael Gunnins

The experienced former Port Vale and Darlington midfielder signed for the Millers in May 2008. He began his career at Middlesbrough but only made two senior appearances for Boro in just under four years with the club. Mick left the Riverside to find regular first team football and signed for Port Vale on a free in March 2000. He made over 250 appearances for Vale in six years before joining Darlington in May 2006.

Jason Taylor

Former boss Mark Robins moved to sign former Oldham midfielder Taylor in the January 2009 transfer window on a free transfer from Stockport

County. A tenacious and determined performer who is noted for his industrious work at the heart of the midfield, he was a regular for Stockport during their promotion season in the 2007/2008 campaign but moved to Don Valley after falling out of favour in the following season.

Stephen Brogan

A product of Millers' youth system, Stephen is a highly rated versatile player, who can occupy a number of different positions. In his short Millers career he has excelled playing full back, left wing and in central midfield. His 2007/08 campaign was curtailed after he sustained a double leg fracture in a collision in the match against MK Dons. Stephen spent most of last season recovering from his injury but figured in the final game of the season as a substitute against Exeter and penned a new two-year deal with the Millers in the summer.

Paul Wame

A hugely popular figure amongst Millers' supporters, Paul is now in his second spell with the club. Paul first came on the scene at Wigan and signed for Rotherham in 1999. During the next six years he became an integral part of the Millers' rise from the bottom division to the second tier making over 200 league appearances in the process. He left in 2005 and spent two years at Oldham before moving south to sign for Yeovil in 2007. After impressing on trial he re-signed for the Millers and scored on his return in the 1-0 win over Accrington.

STRIKERS

Tom Pope

Striker who became the Millers joint record signing when he moved from Crewe Alexandra in the summer for £150,000. He began his career at non-league Biddulph before moving to Gresty Road in 2006. After being loaned out to Barrow he established himself in the Alex side, scoring 10 goals despite relegation to League Two. Tom is an all action centre forward who provides a threat in the air as well as being lethal on the ground.

Ryan Taylor

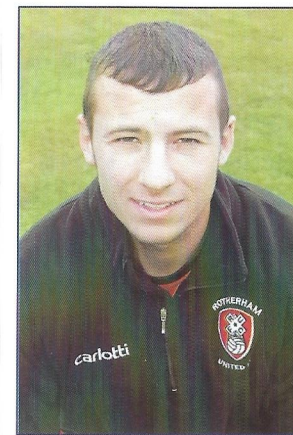
Progressed through the Millers youth system and he made his senior debut as a substitute in December 2005 in a 1-0 defeat by Swindon but did not feature again until August 2006. Ryan scored his first senior goal for Rotherham in a 2-0 victory over Shrewsbury. His impressive displays resulted in him earning a new two-year contract in the summer.

Drewe Broughton

Powerful striker who made a good start to his Millers career scoring vital goals in the cup successes against Southampton, Leeds United and Leicester City. He finished the season with nine goals and was rewarded with a new one-year deal. An experienced forward, Drewe has represented Norwich, Brentford, Peterborough, Kidderminster, Southend, MK Dons and Wrexham in a career spanning 13 years as a professional.

Adam Le Fondre

Potent striker who signed from Rochdale in August 2009 for an undisclosed fee. He started his career at Stockport but after a successful loan spell at Spotland he signed for Dale in 2007. A proven goalscorer at this level Adam netted 21 goals in all competitions last season.

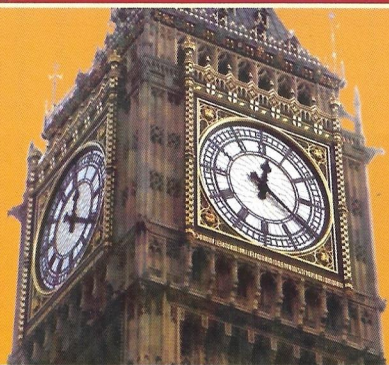


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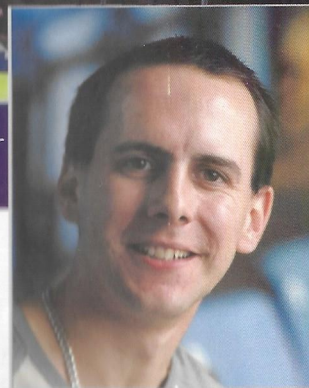
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Rotherham have been to Kenilworth Road on 10 previous occasions in the Football League with the Hatters winning seven and United victorious in three. Luton have scored 23 goals and conceded 15.

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There have also been two League Cup meetings between the sides. In 1961 a second round match finished goalless while the visitors won 2-0 in October 1983.

4

The most goals scored by Luton in this fixture is four, and it has happened twice. In the first encounter, in February 1955, Gordon Turner scored a brace, with John Groves also scoring for the Hatters and Rotherham's Williams put through his own net in a 4-0 victory for Luton. In December 1961 the Hatters won 4-3 with goals coming from Alec Ashworth, Tommy McKechnie, Harry Walden and Alwyn McKuffie.

2

As well as Turner in 1955, two other players have scored twice in a fixture against Rotherham at Kenilworth Road. Jack Lewis netted a brace in a 3-2 defeat in August 1962, whilst Bruce Rioch scored twice in the first 15 minutes six years later. Rotherham pulled one last before Brian Lewis scored just before half time to make the final score 3-1.

13

The number of years since Luton last beat Rotherham at Kenilworth Road when a solitary goal from Michael Thomas on the Town all three points in August 1996.

NUMBERS GAME

6

There were six goals scored in the last meeting here between the sides, played last season on 31st March. The visitors scored twice through Reuben Reid and Drewe Broughton before Luton pulled a goal back before half time through Chris Martin. Danny Harrison made it 3-1 but then Asa Hall reduced the deficit with 20 minutes remaining. Mark Hudson then added a fourth for the Millers to secure the points for the visitors late in the game.

4

Luton have played in four previous FA Cup second round replay matches at Kenilworth Road and have progressed through to the third round on three occasions. In 1928 the Hatters beat Fulham 4-1 and repeated this scoreline when Lincoln City were the visitors three years later. Non-league Corby Town caused an upset in 1965 by winning 1-0.

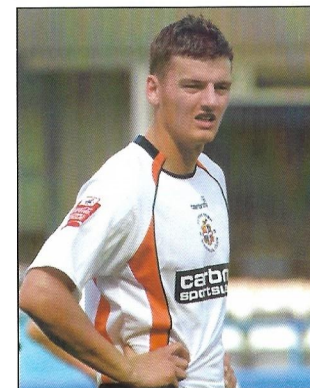
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The most recent second round replay to be played at Kenilworth Road was nine years ago when Darlington

were the visitors in 2000. Lee Nogan scored his first goal for the Hatters, against his former side, before Paul McLaren wrapped the victory.

5

The Hatters have played five matches on this date at Kenilworth Road with the most notable result coming in 1984 when David Preece scored on his debut in a 1-0 win against Aston Villa.



CHRIS MARTIN WAS ON TARGET FOR THE HATTERS AGAINST ROTHERHAM LAST SEASON

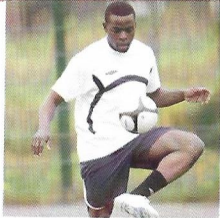
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	THIS SEASON LEAGUE		CUP		Goals	TOTAL		CARDS		LTFC CAREER TOTAL		Goals
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Ed ASAFU-ADJAYE	7(0)	0	1(1)	0	8	(1)	0	0	0	40	0	0
Matthew BARNES-HOMER	1(1)	0	1(1)	0	1	(1)	0	0	0	2	0	0
Steve BASHAM	1(5)	0	1(0)	2	2	(5)	2	0	0	7	2	2
George BEAVAN	0(0)	0	0(0)	0	0	(0)	0	0	0	9	0	0
Shane BLACKETT	9(5)	0	3(0)	1	12	(5)	0	0	1	17	1	1
Andy BURGESS	6(1)	0	3(0)	0	9	(1)	0	0	0	10	0	0
Ashley CAIN	0(1)	0	0(0)	0	0	(1)	0	0	0	1	0	0
Ryan CHARLES	0(5)	1	0(1)	0	1	(7)	1	0	0	28	4	4
Tom CRADDOCK	20(2)	7	2(1)	2	22	(3)	9	3	0	55	21	21
George DONNELLY	0(4)	0	0(0)	0	0	(4)	0	0	0	4	0	0
Lewis EMANUEL	2(1)	0	0(0)	0	2	(1)	0	0	0	88	5	5
Kevin GALLEN	16(0)	5	4(0)	1	20	(0)	6	2	0	49	9	9
Claude GNAKPA	10(6)	1	2(2)	0	12	(8)	1	3	0	58	4	4
Shane GORE	0(0)	0	2(0)	0	2	(0)	0	0	0	2	0	0
Asa HALL	15(2)	3	2(1)	1	17	(3)	4	2	0	71	14	14
Liam HATCH	3(1)	0	0(0)	0	3	(1)	0	2	1	4	0	0
Jake HOWELLS	6(7)	1	2(2)	0	8	(9)	1	0	0	46	1	1
Rossi JARVIS	14(2)	1	1(0)	0	15	(2)	1	2	1	63	4	4
Keith KEANE	13(0)	0	2(0)	0	15	(0)	0	2	0	169	4	4
Freddie MURRAY	16(3)	0	2(0)	0	18	(3)	0	5	0	21	0	0
Taylor NATHANIEL	0(0)	0	0(1)	0	0	(0)	0	1	0	1	0	0
Adam NEWTON	19(0)	2	3(1)	1	22	(1)	3	1	0	23	3	3
Kevin NICHOLLS	14(0)	0	2(0)	0	16	(0)	0	1	1	227	33	33
Mark NWOKEJI	0(2)	0	0(1)	1	0	(3)	1	0	0	3	1	1
Jordan PATRICK	0(0)	0	0(0)	0	0	(0)	0	0	0	2	0	0
Kevin PILKINGTON	4(0)	0	1(0)	0	5	(0)	0	0	0	5	0	0
George PILKINGTON	22(0)	4	4(0)	0	26	(0)	4	2	0	48	4	4
Callum RYLANDS	4(2)	0	1(0)	0	5	(2)	0	1	0	7	0	0
Mark TYLER	18(0)	0	1(0)	0	19	(0)	0	0	0	41	0	0
Alan WHITE	18(0)	0	4(0)	0	22	(0)	0	2	0	114	3	3
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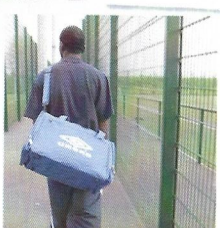
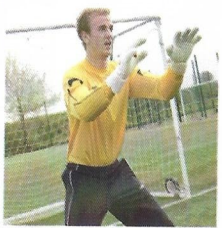
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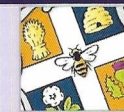
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ADAM NEWTON SHOOTS GOALWARDS AGAINST THE POPPIES

A second-half strike from Kettering Town winger Ritchie Partridge ended Richard Money's unbeaten start as Hatters' manager at a damp and ultimately disappointing night at Kenilworth Road.

In a game of few chances the Poppies' winger broke the Town hearts on 64 minutes when cutting inside and letting fly from the corner of the penalty area to earn a visitors' side containing ex-Hatters Ian Harper and Sol Davis all three points.

It was an open and even first 45 minutes with Kettering beginning the brighter of the two sides with striker Anthony Elding guilty of missing a great chance to open the scoring just five minutes in when side-footing straight at Kevin Pilkington.

Elding came close again three minutes later with a deft chip that

sailed wide before the Hatters began to find their feet with some clever approach play that resulted in Tom Craddock going close injury time at the end of the first half.

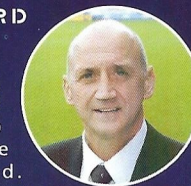
Adam Newton and Kevin Gallen combined superbly to tee the striker up but Poppies' player/manager Lee Harper was quickly off his line to extinguish the danger.

The game looked as though it was going to drift to a goalless draw until Partridge popped up with 26 minutes left on the clock.

After going behind the Hatters huffed and puffed in search of an equaliser but the nearest they got to the finding the net came on 77 minutes when a deep cross from Claude Gnaka was deflected onto the crossbar by visiting Harper in the Kettering goal.

POST-MATCH REACTION

RICHARD MONEY:



"I thought we played well up until we conceded. You've got to give Kettering credit but I thought we were never in full control of the match.

"I said to the players I was very disappointed with their reaction to going behind.

"The last 20 minutes I thought we should have built-up enough steam but we didn't muster a threat like the one we carried in the 70 minutes beforehand.

"It's disappointing and not good enough and I can understand the fans' frustration. I feel the same.

"We've got to play catch-up. But the reaction tonight concerns me and therein lies the serious problem.

"I'm not giving up but everyone seems to have this mentality that we've got to win every game.

"The club has been in that situation for the past two seasons after being deducted 10 and 30 points.

"We need to accumulate enough points to get us in a position that can get us a chance of winning promotion.

"There will be knocks, and tonight's a knock, that's all it is. It's not all over. I've seen enough from this squad that I believe we can go on a run that will see us get to where we want to be."

LUTON TOWN 0



KETTERING 1



Partridge 64

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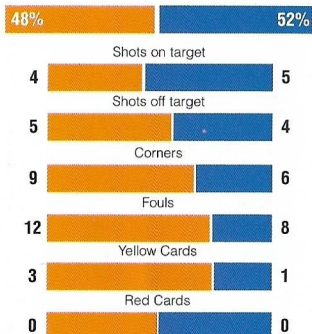
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K. Pilkington; White, G. Pilkington, Blackett (Barnes-Homer 70), Murray, Newton, Nicholls, Keane, Gnakpa, Gallen (Emanuel 83), Craddock. Subs not used: Gore, Jarvis, Cain.

Kettering Town:
Harper, Taylor, Roper, Davis, Partridge (Wrack 84), Heslop, Boucaud, Kelly, Marna (Dance 68), Elding. Subs not used: Cooper, Thomas, Thelwell.

Referee: D. Drysdale.

Attendance: 6,608.

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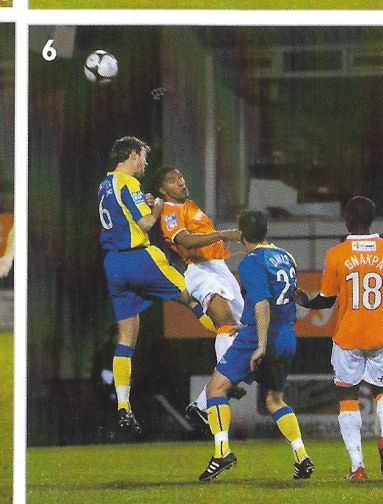
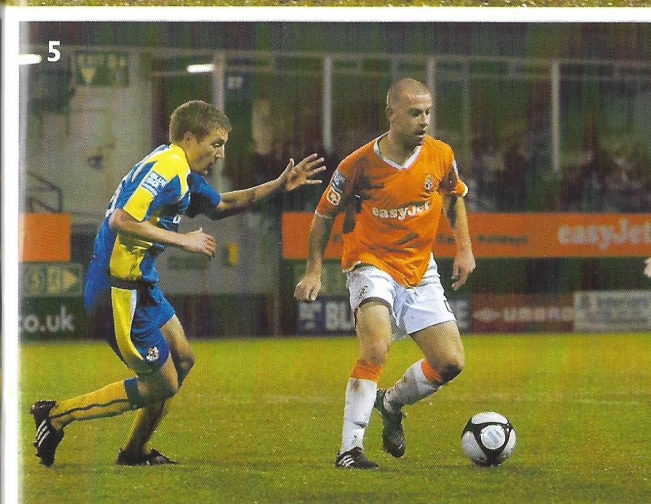
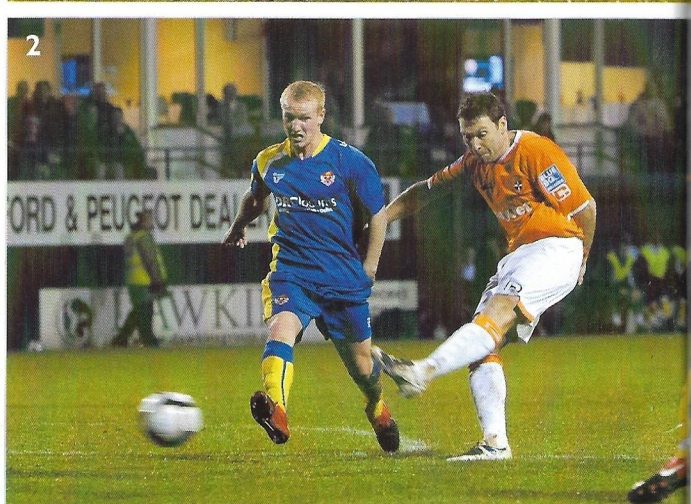
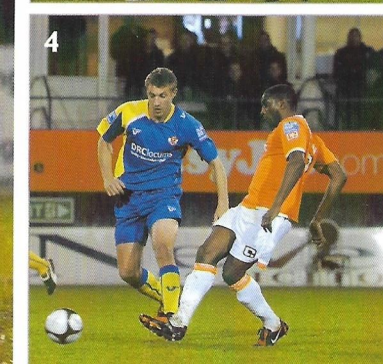
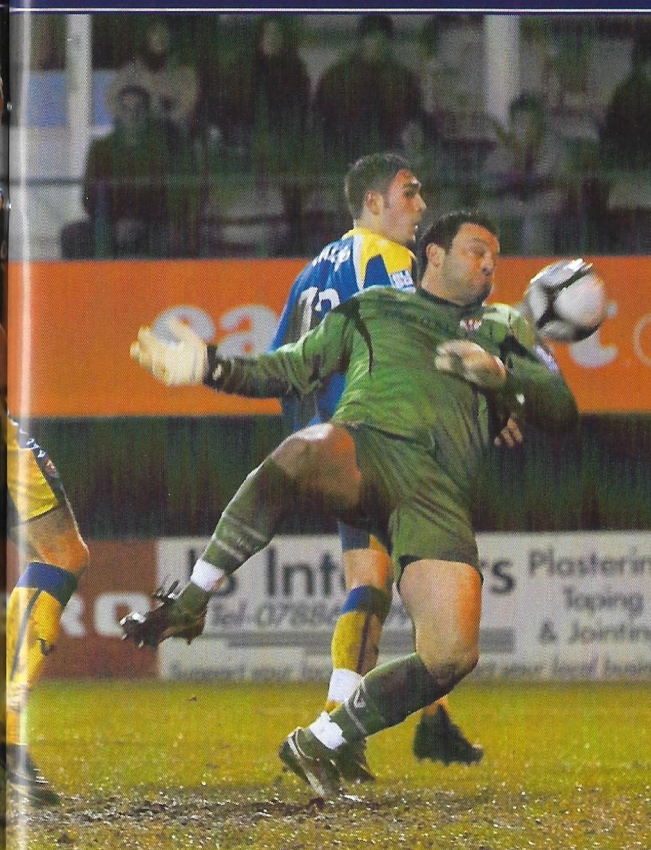
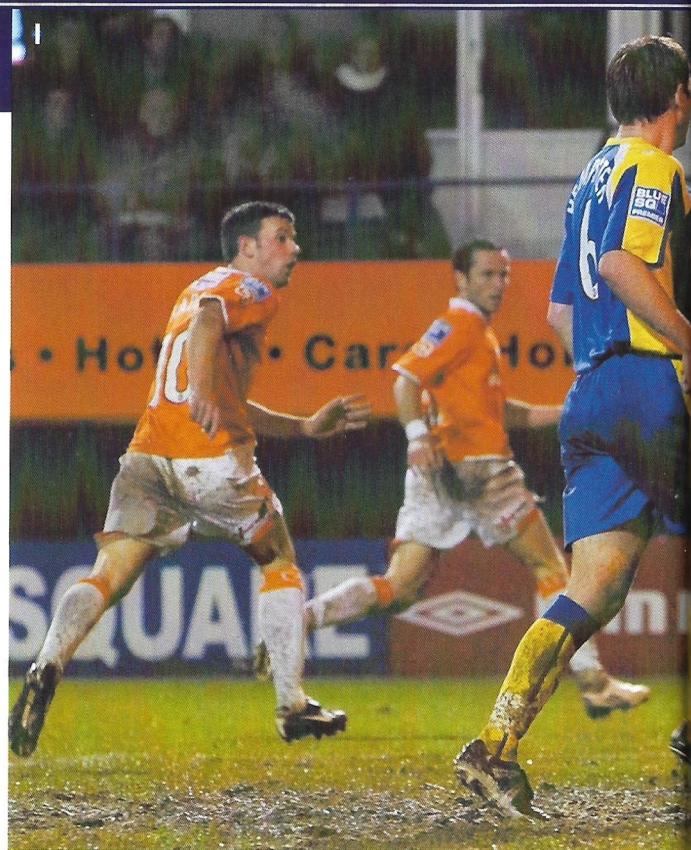


MAN OF THE MATCH
Keith Keane

On a disappointing night the only bright spot for the Hatters was the performance of Keane whose accomplished display in the middle of the park was recognised by the Kenilworth Road faithful at the final whistle.

1. Kettering player/manager Lee Harper deflects Claude Gnakpa's cross onto the crossbar.
2. Kevin Gallen goes for goal.
3. Alan White heads clear as Shane Blackett looks on.
4. Adam Newton moves forward.
5. Keith Keane looks for a pass.
6. Blackett flicks the ball goalwards.

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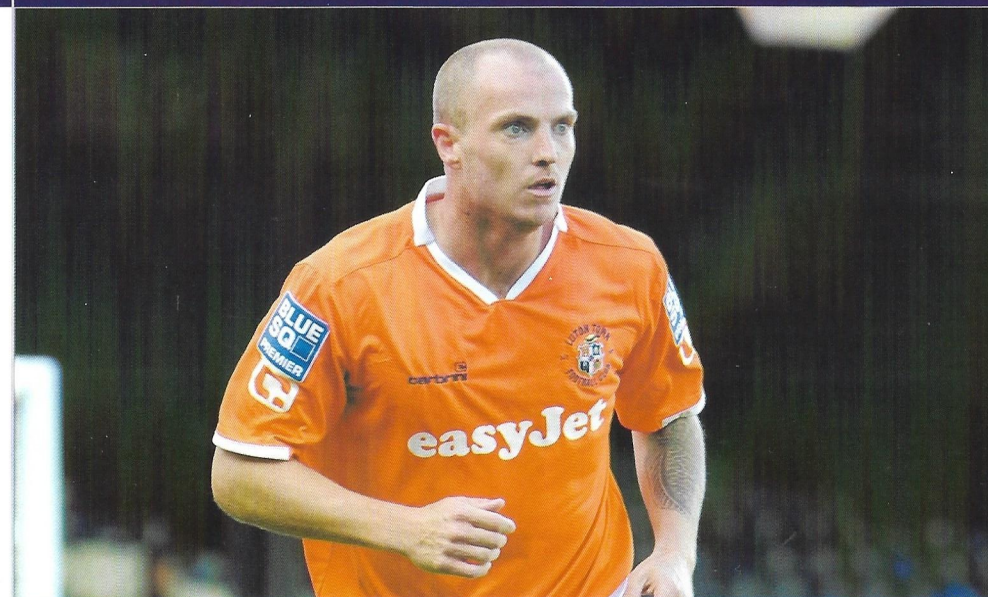
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ALAN WHITE

DEFENDER LOOKING FOR POSITIVE REACTION AFTER KETTERING LOSS



After good performances in recent weeks against strong opposition both in the Blue Square Premier and in the FA Cup, the Hatters defender Alan White feels the team dropped their standards against Kettering Town.

It was Town's first defeat under the guidance of Richard Money as they were beaten 1-0 by the Poppies at Kenilworth Road and the display from the defeat left the centre half frustrated at the final whistle.

"We're really disappointed, I thought we were sloppy and gave the ball away in bad areas. We can't afford to get beat at home," he said.

"We created a few chances in the first half and then a couple in the second-half. We didn't capitalise on

the good amount of possession we had in the first period."

Following the opposition's exploits in the FA Cup recently White was impressed with the way they played but was disappointed by Town's lack of conviction in the final third:

"You can complain about the conditions against Kettering but it was the same for them as well and I thought they played quite well. They passed the ball around well and looked very comfortable in possession against us.

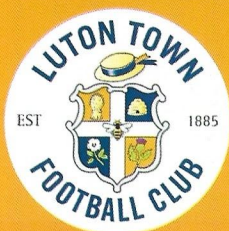
"There wasn't enough end product, it's been the story of the season so far for us, starting well in games - not taking our chances and then we drop points because the opposition snatch it at the end."

The 33-year-old is keen for his side to get back to winning ways and wants the team to eliminate the errors within their play so that they can move up the league and get back into a Play-Off position.

He said: "We let ourselves down and the reaction from the fans is fully justifiable. They will be frustrated because it is a crunch time in the season and if we had won we would have been back in a Play-Off position.

"The gaffer highlighted that we need to react positively from this and make sure the negatives don't reoccur because there is still a long way to go and we know we are good enough to be right up there."

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WITH DAVID HOSKINS



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While it was disappointing the draw failed to give us the prospect of a potential home tie against one of the Premier League's leading clubs, tonight's replay has at least given us the opportunity to entertain our corporate guests with some top-quality packages.

Christmas is almost upon us and, as ever at this time of year, the commercial department have been busy behind the scenes making sure you are fully entertained over the festive period.

We have three home games over

Christmas starting with Forest Green Rovers on 19th December followed by a Boxing Day game with Histon and Eastbourne Borough two days later.

Before then, though, we have an exciting 'evening with' after dinner speaking event at the new Icon Hotel in Luton next Tuesday, 15th December. This is subject to our FA Trophy fixture with Cambridge not going to a replay which, in that case, the event will be held the following day.

Hatters' legends Kirk Stephens and Jake Findlay are our guest speakers and interest in this event so far has proved to be really popular. With places going fast get in touch if you would like to be there on the email address below.

I'd like to finish by welcoming our match sponsors and corporate guests to tonight's game and thank them their continued support.

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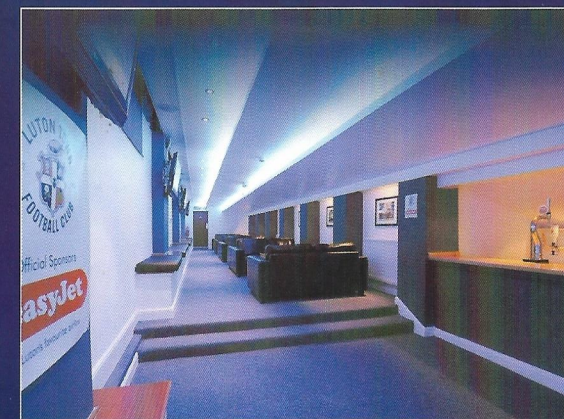
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ANDY DUCAT ROUNDS-UP WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING IN THE COMMUNITY DEPARTMENT THIS WEEK



Christmas Holiday Programme

We are now taking bookings for the three-day Christmas holiday course we are running at the Luton Regional Sports Centre on Monday 21st, Tuesday 22nd and Wednesday 23rd December.

The great news is that the course will be delivered in the indoor sports halls, which means that we can offer the kids a great programme no matter

what the weather the throws at us.

This is a great opportunity for you to get some last minute Christmas shopping in without the distraction of having to bring the kids along.

As we have access to three sports halls we can provide training and match activities for five year olds right up to 13 year olds. You can register for one day or attend all three sessions. Sessions cost £15 a day or £30 for three days.

We have also managed to arrange for a special appearance from some of the Luton Town's first team players at the holiday programme.

Please contact Kieran on 07771704139 or Trish on 01582391927 to book a place.

New Year Raffle

Representatives from the Community will be selling raffle tickets at all home fixtures up until the Salisbury match on the 16th January.

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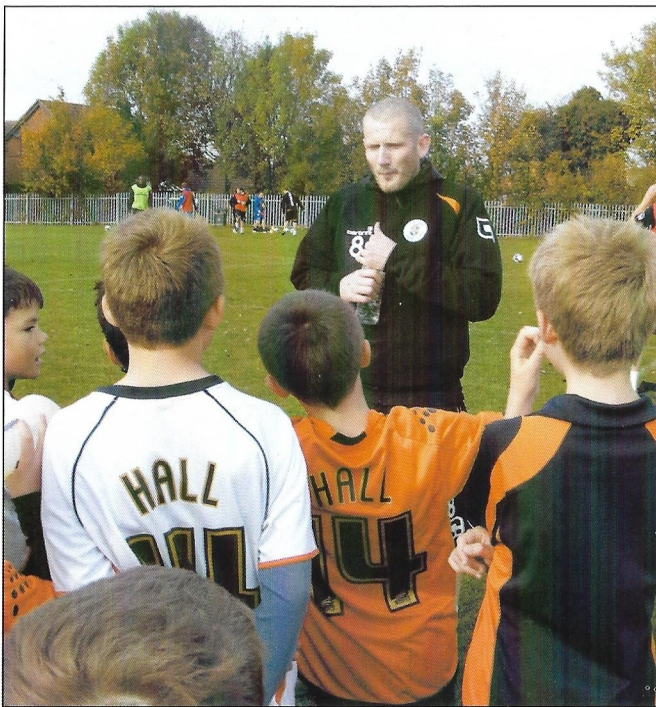
Second prize - Ultimate Family Day Out

Prize includes - pre-match drinks and meal in the Joe Payne suite for four people, signed Luton Town shirts, a full youth kit for two children as well as the opportunity to be a match day mascot.

Third prize - Ultimate Supporters Package

Prize includes - pre-match drinks and meal in the Joe Payne suite for four, signed LTFC shirts, a chance to meet the players and guided pre-match tour of Kenilworth Road.

Among the other prizes we have signed Luton Town shirts, footballs as well as framed Johnstone's Paint Trophy final photographs.



HATTERS DEFEAT BIRMINGHAM BLUES

WITH COMMUNITY PROJECT MANAGER KIERAN FOX



Tonight I would like to tell you about our recent fixture against Birmingham City played on Saturday 5th December.

The Town welcomed the Blues to their new home ground for the 2009/10 season at Leighton United and brought four teams to compete at the Under 10, 12, 14 and 16 age groups.

In the pick of the matches, the Under 10s showed excellent technical ability to defeat their Premier League opponents 6-2. Birmingham also looked to play with good technical ability by trying to play out from defence.

Town started well and had the Blues on the back foot from the first whistle with Luton playing a high tempo and excellent pressure.

In the first quarter, the Hatters had numerous opportunities to score but the Blues goalkeeper was in fine form and the post and crossbar also came to the Birmingham's rescue. The Hatters continued to find it hard to make the break through until the second period.

Again Luton started brightly and within five minutes took the lead

when Chiara Meola won the ball and passed out wide to Chloe Fitzsimmons who crossed excellently to find Rebecca Ferris who finished first time from close range.

As the Hatters tried to make their dominance count they where caught on the break and Birmingham went one-on-one with the Hatters' goalkeeper and Birmingham finished well to draw the game level.

Luton where caught again when they had a corner which was intercepted and Birmingham broke with excellent speed that caught Luton on the hop and took the lead for the first time in the game with a cool finish.

However, the Hatters levelled the scores when Eireann O'Donoghue picked up the ball out wide and drove at the heart of the Blues defence and thundered a left foot shot goalwards that was then deflected into the net.

Once the Town got the game back on level terms they were able to take the game by the scruff of the neck and finished off very strongly, scoring four more goals without reply with Amelia Hazard named as the player of the match after the final whistle.

Luton Town Girls' Centre of Excellence Fixtures 2009/10

August		
22	WATFORD	A
29	NORTHAMPTON TOWN	H

September		
5	WATFORD	A
12	MILTON KEYNES	A
19	MANCHESTER UNITED	A
26	NORTHAMPTON TOWN	H

October		
3	NORWICH CITY	A
10	ARSENAL	H
17	CAMBRIDGE	A

November		
7	IPSWICH TOWN	A
14	LEYTON ORIENT	A
21	COLCHESTER	H
28	LEYTON ORIENT	H

December		
5	GAME TO BE CONFIRMED	H
12	LIVERPOOL	A

2010		
January		
9	GAME TO BE CONFIRMED	H
16	NORWICH CITY	A
23	CHARLTON ATHLETIC	H
30	WATFORD	H

February		
6	MILTON KEYNES	H
13	NORTHAMPTON TOWN	A
27	NORWICH CITY	H

March		
6	ARSENAL	A
13	CAMBRIDGE	H
20	GAME TO BE CONFIRMED	A
27	COLCHESTER	A

April		
10	IPSWICH TOWN	H
17	COLCHESTER	A
24	READING	H

May		
1	GAME TO BE CONFIRMED	A
8	GAME TO BE CONFIRMED	H
15/16	LUTON NATIONAL COE FESTIVAL	H



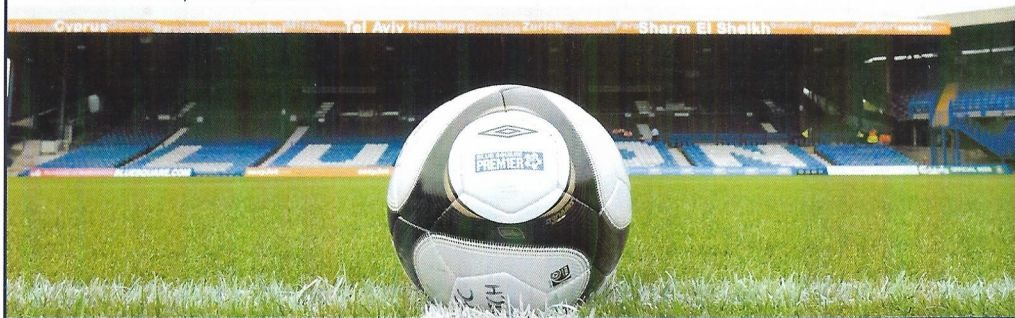
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GOLDEN GAMBLE

There was a crumb of comfort for our Golden Gamble winner at our last home game with Kettering Town as the lucky winner walked away from Kenilworth Road £550 richer.

Mr Banks, of Sandy, saw his ticket - number 019074 - plucked out of the barrel at half-time.

Tickets only costs £1 and half of the proceeds go directly to the club. Look out for sellers around the ground this evening.

BLUE SQUARE REVIEW

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CHESTER SAFE FOR NOW

Chester City will continue their season after the Football Conference announced a way forward has been resolved.

The decision by the Football Conference board on Thursday meant the game against the Hatters on Saturday went ahead.

A statement from the Conference said: "The Football Conference and the Football League have been working together to reach a decision over the release of discretionary payments in favour of Chester City, thereby retaining the integrity of both competitions and enabling legal undertakings and orders were met by the Club.

"As part of a commitment made by Chester City towards settling these matters, Chester City agreed to make up any potential shortfall between the funding due and football creditors.

"The Club has, therefore, lodged a payment of £36,600 with the Football Conference. Upon clearance of such payment and release of that funding, the threat of expulsion from membership will be withdrawn."



CRAWLEY BOSS HITS OUT AT FANS

Crawley boss Steve Evans has hit out at fans who have become critical of his side in recent weeks, insisting it was impossible to cut the club's debt and push for promotion in the same season.

The Red Devils are 10 points adrift of the play-offs but Evans said the results had to be put in context of the work the club was doing off the pitch.

He said: "The club was £400,000 in debt 18 months ago it is less than £50,000 now. That's why the nuggets out there who want to complain can't have it both ways.

"You can have what some clubs are doing, and we've seen the signings others did last week were players we went for.

"We went for [Onome] Sodjic who went to Oxford, we went for Franny Green who went to Oxford. We've been for a lot of players but the difference is we are offering a third of what they are on wages wise while these other

clubs are coming in and paying the full lot."



YORK PAIR SCOOP PRIZES

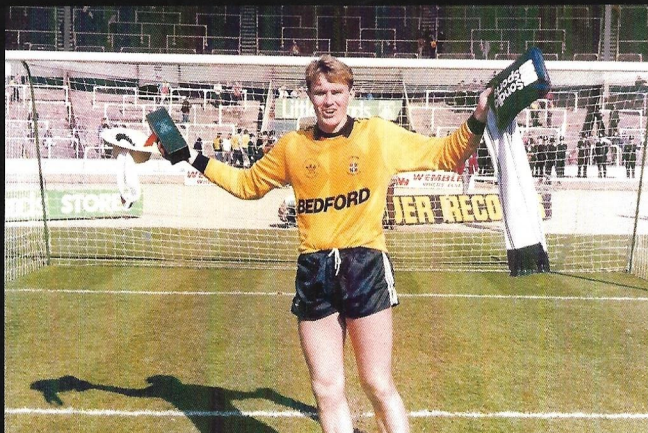
York City duo Martin Foyle and Richard Brodie have won the Blue Square Premier's manager and player of the month awards for November respectively.

During the month Foyle's side won four league matches and reached the FA Cup third round with a win at Cambridge.

Gateshead-born Brodie hit six goals in five appearances for the Minstermen during the period, including a hat-trick in the 3-2 home victory over Chester.

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3 York	24	9	4	0	23	10	4	3	4	11	12	12	46
4 Mansfield	23	6	4	1	21	8	6	1	5	16	17	12	41
5 Kettering	23	4	4	4	17	12	8	1	2	14	8	11	41
6 AFC Wimbledon	23	4	3	4	16	7	7	3	2	23	15	17	39
7 Luton	22	5	3	3	15	10	5	4	2	12	11	6	37
8 Rushden & D	23	6	1	4	18	16	4	5	3	17	10	9	36
9 Kidderminster	24	7	1	4	17	10	3	4	5	13	15	5	35
10 Cambridge Utd	23	6	2	4	24	11	2	7	2	15	16	12	33
11 Altrincham	23	2	5	4	10	12	6	3	3	15	9	4	32
12 Histon	23	4	5	2	15	10	4	2	6	14	18	1	31
13 Crawley Town	24	7	1	4	18	14	2	3	7	6	18	-8	31
14 Tamworth	24	5	2	5	16	17	2	6	4	11	13	-3	29
15 Wrexham	22	5	3	4	14	10	2	3	5	7	11	0	27
16 Barrow	23	3	7	2	14	17	3	2	6	10	16	-9	27
17 Hayes & Yeading	23	2	5	4	15	16	4	3	5	11	15	-5	26
18 Salisbury	24	4	3	5	11	11	6	0	6	15	21	-6	23
19 Gateshead	24	4	3	5	13	13	2	1	9	14	26	-12	21
20 Eastbourne B	23	3	5	4	14	14	1	4	6	6	19	-13	21
21 Grays Athletic	24	3	3	6	12	20	0	5	7	11	25	-22	17
22 Forest Green	23	2	4	6	8	15	1	3	7	10	27	-24	16
23 Ebbsfleet United	24	2	4	6	9	15	1	2	9	5	26	-27	15
24 Chester	24	3	1	7	12	16	2	6	5	10	17	-11	3

ANDY DIBBLE



He may have been back before but any return to Kenilworth Road is a special one for Andy Dibble.

The popular former shot-stopper is back at his old home for this evening's FA Cup second round replay as goalkeeping coach with his current employers Rotherham United.

It's 25 years since he first arrived at the Hatters as a highly-rated 19-year-old and began to make his mark on his new club.

Now 44, Andy's love of football is as strong as ever and he's looking forward to this evening's encounter.

"Every coach and manager will say that as much as they love the coaching side of things, and I really do enjoy it, playing is what it's all about," Andy said.

"It is obviously always nice to come back

to Luton as I've got very fond memories of my time there.

"I have been back a couple of times as a player and a couple of times as a coach but it is always enjoyable.

"I had some great times there, a good four years, and had one of the highlights of my career (the 1988 League Cup final victory over Arsenal) with the club."

Andy joined Rotherham in October this year to link up with his long-time friend Ronnie Moore, who returned as the Millers' boss earlier this season for a second stint in charge.

The move came after a two-year spell coaching at Peterborough United, under his former Wrexham team-mate Darren Ferguson.

Rotherham's stoppers are benefitting

from the experience of more than 400 senior games throughout Andy's 24-year professional playing career.

The first seeds of his coaching knowledge were sewn right back upon his arrival at Luton and his time spent learning from a man who played well over 200 times for the club.

"When I came in I was competing with a guy who taught me a lot, Les Sealey, who of course is sadly no longer with us," Andy said.

"Les was a terrific character, God bless him.

"It was a great learning curve for me. The one thing he didn't want to do was give up his place, and that's a good attitude to have.

"Les was a good organiser and communicator and although some people said he was a little over the top, that was one of his strengths.

"He kept defenders on their toes, which all keepers should do, and he made me a better talker as I progressed in my career."

Andy is expecting a tough old game tonight as Luton and Rotherham go head to head for a place in the FA Cup third round and an away trip to Southampton.

The first game ten days ago ended in an entertaining 2-2 draw at the Don Valley Stadium thanks to Mark Nwokeji's equaliser for Luton in a match that saw both sides on top at different stages. One key influence this evening could be the Kenilworth Road factor with a big crowd creating the usual fervent cup atmosphere.

Occasions here are something that Andy will always remember fondly and he expects tonight to be similar to what he experienced during his own playing days.

"Kenilworth Road has, and always will have, a great atmosphere – it was always like that when I was there," he said.

"It was very intimidating and an old-fashioned ground. Stadiums have changed a lot these days, the new ones are nice and plush, but they will never generate the same atmosphere."

Andy joined Luton from Cardiff City in 1984 for £125,000 and in his four years with the club and played over 30 times, including a starring role in the 1988 League Cup triumph over Arsenal at Wembley.

In total he played for 18 clubs in England, Scotland and Wales before finally hanging up his gloves in 2006 at Accrington Stanley and starting his coaching career there.

But his time at Luton will always stand out in his memory and he keeps a close eye on the club's fortunes.

"What has happened to the club over the years is very sad to see," he admitted.

"They have gone from a good position to administration and going up and down, getting back up into the Championship, and then coming down a scale or two again.

"The club has been through some topsy-turvy times, some good some bad, but I think the expectation is there this season.

"They are getting good support again and although the Conference is a hard league to get out of they have got a good enough squad.

"It is a tough task but once they get out of the Conference they can climb the leagues again.

"Luton set me on the road with my career – I thoroughly enjoyed it and it was a bit of a turning point for me because they gave me the chance to play at the top level.

"I will always look out for Luton and their results but I am coming to win on Tuesday."



It is obviously always nice to come back to Luton as I've got very fond memories of my time there.

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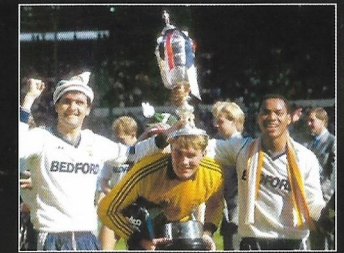
The Football League has announced the 50 golden moments that will compete for the honour of being voted the greatest League Cup moment of all time.

And the Hatters' 3-2 victory over Arsenal in the 1988 final means the Town are one of 39 clubs in the running to claim top spot.

This season is the 50th year of the League Cup and since August, fans have been nominating their favourite Cup memory through the Football League website.

Supporters now have the opportunity to select their all-time favourite from the final 50 through an online vote and in the process give themselves the chance to win one of 50 pairs of tickets for the 2010 Carling Cup Final or one of 200 special edition Carling Cup Final balls.

From the first ever goal by Fulham's Maurice Cook in 1960 to Ben Foster's penalty heroics in last season's final, the vote includes clubs from



across the Football League and Premier League, right down to those now playing in the non-league game.

And that naturally includes the Town's celebrated win over Arsenal on that sunny day back in '88 when they came from 2-1 down to score twice in the final 10 minutes with Brian Stein notching the winner in the final minute.

That wasn't before Andy Dibble – who you can read about elsewhere in tonight's programme – saved a penalty from Gunners left-back Nigel Winterburn which, had it been converted, would have put the Londoners 3-1 up.

Five goals, a last minute winner, a penalty save and the Hatters' greatest ever moment in the Club's history... surely it's a no-brainer that our success should be recognised. It will also give you the opportunity to pick up a fantastic prize should you be lucky enough to be drawn out of the hat.

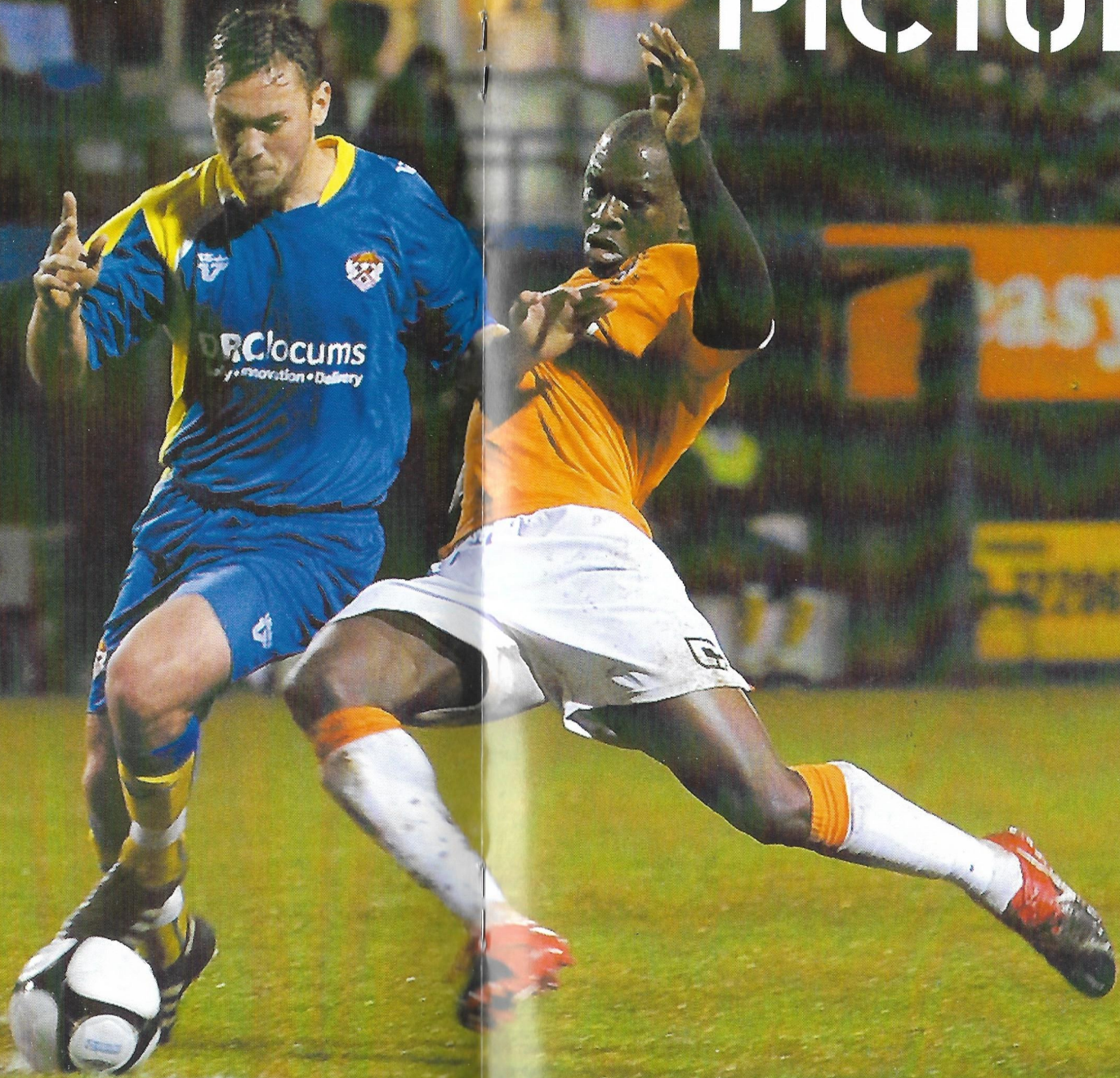
It's the Hatters only moment in the final 50 which can be viewed and voted for at www.leaguecup50.com.





THE BIGGER PICTURE

FORMER HATTER SOL DAVIS, NOW OF KETTERING, BEATS CLAUDE GNAKPA TO THE BALL DURING THE POPPIES' 1-0 VICTORY LAST WEDNESDAY.



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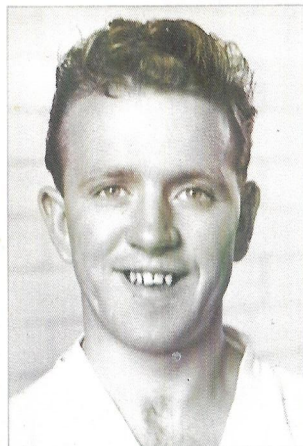
29TH JANUARY 1955. ROTHERHAM UNITED 1-5 LUTON TOWN. FA. CUP FOURTH ROUND.



Following two seasons of near misses, the Town were looking to make it third time lucky in their bid to win promotion to the top flight for the first time in their history.

It was imperative therefore, that they started the 1954/55 campaign on a winning note and, looking smart in their new Continental strip of round neck collar and tight shirt – the first club in the country to adopt such a ground breaking change – an opening day 3-0 home win over Nottingham Forest was just the start everyone wanted.

Two away defeats in quick succession brought everyone back down to earth with a bump but these set-backs were soon forgotten as the team then went on a six game winning run and with it a place at the top of the table.



FUTURE SCOTLAND INTERNATIONAL MIKE CULLEN.



ROTHERHAM GOALKEEPER JOCK QUAIRNEY SAVES FROM GEORGE CUMMINS (OUT OF PICTURE)

One of the main reasons behind this sparkling run of form was the use of the clever Jesse Pye as a deep lying centre-forward, a tactical plan used by the all-powerful Hungarian team that had won at Wembley so convincingly the year before.

Pye though was not happy at Kenilworth Road and, citing the health of his wife, asked for a transfer which was reluctantly accepted. The Town were therefore left with a deep lying centre-forward system without a deep lying centre-forward!

After a couple of indifferent performances it was decided to switch wing-half Bob Morton to centre-forward. Morton proved a revelation in this new position and the victories started to flow once more.

Promotion challengers Blackburn were thrashed 7-3 at Kenilworth Road and over the Christmas period big wins at Nottingham Forest (5-1) and Hull (4-0) meant that the Town started their FA Cup campaign in second spot in the old Division Two table.

Bill Shankly's Workington from Division Three (North) were the Town's opponents in round three and a Kenilworth Road crowd of 18,853 turned up to see a 5-0 home win with Gordon Turner and Mike Cullen each scoring twice.

The draw for the fourth round was certainly a disappointment as far as Luton supporters were concerned. An away trip to fellow Division Two promotion chasers Rotherham, where the Town had already lost that season in a League game, signalled the end of the cup run as far as many were concerned.

Despite these misgivings, over 2,000 Luton supporters made their way up to Millmoor to swell the crowd to 21,231. The spectators were treated to a 17-strong colliery band, dressed in Rotherham red shirts, playing such instruments as dustbin lids before the start as cup fever kicked in.

Luton manager Dally Duncan stressed to his, by now, table topping players that they needed to win at the first attempt and should attack from the kick-off.



THE TOWN LINE UP IN THEIR CONTINENTAL SHIRTS: BACK ROW (LEFT TO RIGHT) THOMPSON, PEMBERTON, DUNNE, BAYNHAM, AHERNE, SHANKS, WRIGHT (TRAINER). FRONT ROW (LEFT TO RIGHT): DAVIES, TURNER, OWEN, MORTON, CUMMINS, GROVES.

The players took him at his word and from the start the game was end to end although the Town had the better of the chances with, in particular, one fierce shot from Turner hitting the unsighted Rotherham goalkeeper Jock Quairney on the line and rebounding to safety. The goal the Hatters deserved finally came on 26 minutes when Cullen took a Morton through pass in his stride before smacking the ball past Quairney.

Four minutes later it was 2-0 when George Cummins came through on the blindside to take advantage of an astute Wally Shanks pass and hit the ball into the roof of the net.

The Luton supporters did not have chance to gather their breath before the Town were three up when Turner took advantage of yet another through ball and arrowed through the

Millers hesitant defence before leaving the exposed Quairney with no chance.

As to be expected, the Rotherham players received a rocket at half-time and came out with all guns blazing in the second period.

The Luton defence, with skipper Syd Owen in his usual commanding form, kept the Millers forwards at bay until the wonderfully named Gladstone Guest reduced the deficit just after the hour mark with a scrambled effort.

This goal seemed to raise the Town once more and they started to cause problems for the Rotherham defence with their slick football on the heavy surface.

The game was finally put out of Rotherham's reach after 74 minutes when Turner was quickest to a through pass from Roy Davies and just

managed to beat Quairney from a narrow angle.

The final goal, two minutes from time, gave Turner a well deserved hat-trick when he reacted quickly to a Morton drive that was only half stopped by Quairney.

The Town's reward was a home tie with Manchester City, which was lost, but looking at the bigger picture eventual promotion at the season's end was a greater prize.

Luton Town: Baynham, Dunne, Aherne, Pemberton, Owen, Shanks, Davies, Turner, Morton, Cummins, Cullen.

Rotherham United: Quairney, Selkirk, Johnson, Marshall, Noble, Williams, Grainger, Henderson, Burke, Guest, Reeson.

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HATTERS DREAM TEAM

STEPHEN CHURCHWARD PICKS HIS ALL-TIME LUTON XI.

GOALKEEPER

MARLON BERESFORD

Between 2004 and 2006 Marlon was the main reason behind our success at the time. As well as adding his experience to a young team he was confident enough in his own ability.

LEFTBACK

MATT TAYLOR

When Matty was bombing up the left flank there always seemed a chance would be created. In his last season with us he formed a lethal partnership with Jean-Louis Valois.

CENTREBACK

CURTIS DAVIES

Now playing for Aston Villa in the Premier League, Curtis' pace and elegance at the heart of the defence was one of the main reasons behind our success during the 2004/05 season.

CENTREBACK

STEVE DAVIS

One of Terry Westley's best buys, captain colossus Stevo was only a superb centre-half but a menace for opposition defences with an enviable goalscoring record often popping up with crucial headed goals.

RIGHTBACK

GRAHAM ALEXANDER

Another player signed by Westley and another playing in the Premier League. A regular and consistent performer who nerve shirked a tackle and was reliable from the penalty spot.

LEFT MIDFIELD

JEAN-LOUIS VALOIS

His debut goal against Torquay will never be forgotten by those fans inside Kenilworth Road that day. We were often treated to a masterclass by the Frenchman who probably thought Division 3 was too easy.

CENTRE MIDFIELD

KEVIN NICHOLLS

The driving force behind two promotions and a Johnstone's Paint Trophy winning side, Nico is Luton Town through-and-through, tough in the tackle and ice cool from the penalty spot.

CENTRE MIDFIELD

DAVID PREECE

After 336 appearances for the Hatters, Mini was an integral part of the team that won the Littlewoods Cup and featured in the heart of the midfield just when I was beginning to watch the team. Gone but never forgotten.

RIGHT MIDFIELD

CARLOS EDWARDS

Another wing-wizard with close control, breathtaking technique, Carlos went on to represent the Hatters at the World Cup in 2006 with Trinidad & Tobago.

STRIKER

MICK HARFORD

Two of my earliest memories of watching football at Kenilworth Road feature Mick. The own goal for us when playing for Derby and the overhead kick on his second debut against Oldham. Enough said.

STRIKER

ROWAN VINE

The scorer and creator of so many goals during the League 1 title campaign, Vine was rewarded for his consistent hard work and ability with a switch to Birmingham City.



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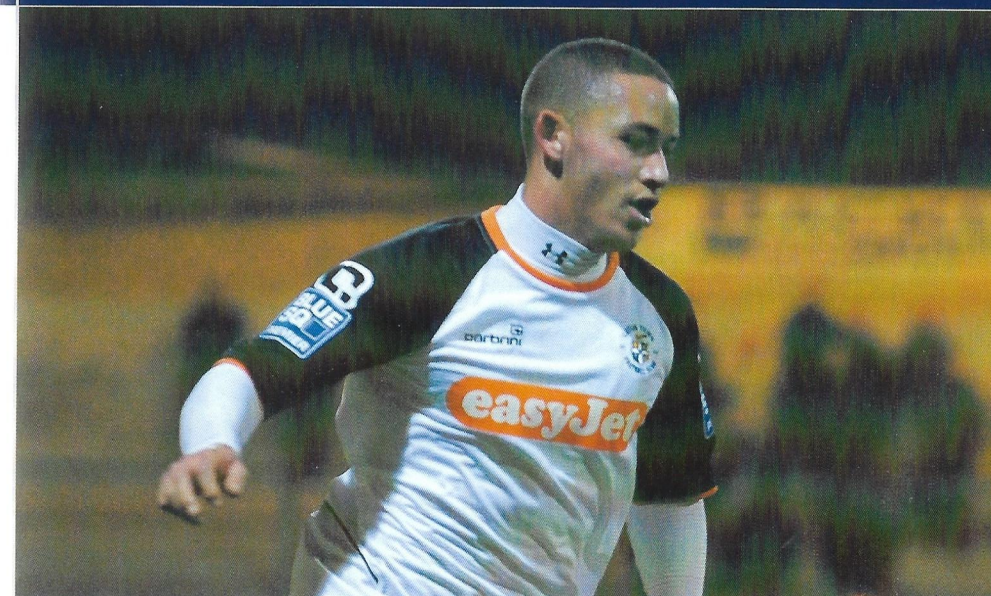
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CAIN KEEN TO IMPRESS

ASHLEY CAIN IS LOOKING FORWARD TO HIS EXPERIENCE AT KENILWORTH ROAD

New loan signing Ashley Cain is confident his arrival at Kenilworth Road can benefit himself and the Hatters.

The winger joined on loan deadline day from Championship side Coventry City for a month and made his debut for the Town when coming on as a substitute at Chester City on Saturday.

His 36-minute cameo at the Deva Stadium gave the travelling supporters a glimmer of what the 19-year-old is capable of.

And that's something the youngster is keen on showcasing further while he's with the Hatters.

"I'll give you pace, a good delivery from wide area and goals," says Cain confidently. "I like to have the ball and run with it at my feet and attack the full-back.

"When I got on the pitch for Coventry in the Championship I feel that I make a difference.

"If I can do that in that league then I'm sure I can do it at this level.

"I always want the ball and hopefully the lads will realise that when I'm on the pitch and they will give me it.

"I don't mind what flank I play on because although I'm right-footed I can play on the left wing and cut inside and cause problems that way."

It's the first time the Bedworth-born speedster has left Coventry after joining the Sky Blues' academy as a nine-year-old.

Ten years on, and after being brought up through the ranks at the Ricoh Arena, the loan move suddenly means Cain has got to get to grips with new surroundings and a league

known for its rough-and-tumble football.

"It was a bit of culture shock when I first got here," he says. "It is a massive difference but I'm committed to doing well during my time at Luton.

"The training facilities here are a bit different from Coventry's but you've got to get on with it and everyone here – including myself – are working hard to get Luton back into the Football League.

"I found it very surprising how physical the games are in this league. You don't have as much time on the ball and you are closed down very quickly.

"But once I've played a few more games I can develop and adapt my game to it and once I've done that I feel I should be fine."

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IN PROFILE

Name: Alex Lacey

Date of Birth: 31/5/1993

Place of Birth: Milton Keynes.

Position: Centre-back or right-back.

How long have you been with Luton Town?
This is my first season with the club.

What is the strongest part of your game?
Heading and tackling.

What is the weakest part of your game and how do you intend on improving it? Pace. I intend to improve by training harder after sessions to improve my speed.

What are your aims and ambitions for this season? To become a regular for the reserves.

Where do you see yourself in 10 years time? Playing first team football in the Premier League or Championship.

Who is your football idol?

Daniel Agger, Johnny Heitinga and John Terry.

Which footballer do you model your game on? The three above.

What have learned during your time at the club?

It's lots of hard work but always give 100 per cent.

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AWAY: Available

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AWAY: Available

UNDER 18s BOUNCE BACK

QUEENS PARK RANGERS U18 1-2 LUTON TOWN U18



The Hatters' Under 18s bounced back from defeat last week to record a 2-1 victory against Queens Park Rangers on Saturday.

Martin Prickett's youngsters dominated the opening 45 minutes and were unlucky not to find themselves ahead as some lovely football created chances for Matt James and Adam Watkins.

After a goalless first period, the second half started in the best possible way for Town.

Rangers conceded a free-kick for a hand ball by the corner flag, Ryan Dasilva floated in the delivery and Jack Wood rose and headed home from close range.

After Alisan Ann saw a goal ruled out for offside, Rangers began to take charge of midfield but Lewis Kidd in the Town goal produced some good saves and showed reliable handling on crosses.

The Hatters continued to look dangerous on the break and Watkins got the goal his hard work deserved to double the lead when firing past the Rangers goalkeeper following good work from Alex Lacey and Wood.

Rangers pulled a goal back to ensure a frantic finale in search of an equaliser but were restricted to blocked crosses and half chances from distance thanks to disciplined defending and hard work across the midfield enabling the young Town side to hold on.

A delighted Martin Prickett said afterwards: "What a game it was today. I love playing QPR, they try and play and move the ball well and because of this leave themselves open to counter attacks.

"To a man we fought and stood up against them. I am so pleased for Lewis Kidd in goal, he gave a confident and assured performance and it took a real worldy to beat him.

"Along with that it is fantastic to have Adam Watkins back fit, he is a clever player who really has a positive effect on the game and he took his goal well. Credit must also go to Jack Wood and Sam Barker who put in a real shift today and it was their quality on the ball in midfield that allowed us to have good spells of possession."

"Today is the best response from the disappointment of Brentford last week, we felt we deserved more from that game and today we got the result our

performance deserved. I am very proud of all the hard work the players have put in during the week."

Next up Town are away to Brentford on Saturday 12th December in the Youth Alliance.

Squad:

Kidd, Deeney, Lacey, Carney, Nathaniel, James, Barker, Wood, Dasilva, Watkins, Ann, Tavernier, Blake, Yamfam, Donacien.

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SAT 05	QUEENS PARK RANGERS	W2-1			



SPORTS INTERACTIVE



SPONSORS OF LUTON TOWN YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

On 28th November Luton Town Under 16s travelled to Motspur Park to play their counterparts from Fulham.

Once again the squad had a chance to test themselves against a Premier League club, having performed so well against Arsenal and Liverpool earlier in the season.

Despite heavy rain, the pitch at Fulham was in fantastic condition so the boys had every opportunity to express themselves and show what they could do.

Managed by former Luton star Mark Pembridge, Fulham were a big, strong, athletic side and utilised these assets during the first few minutes of the game.

They looked to play forwards as quickly as possible, with their forwards causing us problems with their clever movement and link-up play.

With just five minutes gone in the

game, Fulham's winger put a cross in the box, which their forward converted after a slip from Brett Fulham.

After the goal, Fulham continued to look dangerous going forward, but Luton began to get in to the game, gaining more possession without ever really creating any clear cut chances.

Just after the half-hour mark, Jordan Davis was released down the left flank by a great pass by Cauley Woodrow with Davis driving in the box and squaring for Joel Ayettey to equalise on his debut.

The goal didn't really change the pattern of the game as Fulham continued to look dangerous going forwards. Just before half-time, the Londoners deservedly re-took the lead when their forward managed to get behind the Luton back four and slotted home comfortably.

At half-time the message to the players was simple: to be more organised defensively, and to show

more quality on the ball.

The players did exactly what was asked of them, and the equaliser came on the hour when Michael Richens rose to head home a Michael Cain corner.

For the remaining half-an-hour, Luton looked like the only side who were going to win the game and missed several clear cut chances. The game finished as a draw, which on reflection was probably a fair result, with both sides dominating a half each.

Overall, it was an excellent test for the team and was it pleasing to see how they reacted to going behind twice and also to see how they took onboard the information that was given to them at half-time.

The whole team performed well with Cain and Woodrow showing outstanding performances in the centre of midfield.

LUTON TOWN CLUB PARTNERSHIP

IN-SERVICE TRAINING

On Thursday 26th November 2009 the Luton Town Youth Department hosted an In-service coaching session for the clubs involved in our partnership scheme.

The evening was hosted by youth team coach Martin Prickett who delivered the topic: "How to Lock Up Defences to Win Games".

The evening attracted over 40 coaches from local clubs involved in the partnership programme and was very well received.

A variety of coaching techniques were showcased and the session was hailed a huge success by all of those that took part.

Technical Development Coach Dan Walder said: "Martin spent the evening breaking down every aspect of defending, working

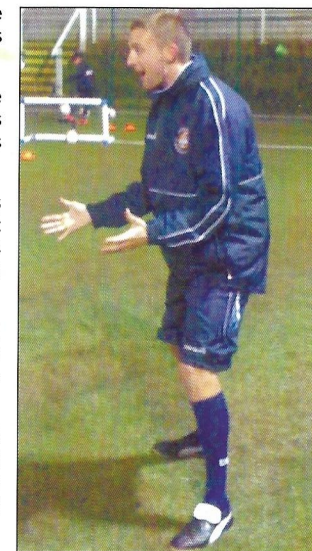
meticulously on body shape and the types of movements defenders should be making individually.

"He built a clear picture up for the coaches, working from one versus one defending in different pictures to defending in groups and units.

"The evening was a great success and many of the coaches found that the technical detail involved was above and beyond what they had seen before."

Luton Town's youth department will be hosting their next In-service training session for local clubs in January 2010.

If you are working at a local club and wish to be involved, please contact Dan Walder at dan.ltfc@live.com or at the training ground on 01582 583618.



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TOWN FAIL TO BREAK THE DEADLOCK

CHESTER CITY 0 - 0 LUTON TOWN



MATTHEW BARNES-HOMER HEADS TOWARDS GOAL.

The Hatters failed to break down the resistance of a spirited 10-man Chester side with a disappointing goalless draw at the Deva Stadium. In a game of very few chances the hosts were reduced to 10 men three minutes before the break when right-back Kevin Roberts was red-carded for hauling back Matthew Barnes-Homer.

The Hatters only came close occasionally in the second period as they pressed for a winner with Barnes-Homer and substitute Ashley Cain the main tormentors-in-chief. Chester, who fielded three 17-year-olds in the starting XI, threatened in patches.

Before they were reduced to 10 men Nick Chadwick was their best outlet for a goal and a superb block from Alan White and sharp thinking from goalkeeper Kevin Pilkington prevented the hosts from taking the lead.

The Hatters upped their game in the second period intent on making their extra man count.

Cain's arrival on 53 minutes for Lewis Emanuel brightened up the Town's offensive with his lightening pace down the right wing.

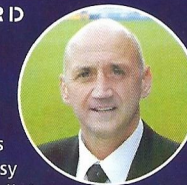
Tom Craddock came close to breaking the deadlock on the hour when he worked a yard of space to shoot goalwards but Chester goalkeeper John Danby was equal to the effort to turn the ball around the post.

However, White missed the Hatters' best chance of the match nine minutes later when the defender headed over the crossbar following Barnes-Homer's right-wing cross.

The Town continued to struggle to find a way through the City defence, and despite a late flurry of Chester pressure, the game ended goalless.

POST-MATCH REACTION

RICHARD MONEY:



"Playing against 10 men is never easy but football is all about winning football matches and unfortunately we haven't won today.

"I thought we overran them but couldn't score.

"I honestly think we couldn't have done much more to win the game.

"Have I seen enough to see that we're capable of winning games? Of course.

"I'm trying to build a good football team that plays fast, attacking football and unfortunately some days you can't always pick the right pass.

"But I am seeing a good team developing in front of me.

"I thought Matthew was head and shoulders above everyone else on the pitch today.

"I think there's real evidence today of a promising, young and threatening partnership between him and Tom.

"Matthew can be pleased with a really good debut."

CHESTER CITY 0



LUTON TOWN 0



SATURDAY 5TH DECEMBER 2009 THE DEVA STADIUM

Luton Town: K. Pilkington; G. Pilkington, White, Blackett, Murray; Newton, Keane, Hall, Emanuel (Cain 54); Craddock (Nwokeji 70), Barnes-Homer. Subs not used: Gore, Jarvis, Howells.

Chester City: Danby, Roberts, Barry, Owen, Ellams (Davidson 88), Kelly, Rule, Chadwick, Wilkinson (Rawlinson 70) Rea, Freeman.

Subs not used: Murphy, Jones, Coulter.

Referee: 1,352.

Attendance: M. Brown.

Possession



Shots on target



Shots off target



Corners



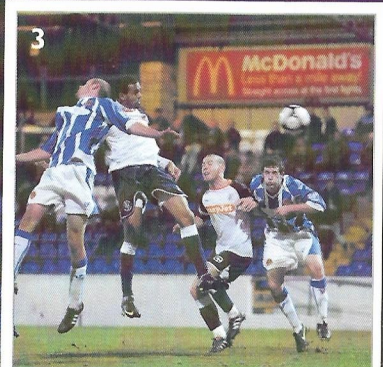
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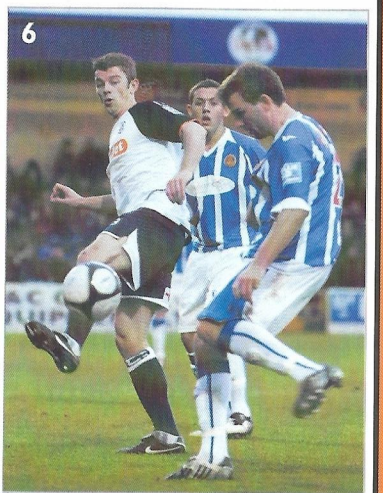
MAN OF THE MATCH

Matthew Barnes-Homer



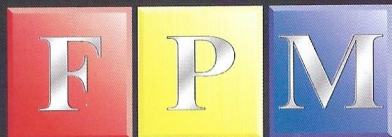
The striker was a constant menace to the Chester defence on his full debut. His pace and power led to the hosts being reduced to 10 men while his second half cross almost led to the Hatters taking the lead.

- 1. Captain Keith Keane stretches to block this Chester cross.
- 2. Matthew Barnes-Homer battles for possession on his full debut.
- 3. Barnes-Homer heads goalwards as Keane looks on.
- 4. Substitute Mark Nwokeji holds off the attention of his marker
- 5. Chester goalkeeper John Danby claims a Town corner.
- 6. Tom Craddock looks to flick the ball on.



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MATTHEW BARNES-HOMER

DEBUTANT STRIKER IMPRESSED WITH TOWN



Town's newest recruit Matthew Barnes-Homer left the field at the Deva Stadium disappointed to have only drawn with Blue Square Premier against bottom club Chester City but confident he'd seen enough during the 90 minutes to feel there is plenty to be positive about for the Hatters.

"All credit to Chester because they have defended well with 10 men and made it very hard for us," he said.

"We had to keep pushing throughout the second-half but unfortunately we were unable to break them down. Despite the result we have still played really well.

"I thought the whole team performance was good and we were unlucky not to get the goal which would have given us three points."

Playing up front with Tom Craddock against Chester the 23-year-old, who is on loan from Kidderminster Harriers, is keen to get more games under his belt with his new strike partner:

"Tom is a good player, he's quick and makes very clever runs which is great when you are looking to play your strike partner in," he said.

"You can already see that we are doing okay because we were linking up really well and things can only get better and better with the more games we play together which hopefully will result in us scoring more goals for the team."

Barnes-Homer slipped seamlessly into the Town starting line-up at the weekend and he feels credit for that should go to his new team-mates for their help in allowing him to quickly

settle into life in the Hatters dressing room. And having seen what his team-mates are capable of, the striker believes Luton can push on now after the 0-0 draw with Chester and go into the next games in confident mood.

He explained: "The players in the squad have made me feel really welcome which is great when you come to a new club.

"We are disappointed that we haven't picked up three points but we can certainly take some positives from the game and take them into our next fixtures.

"We know we have a difficult run of games coming up so we know we have to keep pushing that little bit harder in each game to get a result."

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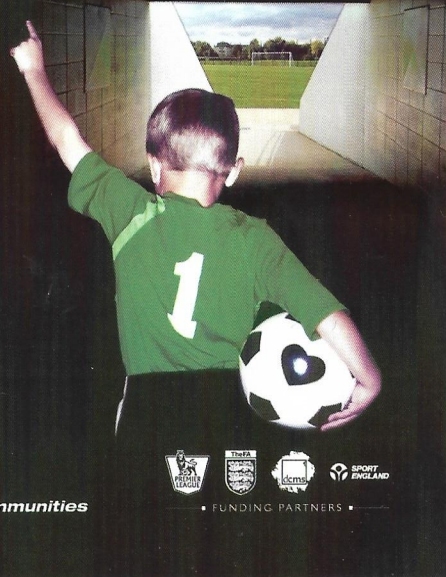
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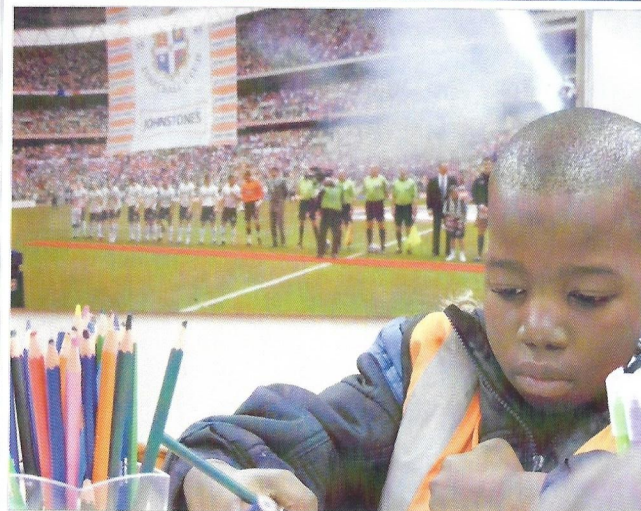
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Last week we were lucky enough to bring along a group of 120 children, schoolteachers and parents to the mid-week clash with Kettering Town.

There is always something special about evening games for children. I don't know if it is because of the floodlights, the hot chocolate or the fact that they are able to stay up late on a school night!

Whatever the reason, the group we brought along last Wednesday had a wonderful time despite the miserable whether.

Since the half term break we have been busy creating Luton Town-styled carnival costumes that we had planned to wear for the Kettering fixture.

Unfortunately the rain put a damper on that. As we also need the shirts for the celebration evening we are holding on 16th December we decided it was wise not to wear them. We did get to wave our carnival ribbon sticks around though!

Despite the rain, everyone had a great time. We did enjoy two 'Christmas carol' styled sessions to get everyone in the right mood before kick-off.

The first was at our meeting point in the Sainsbury's car park. Led by Sam, our samba drum tutor, we ran through a number of Luton Town



chants, much to the amusement of the Sainsbury shoppers.

After a short walk up Hazelbury Crescent we then gathered outside the Kenilworth Road entrance for the final rehearsal before passing through the turnstiles.

For the vast majority of children we brought along on the night, this was their first experience of a live football match.

Even though the result didn't go the way we would have liked, everyone had an enjoyable evening. Listening to the children on the way out of the stand it was great to hear so many of them talking about wanting to come again.

A big thank you goes out to the Football Club for their support, the UK Carnival and Arts Centre and to the staff and parents from the four schools represented on the night.

If you have any questions regarding the Study Centre please feel free to contact me via email on: andy.ducat@activeluton.co.uk or telephone 01582 563132.

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Welcome to back to Kenilworth Road again to all Junior Hatters for tonight's game with Rotherham United

A big hello to all those young fans from Rotherham who have made the midweek trip south. We hope you enjoy the game and have a safe journey home.

Following the draw at Rotherham we got our name in the hat for the third round with the winners tonight guaranteed a trip to Southampton.

Ok, so it wasn't Manchester United, Chelsea or Arsenal but it still represents the opportunity for our players to play at a fantastic new stadium, should we win tonight of course!

As I mentioned in the last few programmes, Christmas is just around

the corner which means it will soon be our Junior Hatters Christmas Party. And I'm pleased to report we have a date, and on 17th December, all the players and management will be present at Kenilworth Road for all the fun and games.

It's always a great chance for you to meet all your favourite players - believe me they enjoy it just as much as you do every year.

If you haven't decided to come yet then time is running out to get your name on the list so contact Trish Johnson as soon as you can!

We're away next week when we start

our FA Trophy campaign against Cambridge. Will there be another high-scoring game like we have had in the past two games against them this season I wonder?

If we draw we're back here again for the replay next Tuesday but a very busy festive period in the league gets underway the following week when we play Forest Green Rovers in the first of three consecutive home games over Christmas time including on Boxing Day when we host Histon.

Tonight is a really important game and cup replays under the floodlights at Kenilworth Road always have their own unique atmosphere so get behind the lads today and make some noise!

Come on you Hatters!

Happy Harry



THE MASCOTS LINE-UP WITH THE TWO CAPTAINS, OFFICIALS AND ME BEFORE OUR GAME WITH KETTERING.

DO YOU WANT TO BE A JUNIOR HATTER?

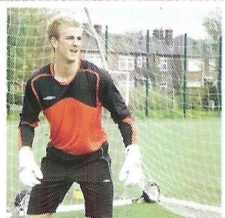
Every season we have lots of new children who join up who get the chance to become a mascot for every single Luton Town game.

If you're interested contact the community department on 01582 391927 or email trish.ltfc@hotmail.co.uk.

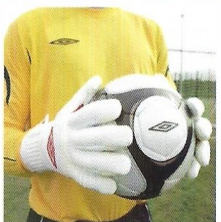
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LUTONTOWN LADIES

WITH DAVE BAKER



THE LADIES UNDER 13 SIDE LINE UP

With the heavy rainfall of the last two weekends there has been very little football to report on but the one fixture that did survive last Sunday was the Junior Girls' County Cup tie which involved our own Under 13s against an older Crawley Green Under 14 team.

The Town girls were hampered by the loss of both their goalkeeper and leading goalscorer as they were unable to play in the older Under 14 age group.

However, a strong and determined squad put together a solid performance to take the tie into extra time at 0-0.

With just three minutes gone in the first half of injury time, Shannon Pratt set up Chloe Scott to fire home the only goal of the game to take the

Hatters' girls into the semi-final with a fine 1-0 win.

Turning to the senior section of the club, our success in producing a constant stream of youth team players who graduate into senior football is unequalled anywhere.

Over 20 players have moved into senior football this season from the Under 16s and that has necessitated running three adult squads from the of age 16 upwards.

This season we have been handicapped by injuries and unavailability that sometimes stretches our resources to the limit.

If there are any players aged 16 and above who would be interested in joining the Town Ladies then please contact the

email address below for further details.

We have also been the victims of our own success in reaching the FA Womens' Premier League for the first time before having the rug somewhat pulled out by being placed in the Northern Division.

The promised Football Association funding has not been forthcoming and we are left struggling resource-wise against clubs such as Liverpool who have huge financial backing.

If there are any potential sponsors out there who would be willing to sponsor any of the ladies' kits and trackuits in exchange for the usual benefits, please contact lutonownlfc@hotmail.co.uk for further details.

OFFICIAL MATCHDAY PROGRAMME

TICKET OFFICE

FOLLOW THE HATTERS HOME & AWAY

TICKET OFFICE HOURS & INFO

You can buy tickets for all matches at Kenilworth Road in a number of ways.

1. In person at the ticket office in Kenilworth Road.

The opening hours of the ticket office are as follows:
Monday-Friday 10am-5pm.

Monday-Friday before a home match: 10am-6pm.

Saturday on a home matchday: 9am-kickoff and until required after full-time.

Saturday on an away matchday: 9am-12noon.

2. Online by logging onto
www.ticketing.co.uk/lutontown/default.aspx

3. Over the telephone by calling 01582 416976

MATCHDAY TICKET PRICES 2009/10

Juniors (Under 10)	£5
Youth (Age 10-16)	£8
Young Adult (Age 17-21)	£13
Adult (Age 22-64)	£18
Senior (Age 65-75)	£13
Golden Senior (Over 75)	£10

Compromise Seating - Main Enclosure A, B, H & J, Main Stand G

Juniors (Under 10)	£5
Youth (Age 10-16)	£8
Young Adult (Age 17-21)	£13
Adult (Age 22-64)	£15
Senior (Age 65-75)	£13
Golden Senior (Over 75)	£10

Matchday Voucher Books (x5 tickets perbook)

Juniors (Under 10)	£22.50
Youth (Age 10-16)	£36
Young Adult (Age 17-21)	£58.50
Adult (Age 22-64)	£81
Senior (Age 65-75)	£58.50
Golden Senior (Over 75)	£45

* Unlike in previous seasons, for the 2009/10 campaign there will be no additional £2 charge when purchasing tickets on the day of the match.

HOME MATCHES



FOREST GREEN ROVERS

Saturday 19th December 2009 Kick-off 3pm
Blue Square Premier
Tickets are now on general sale at the normal matchday prices.



HISTON

Saturday 26th December 2009 Kick-off 3pm
Blue Square Premier
Tickets are now on general sale at the normal matchday prices.



EASTBOURNE BOROUGH

Monday 28th December 2009 Kick-off 3pm
Blue Square Premier
Tickets are now on general sale at the normal matchday prices.

AWAY MATCHES



CAMBRIDGE UNITED

FA Trophy First Round
Saturday 12th December Kick-off 12:30pm

Please note the early kick-off time for this match.

This game is ALL-TICKET for Luton Town supporters with none available on the day at Cambridge.

We have an allocation of 1,400 seats.

Tickets are now on general sale.

Prices:
£12 adults, £8 seniors (over 60),
£8 students (with ID) and £4 juniors (under 16).



HISTON

Sunday 31st December 2010 Kick-off 1pm
Blue Square Premier

Please note the change in date and kick-off time for this match
We are awaiting ticket information from Histon

CAMBRIDGE UNITED

SATURDAY 12TH DECEMBER 12.30PM



WHAT'S THE GROUND LIKE?

The Main Stand on one side is a covered two-tiered all seater stand, part of which is used as a Family enclosure. This stand has a number of supporting pillars.

Opposite is the Habbin Stand, which is for home supporters and is mostly covered - again there are a number of supporting pillars. At one end of the ground is the Marstons Smooth South Stand, which was opened in 2002. This good sized covered single tiered, all seated stand, replaced a former open terrace. The seating area is raised in this stand, meaning that supporters enter the stand via a small flight of stairs.

The North Terrace at the other end of the ground is covered. However,

it only runs for about half the width of the pitch, with one side ending in line with the eighteen yard box. Thus there is a large open area at one corner of the ground.

WHAT'S IT LIKE FOR LUTON FANS?

Town fans have been allocated the all-seated new South Stand that seats 1,350 supporters behind the goal.

The entrance to the away section is reached by walking along a path through what appears to be a common field that is used from time to time to graze cows!

HOW TO GET THERE AND WHERE TO PARK?

Take the M11 to Junction 14 and then join the A14 towards

Newmarket. Turn off onto the B1047 sign posted for Cambridge Airport. At the top of the slip road turn right towards Fen Ditton. Go through Fen Ditton until you reach a T Junction, where at the traffic lights you turn right into Newmarket Road.

Go straight across the roundabout (there is a McDonalds on one corner) and you will come to Abbey Stadium on your left hand side.

TRAVEL INFORMATION

Both Town on Tour and the Bobbers Travel Club are running coaches to the Abbey Stadium.

Contact both clubs for information on prices and departure times.

Information kindly provided by Duncan Adams. Please visit www.footballgroundguide.com for more details

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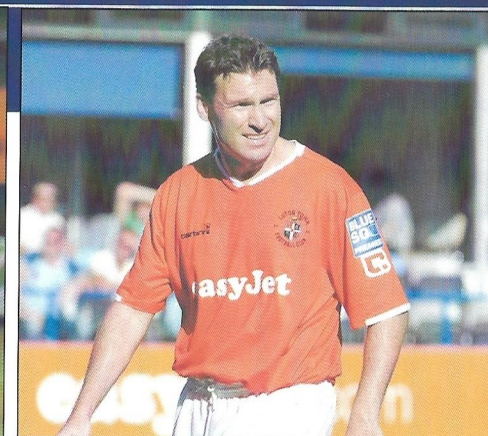
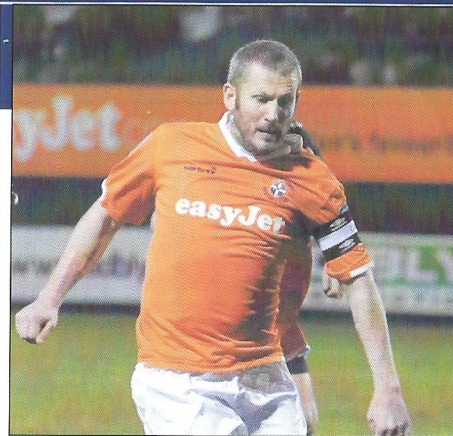


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We're down to the final four as we quiz members of the Hatters' first team squad on their football knowledge. As we're in the semis the questions are even tougher. Can you do better? The answers are on page 66.



KEVIN NICHOLLS

HEAD 2 HEAD

KEVIN GALLIEN

Sean O'Driscoll ✓	Who is the manager of Doncaster Rovers?	✓	O'Driscoll
Southport ✓	Which club did Gary Brabin manage before Cambridge United?	✓	Southport
1888 ✗	In which year was the first FA Cup final?	✗	1921
Cape Town ✗	In which city will next year's World Cup final be held?	✓	Johannesburg
All Whites ✓	What is the nickname of the New Zealand national football team?	✓	The All Whites
Gay Meadow ✓	Where did Shrewsbury Town used to play their home games before moving to a new stadium?	✓	Gay Meadow
Darlington ✗	Alan White started his professional career at which club?	✓	Middlesbrough
No Idea- pass ✗	Can you name only the English team that begins with five consonants?	✓	Crystal Palace
Canada ✓	In which country was Owen Hargreaves born?	✓	Canada
Bristol Rovers ✓	Which team did Luton beat 12-0 in 1936?	✗	Arsenal
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HATTERSSTATS

ALL THE RESULTS & STATS FROM THE 2009/10 SEASON

AUGUST	TEAM	COMP	SCORE	ATT	AWAY	POS
Sat 8	A AFC Wimbledon	BSQP	D1-1	4,488	826	12
Tue 11	H Mansfield Town	BSQP	W4-1	7,295	542	2
Sat 15	H Gateshead	BSQP	W2-1	6,829	48	1
Tue 18	A Forest Green	BSQP	W1-0	1,805	869	3
Sat 22	H Chester City	BSQP	Do-0	6,563	85	3
Sat 29	A Kettering Town	BSQP	Do-0	3,266	1,838	3

SEPTEMBER	TEAM	COMP	SCORE	ATT	AWAY	POS
Tue 1	H Crawley Town	BSQP	W3-0	6,389	115	3
Sat 5	A Salisbury City	BSQP	D1-1	2,044	907	3
Tue 8	A Oxford United	BSQP	Lo-2	10,613	2,331	4
Sat 12	H Barrow	BSQP	W1-0	6,264	144	2
Tue 22	A Wrexham	BSQP	Lo-3	3,448	303	9
Sat 26	A Cambridge United	BSQP	W4-3	4,870	1,728	6
Tue 29	H Stevenage	BSQP	Lo-1	8,223	793	8

OCTOBER	TEAM	COMP	SCORE	ATT	AWAY	POS
Sat 3	H Tamworth	BSQP	W2-1	6,297	270	5
Sat 10	A Kidderminster	BSQP	W2-1	2,927	925	5
Sat 17	A Altrincham	BSQP	W1-0	1,762	640	5
Tue 20	H York City	BSQP	D1-1	6,387	257	5
Sat 24	H Grays Athletic	FAC4Q	W3-0	2,721	124	-
Sat 31	H Rushden & D	BSQP	Lo-2	7,101	402	5

NOVEMBER	TEAM	COMP	SCORE	ATT	AWAY	POS
Sat 7	H Rochdale	FAC1	D3-3	3,167	355	-
Wed 11	A Rochdale	FAC1R	W2-0	1,982	129	-
Sat 14	A Grays Athletic	BSQP	W2-0	1,668	tb	5
Sat 21	H Cambridge United	BSQP	D2-2	7,458	711	6
Sat 28	A Rotherham United	FAC2	D2-2	3,210	648	-

DECEMBER	TEAM	COMP	SCORE	ATT	AWAY	POS
Wed 2	H Kettering Town	BSQP	Lo-1	6,608	237	6
Sat 5	A Chester City	BSQP	Do-0	1,352	523	7
Tue 8	H Rotherham United	FAC2r				
Sat 12	A Cambridge Utd	FAT1				
Sat 19	H Forest Green	BSQP				
Sat 26	H Histon	BSQP				
Mon 28	H Eastbourne B	BSQP				

JANUARY	TEAM	COMP	SCORE	ATT	AWAY	POS
Sun 3	A Histon	BSQP				
Sat 9	-	FAT2				
Sat 16	H Salisbury City	BSQP				
Sat 23	A Gateshead	BSQP				
Sat 30	H Ebbsfleet	BSQP				

FEBRUARY	TEAM	COMP	SCORE	ATT	AWAY	POS
Sat 6	A Barrow	BSQP				
Tue 9	H Oxford United	BSQP				
Sat 13	A Eastbourne B	BSQP				
Tue 16	H AFC Wimbledon	BSQP				
Sat 20	A York City	BSQP				
Sat 27	A Crawley Town	BSQP				

MARCH	TEAM	COMP	SCORE	ATT	AWAY	POS
Sat 6	A Hayes&Yeading	BSQP				
Sat 13	H Wrexham	BSQP				
Tue 16	H Kidderminster	BSQP				
Sat 20	A Ebbsfleet	BSQP				
Sat 27	H Hayes&Yeading	BSQP				

APRIL	TEAM	COMP	SCORE	ATT	AWAY	POS
Sat 3	A Stevenage	BSQP				
Mon 5	H Grays Athletic	BSQP				
Sat 10	A Tamworth	BSQP				
Sat 17	H Altrincham	BSQP				
Sat 24	A Rushden & D	BSQP				
TBA	A Mansfield Town	BSQP				



Tyler	Reynolds	Blackett	Pilkington	Emanuel*	Newton***
Tyler	Reynolds	Keane	PILKINGTON 2	Murray**	Newton***
Tyler	Keane	Pilkington	Blackett	Murray	Burgess
Tyler	Murray*	White	Pilkington	Blackett	Burgess
Tyler	Reynolds*	Pilkington	White	Blackett	Jarvis
Tyler	Keane	White	Pilkington	Newton***	Nicholls

Tyler	Gnakpa	White	PILKINGTON 2	Murray*	Newton***
Tyler	Gnakpa*	White**	Pilkington	Murray	Nicholls
Tyler	Keane	Pilkington	White	Blackett*	Jarvis
Tyler	Gnakpa*	White	Pilkington	Murray	Hall
Tyler	Gnakpa	White	Pilkington	Murray*	Newton
Tyler	Gnakpa*	White	Pilkington	Murray	Newton
Tyler	A-Adjaye*	White	Pilkington	Murray	Newton

Tyler	A-Adjaye*	White	Pilkington	Murray	Newton
Tyler	A-Adjaye*	White	Pilkington	Murray***	NEWTON 1
Tyler	A-Adjaye	White	Pilkington	Howells	Gnakpa**
Tyler	A-Adjaye	White	Pilkington	Howells	Newton
Tyler	Reynolds	White*	BLACKETT 1	Howells	Newton*
Tyler	A-Adjaye	White***	Pilkington	Howells	Newton

Gore	Keane	White	Pilkington	NEWTON 1	Burgess
Gore	A-Adjaye	Howells	White	Pilkington	Jarvis
K.Pilkington	White	Blackett	G.Pilkington	Murray	Gnakpa**
K.Pilkington	A-Adjaye	Blackett	G.Pilkington	Murray	GNAKPA 1
K.Pilkington	White	G.Pilkington	Blackett	Gnakpa*	Murray

K.Pilkington	White	G.Pilkington	Blackett*	Murray	Gnakpa
K.Pilkington	White	G.Pilkington	Blackett	Murray	Newton



Keane	Hall	Burgess	CRADDOCK 1**	Gallen
Burgess	Hall	Jarvis	CRADDOCK 1	Gallen*
HALL 1	Howells**	Jarvis	CRADDOCK*	GALLEN 1
Hall	Keane	Reynolds	CRADDOCK 1**	Gallen
Nicholls	Gallen	Burgess	Craddock	Basham**
Craddock**	Burgess*	Jarvis	Gallen	Murray

Nicholls	Keane	Jarvis	CRADDOCK 1	Gallen***
Keane	Jarvis	Newton	Craddock***	GALLEN 1
Nicholls	Hall	Newton	Gallen	Craddock**
Keane	Jarvis	Craddock	Gallen	NEWTON 1
Jarvis	Gallen**	Hall	Craddock	Hatch***
JARVIS 1	Hall	HOWELLS 1**	GALLEN 2***	Hatch
Nicholls**	Jarvis	Howells***	Hall	Craddock

Nicholls	Jarvis	HALL 1	Hatch**	WRIGHT 1***
Nicholls	Jarvis	Hall	Craddock	Wright**
Nicholls	Hall	NEWTON 1	Craddock	Wright*
Nicholls	HALL 1	Gnakpa	Craddock	Wright*
Pilkington	HALL 1	Burgess***	Gallen	Charles
Nicholls	Hall*	Jarvis**	Craddock	Gallen

Blackett	Gnakpa	BASHAM 2	Gallen	Murray
Burgess	Hall	Nicholls	GALLEN 2	Craddock
Keane	Nicholls	Newton	GALLEN 1	CRADDOCK 1*
Nicholls	Keane	Newton*	Gallen	CRADDOCK 1
Keane	Newton	Nicholls	Gallen***	CRADDOCK 1**

Nicholls	Keane	Newton	Craddock	Gallen**
Hall	Keane	Emanuel*	Barnes-Homer	Craddock**



Howells*	Jarvis***	Basham**	Gnakpa	Gore
Basham*	Howells**	Gnakpa***	Beavan	Gore
Gnakpa**	Basham*	Beavan	Watkins	Gore
Jarvis*	Howells	Gnakpa	Basham**	Gore
Murray*	Howells**	Gnakpa	Patrick	Gore
Blackett*	Howells***	Basham	Donnelly**	Gore

Blackett*	Hall**	Donnelly***	Basham	Gore
Hall*	Blackett**	Basham***	Donnelly	Gore
Murray*	Donnelly**	Howells	Basham	Gore
Blackett	Hatch*	Basham	Howells	Gore
Blackett*	Charles**	Donnelly***	Reynolds	Gore
Reynolds*	Blackett**	Craddock***	Charles	Gore
Gnakpa*	Wright**	Charles***	Blackett	Gore

Gnakpa*	Craddock**	Charles***	Blackett	Howells
Gnakpa*	CHARLES 1**	Howells***	Blackett	Gore
Charles*	Reynolds**	Burgess	Basham	Gore
Charles*	Burgess	Basham	Reynolds	Gore
Asafu-Adjaye*	Gnakpa*	Wood	Nathaniel***	Gore
Murray***	Burgess*	Gnakpa**	Charles	Gore
				Barker

A-Adjaye	Craddock	Hall	Howells	Reynolds
Blackett	Gnakpa	Newton	Charles	Reynolds
CRADDOCK 1*	Howells**	Asafu-Adjaye	Hall	Gore
CRADDOCK 1	Howells*	Burgess	Jarvis	Charles
CRADDOCK 1**	NWOKEJI 1*	Howells**	Hall***	Jarvis
				Gore
				A-Adjaye

Emanuel**	Barnes-Homer	*Jarvis	Cain	Gore
Cain*	Nwokeji**	Jarvis	Howells	Gore

HEAD 2 HEAD ANSWERS

1. Sean O'Driscoll, 2. Southport, 3. 1872, 4. Johannesburg, 5. The All Whites, 6. Gay Meadow, 7. Middlesbrough, 8. Crystal Palace, 9. Canada, 10. Bristol Rovers.

NEXT UP AT KENILWORTH ROAD

LUTON TOWN V FOREST GREEN ROVERS 19 / 12 / 09



**FOREST
GREEN
ROVERS**



The Hatters are next at Kenilworth Road a week on Saturday when they return to Blue Square Premier action to face Forest Green Rovers.

The two teams met for the first time earlier this season with Town edging out the Gloucestershire side 1-0 at the New Lawn with Tom Craddock grabbing the only goal of the match to claim three points for the Hatters.

Successive promotions in the late 90s sparked the beginning of Rovers most successful period in their history which landed them a place in the Conference League for the 1998/99 season which they finished in 12th position reaching the FA Trophy Final as well which they narrowly lost 1-0 to Kingstonian at Wembley.

In 2000 they reached the final of the FA Trophy for the second year running but unfortunately were beaten by Canvey Island 1-0 at Villa Park.

The club's best run in the FA Cup came last season when they reached the third round and faced Championship opposition Derby County but were defeated 4-3 after

having led their higher league opponents 2-0.

Rovers have had former England internationals playing in their traditional black and white stripes in recent years.

Former Aston Villa goalkeeper Nigel Spink made a handful of starts for the Nailsworth-based side in the 2000/01 season and former Villa and England winger Tony Daley also had a spell in Gloucestershire between 1999 and 2002 making over 50 appearances and scoring six goals.

Dave Hockaday's men have had a difficult start to this season and currently sit in the bottom four of the league table enduring heavy defeats to teams in the top-half of the league.

They lost 7-0 to Cambridge United back in September followed by two 5-2 defeats to the hands of Histon and AFC Wimbledon.

Rovers face a tough test in the FA Trophy when they visit Conference South side Woking at the weekend.

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LUTONTOWN

1	MARK TYLER
2	ED ASAFU-ADJAYE
3	LEWIS EMANUEL
4	KEITH KEANE
5	ALAN WHITE
6	GEORGE PILKINGTON
7	ADAM NEWTON
8	KEVIN NICHOLLS
9	LIAM HATCH
10	TOM CRADDOCK
12	SHANE BLACKETT
13	SHANE GORE
14	ASA HALL
15	JAKE HOWELLS
16	ROSSI JARVIS
17	RYAN CHARLES
18	CLAUDE GNAKPA
19	STEVE BASHAM
20	KEVIN GALLEN
21	CALLUM REYNOLDS
23	FREDDIE MURRAY
25	GEORGE BEAVAN
26	KEVIN PILKINGTON
27	MARK NWOKEJI
28	ASHLEY CAIN
29	MATTHEW BARNES-HOMER

ROTHIERHAM UTD

1	ANDY WARRINGTON
2	DALE TONGE
3	JAMIE GREEN
4	DANNY HARRISON
5	IAN SHARPS
6	NICK FENTON
7	MICHAEL CUMMINS
8	JASON TAYLOR
9	TOM POPE
10	NICKY LAW
11	STEPHEN BROGAN
12	MARC JOSEPH
14	MARK LYNCH
15	KEVIN ELLISON
16	PAUL WARNE
18	ADAM RUNDLE
20	RYAN TAYLOR
22	DREWE BROUGHTON
24	ANDY NICHOLAS
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Barnet	v Accrington Stanley
Barrow	v Oxford United
Stockport County	v Torquay United
Leeds United	v Kettering Town
Millwall	v Staines Town

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