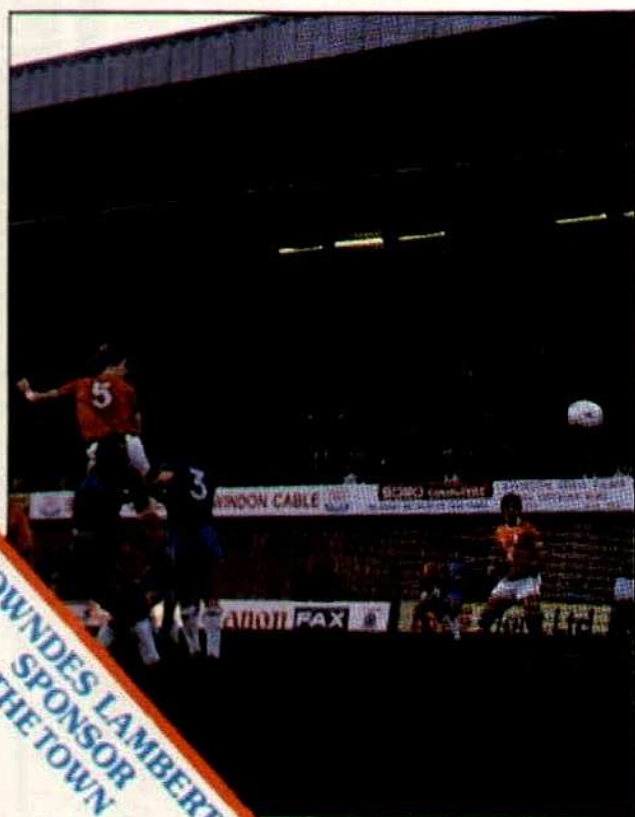
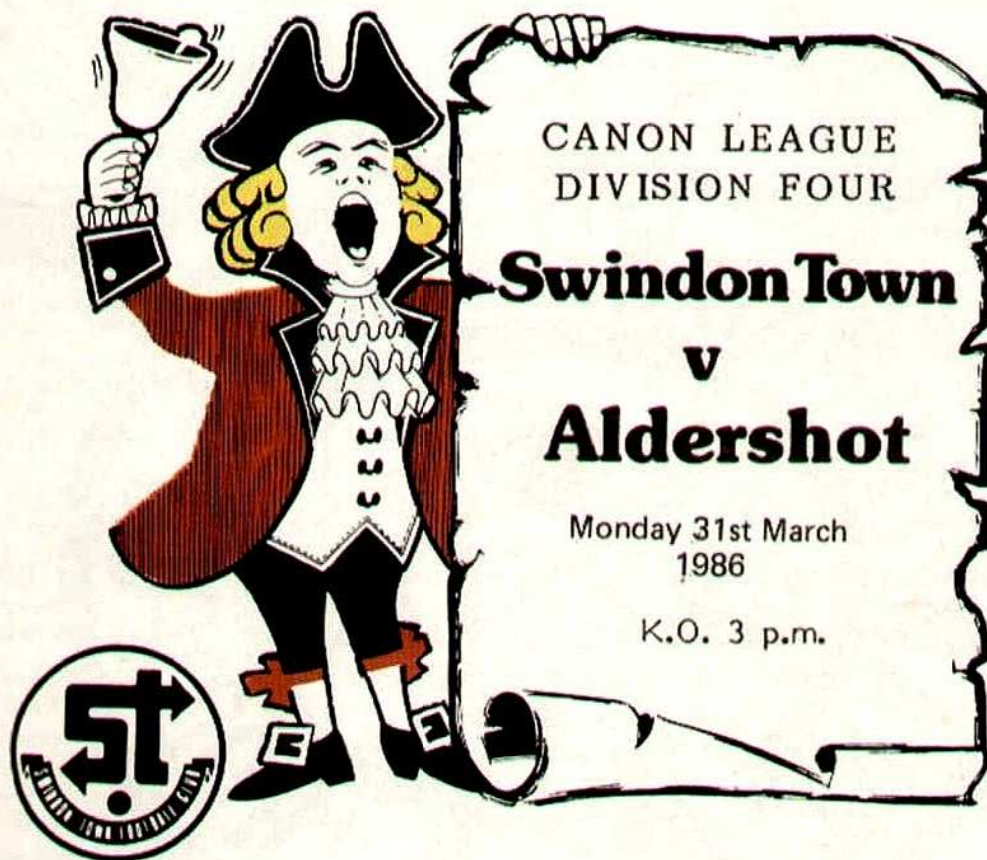


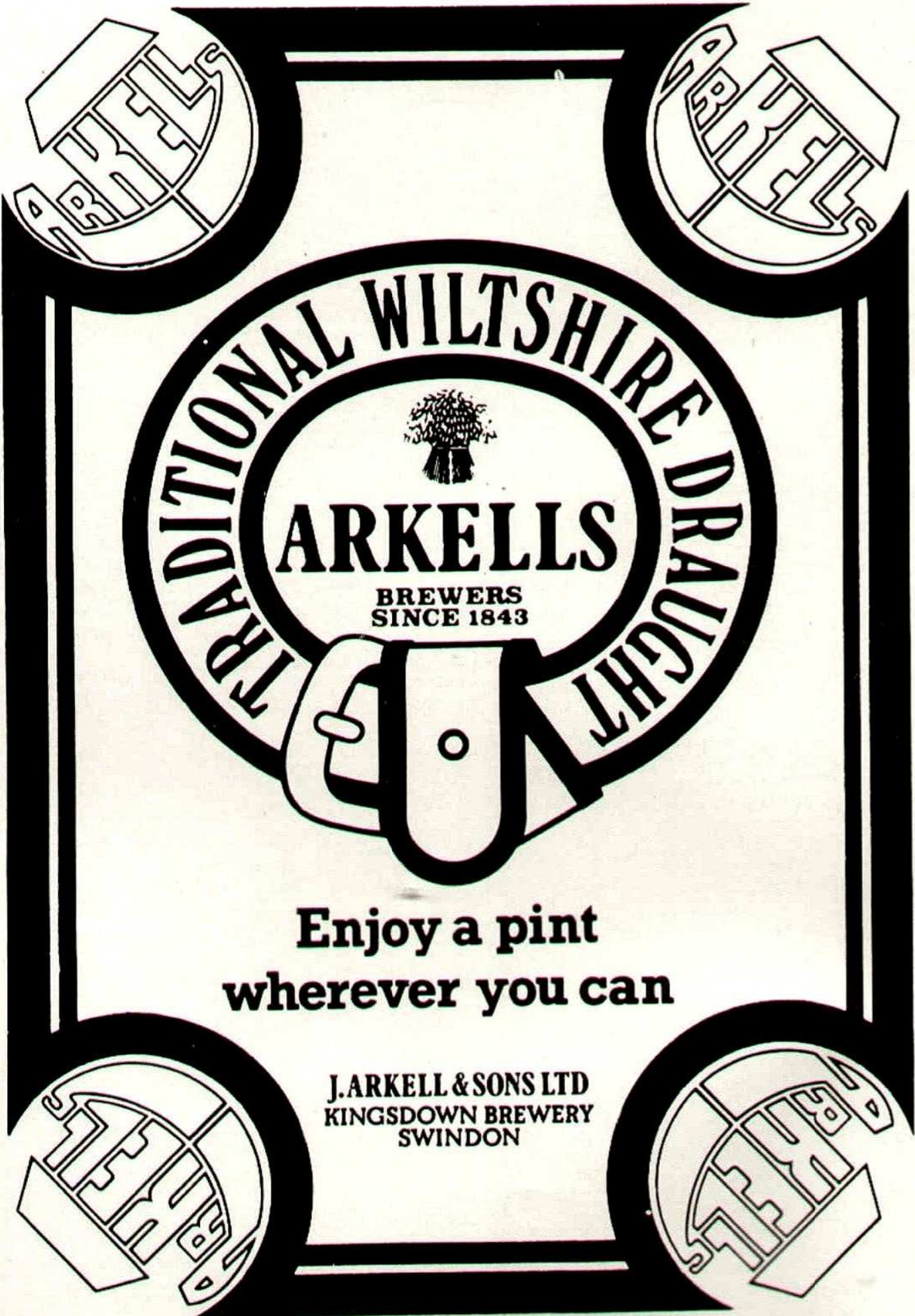
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Chairman's Chatter

I would like to welcome to the County Ground this afternoon the Directors, Officials, Players and Supporters of Aldershot Football Club.



This is the first opportunity that I have had, to explain to you all the recent negotiations which we have completed with Thamesdown Council, regarding facilities here at the County Ground.

Our first approach to the Council concerned the feasibility of whether the Club could purchase the freehold of the County Ground. Unfortunately the Council were unable to agree to our proposal.

With a debt of £91,000 incurred in Mortgage arrears, which because of our £48,000 per year payment schedule was tending to increase, we had a difficult situation to overcome. Therefore it became imperative that Swindon Town Football Club was able to live within its own means again.

An agreement has now been finalised with the Council, whereby they have purchased all of the North Stand for the debt outstanding and the Club will now rent the whole ground back for the sum of £25,000 per annum, except for the area that once housed the Squash Club.

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On behalf of my fellow Directors I would like to thank Thamesdown Council for their assistance in helping the Club to overcome a difficult period in the Clubs history.

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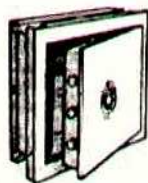
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AUG.	18 LUTON TOWN	AWAY	3-3	Blakeley, Reynolds Pen., S. Lee
	24 SOUTHAMPTON	HOME	3-2	Blakeley (3)
	31 BRISTOL ROVERS	AWAY	1-1	S. Lee
SEPT'	7 BRIGHTON	AWAY	5-1	Hughes (3), Blakeley (2) Law
	14 BRENTFORD	HOME	3-2	Blakeley, S. Lee Pen., O'Loughlin
	21 COLCHESTER UNITED	AWAY	0-0	
League Cup	28 TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR	HOME	4-1	Davison, Blakeley, S. Lee, Hughes
OCT.	5 BOURNEMOUTH	AWAY	4-1	S. Lee (3) Hughes
	12 WIMBLEDON	HOME	2-0	Hughes, S. Lee Pen.
	19 TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR	AWAY	4-2	Casserley, Blakeley, Hughes, O.Goal
NOV.	2 SOUTHEND UNITED	HOME	2-1	Hughes, Blakeley
	9 READING	HOME	4-1	Hughes (3), Blakeley
	League Cup	16 LUTON TOWN	HOME	2-3
OCT.	23 OXFORD UNITED	HOME	5-0	Prowse (2), Blakeley (2), Hughes
	30 LUTON TOWN	HOME	4-6	Hammersley Pen., Hughes, Viveash, Tucker
	DEC.	14 BRISTOL ROVERS	HOME	1-0
JAN.	21 BRIGHTON	HOME	2-1	Blakeley (2)
	18 BOURNEMOUTH	HOME	1-3	Reynolds
	25 WIMBLEDON	AWAY	0-1	
FEB.	1 TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR	HOME	3-1	Prowse (3)
	8 SOUTHAMPTON	AWAY	0-2	
	MAR.	8 BRENTFORD	AWAY	5-1
MAR.	15 CRYSTAL PALACE	HOME	3-0	Hughes (2), Barnett
	22 COLCHESTER UNITED	HOME		
	APR.	12 SOUTHEND UNITED	AWAY	
APR.	19 CRYSTAL PALACE	AWAY		
	26 READING	HOME		
	MAY	3 OXFORD UNITED	AWAY	

APPEARANCES: Dean Casserley 20+s, David Law 20+s, Gary Gillett 17, Bruce Marshall 17, Nicky Hughes 16+s, Jon Hammersley 15, Peter Lango 15, Paul Blakeley 14+s, Sean Prowse 14, Dave Barnett 12+4s, Philip Bell 12+3s, Mark O'Dwyer 12, Alan Churchward 11, Martyn Davison 10, Sheldon Lee 10, Martin Tucker 8+3s, Jamie Reynolds 7, Gerry O'Loughlin 4, Jason Rickards 4+s, Dave Herbert 3+s, Adrian Viveash 2+4s, Colin Hughes 2+s, Doug Lee 2+s, Gavin Dykes 2, Andy Stone 2, Roger Thorpe 2, Nigel Packer 0+5s.

GOALSCORERS: Nicky Hughes 16, Paul Blakeley 15, Sheldon Lee 9, Sean Prowse 5, Roger Thorpe 3, Dean Casserley, David Law, Jamie Reynolds and Martin Tucker 2 each, Dave Barnett, Martyn Davison, Gary Gillett, Jon Hammersley and Adrian Viveash one each.



Leading Goalscorer: Nicky Hughes - who has two hat-tricks to his credit this season.

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Supporters have now started reserving the above for next season. If you are interested in becoming a mascot or donating a match ball for 1986/87 then ring me on Swindon 31510 for details. Matches will be allocated when the complete fixture lists are known.



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6th Nov Cambridge Utd	Mr. White of Ecolarn, Swindon.
23rd Nov Mansfield Town	Mr. Dick Packer of The Clifton Hotel, Swindon.
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25th Jan Peterborough Utd	The Carpenters Arms, South Marston.
8th Feb Chester City	Mr. R. Franklin of The Rat Trap, Swindon.
15th Feb Crewe Alex	Mr. J. Tremlin, Coped Hill Service Station.
2nd Mar Hartlepool Utd	Mr. Ellis of The Belle Vue, Swindon.
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Chris Kamara

FULL NAME: Chris Kamara
BIRTHPLACE: Middlesbrough
BIRTHDATE: 25th December
1957

HEIGHT: 6 ft.

WEIGHT: 12½ st.

MARRIED: To Anne, one son
Ben 20 months old

PREVIOUS LEAGUE CLUBS:
Portsmouth, Swindon Town,
Portsmouth, Brentford

LEAGUE RECORD: 382
appearances - 56 goals

CAR: Ford Escort 1.6GL

FAVOURITE NEWSPAPER:
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PLAYERS MOST ADMIRED:

Michele Platini of France &
Diego Maradona of Argentina

FAVOURITE OTHER TEAM:
None but I look for the results
of former teams

FOOTBALL HERO: The
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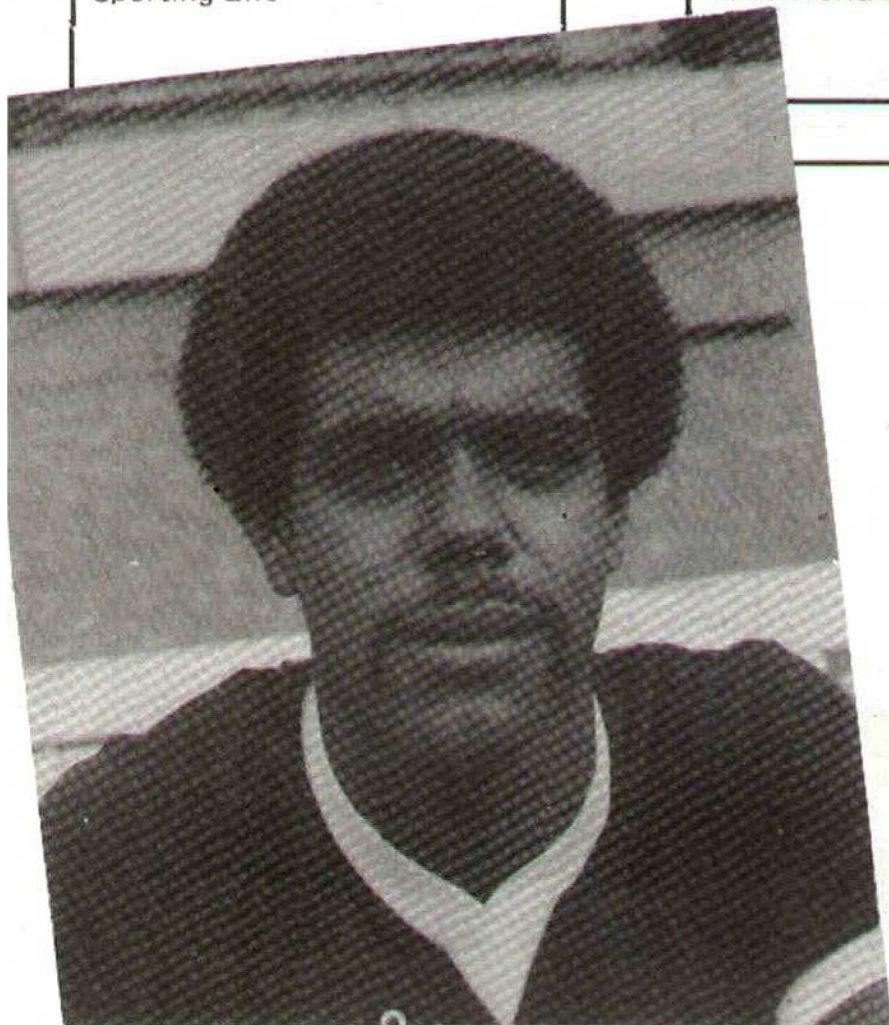
FAVOURITE OTHER

SPORTS: Horse & Greyhound
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FAVOURITE SPORTS

PERSONALITY: Before
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DISAPPOINTMENT: Losing
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spell at Swindon

LIKES AND DISLIKES:
Likes: Playing with Ben and
seeing him laugh.

Dislikes: People who can't say
simple things like please and
thank you.

FAVOURITE SINGERS:
Lionel Ritchie, Elton John and
Tina Turner

FAVOURITE ACTORS: The
late James Cagney, Eddie
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Tracy Ullman

FAVOURITE T.V. SHOWS:
Cheers, Miami Vice, T.V.
Racing

FAVOURITE FOOD: Italian
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FAVOURITE DRINK: Tea

Football Combination 1985/6

DATE	OPPONENTS	VENUE	SCORE	GOALSCORERS
AUG.	21 CHARLTON ATHLETIC	Away	2-3	Wade (2)
	27 OXFORD UNITED	Home	2-4	Wade (2)
SEPT.	3 PORTSMOUTH	Away	1-1	Gardiner
	7 WATFORD	Away	0-3	
	10 BRISTOL ROVERS	Home	1-2	Cole
	81 QUEENS PARK RANGERS	Home	1-2	Evans
OCT.	2 NORWICH CITY	Away	2-3	Payne, Wade
	10 TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR	Home	1-3	Evans
	16 MILLWALL	Away	2-5	Gardiner, Henry
	26 BIRMINGHAM CITY	Home	0-0	
	31 LUTON TOWN	Home	1-5	Gardiner
NOV.	9 WEST HAM UNITED	Away	3-9	Gardiner (2), Evans
	12 ARSENAL	Home	2-2	Gardiner Pen, Wollen
	25 CHARLTON ATHLETIC	Home	1-3	Payne
	30 BRIGHTON	Home	2-0	Payne, Gardiner
DEC.	3 SOUTHAMPTON	Away	2-3	Reynolds, Hall
	10 CRYSTAL PALACE	Home	3-2	Gardiner Pen., Freegard, Kamara
	17 IPSWICH TOWN	Away	1-2	Gardiner
	21 CHELSEA	Away	2-8	Evans, Gardiner Pen.
JAN.	13 OXFORD UNITED	Away	3-8	Gardiner, Evans, Freegard
	15 READING	Away	2-2	Freegard, Coyne
	22 WATFORD	Home	2-0	Moss (2)
	30 CHELSEA	Home	1-4	Gardiner
FEB.	18 QUEENS PARK RANGERS	Away	4-4	Gordon (2), Kamara, Gardiner
	27 SWANSEA CITY	Away	1-3	Gardiner
MAR.	6 NORWICH CITY	Home	2-3	Evans (2)
	8 PORTSMOUTH	Home	2-1	Evans, Gardiner Pen.
	11 TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR	Away	1-7	Evans
	18 SOUTHAMPTON	Home	1-3	Wade
	24 BIRMINGHAM CITY	Away		
	27 BRISTOL ROVERS	Away		
APRIL	1 FULHAM	Away		
	4 LUTON TOWN	Away		
	10 WEST HAM UNITED	Home		
	17 SWANSEA CITY	Home		
	19 ARSENAL	Away		
	22 READING	Home		
	24 FULHAM	Home		
	29 IPSWICH TOWN	Home		
MAY	3 BRIGHTON	Away		
	6 CRYSTAL PALACE	Away		

COMBINATION APPEARANCES:-

Mark Gardiner 28, Anoy Wollen 23+s, Tony Evans 23, Derek Hall 23, Martyn Davison 22, Mark Payne 19+s, Jamie Reynolds 16+s, Alan Churchward 16, David Moss 14, Paul Roberts 13+s, Andy Rowland 11+2s, Chris Kamara 10+s, Sheldon Lee 10+s, Bryan Wade 10, Sean Prowse 8+6s, Leigh Barnard 8, Charlie Henry 7, David Cole 6, Peter Coyne 6, Scott Endersby 5, Gerry O'Loughlin 5, Peter Lango 4+s, Mark Ayres 4, John Freegard 3, Dave Hockaday 3, Chris Ramsey 3, Kenny Allen 2, Colin Gordon 2, Lou Macari 2, Paul Marshall 2, Mark Hughes 1+2s, Dave Bamber, Kjetil Borg, Colin Calderwood, Nicky Coleman, Jake Findlay, John Impey, Tora Lund and Ken Stroud one each, Gary Gillett, Nicky Hughes and John Ingham 0+s.

GOALSCORERS:

Mark Gardiner 16 (inc 4 Pens), Tony Evans 9, Bryan Wade 6, John Freegard 3, Colin Gordon, David Moss and Mark Payne 2 each, David Cole, Peter Coyne, Derek Hall, Charlie Henry, Chris Kamara and Jamie Reynolds one each.



On the right - Cirencester born Mark Gardiner is again our Football Combination Team's leading goalscorer with fifteen goals to-date.



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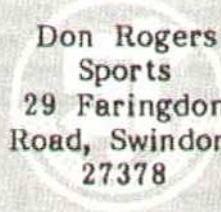
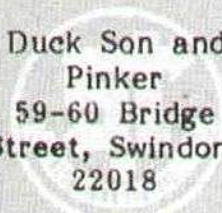
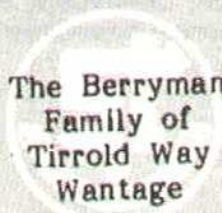


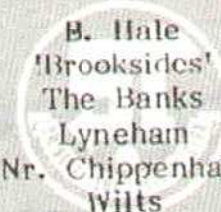
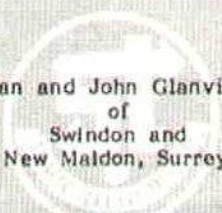
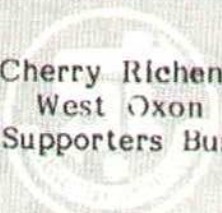
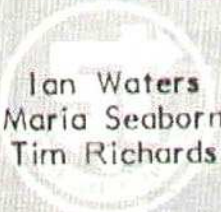
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Home and Away-Swindon don't

Swindon Town are certainly out to more than satisfy their supporters this season. While their home form this season is the stuff potential champions are made of, the Town continue to be nothing short of terrific on their travels.

After 18 away days, Lou Macari's men have recorded ten away victories on foreign soil. For all the hundreds of miles clocked up on their team coach they have thirty-one points — the best record of any team in the Fourth Division.

And when you consider that five of their away wins have all been achieved at the homes of five of the Clubs in the top half of the table — Chester City (1-0), Stockport County (2-0), Northampton Town (1-0), Burnley (2-0) and Wrexham (1-0) — it makes an impressive record.

At the County Ground, the Town have been almost invincible, the merest hic-cup on the opening day of the season against Wrexham, the only defeat.

Following our record breaking Saturday when we defeated Burnley 3-1 here at the County Ground, only Hartlepool United had collected more points from their home matches. That was by virtue of having played three matches more and then they were only one point superior to Swindon Town!

Interesting to note that Lou Macari's men have the best defensive record of all the Fourth Division Clubs in away matches, having conceded just eight-teen goals from the same total of matches!

We have won more matches at home and away than any other team in the Division, to prove that Swindon Town adopt the most positive attitude. Lou Macari is proving himself a freak among modern day managers, for he allows his team to play without fear. Lou knows that fans want to be entertained and his team have provided that. The former Scotland International's philosophy is the correct one to have. If you cast your mind back to some of Lou's early remarks when he first joined the Club you will recall that on several interviews that he stressed 'Defenders are paid to defend, that is their job'. Swindon Town's record this season proves that Lou gets what he demands. The Town have a most impressive defensive record — but after all, Swindon Town are a most impressive team this season.

The following two tables illustrate how each of the Fourth Division Clubs are performing at Home and Away this season . . . Dramatically showing Swindon Town's fantastic campaign this season.

HOME FORM

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	Goals
Hartlepool U.	18	13	4	1	34	14	43	+20
Swindon T.	15	14	0	1	32	13	42	+19
Chester C.	19	12	4	3	37	13	40	+24
Mansfield T.	16	12	4	0	35	11	40	+24
Port Vale	18	10	7	1	35	9	37	+26
Stockport C.	19	9	8	2	31	20	35	+11
Hereford U.	16	10	4	2	39	20	34	+19
Rochdale	15	9	4	2	30	17	31	+13
Southend U.	17	9	4	4	29	21	31	+8
Burnley	17	10	1	6	28	21	31	+7
Orient	17	8	5	4	31	17	29	+14
Torquay U.	18	8	5	5	25	23	29	+2
Colchester U.	15	8	4	3	29	13	28	+16
Aldershot	16	8	4	4	27	17	28	+10
Peterborough U.	16	7	7	2	23	15	28	+8
Crewe Alex.	18	7	6	5	29	21	27	+8
Scunthorpe U.	16	7	6	3	22	15	27	+7
Halifax T.	16	7	6	3	26	20	27	+6
Northampton T.	16	7	5	4	32	18	26	+14
Tranmere R.	18	8	1	9	38	30	25	+8
Wrexham	16	7	4	5	23	19	25	+14
Cambridge U.	17	8	1	8	34	24	25	E
Exeter C.	17	7	3	7	17	17	24	E
Preston N.E.	18	5	3	10	24	32	18	-8

AWAY FORM

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	Goals
Swindon T.	18	10	1	7	20	18	31	+2
Chester C.	17	6	8	3	31	24	26	+7
Mansfield T.	17	7	3	7	22	22	24	E
Stockport C.	17	7	3	7	22	27	24	-5
Northampton T.	18	7	2	9	31	25	23	+6
Port Vale	17	5	6	6	20	21	21	-1
Orient	16	5	6	5	24	26	21	-2
Wrexham	19	6	3	10	29	47	21	-18
Tranmere R.	16	5	5	6	21	21	20	E
Southend U.	16	5	4	7	20	28	19	-8
Colchester U.	17	4	5	8	26	34	17	-8
Burnley	17	3	6	8	20	29	15	-9
Hartlepool U.	16	4	3	9	18	28	15	-10
Exeter C.	17	2	8	7	14	26	14	-12
Halifax T.	17	3	3	11	20	34	12	-14
Crewe Alex.	16	3	3	10	12	31	12	-19
Aldershot	16	3	2	11	13	30	11	-17
Rochdale	18	2	5	11	14	36	11	-12
Scunthorpe U.	17	2	4	11	11	27	10	-16
Peterborough U.	16	1	6	9	18	34	9	-16
Hereford U.	17	2	3	12	14	33	9	-9
Preston N.E.	17	1	5	11	12	34	8	-22
Cambridge U.	18	1	4	13	14	39	7	-25
Torquay U.	14	0	2	12	4	36	2	-32

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SWINDON TOWNS
RESULTS AWAY
FROM HOME
THIS SEASON

PLAYED: 18 GOALS FOR: 20
WON: 10 GOALS AGAINST: 18
DREW: 1 POINTS: 31
LOST: 7

Date	Opponents	Score	Scorers
Aug. 24	Hereford United	1-4	Calderwood
Aug. 31	Southend United	0-0	
Sep. 14	Peterborough United	0-3	
Sep. 17	Crewe Alexandra	0-2	
Sep. 28	Hartlepool United	0-1	
Oct. 12	Burnley	2-0	Gordon, Coyne
Oct. 19	Chester City	1-0	Gordon
Oct. 26	Port Vale	0-3	
Nov. 9	Scunthorpe United	2-0	Henry, Wade
Nov. 30	Orient	0-1	
Dec. 28	Torquay United	1-0	Gordon
Jan. 4	Tranmere Rovers	1-3	Gordon, Pen.
Jan. 18	Wrexham	1-0	Gordon, Pen.
Feb. 1	Northampton Town	1-0	Henry
Feb. 3	Stockport County	2-0	Henry, Gordon
Feb. 22	Preston North End	3-0	Ramsey, Henry, Coyne
Mar. 5	Exeter City	3-0	Coyne, Gordon, Ramsey
Mar. 8	Rochdale	2-1	Gordon, Pen. Henry

RIGHT: COLIN GORDON -
THE TOWN'S TOP SCORER
IN AWAY MATCHES



LOU MACARI - THE MANAGER WHO HAS LED
THE TOWNS RECORD BREAKING TEAM



The Town Crier sees Aldershot

We welcome Aldershot to the County Ground for this Bank Holiday fixture. The Recreation Ground Club managed by Len Walker, will also play hosts to Swindon when we travel to the military town for the return fixture on Tuesday April 22nd. Currently confined to the lower half of the Fourth Division League Table, the Recreation Ground Club have only won three League matches away from home this season at Cambridge United on September 7th - 2-0, December 14th Preston North End 3-1 and Burnley 2-1 on March 11th.

Aldershot have lost twelve away matches this season, at Rochdale (0-2) - Aug 17, Colchester United (0-4) - Aug 26, Tranmere Rovers (0-3) - Sep 21, Hereford United (1-4) - Oct 2nd, Chester City (0-1) - Nov 2nd, Hartlepool United (1-2) - Nov 6th, Stockport County (2-3) - Nov 23rd, Exeter City (0-2) - Dec 21st, Mansfield Town (0-2) - Jan 25th, Scunthorpe Vale (0-1) - Mar 1st, Southend United (0-2) - Mar 15th and Port Vale (1-3) - March 18th. Their only draws in away matches this season have come in successive 1-1 draws at Halifax Town and Orient in October.

Included in Manager Len Walker's squad for this afternoon's match, are likely to be the following players:-

Goalkeeper DAVID COLES (21), who began his career with Birmingham City as an apprentice before joining Aldershot on a free transfer in 1983. David has now played over one-hundred League matches for the Recreation Ground Club. His only previous League experience came in a three match loan period with Mansfield Town, while he was with the St Andrews Club during the 1982-83 season.

Full back BARRY BLANCKLEY (21) was born at nearby Farnborough but it was with Southampton, that he began his career after joining the First Division Club as an apprentice. Barry failed to make the Dell Club's first team and joined Aldershot last season, with over fifty League appearances to his credit, he is still waiting to score his first League goal.

Former England and Queens Park Rangers full back, IAN GILLARD (35) has been called into action in recent matches. Ian, who joined the West London Club as an apprentice, made 408 League appearances during fourteen seasons with the Shepherd's Bush Club. ANDY MASSEY (24) joined Aldershot from Millwall in 1984 in an exchange deal for Les Briley.

Andy who made 32 League appearances during his first season with Aldershot, has scored three League and Cup goals this season.

The contingent of players from London Clubs continues with GEORGIO MAZZON (25), who joined the Club from Tottenham Hotspur on a free transfer in 1983. Georgio, who missed only one match in his first season with the Club has failed to appear on the club's scoresheet so far this season. Former Millwall and Colchester United defender PHIL COLEMAN (25), is the older brother of Nicky, who was on loan to us from Millwall earlier this season. Phil who has recovered from a bag leg injury sustained last year, joined Aldershot on a free transfer last season. Phil has now made over 150 League appearances. The former Millwall apprentice had the pleasure of scoring against one of his former clubs - Colchester United at Christmas in a 1-1 draw at the Recreation Ground.

Guildford born, PAUL SHRUBB (30) joined Aldershot from Brentford in 1982, after nearly 200 first team matches with the Griffin Park Club. Paul, who began his career with Fulham as an apprentice, has made over one hundred and fifty appearances for 'The Shots'. He is another player who has failed to score this season.

Veteran IAN McDONALD (32) entered League soccer as an apprentice with Barrow! Ian later moved onto Liverpool, Mansfield Town and York City before joining Aldershot in 1981. Ian completed a personal total of five hundred League matches this season. He also took his total of League goals to sixty-nine this season, by scoring in home matches with Wrexham and Peterborough.

The loss of the free scoring MARTIN FOYLE (23) through injury, has left former Brentford striker GARY JOHNSON, as the Club's leading goalscorer with twelve goals to date. Gary scored four goals in 'The Shots' 6-0 home win against Wrexham in October. Martin who joined Aldershot from Southampton had scored eleven goals this season before his injury.

Len Walker the Aldershot Manager may have brought of a bargain signing with his recent capture of West Ham winger BOBBY BARNES (23). The former Upton Park apprentice and England Youth International has recently been on loan to Scunthorpe United before his £15,000 transfer to the Recreation Ground Club. Bobby who made over

arrive in town



fifty first team appearances for West Ham, will need to re-capture the early form that he showed for 'The Hammers', if he is to resurrect a League career that once showed the highest promise.

Former Hartlepool United apprentice PAUL STAFF (23) joined Aldershot in 1984 after making 106 first team appearances for the Victoria Ground Club.

Now in his second season with the Club, Paul has scored six goals so far this season. COLIN FIELDER (22) has not scored until this year, then the London born player hit the back of the net in three consecutive matches against Rochdale from the penalty spot, Cambridge United and Orient. Colin is now approaching fifty League appearances with Aldershot, his only League Club.



BACK ROW (left to right): Andy Massey, Giorgio Mazzon, Ian Gillard
MIDDLE ROW (left to right): John Anderson (Trainer), Phil Ferns, Mark McNeil, Graham Cox, David Coles, Martin Foyle, Colin Smith, Len Walker (Manager).
FRONT ROW (left to right): Barry Blankley, Paul Staff, Ian McDonald, Paul Shrubbs, Colin Fielder.
INSERTS (left to right): Phil Coleman; Colin Duncan; Gary Johnson

Comment

Anyone who has a strong sense of injustice could not fail to be incensed with the latest rebuff of Swindon Town Football Club.

Totally incredible, that a club who are top of the Fourth Division could not have had at least one player in the P.F.A.'s team of the season for the Fourth Division. How Colin Calderwood failed to reach the select eleven is beyond comprehension.

The Town Crier has one message for those who take such a blinkered outlook. Colin or his teammates have not failed, their fellow professionals failed themselves.

Nothing should come as a surprise in some of soccer's awards though. Lou Macari failed to win the Bell's Whisky Manager of the Month for February because, wait for it:- a Football League spokesman said, 'Well he has won it twice this season and Ian Greaves has not received the award for a while, so we thought it would be nice to give it to him.' Ah well, it is nearly time for tea and crumpets on the croquet lawn!

The 'mad March hare' is running wild and we should not be surprised at anything. For Terry Venables is to be the new manager of Arsenal Football Club, on alternate weeks he will manage Tottenham Hotspur and during his summer holidays he has accepted an invitation to manage Juventus Football Club while retaining his consultancy with the football club of Barcelona on a part-time basis. While he will also keep alive lingering hopes of managing England.

The 'March hare' is vibrant but so is Swindon Town Football Club and the Town Crier has one simple message to Lou Macari, Colin Calderwood and the rest of our players - if you have ever needed an incentive, the Football League and P.F.A. have provided it. Go out and win the Fourth Division title and no one can take away what is rightly yours, League Championship Medals and Fourth Division Manager of the Year - or is it? Those misguided people are still on with their super league and will no doubt declare the season void with one match left! Nothing surprises me anymore in this crazy season.

IT'S ENTERTAINMENT

Did you know that more goals have been scored in league matches at Cambridge United's Abbey Stadium than any other ground? Their 4-3 win against Wrexham on February 4th took the tally to 67 goals in sixteen matches!

Did you know that Northampton Town with thirty-one league goals in away matches have scored five more than they have been able to register at home from equivalent matches!

Will Torquay United be able to register an away win this season? With only three goals to show from away matches they look doomed to seek re-election.

Will someone take Mansfield Town's unbeaten home record this season and help to spike their promotion challenge, it may be April 19th before this is put to the ultimate test!

TIME SERVERS!

The following players are the longest serving professionals in this season's Fourth Division with their various clubs. League appearances are to the start of this season.

Ian MacDonald (Aldershot)	164
Vince Overson (Burnley)	183
Tom Finney (Cambridge United)	294
Martin Lane (Chester City)	110
Roger Osborne (Colchester United)	172
Dave Waller (Crewe Alexandra)	124
Steve Ward (Halifax Town)	208
Roy Hogan (Hartlepool United)	208
Chris Price (Hereford United)	289
Tony Lowery (Mansfield Town)	91
Phil Sproson (Port Vale)	274
Dave Thompson (Rochdale)	128
Steve Cammack (Scunthorpe United)	124
Steve Phillips (Southend United)	145
Tommy Sword (Stockport County)	284
Andy Rowland (Swindon Town)	269
Derek Dawkins (Torquay United)	62
Dave Burgess (Tranmere Rovers)	177
Jackie Keay (Wrexham)	155
Kevin Godfrey (Orient)	199
Peter Gleasure (Northampton Town)	89
Ray Pratt (Exeter City)	155
Trevor Slack (Peterborough United)	162
Andy McAteer (Preston North End)	193

Paul Burt would like to thank Mr Mike Spearman very much indeed for his kind invitation to be his guest at the Port Vale match.



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DATE	OPPONENTS	VENUE	RESULT	GOALSCORER	ATTENDANCE
SAT AUG 17	WREXHAM	H	0-1		4,195
SUN AUG 20	TORQUAY Utd (Milk Cup 1)	A	2-1	Moss, Hockaday	1,266
SAT AUG 24	Hereford Utd	A	1-4	Calderwood	4,049
MON AUG 26	TORQUAY Utd	H	2-1	Coyne, Henry	3,378
FRI AUG 30	Southend Utd	A	0-0		4,037
TUE SEP 3	TORQUAY Utd (Milk Cup 1)	H	2-2	Coyne, Pugh OG	2,846
FRI SEP 6	NORTHAMPTON TOWN	H	3-2	Coyne 3(2 Pens)	3,879
SAT SEP 14	Peterborough Utd	A	0-3		2,946
TUE SEP 17	Crewe Alexandra	A	0-2		1,699
TUE SEP 24	Sunderland (Milk Cup 2)	A	3-2	Rouland, Coyne Pen	14,204
SAT SEP 21	PRESTON NORTH END	H	Postponed		
SAT SEP 28	Hartlepool Utd	A	0-1		2,727
TUE OCT 1	EXETER CITY	H	2-1	Gordon, Calderwood	3,118
SAT OCT 5	ROCHDALE	H	4-0	Coyne, Cole, Wade, Hockaday	3,086
TUE OCT 8	Sunderland (Milk Cup 2)	H	3-1	Rouland, Wade 2	9,111
SAT OCT 12	Burnley	A	2-0	Gordon, Coyne	2,927
SAT OCT 19	Chester City	A	1-0	Gordon	3,109
TUE OCT 22	STOCKPORT COUNTY	H	1-0	Coyne	7,172
SAT OCT 26	Port Vale	A	0-3		5,073
TUE OCT 29	SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY (Milk Cup 3)	H	1-0	Coyne	12,110
SAT NOV 2	TRANMERE ROVERS	H	2-1	Barnard, Wade	4,358
WED NOV 6	CAMBRIDGE Utd	A	1-0	Henry	5,489
SAT NOV 9	Scunthorpe Utd	H	2-0	Henry, Wade	1,902
SUN NOV 17	BRISTOL CITY (F.A. Cup 1)	H	0-0		10,468
WED NOV 20	Bristol City (F.A. Cup 1 Replay)	A	2-4	Ramsey, Barnard	8,979
SAT NOV 23	MANSFIELD TOWN	H	2-1	Coleman Pen, Wade	4,784
TUE NOV 26	Ipswich Town (Milk Cup 4)	A	1-6	Yallop O.G.	12,083
SAT NOV 30	Orient	A	0-1		3,120
SAT DEC 7	PRESTON NORTH END	H	4-1	Henry 3, Coleman Pen	3,945
SAT DEC 14	HALIFAX TOWN	H	3-2	Coleman 2 Pens, Henry	4,516
SUN DEC 22	HEREFORD Utd	H	1-0	Henry	7,364
THU DEC 26	Aldershot	A	Postponed		
SAT DEC 28	Torquay Utd	A	1-0	Gordon	1,702
WED JAN 1	COLCHESTER Utd	H	2-1	Cole, Wade	8,802
SAT JAN 4	Tranmere Rovers	A	1-3	Gordon	
SUN JAN 12	SOUTHEND Utd	H	2-1	Gordon Pen, Ramsey	7,619
SAT JAN 18	Wrexham	A	1-0	Gordon Pen	1,767
TUE JAN 21	Bristol Rovers (F.R.T.)	A	1-2	Barnard	2,357
SAT JAN 25	PLTERBOROUGH Utd	H	Postponed		
TUE JAN 28	HEREFORD Utd (F.R.T.)	H	Postponed		
SAT FEB 1	Northampton Town	A	1-0	Henry	4,449
MON FEB 3	Stockport County	A	2-0	Henry, Gordon	
THR FEB 6	HEREFORD Utd (F.R.T.)	H	Postponed		
SAT FEB 8	CHESTER CITY	H	Postponed		
SAT FEB 15	CREWE ALEXANDRA	H	Postponed		
SAT FEB 22	Preston North End	A	3-0	Ramsey, Henry, Coyne	3,361
SUN MAR 2	HARTLEPOOL Utd	H	Postponed		
WED MAR 5	Exeter City	A	3-0	Coyne, Gordon, Ramsey	2,291
SAT MAR 8	Rochdale	A	2-1	Gordon Pen, Henry	1,989
TUE MAR 11	HEREFORD Utd (F.R.T.)	H	1-1	Hockaday	3,692
SAT MAR 15	BURNLEY	H	3-1	Henry, Bamber, Gordon	7,212
SUN MAR 23	PORT VALE	H	0-0		10,112
TUE MAR 25	HARTLEPOOL Utd	H	3-1	Wade 2, Smith O.G.	6,126
FRI MAR 28	Colchester Utd	A			
MON MAR 31	ALDERSHOT	H			
SAT APR 5	Cambridge Utd	A			
TUE APR 8	CHESTER CITY	H			
SAT APR 12	SCUNTHORPE Utd	H			
TUE APR 15	PETERBOROUGH Utd	H			
SAT APR 19	Mansfield Town	A			
TUE APR 22	Aldershot	A			
SUN APR 27	ORIENT	H			
FRI MAY 2	Halifax Town	A			

TO BE ARRANGED

CREWE ALEXANDRA (H)



The Town Crier on the Touchline

WITH ROBERT STEPHENSON
THE TOWN'S MANAGING DIRECTOR



EDITOR: A few seasons ago, the Club held an open day for the supporters to view the Club facilities. Would it be possible to repeat that enjoyable day?

ROBERT: We have had an open photography day which was very successful and your suggestion regarding an open day will certainly receive consideration.

EDITOR: Rotherham United employ a De-Luxe double tier team coach for their away matches. Would it be possible for Swindon Town to do so and allow the top tier to be utilised by travelling supporters. Such a proposal could minimise the cost of travel to the Club. Would you envisage an exclusive club be founded with supporters booking for a complete season of away matches?

ROBERT: Clearly a novel idea, which we might consider but I would image that a number of practical problems concerned with this idea would emerge.

EDITOR: A spectator asked if it was not possible to have a turnstile solely for season ticket holders? Having paid for the whole season, he felt he should not have to queue in pouring rain with the fans who attend on a more casual basis. He felt that the purchase of a season ticket should be accorded more consideration. What are your comments?

ROBERT: Using the same turnstile for children and season ticket holders in the past, has been practical in view of the gates of less than 5,000. However, with increased gates of late and hopefully in the future, it may be feasible to possibly give season ticket holders a separate turnstile and this will be looked at.

EDITOR: With the area in front of the North Stand a seemingly under employed piece of ground. Would the Club consider and investigate the possibility of utilising the area with an all weather surface? This would obviously enable the playing staff to train whatever the weather conditions and with lighting accommodated on the wall of the North Stand, the cost could be reclaimed by allowing local amateur clubs to train on the surface during evening periods. In fact Bristol Rovers utilise their Hambrook Training facilities.

ROBERT: Because of capital cost such a surface would have to be funded by outside backing. Especially in view of the fact that the Football Grounds Football Trust are no longer allowing clubs a grant to assist in putting down such a surface. It is also expected that we will have to provide a number of fire exits into that area for the North Stand, to comply with the Ground Safety Act, which would limit the space available.

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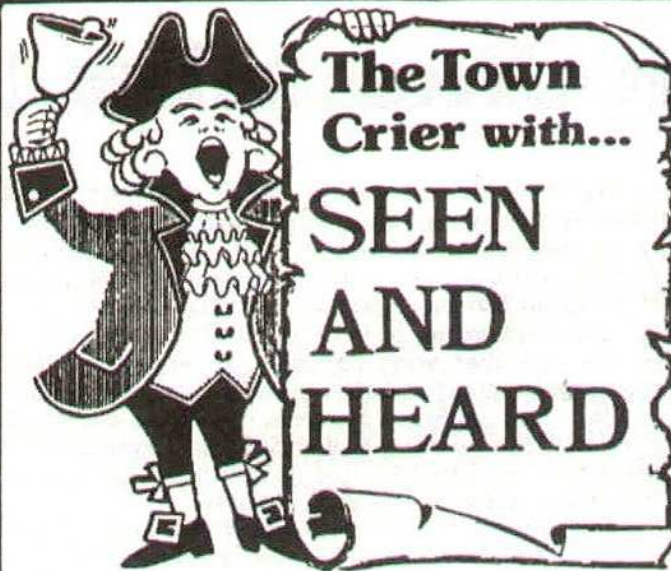
1. Which Swindon player was exchanged to bring Don Rogers back to Swindon from Q.P.R.?
2. Swindon's highest gate?
3. Where did Swindon get their Shrivenham Road stand from?
4. Which Arsenal player passed the ball back for Roger Smart to score Swindon's first goal in the 1969 League Cup Final?
5. Name five teams with the letter X in their name?
6. What colour strip did Swindon wear in the 1969 Cup Final?

7. Who was the Tottenham player who scored twice in the last three minutes of the F.A. Cup, 4th round replay in 1980 after coming on as substitute to beat Swindon 2 - 1?
8. Who was the ex Swindon manager's son who now plays centre forward for Tottenham?
9. In 1979 who scored Swindon's goal in the one all draw at Arsenal League Cup, 6th round?

Answers please to:

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The prize will be awarded on Saturday April 12th at the Scunthorpe United match.



ALL PRESENT . . . At our recent reserve match Southampton at the County Ground . . . The Dell Club Management team turned up in force . . . Former Manager Ted Bates was accompanied by present team boss, Chris Nicholl and also Assistant Manager Tony Barton . . . the former Aston Villa and Northampton Town Manager . . . Other interested onlookers were Ian Branfoot the Reading Manager and Millwall Chief Scout . . . Bob Pearson . . . The Southampton contingent were keeping a close eye on the comeback progress of Scotland International striker . . . Joe Jordan.

ALMOST! . . . The attendance of 3,692 for our Freight Rover match with Hereford United recently would have been the highest in the competition to-date . . . but on the same evening Bolton Wanderers were watched by a crowd of 3,856 in their tie with Tranmere Rovers at Burnden Park . . .

BEE WATCHING! . . . Lou was an interested spectator at the recent Brentford and Bolton Wanderers Third Division fixture at Griffin Park . . . Lou's interest was not so much the 'Bees' as Brentford are known . . . but more in a particular Bolton player that he has watched several times this season . . .

CONGRATULATIONS . . . What a superb job the local evening newspaper The Evening Advertiser . . . Did in producing colour photographs in their evening issue of March 17th . . . It was the first time they had produced colour action . . . It put Eddie Shah's 'Today' to shame . . . The photographs taken by photographer Dave Evans were top class . . . but that should not come as a surprise for Dave takes the snaps you see in your Town Crier . . . Both Dave and Clive King cover Town action and I am sure you will agree they do a first class job . . .

MEDALS . . . The Canon League award fifteen Championship Medals to whichever club wins the Fourth Division . . . No further comment . . .

DID HE? . . . By the time you read this you will have found out whether Brentford Manager Frank McLintock followed up his interest in our former

winger Howard Pritchard now with Bristol City . . . Frank has been making enquiries recently . . . He now has money to spend after selling Terry Hurlock to Reading for £90,000 earlier this year . . .

-1,584 . . . The recent Denmark and England Under-21 International in Copenhagen was watched by an official 1,600 . . . On good authority there were just twenty-six present . . . But the Denmark officials were so embarrassed they announced the grand total of 1,600 . . . All twenty-six were huddled behind one goal . . .!

TRAVELLING MAN . . . Remember the magnificent support that we received for our Milk Cup tie at Ipswich? . . . Well it looks as though that may be repeated when we visit Mansfield Town on Saturday April 19th . . . Advance bookings at travel companies are already indicating that Lou Macari's marvels will receive the backing that their efforts this season deserve . . . Will you be there? . . . Even if you have not been to an away match this season . . . Why not try and make on special effort . . . The Club will appreciate your support . . .

LEFT BEHIND . . . Jim Heggarty the Burnley defender was left stranded here at the County Ground following the Lancashire Club's recent visit . . . For the team coach departed without him . . . Luckily for Jim they returned fifteen minutes later once they had noticed he was missing . . . Lucky Jim! . . .



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The Town Crier talks to

The recent speculation regarding a proposed £2 million transfer deal between Italian clubs Bari and Torino, for the coveted signature of Paul Rideout, our former striker and more recently of Aston Villa. Promoted the Town Crier to talk to Paul, of life in the land of Lira and sunshine.

Although the current England Under-21 International has now been settled for a year in the southern town of Bari. What does Paul miss most about life in England? 'Naturally, my family and friends, wherever you are in the world, they are constantly in your thoughts.'

We often hear and see reports of the comparisons between English and continental soccer. A subject on which Paul had some interesting thoughts. 'Yes, I would say that Italian soccer is of a higher standard than I have experienced in England. This is mainly due to the fact that we do more training with the ball. This enables the players here to be better with their first touch, so ball control is much tighter and therefore I have found the Italian defenders close down on you more.' Paul added a reservation to his admiration of the skills he had encountered, by saying, 'I would have to say though, that the game is not as exciting as in England. For instance, there is a much slower build up and a lot of congestion develops around the penalty area'.

Italy now the home of some of the games greatest players, seems to be the haven of stars of all nationalities, ranging from Poland to Brazil and Argentina to West Germany. What impression have they made upon the former England Schoolboy scoring sensation?

'I cannot fail to improve playing against the likes of Diego Maradona to name but one. Michel Platini impresses me immensely, he really does stand out and in a country where there are so many outstanding players. You really do have to be something special to attract the type of attention that he does.' The names of the world stars that Paul now shares the same stage as, began to roll from his tongue like a version of soccer's who's who. 'Karl-Heinz Rummenigge is not only very skilful but strong as well. While Boniek of Poland is also a very good player.' Paul paused, almost as if he was reminiscing of days gone by. Reality was present and yes it was true, he was in their midst, he continued. 'You cannot help but learn so much from all of them, television also helps out here. The Italians really do know how to capitalise on football. Each Sunday evening you can watch the goals, while the stars are put under the microscope, so it enables me to develop my own game.' Paul was to later enlarge on his admiration of Italian screening of their favourite sport.

With several British players now part of the Latin scene, Trevor Francis and Graeme Souness with Sampdoria, Liam Brady at Inter Milan, Mark Hateley and Ray Wilkins with A.C. Milan, is there much contact between the British stars? Somewhat surprisingly Paul answered, 'Not really, only when we play against each other. Ray Wilkins has always gone out of his way to be very helpful but we are all very appreciative of one another.'

Appreciation seemed to be a common bond between players in Italy, as Paul further pointed out. 'Even opponents appreciate your skill and say so. Although the general impression outside of Italy, is that Italian football is not so sporting. I can definitely assure everyone, it is more so. The type of play makes you that way, patience is needed to break teams down and patience makes you more tolerant.'

Skill and patience but was there one aspect of play that the talented striker felt had developed his game to a level that he had not been able to achieve if he had stayed in the Canon League?

The reply was most definite. 'The quality of the Italian defensive system has made a marked improvement in my own standard of play.'

The obvious question was, if that was so, how could English football benefit from the Italian game. Amusingly Paul immediately referred to the favourite topic of all who inhabit the British Isles. 'No way really, except for the weather.' Paul quickly added, 'Italian football is not so exciting as English soccer but they have greater ability with the ball.' That remark brought Paul full circle, thoughts were of home and home to Paul is Swindon Town. 'Do you know, all players could benefit themselves and a manager like Lou Macari, he allows players to express themselves and to a player in modern football, that means so much.' Paul, who takes an avid interest in Town affairs from afar, was pleased with Swindon's progress this season. 'It must be great for the supporters, I feel pleased for them.'

The reference to supporters caused Paul to mention the fanaticism of the Italians. 'They really do support their clubs but they are so very excitable and you can imagine the difference I noticed after being used to the reserved English fans.'

British football is of an insular nature and we view in the majority of situations other standards as foreign to our own expectancy. Would Italian refereeing be of lower standard? Bari's leading goalscorer held no such view. 'They are about the same as in England, there are good and bad, like most things in life.'

With matchdays in Italy on a Sunday, there is obviously a different daily schedule to what Paul was accustomed to during his Swindon Town and Aston Villa playing days. But how much variation? I asked Paul to give me a typical seven day preparation in the life of the Italian soccer player.

'We have Monday off, after playing the previous day. On Tuesday afternoons we report for stretching and various exercises. We train all day on Wednesday, practising running with and without the ball. Then again on Thursday we report for all day training which involves shooting and five-a-side, in the afternoon we also specialise in developing skills.' Two full days of training was different to anything Paul had encountered in England, except when he was an apprentice here at the County Ground.

Paul continued. 'On Friday mornings we practice passing and five-a-side. Saturday mornings we have a light warm up and that evening we have to report for an overnight stay, at a hotel whether we are playing at home or away.'

Bari Star-Paul Rideout

With the Italian language one of the more difficult to master, how does Paul cope with communication with his manager or even his own teammates? There was no problem there. 'We have an interpreter Johnny Palladini.' 'We' refers to Paul's former Aston Villa team-mate Gordon Cowans, who has happily recovered from his broken leg and since been recalled to the full England International squad. 'I can speak the basic phrases and obviously in football language can soon understand left and right which is important for tactics.' added Paul.

With the sun almost continually beating down, how did the constant heat affect a player who had spent most of his life previously shivering? 'We

sometimes play in a temperature of 90°, this obviously accounts for the slow build up in play here, the ball is constantly played among the defenders and for someone like me to have to play a lone role up front, it can become very exasperating. As you can see, it is totally different to the English First Division,' stated the frustrated striker.

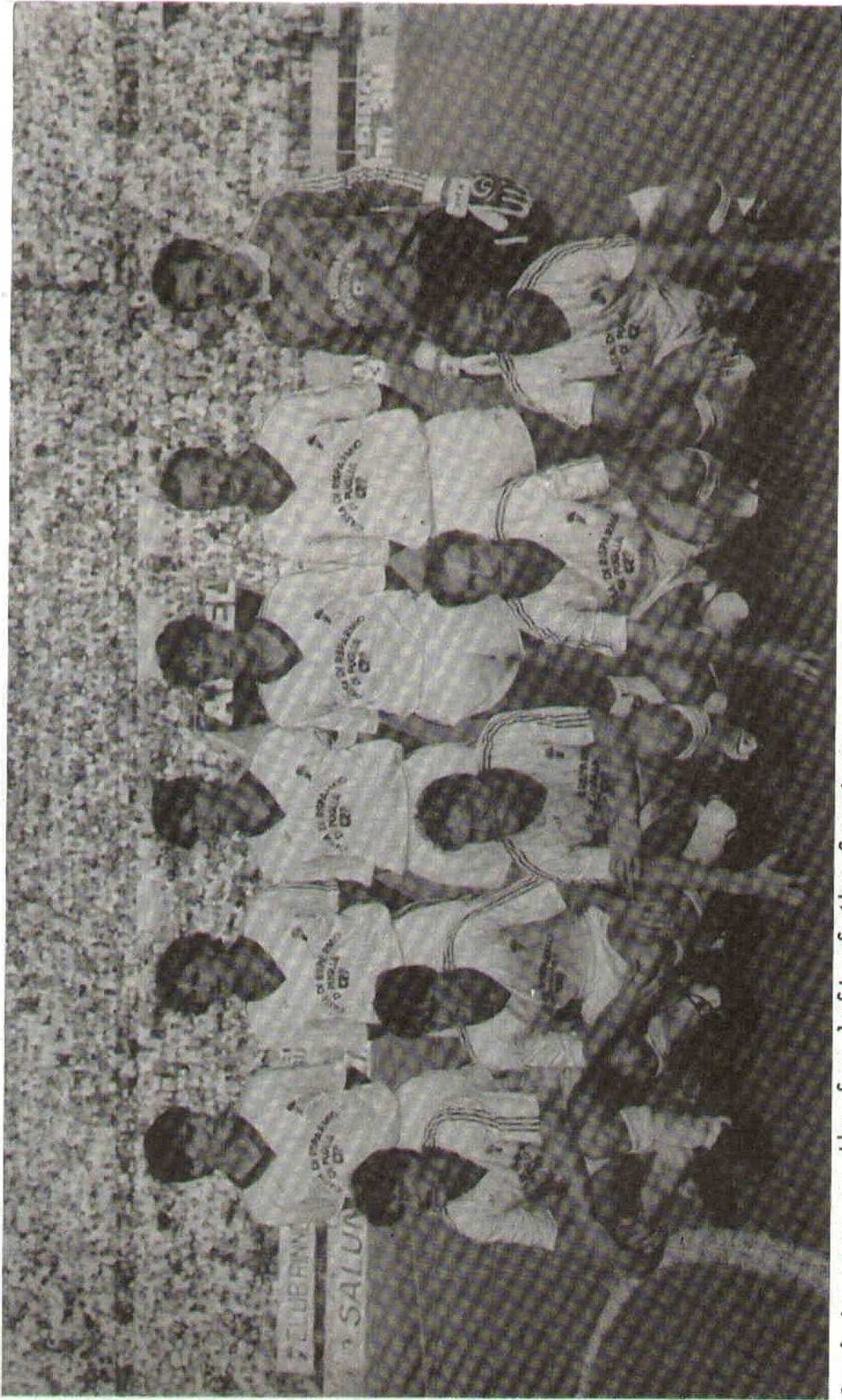
The excursions whether to England or to another continental country in an England shirt must be welcome relief to the bevy of British exiles currently parading their skill before the Neopolitans.

(To be continued)



The photograph above gives an aerial view of the impressive Bari stadium where Paul is currently portraying his talent.

Bari Team Photograph



Paul is seen on the far left of the front row

THE FOURTH DIVISION CLUBS LEADING GOALSCORERS

Below are the four leading goalscorers for each of the Division Four Clubs. Goals scored do not include last Saturday or Sundays results. Steve Taylor of Rochdale or Ian Benjamin look as though they will finish the season in leading position. Goals scored are inclusive of all competitions.

Aldershot	Johnson	12	Martin		Paul		Andy	
	Johnson	12	Foyle	11	Staff	6	Massey	3
Burnley	Alan		Kevin		Les		Derek	
	Taylor	20	Hird	8	Lawrence	6	Parker	5
Cambridge United	David		Steve		Steve		Steve	
	Crown	17	Massey	13	Spriggs	4	Pyle	4
Chester City	Stuart				Ian		Peter	
	Rimmer	21	Bennett	11	Rchardson	9	Houghton	10
Colchester United	Tony		Perry		Noel		Keith	
	Adcock	16	Groves	12	Parkinson	8	Bowen	8
Crewe Alexandra	Dave		Gary		David		Geoff	
	Waller	15	Blissett	10	Platt	10	Thomas	5
Exeter City	Darren		Tony		Steve		Alan	
	Gale	7	Kellow	7	Harrower	5	Crawford	4
Halifax Town	Billy		David		Barry		Simon	
	Kellock	14	Longhurst	9	Gallagher	5	Lowe	4
Hartlepool United	Alan		Brian		John		Roy	
	Shoulder	16	Honour	8	Borthwick	7	Hogan	5
Hereford United	Ollie		Ian		Mike		Stewart	
	Kearns	11	Wells	11	Carter	8	Phillips	7
Mansfield Town	Neville		Keith		Neil		Mark	
	Chamberlain	16	Cassells	8	Whatmore	8	Kearney	7
Northampton Town	Ian		Richard		Trevor		Phil	
	Benjamin	23	Hill	13	Morley	12	Chard	7
Orient	Paul		Ian		Shaun		John	
	Shinners	20	Juryeff	12	Brooks	11	Cornwell	9
Peterborough United	Jackie		Greg		Gary		Errington	
	Gallagher	11	Shepherd	7	Worrall	6	Kelly	4
Port Vale	Robbie		Andy		Paul		Geoff	
	Earle	13	Jones	12	Maguire	11	Hunter	6
Preston N.E.	Gary		John		Nigel		Wayne	
	Brazil	13	Thomas	10	Greenwood	9	Foster	3
Rochdale	Steve		Ronnie		Frank		John	
	Taylor	24	Moore	9	Gamble	4	Seasman	2
Scunthorpe United	John		Julian		Steve		Tommy	
	Hawley	10	Broddle	8	Cammack	7	Graham	5
Southend United	Richard		Danny		Glenn		Roy	
	Cadette	16	O'Shea	7	Pennyfather	5	McDonough	4
Stockport County	Mark		Tommy		Nigel			
	Leonard	21	Skord	9	Smith	6	Hodkinson	5
Swindon Town	Charlie		Peter		Colin		Bryan	
	Henry	13	Coyne	12	Gordon	11	Wade	7
Torquay United	Mark		Steve		Steve		Steve	
	Walsh	8	Phillips	6	Phillips	4	Pugh	4
Tranmere Rovers	Frank		Ian		Doug		John	
	Worthington	16	Muir	13	Anderson	11	Morrisey	6
Wrexham	Steve		Jim		David		Andy	
	Charles	20	Steel	11	Gregory	7	Edwards	5



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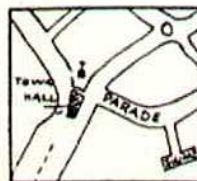
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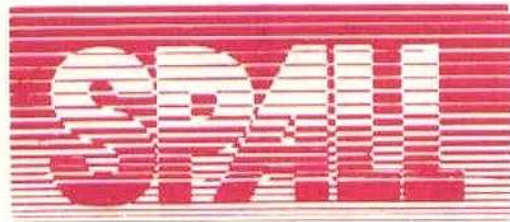
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Autographed team photographs will be sent to the first two entries sent in with the correct answers to the nine questions and the name of the personality.

1. Known as the hatters
2. Known as the Lions
3. They used to be Headington
4. They control European Football
5. A "clean" Dutch team
6. They managed to draw with Scotland in Argentina

7. Surname of a former schoolboy international who now plays for Swindon
8. Birthplace of Charlie Henry
9. Fourth Division team who played in the first League Cup Final

Today's programme is the first in which I have had a chance to congratulate all those Junior Robins who took part in the Mad March Hare Junior Fun Run at Wootton Bassett. Those of you who have never run before must have felt a great sense of achievement as Lou Macari hung your medals round your neck. If those runners from the Junior Robins bring their medals along to our next meeting on the 14th April they will be getting a pleasant surprise.

SWINDON TOWN APPEARANCES AND GOALSCORERS

	League	M.C.	F.A.C.	F.R.T.		League	M.C.	F.A.C.	F.R.T.
Kenny Allen	28	—	2	2	Colin Gordon	32	6	1	1
Dave Bamber	12	1	—	—	Derek Hall	7	2	1 +s	
Leigh Barnard	26	4	2	2	Charlie Henry	25+s	3	2	2
Colin Calderwood	34	6	2	2	Dave Hockaday	26+2s	4	2	2
David Cole	32	5	2	2	Richard Key	—	2	—	—
Nicky Coleman	13	4	—	—	Chris Kamara	7+s	—	1+s	1+s
Peter Coyne	23	5	2	2	Lou Macari	7+2s	3	—	—
Scott Endersby	2	2	—	—	David Moss	4	1	—	—
Tony Evans	8+2s	2+2s	—	0+s	Chris Ramsey	33	6	2	2
Jake Findlay	4	2	—	—	Paul Roberts	18+2s	1	1	2
Mark Gardiner	0+s	—	0+s		Bryan Wade	21+3s	3	2	2

LEAGUE GOALSCORERS (52): Charlie Henry 13, Colin Gordon 11 (inc 2 pens.), Peter Coyne 9 (inc. 2 pens.), Bryan Wade 5, Nicky Coleman 4 (all pens), Chris Ramsey 3, Colin Calderwood and David Cole 2 each, Dave Bamber, Leigh Barnard and Dave Hockaday one each.

MILK CUP (11): Peter Coyne 3 (inc pen.), Andy Rowland and Bryan Wade 2 each, Dave Hockaday and David Moss one each, own goals - 2.

F.A. CUP (2)): Leigh Barnard and Chris Ramsey one each.

FREIGHT ROVER TROPHY (2): Leigh Barnard and Dave Hockaday one each.

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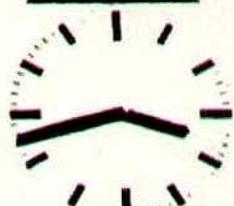
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- C - Hartlepool United v Scunthorpe United
- D - Hereford United v Orient
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- F - Ipswich Town v Coventry City
- G - Liverpool v Manchester City
- H - Manchester United v Everton
- I - Nottingham Forest v Birmingham City
- J - Queens Park Rangers v Chelsea
- K - West Ham United v Tottenham Hotspur
- L - Brighton v Portsmouth
- M - Charlton Athletic v Norwich City
- N - Sheffield United v Sunderland
- O - Plymouth Argyle v Bristol City
- P - Reading v Bournemouth
- R - Swansea City v Cardiff City
- S - Walsall v Derby County
- T - Arsenal v Watford

TODAYS TEAMS

Swindon Town

Aldershot

	KENNY ALLEN	1	DAVID COLES	
	CHRIS RAMSEY	2	BARRY BLAKLEY	
	DAVE HOCKADAY	3	IAN GILLARD	
	LEIGH BARNARD	4	ANDY MASSEY	
	DAVID COLE	5	GIORGIO MAZZON	
	COLIN CALDERWOOD	6	PHIL COLEMAN	
	DAVE BAMBER	7	BOBBY BARNES	
	CHARLIE HENRY	8	GARY JOHNSON	
	COLIN GORDON	9	PAUL SHRUBB	
	PETER COYNE	10	COLIN FIELDER	
	CHRIS KAMARA	11	IAN McDONALD	
	BRYAN WADE	12	PAUL STAFF	
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