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BRABS

Welcome back to Kenilworth Road for this afternoon's eagerly-anticipated game with Fleetwood Town in the Blue Square Bet Premier.

I'd like to extend a big welcome to Micky Mellon and his staff and players plus the directors and supporters of the Cod Army.

Today's game promises to be one of the most exciting of the season against a side that have serious aspirations of winning the title.

Fleetwood have come a long way in recent years and last season – their first at this level – they showed their potential by finishing in fifth place earning them a crack at the Play-Offs. I was at their matches against AFC Wimbledon and I thought they were a very good side then. Since then they've improved and strengthened their ranks even further.

It means we face a very tough challenge this afternoon in our quest for promotion against arguably one of the best teams in the division.

However, I think you should know me enough by now to realise I want to focus on ourselves and not the opposition. It is a case of no fear – we know we're good enough to beat anyone in this league – and that is not me coming across as arrogant.

It seems a long time since our last league game against Grimsby when we collected a vital three points and it's important we continue to show the same kind of determination home and away every week.

There are games you can go and win by four or five goals by playing free-flowing football and there are others that you need to knuckle down and grind out, especially away from home and at home in tight matches. We didn't do that against Cambridge or Wrexham at Kenilworth Road which was hugely disappointing.

The win at Grimsby showed we're capable of doing it 'ugly' – even though I thought we fully deserved the win and played some excellent football.

I expect this afternoon's game to be an exciting

one. We've scored the most goals at home and Micky's side have scored the most goals away from home. That's probably the cue of it to end goalless!

As I mentioned earlier it is going to be a really tough game, especially considering we could go into this afternoon's game missing up to nine senior players through injury.

It has been incredibly frustrating not to name a consistent line-up each week. When teams win championships you often find there is a consistency in the manager's selection throughout the season, so given our performances and results so far we have done incredibly well to be in the position we are considering the injuries we have to contend with.

Last Saturday's victory over Hendon saw James Dance suffer a very nasty injury – fracturing his eye socket and jaw when he bravely headed home our second goal.

There was some good news later in the game, however, when we brought on Charlie Henry for the last 20 minutes or so. It was fine reward for his hard work and commitment to returning to fitness after a nightmare 12 months.

There were good and bad points from our win over Hendon. It was pleasing that we won and scored five goals but at times we thought it was going to be too easy – the first 20 minutes in the second half were poor and I told the players exactly that afterwards. But the victory gives us the opportunity next week to test ourselves at home against a side from League 2 which we're all looking forward to.

Since my last programme notes we have secured the signatures of Curtis Osano and Janos Kovacs for the foreseeable future which is fantastic news as both have been excellent for us this season.

Thank you for your continued support and get behind us this afternoon.

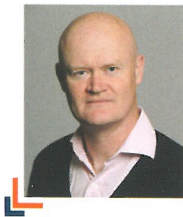


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FROM THE BOARDROOM

WITH DAVID BLAKEMAN



Welcome to this afternoon's important game. Fleetwood have, as most of us know, spent heavily in the close season. That spending has borne dividends as they are one of the principal contenders for the Championship and, therefore, one of our closest rivals.

I think they've bought some good players. Jamie Vardy can scarcely stop scoring and Luton fans will require little introduction to Richard Brodie. Nevertheless, our squad is fully confident of producing a winning performance in what is, for both sides, a crucial encounter.

The match has a little extra piquancy for me. One of my legal colleagues is an ardent Fleetwood fan, and both of us will be dreading the teasing that will result if our side loses. I have to implore our fans, therefore, to make as much noise as possible to encourage our team and to prevent my mate celebrating a win for the "Frumps", as he nicknames his team.

We've had a couple of reasons to cheer in the recent past. The win at Grimsby was a very good one. It's never easy to go to a team like Grimsby and win. Especially pleasing was Tommy Wright's goal on his full debut. I think he offers another dimension to our play.

Occasionally, the free flowing football we like to play doesn't work, or is blocked by defensive tactics - and one needs a more direct approach. Tommy gives us that capability. I also hope he can forge the sort of partnership with Stuart Fleetwood that leads to each player creating chances for the other.

The win against Hendon was also very

pleasing. Despite what anyone says (and forgive the cliché) but there really is no easy game in cup football. A home tie against Northampton will be a good test of our capabilities next Saturday - and should see a good crowd.

Since my last set of notes I've been pretty busy. I've been doing two main things. Firstly, I have been working on the practicalities of whether we try to find (and build) a new stadium, or whether we stay at Kenilworth Road.

Those of us who have been attending Kenilworth Road for decades will find it very difficult to see the old ground go. On the other hand, it's equally hard to see how the Club can progress through the leagues without having the impetus and revenue that the construction of a new stadium would bring. I see no reason why the Club could not achieve attendances comparable to, say Reading, if we had a new ground - and those attendances tend to act as the financial springboard to enable a club to gain promotions.

It isn't at all an easy task, however. There are very few locations suitable for building a new ground - and we have to think about how the construction costs of the new facility (which is likely to cost tens of millions of pounds) will be covered.

I am afraid that, at this stage, it would not be right to talk about the sites we have in mind; (to do so might damage our bargaining position) but updates shall appear here in due course.

I am also engaged on a mission to achieve more linkage between the club and the local community. It is a remarkable thing

that virtually nobody from the local South Asian (and, I believe, Eastern European) community attends our games. I think there are a variety of reasons behind that fact, some of them historical, some of them social and some deriving from the treatment that those people used to receive (perhaps, worryingly, still receive) from a section of our supporters. I want to make it clear to the community that they are very welcome at our games and that we, as a board, do not tolerate or condone any racist behaviour.

The reality is that the club, at this difficult time in its history, needs as many supporters as it can get. The more fans we have, the more noise and income is generated and that leads to greater success. I have, accordingly, been meeting with Luton Borough Council and community leaders with the intention of improving and building on relations. Various ideas have been mooted and, again, I hope to be able to announce what we are doing in future editions of this programme.

What I would also say is that supporters should certainly think about using the restaurants and other shops in Dunstable Road before a game. Having sampled lots of them, there are some tremendous restaurants, greengrocers and great value hardware shops and if locals can see that we are supporting their businesses, they're much more likely to support us in turn. I would invite supporters to send in any ideas they have as to what we might do to help achieve the aim I describe above.

Anyway, as ever, enjoy the game and make as much noise as possible!



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F.A. Cup:
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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
Runners-up 1935/36

Football League Division Three:
Runners-up 1969/70

League One: Champions 2004/05

Football League Division Four:
Champions 1967/68

Football League Division Three:
Runners-up 2001/02

Blue Square Premier:
Runners-up 2009/10

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

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PILKS

Good afternoon and welcome to Kenilworth Road for what promises to be an exciting game against Fleetwood Town.

These are the kind of games every footballer looks forward to. Big games, especially at Kenilworth Road are the reasons why I love playing for this football club.

Fleetwood have shown already this season that they mean business. They have invested heavily and it is reaping rewards. One look at the attacking options in their squad would suggest that we are going to be in for a busy afternoon!

But, as the manager constantly reminds us, we have to believe in our ability. We know we are good enough to beat anyone in this league. We have struggled to keep clean sheets this season but know if we can keep one we are good enough to score at the other end of the pitch.

Our home form has been good. We've scored a lot of goals at Kenilworth Road but we have been frustrated in the tight games. Those games at Cambridge and more recently against Wrexham were hugely disappointing. We need to make sure that today isn't a repeat of those two matches.

Last Saturday saw us continue our goalscoring form at home when scoring five past Hendon in the FA Cup.

We knew that Hendon would really go for it in the first half and they took a shock lead that stirred us into action and I thought we were excellent in the lead-up to half-time.

We allowed Hendon to dominate possession at the start of the second half but Kevin Pilkington didn't have a shot to save. We gained the momentum once more and finished with a real flurry once they had a man sent-off midway through the second period.

The victory put us in the hat for the first round proper and it was great to get another home tie and even better to see us paired with a team from a league above.

In my programme notes last Saturday I eluded to our previous cup runs since we have been in the Blue Square Bet Premier and I have always believed that our performances in the FA Cup have been some of the best.

I remember the excellent wins over Rotherham and Rochdale and the narrow defeat at Southampton two seasons back, and the two games against Charlton last term. Hopefully next Saturday, George Pilkington's shirts are sponsored by WHOSH and the Bobbers Travel Club



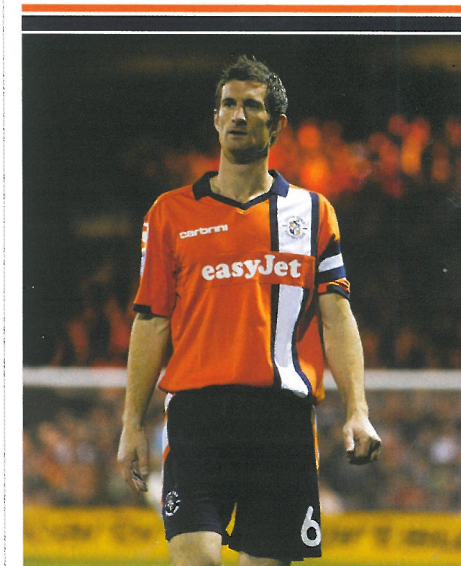
against Northampton, we can put ourselves in the draw for the second round. We're just two wins away from playing the likes of Man City or Man United.

One thing that definitely brought a smile to my face last weekend was the appearance of Charlie Henry in an orange shirt. It's been a long time coming but it was fantastic to see him on the pitch in a competitive game making his debut.

Charlie's has described his time here so far as a nightmare because of his injury but despite being on the treatment table for almost a year he has never given up hope and has always had a smile on his face during his rehabilitation. It's a credit to Charlie that he's got himself back and we're all looking forward to seeing him in action more often now.

Your support when Charlie came on last weekend was great and he was buzzing after the final whistle.

Please get behind us again this afternoon and raise the roof - we need you as the 12th man. Enjoy the game.



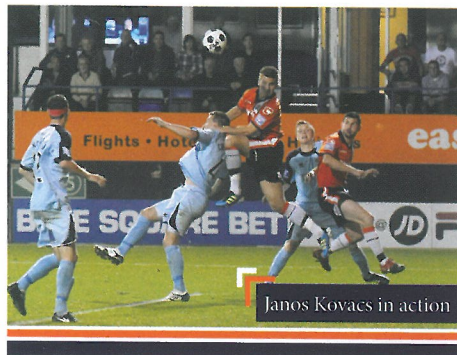
AROUND TOWN

■ JANOS TO STAY

The Town confirmed last Friday that defender Janos Kovacs agreed a loan extension until January 2012.

The agreement was made between the Hatters and the Hungarian's parent club Hereford with the view to a permanent move in the next transfer window.

The way the deal was structured meant the 26-year-old could not feature against Hendon last Saturday but is available for the Town's Boxing Day fixture with Kettering instead.



Janos Kovacs in action

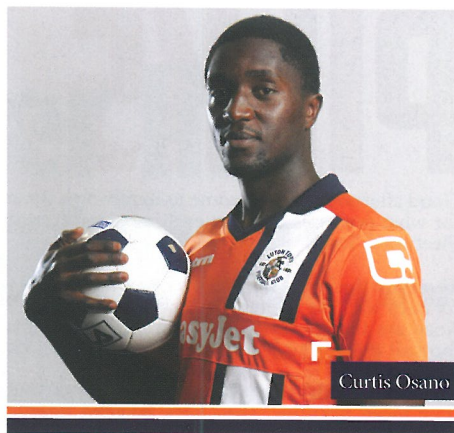
Gary Brabin told Talk of the Town: "I'm delighted that Janos is with us now through until early January and hopefully we can agree something in the longer term.

"He's been great around the squad in the time we've already had him, bringing some real strength and power in the air to the side. He has enjoyed his time back at Luton and we've enjoyed him being here."

■ OSANO EXTENDS CONTRACT

Earlier this week the Town also secured the services of defender Curtis Osano until the end of the season.

Since signing in the summer following his release from Rushden & Diamonds on an initial six-month contract, the 24-year-old has made 13 appearances across the Town backline so far this term.



Curtis Osano

Manager Gary Brabin said: Curtis has been excellent for us. He's a great athlete, has bags of enthusiasm, is a hard-worker and loves to get forward.

"His performances have been first class and his ability to get forward and join in our attacks have been a big highlight.

"We were surprised in the summer that nobody else was interested in taking him on because last season he was fantastic for Rushden.

"I said at the time it was a major coup for us and his form so far has demonstrated what a good player he is and I'm delighted to have secured Curtis here for the rest of the campaign."

■ CUP FOR THE CUP

The Town's prize for beating Hendon last weekend is an FA Cup first round proper tie at home to npower League 2 side Northampton Town.

The tie will be played at Kenilworth Road on Saturday 12th November.

Turn to page 62 for ticket information for this match.

■ HAPPY BIRTHDAY

A big happy birthday to Town fan and season ticket holder Tom Straker (pictured) who celebrates his 12th birthday this afternoon.

Tom's favourite player is Jake Howells and birthday wishes come from all the family and all at Kenilworth Road.



■ CLUB PARTNERSHIP

Please give a warm welcome to today's club partnership who are St Martins from Lewsey Farm.

St Martins have been serving the local community of Lewsey Farm and surrounding areas for the past 14 years.



During this time the Saints have offered thousands of boys and girls the opportunity to play football in a safe and friendly environment.

The club currently have 118 boys and girls registered this season and have had long links with Luton Town which has seen a number of the Saints players taking the big step up from local 7 a side football to join the Hatters Academy.

Although the Saints, who wear the Hatters colour of orange and white, win their fair share of trophies, the emphasis at the club is to provide football for all in the community.

Chairman Glenn Forsyth, currently in his fifth year with the Saints told Talk of the Town: "Our club is all about giving youngsters the chance to play the beautiful game.

"We offer many local children from a variety of backgrounds the opportunity to not only enjoy football, but also develop their life skills."



The Saints recently gained the coveted Community Chartered Standard Status from the Football Association and this afternoon the Club is represented here at Kenilworth Road by the Under-10 and Under-11 Saturday squads who compete in the Chiltern Junior 7's.

■ MATCHDAY CLUB

We'd also like to welcome two Harlington teams to our popular matchday club this afternoon.

Harlington Juniors Under-11s and Under-13s will be here today and will get the chance to savour the Kenilworth Road atmosphere.



If you'd like to be a part of this in the future, contact James Hatch via email on james.ltfc@live.co.uk.

■ GOLDEN GAMBLE

Stephen Rawstorne of Luton collected £265 after his ticket number 12028 following last Saturday's Golden Gamble against Hendon.

But one Town fan out there is still missing out on £585 following our draw against Wrexham on 18th October.

The big crowd bumped the prize up to almost £600 and the winning number you need to look for is 10128.

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WELCOME FLEETWOOD TOWN



As champagne corks were popping at Kenilworth Road following the League 1 title success in 2005 and preparing for life in the Championship our visitors today, Fleetwood Town, were celebrating winning the North West Counties Premier division.

Six years on, how times change. Both sides face each other in England's fifth tier this afternoon having experienced a contrast in fortunes. For the Town three successive relegations while the Cod Army lifted themselves four divisions higher in the space of seven years.

Fleetwood are aiming to make that record five promotions in eight years as they attempt to win a place in the Football League for the first time in their history.

Last season saw Micky Mellon's side suffer Play-Off agony at the semi-final stage, losing heavily on aggregate to AFC Wimbledon – and we all know how the final panned out...

It was Fleetwood's first campaign in non-league top's division and a fifth place finish has meant that expectations this time round are higher at Highbury.

Mellon has pieced together a strong, attack-minded squad which visit Kenilworth Road as the highest scorers away from home in the Blue Square Bet Premier.

Among the goals this term has been record signing from FC Halifax Jamie Vardy. The winger has scored 10 goals in 10 league games and he's been ably assisted with strikers Andy Mangan (five goals), Richard Brodie (four goals), Gareth Seddon (four goals) and Magno Vieira (five goals).

Both sides go into today's clash having scored five goals in their previous games with Fleetwood scoring five goals in midweek to see off Mansfield in their FA Cup fourth qualifying round replay at Highbury to set-up a meeting with League 1 side Wycombe Wanderers next weekend.

It's one win a piece in terms of head-to-head meetings between the two sides. The Hatters' triumphed 3-0 at Highbury in August last season with goals from Matthew Barnes-Homer, Claude Gnaka and Tom Craddock against the hosts who had Paul Lindwood sent-off in the first half.

Mellon's side got their revenge in February with a 3-1 victory. A Lloyd Owusu goal fired the Town ahead in the seventh minute but Seddon had the visitors level two minutes later. Anthony Barry crashed home a superb goal to put Fleetwood ahead in the second half and Seddon got a second two minutes later to seal all three points.

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THE VISITORS

□ HISTORY

Fleetwood Town has endured a chequered football history. The first representative side emerged in the mid 1880's but the original Fleetwood FC did not come into existence until 1908.

Arguably the best spell came in the early 1930's when Fleetwood won the Combination Cup three years in succession and were league runners up twice. After that tremendous period, the club fell on hard times but they still remained prominent enough in the mid 1960's to become founder members of the Northern Premier League in 1968.

On the formation of the North West Counties Football League in 1982, Fleetwood were placed in Division Two despite having previously been a member of the top division of the Cheshire League.

At their second attempt, Fleetwood were crowned Second Division Champions and earned promotion to the top Division. A year later, Town enjoyed their greatest day ever when they reached the Final of the FA Vase. Sadly, the fairytale ended in defeat as Fleetwood lost the Wembley final against Halesowen; Norman Moran scoring Fleetwood's goal in a 3-1 defeat watched by a crowd of 16,715.

In 1987 Fleetwood joined the exodus of NWCFL clubs to form the new First Division of the Northern Premier League, winning the title in the very first season. Promotion to the Premier Division saw them compete favourably when they finished fourth in season 1990/91. However, the joy was short-lived and after a period of severe instability the club again folded in ignominious fashion in 1976.

A new club was formed in 1997 under the leadership of Jim Betmead. During their second year of existence, season 1998/99, Fleetwood once again found themselves on the trophy trail when they clinched a North West Counties League and Cup double - earning promotion to Division One as a result.

After a third place finish in season 2003/04, only a failed ground grading denied Fleetwood promotion to the Northern Premier League First Division. Fleetwood finally made it to the Northern League by winning the North West Counties Division One title in record winning style during season 2004/05.

Twelve months on, Town were celebrating back-to-back promotions when a 5-1 victory over Brigg Town on the final day of the season saw them pip Kendal Town for second place and automatic promotion to the UniBond League Premier Division.

The UniBond Premier Division title and promotion to the Blue Square North was added to Fleetwood Town's list of honours in 2007/08. Having tracked Witton Albion all season, Town moved to top spot after winning their penultimate game away at Leek 2-1.

That win set up a final day drama with Fleetwood and Albion both at home to Frickley Athletic and Workshop Town respectively. Town gave Witton the chance they needed when held to a draw in front of almost 2,700 fans, but Witton failed in their promotion bid with a 3-0 home defeat to suffer final day disappointment.

Following a poor start to the 2008/09 Blue Square North campaign, manager Tony Greenwood left after nine league games. Steve Macauley was named caretaker manager and took charge of one league game. Reserves manager, Steve Edwards, assisted Macauley.

Micky Mellon was appointed first team manager in September and Town finished eighth place in the Blue Square North.

Mellon then steered his 2009/10 side to a second spot finish and promotion to the Blue Square Bet Premier by beating Alfreton Town in the Blue Square North Play-Off final.

□ MEET THE MANAGER

MICKY MELLON

Career began in 1989 as a 17-year-old with Bristol City, spending four years at Ashton Gate, before joining West Bromwich Albion in 1993 for a fee of £75,000. He played 45 league games for West Brom, scoring six goals in their promotion season ending in a play off victory over Port Vale at Wembley.

A move to Blackpool for a fee of £50,000 in 1994 established him as a regular on the team and scoresheet. Under Sam Allardyce's guidance, Mellon made 138 appearances and scored 17 goals in all competitions. He was voted the club's Player of the year in the 1995-96 season.

Mellon then moved up a division to join Tranmere Rovers, who were then playing in Division One, for a fee of £300,000. He spent two seasons at Prenton Park, followed by another two with Burnley. A further spell with Tranmere Rovers followed before his career was cut short through injury whilst at Kidderminster Harriers whom he joined in August 2004.

Mellon took over the Highbury hotseat in September, 2008 and steered the club into the Conference National after the 2009/10 season.

IN OPPOSITION



Our visitors come in this afternoon's game off the back of a thumping 5-0 victory over Mansfield Town in their FA Cup fourth qualifying round replay at Highbury on Tuesday night.

Strikes from Richard Brodie, Sean Clancy, Gareth Seddon, Jamie Milligan and Andy Mangan shot down the Stags to give the Cod Army confident going into this today's clash at Kenilworth Road.

It was a performance that delighted boss Mickey Mellon who believed it was his side's best performance of the season so far.

"I thought from the first minute to the last we were absolutely fantastic," Mellon told Fleetwood's official website. "Some of the football we played was terrific and it's great to see that all the hard work over the past week or two on the training ground is bearing fruit on the pitch.

"That's probably the best we've played over 90 minutes. We've played well in spells in games but not for the whole game.

"Against Mansfield we created 28 goalscoring chances which is quite unbelievable. We knew it was going to be a tough tie and we knew we had to be at our best to win and on the night we were.

"We wanted to get a result and get through and it's great we've got a league club at home. The atmosphere at Highbury is getting better and better.

"First and foremost we've got a massive game at Luton - that's our bread and butter. It's a huge match for us."

Like the Town, Fleetwood have suffered from a number of injury problems this term Clancy returning to action against the Stags.

With players slowing returning to full fitness, Mellon thinks his team are doing the right things at the minute.

"We're in a good place at the minute," he said. "Richard Brodie was unplayable against Mansfield; Jamie Vardy works so hard - he's real asset to this club.

"Going into a really tough period we need everyone fit and the team spirit is absolutely fantastic."



IN TOWN

GOALKEEPERS

SCOTT DAVIES

Product of Morecambe's youth academy, his debut in a competitive first team match for the Shrimps came in the 1-0 LDV Vans Trophy defeat at home to Bradford City in November 2005. In March 2008, Davies made his Football League debut in the 4-0 defeat to Grimsby Town. He signed for Fleetwood in the summer of 2010 and made 36 first team appearances in 2010/11.

DANZELLE ST LOUIS HAMILTON

A welcome addition to the Cod Army with the club needing an extra goalkeeper following the release of Danny Hurst. Formerly with Darlington, the stopper originally came from Stoke, with a loan spell at Vauxhall Motors.

DEFENDERS

SHAUN BEELEY

Right-back who joined Fleetwood from Southport in November 2007. Shaun, who developed his football skills in the youth and reserve teams at Oldham, had joined Southport in the summer of 2007. Pacy defender who poses a threat up the right wing and into the opposition box, he was a member of the 2009/10 promotion winning squad.

PAUL EDWARDS

Experienced left-back who made the short transfer from Barrow this year, with over 300 league and non league games to his name already. No stranger to the Fylde Coast, Edwards made 28 appearances for Blackpool in 2004/05. Edwards has also had spells at Wrexham, Swindon and Oldham.

STEVE MCNULTY

Club captain was the club record signing when he joined from Barrow for £17,000 in June 2009. He began his career at the Liverpool academy before joining Burscough in 2003. In 2005 he moved to Vauxhall Motors and captained the side before joining Barrow in 2007. He scored

on his debut and was voted Blue Square North player of the season for 2007/08.

JUNIOR BROWN

Signed from Northwich Victoria in June 2010, Brown began his career at hometown club Crewe Alexandra, for whom he made a one league appearance as substitute against Brighton in February 2008. The left-back made 22 appearances in the Blue Square North during 2009/10 for Northwich. Injury restricted him to 22 starts last term.



Junior Brown

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MIDFIELDERS

ANTHONY BARRY

Midfielder who joined in 2010 following his release from Chester. Barry started his career with Accrington Stanley in 2005. In January 2006 he joined Yeovil Town before he moved to Chester in June 2008. A member of the 2009/10 promotion winning squad, Barry scored twice last season including a spectacular goal at Kenilworth Road.

JAMIE VARDY

Exciting winger signed from FC Halifax Town

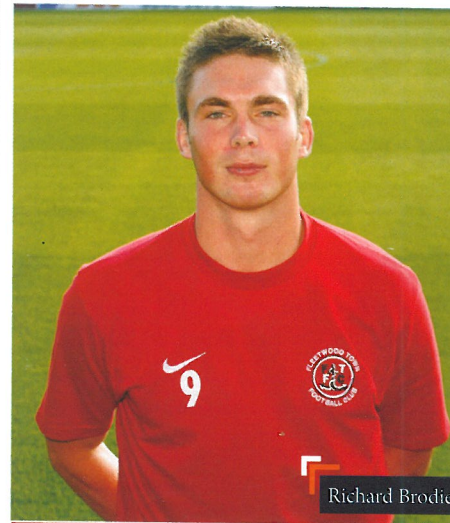
FLEETWOOD TOWN



STRIKERS

RICHARD BRODIE

Joined Fleetwood Town in May 2011 on a season-long loan from Crawley Town. Brodie finished the season with 13 goals in 45 appearances for Crawley as the club won the Conference title. The striker joined Crawley from York City in the summer of 2010 having netted over 30 goals in 2009/10.



Richard Brodie

NATHAN POND

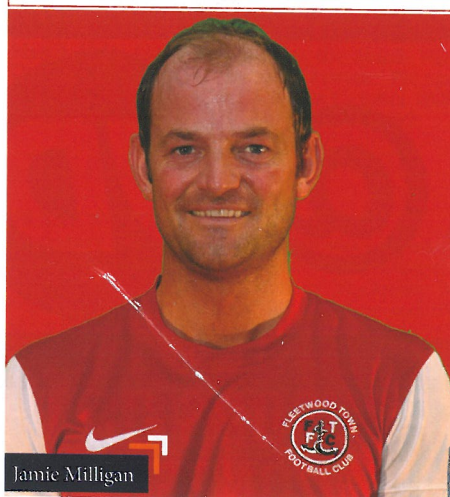
Midfielder who has made over 250 league and cup appearances for Fleetwood spanning eight seasons. An imposing and physical midfielder with an eye for goal, Nathan is a superb athlete and possesses an excellent touch.

SEAN CLANCY

England C international versatile midfielder who started his career with Blackpool who he made his debut for as a 16-year-old. In August 2006 he signed for Southport where he played 11 games in 2006/07. Clancy then joined Burscough from Altrincham before signing for Fleetwood. A versatile left sided player.

JAMIE MILLIGAN

Former Fleetwood Town skipper who rejoined the Highbury club in November 2010. Milligan had joined AFC Fylde in the summer of 2010 as business commitments did not permit him to turn full-time with the rest of the Fleetwood squad. A former Everton youngster and regular for Blackpool, he made eight appearances in an injury-hit return in 2010/11.



Jamie Milligan

MAGNO VIEIRA

Brazilian-born striker who joined Fleetwood in July last year from Ebbsfleet. He started his career with Wigan Athletic before spells with Carlisle, Barnet and Crawley. He finished his first season at Highbury as top goalscorer with 22 goals.

ANDY MANGAN

A summer signing from promotion rivals Wrexham, the Liverpool-born striker originally started his career at Blackpool, before moving on to Accrington Stanley, Bury and Forest Green Rovers. It was his goalscoring exploits at Forest Green Rovers which alerted Wrexham to his talents, and he finished top scorer with 16 league goals last season despite regularly playing on the left wing.



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CLASSIC CAMPAIGN

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Jamie Milligan was leading marksman as Fleetwood won the UniBond League Premier Division title in 2007/08. They won six of their first seven matches but suffered a shock 5-1 defeat at Retford in the FA Trophy second qualifying round. Fleetwood's FA Cup first qualifying round win over FC United was watched by a 3,112 crowd. Overcoming a barren spell in February, Fleetwood were unbeaten in their last 14 games including a 3-0 victory at title rivals Witton Albion watched by 1,014. Tony Greenwood's side clinched the title on the final day, drawing 1-1 at home to Frickley, in front of 2,666, finishing two points ahead of runners-up Witton.

MANAGING TO SUCCEED

TONY GREENWOOD

Tony Greenwood plotted Fleetwood's meteoric rise through the non-League pyramid. A former player with Bamber Bridge, he had a spell as their assistant-boss and became manager in July 1993. He guided them to promotion in 1994/95, then the UniBond League Premier Division title in 1995/96. Taking charge of Accrington Stanley in July 1996, he then managed Fulwood Amateurs and Bamber Bridge again before becoming Fleetwood's boss in March 2003. He led them from the North West Counties League to UniBond League Premier Division title in 2007/08. Sacked in October 2008, he returned to Bamber Bridge in March 2009.

FAB FOUR

FRANK SWIFT

Legendary goalkeeper Frank Swift was capped 19 times by England, plus 14 wartime internationals, after leaving Fleetwood. Born in Blackpool, he began with Blackpool Gas Works before moving along the Fylde coast to Fleetwood in August 1931. He quickly impressed and joined Manchester City in October 1932. Ever-present in four consecutive seasons, he starred as they won the FA Cup in 1934, League Championship in 1936/37 and Second Division title in 1946/47. He also represented the Football League and retired in September 1949. Later a respected sports journalist, he was

tragically killed in the Munich air disaster in February 1958.

STEVE MACAULEY

Commanding central defender Steve Macauley played over 300 League games after leaving Fleetwood. Initially with Manchester City, he helped win the FA Youth Cup in 1986 but failed to secure a first-team slot prior to joining Fleetwood in July 1988. He starred as they reached the FA Cup first round for only the fourth time in 1990/91 and moved to Crewe Alexandra for a club record £25,000 in March 1992. Helping them win promotion in 1993/94 and 1996/97, he joined Rochdale in July 2002, then had three loan spells at Macclesfield Town before rejoining the Silkmen in January 2003. Later with Bamber Bridge, he qualified as a physiotherapist.

ANDY LYONS

Former Fleetwood winger Andy Lyons was Wigan Athletic's leading marksman in two consecutive seasons. Born in Blackpool, he played for Wren Rovers and Morecambe, impressing with Fleetwood in the Lancashire Combination prior to joining Crewe Alexandra for £15,000 in October 1992. He helped them qualify for the Third Division Play-Offs in 1992/93 and featured in their 1993/94 promotion campaign before moving to Wigan Athletic in October 1993. Joining Partick Thistle in March 1996, he was a Scottish Cup semi-finalist with Ayr United in 1999/00 and later played for Morecambe again and Lancaster City, since working as a postman.

PHIL CLARKSON

Midfielder Phil Clarkson was a key figure as Fleetwood reached the FA Cup first round for only the fourth time in 1990/91. Sold to Crewe Alexandra for £22,500 in October 1991, he featured in their 1993/94 promotion campaign, also helping Dario Gradi's side reach the Play-Offs three times. He joined Scunthorpe United in October 1995 and was top scorer in 1996/97, moving to Blackpool in February 1997. Leading marksman in 1997/98, he featured in the Seaside's 2000/01 Third Division Play-Off final triumph and moved to Bury in March 2002. Later playing for Halifax Town and Lancaster City, he is now a postman in Poulton-le-Fylde.

COMMERCIAL BREAK

WITH DAVID HOSKINS

Welcome to our biggest match of the season so far. The department have been incredibly busy over the past week gearing up to welcome our corporate guests which include our match sponsors, matchball sponsors and our mascot.

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Joel's favourite Hatters player is striker Danny



Crow. He loves football and plays for Ramsey Sharks in Barton. Enjoy your day, Joel.

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- Replica kit
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- Signed framed programme
- Programmes and team sheets
- Hot and cold buffet
- Half time refreshments
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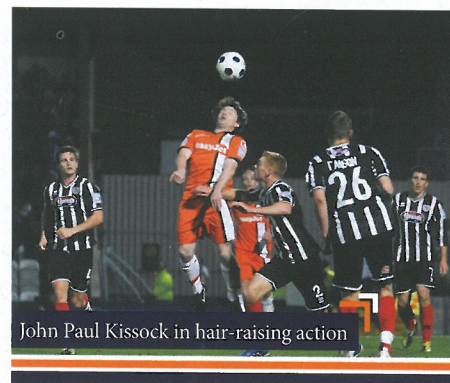
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LOOK BACK



GRIMSBY 0-1 TOWN BOUNCING BACK



John Paul Kissock in hair-raising action

After the disappointing home defeat to Wrexham, Hatters manager Gary Brabin was pleased to get back to winning ways with a hard-fought victory at Grimsby in front of the live television cameras.

Striker Tommy Wright – an ex-Mariner – scored the Town's winner with 17 minutes left on the clock to give Brabin's side a thoroughly deserved three points at Blundell Park – so often a graveyard of Town sides in the past.

Some may have described the 1-0 victory as ugly – determined or gritty will suffice – but the man in charge knew of the importance of the result three days after the Wrexham set-back.

He said: "I thought it was important that we bounced back after the disappointments of Tuesday night. We have to be a little more unpredictable,

"There are some really good footballers at the club and I want us to believe that.

"I asked us to be a little bit braver because we knew they'd play 4-4-2. So did we, and everything I asked of the lads they gave me."

The boss was also impressed with the performance of youngster Adam Watkins following an injury to Keith Keane in the build-up to the game.

"I love Adam and think people get a little bit frustrated that I'm not playing him every single game," Brabin said.

"I don't want Adam to fall below those standards. He's really passionate and Luton through and through.

"He's a young lad and has done fantastically every time he comes into the side. He was called upon and I thought he was excellent."

Goalscorer Wright was naturally over the moon to net the winner – bravely heading home Stuart Fleetwood's cross on his first start for his new club – and admitted his father thought he'd net at Blundell Park.

"My dad actually said to me that if I did start he thought I'd score," he revealed.

"Some things are written when you come back to somewhere you didn't do as well as you'd have liked and it worked out." But he said he holds no animosity towards the Lincolnshire club.

"I haven't got any bitter words to say about Grimsby. I thoroughly enjoyed my time there but it was just a bit unfortunate. We were doomed from minute one.

"It is just nice to score goals it doesn't matter where they come. Grimsby is a big club and it is always nice to score against big clubs.

"I'm ecstatic. It's nice to even finish 90 minutes let alone score the winner so it's a great feeling – that's my first 90 minutes since the FA Trophy final win over Mansfield.

"But the most important thing was the result, hopefully it will be one of many and I can kick on.

"I need some games under my belt and if the goals come it is always a bonus."



GRIMSBY

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TOWN

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Wright 73

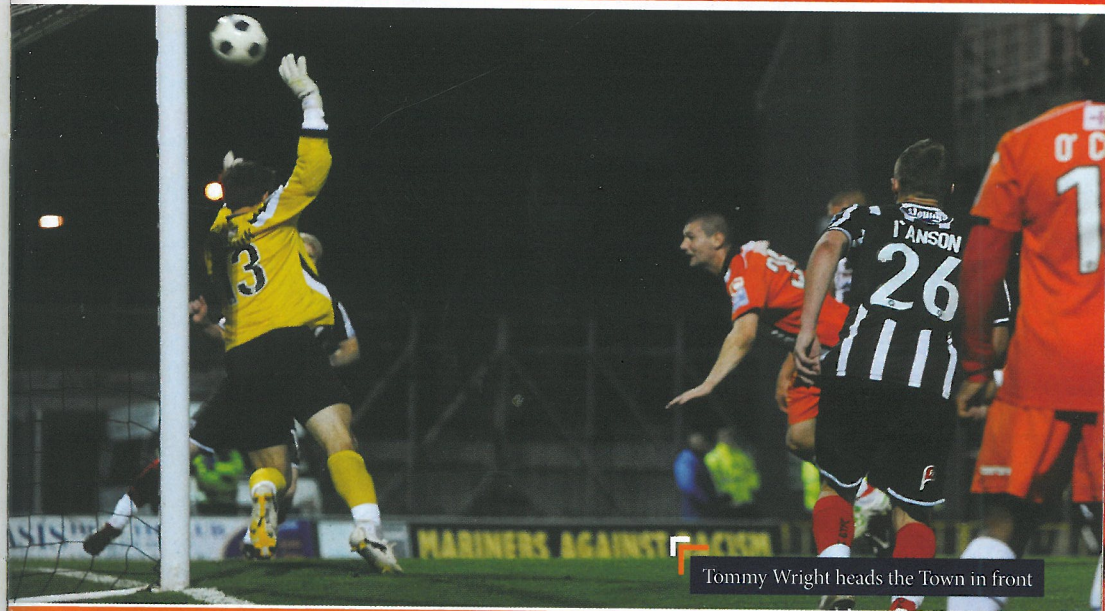
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TOWN: Tyler, Osano, G. Pilkington, Kovacs, Howells, Dance (sub O'Connor 67), Watkins, Hand, Willmott (sub Kissock 78), Wright, Fleetwood (sub Crow 87). Subs not used: Beckwith, K. Pilkington.

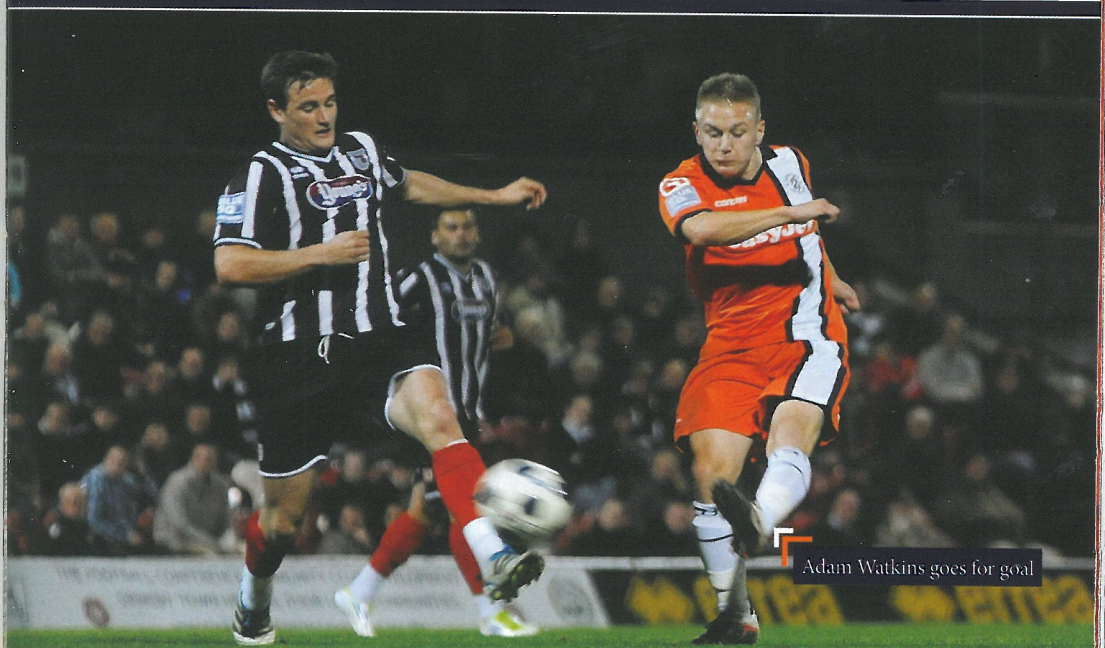
ATTENDANCE: 3,239

POSSESSION	
50%	50%
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FOULS	
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Aaron O'Connor battles for the ball



Tommy Wright heads the Town in front



Adam Watkins goes for goal

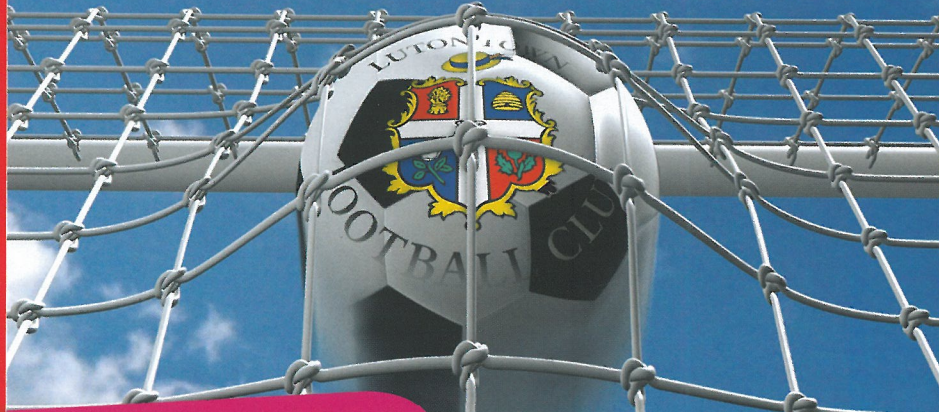


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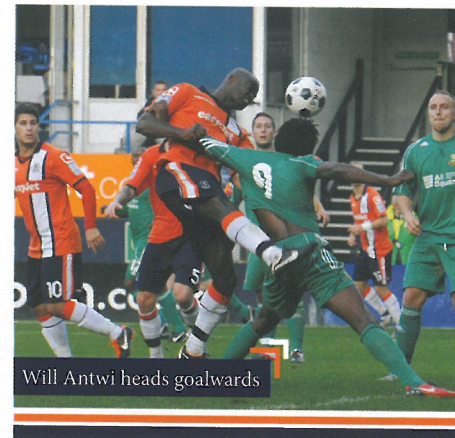
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LOOK BACK



TOWN 5-1 HENDON FIVE ALIVE



Will Antwi heads goalwards

"That 20 minutes in the second half was pretty poor and we never looked like getting a hold in the game until we changed it. They came at us and penned us in which was disappointing but at the end of the day we're through and in the next round and that is all the matters."

The victory was overshadowed by news that midfielder Dance has a suspected broken cheekbone, sustained when heading in the Town's second goal just 13 minutes in.

And the manager could not believe that another player has been added to an ever-growing injury list.

"We just don't seem to be able to break away from it at the minute," Brabin said. "We've got Gleeson, Blackett, Murray, Asafu-Adjaye, Lawless, Keane, Watkins, Morgan-Smith and now Dance injured."

"We're glad we've won today because there would have had to have been a replay on Wednesday and that would have stretched resources."

"We have a big game next Saturday and hopefully we can get a few of them back before then and hopefully we won't lose any more."

There was one piece of good news on the injury front, however, when Charlie Henry made his Town debut as a 73rd-minute substitute.

"I'm delighted for Charlie," Brabin said. "He's worked ever so hard and we thought we give him the last 20 minutes or so with us 5-1 at the time. It was an ideal opportunity."

"It will still take him a bit of time but he's getting fitter and stronger all the time."

"He's conducted himself incredibly professionally and it's a credit to him for all the hard work he's put in to get to this point after such a horrendous 12 months."

Despite seeing his side earn a FA Cup first round date with Northampton Town, Town boss Gary Brabin had mixed reactions after seeing his side sweep away Ryman League Hendon at Kenilworth Road.

A goal down after five minutes the Hatters scored five in reply with two from Aaron O'Connor and further strikes from James Dance, Tommy Wright and Stuart Fleetwood ensuring a fourth 5-1 success of the campaign.

However the manager was less than impressed with certain aspects of his team's display against a side two divisions below them in the pyramid.

"I'm delighted to get through," Brabin said afterwards. "But at times it looked as though we thought it was going to be too easy and we went a goal down. The marking for their goal was nil. That was disappointing but we stepped it up, but again I felt we took our foot of the gas in the second half."

"Eventually we've finished it off well but we should done it a bit more convincingly in the end."

"Everyone is allowed a bad 20 minutes but I expect a lot better from us and the lads have accepted that."



TOWN 5

O'Connor 8 (pen), 72, Dance 13, Wright 25, Fleetwood 71

HENDON 1

McCluskey 5

TOWN: K. Pilkington, Osano, Beckwith, Antwi, Howells, Dance (sub Crow 15), Kissock, Hand (sub Henry 73), O'Connor, Fleetwood, Wright (sub Tavernier 57). Subs not used: Carden, Samuel, Willmott, Carden, Tyler.

HENDON: Thomas, Parker, Cousins, Peacock, Wharton, C. Maclaren (sub Rankin 26), Busby (sub Burgess 73), McCluskey (sub Bubb 41), Charles, K. Maclaren, Aite-Ouakrim. Subs not used: Fraser, Dyer, Laurencin, Lewis.

ATTENDANCE: 2,329

POSSESSION	65%	35%
SHOTS ON TARGET	12	2
SHOTS OFF TARGET	9	2
CORNERS	8	2
FOULS	10	15

Captain for the day Jamie Hand gets a toe to the ball



James Dance heads home to make it 2-1



Stuart Fleetwood tucks home the Town's fourth goal



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MEMORY LANE



■ **NAME:** Bryan Bird ■ **AGE:** 51 ■ **LOCATION:** Baldock

■ **WHERE DO YOU WATCH GAMES FROM?** Main Stand, block D.

■ **FIRST GAME:** 6/11/71 against Charlton Athletic. We lost 2-1.

■ **BEST GOAL:** Carlos Edwards' spectacular cross-shot against Norwich City at Kenilworth Road in October 2005.

■ **BEST MATCH:** The League Cup final victory over Arsenal in 1988.

■ **WORST MATCH:** The home goalless FA Trophy tie against Welling United last season.

■ **BEST INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCE SEEN BY A PLAYER:**

Carlos Edwards against Colchester United in September 2006 at Kenilworth Road. Despite running the Colchester defence ragged all night we still somehow drew the game 1-1.

■ **FAVOURITE KIT:** The 1972/73 kit which is also being used this season.

■ **FAVOURITE ALL TIME PLAYER:** Ricky Hill.

FAVOURITE ALL TIME MANAGER: David Pleat.

■ **ALL TIME TOWN XI:**

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Manager Gary Brabin was in front of the cameras within five minutes of the final whistle and the boss had mixed reactions after the victory.

He was pleased to see his side's name in the hat for the first round draw but was frustrated with a "poor" 20 minute period after half-time and the marking which led to the Ryman League visitors taking a shock fifth minute lead.

Player grabbed a word with two Town players afterwards too and they were all quick to heap praise on a routine victory.

John Paul Kissock was happy to get his first 90 minutes under his belt in Town colours and refused to get drawn in on the fans' comparison to Lionel Messi!

The main story of the day, however, was the debut of Charlie Henry as a 73rd-minute

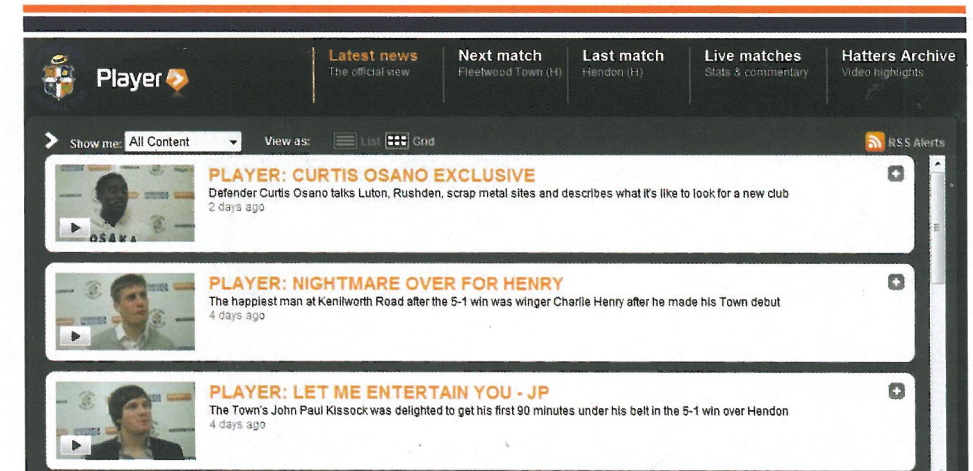
substitute. The 24-year-old was naturally delighted to finally end what he described as a "nightmare" 12 months since making his switch to Kenilworth Road from Newport County.

Remember it will be the same once again after this evening's game when we'll have video reaction from all concerned from the dressing room.

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Tommy Wright celebrates his goal at Grimsby with provider Stuart Fleetwood

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THE FUTURE'S BRIGHT

AFTER A SUMMER TO FORGET, CURTIS OSANO TELLS TALK OF THE TOWN OF HIS RELIEF TO SIGN A CONTRACT EXTENSION

It's fair to say it wasn't the greatest of summers for Town defender Curtis Osano.

His former employers, Rushden & Diamonds, were expelled from the Football Conference and all of a sudden he was on the football scrapheap together with hundreds of other footballers looking for a new club.

However, the former Reading trainee didn't envisage literally landing up on a scrapheap, as he had to do to pay the bills.

But now, after 13 appearances in Town colours and eye-catching displays from right-back, boss Gary Brabin rewarded the Kenyan with an extension to his contract to keep him at Kenilworth Road until the end of the season.

"I'm delighted because I came in hoping to do enough to earn a contract for the season and I'm proud that I've achieved that already," Osano told Talk of the Town minutes after the ink had dried on his new contract.

"It's great that the manager has belief in you. It's nice of him and I'm pleased to have done enough to impress him.

"When I first came here I knew that I had to be on my game because I could have found myself at Christmas without a club and looking for a new club just like I was in the summer. I've come in to play football and it's been great.

"Playing in front of 6,000 people every week is a new experience for me. It's not daunting but really exciting."

So what about that summer then?

"It wasn't the best of times," the 24-year-old

sums up in a nutshell. "After my exit from Rushden I was speaking to loads of people and being told 'this club want to have a look at you and so does this club'.

"It was a lot of hard graft and I just got my head down and got on with it, moving from club to club trying to impress.

"I'd be playing in a game on Saturday for one club, for another club on Tuesday and then another on a Saturday.

"I was at Brighton and Stevenage on trial and had offers to go part-time with some clubs locally to where I live but I didn't want to go semi-pro."

Having been at Rushden since 2008, the Diamonds' demise in the summer saw him out of work for the first time and professional football seemed a world away for Kenyan.

"I had to work part-time, whilst juggling looking for a club, at a recycling centre, a dump site really. It was the first time in my life that I've been in that situation.

"I've not experienced that side of life and I guess that's what a lot of footballers have to go through each summer when they are without a club.

"It was a real eye-opener and I learned that life can be a horrible, horrible place. I knew I had to keep grafting and keep my spirits high and it was a blessing that Brabs came along and gave me a chance - I owe a lot to him for having faith in me.

"We got on well and he tells it how it is - there's no sugar coating with him."

Osano came in for criticism earlier in the season when his mistake led to Stockport scoring a late equaliser at Edgeley Park to deny the Town all three points.

And the defender was keen to point out what happened in the wake of the 1-1 draw in September.

"After the game I held my hand up because I knew I had messed up," he admits. "The best thing about football is you can make a mistake but then there's always the next game to go out and correct it and put it behind you.

"I didn't play in the next game and a lot of people were saying I was dropped because of the mistake but that wasn't true - I was injured and hadn't trained.

"But the manager has been great, I came back into the side when I recovered from injury and one of the best things about being at this club is that we have such strength in depth.

"I was worried I might not get back in the side because the players here are so talented and can play at a much higher level. Whether I'm in the team or not I'm delighted to be here and I'm hopeful I can stay at this club for as long as possible."

Today's game with Fleetwood is another big game for the Hatters in their quest for promotion against arguably one of their strongest rivals.

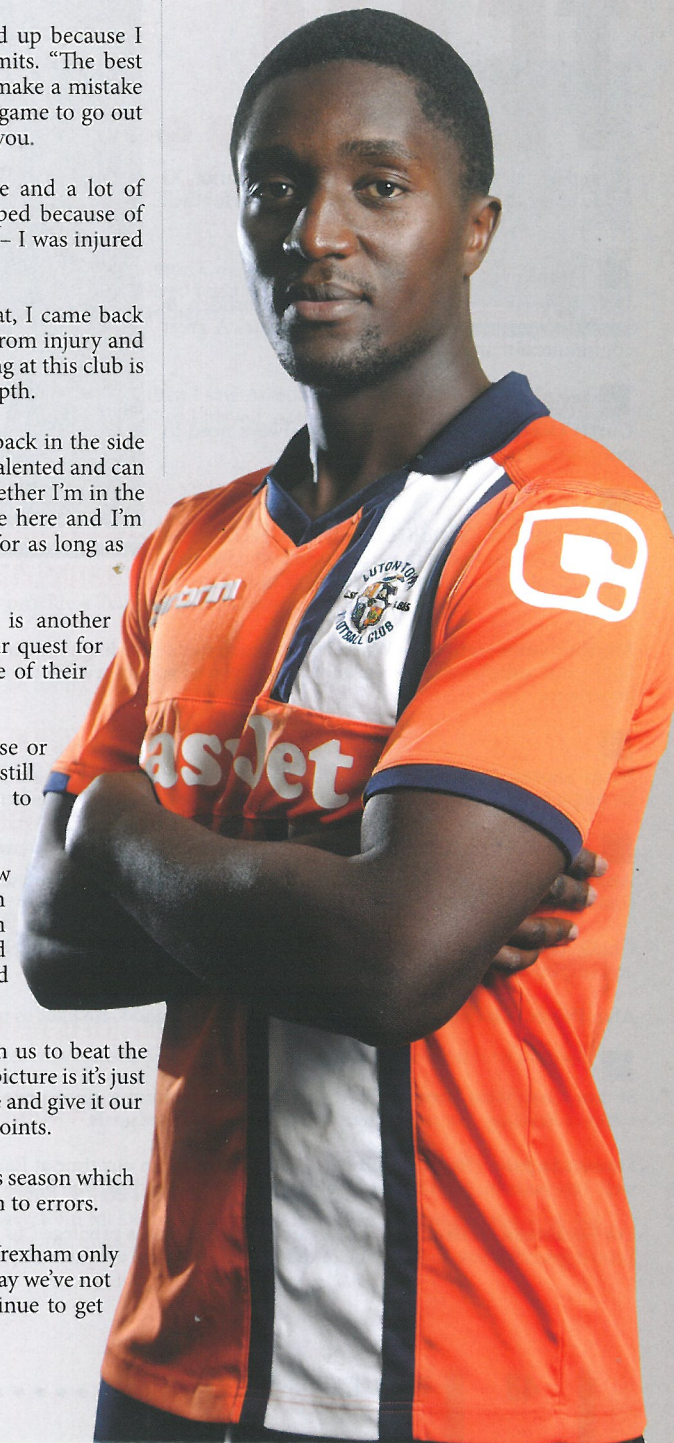
And Osano knows that win, lose or draw this afternoon, there's still a long way to go for his side to achieve their goal.

"It's a long season and we know we haven't hit our best form yet," he says. "It's going to be an exciting test against Fleetwood and I'm really looking forward to it.

"People say there's a pressure on us to beat the teams around us but the bigger picture is it's just another game. We'll go out there and give it our best and try and pick up three points.

"We've dropped a few points this season which isn't ideal but they've been down to errors.

"We're in a strong position and Wrexham only beat us after one mistake - as I say we've not hit top gear yet and if we continue to get results we can only improve."



DREAM TEAM

Defender Curtis Osano chooses his favourite XI made up from players he's played with in his football career.



GOALKEEPER

Dale Roberts – We were together at Rushden & Diamonds and he was absolutely fantastic. A great communicator and superb shot-stopper.

RIGHT-BACK

Curtis Osano (Luton Town) – You always need to put yourself in your dream team!

CENTRE-BACKS

Simon Downer (Sutton United) – A rock at the back, Simon was one of those defenders who has that calming influence when you play with him. Ever so relaxed.

Martin Keown (retired) – When I was a youngster at Reading, Martin was coming to the end of his career but he was unbelievable, he was that good. I played with him a few times for the reserves and it was a great experience.

LEFT-BACK

Nicky Shorey (West Bromwich Albion) – He might be one of the smallest players I have played with and he might be the smallest man on the park but he really stands out when he plays. A real quality player.

CENTRAL MIDFIELDERS

Andy Burgess (Corby Town) – Another former Rushden team-mate, Burge was top class, his delivery from set pieces and range of passing was incredible.

Curtis Woodhouse (Eastwood Town) – The ultimate central midfielder. He could pass, put his foot in and inspire those around him.

Alan Power (Lincoln City) – Technically very, very good. He likes to play football the right way.

STRIKERS

Simon Cox (West Bromwich Albion) – Another former team-mate while I was coming through the ranks at Reading. We could always rely on him to score goals.

Simeon Jackson (Norwich City) – I always knew from our time at Rushden that he would go on and do well. Has been brilliant for Norwich and will also always get you goals.

Les Ferdinand (retired) – What a career Les had. I was privileged to have played with him at Reading. Scored goals for fun and has one of the biggest leaps I've ever come up against.

GETTING TO KNOW... CURTIS OSANO



WHO IS YOUR BEST FRIEND IN FOOTBALL? Simon Cox, who plays for West Brom. When we were youth players at Reading we lived together for six years. His family is my family and we speak every week like brothers.

WHICH FOOTBALL TEAM DO YOU SUPPORT?

Arsenal. I didn't know anything about football but then I saw Arsenal on TV when I was 14 – I saw Patrick Vieira and I just thought "I want to be that guy" so I played football for the first time that afternoon. A year later Reading signed me and it was my job!

WHAT'S THE BEST THING ABOUT PLAYING FOR LUTON?

The professionalism: the way the place is run, the way people carry themselves. It's the real deal.

WHAT ARE YOUR AMBITIONS IN FOOTBALL?

To make a name for myself, and to provide a living for after I retire.

WHO'S YOUR FUNNIEST TEAM-MATE?

Godfrey Poku. He doesn't mean to be funny, he just is!

WHO'S GOT THE BEST TASTE IN MUSIC?

Keano had his iPod on the other day in the dressing room and it was alright.

WHO IS THE HARDEST WORKER AT THE CLUB?

Aaron O'Connor. He's always the first in the gym and he goes back in there after training. He always gives 100%.

WHO HAS BEEN YOUR MOST DIFFICULT OPPONENT?

Alexander Hleb in a reserve match, Reading versus Arsenal. He was unplayable, I think he nutmegged me about seven times!

WHAT ARE YOUR PLANS FOR LIFE AFTER FOOTBALL?

We'll see. I'm taking different courses now – not coaching, I'm looking at options outside of football.

WHO IS YOUR ALL-TIME FOOTBALL IDOL?

Patrick Vieira.

AND WHO IS YOUR HERO OUTSIDE OF FOOTBALL?

My first ever Sunday League manager, John McDonnell at Frimley Town. He encouraged me, took me into his home, and he still watches me and gives me advice.

PICTURE

THE PAST

WITH CLUB HISTORIAN ROGER WASH

Arsenal's Kenny Sansom cannot bear to watch as Nigel Winterburn takes a controversial penalty during the Littlewoods Cup Final against the Hatters in 1988



If Kenny Sansom was not happy to see the events unfold then there were around 35,000 Luton supporters at Wembley that day watching through their fingers, knowing that if the spot kick was converted then the game would have been as good as over.

The game had started brightly, with Brian Stein taking advantage of a delicately weighted through pass from skipper Steve Foster to give the Town

an interval lead. Stein came close to doubling the Hatters' advantage early in the second period but was thwarted by a brilliant save from Gunners goalkeeper John Lukic before Arsenal stormed back to score twice in three minutes through Martin Hayes and Alan Smith.

With only 10 minutes left to play Arsenal's David Rocastle fell in the box following an innocuous tackle from Mal Donaghy. The penalty award was

met with shocked silence from the Luton hordes who knew that a 3-1 lead would be unassailable.

It is now written into the club's folklore that Luton goalkeeper Andy Dibble managed to push the penalty kick around the post and, feeling that someone was smiling on them, the Luton players poured down the other end of the pitch leading to Danny Wilson nodding in the equaliser.

Better still, with barely seconds left to play, substitute Ashley Grimes, out on the right, swept over a cross with the outside of his left foot for Stein to crash home the winning goal.

My video of the game has long since worn out and the replacement DVD has received a bit of a thrashing but I still cannot fathom how Dibble managed to get across to that penalty and force the ball round the post. I still think we are going to lose 3-1!

THE CAMERA NEVER LIES

BY CLUB HISTORIAN ROGER WASH

Hatters players make their way to training in this 1940's photograph



It is not recorded where Billy Cooke and Syd Owen (the two players nearest the camera) are leading the players but as they do not have boots with them my guess is they are about to venture forth on a cross country run.

The players used to train on playing fields in Dallow Road at that time but would normally have taken their boots with them and then walked back to Kenilworth Road afterwards to jump in the communal bath before catching buses back to

all four corners of the town.

The houses they are walking past stood at the top of Kenilworth Road where the 'apron' is now. The houses were all, at one time or another, owned by the club and the ones not used as the club's offices were lived in by some of the players and their families.

Ken Hawkes, full back for the Town in the 1959 FA Cup final team, was one such player and he

often tells the tale of supporters banging on his door at 2.00am on the day of the game wondering if he had any spare tickets!

Joe Payne, who scored 10 goals for the Town in a game against Bristol Rovers in 1936, still lived in the house furthest away from the camera in the early 1960's.

Although long since retired from the game he was still held in awe by us boys who used to play

football on the car park at the top of the road just past his house. Friendly and patient with us children he was not and at the first sound of a kickabout he was swiftly out of his front door threatening to put a knife through our ball.

The houses were eventually demolished in 1986 at the time when the Kenilworth Road end of the ground was roofed in and new turnstiles built.

HISTORY

WITH CLUB HISTORIAN ROGER WASH



Mark Aizlewood wheels away after scoring the Town's equaliser on Rangers' Omniturf in September 1981

DOUBLE OVER RANGERS ON THE WAY TO THE CHAMPIONSHIP

Having started off the 1981/82 season with a resounding 3-0 win over newly-promoted Charlton at Kenilworth Road, the big test for the Hatters was to take place on the following Tuesday with a trip to QPR.

What made the game special was the fact that all the great and good from Fleet Street would be there together with many leading dignitaries from Sir Stanley Rous down - all to witness the first league match to be played on an artificial surface.

Rangers' 'Omniturf' was reported to have cost £350,000 and the first impression was of a strangely coloured, slightly rucked, carpet completely different to the more advanced models to be laid over the succeeding years at Luton, Oldham and Preston.

It was generally agreed that Rangers could not have wished for better opponents in their bid to

show the world that an artificial surface did not necessarily mean artificial football as the Town were promotion favourites and were regarded as a footballing side rather than a 'long ball' team.

This comment certainly fooled the 4,000 strong Luton contingent as the Town spent the first half slipping and sliding around and generally struggling to contain a lively Rangers attack.

Rangers took the lead on 34 minutes when ex-Luton favourite Andy King scored with a far-post header and the general concerns at half-time were that the Town were in for a thrashing and that we all hated plastic pitches!

As normally happens, we were proved completely wrong as a simple tactical change by manager David Pleat, in pushing full-back Mark Aizlewood further forward, changed the whole complexion of the game.

Godfrey Ingram was now able to resume his left wing foraging rather than covering back as he had done in the first half, and with Brian Stein and Steve White balancing things out on the right,

the Hatters looked a much more potent attacking outfit.

It was now Rangers' turn to be under the cosh and with the Luton confidence increasing by the minute, the famed one touch play came to the fore placing increasing pressure on Rangers goalkeeper John Burridge and the rest of his defence.

The deserved equaliser came in the 70th minute after Ricky Hill had played a long diagonal ball across the penalty area where both White and Aizlewood were racing in to get to the pass before Burridge. Aizlewood it was who got the touch, gently lifting the ball over the goalkeeper much to the delight of the Luton supporters behind the goal.

Ingram then missed a sitter ten minutes later before Hill finally got the winner that the Town's second half display fully deserved. White was half tackled on the edge of the box and as the ball ran loose, Hill surged on to it and smacked an unstoppable low shot past Burridge.

Rangers boss, Terry Venables, had no complaints and admitted that by being brave and taking the game by the scruff of the neck in the second half the Town were worthy winners.

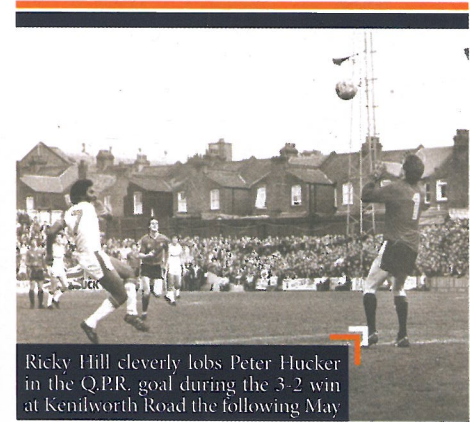
TEAMS:

Luton: Findlay, Stephens, Aizlewood, Antic, Saxby, Donaghy, Horton, Hill, Stein, White, Ingram.

QPR: Burridge, Gregory, Hazell, Roeder, Fenwick, Waddock, Francis, King, Flanagan, Stainrod, Allen.

By the time of the return, on 11th May, the Town had enjoyed a remarkable campaign and needed one more win to clinch the championship of the old Division Two with three games to play.

Promotion had been won 11 days before after a 4-1 home win over Shrewsbury and with a win at Chelsea inbetween extending an unbeaten run to 11 games, May 11th would hopefully see the



Ricky Hill cleverly lobs Peter Hucker in the Q.P.R. goal during the 3-2 win at Kenilworth Road the following May



Hatters return to the top flight for the first time since 1975.

Rangers also had eyes on promotion and would probably have clinched a top three spot had they not embarked on an amazing run that had seen them fight their way through to the FA Cup final where they were due to meet Tottenham.

A best of the season crowd of 16,657 turned up at Kenilworth Road on a warm evening to see Rangers take early control against a nervous Town but the game hinged on the early dismissal of Glenn Roeder.

The Rangers midfielder had already been harshly booked for a fairly harmless obstruction on Raddy Antic and when he foolishly brought down Hill in full flight he left the referee with little option. The dismissal had a double effect on poor Roeder as he was suspended for the F.A. Cup final replay which Rangers lost narrowly.

For a time it was difficult to see which of the sides was down to ten men but slowly the Hatters took control and Hill opened the scoring chipping the ball expertly over Rangers' goalkeeper Peter Hucker after latching on to a clever through ball from Kirk Stephens.

Hucker pulled off a miraculous save from David Moss before White doubled the lead, just after the interval, poking the ball home from close range.

Rangers refused to lie down, however, and Terry Fenwick reduced the arrears after 70 minutes with a diving header quickly followed by a glaring miss from Ian Dawes which was the warning the Town needed to shock them back into action.

The game was eventually made safe when Moss was pulled down in the box by Steve Wicks and then sent Hucker the wrong way from the spot. A 35-yard blockbuster from Simon Stainrod with five minutes to go was too little too late and when the final whistle sounded thousands of Luton supporters swarmed on to the pitch to salute the champions.

TEAMS:

Luton: Findlay, Stephens, Money, Horton, Goodyear, Donaghy, Hill, Stein, White, Antic, Moss.

QPR: Hucker, Neil, Dawes, Waddock, Wicks, Roeder, Micklewhite, Flanagan, Allen, Stainrod, Fenwick.

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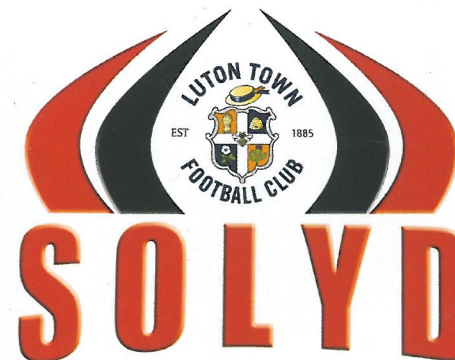
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Michael Sup

Football studies student

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



YOUNG HATTERS



UNDER-18S

PUMA YOUTH ALLIANCE
UNDER-18
SOUTH-EAST DIVISION

AUGUST

6 - COLCHESTER UNITED (H) L 0-1
13 - QUEENS PARK RANGERS (A)
D 2-2

20 - BARNET (H) W 3-1
27 - WYCOMBE WANDERERS 2-1

SEPTEMBER

3 - NORTHAMPTON TOWN (H) 2-0
10 - BRENTFORD (A) L 0-1
17 - STEVENAGE (H) W 4-1
19 - ROTHWELL CORINTHIANS (H)
FAYC W 11-2
24 - PETERBOROUGH UNITED (H)
D 1-1

OCTOBER

5 - LEIGHTON TOWN (H) FAYC W 5-1
8 - BARNET (H) PYC D 1-1
15 - STEVENAGE (H) PYC
21 - DEREHAM TOWN (A) FAYC L 1-2
22 - NORTHAMPTON TOWN (A) PYC
29 - WYCOMBE WANDERERS (H)
PYC W 5-2

NOVEMBER

5 - PETERBOROUGH UNITED (A) PYC
12 - WYCOMBE WANDERERS (H)
19 - NORTHAMPTON TOWN (A)

DECEMBER

10 - BRENTFORD (H)
17 - STEVENAGE (A)

JANUARY

7 - PETERBOROUGH UNITED (A)
28 - COLCHESTER UNITED (A)

FEBRUARY

4 - QUEENS PARK RANGERS (H)
11 - BARNET (A)
18 - MILLWALL (H)
25 - SOUTHEND UNITED (A)

MARCH

3 - BRIGHTON & HOVE ALBION (H)
10 - ALDERSHOT TOWN (A)
17 - AFC WIMBLEDON (H)
24 - DAGENHAM & REDBRIDGE (A)
31 - CRAWLEY TOWN (A)

APRIL

SAT - 14 LEYTON ORIENT (H)
SAT - 21 GILLINGHAM (H)

SHADOW SQUADS

FOOTBALL CONFERENCE
YOUTH ALLIANCE
CENTRAL DIVISION

SEPTEMBER

14 - ST ALBANS CITY (A) L 0-5
28 - TAMWORTH (H) D 2-2

OCTOBER

12 - CORBY TOWN (A)
26 - WATFORD HERTSWOOD (H)
NOVEMBER
2 - KIDDERMINSTER HARRIERS (H)
9 - OXFORD CITY (A)
23 - CHASETOWN (A)

30 - FOOTBALLCV REDS (H)
DECEMBER

7 - HITCHIN TOWN (A)

JANUARY

11 - KETTERING TOWN (H)
25 - KETTERING TOWN (A)

FEBRUARY

1 - ST ALBANS CITY (H)
8 - TAMWORTH (A)
22 - CORBY TOWN (H)
29 - WATFORD HERTSWOOD (A)

MARCH

14 - KIDDERMINSTER HARRIERS (A)
21 - OXFORD CITY (H)
28 - BIRMINGHAM CITY WHITES (A)

APRIL

4 - CHASETOWN (H)
18 - FOOTBALLCV REDS (A)
25 - HITCHIN TOWN (H)

SOUTHERN COUNTIES
FLOODIT YOUTH LEAGUE
CORINTHIAN DIVISION

AUGUST

29 - NEWPORT PAGNELL D 1-1
SEPTEMBER

5 - CHESHAM UNITED (H) L 0-3
12 - LEIGHTON TOWN (H)
26 - BOREHAM WOOD (A)

OCTOBER

3 - HEMEL HEMPSTEAD TOWN (H)
17 - CHESHAM UNITED (A)
24 - NEWPORT PAGNELL TOWN (H)
NOVEMBER

7 - LEIGHTON TOWN (A)
21 - BOREHAM WOOD (H)
28 - HEMEL HEMPSTEAD TOWN (A)

MATCH DIGEST

- **FIXTURE** Wycombe Wanderers
- **COMPETITION** Youth Alliance Cup
- **RESULT** 5-2
- **GOALSCORERS** Ann 2, Ferguson

2, Burtenshaw

TEAM

Barnes, Longden, Jibodu, Mirzai (sub Blake 63), Ferguson, Stephens, McAdams, Nash, Ann, Burtenshaw (sub Smith 72), Woolley. Subs not used. Ekins, Davis.

COACH'S COMMENTS

"Despite being short of our best, particularly in the first half and towards the end of the match, we comfortably won the game. We were way better in possession last week at Dereham and got beaten, it just shows how weird the game can be! I'm pleased for the boys that we've got the win, though, and are back at the top of the group with a great chance of progressing into the knock-out stage for the first time in a while."

YOUTH ALLIANCE LEAGUE TABLE

TEAM	P	W	GD	PTS
1 Brighton & Hove Albion	8	6	15	19
2 Queens Park Rangers	7	5	9	17
3 Crawley Town	8	5	2	17
4 Gillingham	7	5	8	16
5 Brentford	7	5	5	15
6 LUTON TOWN	8	4	6	14
7 Southend United	8	4	5	13
8 Leyton Orient	7	4	3	12
9 Northampton Town	8	3	0	10
10 Peterborough United	8	2	-2	10
11 Wycombe Wanderers	8	3	-5	10
12 Colchester United	7	3	-1	9
13 Millwall	8	2	1	8
14 Barnet	8	2	-3	7
15 Dagenham & Redbridge	8	2	-7	7
16 Stevenage	7	1	-9	4
17 Aldershot Town	7	1	-10	3
18 AFC Wimbledon	7	1	-17	3

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Today we welcome our Under-11s side to Kenilworth Road. Coach Jordan McCann guides us through the squad:

Sean Foster – Sean possesses superb positional awareness and the ability to pull off some unbelievable saves. His range of distribution also enables us to play out quickly from the back.

Jed Wheeler – A reliable shot stopper with outstanding reflexes. Jed is also very comfortable with the ball at his feet making him a great asset to our team.

Corey Panter – A solid performer who rarely gets beaten defending one versus one. Corey's dedication and commitment to improving his game make him an outstanding role model and our captain.

Kai Phelan – 'The Phelanator' brings an awesome physical presence to the Under-11s. Commanding in the air and defensively astute, Kai also has an eye for goal bagging nine goals already this season.

Luke Simpson – Our Mr Reliable, Luke puts 100% effort into everything he does both on and off the pitch. A clever footballer who has an exceptional range of passing with both feet and excellent positional awareness.

Ashley Ingham – Ashley's recognition of space and his movement off the ball make him a handful for any team to play against. Technically very neat he can beat players one versus one in the tightest of areas.

Alfie Lampe – New to Luton Town this year, Alfie has a calmness and composure to his game way beyond his years. Alfie moves the ball with tempo, quality and great awareness to his play.

Drew Richardson – A bundle of energy, Drew has exceptional fitness levels and works from box-to-box with ease. Drew also possesses exceptional quality on the ball and scores goals from almost everywhere.

Jake Peck – Jake has exceptional quality when passing and delivering the ball. His vision enables him to switch the ball to great effect and find passes others fail to recognise.

Stefan Vukoje – Stef is a dynamic, versatile player with a superb football brain. He passes the ball with exceptional quality and his recognition of space enables him to dictate play from the middle of the pitch.

Francis Shilton – Francis is a skilful footballer who possesses a great disguise and change of pace to beat defenders. His range of passing and movement off the ball make him an effective player all over the pitch.

Marcus Gouldbourne – Marcus is a pacey and direct player with exceptional attacking and defensive qualities. Very clever off the ball, he can often be seen running off defenders shoulders to get on the score sheet.

Connor Tomlinson – Connor has more tricks than a circus clown and is technically very gifted with the ball at his feet. He also possesses superb vision and awareness with the ability to create chances playing one-touch football.

Joel Alderson – Recently moved from the centre of excellence, Joel has made a big impact since joining the academy. His pace and quality when finishing have bagged him 13 goals in the last five games.

LeJhai Henriques – LeJhai is a powerful footballer with an outstanding work ethic. Comfortable playing anywhere on the pitch he sets examples to others with his desire, intensity and quality on the ball.

Josh Neufville – Josh is a direct centre-forward with lightning pace. His physical attributes make him extremely hard to defend against and he moves the ball very effectively in the final third.

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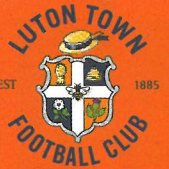
Our successful TIPS development programme is now in its sixth year of operation and the Club's youth section prides itself on the high calibre of its coaching team.

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To enrol on our TIPS programme for term 3 is really easy: you can download our application form at www.ltyd.co.uk or either email us at tips.ltyc@hotmail.co.uk or phone 01582 583618 for further information and to register a place.

Players need to be in at least school year 2 from September to be eligible for a place and up to school year 11. We also run three specialist goalkeeping sessions in Luton, Hitchin and Dunstable and you can use the same application form for these centres.



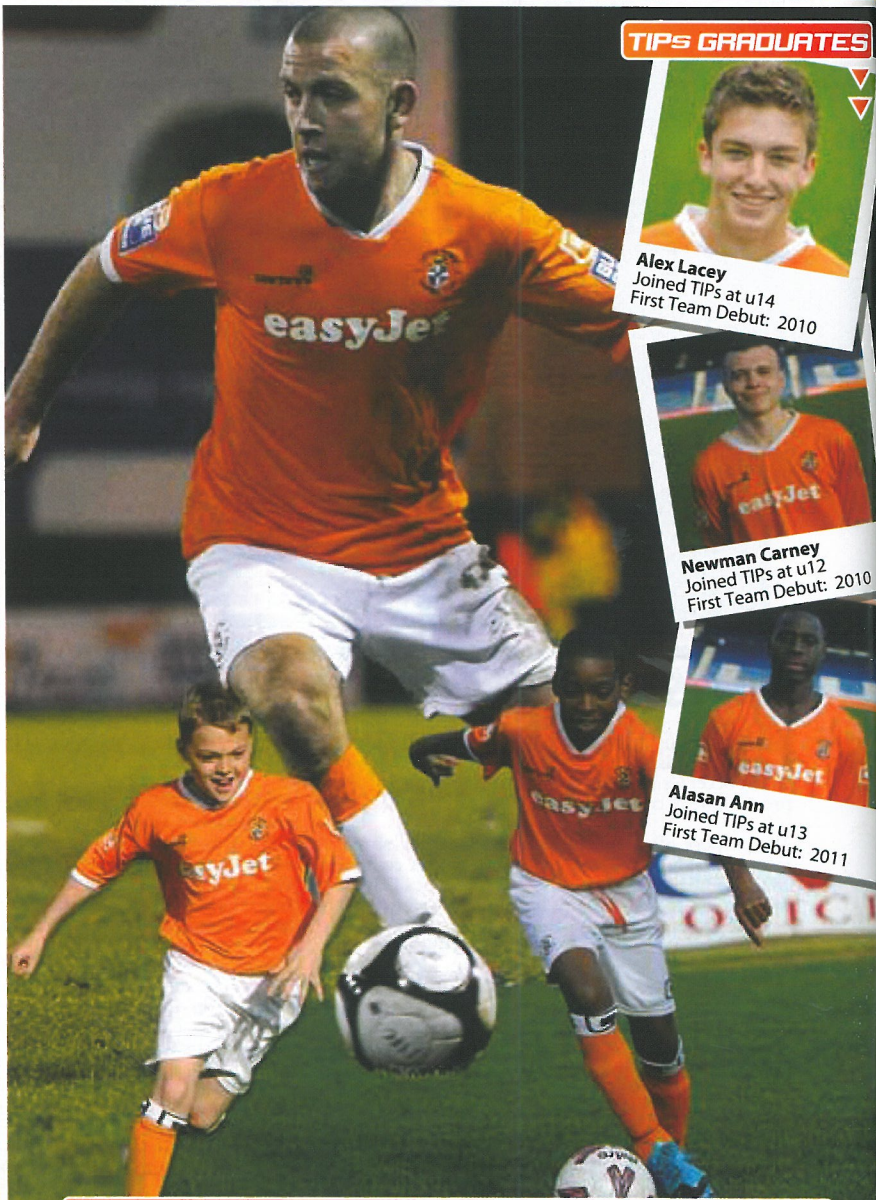
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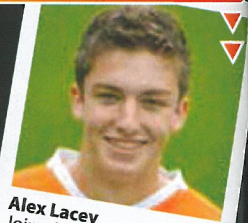
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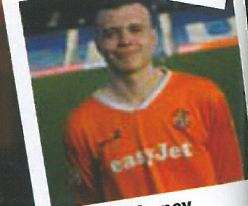
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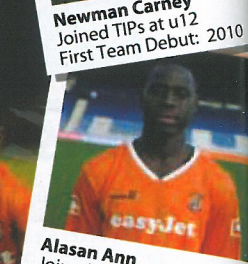
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Alex Lacey
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First Team Debut: 2010



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LUTON LADIES



The Town Ladies won a point away to Ipswich Town in a pulsating 3-3 draw but they left it late to secure a hard fought draw.

The Ladies have had an unfortunate run of injuries that have prevented them playing anything approaching a settled side this season but those wearing the shirt in Suffolk left nothing on the pitch.

Ipswich took the lead after eight minutes with a shot that went in off the underside of the crossbar at the third attempt after Natalie Forbes blocked the previous two shots before the injury curse struck again and Forbes had to leave the field with a knee injury.

Luton were soon level as Laura Day seized on a superb through pass from Jodie Whitford-Stark to round the goalkeeper and score from a narrow angle.

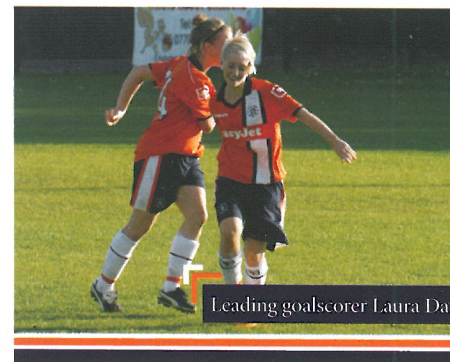
The Hatters took the lead a short time later when Eva Ramsay's free kick was flicked on by Jodie Rettie and Michelle Byrne scored when flicking the ball over the advancing goalkeeper before out-jumping the covering defender to score.

The hosts equalised just before the break when the defence briefly switched off and allowed an unmarked runner to score with a close range header to make it 2-2.

The second half was an even contest with chances at both ends and the match looked to be drifting to deadlock when Luton fell behind to a penalty after a failure to clear a bouncing ball.

This inspired a spirited fight-back and Day outpaced her marker to force the goalkeeper into a diving save at her near post. She again broke free just a minute later but this time her strike was narrowly over the crossbar.

With 91 minutes on the clock and, with Luton players flooding the penalty area, a Jess McKay corner was met at the far post by skipper Byrne and her well directed header into the bottom



corner secured a well deserved point for the Hatters.

Manager Dave Baker told Talk of the Town: "The odds were always stacked against the girls with another clutch of changes and injuries but they all showed a superb team spirit and willingness to battle and fully deserved their point."

The previous weekend the Reserves put in a superb performance in the London and SE Regional League defeating Kent Magpies 3-0. A 25-minute purple patch midway through the first half finished the game as a contest when Day fired a hat-trick with the pick of the goals coming after a fine move involving nine passes found Terri Petit and her superb weighted ball was volleyed into the top corner.

The Under-13s maintained their 100 per cent record with a crushing 16-1 away win at Leighton Park Rangers. Phoebe Brown led the way with four goals and there was a hat-trick for Lilley Coleman. Aimee Esser and Erin O'Donoghue both netted twice with Chloe Fitzsimmons, Lucy Higgs, Cally Bunyan, Jo Weaver and Ella Richards completing the scoring.



ON THIS DAY

SIMON PITTS LOOKS BACK ON GAMES PLAYED AT HOME ON THIS DAY

10 The number of games played previously on this date, with Luton winning five, drawing one and losing four. The Hatters have scored 23 goals and conceded 16.

1 Just one of these home games was played away from Kenilworth Road and that was back in 1898 when Burslem Port Vale won 1-0.

3 The number of goals scored by Luton in 1906 when Gillingham were the visitors for a United League match. Harold Fitzpatrick, Abe Jones and Neil Murphy were all on the scoresheet in a 3-2 victory for Luton.

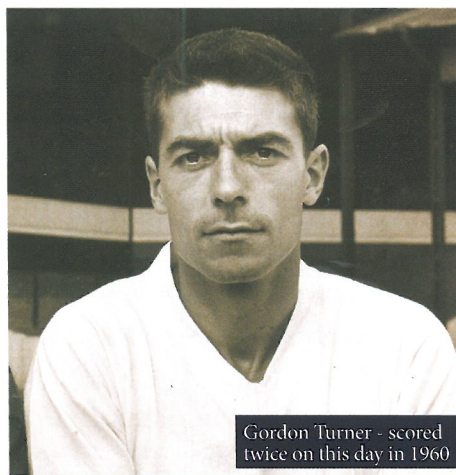
2 The second of four defeats on this date came in 1910 when Northampton Town were the opponents in the Southern League. John Smith scored for Luton as the visitors won 3-1.

0 The Town kept their first clean sheet at the fourth attempt, in a 3-0 win over Southend United in 1921. The Division Three (South) match saw Luton net through John Foster, Alf Tirrell and Ernie Simms.

6 It was six years later that the Hatters were in action again on this date at Kenilworth Road, and this time it was another 1-0 defeat, to Queens Park Rangers in Division Three (South).

4 The most goals scored by a Luton player in these fixtures, and it came in 1949 when George Stobbart netted four goals in a 5-2 victory over Blackburn Rovers in the Second Division. A Rovers player also netted an own goal for the Hatters.

5 The highest number of goals scored by Luton, and this was repeated six years after the victory over Blackburn. Wolverhampton Wanderers were the opposition in 1955 for the only top flight game on this date. Bob Morton and Gordon Turner both netted a brace with Mick Cullen also scoring. This game also saw the largest recorded attendance, 27,911, for these fixtures, nearly 16,700 more than watched the next highest attended game, against Ipswich five years later.



Gordon Turner - scored twice on this day in 1960

3 Luton made it three consecutive victories, and scored three goals, when Ipswich Town were the visitors in 1960. Gordon Turner netted twice again, as he had five years earlier, and Alec Ashworth also scored in a 3-2 Second Division win.

1 The only draw, 1-1, saw the Hatters share the points with Hull City in a Second Division encounter in 1977. Jimmy Husband opened the scoring for Luton in the first half but the Tigers hit back after the break to level the scores.

NLP VIEW

WITH STUART HAMMONDS

The Football Association are easy meat when it comes to being critical about things that are wrong with our national game, so let's feast on a positive for once.

When the Wembley powers-that-be decided to narrow the areas on which the regional draws of their competitions were based, it turned the northern section into a rather parochial affair.

Northern League clubs were being drawn against each other in both the FA Cup and Vase, and the league's chairman Mike Amos protested: "Under the groupings adopted this season, the first three rounds of both national competitions became little more than two more league cups."

Amos surveyed his clubs and found that 35 of the 36 wanted the opportunity to travel further afield and make new friends with peers in leagues like the Northern Counties East, went back to the FA whose competitions secretary, Steve Clark, has agreed to revert to the status quo for next term.

It was while playing in the NCEL with Arnold Town that I first gained personal experience of that clichéd FA Cup magic.

My first Cup tie was up at a Northern League club, Ryhope CA. I was 18 years old and spanked a half-volley into the top corner.

A few months earlier I'd seen Eric Cantona score the winner in the final at Wembley.

Mine came in the next round – the preliminary round of the 1996/97 tournament – but the name Hammonds was alongside the mercurial Manchester United star's in the FA Cup annals, and I could have floated back down the A1 without the stubby bottles

of French lager our secretary had picked up cheaply on a Booze Cruise to Cantona's homeland!

After that success in Sunderland, we were on the road again – this time to Scotland.

Gretna were then playing in the Northern Premier League Division One, and after drawing 1-1 north of the border we were treated to what remains the best post-match food I ever had (narrowly edging out Lewes, at the opposite end of the country).

Still, our Scottish manager, Iain McCulloch, insisted on our coach driver stopping off at a fish and chip shop for him to buy some black pudding, and Gretna had the unenviable task of getting down to Nottingham for a midweek replay.

We won 3-0, though I remember it most for going on as a second half substitute and within 30 seconds finding myself back in the dressing room having stitches put in a head wound!

In the second qualifying round, our run was brought to an end in another replay, this time in Manchester at Flixton, of the North West Counties. We lost 2-0 but I got our travelling supporters' Man of the Match wine (no champagne football at Arna' back then!)

Three rounds, three different leagues and memories from a hat-trick of different football clubs I'd have not likely got to experience without the FA Cup's broader draw.

And that's why, with a little shove from Mike Amos and his men, the Wembley decision-makers have called it right for 2011/12.

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SATURDAY 12TH NOVEMBER 2011, KICK-OFF 3PM

Season ticket holders have until Tuesday 7th November to claim their season ticket seat. Non-season ticket holders can buy any other seat until this date before all seats go on sale.

Prices: £16 adults, £12 65-75 and 17-21-year-olds, £9 over 75s, £6 10-16-year-olds, £3 under-10s. Season ticket holders who completed cup authorisation forms will automatically receive their tickets in the post.

Diamond season ticket holders can, as part of their package, claim a free ticket to one home game in each cup competition this season. Those diamond holders who wish to claim their FA Cup ticket for this particular fixture must contact the ticket office on 01582 416976.



LUTON TOWN v AFC TELFORD UNITED

BLUE SQUARE BET PREMIER

TUESDAY 29TH NOVEMBER 2011, KICK-OFF 7.45PM

Tickets are now on sale at normal match day prices.



LUTON TOWN v STOCKPORT COUNTY

BLUE SQUARE BET PREMIER

SATURDAY 3RD DECEMBER 2011, KICK-OFF 3PM

Tickets are now on sale at normal match day prices.



ALL AREAS

Juniors (Under 10)	£5
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Adult (Age 22-64)	£18
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ON THE ROAD

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CAMBRIDGE UNITED v LUTON TOWN

BLUE SQUARE BET PREMIER

SATURDAY 19TH NOVEMBER 2011, KICK-OFF 3PM

This match is all-ticket for all supporters with none available on the day at Cambridge.

We have received an allocation of 1,400 seats in the South Stand and 400 tickets in the Habbin South Terrace.

Tickets are available at two per standard season ticket holder until close of business on Wednesday 9th November.

Any remaining tickets will be available on general sale from Thursday 10th November until 2pm on Friday 18th November (subject to availability).

Prices: Seating tickets are priced at adults £17, concessions (Over-60 and Students with ID) £12, and under-16s £8.

A pair of disabled/helper tickets can be purchased in the South Stand priced at adult £9, concession and Under-16 £7.

Terraced tickets in the Habbin South Stand are priced at adult £14, concession (Over-60 and Student with ID) £10, and under-16s at £5.



NEWPORT COUNTY v LUTON TOWN

BLUE SQUARE BET PREMIER

SATURDAY 26TH NOVEMBER 2011, KICK-OFF 3PM

This game will be all-ticket for Luton Town supporters with no tickets available on the day at Newport.

We have received 750 seating tickets. A sales plan for supporters will be released in due course.

Prices: £14 adults, £10 seniors (Over-60), £5 under-16s, free for under-fives.

Disabled tickets are available and will be charged as above with a carer admitted free of charge.



GETTING TO...CAMBRIDGE UNITED - ABBEY STADIUM

Bobbers Travel (01234 856542): £13 adults, £11 concessions. Departure: 12 noon.

Town on Tour (07960 567465): £13 adults, £11 concessions. Departure: 1pm.

Car: Take the A1 and A14 to Cambridge, heading towards Newmarket. Turn off onto the B1047 sign posted for Cambridge Airport. At the top of the slip road turn right towards Fen Ditton. Go through Fen Ditton until you reach a T Junction, where at the traffic lights you turn right into Newmarket Road. Go straight across the roundabout (there is a McDonalds on one corner) and you will come to Abbey Stadium on your left hand side.

For the sat-nav: CB5 8LN

By train: Cambridge railway station is over two miles away, a 30-minute walk or taxi ride away.

GETTING TO...NEWPORT COUNTY - SPYTTY PARK

Bobbers Travel (01234 856542): £20 adults, £17 concessions. Departure: 9.30am.

Town on Tour (07960 567465): £21 adults, £19 concessions. Departure: 10.30am.

Car: M1, M25, M4, leaving the M4 at Junction 24 and take the A48 towards Newport. Cross over five roundabouts (the fourth of which has a KFC outlet on the left and the fifth and last roundabout has an Aldi store on the same side) continuing towards Newport and you will see the stadium over on the left hand side. Take the next left into Langland Way and then left again into the large stadium car park which is free. If the car park is full then there is street parking to be had on the surrounding industrial estate. If you end up crossing over the River Usk then you have gone too far. The stadium is signposted around the area as the Newport International Sports Village.

For the sat-nav: NP19 4PT

By train: Newport railway station is situated around two and half miles away from the stadium. It is served by trains from London Paddington & Bristol Temple Meads.

FIXTURES & RESULTS



DATE	TIME	H/A	OPPOSITION	SCORE	ATT	AWAY POS	STARTING XI	SUBS
August								
Tue 16	19:45	H	Forest Green Rovers	1-1	6,061	60	16 K. Pilkington, Asafu-Adjaye, Beckwith 1, Antwi, Osano, Keane, Howells, Lawless, O'Connor, Dance, Barnes-Homer*	Willmott*, Watkins, Morgan-Smith, Crow, Kidd
Sat 20	15:00	H	Southport	5-1	5,681	64	10 Tyler, Osano, Beckwith, Antwi 1, Howells, Keane, Watkins 1***, Lawless, Willmott 1, Dace*, O'Connor**	M-Smith 1**, Crow 1*, A-Adjaye***, Barnes-Homer, K. Pilkington
Tue 23	19:45	A	Mansfield Town	1-1	2,592	437	10 Tyler, Osano, Beckwith, Antwi 1, Asafu-Adjaye*, Dance, Watkins, Howells, Morgan-Smith, O'Connor**, Crow	Gleeson*, Walker**, Poku, Barnes-Homer, K. Pilkington
Sat 27	15:00	H	Braintree Town	3-1	5,703	110	6 Tyler, Osano, Beckwith, Antwi, Howells 1, Dance***, Lawless*, Keane, Willmott, Crow, M-Smith 2	Watkins*, O'Connor**, Kissock***, A-Adjaye, K. Pilkington
Tue 30	19:45	A	Hayes & Yeading United	2-2	1,015	727	8 Tyler, Osano, Beckwith, Antwi, Howells*, Dance**, Lawless, Keane, Willmott, Crow 1***, M-Smith 1	Watkins**, A-Adjaye*, O'Connor**, Kissock, K. Pilkington
September								
Fri 2	19:45	A	Stockport County	1-1	3,389	321	6 Tyler, Osano, Keane, Antwi, A-Adjaye, Lawless 1, Kissock*, Watkins, Willmott, M-Smith, Crow	Dance*, Fleetwood**, O'Connor, Carden, K. Pilkington
Sat 10	15:00	H	Darlington	2-0	5,952	151	6 Tyler, Keane, Antwi, Beckwith, Howells, Lawless, Hand, Willmott, Morgan-Smith*, Crow 1**, Fleetwood 1	Dance*, Kissock**, Watkins, O'Connor, K. Pilkington
Tue 13	19:45	A	AFC Telford United	2-0	2,640	502	3 Tyler, Asafu-Adjaye, Antwi, Beckwith, Howells, Lawless, Keane, Willmott**, Morgan-Smith, Crow*, Fleetwood**	Dance*, Kissock, Watkins**, O'Connor**, K. Pilkington
Sat 17	15:00	H	Lincoln City	1-0	6,316	206	2 Tyler, Dance, Beckwith, Antwi, Howells, Morgan-Smith**, Lawless, Hand, Willmott**, Fleetwood 1, Crow*	Watkins*, O'Connor**, Kissock**, Samuel, K. Pilkington
Tue 20	19:45	A	Bath City	1-1	1,158	442	1 Tyler, Dance*, Kovacs, Antwi, Howells, Morgan-Smith 1, Lawless, Hand, Kissock**, Fleetwood, Crow**	O'Connor**, Samuel**, Willmott**, Watkins, K. Pilkington
Sat 24	15:00	A	York City	0-3	3,570	606	6 Tyler, Keane, Kovacs, Antwi, Howells, Dance, Lawless**, Hand, Kissock*, Willmott, Fleetwood*	Crow**, Watkins**, O'Connor**, Asafu-Adjaye, K. Pilkington
Tue 27	19:45	H	Cambridge United	0-1	6,274	522	9 Tyler, Dance, Kovacs, Antwi, Howells, Morgan-Smith, Hand**, Keane, Willmott**, Fleetwood, Crow*	O'Connor*, Kissock**, Watkins**, Asafu-Adjaye, K. Pilkington
October								
Sat 1	15:00	H	Barrow	5-1	5,613	115	6 Tyler, Osano, Keane, Kovacs, Howells, Hand, Dance 1, Watkins 1**, Willmott 2, O'Connor*, Morgan-Smith 1	Crow*, Kissock**, Antwi, Asafu-Adjaye, K. Pilkington
Sat 8	15:00	A	Kidderminster Harriers	2-1	3,332	931	5 Tyler, Osano, G. Pilkington, Kovacs, Blackett, Hand, Dance**, Keane, Willmott 2, O'Connor*, Morgan-Smith	Fleetwood*, Crow**, Antwi, Watkins, K. Pilkington
Tue 11	19:45	A	Ebbsfleet United	2-2	1,651	722	5 Tyler, Osano, G. Pilkington, Kovacs, Blackett, Hand, Dance 1, Carden, Willmott, O'Connor*, Morgan-Smith 1**	Fleetwood*, Watkins**, Antwi, Kissock, K. Pilkington
Sat 15	15:00	H	Gateshead	5-1	6,285	104	3 Tyler, Osano, G. Pilkington, Kovacs, Blackett, Willmott**, Howells 2, Keane, Dance, Morgan-Smith*, Fleetwood	O'Connor 1**, Hand 2**, Watkins, Kissock**, K. Pilkington
Tue 18	19:45	H	Wrexham	0-1	7,270	239	5 Tyler, Osano, G. Pilkington, Kovacs, Blackett, Willmott, Keane, Dance, Howells, Fleetwood*, O'Connor**	Wright*, Kissock**, Hand, Watkins, K. Pilkington
Fri 21	19:45	A	Grimsby Town	1-0	3,239	186	4 Tyler, Osano, G. Pilkington, Kovacs, Howells, Willmott**, Watkins, Hand, Dance*, Fleetwood*, Wright 1	Crow**, O'Connor*, Kissock**, Beckwith, K. Pilkington
Sat 29	15:00	H	Hendon (FAC 4Q)	5-1	2,329	193	- K. Pilkington, Osano, Beckwith, Antwi, Howells, Dance 1*, Hand**, O'Connor 2 (pen), Kissock, Fleetwood 1, Wright 1**	Crow*, Henry**, Tavernier**, Willmott, Samuel, Carden, Tyler
November								
Sat 5	15:00	H	Fleetwood Town					
Sat 12	15:00	H	Northampton Town (FAC 1)					
Sat 19	15:00	A	Cambridge United					
Sat 26	15:00	A	Newport County					
Tue 29	19:45	H	AFC Telford United					
December								
Sat 3	15:00	H	Stockport County					
Tue 6	19:45	A	Lincoln City					
Sat 17	15:00	A	Tamworth					
Mon 26	15:00	H	Kettering Town					
January								
Sun 1	15:00	A	Kettering Town					
Sat 7	15:00	H	Newport County					
Sat 21	15:00	A	Southport					
Tue 24	19:45	H	Mansfield Town					
Sat 28	15:00	H	Alfreton Town					
February								
Sat 4	15:00	A	Barrow					
Sat 11	15:00	A	Forest Green Rovers					
Sat 18	15:00	H	Tamworth					
Sat 25	15:00	A	Darlington					
March								
Sat 3	15:00	H	Bath City					
Tue 6	19:45	A	Wrexham					
Sat 10	15:00	H	Ebbsfleet United					
Sat 17	15:00	A	Gateshead					
Sat 24	15:00	H	Grimsby Town					
Sat 31	15:00	H	York City					
April								
Sat 7	15:00	A	Braintree Town					
Mon 9	15:00	H	Hayes & Yeading United					
Sat 14	15:00	A	Alfreton Town					
Sat 21	15:00	H	Kidderminster Harriers					
Sat 28	15:00	A	Fleetwood Town					



Tommy Wright celebrates his goal at Grimsby

LEAGUE TABLE 2011/12

	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1 Wrexham	18	12	3	3	33	14	19	39
2 Fleetwood Town	18	11	4	3	37	24	13	37
3 York City	18	10	4	4	39	21	18	34
4 LUTON TOWN	18	9	6	3	34	18	16	33
5 Cambridge United	18	9	6	3	27	16	11	33
6 Gateshead	18	10	3	5	31	28	3	33
7 Southport	18	9	5	4	29	27	2	32
8 Mansfield Town	17	8	6	3	29	21	8	30
9 Braintree Town	18	9	2	7	37	29	8	29
10 Tamworth	17	8	5	4	23	17	6	29
11 Barrow	18	9	2	7	32	30	2	29
12 Kidderminster Harriers	18	8	4	6	32	29	3	28
13 Forest Green Rovers	18	5	8	5	22	18	4	23
14 Darlington	18	6	4	8	18	25	-7	22
15 Grimsby Town	18	6	2	10	24	30	-6	20
16 Ebbsfleet United	18	4	7	7	25	26	-1	19
17 Kettering Town	18	5	4	9	21	32	-11	19
18 Stockport County	18	3	9	6	21	26	-5	18
19 AFC Telford United	18	4	6	8	21	27	-6	18
20 Hayes & Yeading	18	4	4	10	24	35	-11	16
21 Lincoln City	18	4	4	10	16	27	-11	16
22 Newport County	18	3	6	9	21	29	-8	15
23 Alfreton Town	18	2	4	12	17	43	-26	10
24 Bath City	18	1	4	13	14	35	-21	7

PLAYER STATS 2011/12

	THIS SEASON			TOTAL			CAREER						
	LEAGUE APPS	CUP APPS	GLS	LEAGUE APPS	CUP APPS	GLS	DISCIP	Y	R	APPS	GLS		
WILL ANTWI	12	0	2	0	0	0	12	0	2	0	12	2	
Ed ASAFU-ADJAYE	4	(2)	0	0	0	0	4	(2)	0	0	1	75	1
Matthew BARNES-HOMER	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	81	23
Dean BECKWITH	8	0	1	0	0	0	8	0	1	1	1	8	1
Shane BLACKETT	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	42	1
Paul CARDEN	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	9	0
Danny CROW	9	(4)	3	0	0	0	9	(4)	3	1	0	48	11
James DANCE	15	(3)	2	0	0	0	15	(3)	2	1	0	16	2
Stuart FLEETWOOD	9	(3)	2	0	0	0	9	(3)	2	2	0	10	2
Dan GLEESON	0	(1)	0	0	0	0	0	(1)	0	0	0	43	0
Jamie HAND	9	(1)	0	0	0	0	9	(1)	0	2	0	9	2
Jake HOWELLS	15	0	1	0	0	0	15	0	1	0	0	144	12
Keith KEANE	13	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	0	5	0	255	6
John-Paul KISSOCK	3	(6)	0	0	0	0	3	(6)	0	0	0	9	0
Janos KOVACS	9	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	24	1
Alex LAWLESS	10	0	1	0	0	0	10	0	1	5	0	39	6
Amari MORGAN-SMITH	13	(1)	8	0	0	0	13	(1)	8	5	0	41	16
Freddie MURRAY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	79	1
Aaron O'CONNOR	7	(8)	0	0	0	0	7	(8)	0	1	0	14	1
Curtis OSANO	12	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	2	0	10	0
George PILKINGTON	5	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	134	10
Kevin PILKINGTON	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	19	0
Godfrey POKU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	0
Collin SAMUEL	0	(1)	0	0	0	0	0	(1)	0	0	0	1	0
Mark TYLER	17	0	0	0	0	0	17	0	0	0	0	109	0
Dan WALKER	0	(1)	0	0	0	0	0	(1)	0	0	0	20	1
Adam WATKINS	5	(7)	2	0	0	0	5	(7)	2	1	0	17	4
Robbie WILLMOTT	15	(2)	6	0	0	0	15	(2)	6	0	0	33	12
Tommy WRIGHT	1	(1)	0	0	0	0	1	(1)	0	0	0	2	1

LAST WORD

WITH SKY NEWS' JON DESBOROUGH

What was Glenn Hoddle was supposed to have said?

"I don't make predictions and I'm not about to start now."

Or, something like that, wasn't it?

Well, there was just something about the exhilaration of finally getting to Kenilworth Road that made me predict that Luton would beat Gateshead 5-1 last month.

Now, I can hear one or two of you shouting, "yeah right".

But it's true. Minutes before kick-off press officer Andrew Barringer, demanded all the press corps to take a guess at the final score for the day and the excitable teenager in me went for 5-1.

Now, you've probably done the same in your time. And like me, kept your mouth shut, until the reality of the situation started to look like it might match your guess at what was going to happen.

So did I. But it all started to come good when the boy John Paul Kissock appeared.

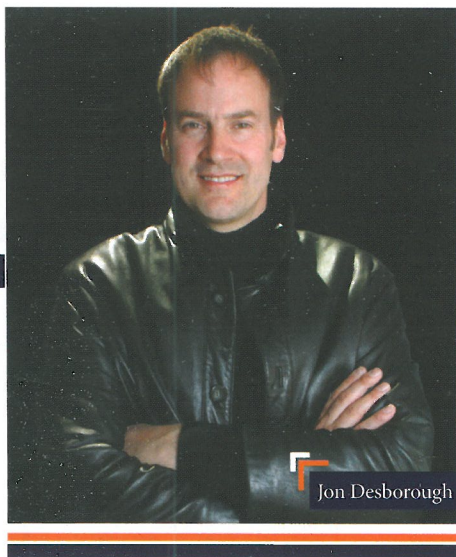
There was something about the way he played that day that left Gateshead chasing shadows. And turned my stab in the dark into fact.

As you've no doubt detected, I'm not one to get carried away easily or make any rash judgements... (yeah, right!)

But after a few minutes of John Paul, I came to my next conclusion of the afternoon - he's our own Lionel Messi.

OK. Work with me on this one. I know he's not won the Ballon d'Or. Yet. And I know he's not played in the Champions League, let alone won it three times.

But, he's quick, he's nimble, I reckon he's got good balance - and not wanting to be 'sizeist' (does that word actually exist?) he's the right size too.



Jon Desborough

Suddenly 2-1 turned into 3-1. Didn't he get the corner into the near post for Luton's third? And he was involved in the fourth goal. The fifth sent me delirious.

And it's at this point I'd like to apologise for leaping out of my seat in front of the directors and losing all my professional objectivity.

Job done. Very happy. My team had thrashed the opposition. The rest of the week couldn't fail. And all for my first home game of the season.

I left that Saturday having already booked my seat for the Wrexham game. As I disappeared down the exit steps I shouted back to Andrew: "But only if Kissock plays, mind you."

On the following Tuesday for the Wrexham game, Andrew greeted me like a casino croupier who had discovered a punter who couldn't leave the roulette table.

"Five-one again, Jon?" he asked. "You bet" I replied.

And for the rest of the week I have a better understanding of why Glenn Hoddle said what he did.

Oh dear.

But Kissock was good, wasn't he? And I did get half the prediction right, didn't I?

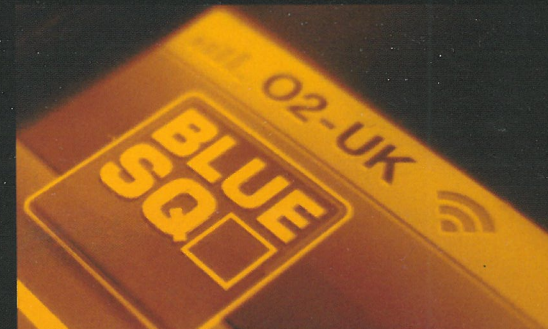
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TODAY'S TEAMS



LUTON TOWN 1 2 FLEETWOOD TOWN

- Mark Tyler 1
- Dan Gleeson 2
- Freddie Murray 3
- Keith Keane 4
- Dean Beckwith 5
- George Pilkington 6
- Alex Lawless 7
- Amari Morgan-Smith 8
- Danny Crow 10
- Robbie Willmott 11
- Shane Blackett 12
- Stuart Fleetwood 13
- Aaron O'Connor 14
- Jake Howells 15
- Ed Asafu-Adjaye 16
- Will Antwi 17
- Curtis Osano 18
- James Dance 19
- John Paul Kissock 20
- Charlie Henry 21
- Collin Samuel 23
- Jamie Hand 27
- Adam Watkins 28
- Kevin Pilkington 30
- Janos Kovacs 34
- Tommy Wright 39

- 1 Scott Davies
- 2 Shaun Beeley
- 3 Paul Edwards
- 4 Anthony Barry
- 5 Steve McNulty
- 6 Nathan Pond
- 7 Sean Clancy
- 8 Jamie Milligan
- 9 Richard Brodie
- 10 Magno Vieira
- 11 Peter Till
- 12 Junior Brown
- 13 Alan Goodall
- 14 Andy Mangan
- 15 Keith Briggs
- 16 Danzelle St Louis-Hamilton
- 17 Stefan Cox
- 18 Jamie McGuire
- 19 Gareth Seddon
- 20 Paul Linwood
- 22 Liam Wynn
- 25 Rob Atkinson
- 26 Peter Cavanagh
- 28 Matt Flynn
- 29 Scott Brown
- 33 Jamie Vardy

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MATCH OFFICIALS

Referee: A. Davies
 Assistant: N. Cooper
 Assistant: M. Hopton
 Fourth official: C. Hatzidakis

UP NEXT

v NORTHAMPTON TOWN

Saturday 12th November 2011, 3pm
 FA Cup with Budweiser, First Round