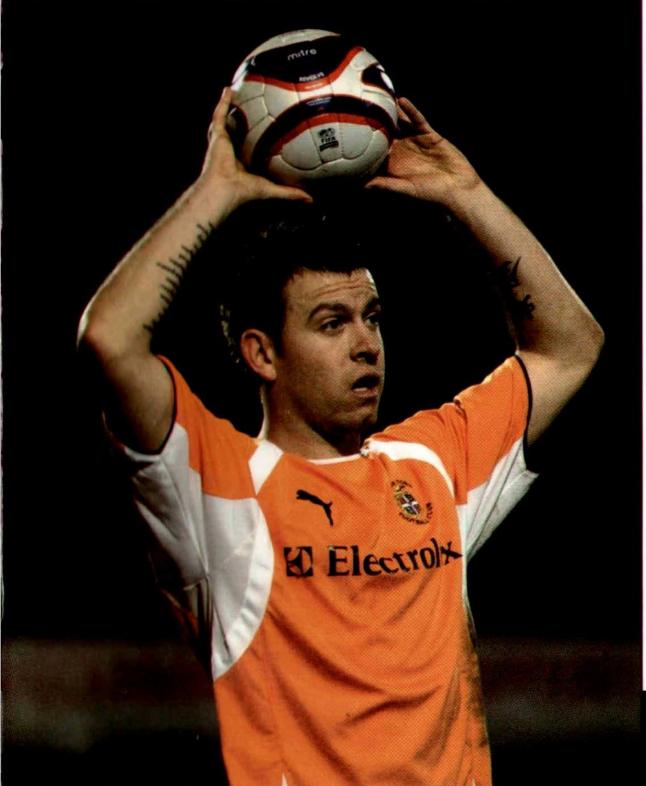
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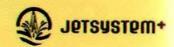
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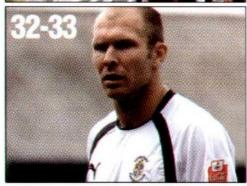
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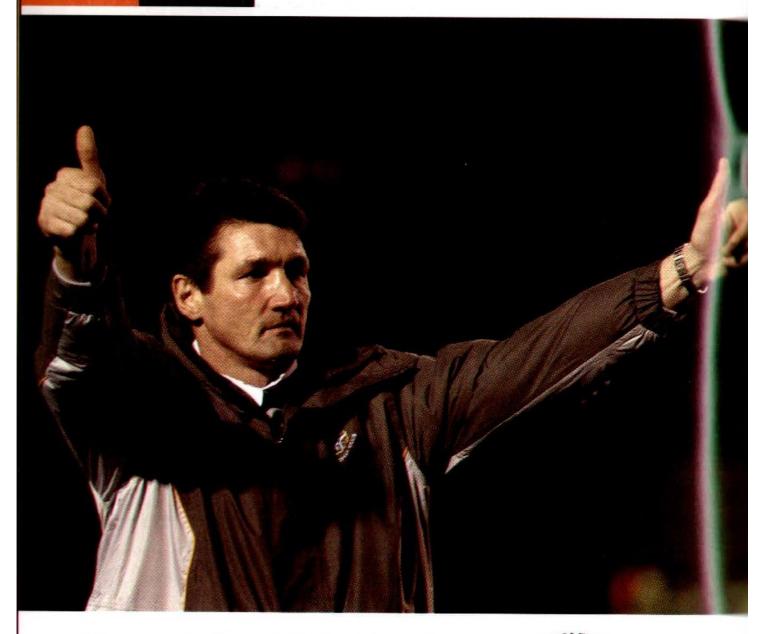






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Welcome back to our second home match in nearly as many days!

Thank you for your tremendous support on Saturday, all the playing staff really appreciated it and you all, without doubt, played your part in getting what was a

well deserved equaliser. Speaking of which, it was great to see Sam Parkin back after such a lengthy lay-off.

The performance proved to me and my staff, in what was a highly competitive game, that not only have the players got the ability, but they've also got

the strength of character to build on this performance and a firm belief that we can now start climbing the table.

I'd like to welcome Swindon Town and their manager Maurice Malpas and his staff. Tonight will be another tough game against a team currently enjoying a mid-table place.

Before Saturday's game against Leeds, I was able to watch our Youth Team play for the first time since my appointment and I'm pleased to say they were

victorious in a 2-0 win against Northampton Town.

Our youth team is very important to me and I shall be keeping a close eye on the boys. This is a part of Luton Town FC's policy which has paid dividends in the past and I'm looking to continue that same trend.

Let's create the same encouraging atmosphere that you produced on Saturday and I know the players will respond to it!

Enjoy tonight's game.

Mick

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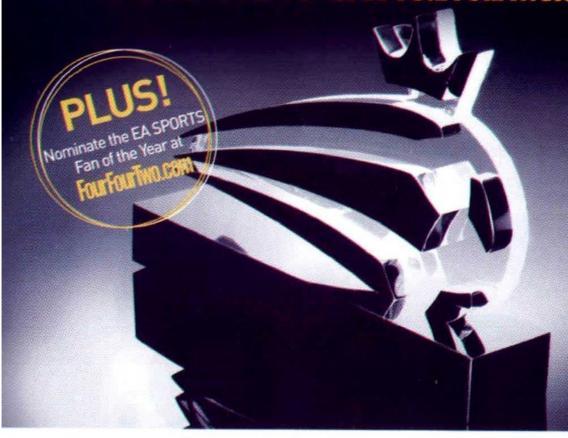


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THE CAPTAIN

I felt that our draw against Leeds United on Saturday was thoroughly deserved. We played some excellent football at times, particularly in the second-half.

In actual fact, our performance probably warranted a win. Leeds have always been a difficult team to play against but I felt we battled back well to come from one goal down to get something from the game.

I think everyone inside the ground was delighted to see Sam Parkin come off the bench and grab the equaliser.

I know he has been so unfortunate with injuries since he arrived at Kenilworth Road, but he is desperate to do well for the Club.

He is constantly in the gym working on his fitness and his goal was a huge reward for his determination and effort to get back into action.

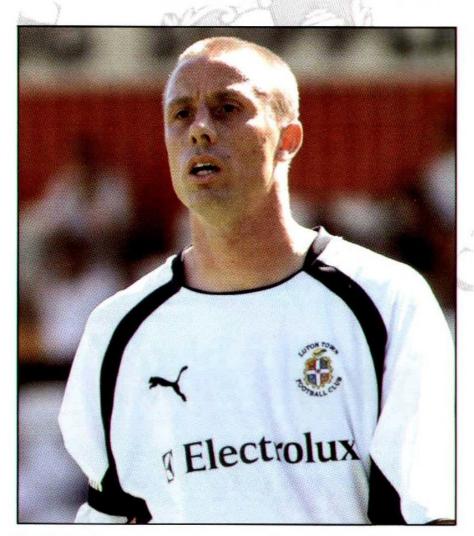
And what a well taken goal it was as well. Sam is brilliant in the air and I'm sure he will be hoping to do something similar this evening against his former Club.

The atmosphere inside Kenilworth Road on Saturday was electric and you played your part in a fascinating match. We now need you to generate the same kind of atmosphere this evening, and indeed for the remainder of the season, as we try and push up the League

We have been very good at Kenilworth Road this season and it is imperative that we maintain that form until the last game of the campaign. We are working hard to rectify our away form, but if we can pick up the odd point here and there on our travels then we can certainly climb the league.

The games continue to come thick and fast and tonight's match against Swindon

CHRIS PERRY



I think everyone inside the ground was delighted to see Sam Parkin come off the bench and grab the equaliser

is our sixth match in just 17 days. It has been a difficult period for us, but nobody is complaining and we are just getting on with the situation.

Congratulations must go to Steve Robinson who was selected for the Northern Ireland squad that face Bulgaria on Wednesday February 6.

It's good to see that work in this division isn't going unnoticed and Robbo fully deserves his call-up to the squad. Tonight will be another difficult test for us. Swindon have a new manager in charge and are seemingly moving in the right direction.

But with your support we can get the win we need to move up the League One table.

Enjoy the game

Chris





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CLUB NEWS

Congratulations Leonard



Luton Town welcomed a very special guest to Kenilworth Road for our recent game against Leeds United on Saturday.

Leonard Pedder celebrated his 90th birthday last Friday and is a huge Hatters supporter, following the fortunes of the Club from the age of four.

Mr Pedder continues to support the Hatters and remains a Main Stand season ticket holder.

Luton Town Football Club would like to thank Mr Pedder for his amazing support over the years and we look forward to seeing him back at Kenilworth Road for many more years to come.

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Your last chance to get involved

Fans of Football League clubs are being given one last chance to take part in The Football League Supporters Survey 2008.

So far more than 32,000 supporters have submitted their views and if you haven't, make sure you don't miss out on the chance to have your opinions heard.

This is the opportunity for supporters to help shape the future of the professional game. Five lucky fans will also win a pair of tickets to the 2008 Play-Off Finals at Wembley Stadium.

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important football issues, from the use of goal-line technology and quotas for home-grown players to refereeing standards and kick-off times.

Supporters are also being asked their views on the club they support. This includes issues surrounding the matchday experience such as ticket prices, food & drink and stewarding, as well as wider issues such as whether fans feel valued by their club and the importance they place on Community and Youth Development programmes.

Log onto www.football-league.co.uk to take part. The results of The Football League Supporters' Survey will be published later this year.

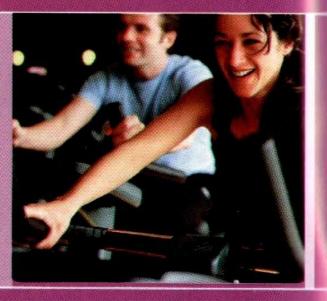


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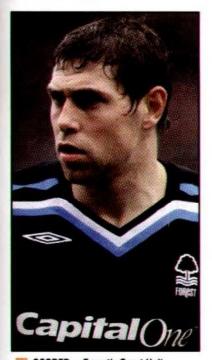
Full service resumes this evening in League One after a disrupted programme at the weekend due to the FA Cup.

The pick of the games comes at the City Ground, where the top two come face to face in what could be a mouth-watering encounter.

SWANSEA CITY (1st) are 11 points clear of NOTTINGHAM FOREST (2nd) having gone on an impressive 12 game unbeaten League run, including a 4-0 demolition job of DONCASTER ROVERS (6th) on Friday night.

The Welsh side are seemingly riding on the crest of the wave and travel to Forest having won eight away games, losing only two, this season - the best away record in the division.

Forest however have a strong home record, losing just one League game at the City Ground and know that victory will give them a realistic chance of taking the League One title.



SCORER... Forest's Grant Holt

In their last game at home, Forest smashed four past LEYTON ORIENT (7th) with Grant Holt grabbing a brace for Colin Calderwood's team.

Elsewhere, SOUTHEND UNITED (9th) face a tricky home game against LEEDS UNITED (5th)

Southend are in desperate need of the points to keep in touch with the play-off pack having won only once in their last eight games.

Leeds meanwhile have been inconsistent themselves with only two victories in their previous seven games.

OLDHAM (14th) will be looking to bounce back from their FA Cup disappointment over the weekend, losing narrowly to HUDDERSFIELD TOWN (17th)

The Latics have struggled at Boundary Park this season, winning just two League games at home - their last coming back in September.

They take on CARLISLE UNITED (3rd) who need to pick up points on their travels to keep in touch with the leading pack in League One. The Cumbrians have won just three times on the road.

PORT VALE (24th) face a must-win game against YEOVIL (10th) who now see themselves nine points adrift of safety.

A home defeat to BOURNEMOUTH (22nd) at the weekend means Vale manager Lee Sinnott has won just three games out of 17, since his arrival from Farsley Celtic.

Yeovil, who lost to TRANMERE (8th) at the weekend, have been pretty poor on their travels having won only one away game in their last 11.

TODAY'S LEAGUE ONE FIXTURES

Cheltenham v Millwall
Crewe v Bristol Rovers
Doncaster v Hartlepool
Northampton v Brighton
Nottingham Forest v Swansea
Oldham v Carlisle
Port Vale v Yeovil
Southend v Leeds
Tranmere v Gillingham
Walsall v Leyton Orient

HOME FORM TABLE

	Last six League games						
	W	D	L	F		GD	Pts
Swansea	6	0	0	17	4	13	18
Carlisle	6	0	0	15	5	10	18
Nottm Forest	5	al	0	16	4	12	16
Cheltenham	5	0	1	5	2	3	15
Leeds	4	0	2	12	4	8	12
Walsall	3	3	0	10	5	5	12
Tranmere	4	0	2	8	5	3	12
Leyton Orient	3	2	L	7	2	5	11
Hartlepool	3	2	1	12	8	4	dH.
LUTON	3	2	F	- 5	4	3-1	11
Swindon	3	2	1	7	7	0	11
Millwall	3	1	2	11	7	4	10
Yeovil	3	1	2	7	6	1	10
Doncaster	3	i	2	7	7	0	10
Bournemouth	3	1	2	11	13	-2	10
Northampton	2	3	1	10	7	3	9
Bristol Rovers	2	3	1	8	6	2	9
Brighton	2	3	1	10	9	1	9
Southend	2	2	2	9	7	2	8
Gillingham	2	2	2	7	5	2	8
Huddersfield	2	1	3	7	8	-1	7
Oldham	0	5	1	4	6	-2	5
Port Vale	1	2	3	7	10	-3	5
Crewe	- 1	2	3	6	11	-5	5

AWAY FORM TABLE

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	Last :	six Le	agu	e gar	mes		
	W	D	L	F		GD	Pts
Oldham	4	2	0	10	3	7	14
Doncaster	3	3	0	11	4	7	12
Walsall	3	3	0	8	2	6	12
Bristol Rovers	3	0	3	5	4	1	9
Swansea	2	2	2	10	8	2	8
Gillingham	2	1	3	8	8	0	7
Huddersfield	2	1	3	6	11	-5	7
Northampton	2	1	3	5	11	-6	7
Brighton	1	3	2	7	8	-1	6
Leeds	1	3	2	6	7	-1	6
Swindon	1	3	2	6	9	-3	6
LUTON		2	3	8	10	-2	5
Yeovil	1	2	3	5	7	-2	
Nottm Forest	1	2	3	5	8	-3	5
Southend	1	1	4	9	13	-4	4
Tranmere	1	1	4	5	11	-6	4
Cheltenham	1	1	4	5	11	-6	4
Millwall	1	1	4	6	13	-7	4
Bournemouth	1	0	5	8	14	-6	3
Port Vale	1	0	5	4	12	-8	3
Carlisle	0	2	4	4	11	-7	2
Hartlepool	0	1	5	6	13	-7	1
Crewe	0	1	5	2	11	-9	1
Leyton Orient	0	1	5	2	12	-10	1

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arren, can you explain how your move to Kenilworth Road has come about?

I helped Mick at QPR and we got on well. I was his assistant when he was placed in charge following the departure of John Gregory. We did well in the short time we were at the helm, but it didn't work out with various people. However, we kept in touch and he telephoned me to ask if I could help him out here and I was delighted to team up with him again.

Was it a difficult decision to come to Kenilworth Road?

Not really. It is currently a short-term position until the end of the season so we will see what happens after that. Hopefully it can become something long-term, but at the moment we have to concentrate on trying to stay in the division. Mine and Mick's future can be talked about at a later stage.

Tell us a little bit about your career?

I started as a kid at QPR coming up through their ranks and went on to have a good career at Loftus Road. I was fortunate enough to have been part of the

WARREN **NEILL**

When Mick Harford arrived at Kenilworth Road, he brought with him a highly regarded coach and player who has carved out a successful career at QPR and Portsmouth. Warren Neill worked with Mick during their time at QPR and between them played a pivotal role at Loftus Road when John Gregory lost his job at the Club. Now the duo hope to work their magic at Kenilworth Road in Luton's bid to maintain their League One status next season.

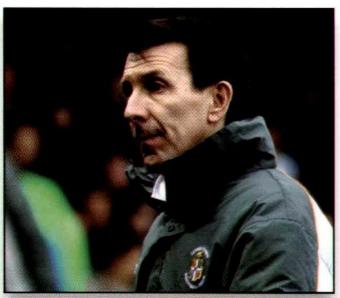
Rangers side which won the Milk Cup in 1986 and played in the 1982 FA Cup Final. I also played for Rangers in the UEFA Cup and I made 224 appearances, before I moved to Portsmouth in 1988. At Portsmouth I got to the semi-final of the FA Cup where we lost to Liverpool. I spent six years there before I was forced to retire from playing at the age of 31.

And then you moved into coaching.

I went to OPR to work as the assistant to the Academy Director. Richard Langley was one of my players and during my time in that role we won the Academy League Cup Final. Unfortunately, QPR went into administration and the Academy was abolished and I was made redundant. When John Gregory went to QPR he called me to speak about coming back and I returned.

What skills does Mick Harford bring in terms of a manager?

He brings with him a wealth of knowledge. He was a player who played at the highest level and he has already proved to be a good coach and a fantastic manager. He has high expectations of his players and he expects them to meet them. He can also



bring the best out of players, which is a hard quality to have.

What have you made of the Luton squad?

There is certainly enough quality and we have been encouraged by what we have seen so far. We are obviously short of a centre-half, but we are all sticking together and if the lads can continue to play the way we know they can, then we have every chance of staying up.

Has it been difficult having so many game so quickly since your arrival?

I wish we knew what we do now about the players when we first arrived. We do have a good squad and we will be fighting together.

memories of Kenilworth Road?

Well the dugouts have obviously moved to the other side of the ground because on Saturday I started making my way down the wrong touchline. I didn't have particularly fond memories of playing against Luton as I have scored two own goals in my career and they were both against Luton. Kenilworth Road was never a ground teams used to like playing at because the atmosphere could be intimidating at times, and that is what we now need from the fans until the end of the season.

Thanks for your time Warren

Thanks

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Top Player: Fjortoft



Jan Age Fjortoft will probably go down as Swindon's greatest ever player, the Norwegan was very much loved by the Clutis supporters. He joined Swindon in the summer of 1993 following their promotion to the Premiership and was their top scorer during the 1993-94 season as the

Robins were relegated. The powerful striker also helped Swindon reach the League Cup semi-finals and played 72 games for the Club scoring 28 goals. He later went on to enjoy spells with Middlesbrough. Sheffield United and Barnsley.

Top Manager: Hoddle



Glenn Hoddle arrived at a troubled club when he was appointed manager of Swindon Town, who had been badly affected by a financial scandal which had seen them stripped of promotion to the First Division at the end of the 1989–90 season Hoddle prevented Swindon from slipping into the Third

Division and further improvement throughout the 1991–92 season saw the Wiltshire club finish menth, just missing out on a play-off place. Swindon reached the new Division One play-offs in 1993 and beat Leicester City 4-3 at Wembley and were then promoted to the Premier League.

Top Game:

March 15, 1969 Arsenal I Swindon 3 easue Cup Final, Wembley Stadium

On paper the 1969 League Cup final appeared something of a formality as Arsenal, riding high in the first division, were fixed with the talk of overtoming third division. Swindon Town The Robins went in fronthrough Roger Smart and looked to have won the telescore Bothy, Good Stored for Arsenal just before full-time. That meant the game went into extra-time, which swindon, dominated Don Rogers put the underdogs in front, but, wandon water firmly on the back foot in the second period of extra time. However, Rogers grabbed a third on the counter attack to complete a historic victory.

Despite only winning twice on the road so far this term, Swindon Town will be hoping that tonight's match can ignite a push for the play-offs.

After promotions, relegations and administrations in the last few years, Robins' fans have endured their fair share of thrills and spills but, with just a little more consistency on the pitch, Maurice Malpas's side could sneak into the top six come May.

Malpas took over at the County Ground earlier this month following

the departure of former Southampton boss, Paul Sturrock, who left in November after guiding Swindon to automatic promotion last season.

"THE NEW BOSS HIMSELF WAS A ROLLS ROYCE DEFENDER WHO EXCELLED FOR DUNDEE UNITED AND SCOTLAND"

Sturrock upped a division to move back to another of his previous clubs, Plymouth, and his loss was keenly felt by many at the County Ground. However, despite the relatively disappointing form on their travels, the 1969 League Cup Winners remain in a comfortable position, and Malpas's brief tenure has already included an impressive defeat of second-placed Nottingham Forest.

The new boss himself was a Rolls Royce defender who excelled for Dundee United and Scotland in a career that spanned over twenty years.

A winner of 55 international caps and

a UEFA Cup runners-up medal with United, Malpas was previously Motherwell manager and also has a short stint as Scotland Under-21 coach on his CV.

In the interim period between ex-Tannadice teammates Sturrock and Malpas, club skipper Ady Williams took temporary charge, although the former Reading and Wales stalwart has only actually played once this

Ex-Manchester United youth player

Hasney Aljofree, wears the captain's armband on the field, and the athletic defender has been a consistent performer since his move from

Plymouth last year.

Malpas's biggest headache is up front, where the failure to permanently secure the talents of on-loan Reading striker, Simon Cox, has depleted the Robins' firepower. Cox netted eight times in 18 games for Swindon - the last a 90th minute penalty to secure a draw against leaders Swansea on New Year's Day - and his cool finishing made him the apple of many fans' eyes.

Even though both parties are still rumoured to be keen on a move, the twenty year-old's continued absence means that Malpas is likely to turn to Irish youngster Barry Corr, who has



SWINDON



been in fine goal-scoring form since making his own loan spell from Bristol City permanent. Alongside him, former Hull and Southend forward, Billy Paynter, will be looking to recapture the sort of form that saw him net a hat-trick on his Robins debut back in September.

Paynter, in fact, notched his first goal since November in last week's FA Cup tie against Barnet, although the night ultimately ended in disappointment as the League Two strugglers ran out winners on penalties after a 1-1 draw in normal time.

Craig Eatson has also strengthened the midfield department and has been a consistent member of the Swindon side.

Putting an end to that sort of away-day misery will be top of Malpas's priority list as we head into the business end of the season.

It seems as if Swindon are quickly adapting to Malpas's style of play meaning Luton could be in for another difficult test at Kenilworth Road this evening.

Recent meetings between the two side have been evenly balanced. The Hatters will be looking to gain revenge for their 2-1 defeat earlier in the season, in a match that Luton should have gone on to win.

The most recent fixture at Kenilworth Road between the two sides was in March 2005 when goals from Kevin Nicholls, Ahmet Brkovic and Peter Holmes sealed a 3-1 win.

could get into the play-offs then it was be a step up and maybe another season in this division would make us stronger for a proper push to the Championship. I think a top half finish would be satisfactory, particularly with the rollercoaster season we have had to date.

Who is your key signing?



firepower to our attack I who we signed from MK. Dons in the summer

Who will be your star players?

Most likely to score for Swindon this evening would be Paynter, but Craig Easton has been brilliant this season defence. H been solid and



I can't see anybody piping Swansea to the title. They look an excellent, strog side and have one the of the best managers in the leagues, it could then be one of about seven teams who join them. We lost 3-0 to Carlisle United earlier in the season and on that day we were beaten by a good side. You also have to be impressed by Walsall this season and although I'm not sure if they can last the pace, they played well when we travelled there a few weeks are we travelled there a few weeks ago.

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Luton		Draw	Swindon		
League	24	15	18		
FA Cup	4	0	3		
Other	0	0	0		
Total	28	15	21		

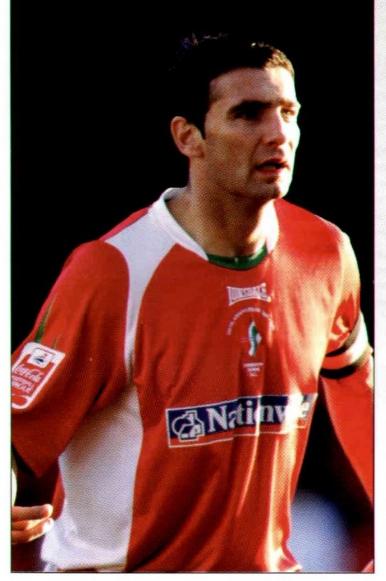
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Last season: Swindon finished third in League Two, 12 points behind League winners Walsall.



THE VISITORS THE KEY MEN FOR SWINDON

Named on-field Captain by former manager Dennis Wise in mid-July, Ady Williams brought with him a Ground He signed from Coventry City in pre-season 2006 The former Welsh International has had successful spells with Wolves and Reading and despite being injured against Hartlepool United in February which ended his season, he has a major successful central defensive partnership with Jerel the squad and the club He is currently recovering from surgery and making good progress on the



Goalkeepers

Joined Swindon in July 2006 from Crawley Town, where he made 74 appearances during a two-year stay, which followed a year's spell at Margate where he made 35

Peter Brezovan

A giant in goal at 6'7, Peter Brezovan signed on a year's loan from Czech club FC Brno in the summer of 2006. The Slovakian has became a fans favourite and was named PFA Fans' Player of the Month for September.

A promising young goalkeeper who is highly-rated at the County Ground and is waiting to make his debut for the senior team.

Defenders

Signed from Watford in the summer of 2005, and added youthful experience to the Town side. He made 38 league starts for Town last season in a variety of positions including right back, left back and midfield



Jamie Vincent

Jamie Vincent arrived at The County Ground in the summer of 2006 as one of Dennis Wise's first signings. Vincent began his football career as a trainee at Crystal Palace before making the switch to AFC Bournemouth, where he made over 100 appearances between 1996 and 1999. He then made a £500,000 switch to Huddersfield Town which was followed by an £800,000 deal which saw him move to Portsmouth in 2001. Spells at Derby County and Millwall then followed.

Powerful defender Jerel Ifil joined Town in the summer of 2004 after enjoying three loan spells with Town previously from 2002-04. Ifil has now played over 100 games in a Town shirt and was a rock at the back throughout the 2006/07 season. Signed a new three-year contract in May 2007.

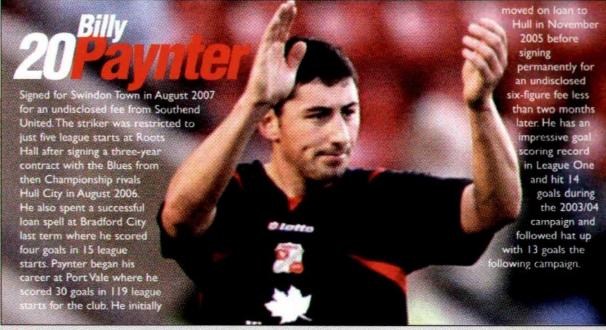
Miguel Comminges

A French defender, who came to the attention of former boss Paul Sturrock during a scouting mission to France towards the end of last season. Miguel Comminges has previous experience with Amiens SC and then signed for Reims in 2003 and made a total of 74 appearances for the Second Division side.

Hasney Aljofree

Hasney Aljofree joined Swindon Town from Plymouth Argyle and the defender is an experienced player who has over 200 appearances under his belt. Aljofree spent a short time at Dundee United before moving to Plymouth.

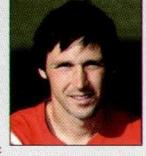
Top Scorer



Midfielders

Craig Easton

Craig Easton arrived at The
County Ground in June 2007 and
adds further experience to the
central midfield area. The former
Scotland Under 21 International
has over 300 league appearances
under his belt. He started his
career at Dundee United where
he came up through the ranks to
make 162 league starts before
departing in the summer of 2004
to spend a year at Livingston



before joining Leyton Orient in July 2005.

Jon-Paul McGovern

Joined Swindon Town in August 2007, just hours before the close of the transfer window from MK Dons. A lively winger who can operate out wide or

through the middle, Jon Paul McGovern has had spells with Sheffield Wednesday and Sheffield United.

Michael Pook

An energetic 'box-to-box' midfielder, Michael Pooky signed a professional contract ahead of the 2005-6 season and was a consistent performer for the youth team and reserves prior to joining the professional ranks.

Chris Allen

A highly promising midfielder who has progressed right through the Swindon Youth ranks to secure a first team contract. Allen was handed his full debut against Brentford in the Johnstone's Paint Trophy in September 2007.

Sofiene Zaaboub

Impressed during an initial three month loan spell in November 2006, Zaaboub signed an 18-month deal at Swindon Town. Zaaboub has spent time at French club St Etienne.

Lee Peacock

Lee Peacock joined Swindon
Town in January 2006 on a free
transfer from Sheffield
Wednesday. The experienced
frontman started his career at
Carlisle United as a trainee, but
after scoring 11 goals in 52
appearances he made the switch
to Mansfield Town in October
1997 for £75,000. It proved to
be a productive spell with The
Stags with 29 goals in 80
appearances attracting



Strikers

Manchester City who parted with £500,000 for his services. However, his time at Maine Road was not as successful as he would have liked due to injuries, but his next stop certainly was. A £600,000 move to Bristol City in August 2000 heralded the start of a successful four year spell at Ashton Gate. 54 goals in 131 league starts was the result of his stay with the Robins before moving to Sheffield Wednesday, who he joined on a free transfer in the summer of 2004, on a free transfer.

Christian Roberts

Cardiff-born striker joined Swindon in October 2004 in a £50,000 switch from local rivals Bristol City. Formerly with Exeter City where he scored 18 goals in 67 league starts for the Grecians from 2000 - 2002. Started the 2007/08 season well, netting from the spot at Northampton Town on the opening day of the new campaign and has now established himself on the flank.

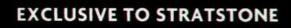
Blair Sturrock

Blair Sturrock arrived at The County Ground in November 2006 from Rochdale. The striker joined Dundee United as a trainee before spending time at Brechin on loan. Sturrock then had a three-year spell on the south coast with Plymouth Argyle making most of his appearances as a substitute. In 2004, Sturrock moved to Kidderminster, and then onto Rochdale nine months later where he hit six goals in fifteen starts.

Kaid Mohamed

Welsh striker who signed from Carmarthen Town. Kaid Mohamed is a winner of the Welsh FA Cup scoring two goals against Afan Lido in the Final, prior to his arrival at the County Ground.





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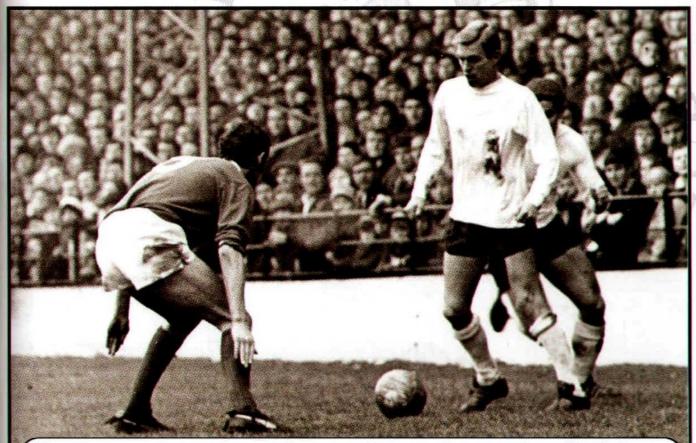


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ROGER WASH tells the stories behind some special moments in Hatters history



Hatters swagger through against the Robins

Brian Lewis in typical pose as he shows the ball to his 'minder', Swindon's Stan Harland, as the Town attempt to maintain their perfect home record in 1968/69.

When the Town were promoted from Division Four in 1968 they started the following season where they left off and quickly established a place at the top of the table.

Boosted by some big money signings the Hatters went eight games unbeaten before going down 0-1 at Brighton, but then a combination of injuries and sudden loss of form meant that a pattern of win at home and lose away became the norm much to the increasing frustration of the fans.

Manager Allan Brown dipped into the transfer market once more in a bid to freshen up the squad but the 'one step forward, two steps back' combination continued.

By the time of the visit of pacesetters Swindon to Kenilworth Road in early November the Town had dropped back to sixth spot and were desperate to Score: Luton 2-0 Swindon

Date: Saturday November 9, 1968

Place: Kenilworth Road

remain in touch with the leading pack.

A crowd of 17,250 turned up on a murky day to see if the Hatters could at least maintain their 100% home record and they were treated to a full-blooded contest with a belligerent home side attempting to bludgeon their way through to victory.

Home striker Laurie Sheffield was guilty of a couple of glaring first half misses and it looked as though the Town would live to regret this wastefulness when the Robins came out of the blocks much the stronger in the second half.

Only some smart saves by Luton goalkeeper Sandy Davie prevented mercurial Swindon winger Don Rogers from opening the scoring and it was therefore against the run of play when the Town went I-0 up on the hour.

Sheffield had been guilty of some heavy

challenges on Swindon goalkeeper Peter Downsborough and while he was still groggy the Town forwards exploited this weakness and pumped a succession of high balls into the area.

From one of these, Sheffield took advantage of some hesitation and smacked a volley into the net.

Swindon now had to attack for all they were worth and consequently left gaps in defence which were increasingly exploited by the Luton forwards. From one such counter attack Luton's own mercurial winger Graham French beat two defenders and laid on an inch perfect pass for the wily Brian Lewis to put the result beyond doubt with ten minutes to go.

Whereas Allan Brown spoke of 'a fine all-round performance' after the match, the national press preferred to concentrate on the less savoury aspects of the clash – particularly Sheffield's foul on Downsborough and the running battle between Lewis and the Swindon skipper Stan Harland.







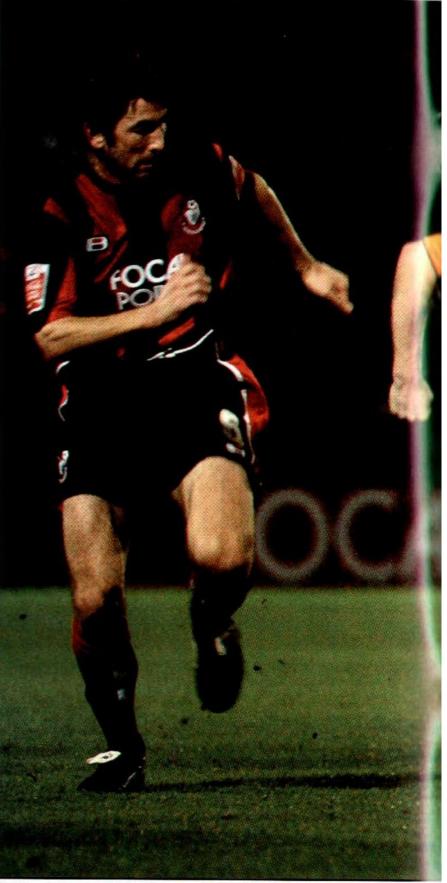
Goals: Spring (45p), Morgan (60), Furlong (80) Substitutes:O'Leary (70 Morgan), Andrew (82 Talbot), Not used: Beresford, Emanuel, Jackson Keane

None



Vokes (89), Pitman (90)
Substitutes:
Pitman (80 Kuffour)
Not used: Pearce, Bartley, Partington,
Tessem
Bradbury, Perrett, Vokes

REFEREE: Steven Cook (Surrey)



COCA-COLA LEAGUE ONE TUESDAY JANUARY 22, 2008 THE FITNESS

BOURNEMOUTH 4 LUTON 3



IRST STADIUM ATT: 3.489 🏿 ATTACK... Drew Talbot picks up a loose ball and bursts through the bournemouth defence as Russell Perrett looks on



GOAL...Matthew Spring gets the comeback started as his slots home a penalty home at the Fitness First Stadium at the end of the first-half

Manager's view



"Luton Town getting beaten tonight, in the way we did, is minimal in terms of the existence of the football club. It's a massive, massive challenge but we're in it together, we'll fight together and we'll be OK. Going forward we look a decent outfit but we have one centre-half at the football club. It's very, very difficult to keep clean sheets when you're hanging around with one centre-half. The players showed a hell of a lot of spirit to come back from two goals down. We didn't play particularly well first half but the story of the game was obviously in the last two or three minutes. I won't criticise any of my players, they've worked admirably. We showed a bit of naivety in the last few moments of the game and we got punished."

Mick Harford

Luton had victory within their grasp but suffered an amazing defeat in a seven goal thriller against Bournemouth at Dean Court.

With just two minutes on the clock, Jo Kuffor found space in midfield and slipped out a pass to Sam Vokes, whose first time cross from the right was met by a delightful finish from the unmarked Max Alain Gradel at the back post.

Drew Talbot twice went close before Bournemouth extended their lead on 32 minutes. A long ball forward from Vokes sent Kuffour racing for goal, leaving Hutchison in his wake, to calmly lift a shot past the onrushing Dean Brill.

But Luton were to make a breakthrough just before the interval. Morgan's cross from the right saw Russell Perrett give away a needless foul inside the area as he was adjudged to have pulled the shirt of Furlong.

Bournemouth fans were stunned by decision to point as Matthew Spring buried his kick straight down the middle.

The second-half saw Luton back on level terms on 60 minutes when a clever cross from the right by Currie found Morgan at the back post who had stole behind the Bournemouth defence to calmly slot home a shot from six yards.

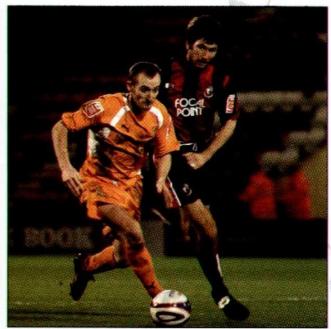
Luton then completed a remarkable comeback as they went in front on 79 minutes. After Perrett was robbed of possession by Talbot, the Luton striker whipped over a cross that was headed towards goal by Spring.

It looked as if Spring's effort had been saved by Ryan Pryce, but Paul Furlong was quick to react to a spillage from the rookie to lift a shot into the roof of the net from close range.

However, that lead wasn't to last long enough to secure three points and in the last minute of the game, Vokes superbly swivelled inside the area to blast a shot into the corner of the net, leaving Brill with no chance.

Then, in a remarkable finish to the game, Bournemouth grabbed an injury time winner as Lee Bradbury's cross to the back post was met at the far post by Brett Pitman's brave header.

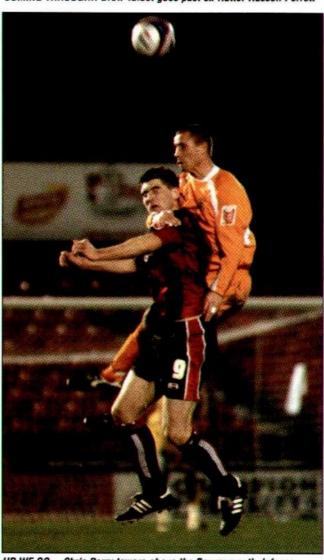
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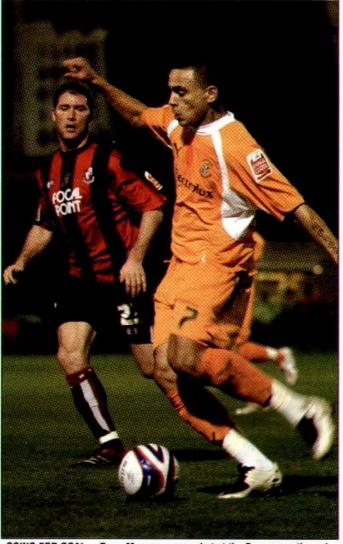
COMING THROUGH.. Drew Talbot goes past ex-Hatter Russell Perrett



TUSSLE... Paul Furlong keeps the Bournemouth defence at bay



UP WE GO... Chris Perry towers above the Bournemouth defence



GOING FOR GOAL... Dean Morgan eyes a shot at the Bournemouth goal



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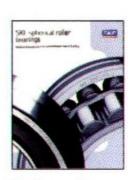


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SIMON PITTS finds some fascinating facts about today's teams

The most number of goals scored by one player in this fixture. Tommy Tait netted all but one of the goals in a 6-0 win in April 1932, Fred Kean scored the other. Tait's hat-trick was the first of three in this fixture. Just two days short of a year later, Andy Rennie netted the ninth hattrick of his Luton career, in a 6-2 win. Four years on and another prolific Luton scorer, Joe Payne, repeated the feat with his seventh Luton hat-trick in a 5-1 win! Three days later and Payne hit another hat-trick in a 5-0 win against Newport County when, coincidentally, Bert Dawes and George Stephenson netted the other two goals as they had also done against Swindon!

biggest attendance for this ixture, November 1968. when Luton won 2-0 courtesy of goals from Laurie Sheffield and Brian Lewis. Despite failing to score against Luton, the reverse fixture ended goal-less, in that season Swindon were to pip the Hatters to promotion by just three points. The lowest recorded attendance is just 2,547 for this fixture, and they saw a 1-1 draw, with Luton's goal scored by Lewis Bedford, the last of his 17 goals in his Hatters' career.



SCORER.. Ahmet Brkovic

The number of penalties scored by Luton in this fixture. In the first league match between the sides, at Kenilworth Road, Syd Hoar opened the scoring from the spot before Allan Mathieson added the second in a 2-0 win. George Dennis scored the next penalty, in a 4-1 win, during the 1925/26 season. In May 1971 Don Givens scored from the spot just before the half time interval, but the visitors equalised after the break to earn a draw. The deadlock was also broken from a spot kick in October 1973 when John Aston netted, and although Swindon equalised just two minutes later Luton were victorious courtesy of a goal from Peter Anderson. Steve Robinson scored his first goal for Luton with a late penalty in September 2002.Kevin Nicholls netted his sixth league spot kick of the season. Ahmet Brkovic doubled Luton's lead before Swindon pulled a goal back through Michael Proctor.

The number of consecutive years that Luton and Swindon were in the same division. From 1920/21 to 1936/37 inclusive the sides were both in Division Three (South), before Luton won the league and were promoted to Division Two. During these 17 years the Hatters had been unbeaten for the first 13 meetings at Kenilworth Road, winning ten and drawing three, before Swindon won 3-2 in 1933/34. Luton won the next three meetings, and then had to wait over 30 years to make it four in a row as the sides didn't meet again until 1968. There's been just ten league meetings here between the sides in the last 39 years, with four wins for Luton, whilst Swindon have been victorious three times.

Each way movers

The number of players to have moved from Swindon to Luton over the years. The first, Bert Davies, only made four appearances during the 1927/28 season. Three years later and Fred Dent scored three goals in his first two appearances. for Luton after his transfer, and both came in 3-1 wins. Dent went on to make a further 14 appearances and scored two more goals. It wasn't until 1964/65 that another player made the move, and Billy Harber made 33 appearances and scored two goals in two seasons at Luton. David Moss moved to Kenilworth Road in the summer of 1978, and scored twice on his Luton debut in a 6-1 win at home to Oldham. Sol Davis is the most recent signing after he joined in August

The number of players to have moved from Luton to Swindon. Two of these players featured in Luton's first season in the Football League in 1897/98. James Coupar made 29 appearances and scored nine goals, whilst Tommy Little scored 10 goals in 25 appearances. Dan Kirkwood scored on his debut after joining from Brighton but made only one more appearance for Luton before moving to Swindon. Mike O'Hara only made four appearances in goal for the Hatters during the 1960/61. Another goalkeeper to move to Swindon was Jake Findlay, who had made 187 appearances in six years at Kenilworth Road.





Hatters and Swindon past...

THIS week's LIFELINE shows how Luton and 30 Premiership, finishing bottom having collected only flight 7th place in 1986-87.

points. Their Swindon's fortunes have risen and fallen over the 1932-33 and 1955-56 when they finished bottom years. Swindon's high point came when, under of Football League. Luton's low point came with a 17th John Gorman, they suffered relegation from the place in Division Four in 1966-67 and their high a top



STEVEN DOVE with



Swindon boss in talk with duo

Swindon boss Maurice Malpas has opened talks with Lee Peacock and Miguel Comminges to extend their current deals at the club.

Both players are out of contract in the summer and Malpas is keen to secure their services for next season.

Miguel Comminges and Lee Peacock are two players I have opened talks with," confirmed ex-Motherwell boss Malpas. "Their deals are up in the summer and they are two players who we would like to keep here for an extended stay."

Fox to complete Coventry move



Walsall defender Daniel Fox will join Coventry City according to Saddlers boss

Richard Money.

The Sky Blues have held talks with the 21-year-old after having a bid accepted on Tuesday.

And Money is expecting the deal to go through: "My understanding is that it will be completed on Friday.

"I see no reason why he wouldn't want to go to Coventry - it's a wonderful club. I know all about it from my time there," he told BBC WM.



ON THE MOVE ... Fox looks set to head to Coventry City have won the race for Fox Fox has been linked with with the Saddlers receiving a number of clubs -

including Leeds and Wolves a fee of around £350,000. - and had seemed set for a move to Colchester after discussing terms with the Championship side.

But Coventry appear to

"He is already the complete player. The fee is what it is. There are no addons," Money added.

Pools hit problems with Elding offer

Stockport have told Hartlepool they must improve their offer for goalscorer Anthony Elding to stand a chance of signing him.

The League One club have made an undisclosed offer for County's top scorer.

Elding has already scored 14 goals for the Edgeley Park club this season.





Dobie to prove a point

Carlisle striker Scott Dobie hopes to prove a point to the club's fans after returning to United following a miserable spell with Nottingham Forest.

Dobie struggled with injury and form at the City Ground but told BBC Radio Cumbria he still has plenty to give.

He said: "I'm looking forward to getting my career going again. I've been fit now for a season and a bit."



Bristol Rovers boss aul Trollope insisted ne still wants to sign a striker despite seeing Andy Williams and Rickie Lambert hit the goal trail.



Cheltenham Town have completed the loan signings of Bristol City duo Steve Brooker and Alex Russell.



Doncaster Rovers defender Sam Hird is to stay on loan at Grimsby Town for a third month.

Leyton Orient's Matchroom Stadium will host the FA Women's Premier League Cup Final on 28



Rushden & Diamonds have signed Nottingham Forest goalkeeper Dale Roberts on a month's loan.



Swans duo head to Spain

Swansea strikers Kerry Morgan and Chad Bond have been loaned out to FC Balaguer in Spain. Morgan, 19, and Bond, 20, will play in the fourth tier of Spanish football which features the likes of Barcelona B.

"They will learn a completely different approach to the game, technically and tactically," said boss Roberto Martinez.

Barnard leaves Spurs for Southend



Southend have brought in young Tottenham Hotspur reserve striker Lee Barnard, 23, for an undisclosed fee.

Billericay boy Barnard, who signed for Spurs as a trainee in August 2002, has had six spells out on loan in his five and a half years at White Hart Lane.

But he has now signed a two-and-a-

BACK...Doig

half year deal with the Shrimpers which will tie him to Roots Hall until

He is Tilson's third signing of the January window following the arrival of Damian Scannell from non-League Eastleigh and Brentford goalkeeper Clark Masters, who was immediately let out on loan to Blue Square Premier Stevenage.



"He's still a way off and we don't want to take any risks with him because it was a bad injury," manager Gray said.

Darlington in November.





SIGNED.. Lee Barnard

Thomson



LEAGUE ONE ROUND-UP

the latest news from around the other 23 clubs in the division

Arsenal set to swoop for Gills hotshot

Gillingham chairman Paul Scally has confirmed that highly-rated teenage striker Luke Freeman is on the verge of completing a move to Arsenal.

The 15-year-old has attracted interest from several clubs but is set to join the Gunners after a fee - reported to be around £200,000 - was agreed.

"We have agreed in principal a deal for Luke to go to Arsenal," said Scally.

"We are waiting on some of the finer details to be concluded but we are confident it will happen very soon."

Freeman became the youngest player ever to feature in the FA Cup when he appeared as a late substitute for Gillingham against Barnet in November.

West Ham and

Newcastle were among the other clubs said to have targeted him.

Scally added: "It is a shame for Gillingham to lose a special talent such as Luke but we cannot stand in the way of such a fantastic

opportunity. "Arsenal have gone about their business in a fair and commendable way

so it was a pleasure to

do the deal with them."





Holland backs boss

Bournemouth midfielder Danny Hollands insists the club's unhappy fans should direct their anger at the players and not manager Kevin Bond.

The Dorset side are rooted to the bottom of League One and have the threat of administration looming.

But Hollands says chants towards his manager are unjustified, following their 4-I home defeat by Southend.

He told BBC Radio Solent "It's a bit unfair towards the gaffer. There are II players out there."



Oldham's John Thompson faces up to a month out with a knee injury following a heavy challenge during a reserve game against Stoke



Port Vale have signed Birmingham City midfielder David Howland on loan until the end of the



Tranmere face competition from Carlisle United in the race to sign Scunthorpe United winger Cleveland Taylor



Yeovil Town manager Russell Slade has revealed he is planning talks with two transfer targets early this week.



Millwall swoop for keeper

Millwall have signed Blackpool goalkeeper Rhys Evans on loan for the rest of the season.

The former Swindon and Chelsea keeper is out of contract at Blackpool in the summer.

Evans lost his place to Paul Rachubka this season and was loaned to League Two side Bradford in October where he played four games for the

Albion reject bid for skipper



Brighton have turned down a bid from an unnamed Championship club for their captain Dean

Hammond.

However Albion say they might now have to sell the midfielder during the transfer window to avoid him leaving on a free.

Chairman Dick Knight said: "We want him to stay. We've moved heaven and earth to keep him, but the club will not be held to ransom. He must make a decision by the end of this month.



NO MOVE ... Hammond

Town pair get new deals



Huddersfield goalkeeper Simon Eastwood and defender Shane Killock have signed new one-year contracts.

Eastwood has yet to make his first-team debut, while fellow 18-year-old Killock made his bow at Crewe in September. Boss Andy Ritchie said: "Goalkeepers are a precious commodity - once you have good ones you hang on to them"

Leeds miss out on Enoch



Bristol City striker Enoch Showunmi has decided against a move to Leeds. The two clubs had agreed a fee for the 25-year-old, who has scored 13 goals in 44

games for City but has not been a regular in their starting line-up. BBC Radio Leeds reports that Showunmi has opted to stay at Ashton Gate and fight for his place.



Holland stays upbeat

Crewe boss Steve Holland is still optimistic of making more signings despite enduring a wretched time in the transfer window. Loan defender Patrick Boyle is the Alex's only lanuary signing, with a new striker still Holland's top priority.

Holland said: "We're doing as much as we can, lanuary is a difficult month, you would really rather do your business in the summer.

HATTERS ACTION







Goals: Parkin (90) Substitutes:Morgan (68 Currie), Parkin (75 Andrew), O'Leary (83 Talbot) Not used: Beresford, Hutchison

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REFEREE: Mike Dean (Wirral)

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H ROAD ATT: 9,207 🧱 ON THE ATTACK... Paul Furlong tries to find a way through the Leeds defence as the Hatters mount an attack



WATCHFUL EYE.. Drew Talbot keeps his eyes firmly focused on the ball as a Leeds defender prepares to bounce to gain possession

MANAGER'S VIEW



"The first-half was very scrappy and Leeds are a very competitive team but in the second-half we took control. I thought the crowd was absolutely first class, they gave me a great reception and got behind the players. All credit to the players. They kept going and worked hard. They fought and scrapped for 90 minutes and we thoroughly deserved the equaliser. Obviously Sam will get the accolades. He has had a rough time but I'm just glad he's back and fit again. He had a bad injury for a long time but he's back and he made a good contribution to the game and capped it off with a goal that gave us the point we deserved."

Mick Harford

Forgotten man Sam Parkin came off the bench to rescue a point for Luton in a fiery encounter against Leeds to mark Mick Harford's first home game in charge of the Hatters.

Leeds took the lead after 26 minutes with their first real chance of note when defender Paul Huntington planted a free-header past Dean Brill from a Peter Sweeney free-kick, after arriving in the box unmarked.

A long distance effort from Matthew Spring was kept out by Casper Ankergren and then Calvin Andrew shot wide from 20 yards out as the Hatters continued to press for an equaliser.

The Hatters made a bright start to the second period when Drew Talbot flashed a shot that ended up on the roof of the net.

After an hour, Leeds' defence continued to stand firm as David Prutton deflected another Spring shot wide and from the corner Darren Kenton was able to clear.

Morgan was introduced to the action after 68 minutes, replacing Darren Currie in a straight swap before Parkin returned to action in the place of Andrew, for his first league appearance since the opening day of the season.

A dangerous cross from Alan Goodall was just beyond Paul Furlong as the Hatters again pressed and the anguish on the striker's face showed how close he was to connecting.

With the clock ticking down, Leeds looked likely to hold on and avenge their 5-1 defeat at Kenilworth Road back in October 2006.

However, in the last minute of the game, Luton got their reward as Parkin rose to head home a Goodall cross to deservedly level the match.

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GOAL.. Luton are back on level terms through Sam Parkin's header

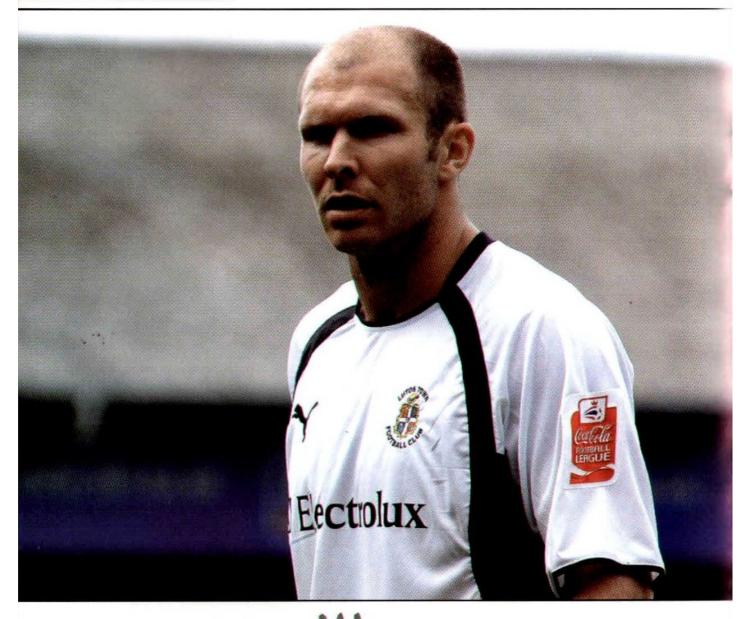


CELEBRATE... Sam Parkin celebrates his equaliser with team-mates



LUNGING FORWARD... Matthew Spring skips past the challenge of a Leeds midfielder as he lunges to keep possession of the ball





An interview with SAM SAM PARKIN

Sam Parkin's last ditch equaliser against Leeds United on Saturday is a story which journalists crave for.

Having been out of action for five months with an ankle injury, the Hatters striker grabbed the headlines with virtually the last touch of the game, on his return to action, to help Luton to a vital point.

It brought to an end another frustrating time on the sidelines for the former Swindon man and a huge relief for the striker who hasn't had the best of luck since his arrival at Kenilworth Road.

Now the striker wants to banish the memories of his time on the treatment table and start to pay back some of the £340,000 the Hatters splashed out for him in August 2006.

"It's a massive relief," said a beaming Parkin after his late equaliser on Saturday. "I've had two years of hardly any football. I think it was clear for everyone here to see how much it meant to me. Hopefully there's a few more to come.

"I have been working hard to get myself back. It's been very frustrating, but I hope the goal on Saturday is the start of me banging in a few goals for the Club.

"I'm not sure if I can play back-toback 90 minutes matches yet, but I will be ready to go if the manager wants me to play. I came through a reserve match against Grays OK and if I can get some more time under my belt then it will all help."

Parkin still firmly believes that the Hatters have what it takes to pull away from the predicament that the Hatters currently find themselves in.

However, the striker knows just how important it is to maintain the Club's impressive home form this season.

"We deserved to get something from

It's a massive relief to be back. I've had two years of hardly any football. I think it was clear how much it meant to me.

the Leeds game. I thought we played well enough to go on and get more than a point, but we will take anything we can get.

"It was a credit to everyone the way that we stuck in after going a goal down and never let our heads drop.

S. Electrology



BACK IN ACTION.. Sam Parkin is back for the Hatters

"Nobody is giving up on the fight. Everyone within the squad believes we can beat the drop, but it is imperative that we keep our good home form going."

Not for the first time since his move to Luton, Parkin has battled back from a course of rehabilitation work that has eventually seen him back into Mick Harford's first-team plans.

But on this occasion, the striker went through a tougher than normal schedule which included a variety of different workouts.

"It was important to work the whole body so I was put through a stern test of rehabilitation work which included exercises such as boxing and swimming.

"It's been a tough comeback, but I am just glad to have gotten through it. Hopefully this time luck can be on my side and I can play some part for the remainder of the season.

"I need to keep plugging away and hopefully I can build up my fitness."

Parkin will be hoping to play some part in this evening's fixture having become a firm favourite with the Swindon fans during a three year stay at the County Ground.

The striker scored 73 goals in 142 appearances for Swindon before he was transferred to Ipswich Town.

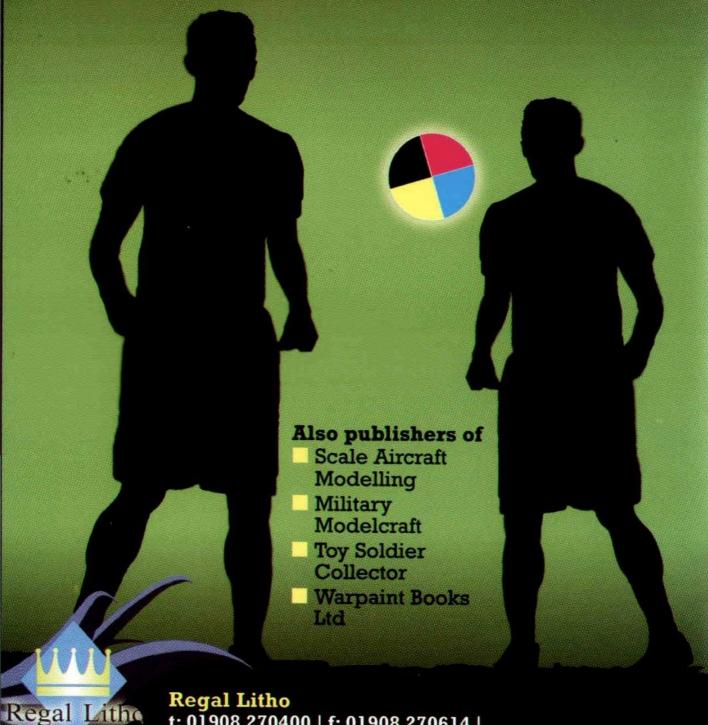
Parkin added: "It was probably the best spell of my career. I'm looking forward to this evening and hopefully I can play some part."





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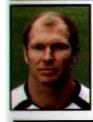
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LUTON TOWN YOUTH TEAM

We take a look back over the latest news from the Hatters Youth Team

Hatters stroll to win over Northampton

After two weeks without a game due to the weather, Luton's youngsters returned to action with a comprehensive win over Northampton Town at the weekend.

The Hatters had slipped to fourth in the Youth Alliance League due to their lack of games, but this victory helped them leapfrog over Wycombe Wanderers in the table.

The game, which was played in difficult playing conditions, was evenly matched in the first-half before goals from Ricardo Biggi and Ashley Deeney wrapped up a 2-0 win.

And boss Chris Cummins was delighted by his teams performance.

He said: "We played well. The weather wasn't particularly helpful. You can play in the rain, but when you play in high winds it can be a bit unkind.

"We were against the wind in the first half so we didn't really create many chances, but neither did they, which was pleasing because it was tough going for us.

"What pleased me most was that we stuck to our game plan to try and shift the ball as quickly as we could, rather than aiming the long ball into the penalty area." Luton 2-0 Northampton Biggi (55) Deeney (70)

Luton produced a terrific second half performance to seal their fifth League win of the season.

The deadlock was broken on 55 minutes when Biggi broke down the right to deliver a cross-cum-shot that found the back of the net - aided by the high winds.

The goal helped Luton take control of the game and their second arrived on 70 minutes when Deeney struck home at the second attempt after his original header had come back off the post.

The win was celebrated in front of Hatters boss Mick Harford, who got his first look at Luton's youngsters for since his arrival at Kenilworth Road.

"It was a chance for the players to impress the manager. Mick has shown a lot of interest in the youngsters and that is great for the youngsters.

"They know that if they can impress then there might be a chance for them to be involved somewhere down the line in the future. Mick showed the keenness to come along and we really appreciate that." The current teams who are founder members of the Luton Town Partnership Cub scheme are as follows:

Club Name	Number of Teams	Number of Players
AFC Kempston Colt	s 16	240
AFC Shillington	8	120
Arlesey Town	tbc	180
Bedford Town Colts	the	75
Crawley Green FC	27	405
Dunstable College	1	20
Dunstable Town	10	150
H.R. Hatters	1	15
Houghton Athletic	3	45
Leighton United	tbc	295
Luton Dynamos	1	15
Luton Town Ladies	5	75
Luton United	6	90
Maulden Magpies	3	45
Potton Lower School	3	45
St Joseph Youth	11	165
Studham & Kenswort	th I	15
Warden Hill Tigers	5	75
Wheatsheaf, Flitwick	t	15
Totals	101	2085

Under-18 results, fixtures and table

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Sat 8	Colchester	W 3-0	Sat 24	QPR (PY)	L 2-0	Sat 16	Southend	Ham
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Sat 29	B'mouth (PY)	W 2-1	Wed 5	Leeds (FA)	L 3-0	Sat 8	Colchester	Ham
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Gillingham 9	6	0	3	15	10	18
LUTON 9	5	2	2	18	12	17
Wycombe 7	4	2	I	18	9	14
Leyton O 8	3	2	3	11	12	11
Rushden & D 8	3	1	4	7	9	10
Northampton 8	3	1	4	11	15	10
Colchester 10	3	1	6	11	19	10
Brighton 7	2	3	2	9	8	9
Brentford 7	2	3	2	7	11	9
Peterborough 8	2	2	4	6	8	8
Southend 7	1	1	5	9	20	4
Barnet 7	1	0	6	7	18	3

Lead	ing	scorers
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Ryan Charles	8
Ashley Harrison-Barker	5
Mark Farthing	3
Scott Sinclair	3
Elliott Osborne-Ricketts	2
lake Howells	2
Loren Maxwell	2

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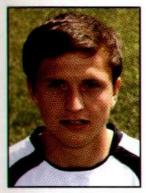
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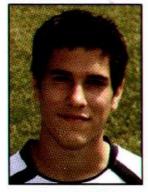
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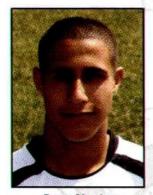
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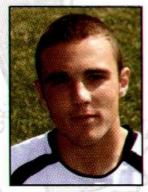
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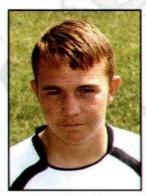
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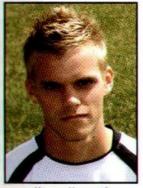
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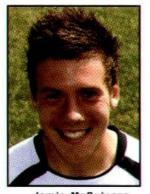
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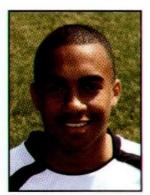
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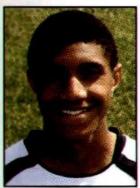
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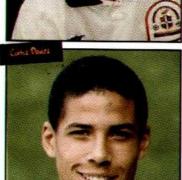


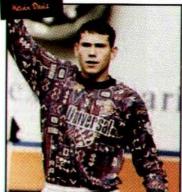


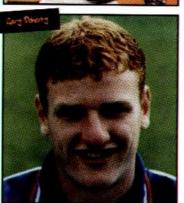












GOOD evening and welcome to today's game. We are now only a month away from the launch of this the third terms of this season's TIPS Football Development Programme. After the success of last year when 22 players progressed through the system and into our Centre of Excellence, the Programme has been expanded to include more venues around the county. Also the structure has been improved to allow more children to participate. Last year at we ran a Soccer Centre at each venue once a week and also a Performance Centre once a week for the players to progress into. This year the Soccer Centre structure stays the same but there will be two Performance Centres.

The Performance Centres, which all of the players you can see on these pages have come through, will both take place at Crawley Green Sports Club once a week. We now have a more progressive route for the children involved in the Centre with the gaps between the Development Centre activities and the Development Centre and the Centre of Excellence being reduced.

Below is all the information regarding this years TIPS programme. To book as always please call the Office on 01582 391937 for a flyer and more information.

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Luton: Dunstable: Bedford: Hitchin: L Buzzard:

St Neots:

Goalkeepers

PlayFootball.Net, Stopsley High Sch. Thomas' Rd, Luton, LU2 7UX Dunstable Leisure Centre, Court Drive, Dunstable, LU5 4JD Bedford Modern School, Manton Lane, Bedford, MK41 7NT Hitchin Boys' School, Grammar School Walk, Hitchin, SG5 1JB Vandyke Upper School, Vandyke Rd, Leighton Buzzard, LU7 3DY St Neots Leisure Centre, Barford Road, Eynesbury, PE19 2SA PlayFootball.Net, Stopsley High Sch. Thomas' Rd, Luton, LU2 7UX

SOCCER DEVELOPMENT CENTRE DAYS AND TIMES:

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A September 1	WEDNESDAY	17:30 - 18:30	17:30 - 18:30	17:30 - 18:30	17:30 - 18:30	N/A
LEUZZARD	THURSDAY	17:00 - 18:00	17:00 - 18:00	17:00 - 18:00	17:00 - 18:00	N/A
	FRIDAY	17:30 - 18:30	17:30 - 18:30	18:30 - 19:30	18:30 - 19:30	18:30 - 19:30
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SOCCER DEVELOPMENT CENTRE DAYS AND TIMES:

DATES (WEEK BEGINNING): Term 3: February 25th - May 5th MATCH DATE Saturday April 26th

- You don't have to have attended previous terms to join Term 3.
- . Times and venues for match TBC.
- · There is NO training at Easter.

SOCCER DEVELOPMENT CENTRE CONTACT DETAILS

For more details call 01582 391927 or email gregg.ltfc@hotmail.co.uk

WHAT ARE LUTON TOWN SOCCER DEVELOPMENT CENTRES?

Soccer Centres are the entry level into our Talent Identification Programme (TIPS). They are held at four venues throughout Beds and North Herts and are open to:

- · Ambitious players wishing to progress towards becoming a pro footballer.
- · Established club players wishing to improve their ability.
- · Newcomers wishing to master the basics.

WHAT IS THE COST AND WHAT WILL I GAIN FROM ATTENDING?

The cost is £40 for ten practical sessions (nine training and one match). You will receive training from excellent coaches at great facilities, a comprehensive written assessment and the opportunity to fulfil your potential as a footballer.

I AM AN EXPERIENCED PLAYER. IS THE SOCCER DEVELOPMENT CENTRE SUITABLE FOR ME?

Yes. Where numbers allow we will put experienced players together and ensure that the coaching pushes you as a player. Likewise, for players who are less experienced, training will target their needs.

WHAT WILL WE WORK ON IN TRAINING?

The four elements we feel are vital in making it as a professional footballer:

Technique - Insight - Personality - Speed

WHO WILL MY COACH BE?

All staff will be have an enhanced CRB (police record) check, a first aid qualification and will hold a minimum of the Level 2 FA Coaching Certificate. There will also be an involvement from Centre of Excellence staff to enhance the assessment procedure.

CAN I PLAY FOR MY SCHOOL AND CLUB DURING MY TIME AT THE CENTRE?

Yes. The only commitment we ask you to make is to do your best to attend training and matches.

HOW WILL MY PROGRESS BE ASSESSED AND COMMUNICATED?

You will receive a written assessment and the opportunity to discuss this with your coach at the end of each term.

WHAT HAPPENS IF I DO WELL?

If your coach feels you have shown the right levels of ability and attitude during or at the end of the term, you will be given the opportunity to progress to the Performance Centre/ Centre of Excellence. Players who display particular talent can be moved up through the programme after a few weeks, while the system also caters for those who wish to progress at a slower rate.

WHAT IS THE PERFORMANCE CENTRE?

The Performance Centre is the middle level fitting into our Talent Identification Programme. The top level is the Centre of Excellence, the entry level is the Soccer Development Centre.

BY ATTENDING THE SOCCER DEVELOPMENT CENTRE AM I GUARANTEED TO GET A CHANCE AT A HIGHER LEVEL

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Enjoy the Game Stuart Smith













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- * 10% off our coaching courses
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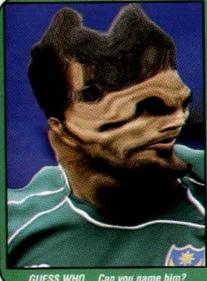
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No cheating!

think they will get a lot harder.

Ototest

WHO won last season's Conference title?

2 PETER Taylor was recently appointed the manager of which non-league side?

3 WHICH team play their home games at KitKat

4 WHICH country are currently hosting the African Nations Cup?



5 FABIO Capello will get his England career underway with an International friendly against which club?

6 DAVID Beckham made his international debut for England in what year?

Question 6 7 TERRY Butcher was recently sacked as manager of which football club?

8 FULHAM boss Roy Hodgson has managed three International teams. Who were they?

9 THOMAS Sorensen joined Aston Villa from which club?

10 WHICH team play their home games at Whaddon Road?



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- a team's nickname.
- a Premiership manager,
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- ground and
- a Luton Town legend.

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All answers on Page 65



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LUTON LADIES

DAVE BAKER reports on the latest action from the Luton Town Ladies

Luton Ladies Under 16's reach County Cup final

This week we focus on our senior youth team, the Under 16's, who have on the whole been together since the age of nine

Over that time they have won many honours and provided a huge amount of entertainment along the way.

Their latest run of fixtures have seen them emerge unbeaten beginning with a visit to QPR where they earned a 2-2 draw.

Yasmin Hickling fired both goals and Town were only denied the three points by a debatable late penalty.

On to the League Cup where Baldock Town were our opponents.

Hickling again gave Luton the lead which was soon extended to 2-0 with a fine strike from Nicky Livingstone.

Keeper Joanne Mayes then made an outstanding save flipping the ball over the crossbar but could do nothing to prevent the home side reducing the deficit early in the second-half.

However, progress into the quarter finals was assured when Hickling scored again to give Luton a 3-1 win.

Returning to league action, this time in Middlesex, as Luton were asked to visit



Denham United on a 3G surface.

This held no fear for the Town who are renowned for their footballing style.

Luton grabbed a first-half lead when Shannon Bagshaw fired in a pass from Jasmine Hall who had earlier struck the post with her effort.

Bagshaw then produced a moment of familiar magic spotting the keeper off her line and beating her with a delicately floated chip for Town's second.

She was not finished there, and continued to cause the defence trouble as she drove in a thunderous cross that was met by Yasmin Hickling's flying header which crashed into the net off the woodwork.

United did score a late consolation but the Hattes left with a well earned 3-1 win

Returning to cup action Luton were this time competing in the Beds FA County Cup semi-final, entertaining county U17 league leaders Leighton United.

Although competing against an older side Luton were positive from the start and a wave of attacks eventually gave them the lead when Alice O'Shea shot home from a corner.

Town then struck the woodwork on two occasions and it was prolific striker Hickling who made it 2-0 at the break.

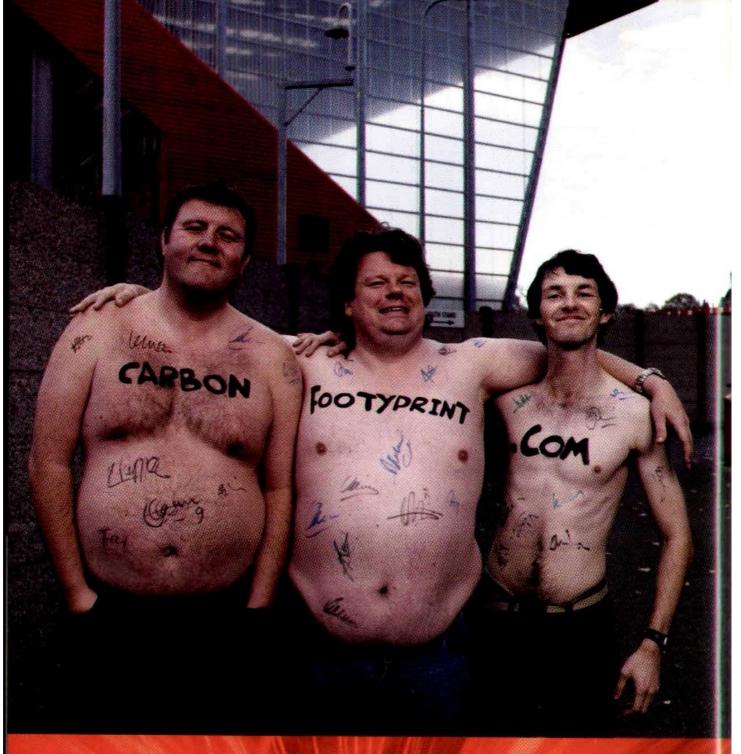
The second-half saw Luton storm into the final in some style, running in a further four goals from Nicky Livingstone, Jade McEntaggart and Hickling completing her hat trick with the usual variety of strikes.

And so congratulations to the team on reaching the final at their first ever attempt in the County Cup.

On a separate note congratulations are also due to Lauren Bruton in being selected for the England Under 15 squad for the first time.

At the end of the season this squad will move into senior football which we hope will increase the quality of players available for selection and will also provide an opportunity to restore a third senior squad in the club.

Any players who will be aged 16 or over in the 2008/9 season and would be interested in joining Luton Town Ladies for a good standard of competitive football should register their interest by contacting me at lutonbelles@hotmail.com



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results from League one

WALSALL managed to haul themselves up into a play-off place following their 2-1 victory at home to Gillingham.

The Saddlers moved up to fourth in League One and remain unbeaten in 16 games following Saturday's win.

Bottom club Port Vale remain rooted to the foot of the table after they were comprehensively beaten by fellow strugglers Bournemouth at home.

Elsewhere, Crewe and Swindon had to settle for a stalemate and Yeovil were reduced to 10-men as they lost at

Here is a round-up of all the action from the weekend.

Crewe 0 Swindon 0

Struggling Crewe had to settle for a point at home to 10-man Swindon as neither side could break the stalemate.

LEAGUE ROUND-UP

The Robins saw their side reduced in the 75th minute when Bill Paynter was dismissed for serious foul play following an aerial challenge on Michael O'Connor.

Both sides created few chances but Swindon will be happy to take a point away as they continue their push towards the promotion places.

Crewe remain 20th in the table and two points safe from the drop zone.

Port Vale I Bournemouth 3

Bournemouth gave themselves a welcome boost against fellow strugglers Port Vale as they ended their run of five consecutive away league defeats with a comprehensive victory at Vale Park.

Sam Vokes put the Cherries ahead after just 10 minutes and by half-time they had made it a two-goal advantage after Danny Hollands scored in the 28th minute.

The hosts bagged a consolation in the 49th minute through George Pilkington

but their misery was compounded further when Shaun Cooper scored Bournemouth's third in the 84th minute.

Tranmere 2 Yeovil I

Tranmere went ahead after just four minutes through Calvin Zola in what was an eventful game against 10-man Yeovil at Prenton Park.

It took the visitors until the 51st minute to pull level as Andy Kirk scored but it wasn't long before Rovers took the lead again through a Jennison Myrie-Williams penalty in the 62nd minute.

The penalty was awarded after Zola was taken down by defender Nathan Jones after he turned around him and the referee did not hesitate as he pointed to the spot and Myrie-Williams stepped up to convert it.

Yeovil had midfielder Marc Bircham sent off in the 71st minute for a second bookable offence after he was adjudged to have pulled back Steve Jennings.

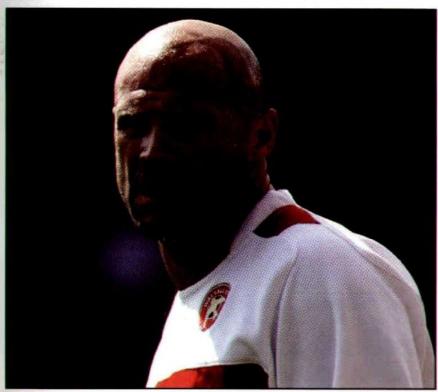
Walsall 2 Gillingham I

It took Walsall 28 minutes to take the lead against the Gills at the Banks's Stadium.

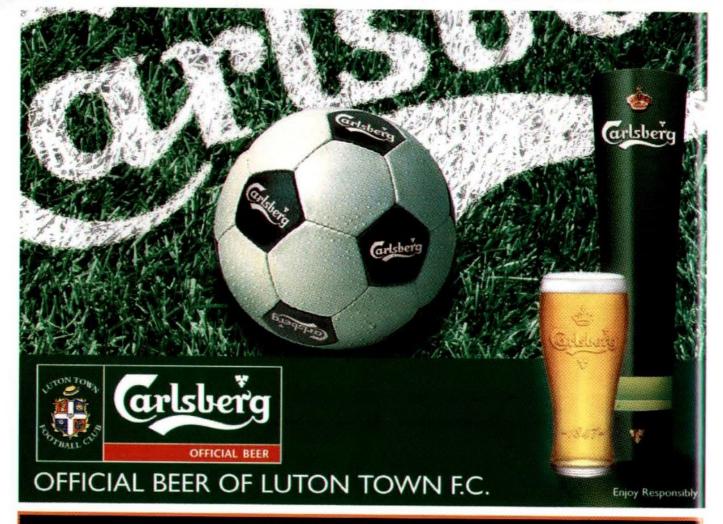
Tommy Mooney opened the home side's account to gift them a 1-0 advantage at half-time.

Their second did not come until the 72nd minute courtesy of Edrissa Sonko.

Andrew Crofts snatched a consolation for the Gills in the 92nd minute as Walsall moved up the table to fifth and into a play-off place as their push for promotion continues.



PROMOTION PUSH... Tommy Mooney helped Walsail maintain their impressive form



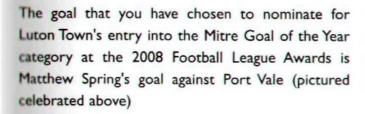
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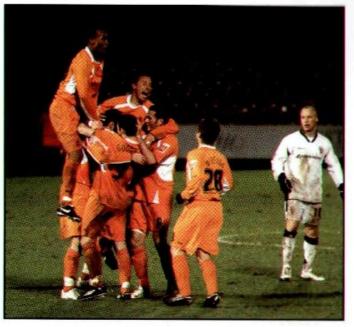
GOAL OF THE YEAR

MATTHEW **SPRING RECEIVES GOAL OF THE** YEAR NOMINATION



Spring scored a dramatic 35-yard free-kick two minutes into injury time to seal an important victory against Port Vale on December 29. The Hatters midfielder blasted a low free-kick to give Luton their first League away win of the season.

Each club in the Football League has now nominated



one goal; selected from any Football League competition in the 2007 calendar year, (this includes goals scored in The Carling Cup, The Coca-Cola Football League and The Johnstone's Paint Trophy).

The entries will now be shortlisted from the 72 club nominations to five goals overall, and the winner will be decided at the Awards ceremony at the London Hilton on March 2.

To find out more about The Football League Awards please visit www.footballleagueawards.com.

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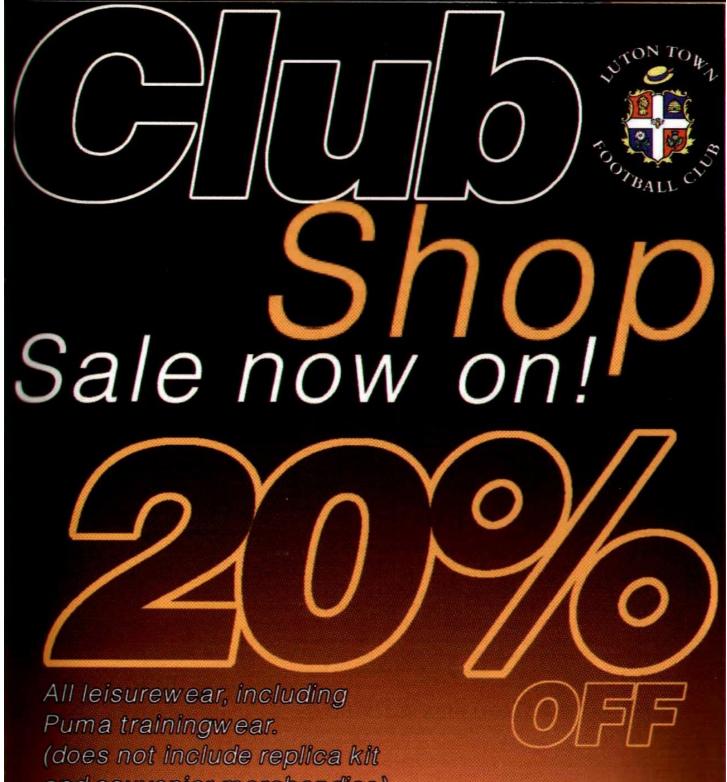
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William (Billy) Donnachie TAYLOR

Billy started out his goalkeeping career with St Johnstone in 1958 and won a Scottish Second Division championship medal with them in 1963. Two years later he won another Second Division medal, this time with Stirling Albion, before joining Partick Thistle.

Luton manager Allan Brown was desperate to sign another goalkeeper, preferably Scottish, to provide competition for Tony Read and with Taylor out of favour at Partick following an injury, the big shot-stopper signed for the Hatters in December 1967.

An injury to Read gave Taylor an immediate chance in the Town's Division Four side but he was never able to win a permanent place in the team and after six appearances in two years he joined Epping Town.

Billy worked at Luton Airport for many years until retirement.

Matthew (Matt) TEES

Matt Tees did not look like a 'goal machine', as he was called on the terraces, being slight and not particularly tall but he was tremendously brave, very strong and phenomenal in the air.

Joining Grimsby from Airdrie in 1963, Matt soon formed a prolific partnership with future Hatter Rodney Green leading to the pair of them moving to Charlton for a joint fee of £23,000 in 1967.

Luton manager Alec Stock, looking for a partner for his young striker Malcolm Macdonald, managed to prise Matt from Charlton for £25,000 in 1969 and he proved a wonderful tutor as well as weighing in with his share of goals as the Town won promotion from Division Three in 1970. Job done, Matt moved back to Grimsby, where he had earned legend status, to finish his playing career and he still lives in the area in retirement.



Paul Norman TELFER

Paul came to Luton Town as a Youth Trainee in 1988, along with his Edinburgh youth club playing colleague Darren Salton, before signing professional forms in November of that year.

A genuine utility player, Paul made his League debut for the Hatters in a 0-1 defeat at Everton in May 1991 and soon made a first team spot his own, usually playing on the right side of midfield and regularly getting on the goalscoring charts.

It was with great regret that the Town sold the remarkably consistent and popular performer to Coventry for £1.5 million in 1995 and since that time the Scottish international has continued to play top flight football in England and Scotland until this campaign when he signed

on for Bournemouth.



Anthony (Tony) Charles THEAR

After failing to make the grade at Arsenal, the Edmonton born striker was snapped up by Fourth Division Luton in 1966 as a hoped for replacement for the recently departed John O'Rourke.

Tony burst on the Kenilworth Road scene in remarkable fashion scoring twice on his full League debut during a 4-0 win over Aldershot in September 1966 and followed it up with another pair in his next game when Rochdale were seen off 3-1. Sadly that was as good as it got for Tony who scored only once more before losing his place in the aftermath of the horrendous 1-8 thrashing at Lincoln in December 1966. New manager Allan Brown then brought in ex-England international Derek Kevan and allowed Tony to move on to Gillingham in February 1967.

Finding it tough at Priestfield, Tony moved on to Bedford and Folkestone before becoming player-manager of Dunstable. Tony now lives in Ascot.



Local boy Mitchell joined Luton Town from school and made his League debut at 18 in a 3-2 win at West Ham in December 1982. After earning a regular place in the Hatters top flight side during the following campaign the tall and elegant full back was looked on as a future England international and his standing was enhanced further when Steve Foster joined the Town and bullied him into even greater efforts. Mitchell controversially left Luton in 1986 to join ex-manager David Pleat at Tottenham but came back to Kenilworth Road seven years later, via West Ham, this time in the Foster role!

After finishing his first class career at Burnley, Mitchell became a players agent.





OF LUTON TOWN

player to have appeared for THE HATTERS in the Football League

Alan THOMPSON

Although born in Goole, Alan was brought up in Luton and came to the attention of the Hatters when starring for West Park Juniors, a local youth side.

After initially signing on for the Town as an amateur, Alan signed professional forms in December 1949 but two years on National Service, a broken leg and severe competition for places meant that the quick-tackling full-back had to wait until March 1957 before making his League bow.

Playing at left back in a 0-2 defeat at Preston turned out to be Alan's only first team game and he joined Bedford in July 1957 before working for many years at Whitbread.

Steven (Steve) Anthony THOMPSON

Following ten years at Bolton, who at the time yo-yoed between Divisions Three and Four, cultured midfielder Steve probably thought that his chances of playing in the top flight had passed him by until Luton manager David Pleat stepped in with a bid of £180,000 in August 1991.

It soon became apparent that he lacked pace at the top level, and so after five games Steve was swiftly off-loaded to Leicester in exchange for Des Linton and Scott Oakes. At Filbert Street Steve helped the Foxes to three successive play-offs with the third successful at which time he moved on to Burnley!

Steve finished his playing career with spells at Rotherham and Halifax.

Peter David THOMSON

Rejected by his home town club Bury, tall striker Peter drifted into non-League football with Chorley and then Lancaster before a bizarre £25,000 move to Dutch club NAC Breda.

He got over a broken leg to score goals in the Dutch Eriversi before Luton manager Ricky Hill paid £100,000 for his services in September 2000. Playing in a poor Hatters side, Peter sadly did not look the part and his only League goals for the club came in a shock 3-1 victory at Stoke in December 2000.

After being sent out on loan to Rushden, new Luton boss Joe Kinnear allowed him to leave and he later turned out for Southport and more recently Altrincham.

Robert (Bobby) THOMSON

Menstrie born Bobby started his playing career with Partick Thistle before winning a dream move to Bill Shankly's Liverpool in December 1962.

A teak tough full-back, Bobby made only six Division One appearances for the Anfield club so was glad to accept a move to Luton in August 1965 to gain regular first-team football.

The Hatters had been relegated to Division Four that summer but made a brave albeit ultimately unsuccessful bid for immediate promotion aided by the uncompromising right-back play of Bobby.

Season 1966/67 proved to be the Town's worst in their history and although Bobby performed well he became part of the major cull at the club in the summer of 1967 and emigrated to Australia where he still lives in retirement.

Robert (Bobby) Anthony THOMSON

Classy full-back Bobby joined Wolves from school in 1961 and went on to make 278 League appearances at Molineux in a long career as well as pick up a host of representative honours including eight caps for England.

Bobby moved on a £40,000 transfer to Birmingham in 1969 but within two years was a forgotten man in Blues reserves until he was rescued by Luton manager Harry Haslam in 1972.

Enjoying a new lease of life, Bobby was ever-present during his first two seasons at Kenilworth Road as an overlapping left back, during which time the Hatters won promotion to the top flight and it was only the increasingly loud claims from the talented Steve Buckley that eventually saw him lose his place.

After leaving Luton, Bobby had some success in the USA, was player manager of Stafford Rangers and ran a sports shop in Sedgley







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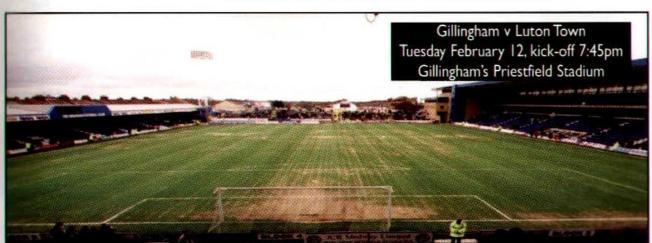
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Town on Tour will be leaving Maple Road at 8:30am with a pickup at the MK Coachway approximately 30 minutes later. The fare for LTSC members is £25,

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Saturday February 2, 2008 League One 3pm

Tickets are now on General Sale from the Ticket Office.

Tickets can be purchased on the day from Hartlepool via cash turnstiles.

ALLOCATION: We have received an allocation of 960 tickets.



TICKET PRICES:

Adult £20, Seniors (over 65), Students (with valid id) and Juniors (under 16) £10

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Saturday February 9, 2008 League One 3pm

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Tuesday February 12, 2008 League One 7:45pm

Tickets are now on General Sale from the Ticket Office.

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CITY ALLOCATION: We have received an initial allocation of 415 tickets.



TICKET PRICES:

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Sat Aug II	HARTLEPOOL UNITED	Н	2-1	8,013	608	3
Tue Aug 14	Dagenham & Redbridge (CCI)	Α	2-1	1,754	397	-
Sat Aug 18	Swindon Town	Α	1-2	7,520	1,013	10
Sat Aug 25	GILLINGHAM	Н	3-1	6,178	508	4
Tues Aug 28	SUNDERLAND (CC2)	Н	3-0	4,401	787	
Sat Sept I	Leeds United	Α	0-1	26,856	tbc	7
Tues Sept 4	NORTHAMPTON (JPT1)	н	2-0	2.532	373	
Sat Sept 8	BRISTOL ROVERS	Н	1-2	6,131	564	1
Fri Sept 14	Tranmere Rovers	A	1-2	6,525	252	17
Sat Sept 22	PORT VALE	Н	2-1	6,084	138	13
Tues Sept 25			3-1(aet)	4,534	776	-
Sat Sept 29	Huddersfield Town	A	0-2	9,028	543	16
Tue Oct 2	Yeovil Town	A	0-0	4.848	tbc	17
Sat Oct 6	DONCASTER ROVERS	Н	1-1	6,513	472	17
Tue Oct 9	Gillingham (JPT2)	A	3-4	1,417	101	
Mon Oct 15	NORTHAMPTONTOWN		4-1	5,881	420	14
Sat Oct 20	Crewe Alexandra		********	*****************		-
Sat Oct 27		A	0-2	4,490	435	15
*******************	NOTTINGHAM FOREST		2-1	8,524	1,800	13
Wed Oct 31	EVERTON (CC4)	Н	0-1 (aet)	8,944	1,777	
Sat Nov 3	Brighton	Α	1-3	5,317	tbc	15
Tue Nov 6	CARLISLE UNITED	Н	0-0	5,462	408	17
Sat Nov 10	BRENTFORD: FA Cup I	Н	1-1	4,167	789	-
Sat Nov 17	Walsall	Α	0-0	5,056	510	17
Sat Nov 24	SOUTHEND UNTED	н	1-0	6,820	690	21
Tues Nov 27	Brentford: FA Cup I Rep	Α	2-0	2,643	350	-
Tue Dec 4	Oldham Athletic	Α	1-1	4,251	176	22
Tue Dec 11	NOTT'M F: FA Cup 2	Н	1-0	5,758	1,013	-
Fri Dec 14	Cheltenham Town	A	0-1	3,702	355	23
Sat Dec 22	TRANMERE ROVERS	Н	1-0	6,070	235	22
Wed Dec 26	Bristol Rovers	Α	1-1	7,556	413	23
Sat Dec 29	Port Vale	A	2-1	4,224	579	22
Tue Jan 1	YEOVIL TOWN	Н	1-0	6,811	392	21
Sun Jan 6	LIVERPOOL: FA Cup 3	Н	1-1(og)	10,226	tbc	
Sat Jan 12	SWANSEA CITY	Н	1-3	6,756	827	22
Tues Jan 15	Liverpool: FA Cup 3 Rep	A	0-5	41,446	5,716	
Sat Jan 19	Leyton Orient	A	1-2	5,516	1,023	22
Tues Jan 22	Bournemouth	A	3-4	3,489	232	22
Sat Jan 26	LEEDS UNITED	н	1-1	9,297	1,800	23
Tue Jan 29	SWINDON TOWN	н	19:45	7,271	1,000	2.3
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Sat Mar 15	OLDHAM ATHLETIC	н	15:00			
Sat Mar 22	CHELTENHAM TOWN	н	15:00		***************************************	
Mon Mar 24	Millwall	A	15:00	***************************************	************	
Sat Mar 29	CREWE ALEXNDRA	Н	15:00	***************************************		
Sat Apr 5	Northampton Town	A	15:00			
Sat Apr 12	BRIGHTON	Н	15:00			
Sat Apr 19	Nottingham Forest	Α	15:00			
Sat Apr 26	Doncaster Rovers	Α	15:00			
Sat May 3	HUDDERSFIELD TOWN	Н	15:00			

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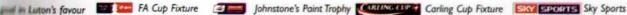
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BADGE BODGE Top: Barnsley and Doncaster. Bottom: Stoke and Millwall.

LETTERS PLAY Luton player: Calvin Andrew. Team's nickname: Cherries (Bournemouth). Premiership manager: Alex McLeish (Birmingham). League one ground: Whaddon Road (Cheltenham Town). Luton legend: Malcolm MacDonald



COMING NEXT



Saturday February 9, 2008 League One Kick-Off 3pm

Luton Town v BOURNEMOUTH

With the Club seemingly on the brink of administration, Bournemouth have responded to their troubles off the pitch with some much-needed points on it.

The Cherries have recorded back-to-back wins in recent days to leapfrog the Hatters in the League One table."

Although fans continue to be despondent with their manager Kevin Bond, the players have remained focused on the job in hand to give them some hope of avoiding

A ten point deduction will probably seal their own fate, but with administration not yet confirmed, Bournemouth have not given up hope on remaining a League One side next season.

The Club were recently given more time to try to stave off the threat of administration.

A second notice of intention to appoint an administrator has been accepted in court - giving them a further period of protection from their creditors.

Rumours have been rife in Bournemouth that Bond was leading a consortium to buy the troubled club, a story which has certainly not gone down well with the Cherries fans.

But Bond has quashed rumours that he and his father John are investing in the club.

The Bournemouth boss said: "Neither have we got the funds or the inclination to get involved in taking a football club on.

"I've got it all on at the moment, and it's not on my agenda whatsoever."

Meanwhile, Bournemouth's players recently showed a support of unity by backing their under pressure boss.

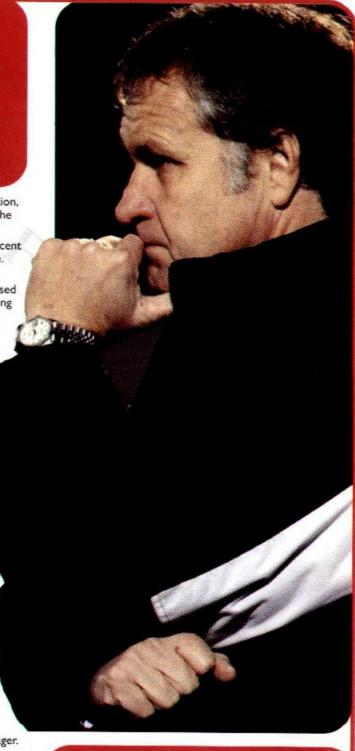
Cherries supporters stayed behind after their recent victory over Luton to make their feeling clear that they didn't want Bond as their manager.

And midfielder Danny Holland's insists the club's unhappy fans shouldn't direct their anger at the manager.

Holland said: "It's a bit unfair towards the gaffer. There are II players out there and we are all in this together.

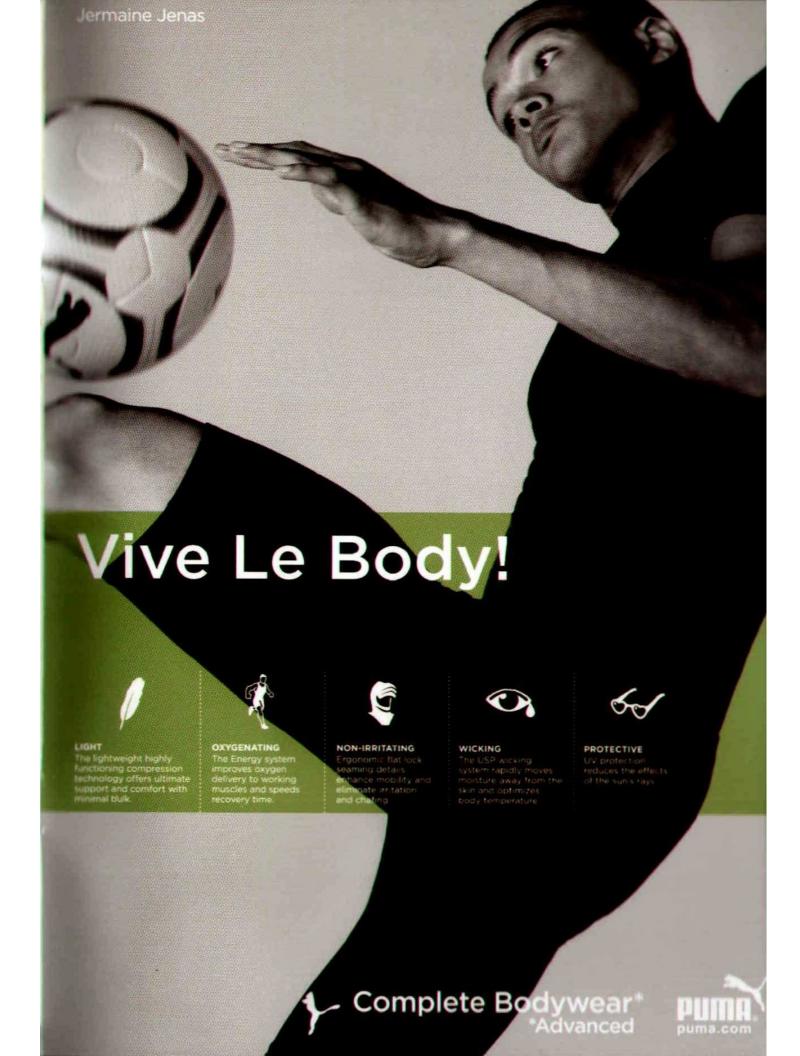
"It's unhelpful when the fans vent their frustrations in this way. We need everyone to get behind the team at this critical period in the season."

If Bournemouth can continue to pick up points on the field, it will certainly go a long way to easing the frustration around Dean Court at the current time.



Head 2 head

League	Luton	Draw 12	Bournemouth
FA Cup			20
League Cup	0	i	Ĭ
Other	0	0	1
TOTAL	20 (36%)	14 (25%)	22 (39%)



The line ups

Luton Town

Manager: Mick Harford
Colours: White shirts, black

shorts

PI Sc

- I Dean Brill
- 3 Alan Goodall
- 4 Don Hutchison
- 5 Chris Perry
- 7 Dean Morgan
- 8 David Bell
- 9 Sam Parkin
- 10 Darren Currie
- II Paul Peschisolido
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- 12 Richard Jackson
- 14 Steve Robinson
- 15 Stephen O'Leary ■
- 17 Lewis Emanuel
- 19 Drew Talbot
- 20 Calvin Andrew
- 21 Keith Keane
- 22 Richard Langley
- 24 Paul Underwood
- 25 Matthew Spring
- 26 Sol Davis
- 28 Paul McVoigh
- 28 Paul McVeigh ■■ 29 Paul Furlong ■■
- 35 Marlon Beresford ■

Swindon United

Manager: Maurice Malpas Colours: Red shirts and red shorts

PI Sc

- I Phil Smith
- 2 Jack Smith3 Iamie Vince
- 3 Jamie Vincent 4 Lee Peacock
- 5 Jerel Ifil
- 6 Ady Williams
- 7 Christian Roberts 🗆 🗆
- 8 Craig Easton
- 9 Barry Corr
- 10 Jon-Paul McGovern
- II Sofiene Zaaboub
- 12 Peter Brezovan
- 13 Mauro Almeida14 Miguel Comminges
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- 17 Chris Blackburn
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MATCH OFFICIALS

Referee: C Boyeson
Assistant: S D Tomlinson

Assistant : R P Whitton

4 4th Official: D Buck





STEVE ROBINSON

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