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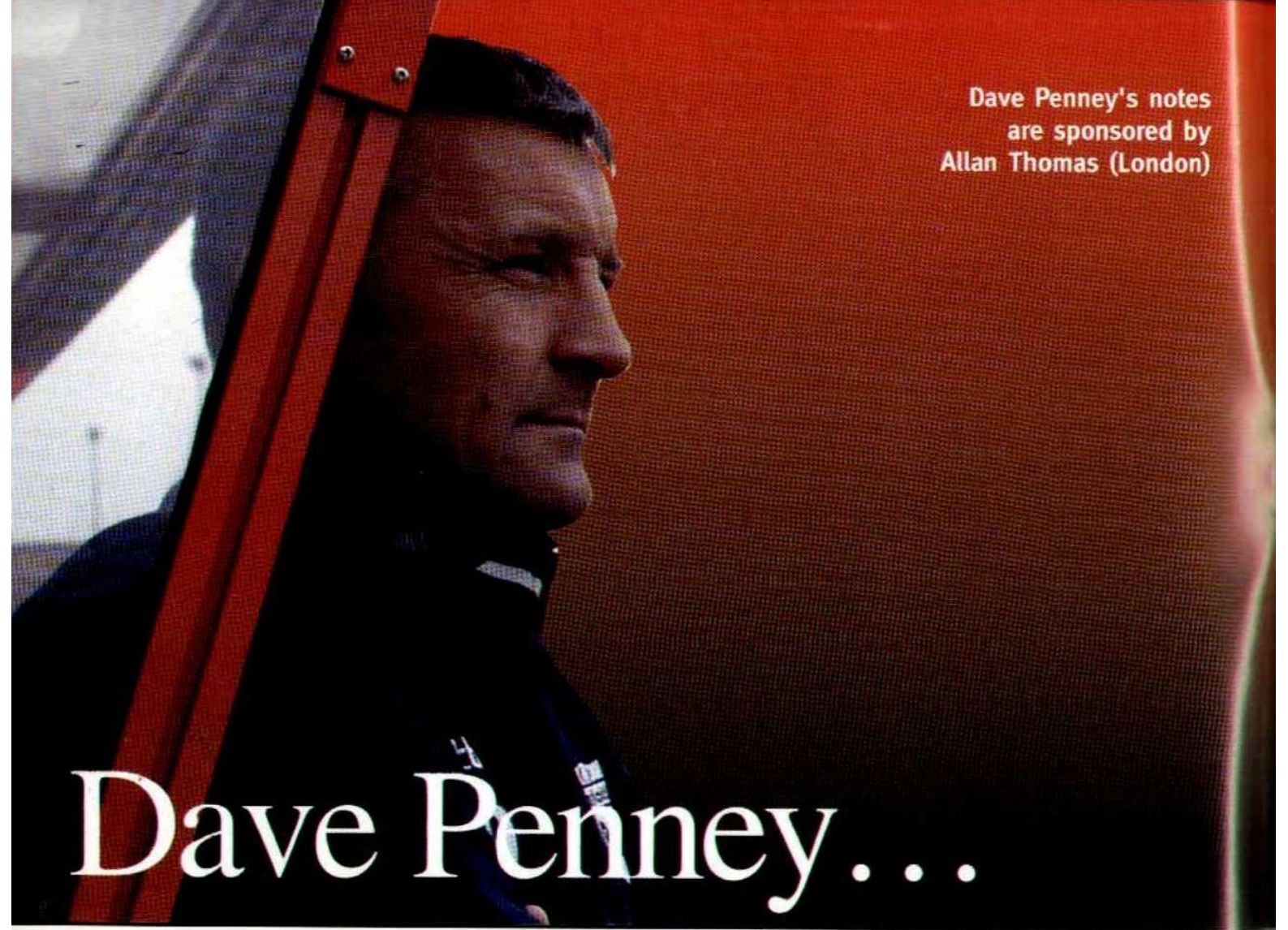
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# Dave Penney...

**Good afternoon, and welcome to Andy King, the players, directors, officials and supporters of Swindon Town who have made the journey from Wiltshire for this afternoon's game.**

After back-to-back wins against Peterborough and Barnsley we have now achieved what I consider to be enough points to ensure safety from relegation from League One. Fifty points has always been my target from day one of this season, and we achieved that on Tuesday night against Barnsley. Now the first target has been achieved, we are now in a

position to push forward for a top six spot and qualification for the play offs.

Swindon are in the same position of aiming for the play-off spots, being two points ahead of us after their midweek win against Port Vale, so this is an important game for both sides today and is really a "six-pointer".

Although we are only three points behind the play off places, some of the other clubs have got games in hand – but, as other clubs have found out, you have to win those games!

On Tuesday night, even though it was not a particularly big gate, you all got behind us and made a wall of sound that pushed us forward. It is vitally important that this happens today. It's easy to be vocal when you are winning 2-0 against our local rivals and it kept the players going to get another two

goals in the second half. We now need that kind of support from all of you from the very first minute when the score is 0-0, as well as later on in games that are not going our way, because your backing gives the lads an extra boost to become that "twelfth man".

We had hoped for a better gate on Tuesday evening, and I'm sure that everyone who was there will agree with me that those who did not come missed a great night out (if you were a Rovers fan!). Every fan coming through the gate gives the club a boost so get all your friends to come along.

Enjoy the game and have a safe journey home.

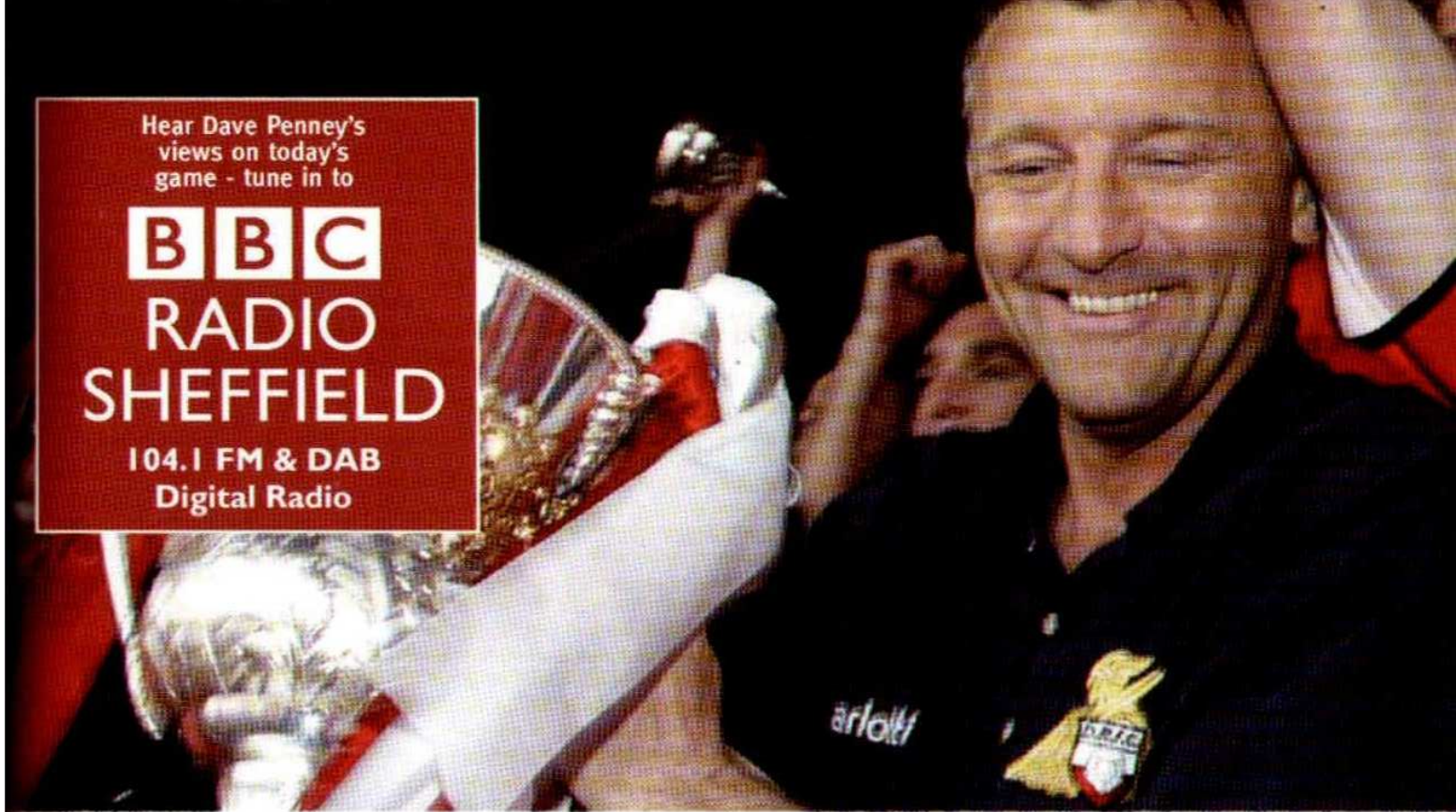
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Dave Penney

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# From the boardroom

Anyone who was present, like me, on Tuesday night must have been in dreamland as we beat our nearest rivals Barnsley 4-0.

Not only that but this season we have beaten them by an aggregate score line of 7-1 - it was truly breathtaking!

Our performance was absolutely magnificent and despite some provocation, all our players kept their heads, none more so than John Doolan, who had, in my opinion, his best ever game for Doncaster Rovers. He not only orchestrated midfield but scored a quite magnificent goal which must have stuck in the craw in Paul Hart's throat.

The only thing that probably annoys me a little bit whenever we stuff teams who are perceived bigger than ourselves, is that they also question how could we lose to "little Doncaster Rovers"? We are no longer little, and once we get our new stadium at the start of the 2006-07 season, we will have all the facilities to become big once again.

However, we desperately need more supporters coming through the gate, which is no more than this team deserves. Dave Penney and I are putting the new blue print together for next season, with the aim for some real quality players to boost what is already a first class squad. If we can win today, the play-offs

would become a real possibility, but if we don't get up this year (and I can assure you we want to), we must make it next season in readiness for when we are playing in our new stadium so we achieve our number one target of Championship League football.

I also would like to give a special mention to Gregg Blundell who was back to his imperious best on Tuesday. He was very unlucky not to get a hat-trick and laid on the super ball for "Doolie", although having said that, everyone played fantastically well. If we can repeat the form displayed on Tuesday today we have every chance of winning, although we know Swindon will be a tough nut to crack as they have their own play-off ambitions.

We are now up to eighth in the league, which is our highest place this season, so if we can keep this momentum going who knows where we may be by the end of the season! We have a tough programme ahead, but with the way our players are performing at the moment, we can match any team in the league.

I hope many of you have taken the opportunity to bring a child or a senior citizen today for our Quid-a-

Kid promotion and I urge you to get right behind the team.

We are definitely "Going4it" but, I repeat, I do need more bodies in the Earth Stadium, so please ask that friend or relative to come along. By the way, make sure you come along to the cabaret evening on Saturday, March 12th as Paul Halligan (AKA Miss Dinah Rodd) from Doncaster is Benidorm's top turn and at £3 a ticket, including pie and peas, it is a real bargain. You will be helping the club by showing your support, as you will for any event in the Rovers Return.

One of the best signings this club has made over the past year has been Terry Burdass who has returned as our Lottery Manager. I am very pleased that more and more people are joining the Rovers Saturday Yankee Lottery. I am also pleased that his scratch-off tickets have been well received. If you could sell a batch of 25 to 50 a week at work then please see him today.

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However, due to the size of crowd expected for the Dragons' game against Castleford on Bank Holiday Monday (28 March), we will NOT be picking up at Belle Vue that day for the Tranmere game, nor will fans be allowed to use the car park that day.

## Viking Bar opening prior to Sheffield Wednesday game

The Viking Supporters' Bar will be open at 10.30 am on the morning of the Wednesday game, to allow fans awaiting their coach pick-ups to shelter and have refreshment if they require. Coaches will depart from 11.30 am.

## Yorkshire England Supporters Meeting

There will be a meeting of YES (Yorkshire England Supporters) tomorrow at 2.00 pm in the Viking Supporters' Bar. This is open to anyone living locally who is interested in, or travels to, England matches, whether they are YES members or not. Agenda items include travel arrangements to home and away matches, Germany 2006, and the new Englandfans club membership. The bar will be open during the meeting.

### Sheffield Wednesday v Rovers

Sunday, 6th March 2005

#### Safety information

You are reminded that the visit to Hillsborough on Sunday 6 March (kick-off 2.00pm) is strictly ALL-TICKET for away fans.

Tickets for visiting supporters are now available from the Doncaster Rovers ticket office and admission to the game will be by prior booking only. No away tickets will be available on the day of the match.

Turnstiles will be open from 12.30pm on the afternoon of the game, and visiting fans are urged to allow sufficient time for their journey to enable them to enter the ground

by 1.45pm to avoid congestion at the turnstiles.

All supporters should be aware that South Yorkshire Police and club stewards will be acting very firmly to eject drunken supporters from the ground. Those who have consumed excessive alcohol represent a danger to the public, and will be arrested and processed through the courts.

After the match, in the interests of safety, Doncaster Rovers supporters will be asked to remain seated for a 5 to 10 minute period after the final whistle. This will give the police adequate time to clear the Leppings Lane exit area of home supporters and help all fans to get home safely.

Both clubs would be grateful if Doncaster fans would take note of the advice listed above, which has been issued to help to maximise their enjoyment of an eagerly-anticipated match.



## Jamie – luck of the Irish?

Former Rovers winger Jamie Lawrence looks as though he may be heading for Ireland in the summer, with Shamrock Rovers, Shelbourne and Cork City all reported to be interested in signing him. Lawrence has been playing for Brentford this season after being released by Grimsby Town in the summer.

*Jamie Lawrence in his days at the Rovers*

## League accepts transfer windows

The Football League has accepted defeat in its efforts to stop FIFA applying its transfer window restrictions across the board. They will join Premiership clubs in operating under the constraints from this summer onwards.

Football League director of operations Andy Williamson: "This is the third season where we've had an exemption. That will not apply any more - there's not going to be any further extended period of flexibility."

The world governing body has dug its heels in and ordered all English clubs to abide by their ruling, meaning transfers will only be permissible in the off-season and during January.

In abiding by FIFA's terms, the 72 Football League clubs will come into line with the Barclays Premiership, where the restrictions have been in place since the beginning of the 2001-02 campaign.

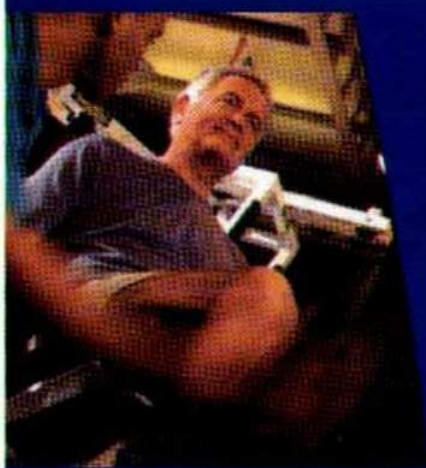


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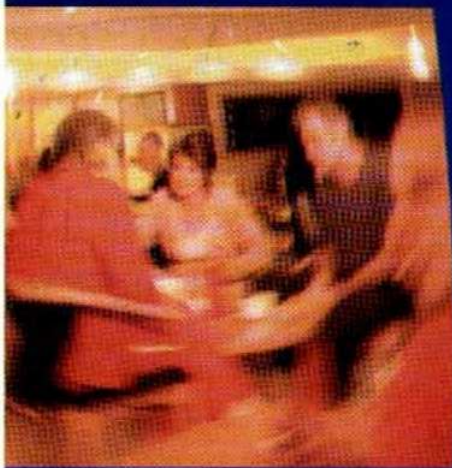
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# Viking Supporters' Co-operative

## A Word from YOUR Director

What can you say about a game like that? Brilliant!!

Another four goals past recent Premiership "giants", another double completed, and this time over local rivals, three points nearer the play-offs, and 90 minutes of awesome football to go with it!

You couldn't have written the script better! Gregg answered his critics with a blinding performance aided by superb balls to his feet and sustained electric pace which just left the Barnsley defence standing, and Barnsley paid the price for deciding to target Doolan instead of playing football. John just rose above all the efforts to unsettle him, kept playing despite the tackles that were flying in, produced a commanding midfield performance, and capped it all with a superbly taken 25-yard goal!

Oh, and even Dave's convinced we're staying up, now we've got to 50 points! The only disappointment was the 7,300 attendance, although the weather, and uncertainty as to whether tickets were available on the night, must have both played a part. Hopefully, the reports of the game and the fact that we are now really "Going4it" will have encouraged a few more to turn out today for a match against another of the teams who have their eyes on a play-off place. Let's get some more of that atmosphere we experienced on Tuesday night going again today, and see ourselves planted in the top six by teatime!

One thing that shone out against Barnsley was the unbelievable fitness of Gregg and Macca, but the TRUE test of fitness is yet to come! Yes, it's that time again when I dress up as Donny Dog and run the Doncaster Half Marathon! This year it's on Sunday, 3 April, and once again I will be running to raise funds for the Viking Coin Trail, which helps fund the Youth Team. Any sponsorship, however small, whether it be per mile, or

a fixed sum if I complete the whole 13+ miles, would be gratefully accepted. Last year, total sponsorship equated to just over £100 per mile, and I would like to achieve at least the same again this time to give the Youth Team fund a nice boost. All you need to do to sponsor Donny Dog is contact me with your name and the amount per mile or in total. I can be found on the door in the Viking Bar before or after any home game and travelling on the coach if we are away, or I can be reached by ringing 01777 703757 or by e-mail at andy.liney@virgin.net. You can also pledge an amount on-line by visiting our website at [www.vikingsc.co.uk](http://www.vikingsc.co.uk).

Alternatively, you could sponsor me for an amount for every minute I finish under three hours! Last year, I finished on 2 hours 59 minutes! Fancy the gamble?? Mind you, even running the half marathon, covered head to toe in a furry suit, pales into insignificance compared with walking from Brentford to Hartlepool! However, I'm pleased to report that the five intrepid heroes completed the walk on Tuesday, despite the blizzards they encountered over the last two days of their trek. Happily for them, their match went ahead despite earlier heavy snow. To have walked 286 miles and find the match postponed would have been something of a disappointment, not to mention having to walk all over again when it was rearranged! It's just a shame they lost! Well done, lads, anyway, for your sterling efforts!

Up the Rovers!  
Andy Liney

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Donny Dog in last year's half-marathon  
Picture courtesy Doncaster Free Press.



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The FA Charter Standard Scheme is best practice guide that sets standards of coaching, administration and child protection for clubs working with young people under 16 years old. As a benchmark for quality, it will improve the playing experience for all.

For more information on how your football club or school can achieve the Charter Standard Award and receive exclusive benefits from The FA and for information of clubs who are already Charter Standard accredited contact Marc Birkett on 0114 2414 992 or visit [www.SheffieldFA.com](http://www.SheffieldFA.com)

## Coach of the year

The Sheffield & Hallamshire County FA are launching the search to find the grassroots football coach of the year in conjunction with McDonald's, the FA's Official Community partner.

So often the unsung heroes of grassroots football, anyone with a great coach at their club knows just what a difference they can make. This award has been introduced to reward the often unrecognized contribution grassroots coaches make to football. The kind of differences that go much further than just improving

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Eric Harrison coaching children at last year's McDonalds Roadshow in Handsworth, Sheffield

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The winning coach will be decided on by a panel of some of the biggest names in English football. The five-strong panel includes Sir Trevor Brooking, FA Director of Football Development, Sir Geoff Hurst, Eric Harrison, Hope Powell OBE, the England Women's Coach. As well as an overall national winner, 43 FA County and nine FA regional coaches will be recognised for their commitment to English football.

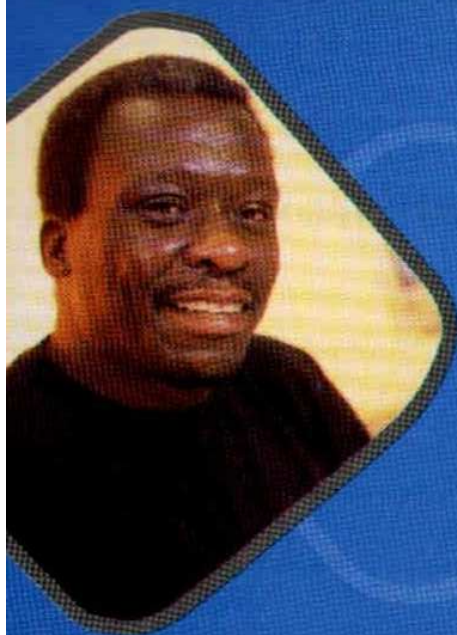
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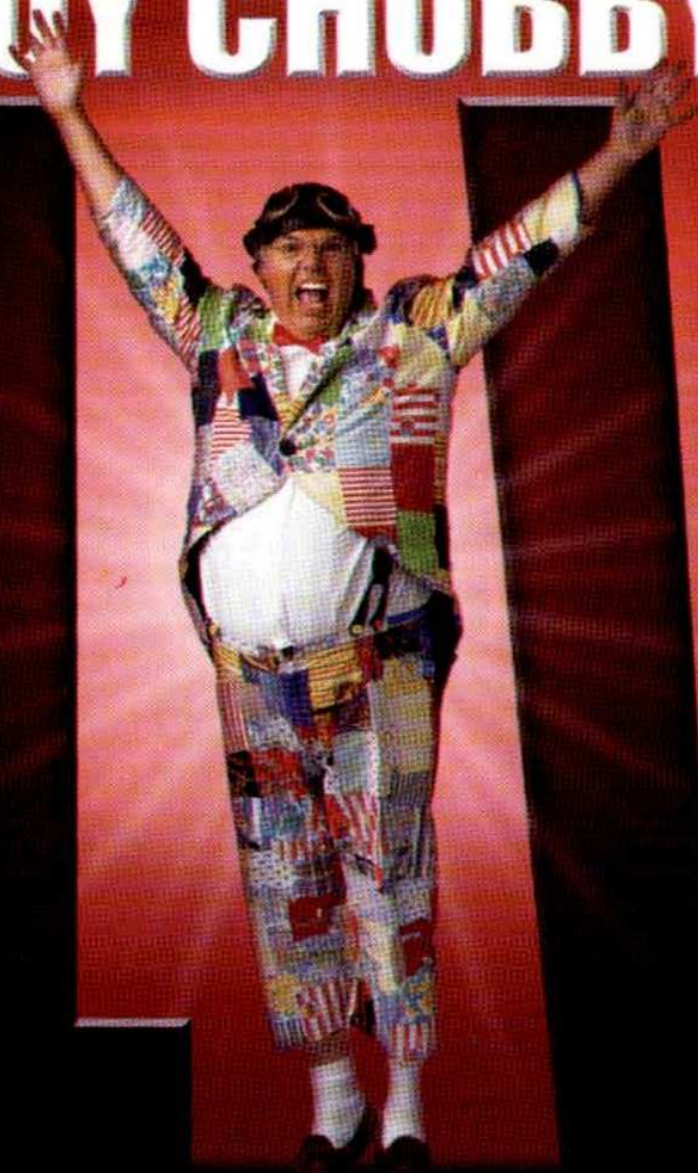
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McIndoe

**Substitutes:**  
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Roberts, 87), McSparran (for McIndoe, 87),  
Priet, Flitney

**Barnsley:**  
Tumbull, Hassell, Austin, Reid, Vaughan, Kay,  
Shuker, Burns, McPhail, Chopra, Boulding

**Substitutes:**  
T Williams (for Shuker, 45), Wroe, Tonge,  
Nardiello, Flinders

Attendance: 7,286

Referee: U. Rennie (Sheffield)  
Assistant referees: D. Morrison & T. Massey

**Goals:** Rovers: Blundell (16,32), Doolan (69),  
Green (83)  
Barnsley: none

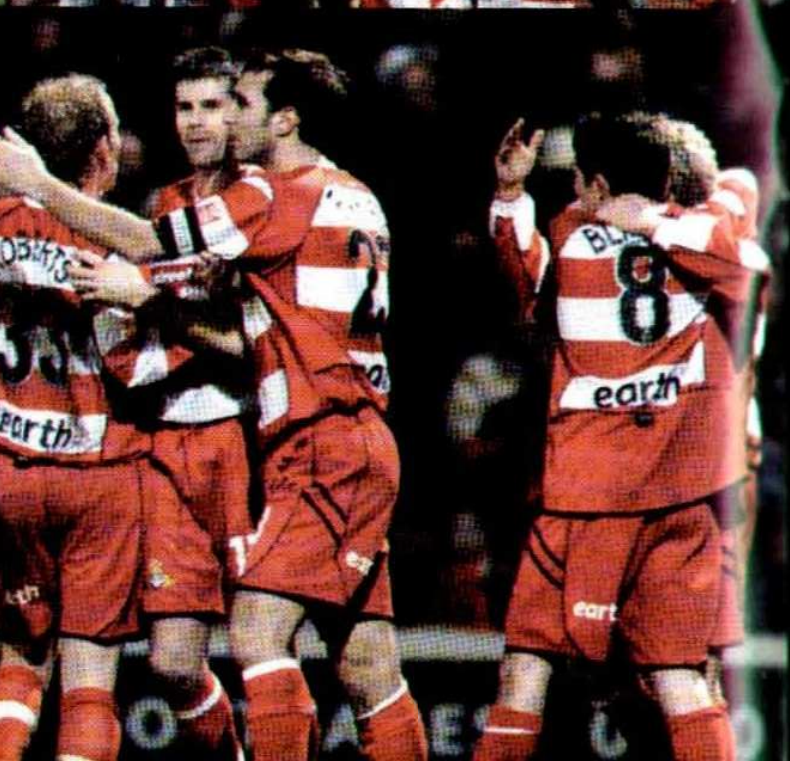
**Yellow cards:**  
Rovers: None  
Barnsley: Burns, Hassell, Boulding

**Red cards:**  
Rovers: None  
Barnsley: Vaughan (serious foul play, 38 mins)

Report by Paul Gilligan  
Statistics by John Coyle  
Photographs by Paul Gilligan & Howard Roe



# Match Action





The sight of Barnsley supporters streaming out of Belle Vue on Tuesday night despite there being twenty minutes left for play spoke volumes for a sterling Doncaster performance that fairly eclipsed their South Yorkshire rivals. The home side thoroughly deserved this victory against a Barnsley outfit that looked desperately short on confidence and inspiration, whilst Rovers gained in confidence as the match progressed, with the final score line a more than fair reflection on the evening's events.

Blundell opened the scoring for the Rovers on sixteen minutes with a crisp right foot strike, and then doubled his tally on the half-hour, with Roberts having dispossessed a visiting defender before Blundell chipped wide of the luckless Turnbull. The match exploded five minutes before the break, when Vaughan took out Coppinger with a horrendous challenge, and a brief and ugly melee followed. Vaughan was dispatched from the field with a straight red card, and others may well have followed him on another occasion.

Barnsley began the second half in determined fashion, and the Rovers were forced to defend their lines for the first time. However, Doolan effectively closed the match out with a exquisite curling chip from thirty yards and the exodus of Barnsley fans began in earnest. With a three goal lead, the Rovers were now in almost total control, and the Barnsley goal survived a series of narrow escapes as the game drew to a close. Green crowned an excellent personal performance by tapping home McIndoe's corner with six minutes left.

This was undoubtedly one of the Rovers best performances of the season, and, following their previous victory at Peterborough last Saturday, will serve to boost their confidence still further for what remains of the season. Whatever follows in the next two months, the Rovers have done remarkably well to adapt to yet another higher grade of football, and it is to their credit that their self imposed safety net of fifty points has been reached with so many games still to play.



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# The Half Time Quiz

How many of these questions can you answer without having to look at the answers?

- Which country won the 2000 African Cup of Nations?
- What have Shamrock Rovers won more times than any other club?
- What did Hibernian and Celtic compete for in 1953?
- Under what name were Swindon Town formed in 1881?
- Because of the alleged irregular payments in 1990, which club were promoted instead of Swindon from the play-off finals?
- What year did Swindon win the Anglo-Italian Cup?
- Who has made the most league appearances for Swindon Town?
- Who eliminated England from the 1964 European Championships?
- Which minnows did Scotland meet in the qualifying groups for both Euro 1996 and Euro 2000?
- Where did Frank Sinclair begin his League career?
- Who was Everton's goalkeeper during their 1995 FA Cup victory?
- Who withdrew from the 1950 World Cup as they weren't allowed to play barefoot?
- Which manager gave Steve Staunton his League debut?
- Which team was formerly known as Newton Heath?
- And which club were formerly known as Small Heath?
- Which Spanish side did Steve McManaman join in 1999?
- Which British team did Tore Andre Flo join after leaving Chelsea?
- Which is the only English club to have won the European Cup-Winners Cup twice?
- Vladimir Smicer and Patrik Berger have both played for which country?
- What record fee did Arsenal pay Inter Milan for Dennis Bergkamp in 1995?
- Which team won the Premier League in 1995?
- Which club's ground is known as Stamford Bridge?
- Who scored four goals for Manchester United against his old club in 1999?
- Who is the youngest-ever winner of the World Cup?
- Denis Law played for which country?
- Who scored England's second goal in the 1966 World Cup final?
- What is the name of Aston Villa's stadium?
- Which Dutch star was famous for wearing protective goggles during Euro 2000?
- Which side reached the League Cup final three times between 1997 & 2000?
- At which club did Dennis Bergkamp begin his career?

## The brain teaser

From the following career statistics, can you work out who the player is?

All time playing career

Team	Season	Apps	sub	goals
DONCASTER ROVERS	1985-1988	59	7	12
Sheffield United	1998-1993	198	0	83
Leeds United	1993-1997	131	7	32
Sheffield United	1997-1998	24	0	11
Benfica	1998-1999	-	-	-
Middlesbrough	1998-2001	72	15	18
Leicester City	2001-2003	44	8	19
West Ham United	2003-2004	9	17	6
Leeds United	2004-2005	20	5	6
CAREER TOTAL		557	59	187

**Answers:** 1 - Cameroon; 2 - The Football Association of Ireland Cup; 3 - The Coronation Cup; 4 - Spartans; 5 - Sunderland; 6 - 1970; 7 - John Trollope (70 games); 8 - Czechoslovakia; 9 - Faroe Islands; 10 - Chelsea; 11 - Neville Southall; 12 - India; 13 - Kenny Dalglish (Liverpool); 14 - Manchester United; 15 - Birmingham City; 16 - Real Madrid; 17 - Rangers; 18 - Chelsea; 19 - Czech Republic; 20 - £7.5 million; 21 - Blackburn Rovers; 22 - Chelsea; 23 - Andy Cole; 24 - Pele; 25 - Scotland; 26 - Martin Peters; 27 - Villa Park; 28 - Edgar Davids; 29 - Leicester City; 30 - Ajax

The Brain Teaser: Brian Deane

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# The Rovers & The Robins

A Potted History by Paul Gilligan

The league record between the Rovers and this afternoon's visitors, Swindon Town, is a curious one. Indeed, the two sides have previously met on just eleven earlier occasions, with the first meeting being as recently as March 1959 in the old Third Division, when the teams met over the Easter Holiday. Two goals from



JIM FLETCHER

Fletcher gave the Rovers a good win over the "Robins" at Belle Vue, before the teams fought out a goalless draw at the County Ground, some three days later. The teams met next during the 1966/67 season, after the Rovers had won the Fourth Division Championship during the previous season. The 1966/67 campaign proved to be a disastrous affair with the Rovers eventually being relegated, but not before they had completed a league "double" over Swindon. Moreover, their win at the County Ground in October, 1966, proved to be their only away success in a season where they conceded seventy seven goals away from home. A single goal from Sheffield was enough to

take the points, and Coleman was on the mark for the Rovers some four months later, when they enjoyed a home victory by the same score line. There were more league meetings during the 1980's. The first, at the County Ground in October, 1981, saw a wonder long range goal from Lister plus another, more modest effort from fellow defender, Russell, which earned the Rovers another point away from home. The return fixture ended in a goalless draw at Belle Vue. Swindon were therefore still to defeat the Rovers in a league game, but they managed to open their account two years later, after both had been relegated to the Fourth Division again. Ian Snodin's penalty was not enough on the day as two goals from the home side took the points. The Rovers exacted full revenge



BILLY RUSSELL

later in the season however, and a comprehensive three goal defeat for the "Robins" followed in April, 1984, thanks to goals from the Snodin brothers and Russell.

There were to be only two further meetings for the teams prior to this season. Both ended in draws during the 1986/87 season, and, after a gap of some seventeen years, a draw followed in this



IAN SNODIN

season's first meeting, back in December. So Swindon can boast of but one league victory in their eleven previous meetings with the Rovers, and have yet to win in six previous visits to Doncaster. For their part, the Rovers will be looking to add to their four previous league wins against the "Robins", and will be guarding that unbeaten home record with a passion. We look forward to another close encounter.

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# The Visiting Manager

Andy King



Andy made his name as a player, having joined Luton, his hometown, in 1974, with his lively performances in midfield eventually attracting the attention of Everton. The move to the Toffees in 1976 cost the Merseyside club £35,000, and Andy went on to make over 150 appearances for the club, also scoring 38 times before he moved to Queens Park Rangers.

Just one season at Loftus Road was followed by a year at West Bromwich Albion. A return to Goodison Park came for the 1982/83 season, where he made another 43 appearances before a short time with Dutch side Cambuur, then a 28-game spell with Wolves back in England. His final playing clubs were Luton and Aldershot, and then he turned his attention to coaching.

Andy's first managerial appointment came in 1993 when he was appointed as manager at Mansfield Town following George Foster's departure. The club had just been relegated, but King steered them to a mid-table finish after stabilising their situation. The following season saw the Stags challenging for promotion, but they fell at the play-off semi final stage. A disappointing 1995/96 season, with a 19th place finish, saw King replaced by Steve Parkin. Whilst waiting for another managerial position to turn up, Andy spent some time with former Everton team-mate Peter Reid at Sunderland, where he acted as a scout. It was 2000 by the time his next

move came, when he was invited to become Colin Todd's assistant manager at Swindon Town. Soon after Andy had arrived at the County Ground, Todd moved to Derby County as Jim Smith's assistant manager, and King was given a short time to in charge to impress chairman Terry Brady. He did well enough in those four games to be handed the job permanently in November 2000. Swindon struggled against relegation that season, but survival was assured in the penultimate match of the season. The "late escape" was not enough to save King though, and he was replaced by Roy Evans, the former Liverpool manager. However, Evans left the club before the end of the year, and King (who had taken legal action against his former employers regarding his dismissal) was reinstated in December 2001.

The second spell was more successful, with his side moulded into promotion challengers, and just missed the play-off places in 2001/02 and 2002/03. A great run early in 2004 suggested a further improvement in 2003/04, with the side rising to the play-off places in Division Two – eventually finishing fifth, going out of the play-offs at the semi-final stage to Brighton.

## Connections

### Paul Gilchrist

Paul Gilchrist was born in Dartford on January 5th 1951. He joined Charlton Athletic as an amateur in March 1968, played seven games for them, two as sub, in the 1969/70 season as Charlton finished third off bottom of the second division. He had a loan spell at non-league Yeovil Town and were offered to them as a permanent transfer, but the Glovers decided against the move. After four games he returned to the Valley.

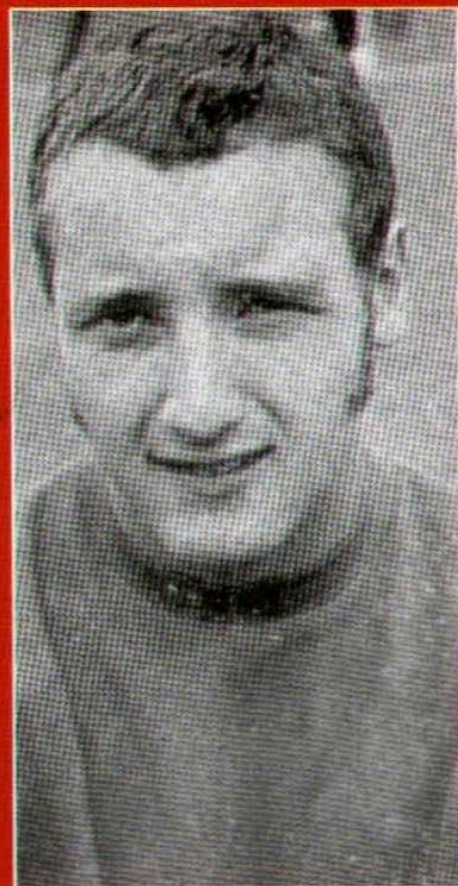
He joined Rovers in July 1971 but didn't make his debut until September 29th when he scored the only goal in a 1-0 win at Crewe. The forward was left out of the next match, a defeat at Gillingham, with Steve Briggs preferred up front. After that he kept his place for a further 21 games, scoring eight goals in his 22 Rovers appearances, including four in two games against Stockport and Barrow in early January.

On March 8th 1972, transfer deadline day, Lawrie McMenemy manager of First Division Southampton paid £30,000 to take Gilchrist (Rodney Marsh moved from QPR to

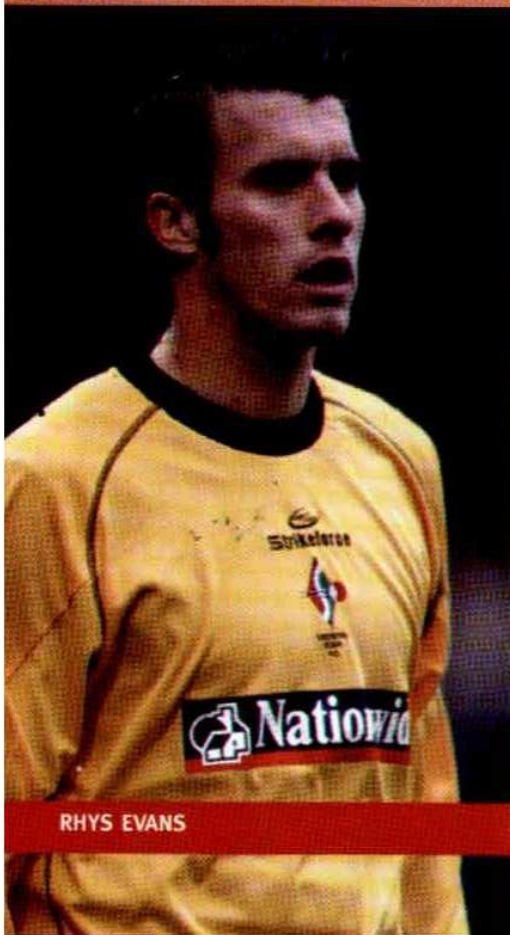
Manchester City for £200,000 the same day). His first Southampton game was as substitute at home to Liverpool, with his full debut three days later at Highbury in place of the experienced Ron Davies.

His greatest moment in football came when he won an FA Cup winners medal as Second Division Southampton beat Manchester United in the 1976 competition. After 17 goals in 107 Southampton games he became one of just eight players that have played for both Southampton and Portsmouth. Three goals in 38 games was followed by a move to Swindon in August 1978, who were then managed by Bobby Smith. His record at Swindon was impressive with six goals in ten games, but after a heavy defeat he was one of a number of changes made and he made a further seven substitute appearances before joining Hereford in March 1980.

A spell non league saw followed before his retirement. He was last known working as a service advisor for BMW.



# Swindon Town



RHYS EVANS



SEAN O'HANLON

## **Rhys Evans (goalkeeper)**

Born in Swindon, Rhys signed a 2-year deal in July 2003 after being released by Chelsea. An England under-21 international, he has plenty of belief in his own ability. He is an excellent shot-stopper with a good command of his area.

## **Sean O'Hanlon (defender)**

A former England youth international, Sean originally signed on a month's loan from Everton last January, and eventually moved to Town as part of a transfer deal involving Leigh Mills moving in the other direction. A rock at the heart of the Swindon defence, he is strong, aggressive and quick.

## **Grant Smith (midfielder)**

Grant is a versatile player who can play in defence, midfield or attack, but is usually found on the left of midfield. He moved to the County Ground after being released from Sheffield United during the summer of 2003.

## **Matthew Hewlett (midfielder)**

A central midfielder, Matt was handed the captain's armband last season, and seemed to relish the responsibility, with some gritty displays in the centre of the park. He arrived at Town from Bristol City in 2000 on a "Bosman", and has been virtually ever-present since then. A hard working midfielder with good passing skills.

## **Jamie Slabber (striker)**

Jamie joined Swindon on loan from Tottenham Hotspur in December, and will remain at the County ground until the end of the season, when his Spurs contract expires. A young centre-forward who has just passed his 20th birthday.

## **Steve Jenkins (defender)**

Much travelled Steve is currently on loan from Peterborough, having previously played for Swansea, Huddersfield, Birmingham, Cardiff and Notts County. Aged 32, he arrived at the County Ground in October 2004.

## **Sammy Igoe (midfielder)**

Nicknamed "The Showman", Sammy began his career at Portsmouth, before moves to Reading and Luton. He brings a fresh enthusiasm to the Town side and has quickly established himself as a crowd favourite with his quick feet, sublime skills and turn of pace.

## **Rory Fallon (striker)**

Rory signed from Barnsley in November 2003 after impressing in matches against Swindon. A big, battling, tough centre forward with superb aerial ability, with good touch for his size.

## **Stefani Miglioranza (midfielder)**

Brazilian-born Stefani is described by fans as the "Rolls Royce of the midfield" when he's in form, gliding across the pitch, able to pick out passes with great vision. He joined Swindon in July 2002, but is a product of the America College football system, playing for MLS team Chicago Fire before joining Portsmouth.

## **David Duke (midfielder)**

Duke arrived on a free transfer from Sunderland in 2000 having never appeared for the Sunderland first team, but has hardly missed a game for Swindon since. His hard work and versatility means he is now a vital cog in Andy King's midfield. Usually found on the left of midfield despite being right-footed.

## **Jerel Ifil (defender)**

Fans favourite Jerel, often known as the best, signed for Swindon initially on a three-month loan, and is often known to mark a number of opponents into obscurity. A central defender signed from Watford, he has good pace, is firm in the tackle and adds pace to Swindon's defence.

## **Matthew Bulman (goalkeeper)**

Eighteen-year old Matthew is the youth team goalkeeper whose first team experience comprises of Town's pre-season trip to Devon with the first team squad.

## **Christian Roberts (striker)**

Born in Cardiff, Christian joined Town from Bristol City in October 2004 after his first team chances were rare at Ashton Gate. He moved to Bristol impressing for Exeter City, and has plenty of pace and skill, terrorising defenders with his direct style of play.

## **Andrew Nicholas (defender)**

"Nicho" left Liverpool in summer 2003 after struggling to make their first team squad, but was an Under-19 regular at Anfield. With good height, pace and recovery, he has made the left back slot his own, and possesses a good long throw.

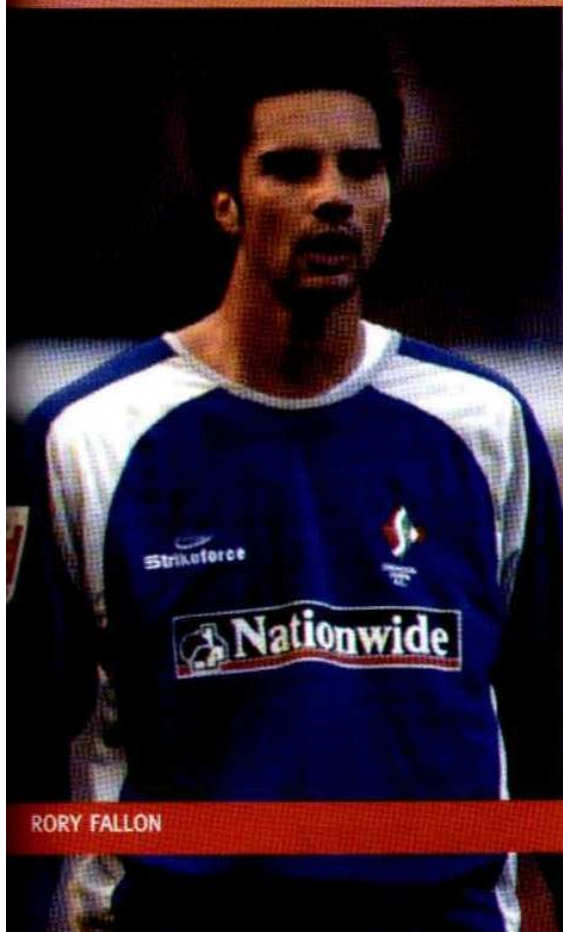
## **Steve Robinson (defender)**

Now celebrating the completion of four years at the County Ground after signing from Birmingham City, Steve's non-stop attitude and 100% work rate have proved to be an outstanding asset to the club.

## **Brian Howard (midfielder)**

A 20-year old left sided midfielder, Brian joined from Southampton in 2003, and is an England youth international. He is good at set-pieces and corner kicks, and has now established himself as a first team regular.





RORY FALLON

**Alan Reeves (defender/coach)**

With over 500 senior appearances to his credit, Alan arrived at Swindon in June 1998 having previously turned out for Norwich, Gillingham, Chester, Rochdale and Wimbledon. His presence and willingness to throw himself into the thick of things suggests that he is not ready to hang up his boots yet, despite having taken on coaching duties and responsibility for the reserves.

**Matthew Heywood (defender)**

A reliable and consistent defender who relishes aerial battles, and has now accumulated well over 150 appearances for the club since joining in 2001. A former Player of the Year winner, it is no coincidence that Town's defensive record improved dramatically following his arrival.

**Steve Book (goalkeeper)**

Veteran keeper Steve joined Swindon last summer after being released by Cheltenham, and provides competition for first choice Rhys Evans. An agile keeper, who has played well over 200 senior games in his career, which also includes Forest Green Rovers.

**Lee Holmes (midfielder)**

An attacking left-sided midfielder, 17-year old Lee is currently on loan at Swindon from Derby County. An England under-17 international.

**Michael Pook (midfielder)**

Aged 18, Michael made his debut against Boston United in the LDV Trophy last season, but is yet to make a League appearance.

**Luke Garrard (defender)**

A confident young right back who figured prominently in Swindon's FA Youth campaign last season, and made his first team debut against Oldham at the end of the 2003/04 season.

**Andy Caton (striker)**

A former Southampton trainee who likes to play on the left side of the attack, possessing good pace. A first-year scholar, he has made an occasional first team appearance on the bench.



# One to Watch

## Sam Parkin (striker)

Nationality: English  
 Born: Roehampton  
 Date of birth: 14th March 1981  
 Height: 6ft 2ins  
 Weight: 135st 0lbs

**Career statistics (league games only):**

Chelsea (2000-2002) trainee, 0 apps, 0 sub, 0 goals  
 Millwall (2000) (loan) 5 apps, 2 sub, 4 goals  
 Wycombe Wanderers (2000-2001) (loan) 5 apps, 3 sub, 0 goals  
 Oldham Athletic (2001) (loan) 3 apps, 4 sub, 3 goals  
 Northampton Town (2001-2002) (loan) 31 apps, 9 sub, 4 goals  
 Swindon Town (2002-2005) 109 apps, 4 sub, 62 goals

A young, promising striker who arrived at the County Ground from Chelsea in August 2002. A first team place at Stamford Bridge was impossible due to the huge number of continental stars, so he went to Millwall, Wycombe, Northampton and Oldham on loan. Strong on the ball and devastating in the box, he won most of the "Player of the Year" awards at the club in 2003.

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3571	Thomas Curtis
3479	M Whitfield
3577	Chris Bartliff
4579	Louise Spring
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3	Kempton	3.35	CH4
4	Kempton	4.10	CH4

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- Unused Substitute
- Booked
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Date	Opponent	Venue	Result	Att	Away Att	Pos	Pts	Goal Scorers
Sat 07 August	BLACKPOOL	H	W 2-0	7,082	1,263	3	3	RYAN(8), FORTUNE WEST(81)
Tue 10 August	Brentford	A	L 3-4	5,621	785	9	3	McINDOE(4)(pen 45), GREEN(84)
Sat 14 August	Bradford City	A	L 0-2	10,444	2,060	18	3	
Sat 21 August	TRANMERE ROVERS	H	D 0-0	6,040	639	17	4	
Tue 24 August	CC1 PORT VALE	H	W 3-1	3,943	-	-	-	FORTUNE WEST(36), DOOLAN(53), McINDOE(54)
Sat 28 August	Colchester United	A	L 1-4	3,803	592	19	4	DOOLAN(45)
Mon 30 August	HUDDERSFIELD TOWN	H	W 2-1	7,058	1,707	18	7	FORTUNE WEST(28), GREEN(53)
Sat 04 September	WALSALL	H	W 3-1	6,146	571	13	10	FENTON(20), McINDOE(50), BLUNDELL(88)
Sat 11 September	Milton Keynes Dons	A	W 1-0	4,334	1,286	8	13	ALBRIGHTON(66)
Sat 18 September	OLDHAM ATHLETIC	H	D 1-1	6,775	981	9	14	McINDOE (pen 44)
Tue 21 September	CC2 IPSWICH TOWN	H	W 2-0	6,020	-	-	-	RAVENHILL(6), McSPORRAN(46)
Sat 25 September	AFC Bournemouth	A	L 0-5	6,588	650	13	14	
Tue 28 September	LDV1 Lincoln City	A	W 1-0	1,875	541	-	-	BEARDSLEY(77)
Sat 02 October	WREXHAM	H	D 0-0	7,567	-	14	15	
Fri 08 October	Port Vale	A	L 0-2	5,314	1,049	15	15	
Sat 16 October	TORQUAY UNITED	H	D 2-2	5,529	-	16	16	McINDOE(18, 27)
Wed 20 October	Barnsley	A	W 3-1	12,478	5,320	15	19	REID(og, 45), BLUNDELL(57) VAUGHAN(OG, 59)
Sat 23 October	Chesterfield	A	D 0-0	6,219	1,701	15	20	
Tue 26 October	NOTTINGHAM FOREST (CC3)	H	L 0-2	9,261	-	-	-	
Sat 30 October	PETERBOROUGH UNITED	H	W 2-1	6,039	-	11	23	MCINDOE (3), GREEN (87)
Tue 02 November	Hereford United (LDV 2)	A	L 1-1	1,375	138	-	-	RIGIOLIOSO (59). AET 1-1. Lost 1-3 on pen
Sat 06 November	Hartlepool Utd	A	L 1-2	5,495	886	14	23	ROBERTS (30)
Sat 13 November	Tiverton Town (FAC1)	A	W 3-1	1,618	421	-	-	MCINDOE (18), FENTON (26), BLUNDELL (84)
Sat 20 November	STOCKPORT COUNTY	H	W 3-1	6,697	-	12	26	BLUNDELL (9, 68), RYAN (65)
Sat 27 November	Luton Town	A	D 1-1	8,142	1,062	12	27	ROBERTS (82)
Sat 04 December	Exeter City (FAC2)	A	L 1-2	4,797	508	-	-	BLUNDELL (86)
Tue 07 December	BRISTOL CITY	H	D 1-1	5,608	-	12	28	ROBERTS (35)
Sat 11 December	Swindon Town	A	D 1-1	5,452	494	13	29	BLUNDELL (39)
Sun 19 December	SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY	H	L 0-4	10,131	-	16	29	
Sun 26 December	MILTON KEYNES DONS	H	W 3-0	6,153	-	13	32	EDDS (o.g., 9), JOHNSON (60,62)
Wed 29 December	Hull City	A	L 1-2	24,137	3,383	14	32	MULLIGAN (45)
Sat 01 January	Walsall	A	D 1-1	6,021	888	14	33	BENNETT (o.g., 10)
Mon 03 January	AFC BOURNEMOUTH	H	D 1-1	6,016	-	14	34	GREEN (69)
Sat 08 January	PORT VALE	H	W 2-0	5,209	-	11	37	RYAN (45), GREEN (90)
Sat 15 January	Oldham Athletic	A	W 2-1	7,401	1,390	10	40	BLUNDELL (2), McSPORRAN (80)
Sat 22 January	HULL CITY	H	W 1-0	9,633	-	10	43	McINDOE (59)
Sat 29 January	Wrexham	A	D 0-0	6,115	928	8	44	
Sat 05 February	Torquay United	A	L 1-2	3,157	-	11	44	JOHNSON (87)
Sat 12 February	CHESTERFIELD	H	L 0-1	6,765	-	11	44	
Sat 19 February	Peterborough United	A	W 2-0	4,983	-	11	47	ROBERTS (55), FOSTER (81)
Tue 22 February	BARNLSLEY	H	W 4-0	7,286	-	8	50	BLUNDELL (16,32), DOOLAN (69), GREEN (81)
Sat 26 February	SWINDON TOWN	H						
Sun 06 March	Sheffield Wednesday	A						
Sat 12 March	BRENTFORD	H						
Sat 19 March	Blackpool	A						
Thur 24 March	BRADFORD CITY	H						
Mon 28 March	Tranmere Rovers	A						
Fri 01 April	COLCHESTER UNITED	H						
Sat 09 April	Huddersfield Town	A						
Sat 16 April	Stockport County	A						
Sat 23 April	HARTLEPOOL UNITED	H						
Sat 30 April	Bristol City	A						
Sat 07 May	LUTON TOWN	H						



# Rovers Stats 2004-05

## Appearances 2004/2005

No	Name	LEAGUE			TOTAL CUPS			TOTALS			CAREER		
		Starts	Sub	Goals	Starts	Sub	Goals	Starts	Sub	Goals	Starts	Sub	Goals
1	Andy WARRINGTON	30	0	0	5	0	0	35	0	0	213	0	0
2	Simon MARPLES	12	0	0	1	0	0	13	0	0	160	8	1
3	Tim RYAN	28	1	3	4	1	0	32	2	3	206	12	6
4	Dave MORLEY	9	0	0	4	0	0	13	0	0	64	13	7
5	John DOOLAN	23	5	2	3	0	1	26	5	3	74	8	3
6	Mark ALBRIGHTON	15	2	1	2	0	0	17	2	1	73	7	6
7	Francis TIERNEY	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	57	14	12
8	Gregg BLUNDELL	26	4	8	4	0	2	30	4	10	74	11	31
9	Guy IPOUA	1	8	0	1	1	0	2	9	0	2	9	0
10	Adriano RIGOGLIOSO	0	10	0	1	3	1	1	13	1	6	25	1
11	Jermaine MCSPORRAN	13	8	1	3	1	1	16	9	2	16	9	2
12	John MCGRATH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	7	0
13	Leo FORTUNE-WEST	11	4	2	4	0	1	15	4	3	46	16	15
14	Chris BEARDSLEY	1	3	0	2	2	1	3	5	1	3	5	1
14	Andy CAMPBELL	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	2	0
15	Nick FENTON	25	1	7	0	1	32	1	2	32	1	2	0
16	Mark WILSON	1	2	0	1	0	0	2	2	0	2	2	0
17	Chris BEECH	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	36	0	0
18	Jamie PRICE	5	1	0	3	1	0	8	2	0	47	12	0
19	Ricky RAVENHILL	14	12	0	5	1	1	19	13	1	60	52	4
20	Paul GREEN	31	2	6	4	1	0	35	3	6	100	29	22
21	Michael MCINDOE	33	0	8	7	0	2	40	0	10	90	0	20
22	Jon MALONEY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
23	Steve FOSTER	22	0	1	3	0	0	25	0	1	95	3	3
24	Stuart JONES	3	1	0	1	0	0	4	1	0	4	1	0
25	Nicolas PRIET	5	0	0	3	0	0	8	0	0	8	0	0
26	James COPPINGER	17	4	0	4	3	0	21	7	0	21	7	0
27	Ben JACKSON	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	3	0	0	3	0
30	Dave MULLIGAN	15	4	1	1	3	0	16	7	1	30	7	2
31	Simon JOHNSON	8	3	3	0	0	0	8	3	3	8	3	3
32	Ross FLITNEY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
33	Neil ROBERTS	22	0	4	2	0	0	24	0	4	24	0	4
34	Michael INGHAM	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0
36	Lee COCKERHAM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0



## Coca-Cola League One Table 2004 - 2005

Last updated 24-02-05

Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS	Leading scorers (league only)	Luton Town 34
Hull City	33	12	3	1	32	12	7	3	7	28	29	19	63	Howard (14), Brkovic (11), Vine (8)	
Tranmere Rovers	33	11	4	2	33	16	6	6	4	22	23	16	61	Elliott (22), Green (8), Barmby (7)	
Wednesday	34	8	4	5	24	19	8	6	3	36	21	20	58	Hume (12), Dadi (7), Taylor (6) Sheffield	
Hartlepool United	32	13	2	1	38	17	5	2	9	18	26	13	58	MacLean (18), Jones (7), Proudlock (6)	
Bournemouth	33	9	5	2	35	17	6	3	8	23	26	15	53	Boyd (13), Sweeney (10), Porter (9)	
Swindon Town	34	10	3	4	32	21	5	4	8	23	26	8	52	Hayter (14), O'Connor (9), Spicer (6)	
Bristol City	34	7	5	5	36	20	6	7	4	23	23	16	51	Parkin (18), Howard (5), Henderson (5)	
Doncaster Rovers	34	9	6	2	27	14	4	5	8	18	28	3	50	Lita (17), Brooker (10), Wilkshire (8)	
Brentford	31	12	1	3	25	15	3	4	8	12	26	-4	50	Blundell (8), McIndoe (8), Green (6)	
Bradford City	34	5	6	6	26	27	8	3	6	19	21	-3	48	Rankin (7), Burton (5), Sodje (4)	
Chesterfield	34	7	6	4	24	19	5	4	8	18	26	-3	46	Windass (17), Weatherall (4), Adebola (3)	
Walsall	34	9	5	3	31	23	2	5	10	16	32	-8	43	N'Toya (7), Nicholson (5), Allison (4)	
Huddersfield Town	34	7	5	5	25	21	4	4	9	26	32	-2	42	Fryatt (11), Leitao (6), Wrack (6)	
Barnsley	34	5	7	5	25	22	4	7	6	22	24	1	41	Abbott (16), Beckett (6), Booth (6)	
Colchester United	33	6	3	8	22	19	4	7	5	24	20	7	40	Chopra (11), Boulding (9), Conlon (6)	
Blackpool	32	5	5	6	20	23	5	3	8	19	20	-4	38	Fagan (8), Johnson (7), Danns (6)	
Port Vale	33	8	1	7	21	20	4	1	12	13	26	-12	38	Taylor (11), Murphy (7), Parker (3)	
Oldham Athletic	33	7	3	6	32	26	3	3	11	13	32	-13	36	Paynter (7), Matthews (6), Brooker (5)	
Torquay United	34	5	4	8	20	26	3	8	6	21	31	-16	36	Vernon (7), Killen (4), Betsy (4)	
Milton Keynes Dons	34	6	7	4	25	21	2	3	12	16	38	-17	34	Akinfenwa (8), Constantine (8), Kuffour (6)	
Wrexham*	34	5	7	5	22	30	4	5	8	20	31	-19	29	McLeod (13), Small (8), Smart (4)	
Peterborough United	33	5	5	7	23	20	1	4	11	15	29	-11	27	Armstrong (7), Ugarte (6), Sam (6)	
Stockport County	34	2	4	11	20	33	3	3	11	18	38	-33	22	Willock (8), Woodhouse (4), Platt (4)	
														Feeney (10), Beckett (7), Lambert (3)	

\*Wrexham deducted 10 points after going into administration

# League One Review

With just less than a quarter of the season remaining, the division is taking shape. Luton, thanks to a penalty two minutes from time against Walsall on Tuesday extended their lead to nine points from Hull City, who could only draw at Milton Keynes Dons, and from newspaper reports they didn't deserve a point. Stuart Elliott returned to Hull's team on Saturday and they will be hoping he can revitalise their promotion push.

With Luton so far clear, the other automatic promotion spot looks to be between Hull, Tranmere, Hartlepool and Sheffield Wednesday. Tranmere beat Huddersfield 3-0 whilst Hartlepool were beating Brentford 3-1.

Both Rovers and Hull City had bids turned down recently for Colchester's Craig Fagan. Their manager Phil

Parkinson has said that Fagan would only be sold in certain circumstances. With the transfer deadline day approaching and Fagan out of contract in the summer, my guess is that those circumstances would be the biggest offer on the table on deadline day. Colchester are currently six points clear of MK Dons who occupy the last relegation place, so should be able to pull clear of the drop even if Fagan was to leave.

Simon Johnson, who had a loan spell at Belle Vue from Leeds earlier in the season looks likely to join Barnsley on loan for the rest of the season. Another former Leeds player, David Wetherall missed his first game after 42 consecutive games for Bradford in their defeat at Blackpool on Tuesday, due to suspension following his fifth booking of the season. Also at Bradford, Ben Muirhead has now

accepted a new contract having originally turning down Bradford's offer.

Bradford are probably very thankful for their early season form. When they beat Sheffield Wednesday on October 23rd last year it took them to second in the table with 28 points from 15 games. They have since added 20 points from the last 19 games and have dropped to 11th in the table.

Today's games see Brentford entertain Sheffield Wednesday and Bournemouth host Tranmere. This may play into the hands of Bristol City to move closer to the top six if they can overcome Blackpool. It could also tell us if Brentford are more interested in their cup run.

## This afternoon's fixtures:

	ODDS		
	H	D	A
Barnsley v Torquay United	5/6	9/4	11/4
Bournemouth v Tranmere Rovers	11/8	11/5	13/8
Brentford v Sheffield Wednesday	5/4	9/4	7/4
Bristol City v Blackpool	4/6	12/5	7/2
Chesterfield v Peterborough United	4/6	12/5	7/2
Doncaster Rovers v Swindon Town	6/5	9/4	9/5
Huddersfield Town Oldham Athletic	4/5	9/4	3/1
Hull City v Colchester United	8/15	5/2	9/2
Port Vale v Luton Town	2/1	9/4	11/10
Stockport County v Hartlepool United	2/1	9/4	11/10
Walsall v Bradford City	6/5	9/4	9/5
Wrexham v Milton Keynes Dons	1/1	5/2	2/1

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Celebrations after Neil Roberts had opened the scoring at London Road last Saturday

# Rovers in the Community

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Good afternoon

Welcome to today's game against Andy King's Swindon Town. The game at the County Ground ended 1-1, with Gregg Blundell giving us the lead. To be fair that day, it was a game of "two halves", with the mighty Reds dominating the first half, with Swindon coming back strongly after the break.

What a game it was on Tuesday night against Barnsley! It might have been cold, it might have snowed, but performances like that mean we didn't notice all that much. That win put us right back on track, with the play-off positions now well and truly in sight. Football is a funny old game, as they say, and this point was emphasised from a fans' point of view, with our 1-0 loss to Chesterfield. After this game we had the usual comments from the fans - "it looks like mid-table", "we need more players", all doom

and gloom. Then comes along the Peterborough game, which was well and truly eclipsed by a fantastic performance against the Tykes, and suddenly everyone's happy, including the 1,600 travelling fans that went all the way to Peterborough. As they say - "It's a funny old game"!

## Thank you Armthorpe

A big Donny thank you to Armthorpe Rovers Under-13's, who did a splendid job as ball boys at the Barnsley game. The boys were a real credit to their manager, Mark, and the name of Doncaster Rovers. Let's hope they didn't get too cold!



## Welcome Norton and Rossington

A very warm Earth Stadium welcome to Norton Juniors and Rossington Under-11's who are acting as ball boys at today's game. We hope the boys have a great day with us and see a home win at full time!



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## Welcome Y.E.P.P.

A warm Donny welcome to Clare and her boys and girls from the Youth Engagement Programme who are visiting the Earth Stadium for the second time today. The

groups will be guests of Rovers in the Community, and will watch the game from the Town End terrace.

NDC have worked with the Doncaster Youth Offending Team (YOT) to develop a Youth Engagement Programme (YEP). The YEP project is key to engaging with young people in the NDC area, who are either persistently truanting or beginning to show signs of engaging in anti-social behaviour. The programme will help as many young people as possible to have a chance in life. It will also offer support for parents who have concerns about their children's behaviour.

For further information, call Clair Henderson-Clark on 01302 736125.

Rovers in the Community are fully behind these organisations. Please do the same.

## St. Giles Visit

Yesterday saw the visit of St. Giles' School, Retford, to our famous stadium. A group of ten youngsters between the ages of 14 and 19 were shown around Belle Vue before

taking part in a question and answer session with staff linked to training and jobs.

## Girls only event

Community coaches Ben Mawson, Sarah Newbould and Gareth Dawson were on hand to act as referees, and to generally help out, at a girls-only event held at the Dome two days ago. The event, organised in conjunction with the Sheffield & Hallamshire County FA, was a huge hit, with dozens of junior schools taking part.

Students gain the Belle Vue experience!

College students Nathan Rock, Sarah Thickett and James Keane are the latest youngsters to take part in the Work Experience Programme here at Belle Vue. The students will shadow our Community Coaching Team with its various activities.

## Foot note:

Nathan actually went to school at South Axholme High, which borders Scunthorpe. He has reassured us all though that he's Rovers through and through!

## February half-term course

We had a great turn-out for our half term courses earlier this month. Check out page 51 of this programme for the full story - and to see if you can spot yourself on some of the pictures!



## Well done, Karl

Doncaster Rovers FC would like to take this opportunity to congratulate Community Coach Karl Hope on being awarded his County Cap by the Lincolnshire County FA. He received his cap

for representing the County FA for ten games.

## Late thank you

A late thank you to Edlington White Stars Under-14's who did a great job as ball boys at the

Barnsley game. Due to an error on our part, Edlington's name failed to appear in the Barnsley programme.

## Kick Out Racism

Two days ago, representatives of the club visited Hatfield High School to further back the Kick Out Racism movement. The club was represented by Jermaine McSporran and Community Coach, Liam Scully, with the links between the school and Rovers assisted by ex-Rover Dean Barrick, who is now a teacher at Hatfield High.

Roar the lads on to victory!  
Rovers 'til I die  
Richard & Eric



Peterborough United (o) 0  
Doncaster Rovers (o) 2

**Peterborough:**  
Tyler, Newton, St. Ledger, Arber,  
Deen, Semple, Woodhouse, Thomson,  
Farrell, Willock, Purser

**Substitutes:**  
Logan (for Willock, 45), Legg (for  
Thomson, 64), Day (for Farrell, 64),  
Rea, Boucaud

**Doncaster:**  
Warrington, Mulligan, Fenton,  
Foster, Ryan, Coppinger, Doolan,  
Green, McIndoe, Blundell,  
Roberts

**Substitutes:**  
Ravenhill (for Doolan, 87), Rigoglioso  
(for Blundell, 87), McSporran, Priet,  
Flitney

**Goals:** Peterborough: none  
Rovers: Roberts (55), Foster (81)

**Yellow cards:**  
Peterborough: Woodhouse  
Rovers: Roberts

**Att:** 4,983  
**Referee:** P. Armstrong

**Report:** Paul Gilligan  
**Statistics:** Michael Harker  
**Pictures:** Steve Uttley



# Match Action



The Rovers got back to winning ways with this comfortable victory at London Road. Yet they could have been behind as early as the fourth minute, when Willock saw his header rattle the angle of crossbar and post, and then Thomson fired the rebound wide when he should have done better. The Rovers survived, however, and soon began to make an impact on proceedings. Coppinger fired wide, and Roberts and Blundell both went close as the visitors looked the likelier team to break the deadlock.

Halftime arrived with the score sheet blank, but the Rovers took a deserved lead just ten minutes into the second half through Roberts. Blundell was the creator on the right flank, and did well to win the ball from a home defender, before squaring the ball to Roberts who tapped home from a few yards. The second half followed much the same pattern as the first, with the Rovers looking reasonably comfortable,

and the points were secured with a second goal, just nine minutes from time. McIndoe picked out Foster with a well placed corner, and the Rovers' skipper opened his account for the season with a powerful header.

Peterborough pushed forward as the game drew to a close, but the Doncaster goal was rarely troubled until late in stoppage time when heroic work was required to deny the home side a consolation goal. However, the goalmouth scramble did not produce an end result, and the visitors were left to celebrate a much needed win, and a "clean sheet" to boot, not to mention a league "double" over the "Posh". A morale boosting victory then, and hopes will be strengthened that a top ten finish is still well within the Rovers' capabilities this season, especially with so many important games still to play.





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9/4 Draw  
7/4 Swindon

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11/5 Draw  
9/4 Rovers

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6/4 Man Utd  
11/4 Arsenal  
11/2 Newcastle  
8/1 Spurs  
9/1 Bolton  
others on request

#### Championship

4/5 Ipswich  
2/1 Wigan  
7/2 Sunderland

#### Coca Cola League One

1/2 Luton  
11/4 Hull  
6/1 Tranmere  
20/1 Bar

6/1 Rovers promoted  
(including play-offs)

#### Cheltenham Festival Gold Cup

3/1 Best Mate  
6/1 Kingsciff  
8/1 K King  
8/1 Beef or Salmon  
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# Meet the Fan



Radio and TV reporter Alan Smith catches up with Mark Wardle

Work commitments prevent Mark Wardle from attending as many Rovers' matches as he would like – but nevertheless he is still an avid supporter, getting to both home and away games whenever time permits.

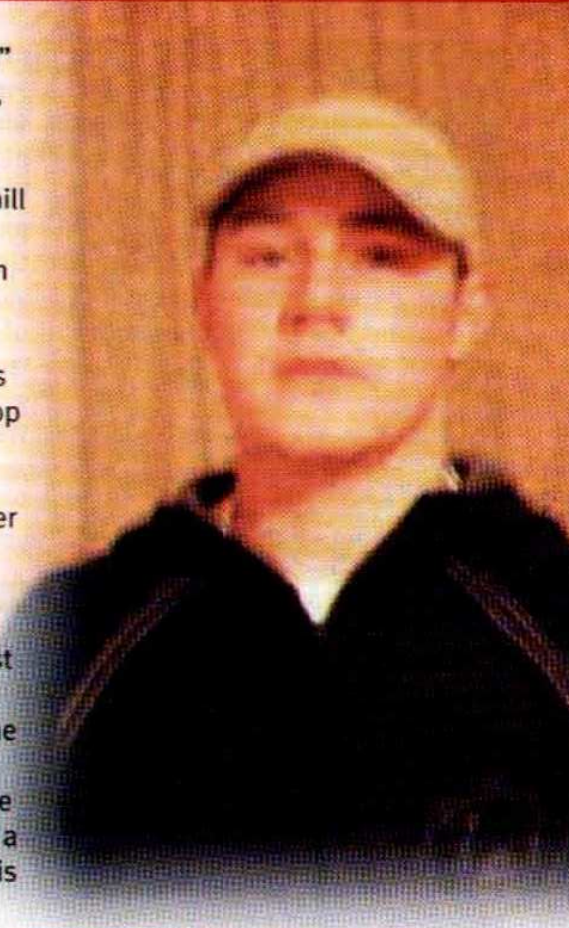
He admits to having been a keen follower for several years without attending games all that regularly but, having served his "supporters' apprenticeship" the old "Belle Vue adrenalin" kicked in and he's been hooked on the club ever since.

His favourite Rovers' games are the more recent ones - mainly this season's home clash with Hull City. He says "I was particularly looking forward to that game - when Hull were full of confidence, on an unbeaten run and fully expecting to come here and simply roll us over. To beat the Tigers was so satisfying." Mark also admits to eagerly looking forward to the home game with Sheffield Wednesday just before last Christmas – but not surprisingly wanted to say little more about a performance on the day that robbed Rovers' fans of bragging rights and is perhaps best forgotten very quickly.

Looking back over the wider picture Mark, like many other Rovers' supporters, is absolutely amazed at the progress the club has made since the dark days in the Conference. He was quick to point out, "This is due in no small way to John Ryan, Dave Penney and Mickey Walker behind the scenes and the efforts of

those players on the park itself." When questioned about players, Mark lists Paul Green and Neil Roberts of the current squad as his favourites with Ricky Ravenhill running a close third. He has strong views about the ex-Wigan Athletic man, "For his size I am amazed how Robbo wins the majority of aerial battles and his intelligent work off the ball is top class." He was, however, disappointed not to see Simon Johnson's loan at Belle Vue either extended or turned into a permanent deal... "I thought he was settling into the squad and would have probably been a first choice striker" he added. Perhaps four days after the home defeat against Chesterfield was the wrong time to ask Mark if he thought that Rovers would gain a third consecutive promotion – his reply "it looks doubtful now". He did recognise, however, that should Rovers be fortunate enough to secure a place in next season's Championship, there would have to be some considerable transfer market dealings during the coming summer.

He is delighted that its 'all systems go' for the new stadium. As he says, "I get really annoyed when visiting supporters are highly critical of Belle Vue as a stadium and the current facilities it has to offer – and I shall feel a great sense of pride when we can 'show off' our new ground to away fans and the visiting media."



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# Rovers 125

## THE STORY OF DONCASTER ROVERS

This is the twentieth part of our series which traces the history of Doncaster Rovers since 1879 to this season, the 125th anniversary its formation. This week, Colin Harker looks at the beginning of the 1980's, with the arrival of a youngster called Ian Snodin, and a "Rovers hero" - Colin Douglas - in the Rovers side.

### Part twenty: The Bremner Years

The 1980/1981 season saw promotion for the first time since 1968/1969, although three defeats in the opening four games did not bode well in a stop/start season. A 5-1 demolition of Hereford sparked a run of six straight wins before a run of one win in the next six with only one goal scored, and that an Alan Warboys' penalty.



ALAN WARBOYS

Ian Snodin was given a run in the side with Alan Little as his "minder". Warboys was used in defence and Nimmo was scoring goals alongside another young

player, Richard Dawson. Daral Pugh on one flank and Glynn Snodin on the other saw Rovers play to the strength of Nimmo and Warboys up front. Rovers were promoted along with Southend, Lincoln City and Wimbledon with victory over Bournemouth in front of over 11,000 spectators. In the last game of the season Rovers gave debuts to a young Russell Wilcox and Glenn Humphries who were both to play a part in Rovers' history in the forthcoming years.



DARAL PUGH

Only one signing was made in the summer of 1981. Colin Douglas was a youngster who had been an apprentice at Glasgow Celtic. Douglas was to epitomise Bremner's "never give up" style of play. After seven games they topped Division Three after four 1-0 wins on the trot. Terry Cooper, the former England international was signed but he left soon afterwards to take the manager's job at Bristol City. Unfortunately, the previous season's top scorer Ian Nimmo broke his leg in training, then the influential

Warboys got injured and Rovers' form suffered. One win in fifteen games saw a dramatic slide down the table. Ian Snodin was given the captain's armband and grew in the role. The team recovered towards the end of the season and relegation was avoided by just three points despite Rovers being unbeaten in the last eight games. Goals had been hard to come by with only 55 scored in 46 games, Richard Dawson top scoring with just eight goals.

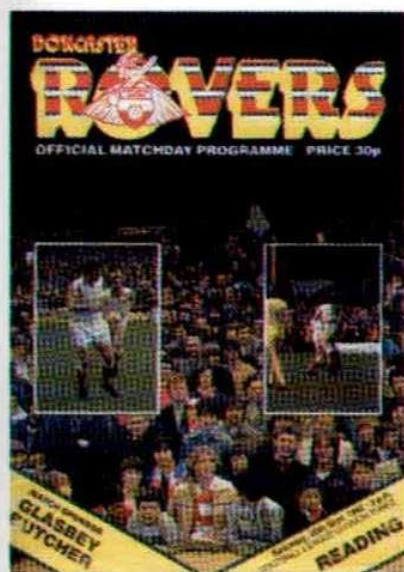


IAN NIMMO

Before the 82/83 season, Dawson left along with Pat Lally, David Harle (for the first time) and Steve Humphries (the goalkeeping brother of Glenn). Dennis Peacock returned from Bolton, to compete with Willie Boyd for the goalkeeping jersey. A tough season was to follow. After three games Rovers had one point and had failed to score when Exeter visited Belle Vue for a Friday night game.

It was to see a remarkable set of results for Doncaster. A 6-1 win was followed the following

weekend with a 3-2 defeat at Southend. Then on September 25th Reading were beaten 7-5 at Belle Vue, with Kerry Dixon scoring four goals for the visitors and still being on the losing side! Ian Snodin scored three for Rovers in the same game. This was followed by a 3-6 home defeat at the hands of Wigan. The run stopped with a 0-1 defeat at Orient, but then Lincoln beat Rovers 5-1 at Sincil Bank and Rovers then played out a 4-4 draw at home to Brentford in gale force conditions. Forty-eight goals had been seen in seven games, an average of 6.85 per game. The season seemed to change when surprisingly Alan Little left for Torquay United in a deal that saw defender Clive Wiggington move to Belle Vue. In another exchange, Daral Pugh, who had gained Welsh under 21 caps whilst with Rovers, was swapped with Huddersfield's striker Terry Austin.



Rovers' home form kept them going until January, but from February to the end of the season the team managed just two wins,

one at Plymouth and the other at home to Sheffield United. As a result Rovers were relegated; a big disappointment after the season had begun with such optimism. With Chesterfield below them Rovers were thirteen points adrift of third bottom Wrexham, and Fourth Division football was to return to Belle Vue.

Bremner's response was to go for experience. Bill Green, Ernie Moss, John Breckin and Andy Kowalski had amassed over 1,500 league appearances between them. Dowd, Liddell, Cawthorne, Robertson, Mell and the disappointing Austin all left as Rovers again planned for Division Four. The newcomers were to blend well with the young players that were developing nicely as first team regulars (Russell, Lister, the returning Harle, Douglas, Humphries and the Snodins). Moss hit the ground running and scored in each of his first four matches. It got better as Rovers lost just once in 25 games between October 1st and March 10th.

It was a typical Bremner team. Everyone was strong in the tackle with a willingness, personified in the young Scot, Douglas, to chase every ball. The team had attacking flair and possessed a secret weapon in the free kicks of Glynn Snodin, who had power, accuracy and swerve all within his armoury at dead ball situations. Snodin was to score 13 goals, two less than both Moss and Douglas as the team scored 82 goals in finishing second behind local rivals York City.



COLIN DOUGLAS

Crowds remained poor however, with just 3,879 watching the last home game of a promotion season. Peter Wetzel, a local businessman, had joined the board during the season and had given Bremner backing financially, allowing the big signings of Scottish youth internationals, Jim Dobbins for £25,000 from Celtic and a record buy of John Philliben, a defender from Bremner's first club Stirling Albion for £60,000. Towards the end of the season, Alan Brown a proven striker was recruited from Shrewsbury for £35,000.

Considering the method used the previous summer of signing experience, Breckin and Green both suffered through injury and managed just 27 games between them before leaving. Moss was released at the end of the season despite being top scorer and Kowalski was to become more of a squad player going forward.

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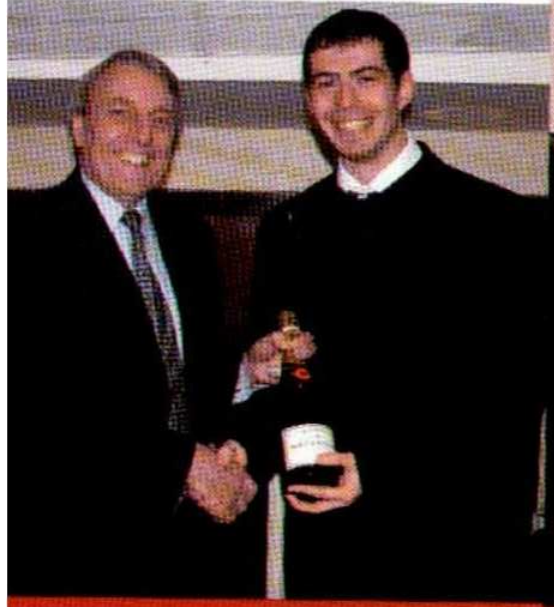
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# Commercial Talk



Good afternoon, and welcome to our home game against Swindon Town. We would like to welcome our match sponsors, UKI Partnerships, and thank them for their valued sponsorship. I hope that they will enjoy their afternoon with us.

Our match sponsors for Tuesday's home game against Barnsley were ADVA Sports, Perrys (Wheatley Hall Road), and Tile Depot. The match ball sponsors were: Crozier Jones (Chartered Accountants), Doncaster Star. We would again like to thank them for their support. They are pictured here making their post-match "Man of the Match" presentations.





# Commercial Talk



## Hospitality boxes

We would also like to welcome Jeremy and his party from Doncaster Racecourse, and Eddie and his group from Roman Fireworks who have booked hospitality boxes this afternoon.

## Dinah Rodd

I am sure that you've already bought your ticket, but please remember to support our evening with the one and only Dinah Rodd in the Rovers Return on Saturday, 12th March. I'm sure it will be a superb night, with Dinah flying in to make her only UK appearance this year. "She" is a great Rovers fan, and is keen to help Rovers. Please see our advert on page 39 which gives more details.



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## Rainbow Bright Nursery

Ray Thomas and Steve Uttley visited the Rainbow Bright Nursery last month to launch help launch the nursery. Ray said: "It is important that we involve the local community in our club with this nursery close to Belle Vue and used by many fans' children. Not only is this a way for us to be involved, but it is also great that a local community facility wants to invest in us and at the same



time gain first class publicity. We welcome anyone who wants to get involved with us from the local community" Ray had great fun when he got involved in playing Fire Engines with the children and thoroughly enjoyed the visit and said he would go again. Rainbow Bright is a very special nursery as it follows the High/Scope philosophy about how children learn. Manager Barbara Thomas said, "This will allow the children to be active learners, be responsible for themselves, be independent, make decisions and negotiate. We use continuous observation and assessment to let the parents know the progress of child". Rainbow Bright follow the principle that parents are central to the well-being of every child and that relationships are of crucial importance in a child's life. The nursery provides a structure and clear boundaries within a stimulating environment, which helps the children develop a spirit of enquiry, creativity and openness to learn. They are moving to a custom-built nursery this summer, which will allow increased community access, with 52 places available.

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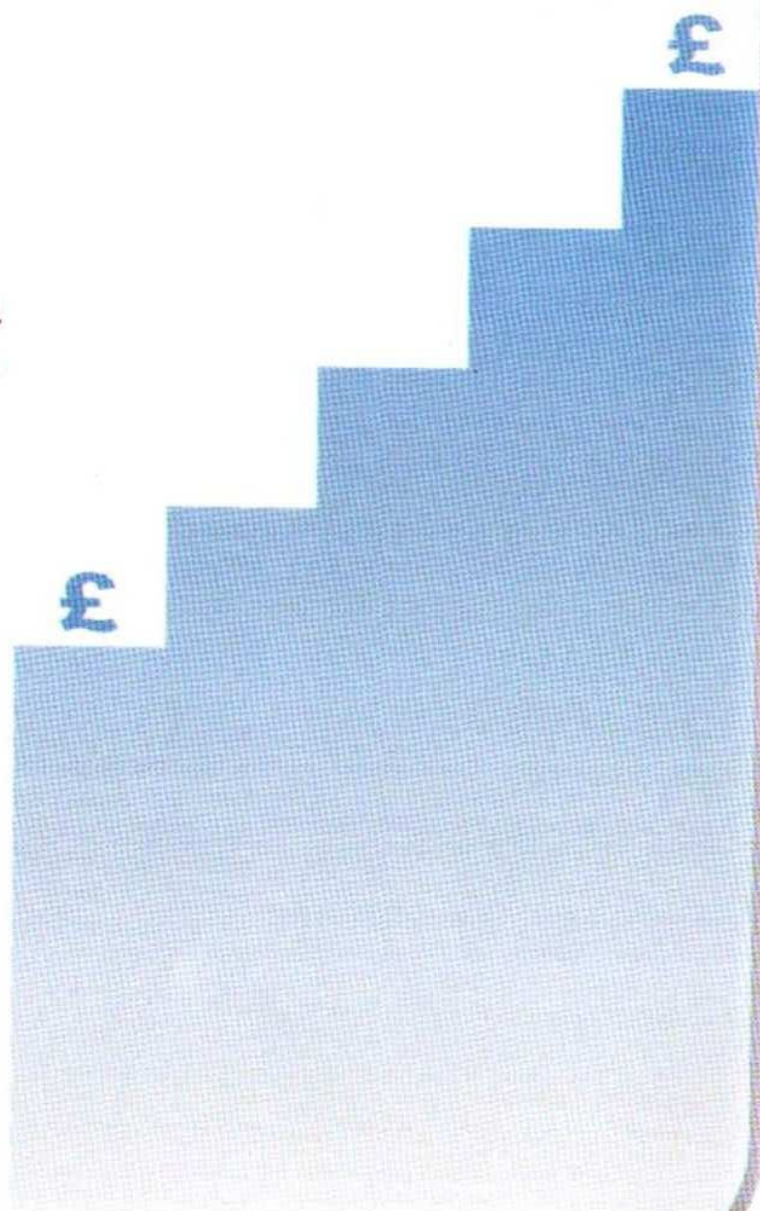
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# Community Extra!



## February half-term course

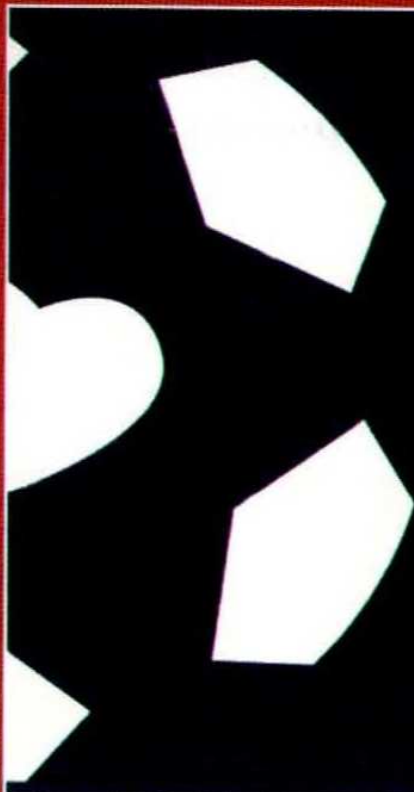
On a very cold and frosty morning, our Community Coaching Team began the February half-term football course. The staff began their preparation by setting up several small-sided pitches, and attaching netting to the wooden goal frames for shooting exercises. Whilst all this was going on, Community Officer Richard Bailey and coach Wayne Galloway began checking in procedures. This is very in depth these days, as every single youngster has to be signed in by a parent or guardian, have any medical problems noted and have all names and addresses taken down in exact detail, and all this is before the course starts!

Once the first group of youngsters have fully checked in (ages 8 to 14), they are separated into

groups and begin their session with the coaches. After around an hour and a half, the younger groups begin enrolling (ages 4 to 7). They begin their sessions at 10.30am, and by now we're up and running.

The team work on several different exercises including passing, turning, running with the ball, shooting, heading, small-sided games and goalkeeping. This pattern is followed throughout the week. We have a mixed bag of weather throughout the four days, with the younger groups using the main sports hall throughout the course. Overall, the course ran very smoothly, with an average of over 70 youngsters attending every single day. The kids have gained confidence, met new friends and had a great time, and we can't ask for more than that!





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# Talk of the Terrace

with **Danny Roberts**

Today we welcome today's visitors Swindon Town who, along with ourselves and a handful of other teams, are "Going4it"! Our last encounter with Swindon was in December at Swindon's County Ground, which was literally a game of two halves, with Rovers dominating and taking the lead before half time, followed by Swindon dominating the second half and equalising. I just hope (but doubt!) that Rovers decide to charge their fans £24 to sit down!

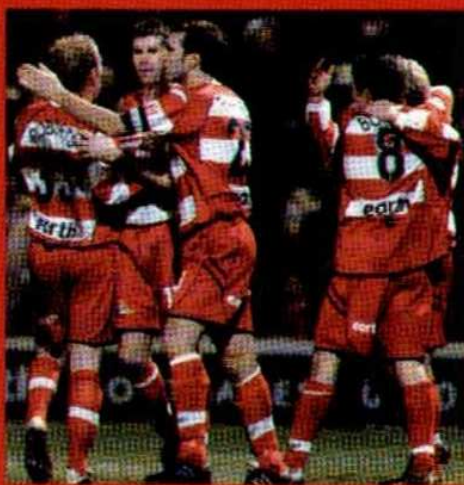
On to the dire performance against Chesterfield. For 45 minutes, Rovers played fast-flowing football, but their efforts had no reward as they failed to register a shot on goal - never mind a goal. The second half was different, as Rovers game plan was thrown in air as Chesterfield battled and scored a late winner after N'Toya ran through our defence to score. A poor game and a poor performance cost us three precious points. Now, I'll go on to the game last Saturday at Peterborough. A large travelling contingent of Rovers fans (1,613) turned up expecting to see Rovers register their win since the defeat of Hull City four weeks ago. In the first half, Rovers looked drab and seemed as if they would go into the break 1-0 down. Warrington's positioning for the vast majority of crosses sometimes made the travelling fans cringe, but all was safe as we went in to the break on level terms. The second half was a different story, with Rovers playing fast, attacking football which culminated in Roberts putting us into the lead and Foster doubling our advantage nine minutes from time. My "Man of the Match" was Gregg Blundell, but the vast majority were saying James Coppinger.



**Man of the match, James Coppinger, in action at Peterborough**

On to the 4-0 demolition of our nearest rivals Barnsley, with Premiership referee

Uriah Rennie in charge, and a crowd 7,286 eagerly anticipating the match. No one expected what was about to happen. As Blundell put us two up after just half an hour, then Doolan and Greeny scored in the second half to finish off the rout. Surely the spanking we gave our rivals will finally help to erase the embarrassment of the 4-0 drubbing that Wednesday gave us here in December. I didn't have a "Man of the Match" - all eleven players on the pitch outplayed and outclassed Barnsley without even breaking a sweat. This was our first double over the Tykes for nearly 35 years.



**Rovers' goal celebrations after Gregg Blundell put us 2-0 up**

This victory moved us up to eighth at the time of writing and just three points of the play offs. Victory over Swindon today will push

us closer to the play offs, and we have now reached the magical 50 points. That would set us up nicely for the "big one", our so-called cup final against the Owls on Mothering Sunday. Let's prepare properly, in the only way we know how - by beating Swindon!

Surely we can't win another promotion, or is it asking to much? Whatever happens between now and May, let's keep our feet firmly on the floor.

Rovers 'til I die  
Danny

# JUNIOR ROVERS



Welcome to today's game, and a warm Junior Rovers welcome to our newest member, Joseph Kenneth Edwin Johnson from Campsall. Joseph chose his time to arrive on the day of the Hull City game – he must have been our lucky mascot!



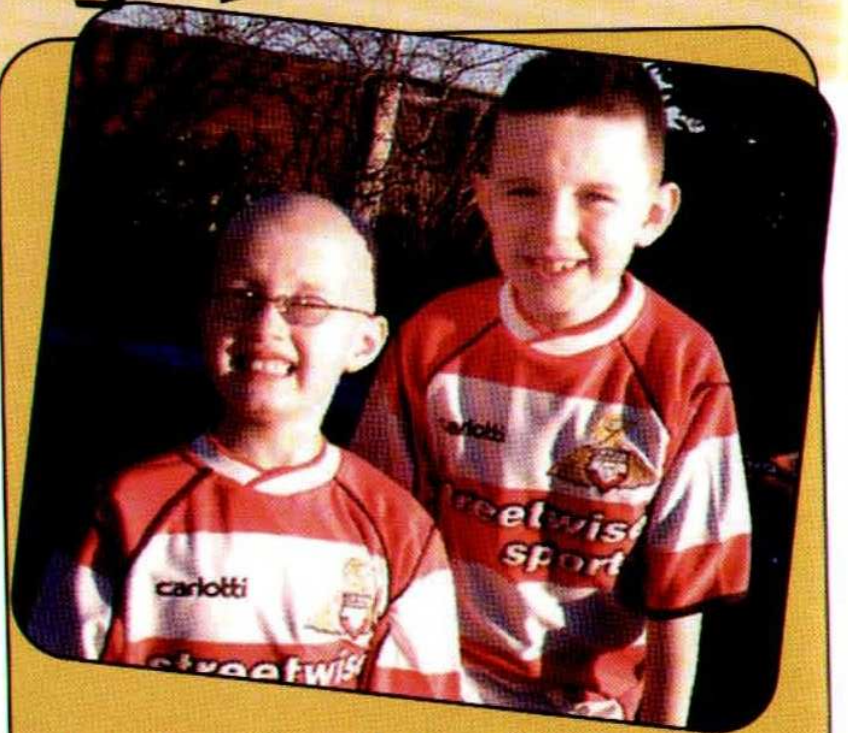
*Joseph, just six hours after he was born*

Commiserations to our joint-President, Jamie Price, who has had a set-back to his foot injury, and has had to have an operation. So let's all wish him a speedy recovery and hopefully he will have a chance to play again before the end of the season.

I have been given some packs of mixed football programmes. These are available free of charge to Junior Rovers members. If you are interested, call in at the Junior Rovers office on match days.

Rita & Jill Martin

We had two mascots for the home game against Barnsley on Tuesday evening. They were Callum Cole-Needham and Declan Earp. We hope that both boys enjoyed their evening with us - I bet they enjoyed watching the game!



We have two mascots for this afternoon's game. They are best friends, and they come from Armthorpe, Bradley Walton and Declan Booth both aged 7. They both attend Tranmoor Primary School, love football and their Playstations.

Bradley's favourite Rovers players are Steve Foster and Andy Warrington, Bradley is looking forward to accompanying his friend Declan as mascot today.

Declan was diagnosed with Leukaemia when he was two years old, but after three years of treatment it went into remission.

Unfortunately three months ago it returned so Declan is once again receiving chemotherapy. (He has been very ill and is a very brave little boy, but he's on the mend again). He is excited about being a mascot and meeting all the players, especially Greg Blundell and Michael McIndoe.

We hope Bradley and Declan enjoy their afternoon at Belle Vue and we all wish Declan all the best in his recovery.



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### Scorpia – Anthony Horowitz

Scorpia is a brilliantly written book and is a very good read. Anthony Horowitz has written Stormbreaker, Point Blanc, Skeleton Key and this is his latest instalment in the Alex Rider Series. He uses comedy and surprising twists at the end of every page to spur the reader on. I personally think that all his books are a great success; he really outdid himself on this book. However, you may need to read the 3 previous books to get the bigger picture.

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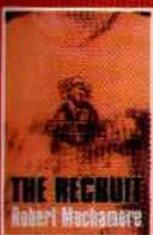


### The Legend of Spud Murphy – Eoin Colfer

I have given the legend of Spud Murphy 8/10. The reason I did not give it 10/10 is because I thought the writing was more for kids than 12 year olds. Other than that I thought the content was very good and made you want to read on. I especially liked the characters. The way they individually tried to outsmart each other turn by turn.

Overall I would recommend this book as a fast and funny read for children of younger ages or anybody wanting a short enjoyable story.

By Jack Thornton (age 12) 74 Hunger Hill School



### The Recruit – Robert Muchamore

This is a story about a boy called James Choke who loses his mum and he and his sister have to be put into a foster home, but his sister's dad takes her home with him and refuses to take James with him. During his stay at the foster home James mixes with the wrong crowd and gets into trouble with the police.

He gets taken to a camp and is asked if he would like to join a kids version of the secret service, he accepts this offer and has to have his name changed. When James finishes basic training he gets his first mission and he meets the girl of his dreams.

I would give this a 9/10 it was so funny and in parts it was moving.

By Suzanne Green – Hunger Hill School



### Missing Abby – by Lee Weatherly

It was easy to get into the book as it was very interesting and I love to read it. If I could read the book again I would, as it was so exciting.

The main characters were:  
**Abby & Emma**

The book called Missing Abby is about a girl going missing and her parents report her missing on Sunday 5th September, 2004. The girl said before she went missing she was going shopping with her friends but her friends phone her house to ask were she is. Her parents thought that she

was out with her friends but wasn't.

I would recommend this book for 10 years and over. I have not read any books by this author but I would like to read a book by this author again. If I could read another book to follow on to this book I would, it was very interesting I would give this book a mark of 9/10.

By Kirsty Jackson, Age 11, Danum School



### Private Peaceful by Michael Morpurgo

I really enjoyed the book and thought it was very interesting and enjoyable to read. It is written in the present tense and first person, but it is set during the First World War, I found this rather unusual. The book is based on true facts about the First World War, which makes it very believable and more a real life book than war. There are two separate storylines in the book, one is the childhood of the main character, Thomas Peaceful, and the second is about his life in the First World War. It follows his life from when he is young to when he is in the middle of the War, then the story ends. I thought this was an unusual way to end a story and I would have liked to read more after this point.

I really enjoyed the book and would recommend it to a real-life-war fan. It was quite short and easy to read but very exciting.

Katie Marshall, Age 11, Danum School



### Best Friends by Jacqueline Wilson

The main characters in this book are Alice and Gemma, the two best friends.

Alice and Gemma have been best friends ever since they were born. They always share their secrets with each other, and always sit next to each other in class. It doesn't matter that they are very unlike each other in many ways. For example, Gemma is more loud and talkative and Alice is more quiet and listening. Gemma always ends up looking a mess while Alice always stays nice and neat. They know each other as well as they know themselves. But one day, Gemma finds out that Alice has a

secret, a secret she hasn't told Gemma...

I really really really enjoyed this book as I could relate to it really well and it was a pleasant, funny book to read. I liked how the author made the two best friends so unlike each other as it made it more interesting. It had a good plot that made me want to read on. I also liked this book because it's a reality book for girls, so it was great for me, I'm so glad this book made the shortlist because it was brilliant all the way through.

I would recommend this book to people from ten years and older as it was a brilliant book, which was easy to understand, though I think girls would prefer it to boys. I would give this book 20 out of 10 because it was so good.

By Annie Fielding, Age 12, Danum School

### Quick Easy Quiz

Which division do the following teams play in?  
(Most are easy)

1. Barnsley
2. Fulham
3. Worksop
4. Shrewsbury
5. York
6. Bolton
7. Wigan
8. Armthorpe Welfare
9. Retford
10. Kidderminster

10. League 2
  9. Northern Counties East Div 1.
  8. Northern Counties East Premier
  7. Championship
  6. Premiership
  5. Conference National
  4. League 2
  3. Conference North
  2. Premiership
  1. League 1
- Answers



# League Leaders

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# Reserves Update

Grimsby Town 1 Rovers 2  
Wednesday, February 16th, 2005  
Pontins Holidays League Division 1 North East

## Reserve Team Fixtures 2004-05 Pontins Holiday League Division One East

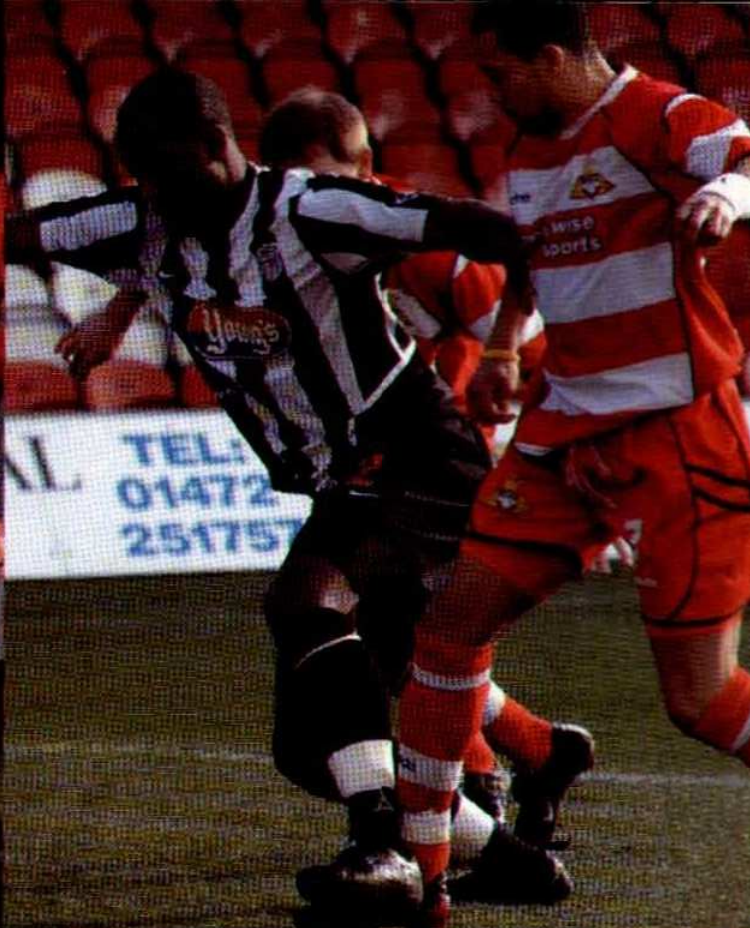
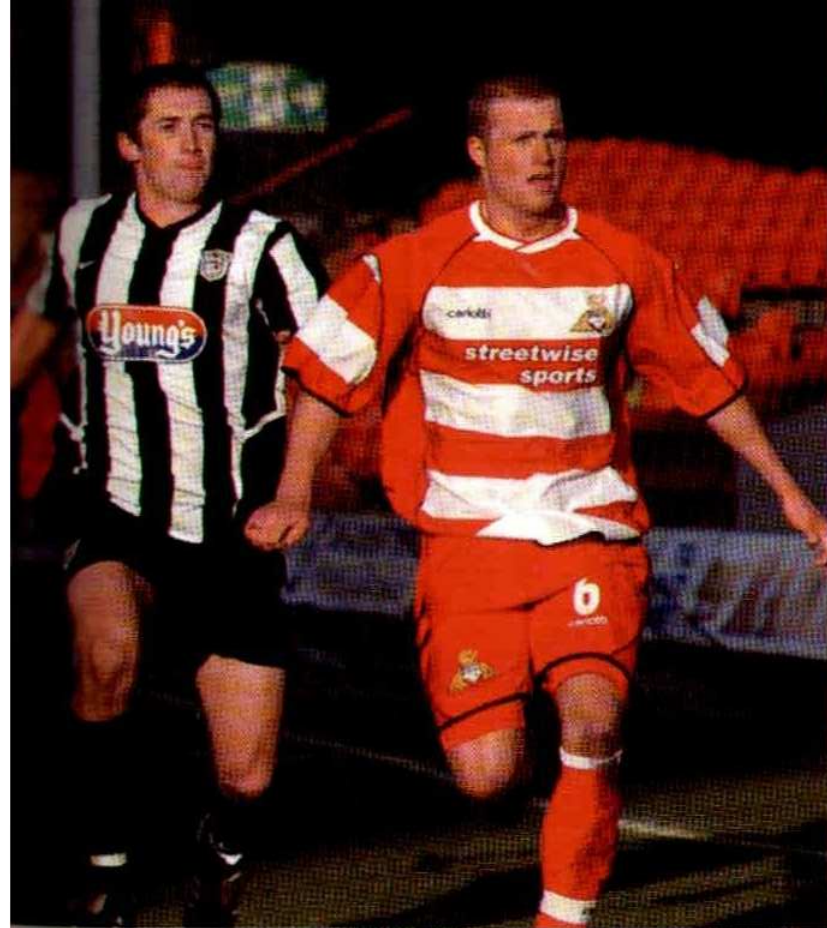
DATE	VEN/SCORE	OPPONENTS
Wed 18 Aug	L 2-5	Boston United (7pm)
Wed 1 Sep	W 2-1	Huddersfield Town
Wed 8 Sep	W 2-0	Notts County
Wed 15 Sep	W 4-0	Halifax Town
Wed 6 Oct	D 2-2	Lincoln City
Wed 13 Oct	W 4-2	Grimsby Town
Wed 27 Oct	L 1-5	Scunthorpe United
Wed 8 Nov	D 2-2	York City (7pm)
Wed 24 Nov	W 3-1	Darlington
Wed 15 Dec	W 6-1	Lincoln City
Wed 12 Jan	W 3-0	Halifax Town
Wed 26 Jan	D 2-2	Scunthorpe United
Wed 16 Feb	W 2-1	Grimsby Town
Wed 2 Mar	Home	York City
Wed 9 Mar	Away	Darlington
Wed 30 Mar	Home	Boston United
Wed 13 Apr	Away	Huddersfield Town
Wed 27 Apr	Home	Notts County

Kick-off 2pm unless indicated

Despite some recent departures from the club, Rovers were still able to turn out a strong team for this reserve league fixture, with on-loan keeper Ross Flitney making his first appearance in Rovers colours. However, the substitutes bench comprised youth team players.

Grimsby started the match brightly, with a good move down the right wing by Reeve ended with Lewisham shooting, but Flitney saved the shot comfortably. Rovers didn't mount an attack of note until the tenth minute, with Rigoglioso passing the ball to Jackson wide on the right, with the young striker getting in a good shot which was heading for the far corner, but Clark, the Grimsby keeper, just got a hand to the ball to put the ball round the post for a corner. Barely a couple of minutes later, Flitney had to be alert to tip a shot from Saunders over the bar, but Rovers gradually came back into the game and won their first corner of the game in the 19th minute. The game then settled down into a midfield battle, but in the 36th minute Grimsby took the lead, with a swerving corner kick by Young going directly into the goal. The home side only held the lead for three minute though – Rovers won a free kick on the left, with McSparran's kick into the centre being headed on by Campbell for Priet to fire the ball into the roof of the net for the equalizer. Despite the home side having the majority of the play for the rest of the first period, the score at half time was 1-1. Grimsby started the second half on the attack, with Flitney doing well to push a shot from Lewisham round the post for a corner. After that, Rovers took over the game, with Rigoglioso being instrumental in directing Rovers attacks from midfield. A poor clearance by Grimsby was then only cleared as far as Jackson, who attempted to lob the keeper,





but the home custodian just managed to scramble back to save the shot. A header from Fenton then went wide, then Campbell miscued in front of goal from a McSporran cross a minute later. Grimsby were mounting the occasional foray into Rovers territory, but Flitney was able to cope with anything that they threw at him. Back went Rovers on the attack, with Rigoglioso shooting over from 25 yards.

The winning goal came in the 73rd minute, and again, it came from a set piece. A free kick on the left was chipped into the goalmouth by Rigoglioso, and McSporran cheekily flicked the ball with the inside of his right foot to divert it past a static goalkeeper for Rovers' second goal. Rovers should have gone 3-1 up two minutes later when Jackson, in a one-on-one with their keeper, fired wide. The match duly drifted to a close with Rovers in control and leaving Blundell Park with all three points.

**Grimsby Town:** Clark, Hyam, Crane, Parker, Young, Reeves, Ford, Downey, Saunders, Lewisham, Pacquette

**Substitutes:** Chamberlain (for Parker, 72), Ashton (for Lewisham, 78), Fraser, Hegarty, Ward

**Rovers** - Ross Flitney, Richard Cooper, Nick Fenton, Nic Priet, Craig Nelthorpe, Jermaine McSporran, Adriano Rigoglioso, Ricky Ravenhill, Aaron Brittain, Andy Campbell, Ben Jackson

**Substitutes:** Jason Flint (for Campbell, 65), Danny Maudslay, Liam Green, Rob Pacey, Adam Green

	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1 Scunthorpe	13	10	2	1	28	12	16	32
2 Huddersfield	14	10	0	4	28	12	16	30
3 Rovers	13	8	3	2	35	22	13	27
4 Grimsby	13	5	0	8	27	30	-3	15
5 York City	13	4	3	6	14	23	-6	15
6 Lincoln City	12	4	2	6	20	23	-3	14
7 Halifax Town	11	3	3	5	11	19	-8	12
8 Boston Utd	10	3	1	6	22	23	-1	10
9 Notts County	10	3	1	6	12	23	-11	10
10 Darlington	11	1	3	7	9	19	-10	6

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# Supporters Club



**Away travel**  
Sheffield Wednesday  
Sunday, 6th March

**Coach departs:**  
Retford 10.45am  
Bawtry 11.00am  
Hare & Tortoise 11.05am  
Punches 11.10am  
Infirmary 10.15am  
Belle Vue 11.30am

**North Doncaster Coach departs:**  
Carcroft Club 11.15am  
Bentley Pavilion 11.20am  
Don Valley (Jossey Lane)  
11.25am  
Woodlands (opp. Cooplands)  
11.30am

**Prices: Members**  
Adults: £6.00  
OAP's: £5.00  
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**Non-members** £7.00  
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**Blackpool**  
Saturday, 19th March

**Coach departs:**  
Retford 9.30am  
Bawtry 9.45am  
Hare & Tortoise 9.50am  
Punches 9.55am  
Infirmary 10.00am  
Belle Vue 10.15am

**North Doncaster Coach departs:**  
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Bentley Pavilion 8.15am  
Don Valley (Jossey Lane)  
8.20am  
Woodlands (opp. Cooplands)  
8.30am

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Adults: £10.00  
OAP's: £9.00  
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Contact: Len South on 01302 817347, Paul Mayfield on 01427 880154 or Warren Hanson (North Doncaster) 01302 337303 or 07787 926809.



## Raffle

Ben Undy was presented with a signed Rovers shirt at half time of our last home game, against Chesterfield, which he won during the North Branch of the Supporters Club's trip to Torquay United recently. He is pictured here being presented with the shirt by Warren Hanson of the North Branch - with Donny Dog getting a look-in as well! Thanks to DRFC for donating the signed shirt, with the North Doncaster Branch raising almost £500 for Rovers during their weekend trip.

## Next meeting

The next meeting of the North Doncaster Branch will be at the Carcroft Village Club at 7.30pm on Wednesday, 9th March.

The Members Draw winner today is Nidji Leese (Supporters Club member no. 76).

To claim your Members Draw prize you have to call into the Supporters Club shop on the day of the game for which your number has been drawn. Any unclaimed numbers roll over to the next home game.

## Player of the Year

Away to Peterborough, James Coppinger came out on top with 11 votes. He was followed by, Neil Roberts 9, Steve Foster 3, Michael McIndoe 3, and there was four players with one vote each, Paul Green, John Doolan, Gregg Blundell, and Tim Ryan.

North Doncaster Branch's away "Man of the Match" voting for the Peterborough United match was: Neil Roberts 9, James Coppinger 8, Steve Foster 5, Michael McIndoe 4, Andy Warrington 2, Gregg Blundell 2

The North Doncaster "Player of the Month" for February was James Coppinger, who gained 14 points. He follows January's "Player of the Month", which was Tim Ryan, with 25 points.

Supporters Club  
Player of the Year  
(to 19th February 2005)

Paul Green .....	159
Michael McIndoe .....	140
James Coppinger .....	97
Neil Roberts .....	92
Mark Albrighton .....	88
Andy Warrington .....	79
Tim Ryan .....	69
Gregg Blundell .....	66
John Doolan .....	57
Nick Fenton .....	42
Jermaine McSparran .....	40
Steve Foster .....	35
Dave Morley .....	34
Ricky Ravenhill .....	27
Simon Johnson .....	27
Dave Mulligan .....	27
Leo Fortune-West .....	20
Adriano Rigoglioso .....	15
Michael Ingham .....	14
Jamie Price .....	13
Stuart Jones .....	8
Simon Marples .....	7
Nic Priet .....	4
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Guy Ipoua .....	1

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Your pledge of either 50p or £1 is for every goal that Rovers score in

League One matches - cup matches and the play-offs are not included. Your name (or nickname, if you prefer) will be printed in the programme for the rest of the season, and you won't have to pay until the season is over.

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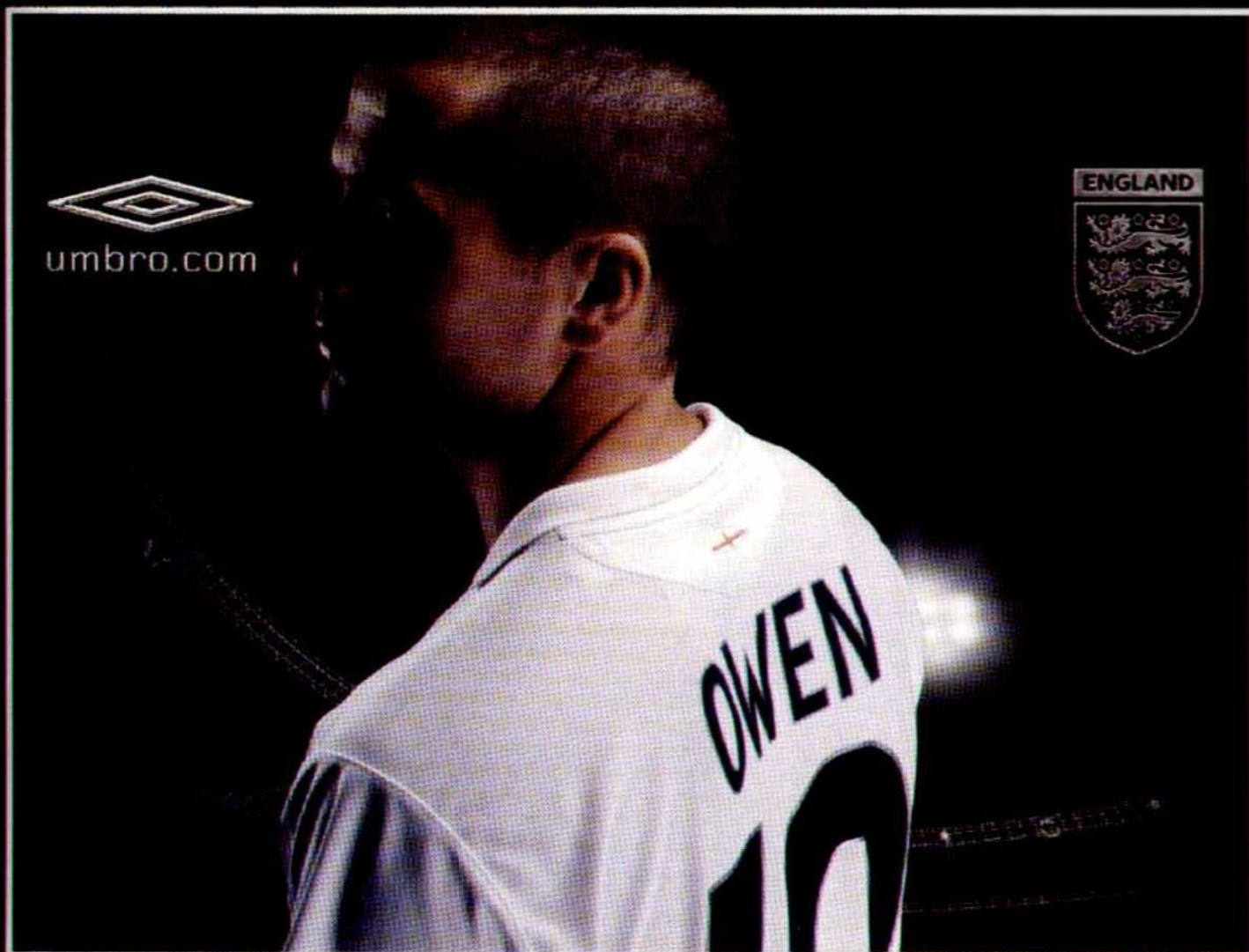
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**Blackpool v Doncaster Rovers**  
Saturday, 19th March 2005  
Kick-off 2pm

Our next away game in the Coca Cola League One is against Sheffield Wednesday on Sunday, 6th March. Directions to that game were given in the Barnsley programme on Tuesday. The next away game after that is when Rovers visit Blackpool for a League One fixture on Saturday, 19th March. The Supporters Club are running coaches to the game – please check their details on page 59 of this programme.

For those of you who may want to make your own way to the match, the following information may be useful to you.

#### By road:

Leave Doncaster on the A1(M) northbound, keeping on this road until the M62 junction at Ferrybridge. Take the westbound carriageway towards Manchester and Leeds, continuing for just short of fifty miles until you reach the M60 intersection. Join the M60, joining the M61 in due course, (signposted to Preston, Wigan and Bolton, and North via M6). You then need to join the M6 northbound at junction 30, staying on the M6 for just one junction before turning onto the M55 (signed Fleetwood, (M55) Blackpool, Preston (North). Keep on the M55 until the end of the motorway (junction 4), then go straight ahead onto the A583 (Preston New Road). Keep on the A583 and you will eventually see the football ground on your right. The ground is situated about quarter of a mile from the sea front, and is about half way between the Pleasure Beach amusement park and Blackpool Tower.

#### Parking:

There is some street parking in the vicinity of the ground, but there are several large pay and display car parks just across the road from the ground.

#### By rail:

There are two railway stations in Blackpool, cunningly called Blackpool South (a ten minute walk from Bloomfield Road) and Blackpool North (about half an hour's walk). However, most trains go to Blackpool North, so you either have a longer walk, or you could get a taxi from outside the station.

**Trains to Blackpool North from Doncaster on match day are as follows:**

#### From Doncaster:

Depart 08.57, arrive 12.00\*  
Depart 09.42, arrive 12.57\*  
Depart 09.59, arrive 13.01\*  
Depart 10.42, arrive 13.57\*  
Depart 10.49, arrive 14.00\*

#### The return journey:

Depart 17.19, arrive 20.48\*  
Depart 17.39, arrive 20.55\*\*  
Depart 18.40, arrive 21.38\*  
Depart 19.43, arrive 22.42\*\*

**Trains to Blackpool South from Doncaster on match day are as follows:**

Depart 07.35, arrive 11.49\*\*  
Depart 08.57, arrive 12.51\*\*  
Depart 09.59, arrive 13.49\*\*

#### For the return journey:

Depart 17.53, arrive 21.38\*\*  
Depart 18.50, arrive 22.42\*\*\*

\* change trains once

\*\* change trains twice

\*\*\* change trains three times

#### By Bus:

From the town centre the services 5 and 11 go near the football ground.

#### The stadium:

In 2000, Blackpool FC announced ambitious plans to redevelop Bloomfield Road, with designs being published for a new 16,000 all-seater stadium. Phase one of the project was completed in February 2002, with the new North and West Stands being opened. Sadly, the second phase, involving the South and East Stands, is yet to be built. The north-west corner of the ground has also been filled in, making an impressive sight – a

pity the same can't be said for the other two sides!

The East side of the ground has a temporary stand to house the away supporters, with the south end still awaiting construction of the new stand. It is anticipated by the club that work may begin some time in 2006.

With away supporters being accommodated in a temporary stand, facilities are very basic, and there is no roof, so hope it doesn't rain! If it looks like it might be wet, fans from other clubs have recommended stout footwear, as the walkway quickly turns into a quagmire! The portakabin toilets are described as "inadequate" by previous visitors, and service at the small refreshment hut is rather slow.

On the positive side, you do get a good view, and there is a good amount of leg room.

#### Ticket information:

Tickets for this fixture will be available in advance, or on the day of the match, with Rovers fans being housed in the uncovered, seated East Stand.

#### Admission prices for this match are as follows:

Adults: £14.00  
Over-60's: £10.00  
Under-18's: £7.00

Blackpool's official web site indicates that a 50p discount is available on tickets bought prior to match day.

#### Food and drink:

Unsurprisingly there is a wide choice of places for you to eat, with plenty of pubs also available. Some recommended by fans include the Auctioneer on Lytham Road (near Blackpool South station), and the Dunes pub on Lytham Road.

Near the ground is The Swift Hound (Rigby Road), The Manchester and The Foxhall (Promenade). There is a McDonalds and a Frankie & Benny's just over the car park from the football ground.

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## Rovers v Swindon Town

Saturday 26th February 2005

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ROVERS  
v  
BRENTFORD  
SATURDAY, 12TH MARCH 2005  
KICK-OFF 3PM  
COCA COLA LEAGUE ONE

### NEXT AWAY GAME

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v  
ROVERS  
SUNDAY, 6TH MARCH 2005  
KICK-OFF 2PM  
COCA COLA LEAGUE ONE

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