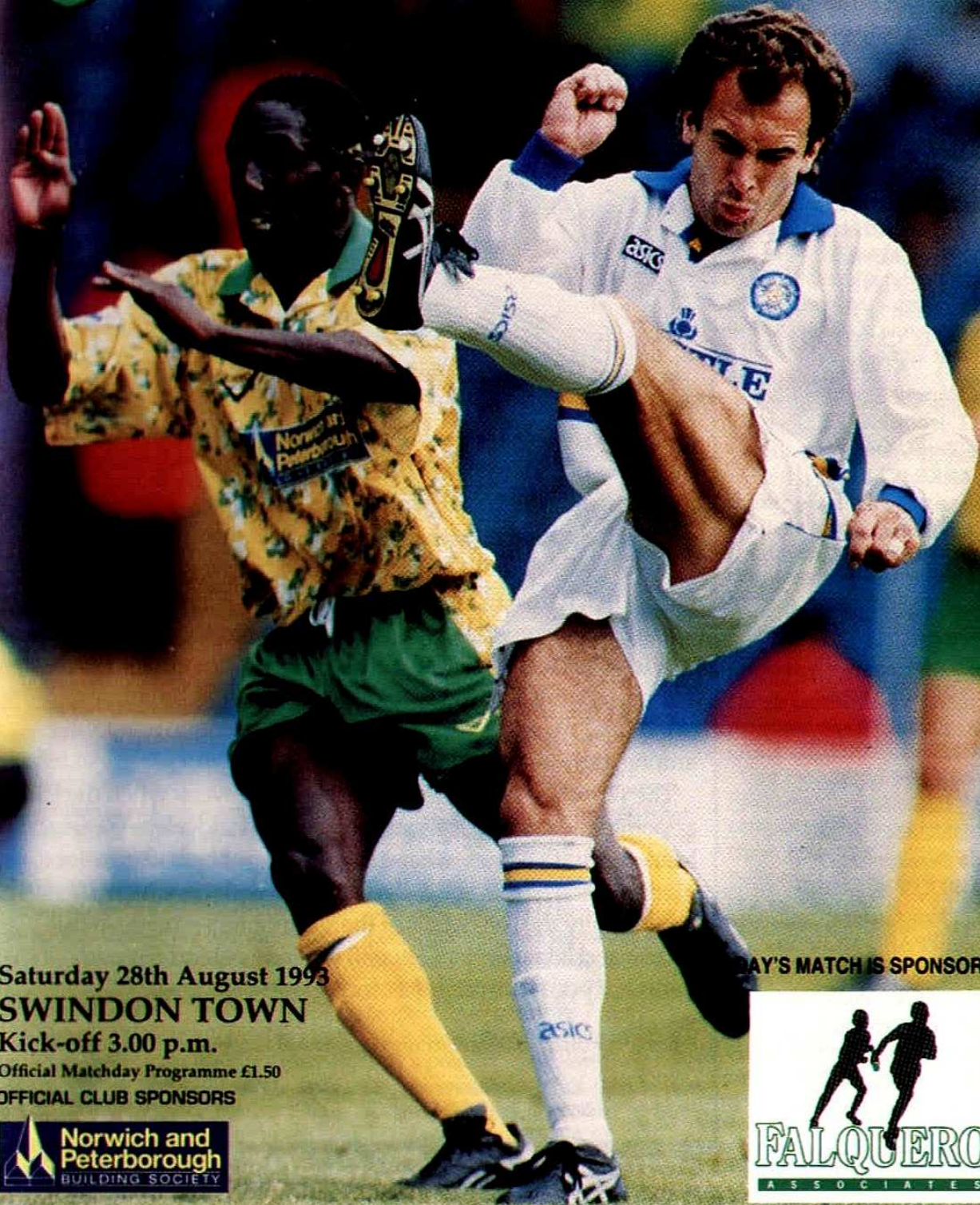


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TOPIC

THE MANAGERIAL MERRY-GO-ROUND

With the new football season less than a fortnight old we have experienced the first managerial casualty. Manchester City sacked Player/Manager Peter Reid on Thursday morning after just four Premiership matches.

The Blues of Manchester have made an inauspicious start to their campaign, collecting just one point from four games, but if that is the length of time Managers have to get everything right then there will be a lot of Managerial changes in the weeks ahead.

A quick glance at the bottom three of the Premier League after four games last season showed Wimbledon, Tottenham and Southampton propping up the table. No panic measures there as Joe Kinnear, Doug Livermore and Ian Branfoot eventually led their respective Clubs to the relative safety of twelfth, eighth and eighteenth positions at the season's end.

Any number of factors can influence a team's form, especially in the early weeks of a season. Away defeats at Tottenham and Everton, both of whom have made impressive starts to the campaign cannot have been the catalyst for Reid's sacking, neither can a home draw with Leeds. Therefore if results were the reason for such a drastic course of action, this week's home defeat by Blackburn must be examined closely. The absence through injury of Niall Quinn and Mike Sheron at various times did not help Reid's cause.

It is probable that there were many other, as yet hidden, factors in Chairman Peter Swales' decision. It is no secret that during the summer months Reid was frustrated in his attempts to add to his squad at Maine Road. He lost out in bids for Geoff Thomas, Andy Townsend and Paul Stewart as he strove to bring quality players to the Club he was trying to re-establish amongst the giants of English football.

The writing was on the wall for Reid last week when the Club appointed former sports journalist John Maddock as General Manager, with a brief to liaise over team policy and transfer matters, thus blocking Reid's direct link with his Chairman.

Hopefully the full details of the sacking will emerge in due course and Manchester City will not hide behind the odd excuse of poor form after just four games.

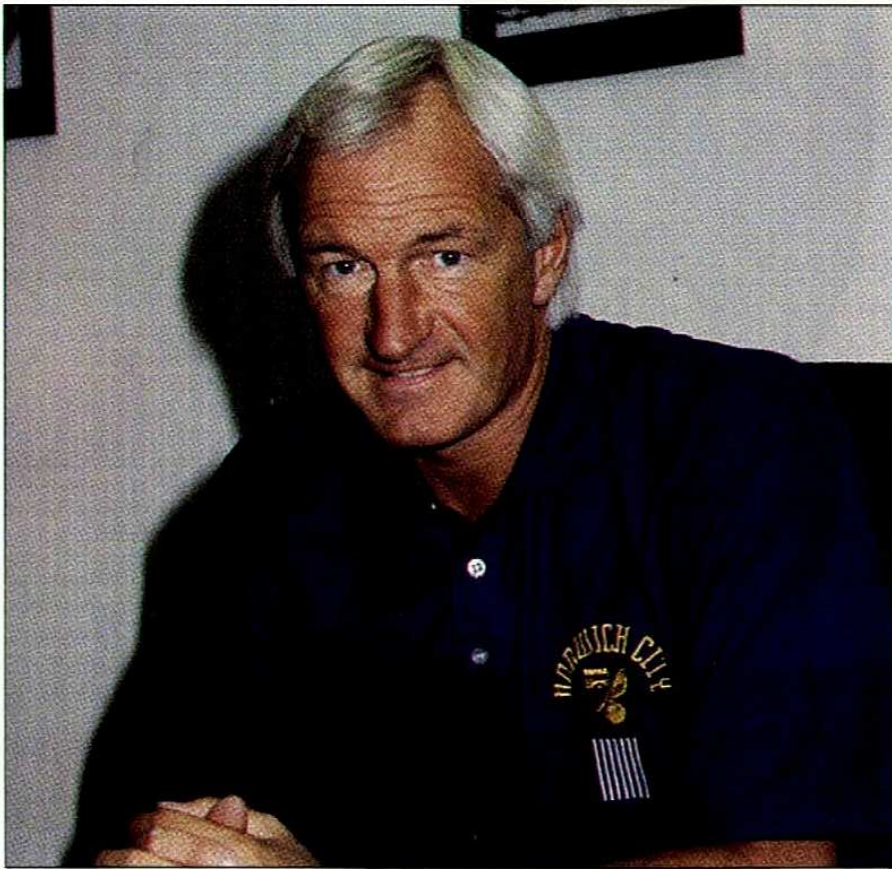
Front cover picture : 'Ruel Fox nips in ahead of Leeds United's Tony Dorigo.'

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NORWICH CITY FOOTBALL CLUB

TEAM TALK . . . MIKE WALKER



MIKE WALKER

Having achieved two excellent away victories at Blackburn and Leeds it was imperative that we followed them up with a home win over Ipswich. We knew it was going to be difficult as they had started the season so well and I was more than satisfied with our 1-0 win in a tight match.

It was pleasing to see Jerry Goss continue his 'scoring streak' and with a bit of luck we could have scored two or three more. Their keeper made a couple of good saves from Ian Crook and Ruel Fox, whilst Mark Robins struck the underside of the bar. He seems to do everything but score at the moment. Jerry's goal was not quite as spectacular as the one at Leeds but he started and finished a sweet move which certainly gave me just as much pleasure.

Keeping a second successive clean sheet was also important, as once again we had plenty of defending to do on a very quick pitch which

favoured the forwards. The win was even more satisfying for me as I felt that Ipswich played better on Wednesday than they did last season when they beat us 2-0. Therefore we had to work even harder for the points, which despite the euphoria which surrounded the win, only amounted to three, the same for any victory.

Today we face Premier League newboys Swindon Town who must be congratulated on their promotion last season. However they are already finding out what the differences are in the top flight. I am sure that their results and the goals they have conceded do not tell the whole story behind their performances, and knowing John Gorman as I do, I am certain he is doing his utmost to put things right as quickly as possible.

It is important from Norwich City's point of view that Swindon's improvement does not start here at Carrow Road today. It would be

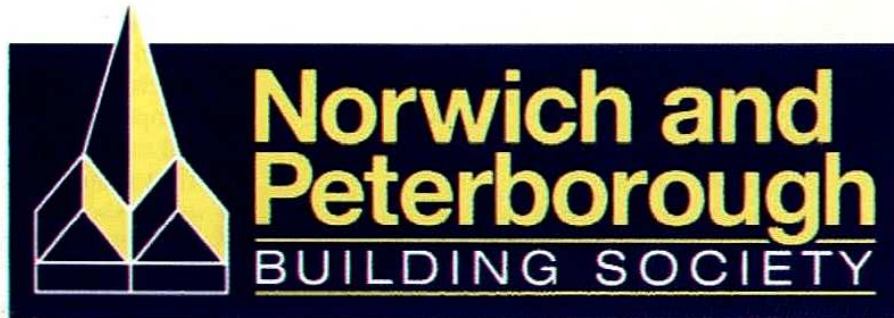
very easy for us to allow some complacency to creep in following our last three results. However, we are all well aware of the task in hand and we must approach this game with exactly the same attitude as we did for the four big matches we have already completed. If we aspire to repeat our achievements of last season we know that there is no room for error and that we must instill consistency into our performances.

Reluctant as I am to think too much about Europe at this early stage of the season when we are in the middle of some very important league matches, it cannot be forgotten. Representatives of Vitesse Arnhem were at the Ipswich game on Wednesday, when I trust they did not learn too much. I shall be returning the compliment tomorrow when I fly out to watch Arnhem play Ajax. That should be a real test for them and it should give us a good indication of their strengths and weaknesses.

I will also take the opportunity to view the ground, our hotel and the training facilities we shall be using. I don't expect to learn everything from watching them once and with this in mind I had a long chat with former England Manager Bobby Robson recently. Bobby spent two seasons in charge of PSV Eindhoven and his knowledge of Dutch football is excellent, he gave me some useful pointers and I was grateful to him for that.

Our match sponsors today are Falquero Associates, a local company who have established close links with Norwich City. I hope their guests and representatives have an enjoyable afternoon with us at Carrow Road.

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Seats priced at £12 are now available from the Box Office. There is no standing accommodation for visiting fans at Hillsborough. You are advised to purchase your match ticket in advance.

Club Canary coach tickets are on sale from the Box Office priced at £10. The coaches will depart from Carrow Road at 2.45 pm and arrive back at approximately 1.00 am.

Programmes are priced £1.20.

SATURDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER NORWICH CITY v WIMBLEDON KICK OFF 3.00 pm

Seats for all areas of the ground are now on sale. You are advised to purchase tickets in advance, wherever you are planning to sit. Cash admission on the day of the game is likely to be limited.

Any Juvenile or Senior Citizen wishing to attend this match MUST obtain a ticket from the Box Office as there will be no reduced price cash admission at the turnstiles.

Category 'C' prices apply (see below).

WEDNESDAY 15TH SEPTEMBER UEFA CUP 1st ROUND 1st LEG NORWICH CITY v SBV VITESSE ARNHEM KICK OFF 7.45 pm

This match is ALL TICKET. You are advised to obtain your seats as soon as possible to avoid any disappointment. There will be no cash admission on the night of the game.

Tickets are now on sale to all home supporters although Non Members can only purchase tickets for the Barclay Stand Lower Tier.

Category 'A' prices apply (see below).

SATURDAY 18th SEPTEMBER QUEENS PARK RANGERS v NORWICH CITY KICK OFF 3.00 pm

For the first time there is no standing room at Loftus Road for visiting fans. Seats priced at £11 for the lower tier and £13 for the upper tier will go on sale at the Box Office on Thursday 2nd September. You are advised to purchase your ticket in advance.

Club Canary coach tickets priced at £9 will go on sale at the Box Office as from Thursday 2nd September. The coaches will depart from Carrow Road at 10.30 am and return at approximately 8.15 pm.

Programmes are priced £1.50.

SATURDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER EVERTON v NORWICH CITY KICK OFF 3.00 pm

There is no standing accommodation available to visiting fans at Goodison Park. Seats priced at £10 will go on sale at the Box Office as from Thursday September 2nd. You are advised to purchase your ticket in advance.

Club Canary coach tickets priced at £15 will go on sale as from Thursday 2nd September at the Box Office. The coaches will depart from Carrow Road at 8.00 am and return at approximately 10.30 pm.

Programmes are priced £1.40.

TUESDAY 28TH or WEDNESDAY 29TH SEPTEMBER UEFA CUP FIRST ROUND SECOND LEG SBV VITESSE ARNHEM v NORWICH CITY

Full ticket details for this match appear on Page 10 of today's programme.

SATURDAY 2ND OCTOBER NORWICH CITY v COVENTRY CITY KICK OFF 3.00 pm

Tickets for this match go on sale as from Monday September 6th. You are advised to purchase a ticket in advance, wherever you are planning to sit.

Any Juvenile or Senior Citizen wishing to obtain a reduced price seat MUST obtain their ticket in advance as there will be no reduced price cash admission at the turnstiles.

Category 'C' prices apply (see below).

COCA-COLA CUP 2nd ROUND

Full ticket details for both legs of our game against BRADFORD CITY appear on page 10 of today's match programme

MATCH INFORMATION LINE

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MAN OF THE MATCH



JEREMY GOSS

Jeremy Goss's match winning display against Ipswich Town deservedly earned the popular Canary midfielder the second NORWICH CABLEVISION 'Man of the Match' award of the season.

As Jeremy clutched his bottle of bubbly after game he admitted that after scoring the only goal he was so excited he wanted to jump into the crowd – he would certainly have received a warm welcome!

His goal typified the kind of all-action, whole-hearted display that has always been his trademark. He began the move in midfield, and then continued his run into the penalty area to shoot past Clive Baker when the ball was returned to him by Mark Robins.

Jeremy does not score too many goals – he only hit two in the whole of last season, including just one in the Premier League.

However his strike against Town was his second goal in consecutive games following his 'Goal of the Season' contender against Leeds last

Saturday.

Perhaps he didn't strike the ball quite so cleanly against Town, but it was enough to give us our first league derby win for over a decade, and that's the main thing.

His goal apart, Jeremy's all round contribution stood out among many other fine Canary performances in the kind of gritty, hard working display that is often more important than pure skill in the white hot atmosphere of a local derby.

Elsewhere in the Canary line up 'keeper Bryan Gunn made three good saves, but for the most part he was again given fine protection by City's new look defence as they kept a second consecutive clean sheet.

Let's hope it becomes three in a row today as that didn't happen last season, although it's looking more likely this time round!

One City player who should not allow himself to get depressed about

the ill-fortune he has suffered in front of goal so far this season is striker Mark Robins.

'Robbo' has yet to get off the mark this season – but that is an unfair reflection of the high quality of his displays. In the last three games, he has hit the woodwork twice, had two efforts disallowed for offside, and found that every opposing 'keeper moves into a higher gear when he shapes to shoot.

But the important thing is that even though Mark has not been scoring himself he has been setting up chances for his team-mates. He had a hand in three of the goals at Leeds, and provided the final ball for the NORWICH CABLEVISION 'Man of the Match's' winner against Town.

One thing is for certain – it is only a matter of time before Robbo hits the goal trail again.

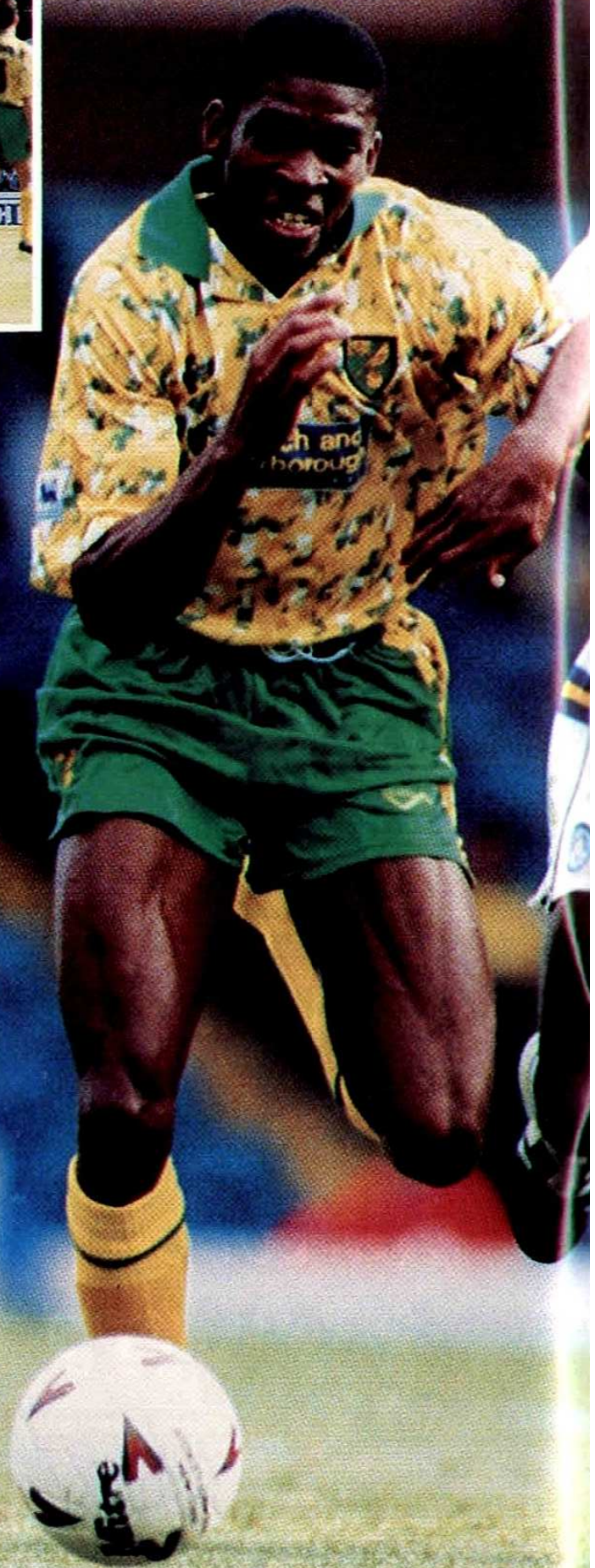
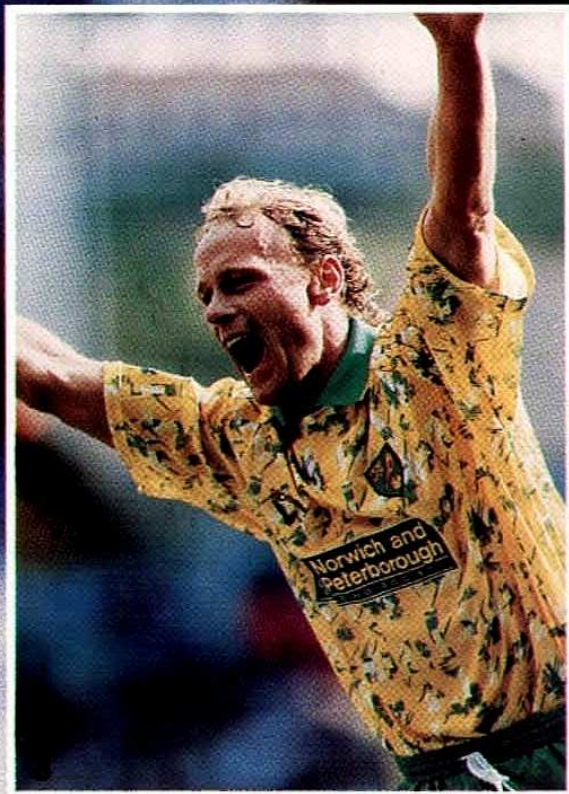
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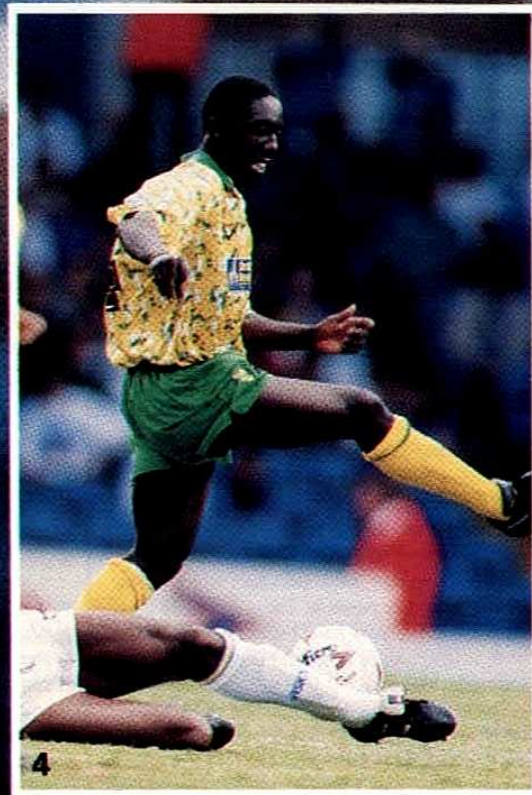
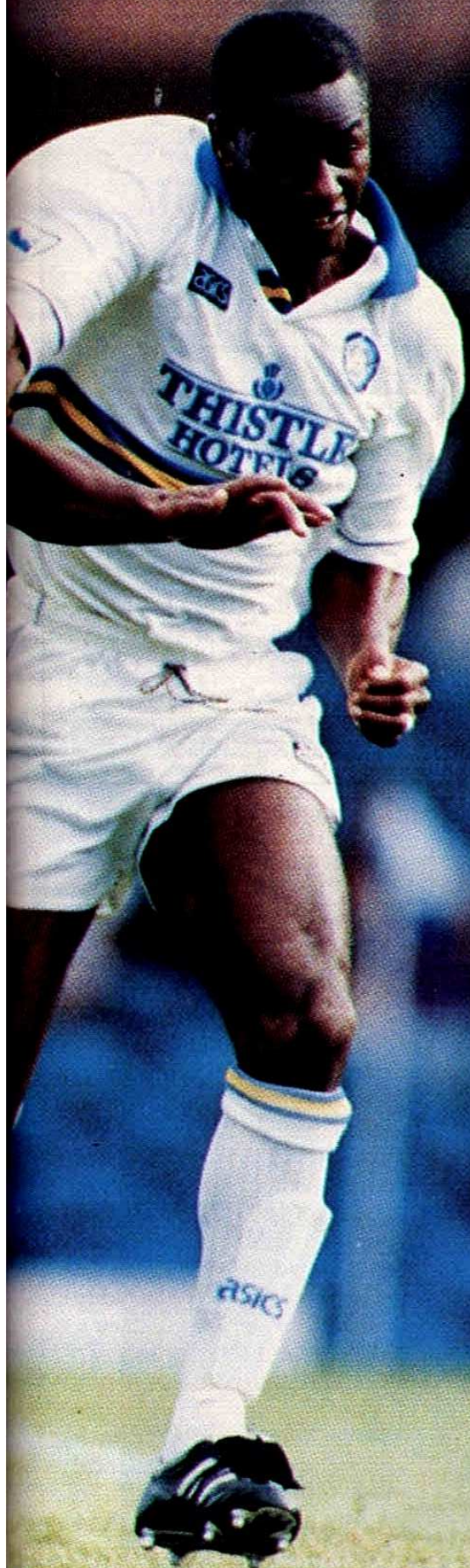


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Picture action from our thrilling 4-0 win at Leeds last Saturday. Efan Ekoku grapples with Chris Fairclough (pic 1). Ruel Fox puts us 1-0 ahead (pic 2). Jeremy Goss celebrates his 'wonder goal' (pic 3). Ruel Fox steps over a challenge (pic 4). Ian Butterworth is one step ahead of Brian Deane (pic 5).

pictures Sportsview

UEFA CUP TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS

We still have yet to receive confirmation from SBV Vitesse Arnhem as to the date of our UEFA Cup First Round Second Leg tie in Holland. It could be either Tuesday 28th or Wednesday 29th September, with the kick-off time also yet to be advised.

Norwich City Football Club have followed the advice of the Football Association in preparing travel arrangements for our supporters to Holland. English football is still under very close scrutiny from both UEFA and FIFA and the F.A. have recommended we only sell match tickets to those Norwich City Season Ticket Holders and Members who also buy an organised travel package from the Club.

We accept that many Norwich City Supporters would like to travel independently and we sympathise with them. However we have put together travel packages which are as keenly priced as possible. The coach costs would undoubtedly have been cheaper had we been able to use, or had there been an evening sailing to, Harwich.

The two travel options (detailed right) have been put together after lengthy meetings with the Football Association, the Travel companies involved and the Dutch authorities. The coaches will be properly stewarded, with toilets, videos and coffee making facilities, and the price includes personal insurance cover.

As Norwich City enter European competition for the first time in our history we are striving hard to ensure that everything runs smoothly for the team and supporters alike.

We invite you to join us on what promises to be an exciting period in the Club's history.

See you there!

UEFA CUP v SBV VITESSE ARNHEM

Tuesday 28th or Wednesday 29th September 1993

Two Day Coach Tour Inclusive Cost - £69 Per Person

DAY ONE
04.15hrs to 06.15hrs You will depart from Carrow Road for the ferry, depending on your coach number.
13.15hrs to 15.15hrs Restaurant stop at Tamse (Belgium) for 1 hour
16.30hrs to 18.30hrs Arrive at Stadium.
20.00hrs approx SBV Vitesse Arnhem v Norwich City
23.00hrs to Midnight Depart Arnhem. A refreshment stop will be made en route

DAY TWO
04.00hrs to 05.30 hrs Ferry departures from Calais. Please note that at Calais, coaches are parked in a secure area until loaded, and you are asked to wait in your usual patient manner, until your coach is called.
09.30hrs to 11.00hrs Arrive Carrow Road.

WHAT THE COST INCLUDES

- *Return Journey Norwich to Arnhem, in Luxury coach, with toilet, video and tea/coffee facilities.
- *All ferry and toll charges.
- *Personal insurance cover.

NOT INCLUDED

- *Match tickets. Standing cost £4.00, Seating cost £12.50 (Limited availability)

PLEASE NOTE THAT IT WILL NOT BE POSSIBLE TO CHANGE YOUR SEAT ONCE THE BOOKING HAS BEEN ACCEPTED!!

If you wish to sit with friends, please ensure that you all book at the same time, indicating all names on the application form.

One Day Air Tour Inclusive Cost - £199 Per Person

DAY ONE
13.00hrs to 14.00hrs Check in at the special Norwich City Desks at Norwich Airport. (Timings subject to the aircraft on which you have been allocated seats).
14.00hrs to 15.00hrs Depart Norwich
15.00hrs to 16.00hrs Arrive Schiphol Airport, Amsterdam
After completing the customs formalities you will be directed to your luxury coach for the journey to Arnhem. Subject to any traffic problems the journey will take approximately 1½ hours.
20.00hrs approx Kick off - SBV Vitesse Arnhem v Norwich City
At the end of the game please return, as directed, to the same coach for the return to Amsterdam. When embarking on the aircraft, please use the same seat as on the outward journey.

DAY TWO
00.15hrs to 01.15 hrs Depart Amsterdam
01.15hrs to 02.15hrs Arrive Norwich Airport.

WHAT THE COST INCLUDES

- *Return flight on special Norwich City charter flight between Norwich and Amsterdam. *In flight light snacks *All airport taxes *Return transfers between Amsterdam Airport and Arnhem
- *Personal insurance

NOT INCLUDED

- *Match tickets. Standing cost £4.00, Seating cost £12.50 (Limited availability)

If you wish to travel with friends, it is recommended that you all book at the same time.

This tour is operated for Norwich City Football Club by Travel Management (Group) Limited (ABTA C9777), in association with Flight Consolidators (CAA ATOL Number 2755)

Final details will be published in our matchday programme on September 15th

NEWS DESK

CASH ADMISSION POLICY

Following concern expressed to us by a number of supporters, we have implemented a new cash admission policy for the ground.

As from today's match, cash admission at the turnstiles will only be at adult prices. Senior Citizens and juveniles seeking reduced price admission, will need to obtain their tickets from either of the Club's Box Offices before entering the ground unless they wish to pay the adult rate.

This policy has been introduced to avoid family groups being split up as they enter the ground as the queues

invariably move at different speeds and on occasions when the ground has reached capacity, some group members have gained entry whilst others have not.

We hope you support us with this new policy which is designed to ensure all our fans enter the ground safely and together in their own time

Our River End and City Stand Box Offices are open throughout the week and on match days to enable you to purchase your ticket in advance.

Thank you.

COCA COLA CUP

Norwich City have been drawn against Bradford City in the second round of the Coca-Cola League Cup. The first leg

will be played at Valley Parade on Wednesday 22nd September, kick off 7.30pm with the return being at Carrow Road on Wednesday October 6th, kick off 7.45pm.

Seats priced at £9.50 will be available for the away leg from the Box Office late next week. As usual Club Canary will be running coaches to the game. Seats priced £13 will go on sale at the Box Office on Thursday 2nd September. The coaches will depart at 1.45pm and return at approximately 1.45am.

Ticket details for the home leg will be announced in the local press and on our match information line 0891 12 15 14 as soon as they are available.

CAPTAIN'S LOG . . IAN BUTTERWORTH



IAN BUTTERWORTH

Turning the tables on Ipswich Town in midweek brought a lot of satisfaction to everyone at the Club. In contrast to last season, we made it very difficult for them to break us down and they probably only had a couple of clear-cut chances throughout the 90 minutes.

To be honest, while it's always nice to produce good football and win in style, I felt this was one match where victory was more important than the way we played.

Local derbies are never the best of games for the purists and, having been beaten by the "old enemy" twice last season, we felt we owed it to the fans to give them the result for which they have waited so long.

As usual against Town, it was a tight, tense

affair with tackles flying in but – considering the extremely wet and slippery conditions – it was hard but fair and I was pleased there were no bookings on either side.

Ipswich are still a good side; they knocked the ball around well and they will beat plenty of good teams this season, but we got men behind the ball, defended well and kept our second successive clean sheet – something we did not do too often last season.

Everyone deserves praise for that, because it is a team effort when you attack and it is a team effort when you defend. The system we are using probably allows us to get more men behind the ball and, although we may concede a little more possession to the opposition – especially in the full back areas – teams are finding it very difficult to get through us.

We have scored eight goals in the last three games and now have nine points out of twelve following a start which I feel has been even tougher than last season's opening four-match sequence.

Most supporters would probably have settled for five or six points from those games, so the self-belief amongst the players at the moment is obvious.

What we need to be careful of this afternoon is not to step across the thin dividing line between confidence and complacency.

Today we are expected to win – and that could be a danger in itself because it is such a change from the other games. We probably were not expected to get results against Manchester United, Blackburn or Leeds – and

some people might not have expected us to against Ipswich either – but the match against Swindon is a very different matter.

They are struggling at the bottom of the table and have conceded ten goals in the last two games, while we are third in the table. If we go out with the attitude that we only have to turn up to beat Swindon we could be in trouble.

I do not think though there is any real danger of that happening, however. We will be approaching this game in the same way as we would be preparing for a game against the Champions, because on the day every side in the Premiership is capable of beating any other.

Swindon will, no doubt, attempt to tighten up and it could be that we will find them hard to break down.

Having said that, we are full of confidence at the moment and we will be looking for a positive attitude to give the Premiership newcomers a thoroughly testing time.

It was good to see Jeremy Goss doubling his league goals tally for last season within the first four matches of this campaign. We have to look for more goals from midfield and defence to take a little pressure off the strikers – and we will be looking for more of the same this afternoon.



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MIDLAND BANK

Norwich City proved to be 'home bankers' when they faced Ipswich at Carrow Road on Wednesday evening, as the game, sponsored by Midland Bank saw the Canaries take the spoils 1-0. Norwich City Chairman Robert Chase is pictured above making a presentation to Alan Gelder, Area Manager of Midland Bank (Centre). Also in the picture is Ipswich Town Chairman John Kerr. We hope our sponsors enjoyed their evening with us here at Carrow Road.

FLYING FOX

Fleet-footed winger Ruel Fox is currently enjoying a new love affair . . . with the United States of America. Not only did he take part in the four-team summer tournament in Colorado with the Canaries, but he also enjoyed a family holiday in Florida.

"That's the third time I've been to the States in three months and I loved it . . . especially Disneyworld," he says.

"We'd booked the holiday before I realised that the team were playing in Denver, but it was well worth a return visit and it was interesting to see different parts of America."

Ruel returned home to a new playing system which is demanding more defensive skills, so he is grateful for the extra edge of fitness the busy pre-season programme provided.

"The game is getting a lot quicker now and many teams are playing with out-and-out wingers and fast centre-forwards, so the Manager is concerned we don't concede the amount of goals we did last season.

"But it does make it harder to get forward, especially when myself and Mark Bowen are covering the full - back areas. It means we're having to make runs from our box to their penalty area, instead of from just over the half way line.

"In the past it's been a case of sprinting about 20 or 30 yards, but when you're sprinting maybe 80 yards you don't get time to catch your breath.

"It takes a lot of work, but if it's used against teams using similar systems it can work very well."

CURETON CALL

Exciting young prospect Jamie Cureton is Norwich City's latest addition to the international ranks.

The former youth player, who is currently enjoying his first season as a senior, was called into the England Under-18 squad for this week's friendly match against the Republic of Ireland at Port Vale.

Jamie celebrated his debut with a 5th minute goal, England's first, in the 2-2 draw.

"The Championship matches start

in September when we have to play in Romania, so it's good to get the call at this stage," said Jamie before he joined the squad last weekend.

"I've been on training sessions with the Youth squad before but never actually played a game. I went on a trials at Schoolboy level and got through to the last 40, so this is a big break for me," says the Bristol lad who joined Norwich after impressing in the Canaries' Youth Tournament as a 15-year-old.

The call-up was quickly followed by a three-goal blitz in the Reserves' remarkable 5-0 success at Arsenal.

"I wanted to make a good start to my first full season as a professional, but to score a hat-trick at Highbury was unbelievable.

"Everyone played their part and I think it's going to be an exciting



season for the young players at the Club. We have a strong, enthusiastic squad and people are going to be playing for their places in every game."

With Mark Robins, Chris Sutton and Efan Ekoku battling for the two striking berths, Lee Power on loan at Sunderland, and Ade Akinbiyi also looking impressive, the race for front-line places will be intense. But,

it is a race he might just win before the season is out.

PUBLIC ADDRESS ANNOUNCER

Norwich City are searching for a new Assistant Public Address Announcer on matchdays here at Carrow Road to work closely with Bob Brister, who is our current matchday voice.

Anyone who thinks that they could fill this important role on a matchday please contact Leon Blackburn at the Club. Some experience with a microphone would be beneficial.

PRICE WAR

The recent case of a Beazer Homes League Club asking a phenomenal £200,000 for a player with no experience of anything remotely approaching top level soccer, has highlighted the problems being faced by ambitious Premiership clubs.

While transfer fees have rocketed among the elite, the minnows have taken a leaf out of their richer cousins' book – and that, in part at least, explains why the Canaries have not made as many recent signings as they might have hoped.

Experienced top-flight players who could come straight into the First Team have been priced out of the market.

"It would cost us £2 million to get the sort of players I want," says Mike Walker. "People are starting to ask stupid prices for players at the top level. Players are going for £4 million and they are simply not worth it.

"If other people are prepared to pay that, then fine . . . but we're not and I don't think it's the right thing to do.

"Blackburn have also put their foot down. Everyone knows they have enough money to outbid just about anyone for someone like Roy Keane, but they refused to go a penny above what they thought he was worth.

"Of course, they lost the player because of that but I admire Kenny Dalglish for sticking to his guns." However, the search for new talent goes on. "Our scouting system covers all levels of the game and rest

assured, if we see anyone we feel we can mould into a top player we will certainly attempt to sign him for this Football Club."

PERFORMANCE OF THE WEEK

Norwich City's thrilling 4-0 victory at Leeds United was selected unanimously as 'Performance of the Week' by Graham Taylor and his panel of leading managers.

The last occasion we won the award was for our 4-2 victory at Arsenal on the opening day of last season.

MATCHBALL SPONSORS

Geoff Price (*right*) and John Challis (*left*) of Custom Kitchens, our matchball sponsors against Ipswich, are pictured below after receiving a presentation from Norwich City Chairman Robert Chase to mark the occasion.



WET THROUGH!

A little bird tells us (probably a duck) that Reserve Team boss John Faulkner made quite a splash on a recent day out on the Norfolk Broads. Apparently he leaned out of

his boat just too far and enjoyed an early bath! There is no truth in the rumour that he is starting a new career as the next Jacques Cousteau!

LOANED OUT

Two members of the Canary squad are currently out on loan to Football League clubs. Lee Power is now in his third week with Sunderland whilst Mark Walton has joined Wrexham. Both loan agreements are for one month.

CONGRATULATIONS BREYDON

Breydon Middle School retained their Solar Bowl Under 11 six-a-side Championship by beating St. Georges School from Dersingham 3-2 in a thrilling final played prior to the Ipswich match on Wednesday. All credit goes to both teams who produced some fantastic football on a very slippery surface. The two teams are pictured below after receiving their trophies from Brian Goddard of Solar Bowl.

Today's match will be between Mundesley Junior School and South Harford Middle School. Give them plenty of support.



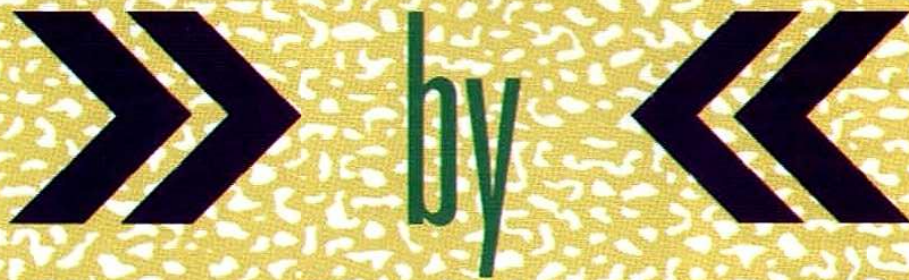
NEW TELEPHONE NUMBERS

As from September 1st the main Norwich City switchboard number will change from 612131 to **760760**. This change is as a result of the Club installing a brand new system, which will greatly improve the service we are able to offer all of our customers who are trying to contact us by telephone.

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FOCUS ON EUROPE

EUROPE AWAITS THE ITALIAN DOMINANCE

With just over two weeks to go before the Canaries take on their first European opponents, today we will be taking a look at the team seeded 4th in this season's UEFA Cup competition and also at the success in Europe of the teams league in which they compete.

Inter Milan practically spent the whole of last season chasing arch rivals AC Milan for the honours at the top of the Italian Serie A. Despite a few lapses in league matches by AC Milan, nearing the end of the season, Inter could still not regain the title from their local rivals AC Milan, the more glamorous and successful of the two Milanese giants. However last season's second placing was a vast improvement on their sixth place finish of the previous year.

Over the past two seasons many changes have taken place at the club, after the loss of three of their most influential players at the end of their 1991-92 campaign, when their German trio of Lothar Matthaus, Andreas Brehme and Jurgen Klinsmann all went their separate ways. The club brought in many new less experienced players, to try to replace the missing links in the team that the three German internationals had left behind.

Because of their low league placing at the end of the 1991-92 season, they did not qualify for any of the European Cups. That gave the new members of the team an ideal opportunity to get to grips with domestic football, in arguably the most glamorous and successful league in the world. A second place finish in Serie A was nothing less than

outstanding for a squad that had only been reconstructed during the season.

The last time that Inter won a European trophy was during their last outing in Europe, back in 1991 when they lifted the UEFA Cup. Their previous success in both European and domestic competitions is remarkable, thirteen league titles along with two European Cup victories and their single UEFA Cup triumph, surely makes them one of the most experienced sides in this season's competition. They could prove to be another major threat to this season's favourites, fellow Italians, Juventus.



JURGEN KLINSMANN

Indeed this season would not be the first to produce an all Italian final in the UEFA Cup. Both Juventus and Inter have previously competed in such a match. Inter's last victory in the UEFA Cup was achieved in the final against Italian side Roma in 1991 while Juventus saw off the Fiorentina challenge the previous year. During recent years Italy has seen more

European cups return to their country than any other European league. They have also achieved the honour of being the only country to succeed in the unique treble of all three European trophies during the same season. This occurred back in 1990, when AC Milan beat Portuguese champions Benfica to retain the European Cup, Sampdoria saw off Belgian Cup winners Anderlecht and Juventus completed the treble against fellow Italians Fiorentina. Last season they also looked to be heading towards another European treble, with three Italian sides making the finals. Although Juventus overcame German club Borussia Dortmund in outstanding style and Parma made the trip to Wembley and achieved their first European honour against Belgian Cup winners Antwerp, the favourites to once again hold up the European Cup and complete Italy's second unique treble, AC Milan, failed. French Champions Marseille denied the Milanese club the honours and certainly this season the one team that Milan will not want to meet during the early rounds of the European Cup will surely be Olympique Marseille.

The Italian club sides have taken six of the last twelve European trophies on offer; it would not be surprising if their entries in this season's competitions go on and increase their total to nine. Maybe it could come down to Norwich City to put an end to the Italian dominance within Europe and bring back the early 80's success of the English club's in Europe.

FOR UEFA CUP TICKET ARRANGEMENTS SEE PAGE 10

CONNECTIONS

This is the first league meeting between the Canaries and the Robins since April 1972, and it is the first ever in the top flight.

However the two clubs have followed similar paths throughout their respective histories. They were regular opponents in the Southern League in the 1900's before both clubs joined the Football League as founder members of Division Three. Apart from City's brief flirtation with Division Two between 1934 and 1939 the teams faced each other in every season until 1960-61. In more recent years Norwich have established themselves as a First Division/Premier League side whilst Swindon are now enjoying their first ever season in the top division.

Way back in 1908 Swindon inflicted the Canaries' heaviest ever defeat, beating them 10-2 in a Southern League clash at Swindon. Trailing 6-1 at half time, Norwich never stood a chance, and that remains the only occasion when the Club has ever conceded double figures.

One of English football's greatest ever goalscorers represented Norwich and Swindon in the 1950's and 1960's. Ralph Hunt played 124 league games for Norwich scoring 67 goals before moving on to several other clubs including a brief stay at Swindon. His record of 31 league goals in the 1955/56 season for Norwich is unlikely to ever be beaten. Ralph unfortunately died in a car crash at the relatively young age of 31 whilst still playing for Chesterfield. His overall



RALPH HUNT

league record included 186 goals in 374 games

Our overall league record against Swindon is as follows:

	P	W	D	L	F	A
HOME	33	19	9	5	67	45
AWAY	33	7	10	16	43	63

LAST TIME AT CARROW ROAD



SATURDAY 26th JANUARY 1991

F.A. Cup 4th Round

Norwich City 3 Swindon Town 1

(Gordon, Mortensen, Fleck)

(White)

Norwich City eventually overcame the stubborn resistance of a nine-man Swindon team. Argentinian international defender Nestor Lorenzo was sent off in the first half for a professional foul on Robert Fleck.

Swindon took the lead early in the second half through Steve White before Jon Gittens was

dismissed for violent conduct. Dale Gordon equalised before the late introduction of substitute Henrik Mortensen finally swung the game Norwich's way.

The Danish striker scored one and then set up Robert Fleck for the third goal to give the final scoreline a rather flattering look.

Played for Both Teams Since the War

	Norwich League		Swindon League	
	Apps	Goals	Apps	Goals
Bob Edwards	1	0	173	64
Don Heath	82	15	88	2
Ralph Hunt	124	67	21	15
Colin Prohett	35	0	160	10
John Richards	5	2	104	37
Andy Rollings	4	0	12	1
Terry Ryder	46	12	34	13

In addition to these players, Cecil Blakemore, Fred Dent, John Greenwell, Harold Kelling, Arthur Metcalf and George Travers played for both clubs before the War. George Ephgrave played for Swindon pre-war and Norwich after, whilst Norman Law guested for Swindon during the War and made 150 appearances for Norwich in the post war era.

POSTWAR MEETINGS Norwich v Swindon Town

FOOTBALL LEAGUE

		H	A
1946-47	Div 3 (S)	1-5	1-1
1947-48	-	2-2	2-3
1948-49	-	0-0	3-3
1949-50	-	4-0	1-1
1950-51	-	2-0	0-1
1951-52	-	2-0	1-1
1952-53	-	1-1	1-2
1953-54	-	2-2	0-0
1954-55	-	2-1	0-1
1955-56	-	4-1	1-1
1956-57	-	2-4	1-1
1957-58	-	1-1	2-1
1958-59	-	1-1	3-4
1959-60	Div 3	3-2	1-0
1963-64	Div 2	3-2	2-2
1964-65	-	3-1	1-0
1969-70	-	1-0	0-2
1970-71	-	1-0	2-3
1971-72	-	1-0	1-0

F.A. CUP

1930-31	Round 1	2-0	
1958-59	Round 2		1-1
	Round 2 (replay)	1-0	
1987-88	Round 3		0-0
1987-88	Round 3 (replay)	0-2	
1990-91	Round 4	3-1	

SIMOD CUP

1987-88	Round 4		0-2
1988-89	Round 1	2-1	

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1989-90	Round 3		1-4
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Highest League Attendance at Carrow Road v Swindon - 31,634 (1971-72)

Highest League Goalscorers for Norwich v Swindon Town

Terry Allcock 6, Ralph Hunt 5, Ron Davies 4, Les Eyre 4, Terry Bly 3, Johnny Gavin 3, Oscar Hold 3.

Norwich City debutants v Swindon Town

Derek Davis 12.9.46, Len Dutton 12.9.46, Cliff Birch 4.2.50, Alf Ackerman 18.8.51, Peter Cleland 11.12.58, Brian Ronson 7.11.59, Ron Bradley 26.12.64, Steve Govier 16.1.71.

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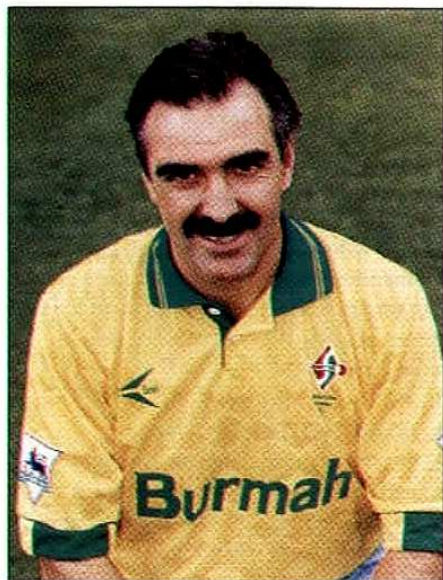


Back Row (left to right): Kevin Morris (Physiotherapist) Ross MacLaren, Steve Lane, Steve White, Adrian Whitbread, Jan Aage Fjortoft, Adrian Viveash, Fraser Digby, Shaun Taylor, Nicky Hammond, Chris Hamon, Andrew Thomson, Paul Bodin, Kevin Horlock, Craig Maskell, Eddie Buckley (Kit Manager). Front Row (left to right): Wayne O'Sullivan, Nicky Summerbee, John Moncur, Luc Nijholt, Micky Hazard, John Trollope, John Gorman (Manager), David Hay (Assistant Manager), Andy Rowland, Austin Berkley, Edwin Murray, Martin Ling, Marcus Phillips, Lee Middleton.

SWINDON TOWN

THE MANAGER

Born in Winchburgh, Scotland in August 1949, John Gorman began his playing career with Celtic before moving South of the border (just) to join Carlisle



JOHN GORMAN

in September 1970. A tenacious full back he was a member of the Carlisle team which enjoyed one brief top-flight season in 1974-75.

A surprise move to Tottenham in January 1976 led to him becoming friends with Glenn Hoddle, an association which was resurrected at Swindon as a management team. Injury finished John's playing career and he took a coaching post with Leyton Orient before joining Hoddle at the County Ground.

When Hoddle moved to Chelsea in June, John could have gone with him, but he opted to remain loyal to Swindon and lead them in their first ever top flight season. He will continue with Swindon's pleasing passing style despite their four early season defeats. His gritty character will help maintain team spirit which will be vitally important in the months ahead.

SWINDON TOWN

FACT FILE

Formed: 1881
Turned Professional: 1894
Joined League: 1920
Nickname: The Robins

Honours

Division Four Champions:
1985-86
League Cup Winners:
1968-69
Anglo Italian Cup Winners:
1970
Biggest Victory:
9-1 v Luton 28.4.21
Biggest Defeat:
10-1 v Manchester City 29.1.30
Most Goals in a Season:
Harry Morris 48, 1926-27
Most Capped Player:
Rod Thomas (Wales) 30

PLEASE KEEP OFF THE PITCH

TODAY'S VISITORS

FRASER DIGBY (1)

26 year old goalkeeper whose consistent displays have seen him play over 250 league games for Swindon. Has 5 England Under 21 caps to his credit. Began his career at Old Trafford and returned there, on loan, as cover to Peter Schmeichel last season.

NICKY HAMMOND(23)

Joined Swindon on a free transfer from

Arsenal in July 1987. Has challenged Digby for the number one spot ever since. Has a spectacular style and has had loan spells at Bristol Rovers, Peterborough and Aberdeen to gain valuable experience.

NICKY SUMMERBEE (2)

Born in Altrincham, he has swiftly graduated through the County Ground ranks to become a regular in the First Team. Originally a striker, he has been

successfully converted into a neat, attacking right back. Son of former England and Manchester City striker Mike.

PAUL BODIN (3)

Experienced Welsh international left back who scored several vital goals from open play last season as well as coolly converting the penalty which beat Leicester in the Division One Play-Off Final at Wembley. Previously with Cardiff, Newport, Crystal Palace and Newcastle, he is now in his second spell with Swindon.

LUC NIJHOLT(5)

Cultured former Dutch Under 21 international defender who began his career with F.C. Haarlem. From there he moved on to AZ 67, F.C. Utrecht and Old Boys Basle in Switzerland. Swindon signed him for £175,000 during the close season from Motherwell. Forms a good partnership with the powerful Taylor.

SWINDON TOWN ROLL CALL

Squad No.	Name	Position	Signed from	93-94 Apps	93-94 Goals	Career Apps	League Goals
1	Fraser Digby	Goalkeeper	Manchester United	3	0	259	0
2	Nicky Summerbee	Defender	Trainee	3	0	77	3
3	Paul Bodin	Defender	Crystal Palace	0	0	227	26
4	Micky Hazard	Midfield	Portsmouth	3	0	292	40
5	Luc Nijholt	Defender	Motherwell	3	0	3	0
6	Shaun Taylor	Defender	Exeter City	3	0	291	31
7	John Moncur	Midfield	Tottenham	3	1	67	4
8	Ross MacLaren	Midfield	Derby County	3	0	468	31
9	Jan Aage Fjortoft	Forward	Rapid Vienna	3	0	3	0
10	Martin Ling	Midfield	Southend	3	0	331	51
11	Craig Maskell	Forward	Reading	3	0	201	89
12	Steve White	Forward	Bristol Rovers	1	0	497	159
13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
14	Adrian Whitbread	Defender	Leyton Orient	3	0	128	2
15	Adrian Viveash	Defender	Trainee	0	0	40	1
16	Kevin Horlock	Defender	West Ham	2	0	16	1
17	Chris Hamon	Forward	Jersey	0	0	2	0
18	Kevin Murray	Defender	Trainee	0	0	0	0
19	Andrew Thompson	Defender	Trainee	0	0	0	0
20	Wayne O'Sullivan	Defender	Trainee	0	0	0	0
21	Marcus Phillips	Midfield	Trainee	0	0	0	0
22	Austin Berkley	Midfield	Gillingham	0	0	0	0
23	Nicky Hammond	Goalkeeper	Arsenal	0	0	50	0
24	Lee Middleton	Midfield	Coventry	0	0	3	0
25	Andy Mutch	Forward	Wolves	1	0	290	97

* Statistics as at 24/8/93



ROSS MacLAREN

SWINDON TOWN'S TEN YEAR RECORD

ROUND REACHED F.A. CUP	4	1	1	4	4	4	3	4	5	3
ROUND REACHED LEAGUE CUP	1	1	4	2	3	2	4	3	4	3
1st			Champions				Truncated vs playoffs then dropped			Truncated vs playoffs
5th		8th		3rd						
10th					12th					
15th	16th									
20th										
DIVISION	4	4	4	3	2	2	2	21st	2	1
	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86	1986-87	1987-88	1988-89	1989-90	1990-91	1991-92	1992-93

SHAUN TAYLOR (6)

Commanding central defender who once attracted the interest of the Canaries when he was with his first league club Exeter. Tremendously strong in the air, he is very dangerous when he moves forward for set pieces, scoring twelve goals last season. Joined Swindon for £200,000 in July 1991, he was an ever present during 1992-93.

ADRIAN WHITBREAD(14)

22 year old central defender who was signed from Leyton Orient in July for a fee of £500,000. Was captain of the Brisbane Road Youth team when John Gorman was Youth manager, and he was happy to

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SWINDON TOWN

rejoin his former boss. Pacy player with poise on the ball.

ADRIAN VIVEASH (15)

Swindon born central defender who is a former Robins' trainee. Originally a winger, he has successfully switched to a defensive role. Can play in a number of positions and stepped into the side to perform well when required last season.

MICKY HAZARD (4)

Former Tottenham, Chelsea and Portsmouth midfielder who, like Norwich's Ian Crook, learned his trade as understudy to Glenn Hoddle at White Hart Lane. A tremendously inventive player with superb vision and the passing skills to match. A useful goalscorer, he prefers the attacking part of the game, sometimes neglecting his defensive duties.

JOHN MONCUR (7)

Another former Tottenham midfielder who found it difficult to force his way into the First Team. A talented individual with slick passing skills, he had the honour of scoring Swindon's first ever top flight goal, with a typically improvised free kick at Sheffield United. Whilst at Tottenham he had loan spells at Doncaster, Cambridge United, Portsmouth, Brentford, Ipswich and Nottingham Forest.

ROSS MacLAREN (8)

Swindon's captain, he is a hard working midfield anchorman who combines perfectly with the team's more attacking midfielders. Has played over 100 league games for Shrewsbury, Derby and Swindon. Missed much of last season through injury, he is an influential figure in the team.

MARTIN LING (10)

An exciting attacking midfield player who began his career at Exeter before having an unhappy first spell at Swindon. Moved to Southend before rejoining the Robins in July 1991. Has attracted the interest of many other clubs, but recently signed a new contract with Swindon.

KEVIN HORLOCK (16)

20 year old utility player who joined Swindon from West Ham, where he failed to make the First Team, in the summer of 1992. Usually plays at full back, he can also play in midfield. Now recovered from a close season cartilage operation.

LEE MIDDLETON (24)

Promising young midfielder who was snapped up by Swindon after being released by Coventry in July 1992. A

quality passer of the ball, he fits into the Swindon style perfectly.

JAN AAGE FJORTOFT (9)

26 year old Norwegian international striker with 41 full caps to his credit. A very tall striker, he is strong in the air and is a prolific marksman as England found out to their cost last season. Signed from Rapid Vienna during the summer where he scored 75 goals in four seasons including one in last season's Austrian Cup Final.



JAN AAGE FJORTOFT

CRAIG MASKELL (11)

Former Southampton, Huddersfield and Reading striker who joined Swindon for £250,000 in July 1992. One of the most consistent goalscorers outside the top flight in recent seasons. He is an opportunist goal poacher, capable of the spectacular. Always on the look out for the half chance.

STEVE WHITE (12)

Enthusiastic 34 year old striker with over 150 league goals in his career which has seen him play for Bristol Rovers (twice), Luton (twice), Charlton, Lincoln and Swindon. A great team player who can always be relied upon to give one hundred per cent.

ANDY MUTCH (25)

Former England 'B' international striker who joined Swindon earlier this month from Wolves for £350,000. Enjoyed a hugely successful partnership at Molineux with Steve Bull. Instinctive goalscorer with an unselfish streak. Will be a tremendous asset at the County Ground.

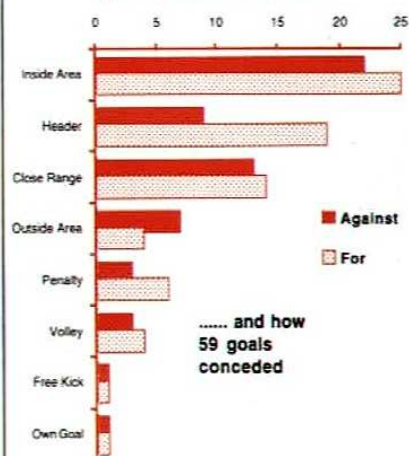
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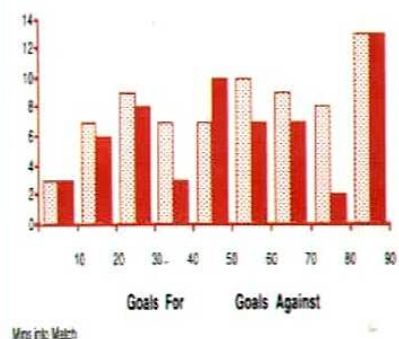
Last Ten Seasons

1983-84	Alan Mayes	17
1984-85	Colin Gordon	17
1985-86	Charlie Henry	18
1986-87	Steve White	15
1987-88	Jimmy Quinn	21
1988-89	Duncan Shearer	14
1989-90	Duncan Shearer	20
1990-91	Duncan Shearer	22
1991-92	Duncan Shearer	22
1992-93	Craig Maskell	19

How Swindon Town's 74 League goals were scored last season



When Swindon Scored and Conceded



Previous Managers

Sam Allen 1902-1933, Ted Vizzard 1933-39, Neil Harris 1939, Lois Page 1945-53, Maurice Lindley 1953-58, Bert Head 1958-65, Danny Williams 1965-69, Fred Ford 1968-71, Dave Mackay 1971-72, Les Allen 1972-74, Danny Williams 1974-78, Bob Smith 1978-80, John Trollope 1980-83, Ken Beamish 1983-84, Lou Macari 1984-89, Osvaldo Ardiles 1989-991, Glenn Hoddle 1991-93, John Gorman 1993-

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SPOTLIGHT ON . . .



IAN CULVERHOUSE

The ability to react well under pressure and overcome tension is just as important as the more obvious gifts of strength and skill to a truly accomplished top level defender.

Over the years, no-one has demonstrated those attributes more consistently than right-back turned sweeper, Ian Culverhouse.

On the field, he is the picture of relaxed concentration – making telling interceptions and clean, incisive tackles to defuse the most dangerous of situations – and his delight in turning desperate defence into

exciting attack is as refreshing now as it was when he first came to Carrow Road nine seasons ago.

Off the field, it is equally important to be able to "switch off" in order to recharge the batteries for the next challenge ahead.

And, as he approaches his 29th birthday, the Essex-born player reckons he has found the perfect key to putting match-day pressures to the back of the mind – by indulging in an altogether less exhausting sport.

"I've been playing quite a bit of golf during the summer break," he says.

My wife (Sue) has taken it up now, so I like to keep her company – there are no free afternoons these days!

"Most of the players belong to the Barnham Broom Golf Club and we live near the Sprowston Park course, so we pop over there quite a bit too.

"The lads play quite a few competitions among themselves – and, without naming any names, there are a few 'bandits' floating about I can tell you.

"Whenever we have a day off we tend to get together and battle against our handicaps. It's so relaxing, it takes your mind off things and helps improve your concentration."

Over the years many soccer stars have grown to love the pastime. Indeed, Kevin Keegan became a regular on televised pro-celebrity events, despite at one stage being banned from playing the game by Liverpool supremo Bill Shankly.

Shankly felt that constantly trudging the links and parkland fairways would seriously weaken the legs of his all-conquering stars – not a theory to which Ian Culverhouse would subscribe.

"You couldn't argue with Bill Shankly, but we try to get the games in during the early part of the week, playing either on a Tuesday or Wednesday if possible, and I've never noticed it having an adverse effect," he says.

Premiership players certainly need an aid to relaxation with matches coming thick and fast in the early weeks of the new campaign. Some players find it too heavy a load, but the hectic schedule is welcomed by Ian.

"It's virtually Saturday, Wednesday every week early on, but I think the lads prefer it that way because it breaks up the training routine and there's nothing like actual match fitness to bring you to your peak."

Maintaining that level of performance will be more important than ever to Ian this season. His contract comes up for renewal at the end of the campaign and he is determined to show he has plenty to offer in the years ahead.

Judging by his past consistency, he should have few worries on that

IAN CULVERHOUSE



score. He missed only one Premier League game last season and is among the first names pencilled on the team sheet every week, but he refuses to take anything for granted.

"It's up to the Manager, but I'll be looking to go in and see him some time during the season to see where I stand. It's up to me to prove that I'm worth a new contract."

The ability to act as sweeper in a formation which is gradually becoming more popular in the English game should help him fulfil that ambition.

"The Manager's tried different systems in pre-season, but whichever one he decides upon I'm just happy to be involved," he says.

"It basically involves the same skills as playing at full-back, although you do need to do a little more talking and organising people. But everyone in the back four helps each other out in any case, so that's not a problem.

"There's no great mystery to it . . . I think any of us could go back there and do the job well."

Whatever his position, Ian is anticipating this season's challenge to be tougher than ever.

"We all realise it's going to be hard. We are under no illusions that we're in for an easy season, because the surprise element has gone and the opposition knows what to expect from us.

"But there is still an air of confidence at the club, and if we can get off to a reasonable start I'm sure we can do well.

"There's no-one we should be scared of and a lot of teams will be wary of us now; we know we can't afford to rest on our laurels and have a lot to prove this season."

European soccer is part of Norwich City's season for the first time – a challenge which holds its risks as well as its attractions.

"The warnings are there for us" says Ian. "We only have to look at Leeds' example last season when European competition seemed to take their minds off the Championship and they had a relatively poor season.

"We have to be careful not to fall into that trap and the management here are very keen to make sure we keep our minds focussed on the job in hand."

CAREER DETAILS

IAN CULVERHOUSE

Born: Bishops Stortford 22nd September 1964

Previous Club: Tottenham Hotspur

Signed Professional: September 1982

League Debut: Notts County 0
Tottenham Hotspur 0 21st September 1984

Signed for Norwich: 7th October 1985

Norwich Debut: Norwich City 2
Preston 1 9th October 1985

First Norwich Goal: Norwich City 2
Swindon 1 8th November 1988

International Honours: England Youth
Caps

Squad No: 5

Statistics

For Norwich City

	Apps	Subs	Goals
League	257	1	0
FA Cup	26	0	0
League Cup	19	0	0
Other Cups	17	0	1
TOTALS	319	1	1

Career League Record

For Tottenham	2	0	0
For Norwich	257	1	0
TOTALS	259	1	0



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We are very proud of our association with Norwich City F. C. and would like to wish them all the best for a highly successful season, particularly in Europe this year, and for a good win this afternoon, underlining their spectacular performance against Leeds last Saturday. Good Luck!

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Good Afternoon Everybody,
Our Summer Soccer Academy Funweeks are coming to an end with only one week left to go. It has been a very busy time for us, but an extremely enjoyable one as well at our venues throughout Norfolk and Suffolk.

In October, during the school's half-term break, we intend to organise two specialist positional courses. One will be for goalkeepers and the other for strikers. For further information on these courses, watch this space in future matchday programmes.

F.A. MINI SOCCER CENTRE

You might be interested to know that the Football in the Community Office has recently been granted a licence for a F.A. Mini-Soccer Centre. This centre will be

aimed at 6-10 year olds with the emphasis on non-competitive soccer.

It will concentrate on a gentle introduction to the game for boys and girls of all abilities in readiness for when or when they reach the age for competitive football.

We feel that the Mini-Soccer Centre will provide a brilliant introduction to football for young children and enable them to learn the game in an enjoyable and friendly atmosphere.

We have recently purchased the F.A. approved Mini-Soccer goals and we are sure that all the children will enjoy that great feeling of hitting the back of the net.

Venues and dates for these courses will be announced soon and they will cost £10 for ten one hour sessions.

WEMBLEY TRIP

England v Poland
September 8th 8.00pm K.O.

Adults £22.00 Children £16.00.

Coaches Depart Carrow Road 2.30 pm.

Arrive Back 1.30 am approx.

Ticket price includes: Luxury Travel and Match Ticket.

Come and join us for the Final World Cup qualifying match to be played at Wembley to watch England's make or break attempt to reach the USA.

Tickets available from Jamie on:

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SATURDAY CLUBS

Book early for the next two Clubs;

Sept. 11th versus Wimbledon - cost £11.00

Oct. 2nd versus Coventry City - cost £11.00

Includes two hours of coaching and a match ticket.

JUNIOR CANARIES COACHING

The next Junior Canary Coaching session will be at Trowse on Saturday 9th October between 10am-12 noon. Cost is £1. Names in advance to Ros please.



Ian Crook signing autographs during a Soccer Academy Funweek visit to Trowse.

SENIOR FANS

Our next Senior Fans afternoon is on Thursday September 9th at 2.00pm. Everyone is welcome but please contact us on 0603 763887 to help us gauge numbers attending.

Have a great afternoon and enjoy the match.

PETER & JAMIE



Soccer Academy Funweek Coaches

Back Row: (Left to Right): Graeme Wilton, Robert Miller, Paul Tong, Matthew Baisley
Front Row (Left to Right): Jamie Houchen, Robert McCormack, Peter Mendham

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JUNIOR CANARIES

Good afternoon everybody,
A very warm welcome to you all to Carrow Road today.
First of all, details of the forthcoming Junior Canary away trips are now available and are as follows.

JUNIOR CANARY EXCURSION TO QPR

Date: Saturday, September 18th.
Departure: One coach at 8.00am for those wishing to swim at the leisure centre at QPR.
One coach at 10.00am for those just wishing to watch the match.
Tickets: £11 for adults, £10 for children inclusive of swimming, available from Ros in Strikers at 1.30pm TODAY.

JUNIOR CANARY EXCURSION TO EVERTON

Date: Saturday, September 25th.
Departure: 7.30 am from Carrow Road.
Cost: £18 including match and coach ticket.
Only 50 tickets are available for this trip so please book your place early to avoid disappointment. Tickets will be on sale on Saturday 11th September from Ros in Strikers at 1.30pm.

Our grateful thanks are extended to the Britannia Pier at Great Yarmouth for their generous donation of this afternoon's prize. Please see the competition sheet in the Family Enclosure for details of special rates available for supporters wishing to go to their summer shows.

FAMILY SPORTING QUIZ 1993/94

Our annual quiz kicks off today in Strikers at 2pm between Alan and Adam Knights and Mark Sullivan and Emma Feltham. If you would like to take part please see Ros as soon as possible.

Pictured below is 4 year old Alex Winser and his sister who have recently pledged their support to the Canaries. We look forward to welcoming Junior Canary Alex to Carrow Road in the near future.



We are hoping to organise the first Junior Canary home football matches in October against the Junior Hammers - please watch this space for details.

We hope you all have a great afternoon.

Ros & Dave

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MATCH MASCOT

This afternoon, fifteen year old Nicholas Lyall from Duston near Northampton fulfils his ambition and will lead the Canaries out against Swindon.

Nicholas attends Duston Upper School and has one brother, Stuart. He enjoys playing football and hockey and names Bryan Gunn, Rob Newman and Chris Sutton as his favourite players.

We hope Nicholas has a great day and that he brings the Canaries good luck in their battle against the Robins.



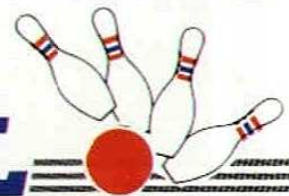
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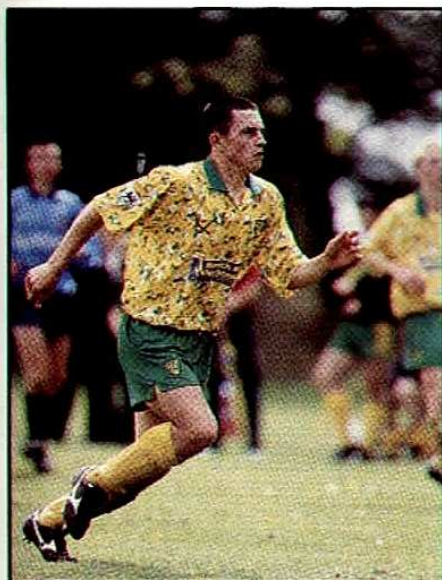


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Carling is the most popular lager in Britain. (Who else would you expect to be holders of that title?)



IN THE WINGS



JOHNNY WRIGHT

Two weeks ago City trainee Johnny Wright took another significant step towards the possibility of establishing himself in professional football, making his debut in the Northern Ireland youth international team.

Not that playing for his country was a totally new experience for the 17 year old defender from Belfast. As a schoolboy, he earned no less than ten Under-16 caps for Northern Ireland!

Johnny had to miss the opening two City youth fixtures because of his Irish commitments, but he returned for last Saturday's 4-2 South East Counties League victory over Southend United at Trowse and Wednesday's 2-2 Southern Junior Floodlit Cup-tie against Portsmouth at Diss.

He had two games for Ireland, performing at right back on both

occasions - against Bellerussia at Ballyclare and Lithuania at Carrickfergus. "We went 1-0 up against Bellerussia, and should have killed them off, but we let them back into the game with an equaliser and finished drawing 1-1", comments Johnny.

"And the game against Lithuania also ended in a draw, 0-0. We should have beaten them too. Now we hope Bellerussia and Lithuania draw when they play each other to stand any chance of progressing to the U.E.F.A. Youth Championship Finals in Spain next summer.", he adds ruefully.

Reflecting on the two youth internationals, Johnny says:

"It was a valuable experience. Both Bellerussia and Lithuania were more skilful and sharper on the ball than us. Most of our lads were trainees' with mainland Clubs like Glasgow Rangers and Southampton - and our main asset was our physical strength."

A 'discovery' of City's Irish scout Peter Greer, Johnny became a trainee professional just over thirteen months ago, and is now focusing his attention on progressing through the ranks at Carrow Road.

Injuries forced him to miss about three months' action last season - including the epic two-legged F.A. Youth Cup Semi-Final against Leeds United.

"I want to make up lost time and try to earn a place in the Reserves as quickly as possible," he stresses.

"In the meantime, I'm obviously anxious to do well for the youth team, especially in the Cups.

"And ultimately, my aim is to convince Mike Walker I'm worth a full professional contract at the end of the season."

CANARY YOUTH INTERNATIONALS

City's lengthening list of youth internationals has expanded with Andy Marshall winning his first England Youth cap in the summer, Johnny Wright making his Northern Ireland debut earlier this month and Jamie Cureton breaking into the England under-18 team against Eire at Port Vale last Tuesday.

Here is City's complete season by season record:

SEASON	PLAYER	COUNTRY
1974/75	David Evans	Wales
1978/79	John Fashanu	England
1979/80	Mark Barham	England
1982/83	Mark Crowe	England
	Louie Donowa	England
	Dale Gordon	England
	Mark Metcalf	England
	Tony Spearing	England
1983/84	Dale Gordon	England
1984/85	Dale Gordon	England
	Derek Johnstone	Scotland
	Paul Kinnaird	Scotland
1987/88	Tony Flanagan	Eire
	Michael Magilton	N. Ireland
1988/89	Daryl Sutch	England
1989/90	Lee Power	Eire
	Robert Ullathorne	England
	Sean Collins	N. Ireland
1990/91	Sean Collins	N. Ireland
1991/92	Sean Collins	N. Ireland
1992/93	Deryn Brace	Wales
	Darren Eadie	England
	Andy Johnson	England U-19
	Andy Marshall	England
1993/94	Johnny Wright	N. Ireland
	Jamie Cureton	England

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RESERVES NEWS



JOHN FAULKNER

After our emphatic 5-0 win against Arsenal in our opening fixture, we travelled to last year's runners-up Chelsea in a positive mood.

I was able to take a strong squad, making three changes from the side which beat Arsenal. Scott Howie came in for Mark Walton, Gary Megson replaced the transferred David Phillips and Efan Ekoku played up front as hat-trick man Jamie Cureton was away on England Youth International duty.

Chelsea also fielded quite an experienced side, but in truth we were by far and away the better team with only a very late goal denying us our second away victory. The final 1-1 scoreline was an injustice to our impressive display.

We started the game where we left off against Arsenal, with everyone working hard for each other, creating plenty of time to play and chances to score. We already had one or two near misses before Robert Ullathorne gave us a deserved lead. He saw his first shot saved but nipped in quickly to snap up the rebound.

For the remainder of the match we always looked the more likely team to score, for whilst Chelsea enjoyed a fair share of the possession, they failed to create even one clear cut chance. Unfortunately we were unable to convert the opportunities which came our way and because of that we were always vulnerable to a goal against the run of play.

So it proved, as with just two minutes remaining, Chelsea equalised from a corner. The goal disappointed me somewhat as the player who volleyed it in was completely unmarked. Scott Howie had no chance to save it as the ball came through a ruck of players. Generally however, he acquitted himself very well on his debut, although it was not the

busiest game for him.

Although the players know that they had played well, they were disappointed to only draw a game they know they should have won. A point which emphasises the confidence which is currently running through the whole Club. They know they are capable of beating any team if they continue to play in a positive way.

TEAM: Howie, Brace, Woodthorpe, Johnson, Prior, Smith, Sutch, Eadie (Akinbiyi), Ekoku, Megson, Ullathorne sub Carey (unused).

Unfortunately we now have a prolonged break inbetween league fixtures so I was more than happy to comply with a request from Welwyn Garden City for a friendly on Thursday.

The game allowed us to establish some continuity in our schedule and also gave me the chance to give some of the lads a much needed game. With the First Team having such a hectic run of matches in the opening weeks it is important that the whole squad are match fit, so that if the need arises all the players are ready to step into the side at a moments notice.

I hope as many of you as possible will get down to Diss next Friday for our first home game of the season against Brighton.

NEVILLE OVENDEN FOOTBALL COMBINATION

Aug. 17	Arsenal	5-0
23	Chelsea	1-1
Sept. 3	Brighton & Hove Albion**	
15	Luton	
24	Bristol City**	
29	Ipswich	
Oct. 5	Crystal Palace	
15	Bristol Rovers**	
20	Brighton & Hove Albion	
29	Charlton**	
Nov. 5	Tottenham Hotspur	
10	Charlton Athletic	
12	Chelsea	
15	West Ham	
20	Portsmouth	
26	Crystal Palace	
Dec. 3	Ipswich	
8	Bristol Rovers	
13	Millwall	
17	Luton	
21	Bristol City	
Jan. 7	Millwall	
12	Wimbledon	
21	Swindon	
25	Watford	
28	Portsmouth	
Feb. 4	Wimbledon	
8	Queens Park Rangers	
18	Watford	
23	Oxford	
Mar. 4	Queens Park Rangers	
9	Arsenal	
16	Swindon	
25	Oxford	
Apr. 6	Southampton	
15	Southampton	
29	West Ham	
May 4	Tottenham Hotspur	

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NEVILLE OVENDEN FOOTBALL COMBINATION

(Up to and including August 23rd 1993)

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Southampton	2	2	0	0	2	0	6
Norwich City	2	1	1	0	6	1	4
Chelsea	2	1	1	0	4	1	4
Millwall	2	1	0	1	6	1	3
Luton	1	1	0	0	4	1	3
Bristol Rovers	1	1	0	0	3	0	3
Bristol City	1	1	0	0	4	3	3
Oxford Utd.	1	1	0	0	2	1	3
Tottenham	1	1	0	0	2	1	3
Ipswich Town	1	1	0	0	1	0	3
Portsmouth	1	0	0	1	3	4	0
Brighton H. A.	1	0	0	1	1	2	0
Crystal Palace	1	0	0	1	1	2	0
Charlton Ath.	1	0	0	1	0	1	0
Watford	1	0	0	1	0	1	0
West Ham	1	0	0	1	1	4	0
Q.P.R.	1	0	0	1	0	3	0
Swindon Town	1	0	0	1	0	3	0
Arsenal	1	0	0	1	0	5	0
Wimbledon	1	0	0	1	0	6	0

1993/94 RESERVE TEAM APPEARANCES/GOALSCORERS

	NOFC Apps (Subs)	NOFC Goals
A. Akinbiyi	0 (1)	0
D. Brace	2	0
J. Cureton	1	3
D. Eadie	2	0
E. Ekoku	1	0
S. Howie	1	0
A. Johnson	2	1
G. Megson	1	0
D. Phillips	1	1
S. Prior	2	0
D. Smith	2	0
D. Sutch	2	0
R. Ullathorne	2	1
M. Walton	1	0
C. Woodthorpe	2	0

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YOUTH NEWS



KEITH WEBB

Following our two disappointing defeats at the hands of Ipswich it was important for the boys to pick themselves up quickly and to realise that it is still very early as far as the 1993-94 season goes. I stressed to them how important it was to up the tempo of their play right from the start when we faced Southend last Saturday.

The boys took my advice to heart and quickly established a 3-0 lead with a goal

from Marcus Oldbury and two from Justin Harrington. We were playing some direct, incisive football at this stage and looked capable of scoring a hatful.

Unfortunately Southend pulled a goal back immediately after we had made it 3-0. Our defence was non-existent, we failed to maintain our concentration and Southend took full advantage.

We held our 3-1 lead until half time at which time I told the boys that Southend would come out in a more determined mood for the second forty five minutes and that we would need to be at our best to hold them at bay. Just as it seemed we had weathered the early storm we allowed them to pull the score back to 3-2. We failed to cover properly in defence and they scored easily. This brought them right back into the game and I was quite concerned about the remainder of the match.

However, it was our turn to land a 'sucker-punch'. Straight from the kick off we went on to the attack and were rewarded with a quality strike to make it 4-2. Shaun Carey curled a beautiful shot into the net from the edge of the box to register his second goal in successive league games.

It was vitally important for us to notch up our first victory. The points were obviously very welcome but it was also a great confidence booster for the difficult games ahead. I was pleased with certain aspects of our display, but some frailties were highlighted. Individual mistakes cannot always be rectified, but our lack of concentration and other basics were alarming at times.

Team: Crowfoot, Wright, Kreft, J. Simpson (Carus), Liffen, Mellon, Gibb, Harrington, Scott, Carey, Oldbury *sub* Grogan (unused).

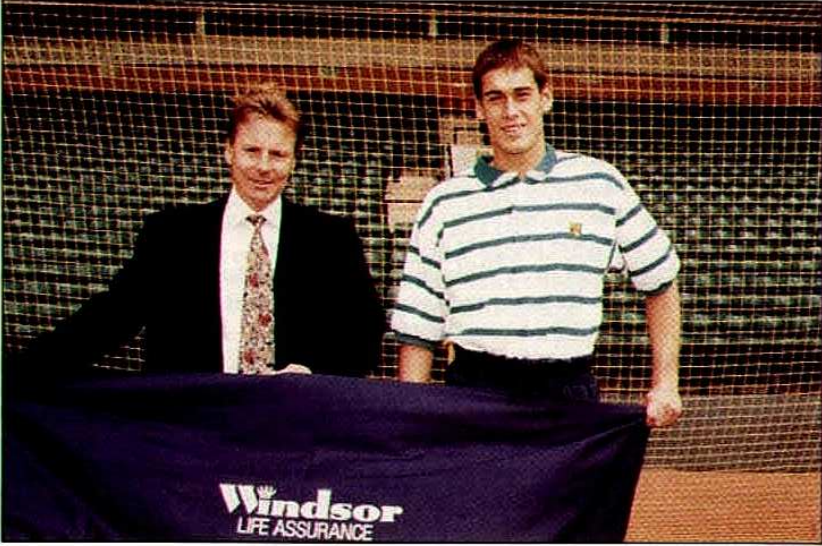





I will give a full account of Wednesday's Southern Junior Floodlit Cup Preliminary Round match, which we drew against Portsmouth in my next programme notes.

Today we travelled to face one of the strongest youth teams in the country, Millwall. Our display there will give me a good indication of how we are likely to fare this season. Hopefully we reproduced all the positive points from the Southend game and eradicated all the negative ones and thus played to the standard I know we can achieve.

SOUTH EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE			SOUTH EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE (Up to and including 21st August 1993)								1993/94 YOUTH TEAM APPEARANCES/GOALSCORERS				
Date	Opposition	Score	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	SECL Apps (Subs)	SECL Goals	ALL CUP Apps (Subs)	ALL CUP Goals		
Aug. 14 Sat	Ipswich Town	1-2													
17 Tues	Ipswich Town (EJP Q-F 92-93)	0-2													
21 Sat	Southend	4-2													
25 Wed	Portsmouth SJFC (Prelim)**	2-2													
28 Sat	Millwall		Q.P.R.	2	2	0	0	12	3	4	S. Callinan	-	0 (1)	0	
Sept. 1 Wed	Portsmouth		Millwall	2	2	0	0	10	3	4	S. Carey	2	2	0	
4 Sat	Portsmouth SJFC (Prelim) Replay**		Tottenham	2	2	0	0	7	0	4	J. Carus	1 (1)	0	1 (1)	0
11 Sat	West Ham United		Arsenal	2	2	0	0	6	2	4	D. Crowfoot	2	0	2	0
18 Sat	Brentford (SECL Cup Round 1)		Ipswich	2	2	0	0	5	3	4	D. Francis	-	-	1 (1)	0
25 Sat	Tottenham		Norwich City	2	1	0	1	5	4	2	A. Gibb	2	0	1	0
Oct. 2 Sat	Chelsea		Charlton	2	1	0	1	4	3	2	P. Grogan	-	-	1	0
9 Sat	Gillingham		West Ham	2	1	0	1	5	6	2	J. Harrington	2	2	2	0
16 Sat	Arsenal		Southend	2	1	0	1	4	5	2	S. Kreft	2	0	2	0
23 Sat	(SECL Cup Round 2)		Chelsea	2	1	0	1	2	3	2	N. Liffen	2	0	2	0
30 Sat	Leyton Orient		Fulham	2	1	0	1	3	7	2	R. Mellon	2	0	1 (1)	0
Nov. 6 Sat	Watford		Cambridge Utd.	2	0	0	2	3	6	0	W. Morgan	1	0	1	0
13 Sat	Queens Park Rangers		Gillingham	2	0	0	2	1	5	0	M. Oldbury	2	1	2	2
20 Sat	Fulham		Portsmouth	2	0	0	2	3	8	0	K. O'Neill	1	0	-	-
27 Sat	(SECL Cup Round 3)		Watford	2	0	0	2	0	5	0	M. Scott	1	0	1	0
Dec. 4 Sat	Cambridge United		Leyton Orient	2	0	0	2	0	7	0	J. Simpson	1 (1)	0	1	0
11 Sat	Cambridge United		Watford	2	0	0	2	0	5	0	K. Simpson	-	-	1	0
18 Sat	Charlton Athletic		Leyton Orient	2	0	0	2	0	7	0	J. Wright	1	0	1	0
Jan. 1 Sat	Ipswich Town														
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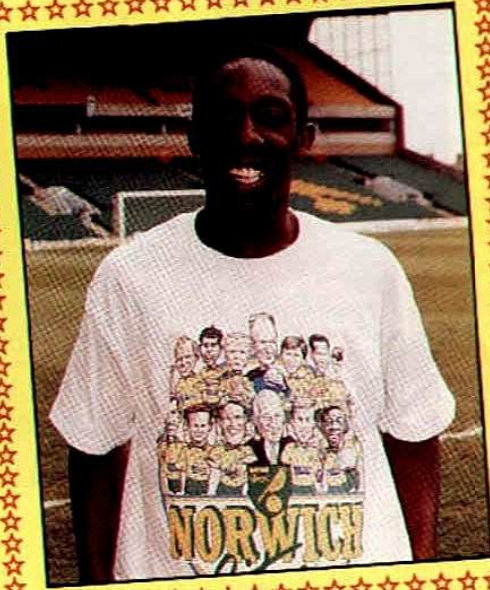
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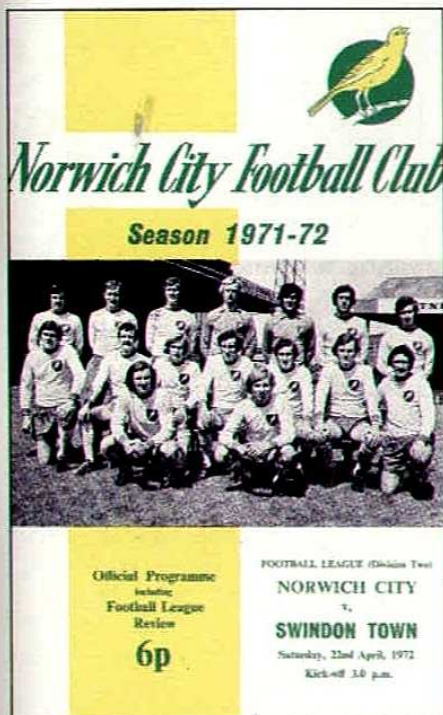


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MY MOST MEMORABLE MATCH



Duncan Forbes has a special place in the hearts of all Norwich City supporters. After joining the Canaries in October 1968 as a utility player, he quickly impressed the fans with his enthusiasm and commitment to the game. Ron Saunders made him captain and his leadership qualities helped guide the Club through an historic era as First Division football was brought to Carrow Road for the first time, and Wembley was reached on two occasions.

After hanging his boots up, Duncan joined the Commercial Department as Shop Manager and Sales Manager before his old defensive partner, Dave Stringer, appointed him as Chief Scout in 1987, a role he still fulfils today.

Duncan looks back to April 22nd 1972 to recall the most memorable match of his long career.

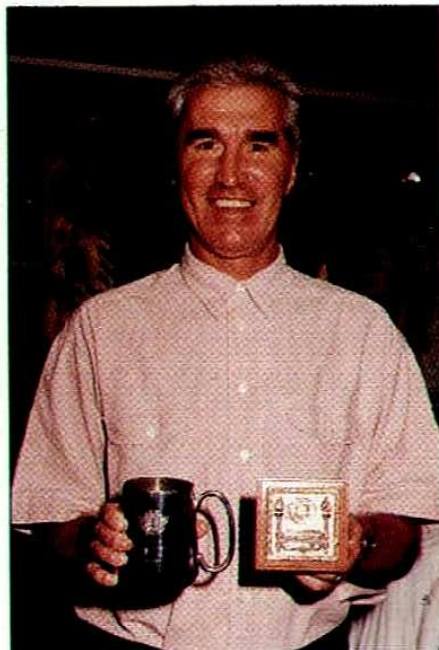
'It was the last home match of the 1971-72 Second Division Championship winning season against Swindon. We had lost at Middlesbrough the previous week and there were plenty of nerves in the camp. I had scored the only

goal in our previous home match against Sheffield Wednesday and was able to repeat that feat in this match. It had been a pretty uninspiring match until my 'classic' header just before half-time'.

Without any prompting Duncan recalls the build up.

'We had a corner which was only partially cleared out to our left flank; I stayed up in attack, Graham Paddon delivered a perfect cross and my header rocketed into the top left hand corner. No goalkeeper in the world would have saved it!'

Duncan cannot be modest about his goalscoring exploits but there can be no underestimating the importance of this particular strike which set City up for their final two games of the season at Orient and Watford. It is history now that first promotion and then the Championship were won in a period of eight days which Duncan recalls with great pride.



DUNCAN FORBES

'The victory against Swindon was vital, it set up the thrilling finale to the season at Orient and Watford. Very few players within our squad had any First Division

experience and we all desperately wanted to play in it. When I arrived at Norwich there was no telling how my career would take off. I was lucky to be in the right place at the right time as Norwich made great steps forward as a Club'.

With so many historic moments to choose from, maybe it is slightly surprising that this match with Swindon was the one Duncan selected without hesitation as his most memorable.

'Obviously the Wembley finals stick in the mind, but defeats in both games takes the shine off those occasions. I will always remember the League Cup quarter final at Highbury in 1972-73 when Graham Paddon scored a hat-trick in our 3-0 win. It isn't really the win I remember, but the injury I sustained in the process. I cracked a rib which in turn punctured my lung; I was taken to hospital in an ambulance and spent a few days in Holloway Hospital'.

One of Duncan's jobs after retiring from the game was to set up Club Canary, Norwich's successful travel club, a role which led to him seeing almost every match for six seasons.

'I enjoy watching football, but my most memorable day for Club Canary was our F.A. Cup quarter final at Brighton in 1983. We lost 1-0, an instantly forgettable match, but the organisation of about 2,000 fans kept me busy.

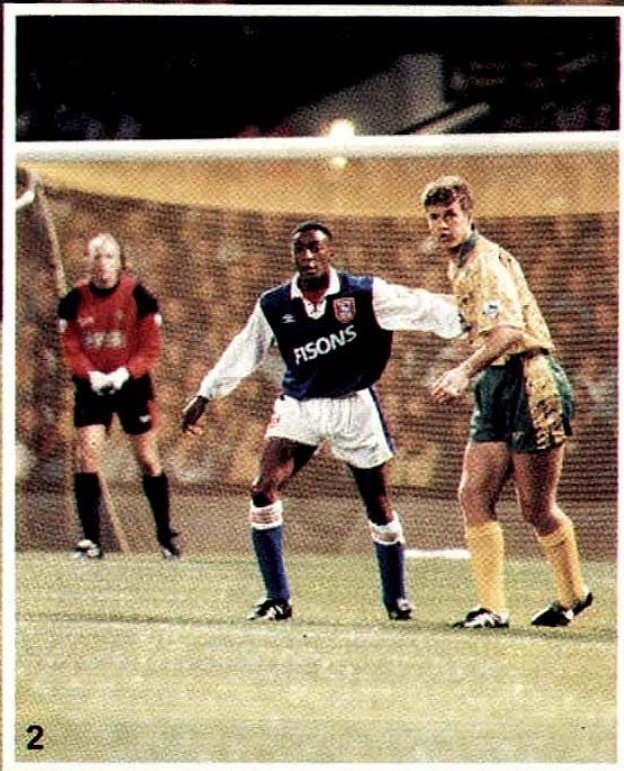
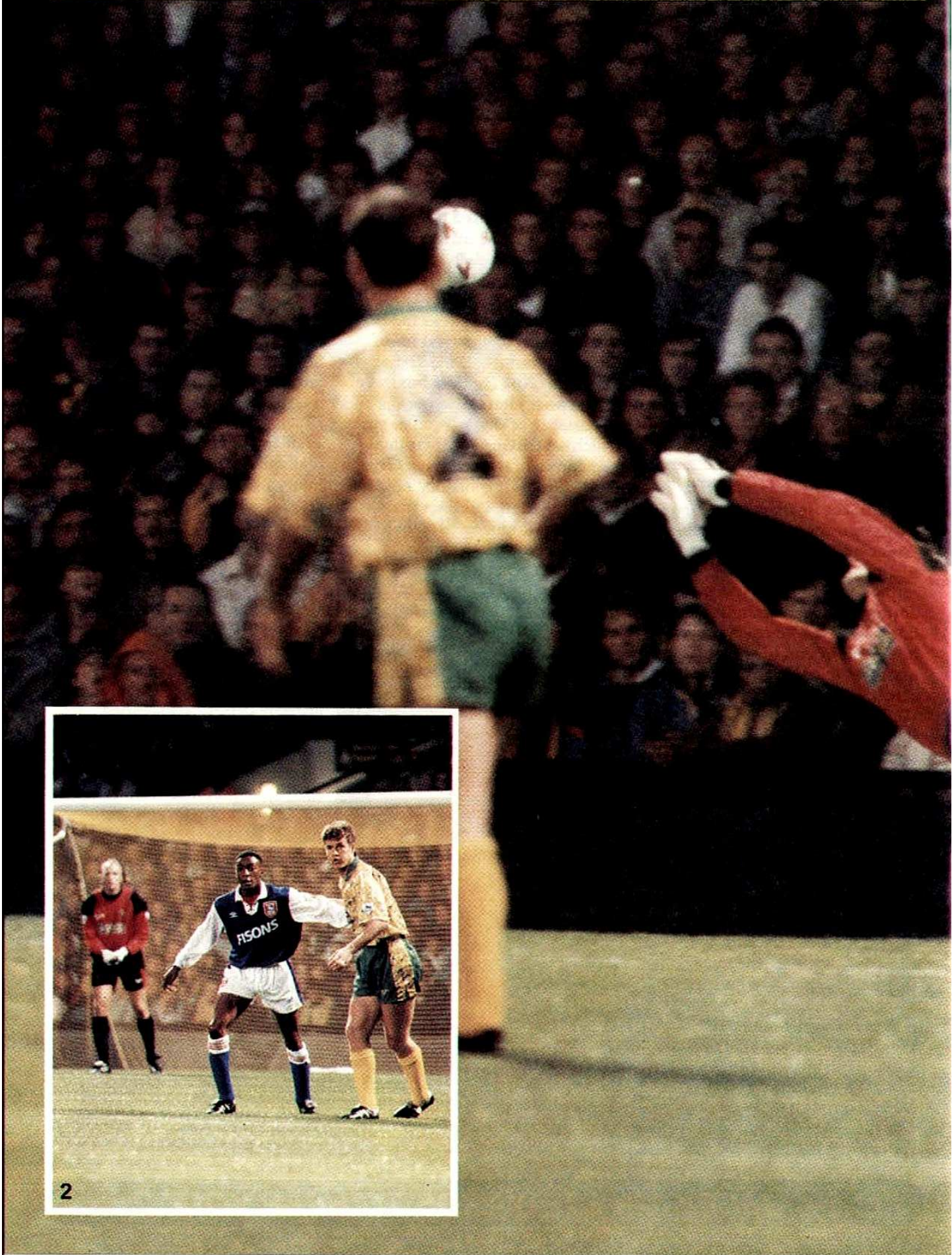
At Brighton railway station after the game, one of our three trains left for Norwich virtually empty which meant that we had to fit three trainloads of people into the two remaining trains. That was a real headache and it still haunts me!

Duncan, an adopted son of Norfolk, is still extremely popular and in demand for various functions around the county which proves just how much of a local institution he has become.

HELP OUR STEWARDS TO HELP YOU

Action from our rain sodden local derby with Ipswich. Bryan Gunn flies through the air to parry Mick Stockwell's piledriver (pic 1). Ian Butterworth stays close to Chris Kiwomya (pic 2). Mark Robins watches as his shot bounces back into play off the underside of the crossbar (pic 3). Rob Newman causes near post confusion (pic 4). Bryan Gunn fights for space in a crowded penalty area (pic 5).

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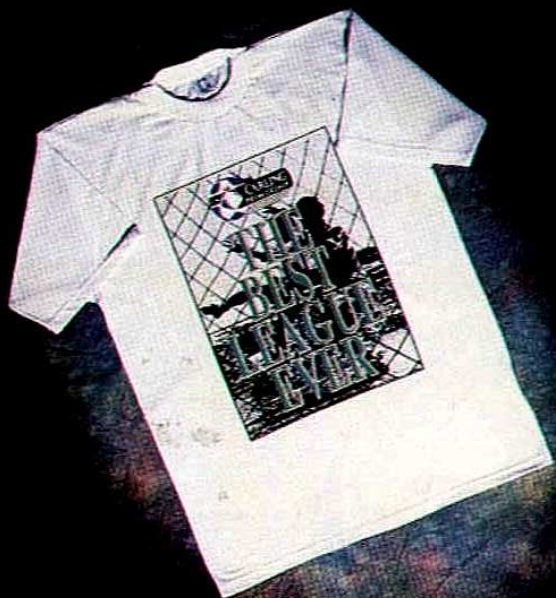




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Rob Newman, Ruel Fox, Chris Sutton and Mark Robins displayed their ten-pin bowling expertise as they beat the Ipswich team of Frank Yallop, David Linighan, Craig Forrest and Chris Kiwomya.

With Bryan Gunn as 'manager' how could we lose! A return is planned prior to the fixture at Portman Road in December.

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At the Ipswich game on Wednesday, Gordon Downes from Stowmarket received a commemorative tankard from our Supporters Forum Co-Ordinator Roy Blower to honour his

58 years of following the Canaries (pic below).



At half-time today 70 year old Dennis Carver becomes the third member of his family to receive a tankard to reward over 50 years of watching Norwich City. Dennis who has clocked up 58 years, lives in Swindon and follows in the footsteps of his father George and brother Jack. They have established a tremendous family tradition, long may it continue!

OPEN DAY SUCCESS

On Sunday August 8th, Carrow Road threw open its doors for our

Annual Open Day which gave City fans the chance to meet the players and view behind the scenes at the stadium.



Jerry Goss is pictured above signing autographs for some keen young fans.

The Supporters Forum held a raffle at the Open Day and Roy Blower has asked us to publish the winners.

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	HOME					AWAY					Pts	Avge. Att.	
	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F			A
Manchester Utd.	4	1	1	0	4	1	2	0	0	4	1	10	41,889
Liverpool	4	1	0	1	3	2	2	0	0	8	1	9	43,220
Norwich City	4	1	0	1	1	2	2	0	0	7	2	9	19,447
Everton	4	2	0	0	5	2	1	0	1	2	1	9	25,103
Ipswich Town	4	2	0	0	2	0	1	0	1	3	1	9	16,076
Blackburn	4	1	0	1	3	3	2	0	0	4	1	9	13,984
Tottenham	4	1	0	1	1	1	2	0	0	3	1	9	26,445
Arsenal	4	1	0	1	2	4	2	0	0	2	0	9	26,970
Coventry City	4	1	1	0	3	2	1	1	0	6	3	8	14,355
Sheffield Utd.	4	2	0	0	5	2	0	0	2	2	7	6	18,230
Aston Villa	4	1	0	1	5	3	0	2	0	2	2	5	36,284
Wimbledon	4	0	2	0	3	3	1	0	1	3	2	5	9,308
Chelsea	4	1	0	1	3	2	0	1	1	1	2	4	24,690
Newcastle Utd.	4	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	2	3	4	35,025
West Ham Utd.	4	1	0	1	2	2	0	1	1	1	2	4	19,902
Oldham Athletic	4	0	1	1	1	6	1	0	1	1	1	4	11,500
Leeds Utd.	4	1	0	1	1	4	0	1	1	2	3	4	33,298
Southampton	4	1	0	1	5	3	0	0	2	1	3	3	13,316
QPR	4	1	0	1	3	4	0	0	2	1	6	3	15,124
Manchester City	4	0	1	1	1	3	0	0	2	0	2	1	28,776
Sheffield Wed.	4	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	4	1	27,237
Swindon Town	4	0	0	2	0	6	0	0	2	2	8	0	14,991

FIRST TEAM APPEARANCES & GOALSCORERS 1993-94

Squad No.	Player	League Apps	League Goals	UEFA Apps	UEFA Goals	C.C.C. Apps	C.C.C. Goals	FA Cup Apps	FA Cup Goals
1	Bryan Gunn	4	0	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Mark Bowen	4	0	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Rob Newman	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Ian Crook	4	0	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Ian Culverhouse	4	0	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Efan Ekoku	0 (2)	0	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Colin Woodthorpe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	Gary Megson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	John Polston	4	0	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Jeremy Goss	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	Mark Robins	4	0	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	Scott Howie	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	Ruel Fox	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	Daryl Sutch	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	Lee Power	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	Ian Butterworth	4	0	-	-	-	-	-	-
18	Robert Ullathorne	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
19	Andy Johnson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	Darren Eadie	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21	David Smith	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
22	Chris Sutton	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
23	Deryn Brace	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	Andy Marshall	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25	Jamie Cureton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
26	Ade Akinbiyi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
27	Spencer Prior	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
28	Mark Walton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

F. A. PREMIER LEAGUE LEADING SCORERS

1993-94
(League Only)

Nigel Clough	Liverpool	4
Dalian Atkinson	Aston Villa	3
Tony Cottee	Everton	3
Ian Marshall	Ipswich Town	3
Mick Quinn	Coventry City	3
Teddy Sheringham	Tottenham	3
Chris Sutton	Norwich City	3

TODAY'S OTHER TOP FIXTURES

Saturday 28th August 1993

F.A. CARLING PREMIERSHIP

Arsenal v Everton
Aston Villa v Tottenham
Chelsea v Sheffield Wednesday
Liverpool v Leeds
Oldham v Wimbledon
Sheffield Utd v Ipswich
Southampton v Manchester Utd
West Ham v QPR

ENDSLEIGH INSURANCE LEAGUE Division One

Barnsley v Birmingham
Charlton v Bolton
Crystal Palace v Portsmouth
Derby v Bristol City
Grimsby v Tranmere
Leicester v Millwall
Luton v Nottm Forest
Notts County v Sunderland
Oxford Utd v Watford
Southend v Peterborough
Stoke v West Brom
Wolverhampton v Middlesbrough

Date	Opponents	F-A	Att.	Pts
Aug.	15 Manchester United	0-2	19,705	
	18 Blackburn	3-2	14,236	
	21 Leeds United	4-0	32,008	
	25 Ipswich	1-0	19,189	
	28 Swindon Town			
Sept.	1 Sheffield Wednesday			
	11 Wimbledon			
	15 Vitesse Arnhem (UEFA Cup - R1 1L)			
	18 Queens Park Rangers			
	22 Bradford City (C.C. Cup - R2 1L K.O. 7.30 pm)			
	25 Everton			
	28/29 Vitesse Arnhem (UEFA Cup - R1 2L)			
Oct.	2 Coventry City			
	6 Bradford City (C.C. Cup - R2 2L) K.O. 7.45 pm			
	16 Chelsea			
	20 UEFA Cup R2 1L			
	23 West Ham Utd			
	27 Coca-Cola Cup - R3			
	30 Arsenal			
Nov.	2 UEFA CUP - R2 2L			
	6 Sheffield United			
	20 Manchester City			
	24 Liverpool (UEFA Cup - R3 1L) K.O. 7.45 pm			
	27 Oldham Athletic			
Dec.	1 Coca-Cola Cup - R4			
	4 Manchester United			
	8 Blackburn Rovers (UEFA Cup - R3 2L) K.O. 7.45 pm			
	27 Tottenham Hotspur			
	29 Aston Villa K.O. 7.45 pm			
Jan.	1 Southampton			
	4 Newcastle United K.O. 7.45 pm			
	8 FA Cup - R3			
	12 Coca-Cola Cup - R5			
	15 Chelsea			
	22 West Ham United			
	29 FA Cup - R4			
Feb.	12 Arsenal			
	13 Coca-Cola Cup - Semi Final 1			
	16 Coca-Cola Cup - Semi Final 1			
	19 Swindon Town (FA Cup - R5)			
	23 Coca-Cola Cup - Semi Final 2			
	26 Sheffield Wednesday			
	27 Coca-Cola Cup - Semi Final 2			
Mar.	2 UEFA CUP - Quarter Final 1L			
	5 Wimbledon			
	12 Queens Park Rangers (FA Cup - R6)			
	16 UEFA CUP - Quarter Final 2L			
	19 Everton			
	26 Coca-Cola Cup Final			
	30 Newcastle United (UEFA Cup - Semi Final 1L)			
Apr.	2 Tottenham Hotspur			
	4 Aston Villa			
	13 UEFA CUP - Semi Final 2L			
	16 Manchester City			
	23 Sheffield United			
	27 UEFA Cup - Final 1L			
	30 Liverpool			
May	7 Oldham Athletic			
	11 UEFA Cup - Final 2L			
	14 FA Cup Final			

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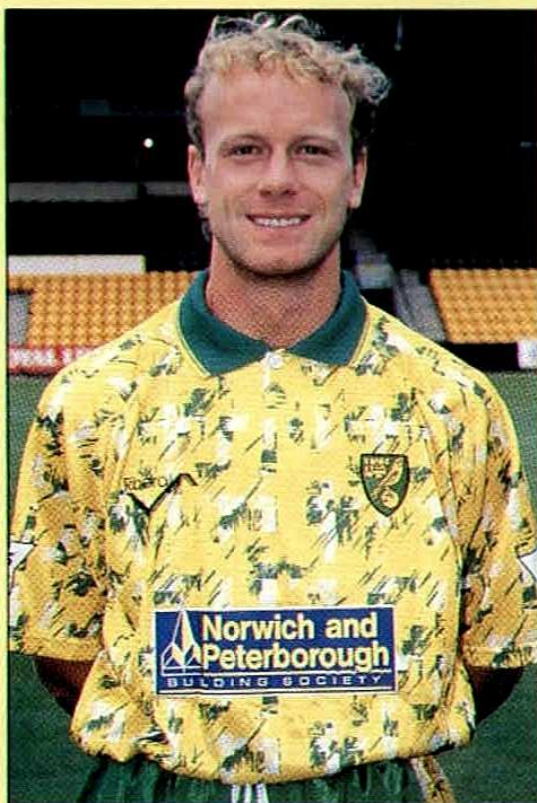
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Away from football David is a Schoolmaster who enjoys golf, coaching football, refereeing schoolboy rugby and taking Geography expeditions abroad.

FACTS AND STATISTICS

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MATCH LINE UP

NORWICH CITY		LADDBROKES FIRST GOALSCORERS ODDS	SWINDON TOWN		
1	BRYAN GUNN – Kept his second successive clean sheet against Ipswich on Wednesday. A good shot stopper who excels in one on one situations. Scottish international.	-	-	FRASER DIGBY – Former England Under 21 international goalkeeper with excellent reflexes and a very safe pair of hands. Former Manchester United trainee who cost Swindon £32,000.	1
5	IAN CULVERHOUSE – Scored his only goal in senior football against Swindon at Carrow Road back in 1988. Calm and assured defender with excellent distribution skills.	66/1	33/1	NICKY SUMMERBEE – Polished full back with accurate passing skills. He likes to get forward and is a good crosser of the ball. Former Swindon trainee.	2
10	JOHN POLSTON – Competitive character who thrives on a hard physical contest. Signed from Tottenham for £300,000 in July 1990. Central defender with good positional sense.	20/1	33/1	LUC NIJHOLT – Experienced former Dutch Under 21 international who covers in front of the back four. Joined Swindon during the summer after spending three seasons with Motherwell.	5
17	IAN BUTTERWORTH (Capt.) – Leads the side by setting a great example to his teammates. Reliable central defender who does not allow his opponent to settle on the ball.	40/1	33/1	SHAUN TAYLOR – Dominant central defender who is solid in the tackle and extremely powerful in the air. Very difficult to mark from set pieces.	6
3	ROB NEWMAN – Switched to a left sided midfield role against Ipswich on Wednesday, when he took a blow on the head which required stitches. Likes to arrive late in attacking positions.	14/1	16/1	JOHN MONCUR – Stylish midfielder with creative passing skills who learned his trade at the Tottenham 'academy'. Enjoying his first prolonged spell in First Team football.	7
14	RUEL FOX – Exciting player who creates a buzz in the stands whenever he receives the ball. Seems to be finding more goalscoring opportunities this season.	5/1	40/1	ROSS MacLAREN (Capt.) – Appointed captain after Colin Calderwood joined Tottenham. Steadying influence in the Swindon midfield, sometimes taking on a sweeper's role.	8
11	JEREMY GOSS – 'Man of the Match' against Ipswich on Wednesday when he crowned a superb all action midfield display with his second goal in successive matches.	12/1	9/1	JAN AAGE FJORTOFT – Scored for Norway against England last season, a goal which encouraged Swindon to pay £500,000 for his services during the summer.	9
4	IAN CROOK – Playing his 209th league game for the Canaries today. Innovative midfielder who is not afraid to try the difficult pass. City's dead ball expert.	12/1	14/1	MARTIN LING – Impish midfielder with neat control who likes to run at the opposition. Missed just three games in Swindon's promotion season.	10
2	MARK BOWEN – Returned to his more familiar defensive role against Ipswich. Constructive player who is quick to spot any attacking opportunity. Full Welsh international.	14/1	66/1	ADRIAN WHITBREAD – Another summer recruit who is settling into his new partnership with Shaun Taylor. Was very highly rated at Leyton Orient.	14
22	CHRIS SUTTON – Currently in superb form, his ability to receive the ball under pressure and keep attacks moving has added a new dimension to City's game this season.	9/2	50/1	KEVIN HORLOCK – Speedy defender who was signed from West Ham where he never quite made the First Team. Sharp in the tackle he passes the ball well.	16
12	MARK ROBINS – Desperately unlucky not to score against Ipswich in midweek when he hit the underside of the crossbar. Deadly striker who is adept at creating space for himself.	9/2	10/1	ANDY MUTCH – Swindon's latest capture, he arrived from Wolves earlier this month. Enjoyed a tremendous partnership with Steve Bull, he will be keen to score plenty of goals for his new club.	25
GK					GK

TODAY'S OFFICIALS

FORTHCOMING MATCHES

Referee:	D.R. Elleray (Harrow-on-the-Hill)	Quartered Flag	Fri 3rd September	Neville Ovenden Football Combination	
Linesmen:	A.P. D'urso (Shotgate)	Yellow Flag	Sat 4th September	v Brighton (at Diss Town)	Kick-off 3.00pm
Reserve Official:	M.G. Wright (Brentwood)		Sat 11th September	South East Counties League	Kick-off 11.00am
	K.M. Squirrell (Kings Lynn)			v Portsmouth (at Trowse)	Kick-off 3.00 pm
				F.A. Carling Premiership	
				v Wimbledon	

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