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FIRST

WITH PRESS OFFICER ANDREW RARRINGER

Good evening and welcome back to Kenilworth Road for the last game of the season and indeed the final programme of what has been a long season full of ups and

Throughout the campaign this programme has featured a Last Word piece with the thoughts and opinions of journalists near and far, local and national and, with that particular page taken up by the team lineups tonight, I thought it was apt to end this series with a First

Last Thursday's victory at Wrexham embraced everything fantastic about this wonderful club and the support in the away end was superb.

I'll admit to celebrating the three goals by bouncing up and down on my seat in the pressbox whilst 829 of you were sent into raptures following goals from Alex Lawless, Claude Gnakpa and Ed Asafu-Adiave.

Being a Town fan sitting amongst the Wrexham support was always going to be difficult - keeping your head when your team race into a three-goal lead is tough, believe me.

While my celebrations to those wonderful goals were relatively reserved, I was eventually collared by an irate Wrexham supporter five minutes before the end when I questioned Claude's booking and told by the fan that my job was to be a neutral observer.

Football is a game of opinions, it always will be. For example there were plenty of discussions post-match between club officials, players and directors as to who scored the best goal of the

Celebrating goals in the pressbox is something I and all journalists that report on the team they support, have to curb.

Indeed there have been many times this season when members of the press visiting Kenilworth



Road have celebrated goals with real vigour and times when myself and the likes of Simon Pitts and Mark Wood have done the same.

If this is to be the final home game in nonleague football - and fingers and toes crossed that it is the case - I will always have fond memories of the warm and friendly faces I have encountered along the way whilst covering the

Whether it's the mini bars of chocolate dished out at half-time at Hayes & Yeading, the hug received by my counterpart at Mansfield on arrival, or the truly gorgeous cottage pies served at Kiddeminster, I know that should we not progress to the Promotion Final a week on Saturday - or get there and lose - that whichever league we are in a warm welcome will be found up and down the country

The visit to Wrexham last Thursday was the third successive time in the Blue Square Bet Premier the Town have played at the

Racecourse for a midweek fixture and the result made the 160-odd mile trip back to Bedfordshire all the more quicker despite the closures on the M1.

I've mentioned in live updates on the official website that when the Town have won a league fixture at the Racecourse the team have gone on to win promotion.

While I was a year off being born for one of those games, I will always remember the 2-1 win in 2005 after coming from a goal down to lift the League 1 title.

I celebrated like any fan would that day given the significance of the victory and elevation to the Championship and, while I doubt such celebrations will be seen like that in the pressbox today or - hopefully - at the City of Manchester Stadium, all I hope is the Hatters are on the right side of success...after all this job is always easier when we win.

Keep believing.



HONOURS

Littlewoods Challenge Cup Winners 1988 Runners-up 1989

F.A.Cup Runners-up 1959 Semi-finalists 1959, 1985, 1988, 1994

Johnstone's Paint Trophy Winners 2009

> Simod Cup Runners-up 1988

Football League Division Two Champions 1981/82 Runners-up 1954/55, 1973/74

Football League Division Three (South) Winners 1936/37 Runnersup 1935/36

Football League Division Three Runners-up 1969/70

> League One Champions 2004/05

Football League Division Four Champions 1967/68

> **League Division Three** Runners-up 2001/02

Blue Square Premier Runners-up 2009/10

Southern League Division One Runners-up 1894/95, 1895/96

Southern League Division Two Runners-up 1913/14

United League Champions 1897/98 Runners-up 1896/97, 1900/01

> Southern Alliance Runners-up 1913/14

FROM THE BOARDROOM

Good evening and welcome all to what I hope is a packed Kenilworth Road tonight for our last home game of the season.

And what an important game it is! We've grafted our way through months and months of football in sun and snow, rain and frost, through 60 first team matches including this one - the most we've ever played in our history - and now the end product depends on 90 minutes tonight and, we hope, the climax in Manchester a week on Saturday.

As ever, there've been plenty of highs and lows, some moments of deep sadness plus occasions for a good old laugh. On that last note, how many of us have seen the ball burst in a professional football match? As those of you who were there will know, it happened in the FA Trophy at Guiseley back in February. As two opposing boots crashed into the ball simultaneously, there was a loud bang and the inner bladder of the ball ballooned out like a massive blister! Hilarious and a first for me!

Many of us will have poignant memories of Allan Brown who died just a few weeks ago. He was an integral part of the side in my early days as a supporter of Luton Town, one of my first heroes, and becomes the fourth member of our FA Cup Final side of 1959 to have passed away. Not only was he a terrific player for us, he also starred in a great Blackpool side alongside Sir Stanley Matthews, amongst others.

Also, to the distress of thousands of fans and all of us at the club itself, we suffered the shocking loss of lan Pearce, a long time Luton supporter and a familiar, popular voice as a commentator over the airwaves with BBC Three Counties radio. His passion, perception and personality are sorely missed by us all. How thrilled he would have been, with our performance at Wrexham last Thursday!

On the field of play, many things have delighted

me this season. The exciting arrival of such talented players as Danny Crow, Dan Gleeson, Alex Lawless, Robbie Willmott, Jason Walker, Zdenek Kroca, Dan Walker, Amari Morgan-Smith, Godfrey Poku and Lloyd Owusu - they've all done something to brighten our lives, haven't they, whether it's stunning goals, crunching tackles (yes, you, Godfrey!), brilliant interceptions, thumping headers or a scintillating pass?

And then there's the enduring and consistent form of players such as Mark Tyler, George Pilkington, Keith Keane and Jake Howells. What superb seasons they've all had. Plus some really excellent goals from Matthew Barnes-Homer. He's had his critics, but I think everyone appreciates what a tenacious and skilful player he can be-some of goals have been magnificent. A word about Adam Newton too. At one stage, there was a real danger his career was over through injury, but he's come back bravely and played his part in the crucial run-in to the end of the season.

And then there's Claude! A man possessed in the last few weeks, terrifying defences and scoring some blinding goals. Plus a special word for Ed Asafu-Adjaye. Like many fellow fans, I am delighted to see his renaissance after what must have been a distinctly troubling time for him. He's come back from his loan spell and shown us just what a good player he is. I think we were all particularly happy for him when scored at Wrexham on Thursday.

What about Andy Drury? He truly lit up this league. A fabulously gifted player who contributed so much to our early season. We did well to sign him in the first place, a glowing tribute to our reputation for playing good, passing football. He joined us when he could have stayed with Stevenage and gone up into the Football League. Part of his deal, though, was that he could talk to other clubs if they offered £150,000 or more. Who can blame him for taking his chance in the Championship at

Ipswich, even though it was a terrible blow at the time? His performance at Charlton Athletic in the FA Cup was outstanding - in fact, the whole team's performance at the Valley has to be one of the highlights of the season.

As far as results go, it's fair to say we've often underachieved this season, particularly with draws that should have been wins. I'm thinking of Newport, Bath, Cambridge, Mansfield, AFC Wimbledon and even Crawley - away games we could and should have won which was very frustrating! We should never have lost the home game against Crawley either, and that was a late, cruel blow.

Then there's the nightmare of the weather. One of the worst winters in living memory meant loads of games had to be postponed around Christmas and I just hate not having a game to go to on Boxing Day. It was a tricky time for the players-training was a problem and they had to cope with missing the week to week schedule of matches. As a result, the schedule became almost impossibly heavy with the rearranged matches piling up through the rest of the season. Having said that, it was the poor old pitch that really suffered. It became a right old heap but it's recovered magnificently now, as groundsman Richard Bird predicted it would once conditions improved. Well done to him and all involved.

Because of my job, I can't always get to midweek games, but I like to think that someone from my family is flying the Owen flag at just about every game, whether it's up at Barrow or down at Eastbourne. Andy, Tim, Chris and Jenny are just as passionate as I am about this club and cover thousands of miles between them each

Talking about devotion, I must mention Keith Brooksbank from Liverpool who seems always to be there, home and away, however difficult his train journey is from Liverpool. Plus Santa-lookalike Nigel Martin and his son Sam who are everpresents from

Portsmouth. Just three of our remarkable band of dedicated supporters. I am proud to be a fellow traveller! So tonight we welcome the directors, fans and players from Wrexham for the second leg of the Play-Off semi-final.

Our performance at the Racecourse Ground was absolutely outstanding - a tremendous tribute to the way Gary Brabin has organised and inspired the players.

He's had a massive influence and I thank him for that. We have a 30 lead, but we should never take the final outcome.

for granted.

Please support the team as passionately as ever - it is so important to the players - and let's hope we can make it through to Eastlands and thence back to where we belong.

Bye for now.





FROM THE BOARDROOM

Whoever said "a week is a long time in football" was stating the obvious and probably didn't have Luton Town in mind. As Hatters supporters, how many times have we made this statement to one another? Is there another club which has experienced such dynamic highs and lows as our very own?

In the recent past we have had eventful weeks, such as when we exited administration and signed 14 players just a couple of days before we kicked off a new season; we have won the Football League Trophy and got relegated just a few days later and, of course, we have received a deduction of 30 points from the various football authorities virtually eliminating our chances of survival for that season; the season For those who have been lucky enough to be holidaying on a desert island over the last few weeks, the charges concern the alleged existence of an agreement between QPR and a third party in respect of Faurlin's economic rights, and the alleged failure by OPR to notify the FA of such an agreement before the player was registered to play in England.

More pertinently to us, the club was also been charged with, and found guilty of, using or seeking to pay an unauthorised agent as part of the deal; the offence which our Club's previous owners were also guilty of and for which we were harshly punished. This sentence relegated us and, as a result, cost our Club over £2m in costs and loss of revenue, not including the inconsistency of such decisions, are the most frustrating and exasperating element of the modem game.

Let's be clear. (the current owners of) QPR and (the former custodians of) Luton Town both cheated. But inconsistent bureaucracy gave QPR access to Premier League status and condemned Luton Town down to the Conference. Both of these decisions cannot be correct, can they?

Having been forced to give up the right to appeal and with any high court action being futile there is little we can do about the situation

...or is there?

If nothing else, everyone connected with Luton Town can hold their heads high with the knowledge that any deceit has been fully paid for. We have our honour and pride intact and we are unreservedly convinced that we are in better shape now than we ever have been for quite some time.

The experiences we have endured over the last three years have made us much, much stronger, more dedicated than ever and with an absolute determination to seek our reprisal by delivering success on the pitch.

So, here we are. On the verge of a Promotion Final in Manchester with no greater incentive than the prize of returning Football League action to our supporters, eager to get the job done, thriving on the anticipation and thrill of the opportunity.

Teamwork has set us apart over recent weeks and it is by no coincidence that this is so. Gary

with strengthening an already capable squad.

the targets we originally set ourselves starting

Brabin's appointment, only six weeks ago, has culminated with a commanding team spirit amongst his staff and players; all demonstrating the commitment and determination, with honour, that is rapidly becoming our club

I am sure you would all join me in expressing our heartfelt thanks to Brabs and his team for their recent implementation of their expertise leading us to where we are now. Neils, Dimi, Simon (our physio who has been a revelation since joining midway through the season) and their support staff of Darren, Laura, Paul and Chats have embraced the new spirit with enthusiastic assurance.

Being free of loans and debt and with losses diminishing makes our future assured and optimistic, but only with you, our supporters, being integral to the team spirit.

Your unwavering devotion has been glorious this season as demonstrated in North Wales last Thursday evening: players and supporters performing in unison. Your attendance and vocal support is a vital ingredient to our success and we plead you to make sure that we dominate any game at the home of Manchester City, on and off the field.

Should we fail, what happens then? In simple terms, we shall proudly pick ourselves up and go again, only this time with even more commitment and determination as before. We are committed and possess the energy and desire to leave no stone unturned to avoid becoming stagnant.

With no disrespect to Wrexham, AFC Wimbledon or Fleetwood, we firmly believe we won't need to rely on these contingencies.

For the time being, and hopefully for only

another 180 minutes, we may have to endure Conference football but, together, our heart and soul will always be Premier League.

Enjoy the entertainment!



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which relegated us to the league we are planning to continue our escape from this evening.

I don't mean to cast any anguish on what we hope to be a jubilant evening tonight, however, in the same week we exquisitely position ourselves within touching distance of the Promotion Final with the sole aim of returning to the Football League, the football world is silenced into confusion by the Football Association's decision to merely fine Queens Park Rangers, allegedly one of the wealthiest clubs in England, for their misdemeanours surrounding the signing of midfielder Alejandro Faurlin.

the organic football progression we would have expected otherwise - a far cry from the penalty OPR received.

Even Mark Palios, the former FA Chief Executive, was quoted to say before the decision that the penalty handed down to Luton had set a precedent and predicted a similar points deduction for the Rangers for the same

It is mildly comparable to the mind-boggling scenario which we have witnessed so many times this season whereby referees and linesmen have officiated the offside law in a variety of ways. Such authoritative decisions that cannot be challenged, or more specifically

Should we be good enough to win through the next two games we will return as a stable, progressive and ambitious club eager to resume

FROM THE BOARDROOM

Welcome to everyone on what promises to be an exciting evening at Kenilworth Road. We welcome Wrexham-their players, staff and fans to Luton Town just a few days after they last visited.

We need a professional performance tonight and we must ensure that we put any opportunity for nail biting well out of reach. The squad, manager, and coaching staff did us all proud last Thursday but they know our task still has some distance to qo yet.

Rather than a review of the season from my perspective, I wanted to take the opportunity in these programme notes to talk about the team you rarely see at Kenilworth Road – all those people behind the scenes that do so much that goes unsung:

People often think that we have a massive backroom staff, commensurate with teams much higher in the pyramid than ourselves.

The truth is very different with many people being part-time or voluntary, and the full-time staff equating to just 20-25 people at any given time.

These people manage and organise a huge range of activities outside of their normal matchday duties – from teaching programmes to coaching courses to helping charities to community work. Whether these people be part-time, voluntary, or on the full-time staff, without exception they give 100% and go well beyond the call of duty. The improvements the Club has made are simply not possible without them.

Whatever the outcome of tonight's game and our promotion ambitions we think the team behind the scenes take huge credit for the massive leap forward the Club has taken over the past three seasons.

The ticket office continues to provide a great

service and has gone online too: the shop has offered products this year that have been unique and well received - also online; the ground staff have worked tirelessly on the pitch in what has been a very difficult weather situation; the commercial team have given a huge number of people a raft of great memories; our award winning programme and online Hatters Player has kept all fans - near and far - up to speed on the latest developments; our accounts team who make sure we watch the pennies; the catering team who have improved our service provision and the standards to which we operate; our dedicated stewards have improved the customer service and safety across the ground; our maintenance team have ensured that the ground and training facility have been kept in the best condition even though it is an aging stadium: the Club Secretary who manages many official requirements and unites all the departments to ensure the 2020 philosophy; our Head Scout for youth and his team of talent spotters; our partners and sponsors have been extremely generous in their time and financial support across so many areas to help us do more and improve what we offer, and not forgetting the investors who remain totally committed to the Club and continue to help fund many of our activities.

And we do not forget all the people that help on matchdays to allow us to make sure we give the best experience we can every week – programme sellers, gate men, executive stewards, Happy "Wembley Save' Harry, St John's, Junior Hatters, and ballboys as well as many others – including the PA team who gave us the Great Escape!

We are especially pleased with the fantastic increase in the number of young people that have benefited from our community programmes. This is down to the hard work of a number of people within our Football in The Community programme, Talent Identification Programme, Hatters Study, and Centre of

Excellence to name some.

We truly thank the people involved in these areas who work tirelessly to bring the Luton Town name to so many and leave them having had a great experience of the programmes – sporting or educational – that we now offer across the county.

Players too have played their part in attending and promoting these programmes when they are not training. Girls and boys from a diverse background have been helped, with a third of our intake in non-sporting educational programmes and the remainder through sport and football.

To give an idea of the work they have achieved with youngsters this season, a few facts:

- Hatters Study educational programmes now provide 10% of the local authority requirement for one-to-one tuition
- Via 2,000+ outreach programmes since 2009 over 600 children in Luton have benefitted
- Via your support, the Club has contributed tens of thousands of pounds to improve our community offer through classroom provision, advertising, tickets and merchandise
- The Club Partnership scheme now covers more than 40 youth clubs and includes professional coaching for partners, as well as Fair Player Agreements so that we work with clubs in partnership when one of their players has a chance to progress in the game
- Our TIPS programme has seen well over 1,000 potential talents this season, signing 60 players, through an open and democratic system
- The TIPS programme has had three first-team debuts this season with two players being Luton born and bred

- We pride ourselves on ethnic diversity and we have coaches from a myriad of cultural backgrounds. They are supported by a fantastic network of scouts who represent the community and have helped us sign 16 under-18s this season
- We have eight Football in the Community Centres across Beds and Herts offering affordable courses that engage over 500 youngsters every week
- FiTC run soccer camps for 300 children in halfterm and over 1,000 children during the summer holidays
- FTTC has 20 part time coaches providing fun and development for children across the county

I hope you agree that this is a massive leap forward to the set up that 2020 inherited three years ago that quite frankly was, like the Club, on its knees.

It doesn't stop there though. Being part of the community is more than that. And our backroom team do even more:

- Over 80 charities helped this season raising literally tens of thousands of pounds for local good causes
- Employing a larger quota than most companies of those less advantaged than us
- Given over 3,000 free tickets to those who wouldn't otherwise get to see live football
- Liaised with local community groups to help children and parents visit Kenilworth Road
- Through your donations, over £10,000 raised for good causes via bucket collections
- Behind the scenes school tours take place regularly
- Responded to over 2,500 emails from fans near and far on a huge range of subjects – most continue to be answered within 24 hours with everyone getting a personal response.

We have always said that our Club must be part of its community and give as well as take.

Without exception all staff have given their all to help Luton Town Football Club regain the respect in the community the Club once had. We know we still have a way to go, but hopefully the above facts show that not only are we all committed, but we will all continue our efforts to be even better next season.

All of this would of course be pointless and not possible without you – true Hatters supporting your Club.

We are in great shape and that is in no small part due to our unsung heroes.

When the team come out of the tunnel today, how about giving just that little bit extra when you cheer in recognition of our unsung heroes who mean so much to the Club?

And one final word. A personal thank you from the bottom of my heart to Karen and Luke - without you I could not do what I do.

Enjoy the game - sing loud and proud!



GARY

Good evening and welcome back to Kenilworth Road for tonight's important semi-final second leg against Wrexham.

I'd like to extend a warm welcome to Dean Saunders, his players and staff, the directors and supporters of the Dragons.

We come into this evenings match off the back of a thoroughly impressive performance at the Racecourse last Thursday but, although we find ourselves in a strong position, the most important thing for us to get through this evening is guarding against complacency.

Whatever the outcome of the first leg was it was always going to be half-time but that victory was a very good start for us and has given us a wonderful platform to build on this evening.

To score three goals without reply is a superb effort from the players and to get them in the manner and style in which they did it is even more satisfying.

The work-rate of the players impressed me most on the night and it resulted in a deserved victory.

However, us managers are hard people to please and, despite the result, there were a couple things that I was disappointed with.

We created a number of opportunities: we hit the crossbar, the post and had other chances to go further in front and while it's pleasing to be creating so many it's obviously frustrating that they were not converted.

Wrexham got on top in the second half and I

thought we took our foot off the pedal slightly in the second 45 minutes.

I said after the game that sometimes it can be difficult to focus the players' minds when you race into such a substantial lead so early in the game. Thoughts can guick turn to how long is left until half-time or, as in our case in the second half, that the job is done and taking our foot off the pedal can be extremely dangerous.

We cannot afford to go into this evening's game with that thinking and I will be telling the players that the job is only half done. Dean will tell his players to give it their all tonight and we not only need to quard against complacency but deal with the attacking threat Wrexham will no doubt pose.

I do not want to be coming off the pitch tonight frustrated that not taking our chances has cost us a place in the Promotion Final. The players know what I expect from them but I do not want to take anything away from them after Thursday's result because there's no getting away that it was an excellent all-round performance.

We set the standard at the Racecourse last week and we've been preparing for this second leg in the same way.

The match was pleasing, however, on so many levels. Little things that we have worked on in both training and in matches came off but the thing I am most happy with is the confidence and work ethic in the group at the minute.

I said when I first took over that the most important factor in getting success was to get our players playing with a confidence, belief and with a smile on their faces.

Progressively that has been evident in our games in recent weeks, cumulating in Thursday's victory.

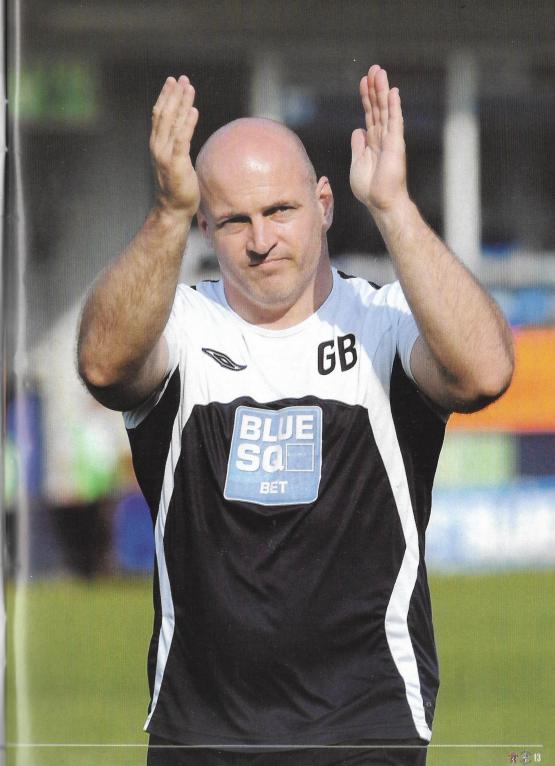
Tonight's game is far from a foregone conclusion and I hope you will be able to back the team this evening to even greater heights.

Those that travelled to Wrexham last Thursday made themselves heard and I urge you all to do the same tonight. It might be a big and overused cliché but your vocal backing of the team really does make a difference.

Since I have taken charge I have been blown away by the support the team and myself have received. I hope we can reward your loyalty and passion by giving you a trip to Eastlands to enjoy on 21st May.

Thank you for your support.





GARY BRABIN'S SHIRT IS SPONSORED BY



CAPTAIN SPEAKING

Good evening and welcome to you all for this Play-Off semi-final second leg fixture with Wrexham – our visitors for the second home game running.

These are my final notes of the campaign and I can't quite believe where the time has gone. It only seems like yesterday that the season began against Altrincham back in August.

This evening will be our 60th match of the season and success could mean one more important match is still to come if all goes to plan. This is the sort of game we all want to play in, it's the reason why we all wanted to become footballers.

This second leg has been an eagerly anticipated one – even before last Thursday's first leg at the Racecourse.

Naturally we were absolutely delighted to win and even more thrilled to do it in the manner in which we did. People may have been surprised by the result and the margin of victory but we weren't. We have been playing some top football recently, playing with a real attacking verve and confidence.

Admittedly it did come as a little surprise to see us go in at half-time with a three-goal and in truth if there was anything we were disappointed with on the night it was that we couldn't go on convert the further chances we created. A 40 or 50 victory wouldn't have flattered us.

We know, however, that it is only half-time overall in the tie. There's another 90 minutes of football ahead of and we know that Wrexham are capable of pulling the aggregate scores level. The job is definitely not done and we must guard against complacency. If play anywhere near like we did at the Racecourse last week we will be more than happy.

We went into the game determined to build a first-leg advantage. After last season's defeat to York City we knew it was vital to make sure we came away with something from the first leg. Last season we dominated the first leg and missed a host of chances before being punished a minute before time.

That put us under immense pressure to get a result in the second leg which ultimately ended in disappointment and frustration.

With that experience still at the back of our minds we knew how important it was and we said in the dressing room beforehand on Thursday that we needed to get a positive result to give us a fighting chance of reaching the Promotion Final at Eastlands.

It was a fantastic result in North Wales and I was incredibly proud of our performance and the goals scored on the evening by Alex, Claude and Ed were absolutely top drawer. I must pay tribute to Ed because that was his first senior goal – what a time to break your duck in professional football.

As I've touched on already, Wrexham will come here intent on pulling back the aggregate deficit. In the games prior to last Thursday's meeting, we know what a goos side they can be. Like ourselves, they have a strong squad with plenty of strength in depth – they showed that in final game of the regular league season.

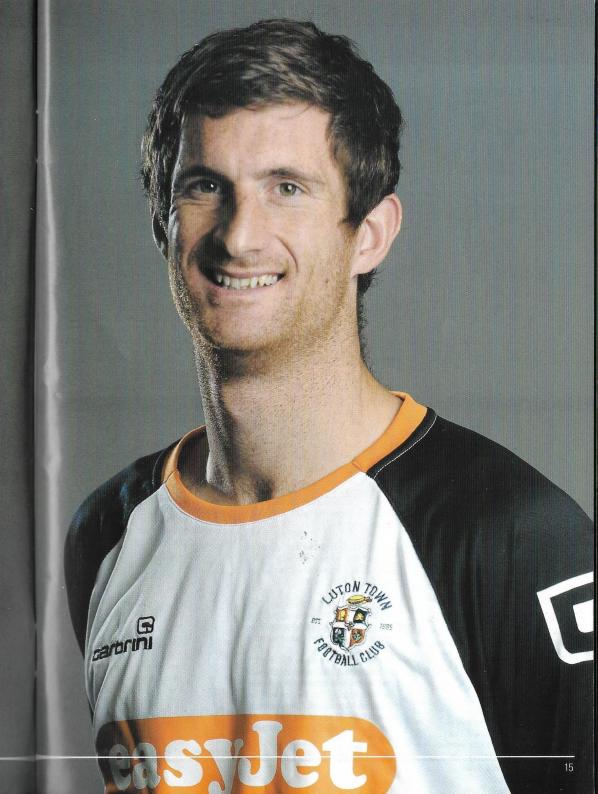
Over 800 of you made the trip last Thursday and I thank each and every one of you for making the long journey. The atmosphere you created was phenomenal and I'm pleased we were able to reward your loyalty with such a performance.

All over the country, throughout the campaign, you have been there in your numbers and tonight we need 9,000 of you to raise the roof and encourage us even further. Your backing does make a difference.

Thank you for the support in the past 59 games and here's hoping there's a 61st for you to enjoy.

Enjoy the game

half.



INTRODUCING

WREXHAM



CLUB HISTORY

Wrexham Football Club was formed in September 1872 when members of the local cricket club met at the Turf Hotel with 'the purpose of starting a football club for the ensuing season'.

Apart from two seasons in the Welsh League. have always played their league football over the border in England and they were elected into the newly formed Football League Third Division (North) in 1921.

In 1966 Wrexham hit rock bottom finishing 92nd and so having to apply for reelection. This was to prove a turning point. Promotion from the Fourth Division followed in 1970, with the club then constantly near the top of the Third in the race for another step up.

Promotion to Division Two was missed on the last day of 1976/77, but the following season Wrexham bounced back in style. Following four seasons in the Second Division relegation in 1983 heralded a low period for the club, as they then slipped into Division Four 12 months later and struggled for another five years.

Promotion under Dixie McNeil was snatched from their grasp just seven minutes from the end of the Play-Off Final with Orient in 1989. McNeil left six months later and Brian Flynn

took over, starting a 12-year reign at the Racecourse, which made him the longest serving of any manager in the club's history.

After a close shave with demotion to the Conference in 1990, they famously struck back to beat league champions Arsenal in the FA Cup in January 1992. This was the spark that pointed the club towards promotion in 1993.

Flynn's departure in 2001 paved the way for Denis Smith to take the helm and relegation in 2002 was followed by promotion just 12 months later

The club became the first Football League side to collect what is now a mandatory 10-point deduction for entering administration but won the LDV Vans Trophy in 2005.

A poor start to the 2007/08 saw Brian Carev step aside to allow the experienced Brian Little to take charge but he was unable to halt the team's slide and Wrexham finished bottom of

In October 2008, Little parted company with the Dragons with assistant-manager Dean Saunders stepping into the hot seat but Wrexham's first campaign in non-league football for 87 years end in a disappointing 10th place before another mid-table finish last



MEET THE MANAGER:

Former Swansea, Oxford, Derby, Liverpool and Aston Villa star who ended his playing days at Bradford City after a glittering career which included full 75 Wales caps.

Having been a keen student of the game throughout his career. Saunders initially joined the coaching staff at Valley Parade before linking up with his former Liverpool manager Graeme Souness once again at Blackbum.

The pair then moved to Newcastle United in 2004, with Saunders by then occupying the assistant manager's role until the former's dismissal in February 2006.

The fourth highest goalscorer for Wales with 22 senior goals, Saunders was appointed assistant to national team manager John Toshack. In opting to take his first managerial position at Wrexham in October 2008, the 46-year-old agreed that he would also maintain his role within the Welsh set-



It is only five days since the first leg but for both sets of players it will seem like a lot longer than that, for very different reasons, since the final whistle blew at the Racecourse.

The Wrexham players will be chomping at the bit to put right the disappointment of that night in North Wales and give themselves a platform from which they can mount a

Faced with a challenge of how to lift his team for the return fixture tonight, manager Dean Saunders cut more of a frustrated figure than an annoyed one on the final whistle.

The former Liverpool and Aston Villa striker explained to www.wrexhamafc.co.uk: "I'm not angry really, but feel more sorry for the players. We just didn't turn up tonight.

"To work as hard as we have done all season and then to play in an occasion like that - a big crowd and live on television - but we were beaten by a better team and it could have been worse

"We let three in and it could have been more. We did better in the second half and had a few ourselves"

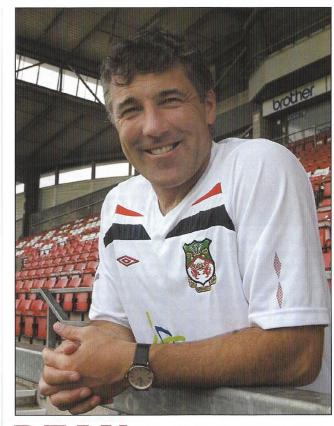
As disappointed as he was, Saunders still believes his side have something more than just pride to play for by challenging his players to attack the Hatters in the same fashion they took the game to their hosts.

"It's not dead and buried for the second leg, but we would have to score the first goal at Luton." he said. What is for sure, we won't play as badly again next week.

"We did at least keep it at 30 in the second half, as 40 would have been a mountain to climb. If we can get the first goal, then hopefully they play bad.

"The odds will be stacked against us, but I have to say well done to Luton, as they took their chances when they had them. And when we had chances, they were able to clear them away. On the day, they were a better team than

"I was just surprised at the way we played. We had a disastrous result against Gateshead and it felt a bit similar to that.



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"It is though disappointing for everyone. The fans have turned up in big numbers and there were plenty more watching on television.

For the players, it was one of the highlights of their careers - but in the end some of them were like rabbits caught in the headlights of a car!

"I'm now thinking about how I'm going to lift this group of players and how we are going to score three goals.

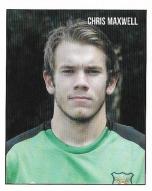
"Away goals don't count in this one and we are capable of scoring three goals. We did that at Cambridge early in the game, so we know we can do it."





GOALKEEPERS

CHRIS MAXWELL



The current Welsh Under-21 international keeper, Chris is a product of the club's highly successful youth policy. Bom in St Asaph, the 20-year-old spent part of the 2008/09 season on loan with Welsh Premiership side Connah's Quay Nomads gaining valuable first-team experience in the process. He returned to the Racecourse to sign a new 18-month contract and he made his Dragons' senior debut in a 1-0 home defeat against Altrincham at Easter 2009. An injury to then first choice goalkeeper saw Maxwell handed a regular place in the side and he responded with a series of fine displays, which included a string of clean sheets.

JOSLAIN MAYEBI

Joined the Dragons in late December after a trial period and the departure of Scott Shearer to Crawley Town. Born in the Cameroon, he has also played for the likes of FC Metz, AEK Lamaca, Hakoah Ramat Gan and Maccabi Ahi Nazareth, while owning a French passport. Joslain has been selected for the Cameroon national team at the 2008 Summer Olympics and was also called into their squad for a 2010 FIFA World Cup qualifier against Togo in March 2009.

DEFENDERS

MARVIN ANDREWS

Former Trinidad & Tobago stalwart has over 100 caps for his country, not to mention domestic league and cup successes with both Rangers and Livingston in Scotland. The centrehalf has also been Raith Rovers, Hamilton Academicals and Queen of the South, but it was at Ibrox that he is best remembered for his towering performances that even earned him their Player of the Trophy in 2005. Now in his mid-30s, he arrived at Wrexham after recommendations.

NEIL ASHTON

A left-back who has totted up some 200 senior appearances while with Tranmere, Shrewsbury, Macclesfield and Chester City. The 25-year-old began training with Wrexham in January 2010, as Chester's demise left him without a club. He played in several reserve team games and signed a one-year contract in the summer of 2010.

CHRIS BLACKBURN

Based in Northwich, Chris headed north from Aldershot Town in the summer of 2010, despite being offered a new contract by the Shots, following a two-year stint at the Recreation Ground. He started his career at hometown club Chester City as a youth product. Initially a midfielder he signed full pro forms at the Deva Stadium in 2000, he made 87 appearances for the Cheshire side between 1999 and 2003 before leaving in the summer of 2003. He went to America where he played briefly, as a striker, for Nevada Wonders in the USL Pro Select League. On his return to England, he signed for Northwich Victoria and then assisted Morecambe into the Football League in 2007, before signing for Swindon Town and then moving onto Aldershot a year later.

MARK CREIGHTON

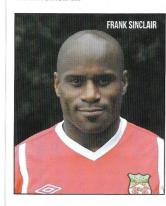
Towering centre-half who started his career as a youngster with Kidderminster Harriers before playing with a number of local sides in the Birmingham area. It was from Redditch United that the Harriers picked him up again and he became a regular in their lineup for several seasons. A move to Oxford United followed in 2009 and he was part of the U's team that returned to the Football League in the summer of 2010. Mark played a number of times for United in 2010/11, but joined Wrexham on loan in November. That deal was turned permanent in early January 2011, as he signed an 18-month contract after performing so impressively at the heart of the Dragons' defence.

CURTIS OBENG

A product of Manchester City's youth system,

Obeng is a highly-rated right-sided defender who joined Wrexham on a two-year contract in August 2009. Still only 20, he had a brief trial spell with Celtic before spending part of the 2009 preseason with Wigan Athletic. Bom in Stretford, the England Under-19 and 'C' international joined City as a 10-year old, despite being a confirmed United fan.

FRANK SINCLAIR



Vastly experienced player whose defensive expertise has proved invaluable since joining the club in late August 2009. Both an FA Cup and League Cup winner during his days with Chelsea and Leicester, the 38-year-old has also played for West Brom (loan), Burnley, Huddersfield, Lincoln and Wycombe (loan). Having helped the Chairboys to promotion from League 2 in 2009 with a string of commanding performances in central defence.

MIDFIELDERS

DAVID BROWN

Joined from Forest Green Rovers, the former Manchester United trainee has been at a number of Conference clubs during his career and even helped Accrington Stanley to gain promotion to the Football League. Was also briefly manager at the New Lawn in 2009, before returning to his playing duties.

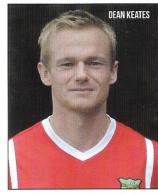
ADRIAN CIESLEWICZ

A Polish Under-19 international, Adrian spent nearly three years at Manchester City before his release in 2009. Primarily a right-sided midfield with lightening pace, he can also operate as a second striker and has a good goalscoring record with the Blues' reserve side. Although Polish by birth, Adrian grew up in the Faroe Islands, where his father was a professional footballer. He made his first start for the Dragons in the 2009/10 season opener with Eastbourne, winning a vital penalty to help secure the points.

JAY HARRIS

The former Accrington Stanley and Chester City midfielder joined the Dragons in the summer of 2010 following a year out of the game. He was originally an apprentice with Everton before moving onto Accrington in 2006 and playing some over 70 games over the next two seasons, a move to the Deva followed in 2008. Still only 23, he has over 100 appearances to his credit.

DEAN KEATES



Vastly experienced midfielder, who has won promotion six times with three different clubs. Beginning his career with his hometown club Walsall, Keates made his professional debut as a substitute in October 1996, playing 150 times before later settling in with Hull City, Kiddemninster, Lincoln City, Walsall (again), Peterborough and finally Wycombe. His career to date has seen him make over 500 senior appearances and score over 50 goals. Leaving the Chairboys in the summer of 2010, he accepted and offer from Wrexham to switch to the Bacecourse.

NATHANIEL KNIGHT-PERCIVAL

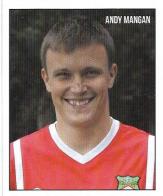
Picked up from Conference rivals Histon, after his contract expired in May 2010. Nathaniel was a key member of the Stutes squad, having made his way through the youth ranks at the club and played as a virtual ever present since they joined the Conference in 2007, but was though a firstteam regular with them since 2005. His performances were also recognised by Paul Fairclough, the England non-league team manager, who awarded Nat with his first Encland C call up.

JAMIE TOLLEY

Tolley began his career as a trainee with Shrewsbury Town, and made his debut for the club in November 1999. Aged just 16 years and 193 days, he became the youngest player in Shrews' history. He eventually joined Macclesfield, a week into the 2006/07 season. After his releases from Moss Rose, Jamie signed a year's contract at Second Division Hereford United, however, a disappointing spell saw him make only 10 appearances and ended with his contract termination by mutual consent in March 2010. In July 2010, Jamie joined Wrexham on trial, featuring in several pre-season friendlies before signing a short-term deal with the club, in an attempt to prove his match fitness to manager Dean Saunders

STRIKERS

ANDY MANGAN



Top scorer in the Blue Square Premier during 2008/09, Mangan was s a welcome addition to the Dragons' forward line having completed a reported £30,000 move from Forest Green Rovers in the January transfer window last season. The 23-year-old Liverpool-born striker etted three times against Wrexham in 2008/09 on his way to a 26-goal haul. After he was handed a five-month ban by the FA in

August 2009 for breaching betting rules, the former Blackpool, Hyde, Accrington and Bury goalscorer returned to action with an all-action display in The Dragons' 1-0 home win over AFC Wimbledon.

ANDY MORRELL

Was the Football League's top goalscorer in 2003, when previously at the Racecourse, and as a result moved onto play for Championship dub Coventry City. He has also enjoyed spells with both Blackpool and Bury, before returning to Wrexham in the summer of 2010. Andy scored goals for fun with Newcastle Blue Star while at University in the city, and then impressed during a trial period at Wrexham to be offered his first professional contract in 1998 at the age of 24.

MATHIAS POGBA

Striker who joined the dub from a lower league side in France, after serving his time with Celta Vígo in Spain. A 20-year-old bustling centre forward who has made his mark in the reserves and now looking to do the same in the first-team. Scored his first senior goal when wrapping up a 2-0 win over Bath City over the New Year.

GARETH TAYLOR

A vastly experienced Welsh international, Gareth has enjoyed a 20-year career encompassing spells with Bristol Rovers, Crystal Palace, Sheffield United, Manchester City, Port Vale (loan), OPR (loan), Bumley, Nottingham Forest, Crewe Alexandra (loan), Tranmere Rovers, Doncaster Rovers and Carlisle United (loan). With 122 goals in 505 league appearances, his ability to lead the line and was our top scorer in 2009/10 with 10 goals.

MARC WILLIAMS

The Bangor-bom Welsh Under-21 international was Wrexham's talisman in 2008/09, netting 17 goals in just 29 appearances. Sadly a broken metatarsal sustained against Salisbury in February prematurely ended both his campaign and ultimately the Dragons' promotion hopes. The injury re-occurred early in 2009/10, finishing his season before it had really even started. He and Mike Williams became the first brothers to score in the same game for Wrexham since the 1890s, when they both netted in a 2-1 win at Mansfield in October 2008.

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Tonight sees our final home game of the season and the second visit of Wrexham in a matter of days, only this time there is a huge prize at stake. As expected this game has caught the imagination and with it due to be a self-out and one of the most important matches since last year's semi-final with York City.

Should we be lucky enough to progress this evening, the final will be at Eastlands, the City of Manchester Stadium on 21st May. There will be a number of hospitality packages available and should we be involved, we will release informationvia our official website.

It promises to be an exciting and busy few weeks at Kenilworth Road with the Play-Offs, our end of season dinner and our 2020 cricket day.

For the Play-Off game we still have corporate hospitality spaces while for our end of season dinner - that will see Gary Brabin, Alan Neilson and Dmitri Kharine joined by Town legends Kirk Stephens, Kevin Nicholls, Ron Baynham and Marvin Johnson, Tickets for this are still available and cost £60.

Our 2020 cricket day on 28th May has already generated plenty of interest, especially in the local community and further details will follow in the lead-up to this unique event that will be held at Kenilworth Road.

If you have any queries or questions or would like to book hospitality for next season, such as

executive boxes, then please get in touch on the number or email address at the bottom of this

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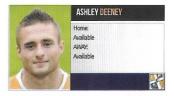


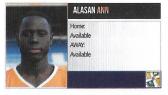
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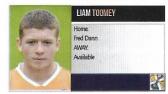


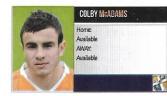




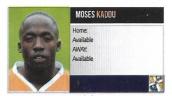


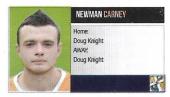
















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AWARDS A PLENTY

Before our last home game with Wrexham, goalkeeper Mark Tyler and captain George Pilkington picked up end-of-season awards.

The Town stopper picked up the Loyal Luton Supporters' Club Player of the Year whilst defender Pilkington scooped the Bobbers Travel Club away Player of the Season.

Both players picked up even more trophies at the Luton Town Supporters' Club awards evening. Turn to pages 44 and 45 for pictures and a list of all the winners.

TONIGHT

We've been inundated with supporters wishing to know what happens if the scores are level on aggregate at the end of normal time today.

Away goals DO NOT count and if the scores remain the same on aggregate at the end of 90 minutes, 30 minutes of extra-time will be

If the aggregate score remain level after that period the game will be decided by a penalty shoot-out.

THANK YOU

The editorial team would like to go on record and express their gratitude to all those who have helped contribute in the programme throughout the season and to supporters for purchasing the publication and offering their feedback.

We have began planning on next season's issue and once again would welcome any comments and ideas.

The editor would like to pay special tribute to club historian Roger Wash who has helped





no end on sourcing historical photographs, articles and snippets of information close to the deadlines. Thank you!

STAY ONLINE

Although this is our final programme of the season, remember to keep following the Hatters on your official website.

Over the summer we will be keeping you abreast of all the news at Kenilworth Road so keep your eyes peeled on www.lutontown.co.uk. Every click on the site

eams valuable revenue as does our popular Hatters Player subscription site.

PEARCEY DONATION



The Club were naturally stunned like everyone following the death of BBC Three Counties Radio's Ian Pearce in

Pearcev was a Hatter at heart and the response to his passing was met with real emotion from all Town supporters.

So much so the messageboard Luton Outlaws raised a magnificent total of £724.33 in donations that will be split between Marie Curie and St Luke's Parish Church in Leagrave.

The club will be erecting a plaque in the Kenilworth Road press room over the summer with some of the money raised from supporters on Outlaws.

STEWARDS WANTED

With next season only a few months away we have vacancies for match day stewards for home fixtures at Kenilworth Road

Applicants must be physically fit, of good character and temperament, mature and have good communication skills.

Full training will be given to a National Standard Level 2 qualification. Successful applicants will be expected to sign-up for the NVO Level 2 in Spectator Safety which is being run by Bamfield College.

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REST IN PEACE

The Club received tragic news of the death of Hatters fan Peter Moss who was killed in the Marrakesh bombing on Thursday 28th April.

Peter, 59 and from London, was one of 15 people who was killed by an activated remote bomb at Djemma el-Fna square in the city's old quarter. •

A former pupil at Hasmonean School, Town supporter Moss, a father of two was a regular visitor to Kenilworth Road and will be sorely missed by his family and friends.

REST IN PEACE



It is also with sadness to report the death of former director Jim Richardson on 10th April, aged 96.

Mr Richardson was on the Board at Kenilworth Road between April 1964 and April 1982 when he left to live in Australia where he had bought a fruit farm after selling his building business. Richardson and Bottoms, to his son

Jim's father Henry, known as Harry, had also

been on the Board and in more recent years his son Henry was a director of the club.

Our thoughts and prayers are with Jim's family and friends at this difficult time.

FIRST GAME EXCITEMENT

Town fan Elliott Kenyon took his son to his first match on 9th April and it turned out to be a lucky omen as Gary Brabin's men ran out 60 winners against Southport.

Reece, who is two-and-half, enjoyed the experience and a proud dad is likely to take him again in the near future.

"I didn't plan on taking him along at so young but I couldn't get a baby sitter and weather was nice and as a season ticket holder didn't really want to miss game." Elliott told Talk of the

"It was a dream I had of taking my little boy to Kenilworth Road but not really against Southport in the Conference. I was hoping it would have been similar to my first game against Manchester United back in 1986!"





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BLUE SQUARE BET PREMIER KENILWORTH ROAD, SATURDAY 30TH APRIL 2011 ATT: 6,443

GARY BRABIN

"I thought our second half performance was outstanding and I told the players I was proud of them. It was important to keep the group together and we've done the right things. Obviously we wanted to win but we've come up against another good goalkeeping display from the opposition to keep us at bay so I think it was a deserved point in the end."

LINE-UPS

Luton Town: Tyler, Graham, G. Pilkington (sub Lacey 67), Kroca, Asafu-Adjaye, Newton, Willmott (sub Watkins 58), Poku, D. Walker, Owusu (sub J. Walker 73), Barnes-Homer. Subs not used : O'Donnell, K. Pilkington.

Wrexham: Mayebi, Andrews, Brown, Williams (sub Stephens 72), Hunt, Ciezlewicz, Tolley, McMillan, Walker, Fowler (sub Tomassen 25), Moss (sub Salathiel 83). Subs not used: Owen, Colbeck.





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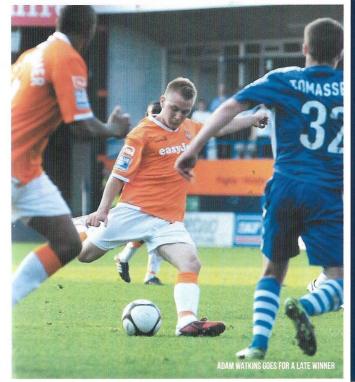
ED ASAFU-ADJAYE

The Town defender was kept at left-back by boss Gary Brabin and for the second game running he put in an eye-catching, skilful and courageous display to earn him the sponsor's prize.









MATCH REPORT

Jason Walker's penalty two minutes from time earned the Town a deserved point in the dress rehearsal of this play-off meeting with Wrexham.

After Marc Williams had gone close on 10 minutes the Dragons took the lead three minutes later when Williams poked a pass across goal and Louis Moss tapped home from a yard out.

Despite being a goal down the Town were bossing possession and creating plenty of chances and Dan Walker's low shot whistled past the post on 15 minutes as they looked for a instant response.

Walker had a glorious chance to equalise on 31 minutes but he skied a difficult opportunity when the ball dropped to him 25-yards out with the goalkeeper off his line.

On 37 minutes later Walker and Robbie Willmott combined well to see the former twice go close to making it one apiece.

Wrexham defender Declan Walker had to be alert to head away the danger as the Hatters hunted an equaliser before the break with Willmott's cross almost finding Lloyd Owusu for a tap-in.

The Town started the second half well and Matthew Barnes-Homer forced Joslain Mayebi into a smart stop on 50 minutes before the striker volleyed over eight minutes later after Zdenek Kroca had chested down a Willmott cross into his

Substitute Adam Watkins saw a sweetly hit low shot tipped around the post by Mayebi on 62 minutes but the Hatters had Mark Tyler to thank for keeping the score at 1-0 when he made a crucial save with his legs to deny Williams.

Another substitute, defender Alex Lacey, came close to making it 1-1 when he headed straight at Mayebi when left unmarked at the backpost on 69 minutes before the visiting goalkeeper kept out a stinging effort from Adam Newton a minute

But as time ticked down, and as it looked as though the Town would fall to a defeat, Dan Walker was hauled down by Anthony Stephens in the box and Jason Walker converted the penalty to earn the hosts a point.

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POST-MATCH REACTION

A late Jason Walker penalty rescued the Hatters in a dramatic finale to the Play-Off dress rehearsal against Wrexham.

The Town found themselves behind early on against a much-changed Wrexham side as manager Dean Saunders looked to shuffle his pack ahead of the first leg.

Despite the early setback, the Town dominated proceedings but toiled in front of goal until Walker stepped up in the 88th minute to register his 16th goal of the season from the spot.

The 27-year-old striker was pleased with the team performance and feels it will give the lads a real boost going into the Play-Offs.

"It was a deserved point," he said. They started really well but things changed when they got an injury midway through the first half and we took control."

The Hatters carved out a number of chances throughout the game but couldn't find the killer finish until fellow striker Dan Walker was fouled in the box.

"It was great to take the penalty. But I'd like to thank Matthew Barnes-Horner as it would have been his 20th goal for the season which as a striker is really

important to him. He had scored goals against Histon and is full of confidence.

"But I wanted a goal today so I can bring that into the Play-Offs. All the strikers are scoring and that's what we need."

It was Walker's fourth goal for Luton since joining in November from fellow Blue Square Bet Premier side Barrow

"All strikers want to score goals and on another day I would have had four or five in the last few games but it's just the way it's been going for me." he said.

"Hopefully this will get that monkey off my back as it's been hard not to get down. I still work hard and put the effort in but goals really help."

Walker feels that the Kenilworth faithful could really make the difference in the return leg of the Play-Offs and is delighted to have such fantastic fans backing him and the team.

"I have been involved in Play-Offs before up in Scotland but unfortunately we lost which hopefully won't happen again," he said.

"But these are the type of games you want to be involved with. I'm sure our fans will be up for it and rocking as they have been outstanding. I'm really looking forward to it and to be honest I can't wait."







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LAWLESS 16, GNAKPA 28, ASAFU-ADJAYE 35

BLUE SQUARE BET PREMIER PLAY-OFF SEMI-FINAL FIRST LEG RACECOURSE GROUND, THURSDAY 5TH MAY 2011 ATT: 7,211

GARY BRABIN

"It's a good start, we came here to win but it's only half of the job done. I thought the players worked their absolute socks off and I'm delighted for them. I thought we should have scored more. We've hit the woodwork twice, the bar in the first half and the post in the second. Perhaps we took our foot off the pedal a little in the second half but I can't take anything away from the lads' performance because it was terrific."

LINE-UPS

Wrexham: Maxwell, Obeng, Ashton, Blackburn (sub Fowler 66), Harris, Taylor (sub Tolley 78), Mangan, Keates, Sinclair, Knight-Percival (sub Anoruo 64), Creighton. Subs not used: Mayebi, Andrews.

Luton Town: Tyler, Gleeson, Keane, Pilkington, Willmott, Kroca, Lawless, Howells, Asafu-Adjaye, Gnakpa (sub Barnes-Homer 82), J. Walker. Subs not used: K. Pilkington, Graham, Newton, Owusu.



MAN OF THE MATCH ALEX LAWLESS

A difficult choice to make given the quality of the performance of the team but the midfielder's quile, touch and creativity was topped by a stunning





CLAUDE GNAKPA THUNDERS HOME THE SECOND



MATCH REPORT

The Hatters gave themselves the best possible chance of reaching the Play-off final with arguably their best performance of the season in North

The Town went in front in spectacular fashion on 16 minutes when Alex Lawless drove forward from midfield before hammering in an unstoppable strike from 25-yards.

Jake Howells almost added to it almost immediately afterwards, spanking the ball against the bar from just inside the area.

With the home side in disarray Keith Keane saw shot saved before the Town doubled their lead on 28 minutes with another truly phenomenal goal, this time from Claude Gnakpa.

Ed Asafu-Adjaye won the ball and fed Howells who laid a beautiful ball to the left for the in-form Frenchman who thrashed the ball into the net at the near post.

Dreamland turned to heaven on 35 minutes with another goal of the season contender, this time from Asafu-Adjaye, for the newly-returned defender's first ever senior goal driving home from the edge of the area following Robbie Willmott's training-ground comer routine.

Gnakpa shot at Maxwell to almost make it 40 before Zdenek Kroca blocked two Wrexham efforts as the hosts pressed for a response.

In the second half the Town still dominated. The first chance of the half came to Gnakpa on 53 minutes, whose shot was blocked on the line after Kroca's knock down.

The Hatters should have been four up when Walker found Willmott, whose centre found Lawless free with the goal at his mercy but the former York midfielder flashed a shot over.

It was 81 minutes before Wrexham mustered their first shot on target and, though Curtis Obeng's run into the area was menacing, his shot was tame and caused Mark Tyler no problems.

Kroca thought he'd effectively put the tie beyond doubt with eight minutes left on the clock with a double effort that somehow didn't result in a goal, including one shot that spun onto the post.

Keane went for a grandstand finish in injury time with a fierce left-foot shot from range, but Maxwell did well to tip the ball over the bar.

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POST-MATCH REACTION

The Hatters placed one foot in the Blue Square Bet Premier Promotion final after an imposing away victory in the first leg of their semi-final against Wrexham.

The Town stormed to a threegoal lead in the first half courtesy of an attacking 4-3-3 formation which saw the visitors carve open a whole host of chances.

Alex Lawless, who struck the Hatters first from 25-yards, was delighted: "I haven't hit one as sweet as that in such a big game before. I saw they had tracked our players really well so there was nothing else left in my mind.

"We were confident we could do that but there's being confident and actually achieving it. The first half was really encouraging and we had a few other chances as well."

Rather than a receiving a hero's welcome at the interval, manager Gary Brabin, gave some stern words to his troops explaining how things could easily go wrong.

"We were happy at half-time but were told that the game can easily turn on its head so we had to keep focused. To keep the clean sheet afterwards was great and we could have added to it as well." Claude Gnakpa smashed a second into the top comer from an acute angle after Jake Howells had hit the crossbar and he too was understandably a pleased man after the final

"I think the second leg will be a different game. It will be a full house and I'm really looking forward to it. We're halfway to Manchester and it's important to win at home in front of our fans." he said.

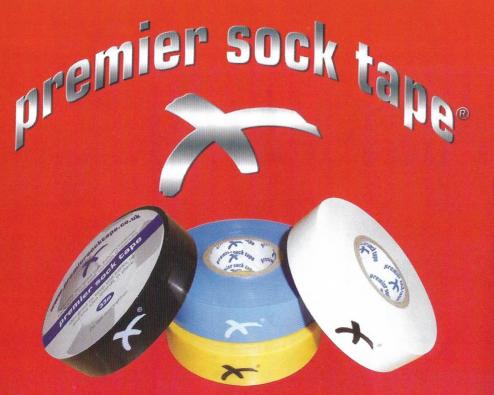
"When the fans sing my name it makes me really happy and means I'm doing well. I want to thank them as they give me strength and it really helps the team."

It was also a great occasion for delighted defender Ed Asafu-Adjaye who registered his first goal for the club and is looking forward to the next leg tonight.

"It was a very happy moment for me," he said. "It's a training ground routine and we've worked hard on it. We all know we have goals in us and I think we would have been disappointed with anything other than a good result.

"When we get them back at home in the return leg, we need to get straight out the blocks and get an early goal and really kill the game off."





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AUGUST

New boy Zdenek Kroca marked his debut with a goal as the Town ran out 2-1 winners on the opening day at home to Altrincham. Matthew Barnes-Homer was the other scorer that day, and he started the season in redhot form with five goals in the opening three games, including a hat-trick at Kettering.

After a bright start with nine points from the opening three games, the Hatters ensured an unbeaten opening month of season with draws at home to Newport County and Hayes & Yeading. Last season's top scorer Tom Craddock left before the transfer deadline as he signed for Oxford United, following the likes of Asa Hall, Janos Kovacs and, Rossi Jarvis out of the exit door of Kenilworth Road

SEPTEMBER

Kenyan international Taiwo Atieno signed as a free agent to fulfil the 'target man' role that some fans felt the squad lacked. He made his debut as a substitute in a televised 2-0 defeat away at Grimsby, before starting his first home game as the Hatters notched up a 2-0 win against Cambridge United, which included a first goal for new midfielder Andy Drury.

Highflying AFC Wimbledon were the next visitors at Kenilworth Road, but the division's leading side couldn't handle the Town's firepower as Kroca, George Pilkington and Barnes-Homer fired the Town to a fantastic 30 win.

Any hope that the Hatters' season had properly ignited was dampened as the team took just one point from a pair of tricky long journeys up north to Darlington and Gateshead.

The month ended positively though, as debutant Amari Morgan-Smith – signed from Ilkeston Town – and Danny Crow registered their first goals for the club in a 2-0 home win over Mansfield, a match in which the Hatters somehow contrived to miss three penalties and yet still bag the three points.

OCTOBER

Barnes-Homer continued his impressive scoring form with the winner in a 1-0 win away at Barrow, before Crawley Town came to Kenilworth Road for a tense midweek fixture under floodlights.

The Kenilworth Road faithful were given hope when Drury netted from the spot after Kroca was fouled in the area – a great relief given their inability to score from 12 yards. But Crawley spoiled the party when Richard Brodie levelled with ten minutes to go, before Craig McAllister's injury-time winner completed the cruellest of smash-and-grab jobs.

The defeat seemed to jolt the Town, as they found some scoring form over the next few games. Eastbourne were despatched 42 in a trip to the South Coast, before Forest Green and Bath City were thrashed 6-1 and 3-1 respectively, either side of a 40 rout against St Albans in an FA Cup qualifier which saw Morgan-Smith score a hattrick.

NOVEMBER

After a miserable 1-0 defeat at Wrexham, new signing Alex Lawless notched the winner in a tough away match at Altrincham, before Money's men continued their rich scoring form at home with a 4-2 win in the FA Cup replay with Corby and a fine 5-1 hammering of Histon in the league.

Jason Walker, another new signing, scored in that fixture.

The Town were drawn against League 1 Charlton in the FA Cup second round, but the team was clearly undaunted against the higherdivision opposition despite going a goal behind in the first few minutes at the Valley. Drury equalised with a rebound from his own penalty, before the Hatters went behind again before half-time. The second half saw the visitors play some superb football, which was encapsulated by a fantastic 25-yard curling equaliser late on from the excellent Drury.

DECEMBER

Bad weather hit the fixture list hard, and no league football was completed in December at all

The Town did manage to squeeze in a few cup fixtures before the freeze set in, gallantly going down 3-1 in the home replay against Charlton in a scoreline that flattered the visitors, before an extremely young Luto side, including the impressive 17-year-old Alex Lacey, eventually overcame Welling United in the FA Trophy after a replay.

The end of the year saw the Hatters sitting in third place in the table, two points behind the leaders Wimbledon.





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JANUARY

Rushden were despatched 30 on New Year's day, with Claude Gnakpa amongst the scorers. Defying those who had suggested that he enjoys his best form only in warm conditions, the man from Marseilles scored in five home matches in succession in January and February, adding another away in a narrow win at Hayes and Yeading.

In an unbeaten month, Grimsby and York-in a 5-0 drubbing – were beaten at Kenilworth Road, a youthful team thrashed Uxbridge in the Trophy, and creditable away draws were picked up at Bath and Wimbledon. Only a disappointing 2-2 draw with Gateshead took the shine off what had been a decent start to the year.

FEBRUARY

New crowd favourite Lloyd Owusu led the goal-crazy Town to a thrilling 40 victory over Darlington before Gloucester were beaten 1-0 in the third round of an FA Trophy campaign that was beginning to get interesting.

The Hatters then crashed to a 3-1 home defeat to Fleetwood in their first really bad result in some time, and the wobble continued with a drab 1-1 away draw at Newport.

Blue Square Bet North Guiseley proved less of a problem in the FA Trophy fourth round,





MARCH

March was an epic month that saw the Town play nine matches and appoint their third manager in two seasons.

Wins against Forest Green, Tamworth and Rushden were tempered by frustrating draws with Kiddeminister and Cambridge, the Trophy campaign came to a heartbreaking end with a controversial defeat in the semi-final against Mansfield.

After a dismal 2-1 defeat away at Southport it was mutually agreed that manager Richard Money would step aside and allow Gary Brabin to attempt to inject new impetuous as the business end of the season approached.

Brabin's reign started amidst the tragic news that much-loved local broadcaster and Hatters fan lan Pearce had passed away. On an emotional night at Kenilworth Road, the team played brightly but failed to break down a dogged Barrow side in a 0-0 draw at home to Barrow.



The Brabin era started with three successive draws, as both Kidderminster and Kettering grabbed late equalisers in exciting matches, and it became clear the Hatters could aim only for a Playoff campaign rather than a late assault on the title

An emphatic 60 battering of Southport for Brabin's first win in charge came as news that Crawley had sealed promotion meaning the Town were forced to look on as Steve Evans's Red Devils were presented with the Blue Square Bet Premier trophy after the Town held them to a 1-1 draw Broadfield Stadium.

Another draw, this time at Mansfield, and a defeat at York followed as the regular season drew to a close. Big wins against Histon and Eastbourne, with Robbie Willmott – arguably the Town's player of the month – on the scoresheet twice showed attacking flair and killer instinct that gave hope for the Playoffs, before the normal season ended with a quiet draw at home to Wrexham.

Both teams knew that they would face each other twice more in the next week in more important circumstances.





TROPHIES CONSISTENCY

THE WINNER OF TWO END OF SEASON AWARDS. GOALKEEPER MARK TYLER CAN'T WAIT FOR THE PLAY-OFFS

When the then Hatters boss Mick Harford secured the signing of Mark Tyler in the summer of 2009 it was one of the game's worst kept secrets.

The goalkeeper's move to Kenilworth Road had spread like wildfire around East of England as the former Peterborough man discussed terms with a move to join the Town.

Joining the Hatters in the Blue Square Bet Premier with the prospect of a swift return to the Football League, Tyler, like us all, was frustrated after a semi-final exit from the Play-Off by York.

His 40 appearances and performances between the sticks were not enough to prevent the Minstermen from progressing to the final.

This time round it's the Play-Offs once again. For Tyler, now 34, and a "young 34" as he points out, he hopes this is the season the Hatters return to Football League - after all it's the main reason why he signed in the first

"Promotion is why I came here," he told Talk of the Town clutching the Luton Town Supporters'

Club's coveted Player of the Year trophy.

"Luton is a massive club. I came here because it was a new challenge and I wanted to succeed and last season was frustrating and disappointing."

The stopper also picked up the official website's internet player of the season award and the Town number one was chuffed to receive the recognition for a consistent season.

"It's brilliant to play 50-odd games and it's great to be recognised by the supporters. It's been a good season for me I'm pleased with the consistency of my performances.

"I might take the silverware but it's a credit to the back four in front of me and the whole team for their hard work.

"It's been good to have a settled back four for most of the campaign which has my job easier this season and long may it continue."

Tyler also paid tribute to goalkeeping coach Dmitri Kharine who he admits has been one of the reasons for his steady performances in the Town goal this term.

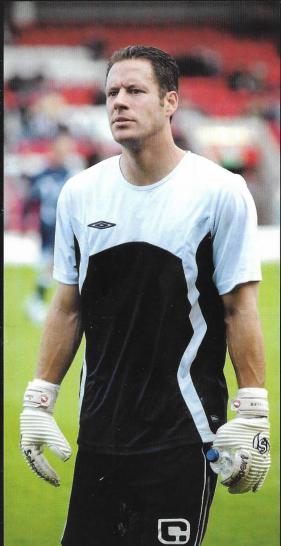
"These awards are not just for me but for Dimi as well," he said. "He's worked my backside off and it's had the effect.

"I'm paid to do what I do - to make saves and Dimi and the team are the reason we've kept 20 plus clean sheet this season.

"I've also had a great back-up in Kevin Pilkington who is a great SEASON professional, an excellent goalkeeper, a friend and someone who has kept me on my toes.

"It's great to have those two around me and as a three we hope we have helped Lewis Kidd improve his game.

"We all learn off each other and I am often



THE PLAY-OFFS ARE DIFFICULT GAMES...WE DON'T WANT A REPEAT OF WHAT HAPPENED LAST

learning new things from Dimi - whether it be in -matches where I haven't done something right, or in training.

"He's the best coach I've ever had and he always picks up on little things. We never do the same training session twice and he's always switched The Play-Offs coming calling for a second time for Tyler, but with a 3-0 victory over Wrexham already in the bag following last Thursday's victory at the Racecourse, the goalkeeper is hoping to be celebrating coming 9.30pm this evening with a trip to Manchester in the final.

"You know the Play-Offs are difficult games and we don't want a repeat of what happened last season. I feel good about it this year though," he said.

"Since the new gaffer has come in he's tried new things but tried not to change things too much but we're ready.

"Around the training ground are pictures of the Johnstone's Paint Trophy final victory and it's a shame I wasn't here then because it looks as though that was an incredible day.

"To take 40,000 to Wembley is a fantastic achievement to win it was superb. The support we get home and away is phenomenal and that was another reason for me coming

"We were unlucky in the Play-Offs last year and Brabs has kept everyone on their toes.

Everyone has been in great form and as players we know: we have to play well to keep our place in the side."

Come win or lose today or win or lose in Manchester a week on Saturday, Tyler is still optimistic about his future at Kenilworth

"I'm 34 but a young 34," he said. "I think I've got five more years in me at least but I will be doing my coaching badges sooner or later.

"But I want to be playing for as long as possible. I feel fit and strong and hopefully I'm with this club for as long as possible."

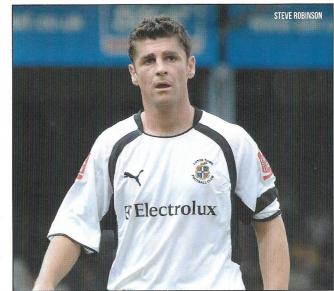
NUMBERS

BY SIMON PITTS

- The number of matches previously played between the two sides at Kenilworth Road. The Hatters have won 10, drawn four and lost four times, scoring 33 goals and conceding 23.
- ______ The number of years since the first meeting at Kenilworth Road, back on 11th April 1964 when the Town won 3-1 courtesy of goals from Gordon Turner, Mark Lownds and John O'Rourke.
- It was a solitary goal in September 1965 that settled the Division Four match, with the Hatters' Ray Whittaker scoring the only goal of the game.
- The only Luton player to have scored twice in a home fixture against Wrexham is Derek Kevan who netted a brace in February 1967 in a 3-1 win. Alan Slough scored the other goal for the Hatters.
- It was just 10 months later when the sides met once again on 16th December as the Town won 2-1 courtesy of goals from Bruce Rioch and Terry Branston.
- It was nearly 11 years later that the sides met for a Second Division match. and once again the Hatters won 2-1, this time in October 1978. Brian Stein and Lil Fuccillo were the goalscorers.
- In April 1980 Luton versus Wrexham was once again a Second Division match, and this time the Hatters won 2-0. keeping their second clean sheet when hosting Wrexham. David Moss and Brian Stein were the scorers, the latter with his second consecutive goal in this fixture. This was the Town's sixth consecutive victory in this fixture.



- The first draw came in September 1980 and both sides netted one goal. The Hatters' was scored by Frankie Bunn.
- The first defeat against Wrexham came in the League Cup second round in October 1981. Wrexham won 2-0 and. although Luton won the second leg, it was only 1-0, courtesy of a goal from Steve White.
- Consecutive goalless draws followed, but there was nearly 15 years between the fixtures. The Town won promotion to the top flight at the end of the 1981/82 but the visitors held the Hatters on 12th March that season. This game had the highest attendance for this fixture when 10,880 watched Luton's run of nine consecutive home wins come to an end. It wasn't until 18th January 1997 before Wrexham came to Kenilworth Road, and once again it ended in a goalless stalemate.
- The Hatters conceded five goals to Wrexham in September 1997 when they suffered their heaviest home defeat against the Welsh side. Steve Davis and Phil Gray, in his first match in a second spell at Kenilworth Road, scored as the Hatters were beaten 5-2. This game is remembered for a substitute appearance by Trevor Peake, aged 40 years and 222 days, the oldest player to have turned out for Luton. Peake made 202 appearances and is one of only four outfield players to have not scored for the Hatters in over 200 appearances.
- The third defeat against Wrexham at Kenilworth Road followed in the next. fixture, on 13th February 1999. Gary Doherty opened the scoring just after half-time, but the visitors hit back with two goals to win the game. A lowest crowd for this fixture was recorded as just 4,759 turned up.



- It was only seven months later when the sides met again and this time the Hatters were victorious. A 17-year-old Matthew Taylor opened the scoring early in the game with a tremendous strike to open his account for the Hatters. Matthew Spring made it 2-0 and, after Wrexham pulled a goal back, Liam George netted to make it 3-1 at half-time.
- An amazing second half from Wrexham saw them score four goals after the Town had already netted three times, on 28th October 2000. The Hatters took the lead through Mark Stein before Julian Watts made it 2-0 just before half-time. Ten minutes into the second half Liam George scored his second goal in two games against Wrexham at Kenilworth Road to make it 3-0. Wrexham pulled two goals back within 10 minutes though, and then went on to net twice more in

the final 10 minutes of the match to win 43.

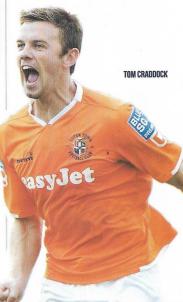
It was three years before the Town were able to exact some revenge for that defeat in 2000, as in November 2003 it was the visitors who took a 2-0 lead before losing 3-2! Wrexham went ahead through Hector Sam and an Emmerson Boyce own goal just before half-time.

The Hatters responded immediately from kickoff and Adrian Forbes netted to make it 2-1 at half-time. After the break Steve Robinson scored an equaliser before Lee Mansell made it 3-2. Darren Ferguson, who had netted the late winner in 2000, was later sent off for violent

The Hatters biggest victory came in the League 1 championship winning

season of 2004/05. It was 6th November 2004, and the Town got off to a flyer, leading 40 at half-time. Steve Robinson opened the scoring before Sol Davis scored his first Luton goal to make it 2-0. Stephen O'Leary made it 3-O and Steve Howard wrapped up the victory just before the break. Ahmet Brkovic made it 5-O before Hector Sam scored a consolation for the visitors.

- Tom Craddock scored the only goal of the game last season as the Hatters won 1-0 on 13th March, as the sides met for the first time in a non-League fixture at Kenilworth
- It's just 10 days since the sides last met at Kenilworth Road with a late Jason Walker penalty equalising an early first half goal from Louis Moss.







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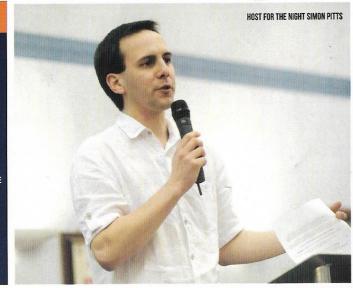
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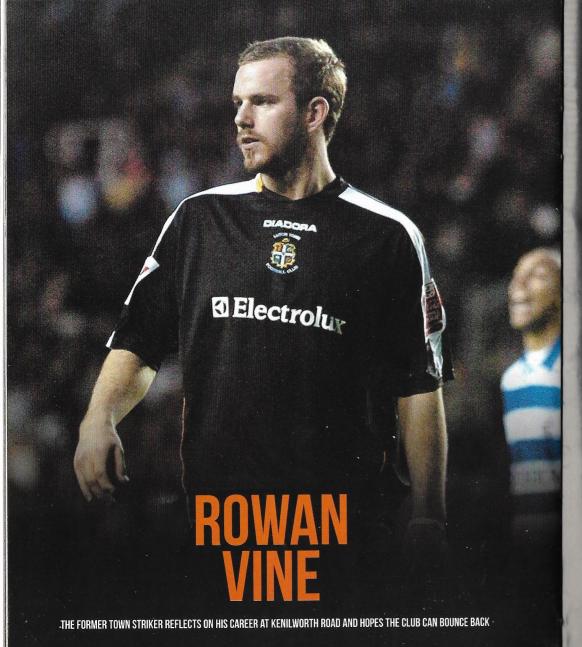












Any occasion where Luton Town meet Wrexham with promotion potentially at stake will always evoke memories of that great day when the Hatters clinched the League 1 title in Wales.

Nobody present at the Racecourse Ground on 23rd April 2005 will ever forget the scenes of iubilation when the full-time whistle blew on a 2-1 win to signify Luton's elevation to the Championship

This time around the Town meet Wrexham with their eyes on a return to the Football League with a place in the Blue Square Bet Play-Off final at stake following tonight's semifinal second leg.

One man hoping to see the Hatters on the rise again is striker Rowan Vine - a key man in that 2005 success - he was in the team for the titleclinching win at Wrexham.

He looks back fondly on a campaign in which he played all bar one of the Hatters League 1 fixtures, during an initial season-long loan spell from Portsmouth.

When asked about the feelings on the day in question. Vine recalled: "I think we were pretty buoyant as we were in touching distance and we had been on a good run anyway.

"Everyone was really confident at that stage of the season and just wanted to get it done.

"Earlier in the season we had gone on a run of three defeats and that was the worst part of the season for us because after that we went on a great run.

"We seemed to be going away from home confident we were going to win, and obviously our home form was brilliant.

"I can't remember ever going into a game in that season thinking that we weren't going to win it"

Rowan's form that season saw him become a big hit with the Kenilworth Road faithful, not least because of his all-round performances and the amount of assists he racked up for the likes of Steve Howard. Kevin Nicholls and Ahmet Brkovic, all of whom reached double-figure goals tallies.

His impact was such that the club was more than happy to pay out £250,000 to bring him in on assault on English football's second tier.

"I played 45 games in the League and the manager and LEAGUE coaching staff were happy with the job I was doing," Rowan said of that season.

"I scored nine goals but the onus was on me to link up the play and create chances.

"Steve Howard has scored goals wherever he's been and is always going to be the main threat, Brko had a fantastic season, and Nico scored a lot as well so it was one of those seasons where you knew where the goals were going to come



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"I wasn't going to start getting greedy and nicking goals just for getting a higher tally as I knew I had a job to do for the team, and I really enjoyed being the person who seemed to be laying on the goals."

The 2004/05 season was the third in succession in which Vine had been out on loan from Portsmouth after he spent 2002/03 at Brentford and 2003/04 with Colchester United.

He credits the three-year period of getting out, playing games and scoring goals - and winning

the title whilst at Kenilworth Road - as really bringing him on as a player.

The results were evident as he went on to score 22 goals over the next season and a half before financial pressures forced the sale of several star players.

Birmingham City came in with a fee of £2.5m to take the striker to St Andrews and he played a part in their promotion to the Premier League in 2006/07.

The Town went out of the Championship in the opposite direction that season and he's has been saddened by what has happened to the club in the last few years.

But having just enjoyed a loan spell at MK Dons before returning to Queens Park Rangers, he is hoping the Hatters can emulate what his parent club have managed this season - winning promotion.

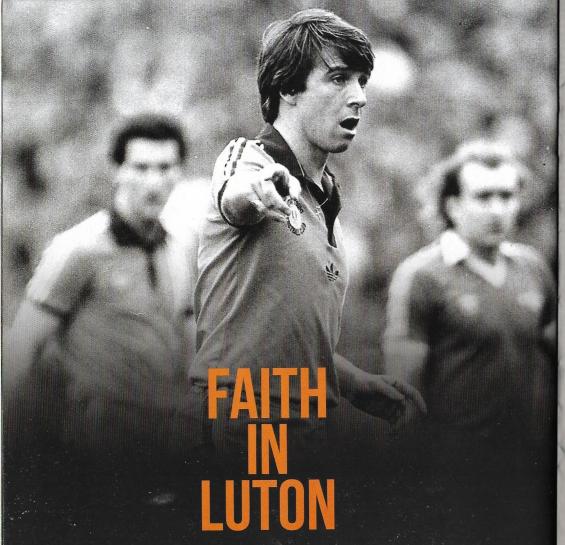
He said: "When I look at everything that has happened it doesn't take away a part of what we achieved but I would much rather see a team. whether I've staved there or not, go from strength to strength and keep progressing as a club.

"A lot of the teams I have been associated with and played for have been promoted somewhere along the line so I have always looked at that and had fond memories.

"With what happened at Luton, I had a lot of friends that were there through the teams that got relegated.

"We got to the top seven or eight of the Championship and more than held our own.

"It is massively disappointing to see where they are now but I am hoping they can bounce back as it would be really nice to see Luton get back into the League."



ALAN WEST REFLECTS HIS PLAYING DAYS, HIS ONGOING RELATIONSHIP WITH THE CLUB AND HIS BATTLE WITH CANCER

Still living in the same house in Luton he moved into as a naïve 21-year-old from Burnley in 1973, Alan West has a huge amount of affection for the people, town and football club of Luton. "I've always loved living here," says the Lancashireborn former midfielder. "It's home."

Now serving as the pastor of the Luton Christian Fellowship church, West retains great memories of his time with the Hatters, maintains faith in the great Town footballing "philosophy", and has taken strength from his friendships in the town in his fight against cancer.

He recalls the nine years he spent playing for the Hatters with fondness. "Luton was always a great family club - there was a great team spirit here," he remembers. "I had great memories of my time with Luton playing first under Harry Haslam, and then David Pleat."

In just under a decade with the Hatters, West saw great groups of players come and go, and enjoyed the way his own role within the team evolved.

"I spanned two great generations really, and that's what was really exciting for me," he explains. "I was the youngster in the first group of players who were experienced and moving towards the end of their careers - top players like John Aston and John Ryan - and we had a great season getting promoted into what is now the Premier League.

"The manager then made me the club captain and as that team moved into the next generation with David Pleat bringing through young lads like Ricky Hill and Brian Stein, suddenly I was the senior pro helping that new era develop as a new nucleus of a team was being put together.

"I played with a lot of great players in two really good teams, and it was very exciting to be part

Despite those huge changes, what was

consistent was the philosophy of playing football in what West describes as the "right way."

"Harry and David had a similar philosophy and that was to get the ball down and play good, exciting football," he recalls.

"It was a certain brand of football, people knew when they came to watch us that they were going to watch a team try to play football and try to win the game."

But West doesn't simply revel in the glory days of the past. He has kept in touch with events at the club over the past few years, and despite insisting that Luton "don't deserve to be where they are." he also has a lot of sympathy for current Town manager Gary Brabin. Having managed the likes of non-league Hitchin and Baldock, he fully appreciates the difficulty of the task in hand.

"I've played and managed at this level, and I know it's a very difficult level to get out of," he says. "So I have a lot of empathy with the managers and coaching staff -it's tough.

"When I come down and watch them now, I just think that if they can just get out - not worrying about how to get out - just get out through the Play-Offs, then we can all start again in the League where it's a different situation."

So, given that experience as a player-manager at non-league level in his mid-30s, why didn't West go into a coaching career? He explains that that had been the original plan, but things eventually turned out very differently.

"When I finished playing football. I had my life mapped out - I was going to go into coaching and then management," he remembers.

"I'd always been a captain and a leader as a player, and I had all my coaching badges, so it was all planned out. I had a few opportunities but I found that I wasn't really fulfilled in management and that coaching left me empty."

And so, in his late 30s and with a successful football career finished. West found himself asking himself the question, what am I going to do for the rest of my life? The answer came in the form of his faith.

"I was considering going into social work - I just had this compassion and I wanted to work with people. But I'd got involved in the local church in my mid-20s and so as I'd had that experience and was already involved, I went off and did my heological training. In 1986 I became the pastor of Luton Christian Fellowship on Castle Street and 've been in that role ever since."



And the man who was once so obsessed with football that he used to go without a close-season break, playing in America for Minnesota Kicks in the summer when there were no Luton fixtures, has no regrets about moving out of the game.

"I've always loved football and I still do - that's who I am. But going into the Church was the right move for me, being involved with people makes me feel happy and content."

West isn't finished with football entirely though. and has found a way to combine his passions for football, his faith and for Luton as a club and a community, through his role as club chaplain.

"A few years ago there was the tragedy of David Preece's death and the tracic death of a club mascot," he says, as he describes how he first took up the position.

"The club was going through a rough time and they were thinking, 'What do we do? This isn't the manager's job or the coach's job.' So I was approached as I'd done some similar informal work for David Peat in his second spell here.

He says he sees his role as "being in the background, ready for if I'm ever called upon. I'm there to help or serve the club in the capacity of aiding with any pastoral issues that arise."

Sadly, much of West's time and energy during the last few years has had to be spent dealing with personal issues of his own. In Christmas 2003 he

was diagnosed with Non-Hodgkins Lymphoma, a form of cancer

After six months of intensive chemotherapy, he remembers 2004 as being "a year of really fighting for my life." He recalls that after he had recovered, his specialist revealed to him that at one stage the medics believed that he had only months to live.

However he did recover - and, remarkably, was well enough to run the 2007 London Marathon. raising £15,000 for the Romanian Relief children's charity along the way. He passed the magic five-year mark with no signs of relapse but then received the devastating news in August 2009 that the cancer had returned.

"I went through another six months of chemotherapy, taking me up to 2019 when I got better again," he recounts. "The thing with this kind of cancer is that it can keep coming back."

If two character traits can be said to describe Alan West though, they are his winning mentality and his faith. As such, he is upbeat about the future, and is now working with friends to raise money for the Lymphoma Association, who aid research into the cancer and offer support to its sufferers.

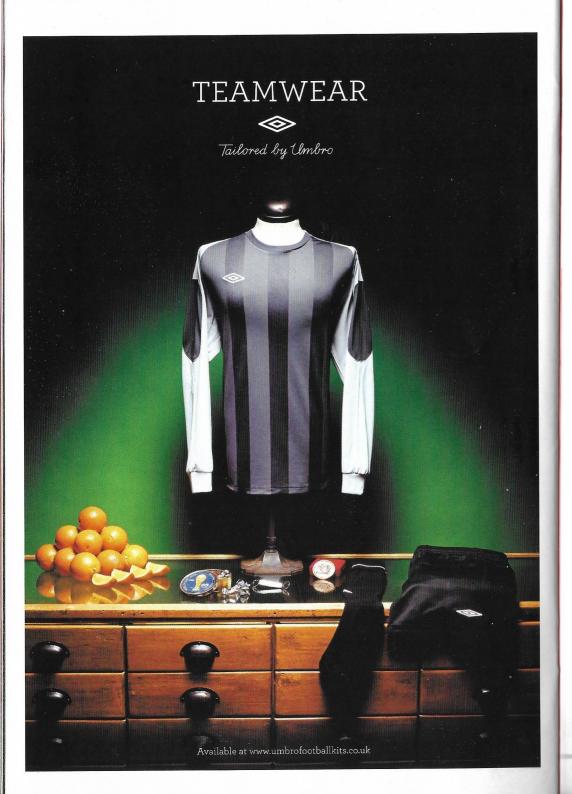
"I'm trying to raise as much money as I can one way or another to help cancer research and the great work that the Lymphoma Association do to support people with this illness like me and others like me," he says.

"People before me have gone through this kind of thing and because of their commitment and hard work, medicine is at the point where my treatment has worked twice, and I have another chance if necessary with stem-cell replacement."

And so in what West described as a "very" humbling" move, a group of young friends, many of whom West has known since childhood, are undertaking a sponsored cycle ride from Land's End to John O'Groates this August to raise money for the charity that is doing so much to help people like him.

The Hatters' own managing director Gary Sweet will be joining the team for the first leg of the journey, and some of the riders will be joining him and Town chairman Nick Owen on the pitch at half-time of today's Play-Off semi-final.

They will be holding a bucket collection, so please do give generously or go to www.justgiving.com/LEJOG-or-bust2011 to donate online. As West says, "every pound goes towards combating this kind of cancer that I and my family have lived with now for nearly eight vears."



MEMORY LANE



Name:John Pyper

Age: 50 ish

Location: Luton

Where do you watch the home games from: Since the mid 80's, you'll find me in the main stand, block B. Just a stone's throw from the PA box where I operated and created the graphic images for Luton Town's large scoreboard on the Kenilworth Road terrace during four of Luton's greatest seasons - 1981 to 1984.

First game: Christmas 1963 versus Millwall and we drew Oo. I was taken by my late father, uncle and grandfather, all who were ardent Hatters supporters and stood on the Kenilworth Terrace till the early 80's.

First Memory: Going to the games with my brother and having to stand on a wooden box at the front of the terrace to see over the pitch side wall. As I got older I finally finished up standing with my father and other family members.

Best Goal seen: That's a difficult one, but at home would have to be Scott Oakes majestic goal against West Ham United at Kenilworth Road in the FA Cup in 1994 and away has to be that Raddy Antic goal at Maine Road in May 1983.

Best match witnessed: There are many, but two for starters has to be: Maine Road, May 1983, Man City O-I Luton Town, and the longest four minutes of my life after Raddy Antic's winner and, of course, the 1988 Littlewoods Cup Final and we know all about that.

The worst match witnessed: The first division relegation match against Notts County at Meadow Lane in 1991/92. We had played a very professional and controlled first half, but in the second half we just didn't come out with any heart or fight and lost 2-1 with both County goals scoped by former Hatter Rob Matthews. It meant we lost our chance to play in the first season of the newly formed Premier League.

Best individual performance seen by a player: Graham French. Even though I was

very young, I do remember seeing him winning games on his individual skill, and awareness of the space in front of him. Very similar to Manchester United's Ryan Giggs.

Favourite all-time player: My number one player, Malcolm MacDonald, who got me interested in watching football back in the late 60's. He was a goal machine in every way with strength, delivery and commitment to frighten any defence.

Favourite all-time manager: David Pleat, for the way he got his teams playing the Luton way, and a very close second was 'Happy' Harry Haslam, who put a smile on every fan and players alike.

All-time Luton Town XI: Jake Findlay, Kirk Stephens, Steve Buckley, Brian Horton, Steve Foster, Mal Donaghy, Ricky Hill, David Preece, Malcolm MacDonald, Brian Stein, David Moss.

I love Luton Town because...I feel part of the club, and I couldn't do without them after all these years...Luton 'til I die!



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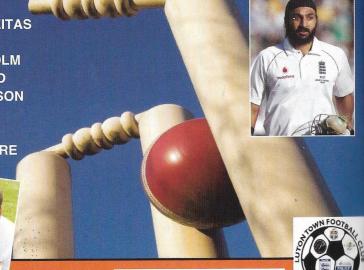
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PLAY-OFFS

The season is almost finished...but not for the Hatters as Gary Brabin's men know that if they're going to win promotion they are going to have to do it the hard way.

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Hatters Player has followed the Town every step of the way this season with home highlights, pre- and post-match reaction with the manager. live commentary courtesy of our Luton Town Show team as well as reaction from the players that mattered come the final whistle.

For just £3.99 for the final month of the campaign you can watch and listen to all the exclusive content from Kenilworth Road as the Hatters gear up for what promises to be a thrilling, nail-biting, gut-wrenching (call it what you will) month of Play-Off action.

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In the lead-up to both legs we have given you interviews and press conferences from the men that matter - just like we have throughout the campaign.

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If you want to relive the action then fear not. our exclusive match highlights for matches at Kenilworth Road are live and online within two hours of the final whistle - how's that for unrivalled coverage?

In recent weeks Player has given you exclusive interviews with all of our end-of-season awards winners plus the pregame and post-match thoughts from last Thursday's first leg.

For one of the teams tonight the City of Manchester Stadium beckons, and if that is the Town then remember Hatters Player will have all the exclusive behind the scenes build-up.

But we've got 90 minutes - possibly 120 minutes and beyond - tonight so let's not start counting those chickens yet.

What we can guarantee is excitement and tension tonight and remember, one way or another, we'll bring it you through Hatters



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KIT PARADE

Nothing pulls on the heart-strings like an old Hatter's playing strip.

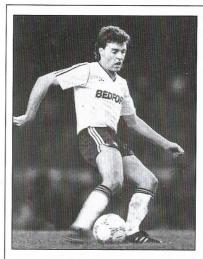
THIRD STRIP 2000/01

The 2000/01 season was a mitigated disaster on the field with Ricky Hill, Lil Fuccillo and Joe Kinnear unable to stop the Hatters falling into the basement division from what now The Hatters' strip manufacturer, Olympics Sportswear, designed a third strip for the campaign which was a silver number with royal blue

Complete with royal blue shorts and socks its one season on the road wasn't a great omen as the Town didn't win in it after making its debut at the Stadium of Light against Sunderland in the League Cup.



HATTERS HEROES



We stick a random pin into club historian Roger Wash's excellent book Hatters Heroes and focus on a player who has featured for the Hatters in the past 125

Malachy (Mal) Martin DONAGHY

Luton boss David Pleat stole Mai from Northern Irish Larne for £20,000 in 1978 while their manager was on holiday and proved to the one of the bargains of all time, playing well over 400 league games for the Hatters and winning a Town record 58 caps for his country whilst at Kenilworth Road.

Best remembered for his central defensive partnership with Steve Foster, the consistent and remarkably injury-free defender actually started his career with the Hatters at left-back

It was a sad day when Mal eventually got his dream move to boyhood favourites Manchester United in January 1990 and, after a spell at Chelsea, he hung up his boots and returned to Northern Ireland when he became a coach with the country's Football Association.

Luton Town career appearances: 488

Luton Town career goals: 21

Debut v Oldham Athletic (h) 19/8/1978

First goal v Chelsea (h) 1/1/1980

Last game v Liverpool (a) 13/1/1990

BEHIND THE SCENES

We take a sneak peek around Kenilworth Road to some of the places you don't get

The 33rd and final behind the scenes of the season is the PA box, situated at the back of the Main Stand.

All the pre-match and half-time music is played from this room and it is also from here that the scoreboard is controlled

The room is packed with CDs to cater for all tastes and is complete with some binoculars to help the public address announcer distinguish which player has put the ball in the net if there's some



COVER

A LOOK BACK AT THIS SEASON'S COVER STORIES

And so ends our 125th anniversary celebration season. Over the course of the 32 home programmes this campaign I have tried to show a flavour of the club's rich history in photographs starting with the earliest known team group in 1891/92 right up to a picture of the players celebrating promotion to the Championship in 2005.

Despite the vast array of photographs at my disposal I have never seen an image of the Dallow Lane ground used by the Town from 1885 through to 1897, although a team group exists from that period, taken on an open space behind the goal where newly built houses in Dunstable Road can be recognised.

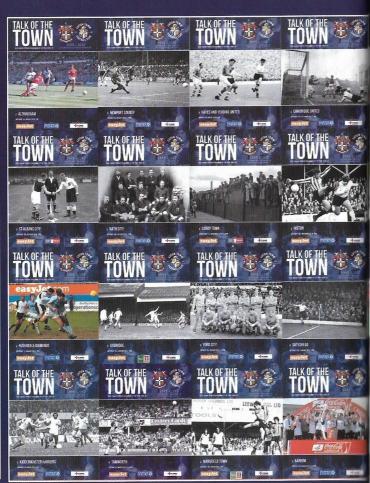
Although a fine aerial view of the Dunstable Road ground, which saw action between 1897 and 1905, exists, I only have a grainy photo of match action during the Hatters' time there which was not good enough quality for the front cover of the current season's programme.

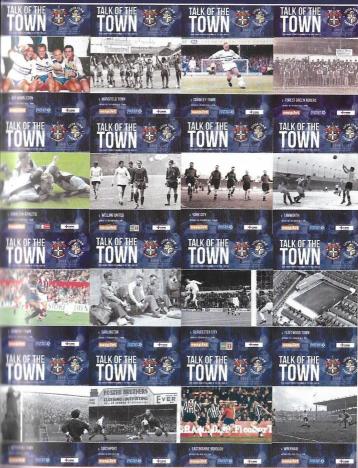
Similarly, I have only poor quality newspaper photographs of the Bristol Rovers home game over Easter 1936 when Joe Payne, making his first appearance at centre-forward for the first team, netted an amazing 10 times in a 12-0 victory - a record never likely to be beaten.

It is only in recent years that these pictures have been uncovered as it was always thought that the Luton News' photographer was away taking wedding pictures rather than shots of the game!

In September 1968 the Town took on Mansfield at Kenilworth Road in a top-of-thetable clash in front of a crowd of 19,315.

After only three minutes 'golden boy' Bruce





Rioch was sent-off in controversial circumstances and having captured the full sequence of events leading up to the dismissal the Evening Post photographer went back to his office to develop the photos for the next day's newspaper.

He therefore missed Graham French running the length of the pitch with the ball to register the greatest goal ever seen on this famous ground.

But these gaps in the photographic archive are fortunately tiny compared with the enormous number available for show.

We have team photos from every season since 1891, apart from 1926/27, head and shoulders pictures of a huge number of players who have pulled on the famous shirt over the years and thousands of match action images.

Photos are available of every aspect of the 1959 FA Cup final and every subsequent Wembley showpiece involving the Hatters, promotion celebrations aplenty including some photos that could not be published in a family matchday programme!

Quirky photos abound. Dogs on the pitch holding up play, supporters taking up precarious vantage points around the ground, lost children, pitch invasions, players skipping, muddy pitches, icy pitches, snow-bound pitches and David Pleat skipping across the Maine Road pitch in 1983.

It is said that a picture paints a thousand words. If that is so then Luton Town Football Club is the proud possessor of millions of words chronicling 125 years of history.

Here's to the next 125 years!

Roger Wash

AGAINST THE ODDS

LUTON TOWN 3-2 READING. 17TH FEBRUARY 2006.

The Town's first season back in the second tier of English football for nine years started off with a bang with the team becoming early pacesetters after wins against Crystal Palace and Southampton, both relegated from the Premier League, and a home draw with Leeds.

Gradually, though, things went off the boil as the Town attempted to compete with the big boys who had larger squads and deeper pockets.

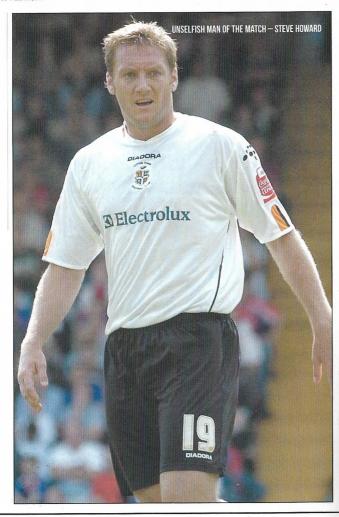
The inevitable loss of Curtis Davies to West Brom for £3 million did not help but the Hatters made a fist of it and hovered around mid-table for most of the campaign.

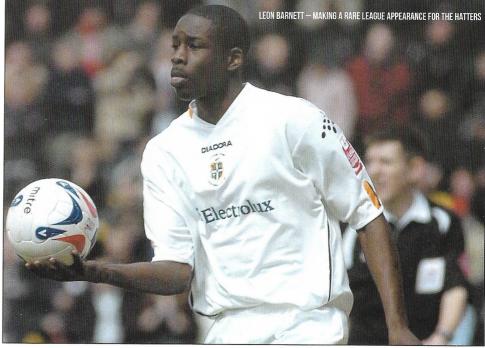
A home defeat at the hands of Hull in early February followed by a 5-1 reversal at Preston set the alarm bells ringing a little.

When a 3-1 lead at home to Cardiff in the next game was pulled back to 3-3 by the final whistle those alarm bells rang louder especially as Reading were next up, and in front of the Sky TV cameras to boot.

Runaway Championship leaders Reading arrived at Kenilworth Road on the back of a remarkable record. Since losing at home to Plymouth on the opening day they had gone on a 33 match unbeaten run which saw them 12 points clear of second placed Sheffield United at the top of the table and nailed on certainties for promotion to the top flight.

The Town were without the injured David Bell, Paul Underwood and central defensive lynchpin Chris Coyne and it was Coyne's replacement, 19-year-old Leon Barnett, who made the fateful slip after 18 seconds which allowed the predatory Reading forward Kevin Dovle through to guide the ball past Marlon





Beresford in the Luton goal.

The mistake did not seem to affect Barnett who then proceeded to put in a masterful performance alongside Markus Heikkinen at the heart of the Hatters defence.

The Town soon put the set-back to one side and attacked Reading with a passion and the equaliser, on 20 minutes, was the least they deserved. Rowan Vine exchanged passes with Steve Howard before slipping the ball past Royals goalkeeper Marcus Hahnemann despite the close attentions of Ibrahima Sonko.

Five minutes later the Town went ahead with poacher Vine in the right place at the right time once more. Kevin Foley managed to get to the byline and cut the ball back to the waiting Vine who side-footed home from eight-yards.

The Hatters had to wait until the second period before netting goal number three. This time it was ex-Reading midfielder Dean Morgan, out to prove a point, who put the Town into a

seemingly unassailable position. Picking up a pass for Howard, the frustrating but talented Morgan led two Reading defenders across the edge of the box feigning to shoot. When he finally did - on his weaker foot - it left Hahnemann completely rooted to the spot.

The game then seemed to fizzle out for a while before sparking back into life in the 90th minute when Dovle headed home the Royals' second.

Minded that the Town had thrown away a 3-1 lead three days previously the Luton supporters in the 8,705 crowd bit their fingemails as four minutes added time were played out.

"I had a feeling we would win but didn't want to say it because I said something similar in December (the Town lost 3-0) and it rebounded on me," said Luton manager Mike Newell afterwards.

Rowan Vine meanwhile praised the unselfish contribution of big strike partner Steve Howard who had set up two of the goals, won nearly every header that had come his way as well as hitting the bar as he attempted to net his 100th Luton goal. Vine then revealed that he had been fined £50 by his team-mates for arriving late before kick-off!

Reading went unbeaten for the remainder of the season, finishing with a mammoth 106 points, while Steve Howard headed home his 100th goal for the Hatters in his next game, away at Leeds.

Luton Town: Beresford, Edwards, Davis (sub Holmes), Barnett, Heikkinen, Brkovic, Nicholls. Foley, Morgan (sub Showunmi), Howard, Vine (sub Feenev).

Reading: Hahnemann, Murty, Shorey, Sonko. Ingimarsson, Oster (sub Lita), Gunnarson, Harper, Convey(sub Hunt), Doyle, Kitson.

Roger Wash.



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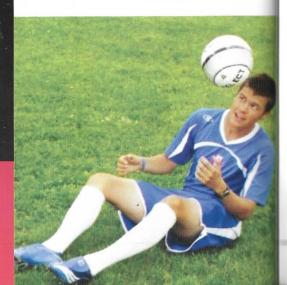
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Profile:

Michael Sup

Football studies student

Currently in his first year, Michael has landed a position with Luton Town as head coach for under-12's.



YOUTH DEVELOPMENT SEASON SUMMAR

TH YOUTH DEVELOPMENT OFFICER GREGG BROUGHTON



I am writing these notes on the back of Thursday's magnificent performance at Wrexham. The Play-Offs are of monumental importance to the future of this Club, and especially to the youth department.

Promotion equals the return of Football League funding which would allow us to take great strides forward in what we are trying to achieve on and off the pitch. In addition to that it also quarantees the Club's ability to retain the registration of all players under the age of 16.

The last few months have been difficult, and make a mockery of the current Football League rules. Watching agents circle like vultures round our best talent whilst other clubs do their best to unsettle our players is tough to take. The rules are unjust, unfair and absurd; I will continue to lobby against them regardless of whether we are promoted or not.

Wrexham have a great history of producing talent and their youth programme should be something they are proud of. They lost their funding at the beginning of the season due to being out of the League for two years, yet Andy Davies and his team have continued to work

Anyone who witnessed the performance of some of their young players at Kenilworth Road last weekend will have seen the talent in their ranks. If they don't win tonight their battle to retain the hottest talent in North Wales starts all over again and we wish them the best with this.

The parents of our players have been magnificent again this season, supporting the boys in games as far afield as Newcastle and Liverpool, They have stuck by the Club through thick and thin and hopefully tonight they will be rewarded for

Regardless of tonight's result, I know that you the fans will remind them what a great dub we are. As staff, we are always humbled by the support this club receives and hopefully you will all be rewarded with a trip to Manchester.

As the season draws to a close, I would like to thank all of our magnificent coaching staff. We are blessed to have such a talented and hardworking group.

A special mention to our three sports science interns who have worked tirelessly throughout the season supporting staff and players. Jordan, Laura and Paul will all go on to have great careers in their respective fields.

Finally, I would like to thank the landladies who look after our scholars and the committee members of SoLYD. They all give up long hours to help the club and their assistance is pivotal to our future success.

It is an honour and a privilege to work for Luton Town, irrelevant of our League status, and it is important as staff that we put our young players in a position where they understand the size and potential of this Club.

We believe we have an enomously talented group of youngsters ready to burst through into the team and hopefully tonight will take us all one step closer to our goal.













CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE

It's been another fantastic year for the Hatters' Centre of Excellence; .manager Martin Prickett reflects on the 2010/11 season with a lookback in numbers:

The number of players currently in the Centre of Excellence

76,800 Total number of minutes of training time in the Centre of Excellence.

Number of treated injuries in the Centre of Excellence.

20,250 Total number of minutes played this season.

Number of players in the Under-8 age group to play for the Under-9s next season.

1 Academy teams played during 2010/11: Blackburn Rovers, Newcastle United, Norwich City, Tottenham Hotspur, Liverpool, Crystal Palace, Everton, Reading, Nottingham Forest and Birmingham City.

Unlucky for some, however, for the 13 players who signed for the Centre of Excellence this season they are very lucky!

1,004 The total number of goals scored this season: one goal every 20 minutes of football and an average of four goals a game.

Scholarships offered next season. Congratulations to Michael Cain, Michael Richens, Jerome Jibidu, Brett Longden, Jordan Davies and Josh Carpenter.

International appearance from a Luton Town player. Cauley Woodrow against



Romania for England's Under-17s.

International indoor tour wins. The Under-15 in Hassia Bingen, Under-9 in Gafflenz, Under-15s Hallen Fussballtumier and Under-13s Fussballtumier.

1,120 Highest hydration score recorded during a season. This Under-15 player needs to drink more fluids.

Player sold to a Premier League club. Congratulations and good luck Cauley Woodrow.

25 Members of staff, full-time, part-time and voluntary that allows this club to have such a vibrant and successful centre of excellence. A big thank you to you all.



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FIXTURES 2010/11

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October 27 Oxford United (a) November 24 Watford (h)	L02 L1-2

February 8 Southend United (h)

26 Ipswich Town* (h)

7 Ipswich Town (h)

104 14 Watford (a)

April 6 Stevenage (a) W 3-1 W 2-0 13 Colchester United (a) 20 Oxford United (h)

Home games played at Barton Rovers *Played at Kenilworth Road

Fixture: Colchester United (a) Competition: Combination, Result: 2-0. Scorers: D. Walker 2

Team: Kidd. Deeney, O'Donnell, Poku, Tavemier, Camey, Dasilva, Watkins, Patrick, Yamfam (sub Ann), D. Walker. Subs not used: Mirzai, McAdams, Nakabaale, Jibidu.

Coaches' comments: Dan Walker continued his

GAMES & GOALS

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Dasilva	6 (2)	1
Deeney	6	0
Graham	1	0
Grocott	1	0
Hinton	1	0
Hooks	1	0
James	1(1)	0
Jibidu	1(1)	0
Kidd	8	0
Lacey	6	0
Lawless	1	1
Lowson	1	0
F. Murray	1	0
Mirzai	0(1)	0
Nathaniel	1	0
O'Donnell	7	0
Patrick	6 (3)	0
K. Pilkington	1	0
Poku	10	0
Richardinho	1	0
Sheedy	1	0
Simpson	1	1
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Tavernier	6 (3)	0
Toomey	1	0
D. Walker	8	4
J. Walker	2	1
Watkins	8	0
Williams	1	0
Yamfam	3 (1)	0

fine goalscoring form with two well taken goals and missed a penalty which denied him a chance of a hattrick. Overall it was was an excellent performance from a very young group of players.

MATCH DIGEST

Fixture: Oxford United (h) Competition: Combination Result: 0-1

Team: Kidd, Deeney, Carney, Tavernier, Lacey (sub Cain), Poku, Watkins, Dasilva, Yamfam, Patrick (sub Ann), Sheedy (sub Jibidu), Subs not used: Smith, Nakabaale.

Coaches' comments: The squad for the game at Barton Rovers included young pros Alex Lacey, Godfrey Poku and Adam Watkins with the rest of the 16 made up of players from the Under-18 and Under-16 age groups and included a schoolboy on the bench. In a game of few chances it seemed to be heading for a goalless draw until Oxford striker Aaron Woodley grabbed the winner with 15 minutes left.

MATCH DIGEST

Fixture: Inswich Town (h) Competition: Combination, Result: 0-1

Team: Kidd: Deeney, O'Donnell, Camey, Lacey, Dasilva, Watkins, Poku, D. Walker, Patrick (sub Tavernier), Yamfam (sub Ann). Subs not used: McAdams, Mirzai, Nakabaake,

Coaches' comments: We fielded another young team in what was our final reserve fixture of the campaign against a talented Ipswich side and it took a moment of real quality to decide this game with a goal from the edge of the area proving decisive.

LEAGUE TABLE EAST DIVISION

		Pld	w	D	L	GD	Pts
1	Ipswich Town	12	6	3	3	11	21
2	Oxford United	12	6	3	3	9	21
3	Watford	12	5	4	3	3	19
4	Southend United	12	4	5	3	3	17
5	Luton Town	10	4	0	6	-3	12
6	Colchester U	11	3	2	6	-9	11
7	Stevenage	11	2	3	6	-14	9

Fixture: Dagenham & Redbridge (h) Competition: Youth Alliance Result: 5-0 Scorers: Dasilva 3, Yamfam 2.

Team: Kidd, Jibidu (sub Smith), Deeney. Dennis (sub Richens), Richards, Camey, Dasilva, Cain, Yamfam, McAdams, Ann (sub Nakabaale). Subs not used: Mirzai, Toomey.

GAMES & GOALS

Ann	17 (3)	4	
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Birch	1	2 0	
Blake	8 (2)	0	
Britt	1	0	
Bufano	9(2)	1	
Burtenshaw	1	0	
Cain	18 (6)	1	
Carpenter	1	0	
Camey	26 (1)	2	
Coates	2	0	
Dasilva	20 (2)	13	
Davis	1 (2)	0	
Dawkins	0(1)	0	
Debayo	1	0	
Deeney	18	0	
Dennis	1	0	
Fordha	1	0	
Hayes	2	0	
Irving	1	0	
James	15 (1)	2	
Jibidu	11 (1)	0	
Jude	1	0	
Kempson	0(1)	0	
Kidd	22	0	
Kieman	1	0	
Lacey	16	1	
Longden	3	0	
McAdams	14 (10)	3	
Millar	1 (2)	0	
Mirzai	13 (6)	0	
Nakabaale	7 (6)	1	
Nyarko	0(1)	0	
Patrick	19 (3)	2	
Porter	1	0	
Richards	_	0	
Richens	3 (7)	0	
Smith	3 (2)	0	
Tavernier	23 (1)	4	
Toomey	14 (5)	4	
Woodrow	10 (1)	10	
Wyer	1	0	

6 (4)

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Coach's comments:

It was not a great first half in truth; both sides failed to create many chances. We didn't think we got forward as much as we would have liked but we took the lead when a cross from Ash Deeney was tapped home by Jean-Phillppe

Going in 1-0 up at half-time we said to the players to up the tempo and believe in their ability. It was great therefore, to see the players take this on board when Ryan Dasilya made it 2-0 after good work Colby McAdams.

Michael Cain found Dasilya to make it 3-0 before Dasilva scored our goal of the season with a disguised chip from outside the box to make it four and ensured he got the matchball. It was a goal that would have graced any game at any level.

Yamfam completed the scoring when he raced past the full-back and fired home. Before the game we told the players that a four-goal margin could see us finish ninth so I was delighted that this was achieved.

We said we wanted to win our final seven games after losing 7-0 to Brentford and although we didn't quite manage it, to win six of the last seven is a fantastic achievement by the players.

LEAGUE TABLE

TO	utin Alliance South E	ast	Con	terenc	æ
	1.0	P	W	GD	Pts
1	Queens Park Rangers	21	16	35	51
2	Millwall	21	16	23	48
3	Leyton Orient	21	11	15	36
4	Brentford	20	10	17	35
5	Colchester United	21	10	12	34
6	Wycombe Wanderers	20	10	9	33
7	Southend United	20	9	8	30
8	Peterborough United	21	9	-3	30
9	Laton Town	22	9	-6	28
	Brighton & Hove A	21	9	-8	28
11	Stevenage	21	7	-10	25
12	Aldershot Town	21	7	-10	25
13	Gillingham	21	6	-10	23
14	Barnet	22	7	-20	23
15	Northampton Town	21	4	-28	15
16	Dagenham & R	21	4	-21	14

LEAGUE YOUTH ALLIANCE

FIXTURES 2010/11

14	Barnet (a)	W3-2
21	Stevenage (h)	W2-1
28	Northampton Town (a)	LO-1

эeр	tember	
4	Barnet (a) (FLYALC)	L1-4
	Stevenage (a) (FLYALC)	D2-2^
18	Northampton Town (h) (FLYALC)	W4-0
22	Cogenhoe United (h) (FAYC)*	W11-2
25	Peterborough United (h) (FLYALC)	D2-2

GI.	oper	
	Brackley Town (a) FAYC	W5-1
5	Brentford (a)	L0-2
0	Waltham Abbey (a) FAYC	W3-2
3	Queens Park Rangers (h)	LO-1

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	Southend United (FAYC)	L1-3-
	Peterborough United (a)	L1-3
	Wycombe Wanderers (h)	L2-3
)	Queens Park Rangers (a)	D1-1

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5 22	Northampton Town (h) Wycombe Wanderers (a)	

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	Millwall (a)	L0-4
2	Leyton Orient (h)	L1-3
9	Brentford (h)	10-7
6	Gillingham (a)	W2-
9	Stevenage (a)	W2-

6	Gillingham (a) Stevenage (a)	W2- W2-
pril	Southend United (h)	W1-

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	Southend United (h)	W1-0
	Aldershot Town (a)	W2-1
16	Barnet (h)	W4-1
22	Brighton & Hove Albion (h)	L1-2
30	Dagenham and Redbridge (h)	W5-0

Football League Youth Alliance fixtures

FLYALC - Football League Youth Alliance League Cup.

FAYC - FA Youth Cup ^ Won 5-4 on penalties

+ After extratime

UNDER-18s SEASON SUMMARY

BY YOUTH TEAM MANAGER JON DE SOUZA



In my last programme notes I spoke about our ambition of winning seven out of our last seven games.

Unfortunately, we fell short of this goal, but only by one result. We managed to win six of the last seven, which I believe is still a terrific achievement.

We beat Gillingham, Stevenage, Southend, Aldershot and Barnet to record five consecutive wins. Our only defeat came against Brighton, where we lost 2-1 on Good Friday. Our last game of the season was against Dagenham & Redbridge, where we managed to win 5-0. Six wins out of seven games was a great effort from the players.

Winning these games has been of great satisfaction, but as a youth department we are more concerned with the quality of our performances, rather than the results. I have been very pleased with our performances over the past few weeks, and the performances have matched the results. However, the real measure of success is how many of our players break into the first-team.

Overall this season has been a success. Results aside, my job is to produce players who will get into our first-team.

This season seven scholars were involved in first-team games this season, of which six made appearances and five made debuts.

Lewis Kidd, Alex Lacey, Jordan Patrick, Christian Tavernier, Alasan Ann, Newman Carney and Cauley Woodrow have all made first-team squads this season.

To have so many players involved with the first-team is a fantastic achievement. However, making debuts is one thing, becoming a first-team regular is another. Our players need to realise that one game does not make a career, and they need to continue to improve if they are to really push for a firstteam place.

Our schoolboys have also performed very well. Cauley Woodrow, an Under-16, managed to make three appearances for the first-team this season, and subsequently made the England Under-17 squad and was sold to Fulham.

Jerome Jibodu and Michael Cain, also Under-16s, have been regulars in the youth team, as well as both making appearances for the reserve team.

Other Under-16s, such as Jordan Davis, Michael Richens and Brett Londgen have all featured in the youth team. Tarum Dawkins and Charlie Smith, both Under-15s, have also



players for the Under-18s this season. Players getting exposed to such experiences at such young ages can only accelerate their development, and we will hopefully reap the rewards in the coming years.

After a successful season, I would also like to take this opportunity to thank all the staff working within the youth department.

Gregg Broughton and Martin Prickett manage a fantastic group of part-time coaches and medical staff, who work with our Under-9 to Under-16 age groups. I believe we have some of the best Centre of Excellence coaches in the country and that in turn helps us to produce some of the best players in the system.

The standards our coaches set, along with their hard work and dedication, clearly rubs off on our players and allows for a fantastic environment for our players to learn, develop and progress.

I would also like to thank the team of staff behind the youth team. Jon Chatfield, the physiotherapist, does a terrific job in helping our players return from injury as quickly as possible.

Our sports science team of Laura Smith, Jordan McCann and Paul Quilter allow our players to prepare for training and games in the best way possible, as well as giving them the opportunity to analyse and monitor their own performances.

Laura looks after the players' nutrition and



Lastly, but certainly not least, I would like to thank Lee Cowley, who has assisted me with the youth team over the past few months, both on and off the field.

On the field, Lee has helped me coach the team on matchdays, and his knowledge and experience has been invaluable for both myself and the players. Off the field, Lee provided transport for the players and staff by driving the clubs minibus to away games.

The key now, for everyone involved with the youth department, is to not rest on our successes. We aim to provide a "constant conveyor belt" of players who will get into our first-team, and to do so everyone must continue to strive to improve and progress.

Enjoy the game today, and join me in getting behind Gary and the players.







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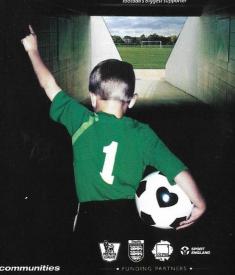


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There was success for the Under-16s on Sunday after winning the Central England round of the British Isles Cup.

The first group game saw the Town play the Leicestershire champions Loughborough Foxes. Four fantastic strikes on goal and a penalty from Amy Nash were all saved by their outstanding goalkeeper and the game finished a goalless draw.

Up next were Northamptonshire champions Netherton United and that game saw the Hatters triumph 2-0 thanks to a tremendous half volley from Lydia Radley and a welltaken goal from Jodie Whittford-Stark following a mix up in their defence.

The third game was against Knowle Girls, the Birmingham champions, and in a much closer game, with goalkeeper Emma Hall having to pull off a great save in the first half, the Town again failed to convert their chances. When their

goalkeeper was beaten the crossbar denied the girls a narrow victory in a game that also ended

A third 00 draw followed against Lincolnshire champions Deeping Diamonds as fatique become very apparent as the players struggled to make an impact. The Town critically lost influential skipper Laura McGarry through injury during the game, and she would take no further part in the day's proceedings.

The draw with Diamonds meant the Hatters and the Lincolnshire side finished joint top of the group on points and goal difference so the place in the final had to be decided by a penalty shootout. The Hatters held their nerve to record 3-2 win with Amy Nash, Rachel Koskey and Lydia Radley all converting their spot kicks. Just as crucially Hall pulled off two great saves.

Suffolk champions Waveney Girls, who had dominated the other qualifying group, awaited

the Town and with just 11 players, team selection was not difficult and recognising the other team's scoring success the Town lined up in a defensive formation.

Amazingly we played our most attacking football of the day, pinning the opposition in their own half and just after half time good work by Koskey on the right finished Lydia Radley volleying from the edge of the area to put the Hatters 1-0

Hard work by all the team saw the lead maintained through to the end and ultimately victory as Central England Champions to ensure qualification for the National Championship at Derby County's Pride Park next Sunday.

Former Wolverhampton Wanderers and England striker Steve Bull selected Radley as player of the tournament and Hall as goalkeeper of the tournament.





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WHERE

After this month's Play-Off campaign, will the Hatters be gearing up to reprise their old rivalry with Plymouth Argyle, 10 years after Joe Kinnear's men battled it out with the Pilgrims for the old Division Two title? Or could Town fans be checking their sat-navs in preparation for a new trip to Braintree Town?

The Hatters are not yet certain of whether they'll be playing in League 2 or the Blue Square Bet Premier next term, with some promotion Play-Off places from Leagues 1 and 2 and the Blue Square North and South still to

The Town could still face Torquay - who achieved a seventh place finish in League 2 or Guiselev who finished fifth in the Blue Square Bet North

Here, we take a look at just some of the Town's potential opponents for next season.

DOWN FROM LEAGUE 1

If the Hatters do get to Eastlands - and win there - then next season they will take on Plymouth and Swindon, who are already relegated and will certainly be playing in League 2 alongside the likes of Bradford. Rotherham and Crewe.





DOWN FROM LEAGUE 2

Should the Town fail to win promotion this season, they will be joined in the Blue Square Bet Premier next term by the 'other' Hatters. Stockport County, who have finished bottom of the Football League after a miserable

As usual in League 2 there was last day relegation escapology with Barnet preserving their League status following a 1-0 win over

The Bees' victory meant Lincoln needed to beat Aldershot at Sincil Bank but the Imps' 3-0 defeat means Steve Tilson's side face a second spell in the Conference.



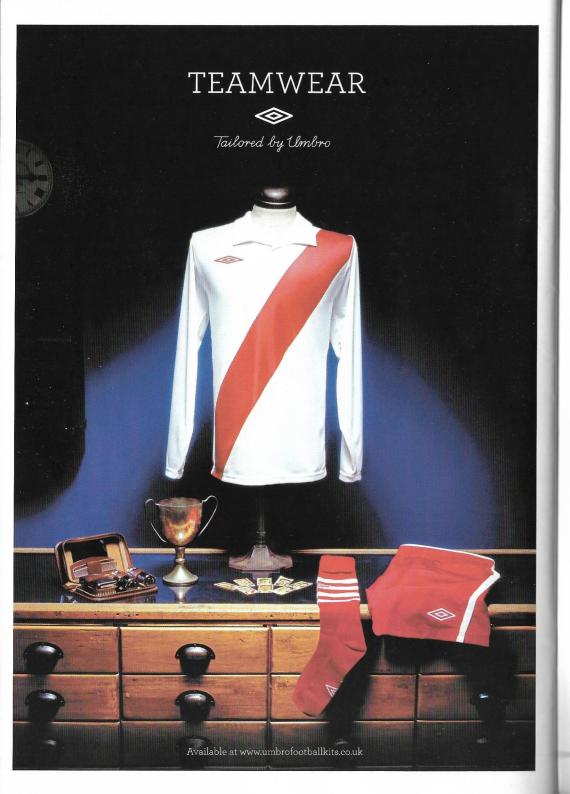
If the Hatters are still playing non-league football next season, they will play their first ever fixture against Braintree Town, who have won the Blue Square Bet South.

Ambitious Alfreton Town, who beat the Town in a preseason friendly last summer, will also be in the top-flight of non-league football next term after winning the Blue Square Bet North.

AFC Telford United meet Guiseley in the northem section's Play-Off finale after the Bucks beat Nuneaton Town while the Lions got past Boston United on penalties.

In the southern section either Ebbsfleet United or Famborough will be playing Conference football next term.

The two sides will meet for a place in nonleague's top flight after getting past Chelmsford City and Woking in their respective



PRICES

SEASON TICKET PRICES ARE HELD FOR 2011/12

The Hatters are pleased to announce the details for season ticket arrangements for the 2011/12 season.

Once again the support from the Kenilworth Road faithful has been outstanding, averaging well over 6,000 - almost twice as many as any other team in the division.

These kind of attendances would see the Club be placed in the top half of League 1 based on average attendances.

To reward this fantastic level of support, the Club has frozen it's base line season ticket price regardless of which League we will be playing in next season.

There will only be a slight increase to some prices to reflect the change in VAT which came into effect on 1st January 2011 after the Early Bird phase.

To counter this the Club will be offering to waive the VAT on any season ticket bought during the Early Bird phase, before 20th May 2011, effectively giving you an approximate five per cent discount on last year's price.

We are also pleased to announce that we will be continuing with our popular four-month interest free and eight-month instalment plans to help make your ticket more affordable.

As usual we will also accept cash, cheque, credit or debit card if you wish to pay the amount in full and up front.

Tickets will go on sale from 10am on Monday 11th April 2011, both in person at the Ticket



online https://www.eticketing.co.uk/lutontown/ We intend for a PDF of the season ticket brochure to be available online later that week and to be posted out to current and former season ticket holders a few days later.

We have also made a change to the categorisation of ticket prices in some areas of the ground to standardise prices and to assist in the compliance of our safety certificate.

When Luton Town 2020 became custodians of the Club in 2008, supporters were faced with a myriad of prices and options and over the last three seasons we have worked hard to try and standardise the price that all supporters pay across the ground.

Therefore, from the 2011/12 season all prices will be standard across the whole of the ground, accept for those areas of uncovered seating in blocks A and B of the Main Stand Enclosure.

We are also pleased to announce that our very successful diamond package will continue next season with some new and exciting benefits such as free hospitality tickets, a free shirt, a player of the month vote and the chance for junior diamonds to play on the Kenilworth Road pitch at half-time.

All additional proceeds from this package will go directly towards our Youth Development department to allow us to continue to produce the Kenilworth Road stars of the future.

Finally, we are also pleased to announce that should we be lucky enough to play in the Promotion Play-Off Final at Manchester City's Eastlands Stadium, we will once again, as we did for the Johnstone's Paint Trophy Final in 2009, deduct the cost of any Under-16's ticket price from the cost of their 2011/12 season

Tum over the page for all the ticket prices.

SEASON TICKETS 2011/12

ALL AREAS

	AGE	E	ARLY BIRD UNTIL 20	TH MAY		PRIME TIME 21ST MAY - 30TH JUNE ANYTIME 1ST JULY ONWARDS								
5.		Price	£ per match	Diamo	nd	Price	£ per match	Diamond	Price	£ per match	Diamond			
Adult	22-64	300	13.04	450	1	335	14.55	485	365	15.87	515			
Young Adult	17-21	200	8.70	330		230	10.00	360	260	11.30	390			
Senior	65-74	200	8.70	330		230	10.00	360	260	11.30	390			
Golden Senior	Over 75	130	5.65	260		155	6.74	285	170	7.39	300			
Youth	10-16	100	4.35	150		100	4.35	150	110	4.78	160			
Junior	Under 10	50	2.17	100		50	2.17	100	50	2.17	100			

UNDER 17S £50 (£100 for DST) WITH A FULL PAYING ADULT

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Young Adult	17-21	180	7.83	310	210	9.13	340	240	10.43	370	
Senior	65-74	180	7.83	310	210	9.13	340	240	10.43	370	
Golden Senior	Over 75	130	5.65	260	155	6.74	285	170	7.39	300	
Youth	10-16	100	4.35	150	100	4.35	150	110	4.78	160	
Junior	Under 10	50	2.17	100	50	2.17	100	50	2.17	100	

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MATCHDAY PRICES ALL AREAS 11/12

	Matchday Price	Price x 23	Early Bird % Saving	Prime Time % Saving	Anytime % Saving	
Adult	£18	£414.00	28%	19%	12%	
Young Adult	£13	£299.00	33%	23%	13%	
Senior	£13	£299.00	33%	23%	13%	
Golden Senior	£10	£230.00	43%	33%	26%	
Youth	£8	£184.00	46%	46%	40%	
Junior	£5	£115.00	57%	57%	57%	

MATCHDAY VOUCHER BOOKS 11/12

Adult £81 Young Adult/Senior £58.50 Golden Senior £45 Youth £36 Junior £22.50

F NAL ARRANGEMENTS

Here's our answers to all the questions on ticketing arrangements for the potential Blue Square Bet Premier Promotion final, should the Hatters be successful this evening.

WHEN? Saturday 21st May, kick-off 3pm.

WHERE? The final will be played at Eastlands, the City of Manchester Stadium.

WILL THE GAME BE TELEVISED? Yes. Premier Sports will be screening the Promotion Final live.

WHAT IS OUR TICKET ALLOCATION? If we are successful, will be allocated an initial 22,500 seats in the South Stand. In addition, we will have a small number of executive hospitality tickets for sale in the Legends Club in the South Stand and a handful of executive boxes for groups of 10.

WHEN DO TICKETS GO ON SALE? Tickets go on sale on Thursday 12th May, Diamond season ticket holders, season ticket holders and executive members will have priority for three days: Thursday 12th, Friday 13th and Saturday 14th.

HOW MANY CAN I BUY? Diamond season ticket holders and executive members can buy 10 per person. Season ticket holders are entitled to six per person.

WHEN DO THEY GO ON GENERAL SALE?
Tickets go on general sale to all supporters with
NO restrictions from Sunday 15th May.

ARE THE CLUB SELLING TICKETS? No. licketing arrangements are courtesy of the rootball Conference who have appointed a third party agency, See Tickets, to sell the tickets. Unfortunately, you will not be available to buy via the Luton Town ticket office, for which we apologise.

HOW DO I BUY THEM? In two ways: 1. Online via www.seetickets.com/luton or by calling See Tickets. Season tickets holders, Diamond season ticket holders and general sale need to call 0844, 854 1359 whilst executive members need to call 0844 854 1360.

HOW MUCH WILL THEY COST ME? There are three pricing structures from the match. Level 1 prices are £36 for adults and £18 for Under-16s. Level 2 prices are £41 with no concessions. Level 3 prices are £36 with no concessions. Level 3 tickets will only be released if there is a demand for them but will not have any concession pricing so please book early if you intend to take children.

WHAT INFORMATION DO I NEED? If you are a season ticket holder you will need to quote your dient reference number when purchasing tickets. That is the number on the inside front page of your season ticket. Supporters who cannot find it or have any problems can contact the ticket office. This is the number circled on the picture below:



ARE THERE ANY ADDITIONAL FEES? Unfortunately, yes. Each ticket carries a £3 booking charge for adults and a £1.50 booking charge for concessions. Postage of tickets costs £2.25 for first class mail or £5.25 for recorded delivery.

CAN I BOOK A GROUP BOOKING? If you are in a group of 10 or more wishing to block book, please contact the Luton Town ticket office on 01582 416976.

WHERE WILL WE BE SITTING? If we get through to the final, Town fans have been allocated the south end of the stadium. Although we hope to hear the entire stadium rock to the tune of Bring Me Sunshine, there is a designated singing area behind the goal, which you should ask for when you call.

WHAT IF I LOSE MY TICKET? Duplicate tickets to replace those lost will only be sent out by See Tickets if they are sent and lost via recorded delivery.

ARE THERE HOSPITALITY PACKAGES AVAILABLE? Yes. These will be released on www.lutontown.co.uk in the forthcoming days if we're successful. Contact the commercial department on 01582 411622.

WHAT COLOURS WILL WE WEAR? Should we make the final and play AFC Wimbledon the Town will take the field in orange. If we take on Fleetwood then we will invite supporters to choose which away strip we wear by an online vote. Official merchandise will be available from the club shop, a few days after the semi-final, should we be the lucky ones.

WILL WE WIN? Well, we need to get past Wrexham tonight. Then it will be a one-off game in Manchester with a place in the Football League at stake. Just keep believing.



STUDY









Although the football season is almost over, the school year still has just under a term left which means there are still plenty of exciting programmes happening at the study centre for a good few months.

Last term we had a great time working with Beech Hill Primary School and Wigmore Primary School.

Beech Hill Primary School have been attending after school sessions on Wednesday evenings and Wigmore Primary School have been attending after school sessions on Wednesday evenings.

The groups have been taking part in literacy and maths activities based around football.

We have had two groups of 15 children attend, one before half term and one after half term.

These groups have been taking part in literacy and maths activities based around football as well with the second group lucky enough to have the benefits of the lighter evenings and good weather meaning they also got to have a couple of games of football and cricket.

We have also held a celebration evening in the Eric Morecambe Suite. Having such an evening allows parents and teachers of the pupils to see all the hard work that their pupils have put in during their time with us, it also allows us showcase work, give out lots of prizes and ultimately have a lot of fun. We are really looking forward to seeing the pupils again for one last time.

Summer term also tends to mean lots of stadium tours, which have already got underway recently.

Pupils enjoy finding out what happens behind the scenes at the football club. They get to see the dressing rooms, trophy displays and while we are at it we usually throw in some maths activities around the pitch and in the club shop. The pupils are always amazed at just how big the stadium is and how many rooms there are underneath the stands!

We are also working on a project which will soon be revealed, with Wacom, a technology

This project is going to be very exciting and will allow a school to win a huge amount of stateof-the-art equipment. Make sure you look out for more information about this project in the

Good luck to everyone involved tonight.

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Sat 14	Altrincham	Н	BSBP	2-1	6,665	101	6	Tyler	Gleeson	G.Pilkington	Kroca 1	F.Murray	Drury	A.Murray	Keane	Howells**	Gallen*	B-Homer 1 **	
Tue17	Kettering Town	Α	BSBP	3-1		1,664	1	KPilkington		G.Pilkington		FMurray		A.Murray ***	Keane	Drury	Gallen*	B-Homer 3	
Sat 21	Fleetwood Town	Α	BSBP	3-0	2,831	715	1	Tyler	Gleeson	G.Pilkington	Kroca	F.Murray	Gnakpa 1	*Besta	Keane	Drury	Crow**	B-Homer 1	
Tue24	Newport C	H	BSBP	1-1	6,945		1	Tyler	Gleeson	G.Pilkington		F.Murray	Gnakpa*	Besta	Keane	Drury		B-Homer***	
Sat 28	Tamworth	A	BSBP	1-3	1,694		2	K.Pilkington		G.Pilkington		F.Murray	Gnakpa*		Besta***	Drury	Craddock 1	AND THE REAL PROPERTY.	
Mon30 SEPTEMBE	Hayes & Y	Н	BSBP	1-1	6,354	80	4	Tyler	Gleeson	G.Pilkington	Kroca	Blackett	Drury 1 =	Keane	A.Murray	Howells**	Crow	B-Homer*	-
Sat 04	Grimsby Town	Α	BSBP	0-2	3,822	348	6	Tyler	Gleeson	G.Pilkington	Kroca	Blackett 8	Gnakoa***	* Keane*	A.Murray	Newton	Gallen**	B-Homer	$\overline{}$
Sat 11	Cambridge Utd	Н	BSBP	2-0	6,691		6	Tyler	Gleeson*	Blackett	Kroca	F.Murray	Gnakpa***			Drury 1	Atieno**	B.Homer	107133
Fri 17	AFC Wimbledon	Н	BSBP	3-0	7,286	633	2	Tyler	Newton	Blackett	Kroca 1	F.Murray	Gnakpa	G.Pilkington		Drury	Atieno	B-Homer 1*	
Tue 21	Darlington	Α	BSBP	2-2	1,665		5	Tyler	Newton	Blackett*	Kroca	F.Murray			G.Pilkington		Atieno**	B-Homer	
Sat 25	Gateshead	A	BSBP	0-1	1,075		7	Tyler	Gleeson	Blackett	Kroca *	F. Murray	Gnakpa**	Keane	G.Pilkington		Atieno III	B-Homer***	
Tue 28 OCTOBER	Mansfield Town	Н	BSBP	2-0	6,024	303	6	Tyler	Gleeson	G.Pilkington	Kroca	F. Murray	Gnakpa	Howells	Keane	M-Smith 1	*Crow 1***	B-Homer*	-
Sat 02	Barrow	Α	BSBP	1-0	1,416	228	4	Tyler	Gleeson	G.Pilkington	Kroca	F.Murray	Gnakpa**	Howells	Keane	Drury	Crow*	B-Homer 1***	
Tue 05	Crawley Town	H	BSBP	1-2	6,895	SOUTHERN	4	Tyler	Gleeson	Blackett	Kroca	F.Murray	Gnakpa	Keane	G.Pilkington	SEMPRESE SERVICE		B-Homer	in the same
Sat16	Eastbourne B.	Α	BSBP	4-2	2,518	923	4	Tyler	Gleeson	G.Pilkington	1 Kroca	F.Murray	Keane	Howells	M-Smith*	Drury**	Crow 2	B-Homer 1	
Tue 19	Forest Green R.	Н	BSBP	6-1	5,704		3	Tyler	Gleeson	G.Pilkington		F.Murray	Keane	Howells**	M-Smith 1			B-Homer 1	
Sat 23	St Albans City	H	FAC4Q		4,144		oues	Tyler	Gleeson*	G.Pilkington		F.Murray	Keane	Howells	M-Smith 3			B-Homer**	
NOVEMBE	Bath City	Н	BSBP	3-1	7,003	166	3	Tyler	Cleeson	G.Pilkingto	ii I Kroca	F.Murray	Keane	Howells	Atieno 1*	Drury	Crow 1**	B-Homer	-
Sat 06	Corby Town	Α	FAC1	1-1	2,000	455	-	Tyler	Gleeson	G.Pilkington	A-Adiave	F.Murray	Keane	Howells	Atieno	Gnakpa	Walker*	B-Homer 1	
Thu 11	Wrexham	Α	BSBP	0-1	2,733		3	Tyler	Gleeson	G.Pilkington		F.Murray	Keane	Howells**	Lawless			B-Homer	
Sat 13	Altrincham	Α	BSBP	1-0	1,416		3	Tyler	Gleeson	G.Pilkington	Kroca =	F.Murray	Keane	Drury	Lawless 1	Gnakpa*	Crow**	B-Homer	
Wed 17	Corby Town	Н	FAC1R		3,050		-	Tyler	Gleeson	G.Pilkington		FMurray**		Howells	Drury**	Gnakpa 1		B-Homer 1*	
Sat 20	Histon	H	BSBP	5-1	5,963		2	Tyler		G.Pilkington		FMurray*	Keane	Howells 1	Drury 1		J. Walker 1	ALLESS AND DESCRIPTION OF THE PARTY OF THE P	
Sat 27 DECEMBE	Charlton Athletic	Α	FAC2	2-2	8,682	2,870	-	Tyler	Gleeson	G.Pilkington	Kroca	Howells	Keane	M-Smith**	Drury 2	Gnakpa	Crow*	B-Homer	-
Thu 06	Charlton Athletic	Н	FAC2R	1-3	5,914	409		Tyler	Gleeson	G.Pilkington	Kroca 1	Howells	Keane *	M-Smith*	Drury	Gnakpa	Crow**	B-Homer	
Sun 12	Welling United	Н	FAT1	00	1,639		-	Tyler	A-Adjaye	Hinton	Lacey	Howells	Lawless	Besta*	Poku			Atieno	-
Tue 14	Welling United	A	FATTR	2-1	404	76		Tyler	Lawless 1	Hinton	Lacey	A-Adjaye	O'Donnell	Besta	Poku	D.Walker	J.Walker 1	Atieno	
JANUARY																A. A. E.			
Sat 01 Tue 04	Rushden & D.	H	BSBP	30	6,928		3	Tyler	Gleeson	G.Pilkington		Howells	Gnakpa1*		Drury	MSmith**		B-Homer 2	
Sat 08	Hayes & Yeading Bath City		BSBP BSBP		801 2,301	tbc 965	3	Tyler Tyler	Gleeson Gleeson	G.Pilkington G.Pilkington		Howells Howells	Gnakpa 1 Gnakpa**		Drury Drury			B-Homer** B-Homer*	
Wed 12	AFC Wimbledon		BSBP			727	2	Tyler	Gleeson	G.Pilkington		Howells	Gnakoa =		Drury			B-Homer*	
Sat 15	Uxbridge	Н	FAT2	40	1,958			Tyler	Lawless	Lacey*	A-Adjaye		Poku	Tavemier***	Besta	Watkins 2	CONTRACTOR OF THE PARTY OF THE	J.Walker**	100
Tue 18	York City	н	BSBP		5,997	126	3		Gleeson	G.Pilkington		Howells	Poku	Keane	Drury1***	Gnakpa1	Owusu1*	B-Homer**	
Sat 22	Gateshead		BSBP		5,958		3			**G.Pilkington		Howells	Gnakpa 1		Lawless			B-Homer**	
Tue 25 FEBRUARY	Grimsby Town	Н	BSBP	1-0	5,609	171	3	Tyler	Gleeson	G.Pilkington	Kroca	Howells	Gnalqpa 1	Keane	Lawless	Drury	Owusu	B-Homer*	-
Tue 1	Darlington	Н	BSBP	40	5,770	77	2	Tyler	Gleeson	G.Pilkington	Kmca	Howells	Gnakpa 1	Keane	Lawless 1	M-Smith**	Owusu 2***	B-Homer*	
Fri 04	Gloucester City		FAT3	1-0	2,212			K.Pilkington			Kroca		Gnakpa		Howells	M-Smith		J.Walker***	
Sat 12	Fleetwood Town	Н	BSBP	1-3	6,227	76	3		Gleeson	G.Pilkington		Howells**	Gnakpa***	Keane	Lawless	M-Smith*	Owusu 1	B-Homer B-Homer	
Fri 18			BSBP		2,834		3		Gleeson*		Kroca	Murray	Gnakpa		Willmott 1			J.Walker**	
Sat 26 MARCH	Guiseley	A	FAT 4	1-0	1,152	250		KPilkington	Graham	Keane	Kroca	Murray	Howells	Keane	Lawless*	M-Smith**	*J.Walker**	B-Homer 1	
Tue 01	Forest Green R.	Α	BSBP	1-0	1,015	359	3	Tyler	Graham	G.Pilkington	Kroca	Murray	Gnakpa	Keane	Willmott**	Howells	Owusu 1	B-Homer**	
Sat 05	Kidderminster H.		BSBP		6,108		3		Gleeson	G.Pilkington		Murray	Gnakpa					B-Homer 1	
Tue 08	Tamworth	H	BSBP	2-0	5,737	45	3		Gleeson	G.Pilkington		Murray	Gnakpa*				Owusu 1**	B-Homer 1	
Sun 13	Mansfield Town				3,208		-	K.Pilkington		G.Pilkington			Gnakpa**	Keane	Lawless	Howells		B-Homer	
Tue 15		A CONTRACTOR OF THE PARTY OF			2,831		3		Graham	G.Pilkington			Willmott					Crow***	
Sat 19 Tue 22	and the second s		FAT SF2 BSBP		6,133 2,459		3	K.Pilkington	Oraham Newton	G.Pilkington		Howells	Newton* M-Smith*		Lawless	Gnakpa ■ Willmott 1		B-Homer***	
Sat 26					1,695	1,227	3		Graham*	G.Pilkington G.Pilkington			Gnakpa**		Carden Carden			B-Homer ** B-Homer 1	
Tue 29					5,528		3		Newton	G.Pilkington		DAMES A SAME OF PARTY	Howells		Carden*			B-Homer	
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Sat 02			BSBP		2,756		3		Cleeson	G.Pilkington		Митау*			Willmott 1			B-Homer**	
Tue 05					5,715		3			*G.Pilkington		Howells 1				Gnakpa**		M-Smith 1	
Sat 09 Tue 12					5,844 3,326		3		Newton	G.Pilkington		Murray 1			Willmott 1			M-Smith 1** I.Walker**	
Sat 16	Mansfield Town				3,326 2,203				Newton Gleeson	G.Pilkington G.Pilkington			Lawless 1 Lawless		Willmott Gnakpa**			J.Walker** VI-Smith*	
Tue 19					2,955	202 .	3		Gleeson	G.Pilkington			Newton			M-Smith**		B-Homer**	
Sat 23					6,171		3		Gleeson	G.Pilkington			Lawless		Gnakpa 1**			Owusu	1997
Mon 25					1,159	839	3.	K.Pilkington		Graham	Kroca	A-Adjaye		Carden	Lawless***	Willmott*	M-Smith 1**		
Sat 30	Wrexham	Н	BSBP	1-1	6,443	232	3	Tyler	A-Adjaye	G.Pilkington*	*Kroca	Graham	D.Walker	Newton	Willmott*	Owusu***	Poku I	B-Homer	
MAY Thu 05	Wrexham	A	POSF 1	30	7211	920	1	Tidor	Closes	C Dillinata	Vroca	A Adi	Lawless 1	Voons	Gnalopa 1*	Milmett	Howell-	Maller	
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	Crow*	Howells**	Besta***	Tyler	Newton			
1	Howells*	Craddock**	1Newton	KPilkington	A.Murray			
	Howells*	Crow**	Craddock***	KPilkington	Newton	HHHH	unnun	
١.	Howells*	Gallen**	Newton***	Tyler	Blackett			
	Gallen*	Gnakpa**	Newton	KPilkington	Craddock			
Г	Besta*	Crow**	Atieno***	KPilkington	Howells			
	Newton*	Howells**	Crow***	KPllkington	Besta			
	A.Murray	Asafu-Adjaye	Crow	KPIlkington	Walker*	WHITE		HH
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ь	A.Murray*	Newton**	Atieno***	KPilkington	Blackett			
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١	Poku**	M-Smith*	Atieno***	KPilkington	Blackett			
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	Gnakpa*	Poku**	Walker 1***	KPilkington	Asafu-Adjaye			
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-		Besta	Delaut	Kidd	Woodrow	O'Donnell	Datiel	
	Licey Alieno*	Walker**	Poku* Asafu-Adjaye	Kidd	Poku	O Donnell	Patrick	
	Howells*	Walker**	Atieno	Asafu-Adjaye	Besta			
	Poku*	Walker**	O'Donnell***	Kidd	Patrick	Lacey	Besta	
	Blackett*	Atieno 1**	Asafu-Adjaye***		Poku	HHHHH		
	Atieno*	Walker**	Asafu-Adjaye	Kidd	Hinton	Besta	Poku	
•	Hinton	Lacey	Besta	Kidd	Poku*	Atieno**	Walker	
	Gleeson	B-Homer	Crow	O'Donnell*	Gnakpa	Auerio	vvalkei	
ш	Patrick	Woodrow	Tavemier	Kidd	Carney			
Е	Polar**	Walker*	Lawless***	Hinton	Asafu-Adjaye			
	Walker*	Lawless**	Hinton	Poku	Asafu-Adjaye			
	Lawless**	Poku	Walker*	Lacey	Asafu-Adjaye			
	Lawless*	Walker**	Poku	Lacey	Asafu-Adjaye			
	Patrick	Woodrow**	Carney*	Ann***	Cain			
	Atleno1*	Crow***	Watkins**	Besta	Asafu-Adjaye			
	Atienio**	Poku**	Watkins***	Kidd	O'Donnell			
	Walker*	Poku	Crow	Asafu-Adjaye	Watkins			
г	Willmott**	Walker*	Graham***	KPilkington	Poku			
	Tyler	D.Walker**	Watkins*	Woodrow***	G.Pllkington			
	Graham*	Poku**	J.Walker***	KPilkington	Crow			
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	MSmith*	Walker**	Graham	KPllkington	Carden			
	MSmith**	Crow*	Poku***	Tyler	Asafu-Adjaye			
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	Gnakpa*	Willmott**	D.Walker***	KPilkington	Poku			
	Newton*	A-Adjaye**	D.Walker***	KPilkington	B-Homer			HIII
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	Watkins*	Lacey**	J.Walker*** 1	KPilkington	O'Donnell		3033	(F) 8
	BHomer*	Graham	Newton	K Pilkington	Owner			

LEAGUE TABLE 2010/11

	HOME							AWAY					
	P	W	Ð	L	F	A	W	B	L	F	A	GD	PTS
CRAWLEY TOWN (C)	46	18	3	2	57	19	13	9	1	36	11	63	105
AFC WIMBLEDON	46	17	3	3	46	15	10	6	7	37	32	36	90
LUTON TOWN	46	14	7	2	57	17	9	8	6	28	20	48	84
WREXHAM	46	13	7	3	36	24	9	8	6	30	25	17	81
FLEETWOOD TOWN	46	12	8	3	35	19	10	4	9	33	23	26	78
KIDDERMINSTER	46	13	6	4	40	27	7	11	5	34	33	14	72
DARLINGTON	46	13	6	4	37	14	5	11	7	24	28	19	71
YORK CITY	46	14	6	3	31	13	5	8	10	24	37	5	71
NEWPORT COUNTY AFC	46	11	7	5	44	29	7	8	8	34	31	18	69
BATH CITY	46	10	10	3	38	27	6	5	12	26	41	-4	63
GRIMSBY TOWN	46	7	12	4	37	28	8	5	10	35	34	10	62
RUSHDEN & DIAMONDS	46	10	6	7	37	27	6	8	9	28	35	3	62
MANSFIELD TOWN	46	9	6	8	40	37	8	4	11	33	38	-2	61
KETTERING TOWN	46	8	8	7	33	32	7	5	11	31	43	-11	58
GATESHEAD	46	8	9	6	28	28	6	6	11	37	40	-3	57
HAYES & YEADING	46	10	2	11	34	38	5	4	14	23	43	-24	51
CAMBRIDGE UNITED	46	7	7	9	32	28	4	10	9	21	33	-8	50
BARROW	46	9	6	8	31	22	3	8	12	21	45	-15	50
TAMWORTH	46	6	8	9	34	41	6	5	12	28	42	-21	49
FOREST GREEN ROVERS	46	7	10	6	28	25	3	6	14	25	47	-19	46
SOUTHPORT (R)	46	9	6	8	39	33	2	7	14	17	44	-21	46
ALTRINCHAM (R)	46	6	8	9	29	38	5	3	15	18	49	-40	44
EASTBOURNE B (R)	46	6	5	12	36	46	4	4	15	26	58	-42	39
HISTON (R)	46	4	3	16	18	45	4	6	13	23	45	-49	28

PLAYER STATS 2010/11

	LEAGUE	THIS	SEASON		TOTAL		пісен	LENARY	CARE	R
	APPS	GLS	APPS	BLS	APPS	GLS	AEI	BED	APPS	GLS
ALASAN ANN	0(0)	0	0(1)	0	0(1)	0	0	0	1	0
ED ASAFU-ADJAYE	3(3)	1	6(1)	Õ	10(3)	1	1	Ö	67	1
TAIWO ATIENO	6(7)	3	5(2)	4	11(9)	7	1	1	20	7
MATTHEW BARNES-HOMER	39(6)	16	8(0)	3	47(6)	19	6	Ó	78	23
PAVEL BESTA	3(3)	0	3(0)	Ō	6(3)	O	Ō	D	9	0
SHANE BLACKETT	7(1)	Ō	0(0)	ō	7(1)	Õ	1	Ď	39	1
PAUL CARDEN	8(2)	0	0(0)	Ō	8(2)	0	1	D	10	0
NEWMAN CARNEY	0(0)	0	0(2)	0	0(2)	0	Ó	0	2	0
TOM CRADDOCK	1(3)	2	0(0)	0	1(3)	2	1	0	86	38
DANNY CROW	17(11)	7	4(3)	1	21(14)	8	4	1	35	8
- ANDY DRURY	23(0)	6	3(0)	2	26(0)	8	3	1	26	8
KEVIN GALLEN	4(2)	0	0(0)	0	4(2)0	0	0	7	52	1
DAN GLEESON	34[1]	0	5(0)	0	39(1)	0	2	0	40	0
CLAUDE GNAKPA	34(9)	1	48(1)	1	42(10)	15	8	1	134	27
LUKE GRAHAM	6(4)	0	4(0)	1	10(4)	1	- 1	1	14	1
CRAIG HINTON	0(0)	0	2(0)	0	2(0)	0	0	0	2	0
JAKE HOWELLS	35(8)	3	10(0)	0	45(8)	3	1	0	129	9
KEITH KEANE	40(0)	0	8(0)	0	48(0)	0	6	1	241	6
ZDENEK KROCA	46(0)	5	7(0)	1	53(0)	6	9	0	53	6
ALEX LACEY	0(1)	0	3(0)	0	3(1)	0	0	0	4	0
ALEX LAWLESS	16(5)	4	6(0)	0	22(5)	4	1	1	27	4
AMARI MORGAN-SMITH	15(5)	5	5(2)	3	20(7)	8	0	0	27	8
ADAM MURRAY	6(1)	0	0(0)	0	6(1)	0	2	0	7	0
FREDDIE MURRAY	28(0)	1	5(0)	0	33(0)	1	3	0	79	1
TAYLOR NATHANIEL	0(0)	0	0(0)	0	0(0)	0	0	0	1.	0
ADAM NEWTON	14(5)	0	1(0)	0	15(5)	0	1	0	64	4
JJ O'DONNELL ULOVO OVUSU	0(0)	0	3(2)	0	3(2) 15(0)	0	0	0	5	0
IORDAN PATRICK	13(0) 0(0)	6	2(0)	1	ULT)	7	1	0	15	7
GEORGE PILKINGTON	46(0)	4	8(0)	0	54(0)	4	0	0		10
KEVIN PILKINGTON	3(0)	0	4(0)	Ö	7(0)	0	4	0	129 18	0
GODFREY POKU	2(7)	Ü	4(6)	0	6(13)	0	3	0	19	0
CHRISTIAN TAVERNIER	0(0)	Ü	1(0)	Ď	1(0)	0	1	0	19	0
MARK TYLER	44(0)	0	8(0)	0	52(0)	0	0	U O	92	0
DAN WALKER	1[11]	1	3(4)	0	4[15]	1	0	0	19	1
JASON WALKER	9(12)	4	5(1)	1	14(13)	4	1	1	27	5
ADAM WATKINS	0(3)	0	1(1)	2	1[4]	2	'n	Ó	6	2
ROBBIE WILLMOTT	13(3)	6	0(0)	ő	13(3)	6	2	Ö	16	6
CAULEY WOODROW	ULUJ	n	0(3)	Ö	0(3)	n	ñ	Ď	3	n
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LEAGUE TABLE

	TEAM	p	GD	PTS
1	CRAWLEY TOWN	46	63	105
2	WIMBLEDON	46	36	90
3	LUTON	46	48	84
4	WREXHAM	46	17	81
5	FLEETWOOD T	46	26	78
6	KIDDERMINSTER	46	14	72
7	DARLINGTON	46	19	71
8	YORK	46	5	71
9	NEWPORT COUNTY	46	18	69
10	BATH CITY	46	-4	63
11	GRIMSBY	46	10	62
12	RUSHDEN & D	46	3	62
13	MANSFIELD	46	-2	61
14	KETTERING	46	-11	58
15	GATESHEAD	46	-3	57
16	HAYES & Y	46	-24	51
17	CAMBRIDGE	46	-8	50
18	BARROW	46	-15	50
19	TAMWORTH	46	-21	49
20	FOREST GREEN	46	-19	46
21	SOUTHPORT	46	-21	46
22	ALTRINCHAM	46	-40	44
23	EASTBOURNE B	46	-42	39
24	HISTON	46	-49	28
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- 01 MARK TYLER DAN GLEESON
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- MATTHEW BARNES-HOMER
- ROBBIE WILLMOTT
- SHANE BLACKETT
- ZDENEK KROCA
- **ALEX LAWLESS**
- **JAKE HOWELLS**
- **ED ASAFU-ADJAYE**
- PAUL CARDEN
- **CLAUDE GNAKPA**
- DANNY CROW
- **CHARLIE HENRY**
- JASON WALKER
- 24 ALEX LACEY
- **GODFREY POKU**
- II O'DONNEI I
- **ADAM WATKINS**
- DAN WALKER
- KEVIN PILKINGTON
- 34 LLOYD OWUSU

WREXHAM

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- 02 CURTIS ORFNG
- NEU ASHTON
- **MARVIN ANDREWS**
- **CHRIS BLACKBURN**
- JAY HARRIS
- GARETH TAYLOR

- MARC WILLIAMS
- ANDY MORRELL
- DEAN KEATES
- FRANK SINCLAIR
- ADRIAN CIESLEWICZ
- JAMES TOLLEY
- **JORDAN MCMILLAN**
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