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THE OPPOSITION

We introduce today's visitors with stats and profiles of the likely line up, including a closer look at their star man and their manager.



'It's vital that everyone retains their focus'

GOOD evening everyone and welcome back to the Matchroom Stadium for tonight's game against Swindon Town.

Let's give a warm welcome to our visitors, especially their manager Danny Wilson and his staff.

Swindon have some good players in their squad and from the reports we have received they have been playing well, but have not had the rub of the green. Let's hope it stays that way tonight!

We know we'll need to be at our best and we're expecting a tough encounter that's for sure.

With the games coming thick and fast we have hardly had an easy run of late. After our win against Swansea in the FA Cup, we followed that up with successive League games against the top two teams in our division.

It would have been nice to have won one of those games, but I feel the players deserve a great deal of credit for coming off the back of the Swansea success and not losing to Brighton or Bournemouth, which were two very tough fixtures.

I thought the team showed a great attitude against Brighton following such a hard-working display at Swansea and, if anything, we were slightly unfortunate not to nick a 1-0 win on the night.

Slipping away

Last Saturday's trip to Bournemouth was slightly different. They took the lead and although we had plenty of possession in the second half, the game looked to be slipping away from us.

But all credit to the players, as they kept plugging away and their efforts were finally rewarded in the last few minutes when we earned a point against one of the division's high-flyers.

The equaliser was pleasing, but there were other positives too, as Tommy Carroll made his first appearance for us and Jason Crowe was also able to get 70 minutes under his belt.

I have talked before about the spirit within the group and how important every player is to the

squad.

With so many games remaining in such a short space of time they will all have to play their part when the opportunity arises and it's vital everyone retains their focus. They could be selected at any time to either start, or play their part in a game, as we reach such a crucial stage of the season.

This is an important time for us with back-to-back home games and we will be doing our very best to pick up as many points as we possibly can over the next few days.

Speedy recovery

Finally, I'm sure you would like to join with me and wish Chambo a speedy recovery, following his early exit against Brighton last Tuesday night.

In what was a freak accident and he suffered a very deep gash to his leg. It looks as if he will be out of action for the next month or so and Dave and the specialist will be monitoring the situation closely.

It was his first start since early November and to end up with such a deep wound so early in the game was a big blow for both Chambo and us.

He's not exactly been the luckiest player in the world this season, as he has suffered a series of injuries and we wish him a speedy recovery.

Also missing tonight will be Paul-Jose Mpoku, but his absence is for a much more pleasant reason, as he is away on international duty with Belgium.

We wish him well and look forward to welcoming him back in time for Saturday's game against Bristol Rovers.

Enjoy the game.

Russell Slade in conversation with Trevor Davies



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MATTHEW PORTER

WELCOME back to Brisbane Road as the games continue to come thick and fast.

By my rough calculations, ten of our 46 League games will be midweek fixtures in the second half of the season, and with our cup exploits continuing too there aren't going to be too many Tuesday evenings off for players, staff and fans alike!

It's been an incredibly busy week as I'm sure you can imagine. The extra attention and focus that's been on the Club is something for us to relish and everyone is looking forward to our day in the spotlight against Arsenal.

It's a chance the players deserve through their outstanding achievement of winning away against two of the best teams in the Championship and we're all delighted that the supporters have such an exciting fixture to look forward to as well.

I'm pleased that judging by the feedback we have received, the vast majority of fans agree with the ticketing policy we have put in place for the game.

It would have been easy to give Arsenal the entire East Stand, but it is a tribute to how far our matchday operation has come that the Police and licensing authorities were both more than satisfied that we would be able to safely and comfortably segregate the stand to ensure that an additional 1,800 Orient supporters will be able to

'A win tonight would take us in to the top half and we mustn't forget that it's League 1 where we earn our living and that's still the main priority...'

see the match.

As I write, on Monday evening, over 2,600 of our 2,800 season ticket holders have snapped up their reserved ticket, and after the match you're here tonight for, we'd anticipate a good few hundred more queuing with stubs from this and the Brighton game to buy theirs too.

But that should still leave a decent number to go on general sale and so all supporters will have the chance to purchase a ticket for what will be our biggest home game since the 2001 play-off semi-final.

I have to say that what I've been most pleased about over the last two matches is that the professionalism of

the team has shone through in games against the top two sides in the division and it's clear their minds are still on the task in hand.

We were the better side against Brighton, and at Bournemouth on Saturday in heavy rain and swirling wind we stuck at our task before being justly rewarded with Dean Cox's superb equaliser.

A win tonight would take us in to the top half and we mustn't forget that it's League 1 where we earn our living and that's still the main priority, so get behind the lads this evening and let's keep this superb run going.

Up the O's
Matthew Porter



DID YOU KNOW...

▶ ONE of Swindon Town's greatest achievements was when they lifted the League Cup in 1969, beating Arsenal at Wembley. League Cup success earned the club its first invitation to European competitions, but they were not eligible to participate because they played in the then Third Division. So, as compensation, they were entered into the 1969 Anglo-Italian League Cup and the 1970 Anglo-Italian Cup and won both.

▶ SWINDON TOWN won promotion during the 1993/94 season to the Premier League, the only time the club has played in the top level of English football. Swindon were also the first team to win promotion to the Premier League via the play-offs, beating Leicester City.

▶ THE highest attendance at the County Ground of 32,000 was recorded on January 15 1972 in an FA Cup third round replay against Arsenal. The capacity of the ground is now 15,728, so it is unlikely that this record will be broken in the foreseeable future.

▶ ENGLAND youth international Johnny Skull was on Swindon Town's books as an amateur and was offered pro forms. He declined and joined Wolverhampton Wanderers, but was never able to break into the first team and drifted out of League football. He joined Banbury and seven years after Swindon's first approach they offered him a month's trial in September 1957, which he completed and then signed and finally made his long-awaited Football League debut.

▶ SWINDON TOWN defeated Newcastle United in the FA Cup in the 1928/29 season and Ipswich Town in the same competition in 1947/48. In both matches the opposing goalkeeper was the same Mick Burns.



'The Robins' current League position has certainly surprised a few after they came so close to promotion last season.'

DANNY WILSON'S Swindon side arrive in E10 looking to pull away from the wrong end of the table after a disappointing season so far.

The Robins sit just one place above the relegation zone on goals scored, but more worrying for Wilson's side is the fact Tranmere Rovers, the side directly below them, have three games in hand.

Wilson will be desperate to build on what was a decent draw at home to Rochdale on Saturday, after his side came from behind to salvage a point late on, but he will also be keen to grab three points to put an end to a run which has seen Town win just one of their last 11 fixtures.

His biggest concern will be finding a goal scorer after leading scorer Charlie Austin - who had bagged 17 already this season - was sold to Championship side Burnley during the transfer window for an undisclosed fee on a three-and-half-year deal.

The former builder joined Swindon from non-league Poole Town in October 2009 and scored 37 times in 65 games but he left with Wilson's best wishes.

"You just can't stand in the way and we have to move on," said Wilson. "We wish him all the best, he's done tremendously well in such a short space of time. He's exceeded everybody's expectations, it has been a real fairytale for him."

Replacement

The club moved quickly to secure a replacement for Austin by snapping up Torquay

United striker Elliot Benyon for an undisclosed fee.

The 23-year-old, who has signed a two-and-a-half-year deal, was one of the leading scorers in League 2 this season with 14 goals to his name. However, Wilson was quick to take the pressure off the striker by rejecting comparisons between him and Austin.

"Elliot is a different player to Charlie, but we do hope that he's got the goals in him that will help us," said Wilson.

"We've known about him for a long while. We're fortunate that we were able to agree a fee with Torquay."

It has been so far so good for all concerned, as Benyon was the hero on Saturday as he snatched the injury-time equaliser on his debut much to the delight of his manager.

The Robins' current League position has certainly surprised a few after they came so close to promotion last season.

Sneaked

After finishing fifth, The Robins sneaked through to the play-off final after an epic encounter with Charlton Athletic which was settled by a penalty shoot-out after finishing 3-3 on aggregate.

Yet, it was not to be for Wilson's side, after they went down 1-0 to Millwall at Wembley in front of 73,000 fans.

THE OPPOSITION...

IN GOAL...

Phil SMITH

Age: **31** Apps: **221** Gls: **0**



Swindon brought Phil back into League football when they signed him from Crawley in 2006. Started at Millwall, but then dropped into non-league.

SWINDON TOWN STATS...

Previous Five SEASONS

2009/10
League 1, 6th

2008/09
League 1, 16th

2007/08
League 1, 13th

2006/07
League 2, 3rd

2005/06
League 1, 23rd

Last outing HERE

27.02.2010
Leyton Orient 0
Swindon Town 0
League 1

Orient welcomed Swindon to E10 last February with the Robins right in the thick of the promotion race. Geraint Williams' O's were involved in a battle at the other end of the table, but neither team could find a goal.

Classic MATCH

21.01.1933
Leyton Orient 7
Swindon Town 1
Division 3 (South)

In 73 meetings between the clubs, Orient's biggest win over the Robins came way back in the 1932/33 season. Walter Keen, Thomas Mills and Charles Fletcher all scored twice, and Andrew Thompson notched the other.

IN DEFENCE...

Kevin AMANKWAAH

Age: **28** Apps: **281** Gls: **11**



Right back Kevin signed for Swindon in June 2008 from Swansea City, where he had spent the previous two years. Started at Bristol City and also played for Yeovil.

Scott CUTHBERT

Age: **23** Apps: **121** Gls: **5**



Scott came through the ranks at Celtic, but didn't make a first team appearance at Parkhead prior to moving on to Swindon in 2009. Can play at right back or centre half.

Andy FRAMPTON

Age: **31** Apps: **320** Gls: **12**



Andy spent a month on loan at Orient from Millwall earlier this season, but only made one appearance due to an ankle injury. Has also played for Palace and Brentford.

Paul CADDIS

Age: **22** Apps: **59** Gls: **1**



Paul was a summer 2010 arrival from Celtic. He made 17 SPL appearances for the Boys and was also loaned to Dundee United in the 2008/09 season.

Michael ROSE

Age: **28** Apps: **353** Gls: **24**



Left back Michael scored a stunning free kick to earn Swindon a 2-2 draw against the O's in Wiltshire earlier this season. Signed last summer from Stockport County.

IN MIDFIELD...

Alan O'BRIEN

Age: **25** Apps: **104** Gls: **1**



Irishman Alan started his career at Newcastle United before moving north of the border with Hibs in 2005. The winger signed for Swindon four years later.

Jonathan DOUGLAS

Age: **29** Apps: **305** Gls: **16**



Irish international Jonathan was a summer 2009 signing from Leeds United. He came through the ranks at Blackburn and joined Leeds in 2006. Capped eight times by his country.

Michael TIMLIN

Age: **25** Apps: **140** Gls: **6**



Former Fulham trainee Michael left Craven Cottage to link up with the Robins in May 2008, following two loan spells at the County Ground. Has played 89 games for the club.

Alan SHEEHAN

Age: **24** Apps: **117** Gls: **7**



Another Irishman in the Swindon midfield, Alan made the move to Wiltshire from Leeds United in the summer, following a successful loan period last season.

Jan-Paul McGOVERN

Age: **30** Apps: **333** Gls: **27**



Glaswegian midfielder Jan-Paul is in his fourth season as a Swindon player following an August 2007 transfer from MK Dons. Started off at Celtic and also played for Sheff Wed.

IN ATTACK...

Elliot BENYON

Age: **23** Apps: **171** Gls: **55**



Elliot Benyon's 14 goals for Torquay this season persuaded Danny Wilson to swoop for the forward in the January transfer window. Began his career at Bristol City.

Thomas BOSSEY

Age: **31** Apps: **215** Gls: **44**



French-born Togolese striker Thomas was a summer 2010 arrival at Swindon from French Ligue 2 outfit FC Nantes. Has 27 caps for Togo.

Vincent PERCARD

Age: **28** Apps: **183** Gls: **32**



One-time Juventus striker Vincent signed for Swindon in January 2010 from Carlisle United. Has also played for Portsmouth and Stoke City in English football.

Matt RITCHIE

Age: **21** Apps: **97** Gls: **20**



Winger Matt left first club Portsmouth to sign for Swindon in permanently in January. He spent the previous three months on loan with the Robins, playing 17 games.

ANGER MAN...

Jonathan Douglas

29-year-old midfielder Jonathan Douglas has made 78 appearances for the Robins since making the move south from Leeds United in the summer of 2009.

Primarily a central midfielder, Jonathan has also played as an attacking central midfielder, on both flanks and at right back since making his debut for Monaghan United in the League of Ireland at the age of 16.

He moved to England with Blackburn Rovers at 18 and made his debut against West Ham United in a League Cup tie in October 2000.

However, a cruciate ligament injury hampered his progress and he was loaned to Chesterfield and Blackpool in 2003. He fought his way back into contention at Ewood Park though, and ended up playing 16 League games for the club before moving on to Leeds on a season-long loan in 2005.

He helped Leeds reach the Championship play-off final that year and signed permanently the following summer.

Douglas remained at Elland Road for a further three years, making 165 appearances in total before deciding to make the County Ground his next destination.

THE REST...

Another former Leeds man in the Swindon ranks is goalkeeper David Lucas, who left Elland Road for Wiltshire two summers ago. The Preston-born stopper previously played for his hometown club and Sheffield Wednesday. Youngster Mark Scott provides further back-up between the posts.

21-year-old defender Callum Kennedy has come through the ranks at Swindon and enjoyed a loan spell at League 2 side Gillingham earlier this season. Lescinel Jean-François, a Haiti international, has played for Guingamp in France and linked up with Swindon in 2009. Right back Nathan Thompson, 19, has made one League appearance for the Robins, and Danny Wilson bolstered his defensive options last month with the signing of Czech left back or centre back Milan Misun from Celtic.

In midfield, Simon Ferry is yet another ex-Celtic man in the Swindon ranks, while former Southampton and Nottingham Forest player **David Prutton** signed from Colchester last summer. 18-year-old Billy Bodin, son of former Swindon player Paul, made his debut this season, and Will Evans, also 18, is another option.

Swindon's squad is completed by 19-year-old striker Jordan Pavett, who made the move from non-league Redbridge last month.

THE MANAGER...

Danny Wilson

51-year-old Danny Wilson was appointed as manager of Swindon Town on December 26 2008, just over a week after he left his post at Hartlepool United.

As a player, the Wigan-born midfielder earned 24 caps for Northern Ireland, and he also won the League Cup with both Luton Town and Sheffield Wednesday.

He began his career with his hometown club and later played for Bury and Chesterfield before moving up to Nottingham Forest in 1983.

Wilson joined Brighton & Hove Albion the same year and then played for Luton, Sheffield Wednesday and Barnsley, where he moved into management.

In the 1996/97 season, he guided Barnsley into the Premier League, and in the summer of 1998, after Barnsley's relegation back to Division One, he returned to Sheffield Wednesday.

Wilson's stay in the Hillsborough hotseat lasted nearly two years and his next managerial opportunity came at Bristol City.

Four years later, with City still in Division Two, he moved on to MK Dons, but he was unable to prevent their relegation to League 2 in 2006.

He then managed Hartlepool for two years – winning promotion to League 1 in 2007 – before arriving at Swindon.



THE BIG MOMENT



JASON DEMETRIOU celebrates his third minute goal as Orient gain the win that secured their League 1 status at Swindon Town on April 13 2009.

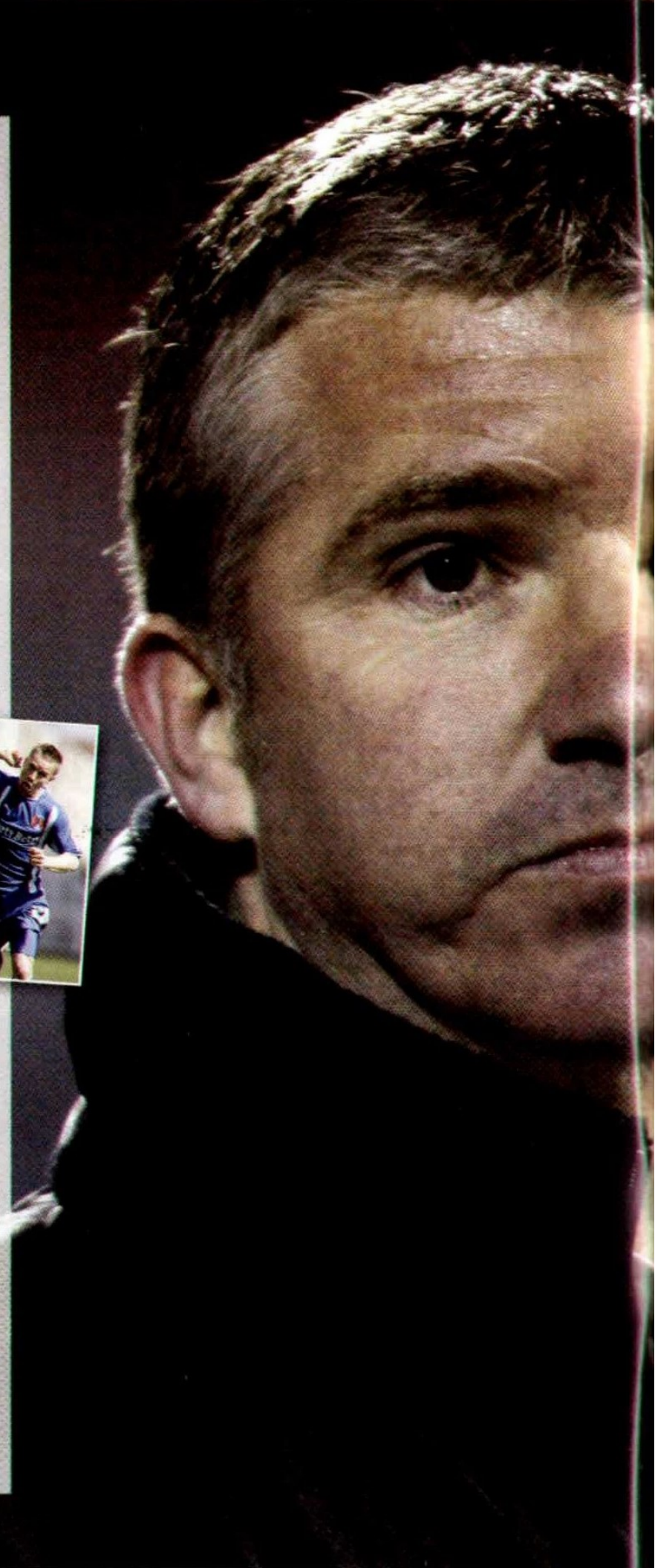
When Geraint Williams took over the managerial reins in February, being able to celebrate safety with games to spare looked unlikely, but the O's pulled off their escape brilliantly to end the campaign 14th in the League 1 table.

Jason Demetriou's super 20-yard strike, following a forceful run down the left from Wayne Gray, was enough to win this County Ground clash – Orient's only League triumph there in the last 15 attempts.

7,735 turned up to the match, with the majority left disappointed as Swindon's relegation fears were left to linger.

They eventually secured safety themselves, finishing the season one place behind the O's, three points further back with 53 to their name.

In total, Orient have met Swindon 73 times in all competitions, with both teams having won 25 games apiece.



IN TONIGHT'S edition of E10 we take a look at two players to have represented both Orient and tonight's opponents Swindon Town.

MARTIN LING

Former Swindon Town midfielder Martin Ling became the first man in 36 years to lead Orient to automatic promotion when they secured third place in League 2 in the 2005/06 campaign.

Ling's Orient side won a dramatic final day fixture against Oxford United by the odd goal in five to earn their place in the higher division in the most memorable way possible.

Born in West Ham on July 15 1966, he began as a junior with the Hammers, but gained his apprenticeship at Exeter City in January 1984, going on to make 117 League appearances for the Grecians, with 14 goals.

He joined Swindon for £25,000 in July 1986, but after just four senior appearances, he moved on to Southend United for £15,000 on October 16 1986.

Ling enjoyed a terrific spell with the Shrimpers, scoring 31 goals from 138 games and, after a brief period on loan at Mansfield Town, he returned to Swindon for a £15,000 fee in March 1991.

Five fine seasons in Wiltshire later - which included one in the top flight - he linked up with the O's on a free transfer.

Ling's fine passing range soon became evident to the O's fans and he won the club's Player of the Year award in 1998.

In total he played 174 games for the club, scoring eight goals, before returning as youth team boss in 2000 following a short time at Brighton & Hove Albion.

His under-19 side won the Football League Youth Alliance in a final at the Millennium Stadium in 2001, and later that year he stepped up to become assistant manager to Paul Brush.

In September 2003, after Brush left his post as boss, Ling took over on a caretaker basis, before being appointed permanently in December of that year.

Ling enjoyed a fine record of improving the O's League position year-on-year up to the end of the 2007/08 season, when they finished 14th in League 1, but a poor first half of the following year led to him being replaced by Geraint Williams. He then took charge of Cambridge United, but he left his post last week.

However, that day in Oxford will live long in the memories of O's supporters as Ling hauled the east Londoners up from the lower reaches of League 2 to become established members of the division above.

DAVE MORRISON

Swindon's current Fitness & Conditioning coach Dave Morrison spent three years as an O's player between 1997-2000.

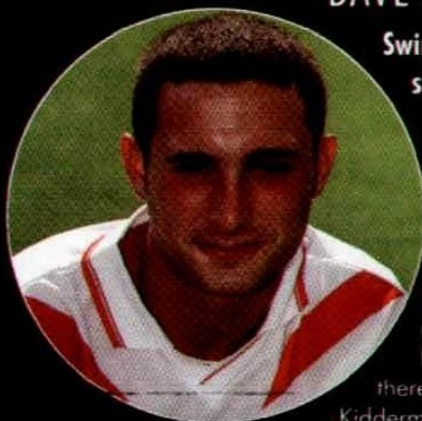
After playing in non-league for Chelmsford City, the Waltham Forest-born winger was sold to Peterborough United for £30,000 in 1994.

After three years with the Posh, which included 77 League appearances, he linked up with the O's, where a further 46 games followed, although his 1997/98 season was hampered by a knee injury suffered on the first day of the campaign.

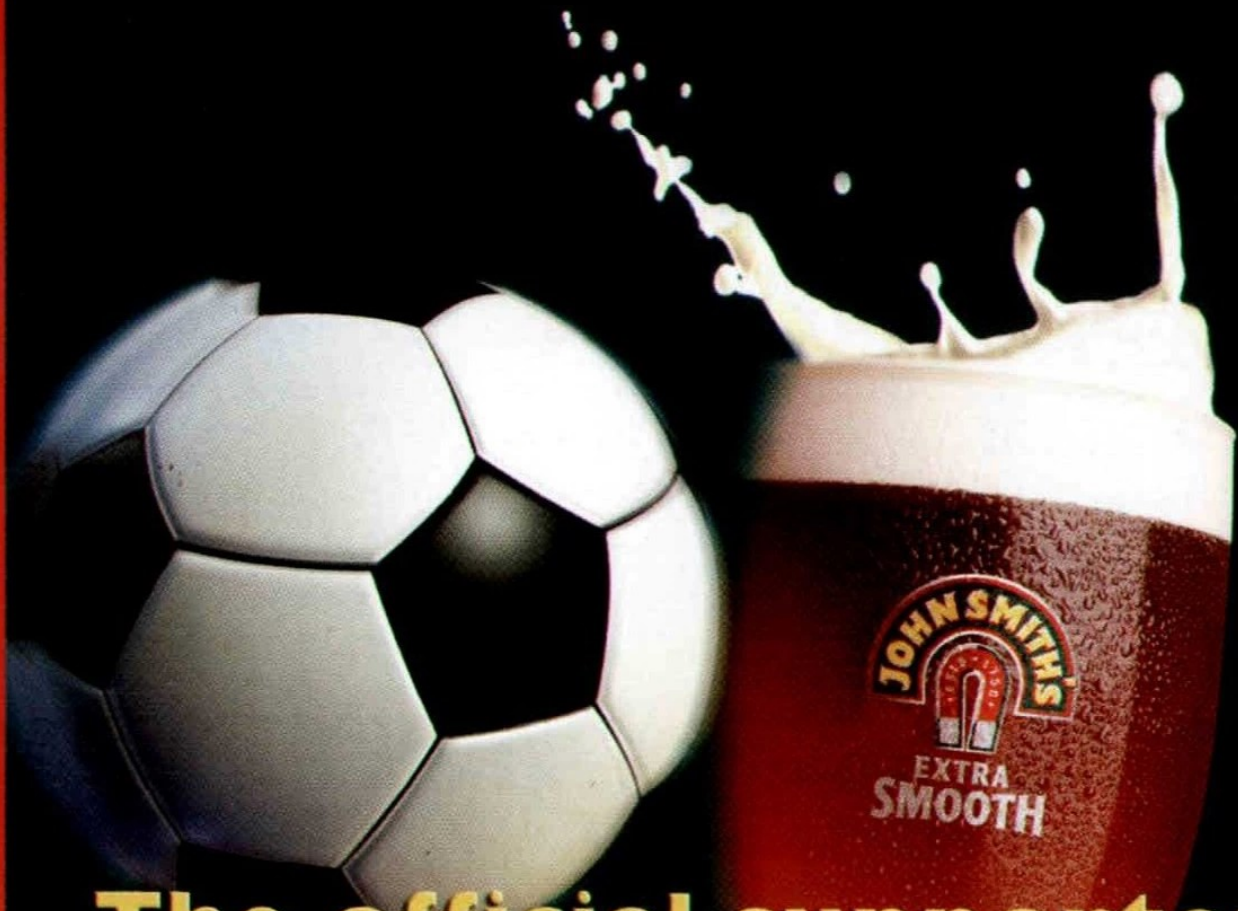
He moved to Irish side Bohemians in 2000 and remained there for four years prior to returning to the English game with Kidderminster, Tamworth, Moor Green and Solihull Moors.

Dave also completed a home degree in Sports Science, following that up with a Masters Degree at Wolverhampton, whilst working for a year with the Walsall youth team.

He then worked briefly at Wolves prior to joining Swindon as their Fitness & Conditioning coach.



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A GREAT BRITISH TRADITION...

QUEUING. It's a weird thing. Right from the start, it's a wacky word. Try spelling it out loud, and I promise you, you will automatically go into a rousing chorus of 'Louie Louie'.

It's something us Brits do more than anyone else. It's not actually fair to say that no other nation queues at all, anyone who's ever experienced the joy of dragging two kids around any of the Disneylands will know that both the French and the Americans will force themselves into an orderly line if the thrill of hurtling around Thunder Mountain is offered as bait.

We British, however, have elevated it to an art form. At Post Offices, Checkouts and Ticket Offices, we happily stand, shifting from foot to foot, checking out the other people in the queue. We keep a wary eye on things. Eyeing up possible 'jumpers'. Making sure the snake keeps moving, ensuring that no dreaded gaps appear that some smart Alec can squeeze into unseen.

We make eye contact with those around us, while making sure to avoid getting into conversation. The last thing you want is someone giving you a sob story about a car left on a meter, or a child waiting to be picked up from school, or a sick relative waiting for a visit.

These are all just attempts to get you to let them jump ahead. No way. Just a look at the people behind glaring at you will stop you from weakening. Strangely enough, even if their position in the queue isn't altered by letting someone go ahead of you, they will still shake their heads and look at you as if you have stolen their kids last Rolo.

Occasionally, of course, we can be magnanimous. The old lady behind us in the Supermarket with just one item, can be smilingly nodded through. The rest of the day then passes in a haze of smug self-righteousness. It's a cheap, painless kindness that we can bring up anytime.

'Oh really...you donated a kidney to a stranger?...that's all very well...but did I tell you...I let a pensioner with a bottle of ketchup in ahead of me?'

Mind you, be careful, these old folk are canny. They sometimes have a partner stationed round the corner of the aisle with a trolley full of Sanatogen and tinned peas, just waiting to pounce on some poor unsuspecting kindhearted stranger.

I mention all this, of course, because tonight is the second of the big Arsenal queue nights, when the second phase of tickets go on sale. By all accounts Stage One has gone smoothly, and everyone seems to agree that the powers that be have come up with the fairest means of distribution. Most of us have memories of other, less well organised times, and lessons appear to have been well learned.

I once stood in line for four and a half hours outside the old Lyceum, before being told that all tickets had been sold for the upcoming T-Rex concert had been sold. The notices clearly stated 'one per person', so the sight of obvious touts walking away clutching handfuls was a bitter pill to swallow.

But tonight will be fine. Even if we have to stand in line for a few hours. It's worth it. It's Arsenal at home. As the great Marc himself said. It really doesn't matter at all....life's a gas. -





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- 17 Jason Crowe for Spring (78)
- 25 Tommy Carroll
- 27 Paul-Jose Mpoku for Téhoué (61)
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Brighton & Hove Albion

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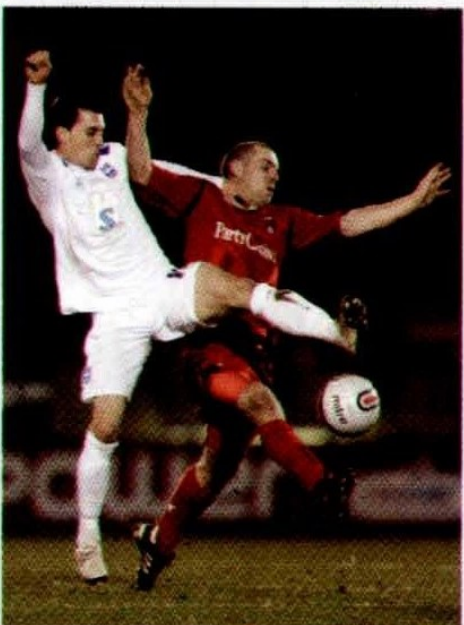
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- 20 Chris Holroyd
- 21 Fran Sandaza
- 31 Craig Noone for Sparrow (57)
- 39 Chris Wood for Murray (57)

Booked: Murray

Referee: Graham Horwood

Attendance: 5,872 (1,955 away)



11 mins – Adam Chambers, who had already picked up a booking, limps out of the action after suffering a gash to his shin.

11 mins – Orient gain their first sight of goal as Jonathan Téhoué and Alex Revell combine for the latter to curl a shot over from 16 yards.

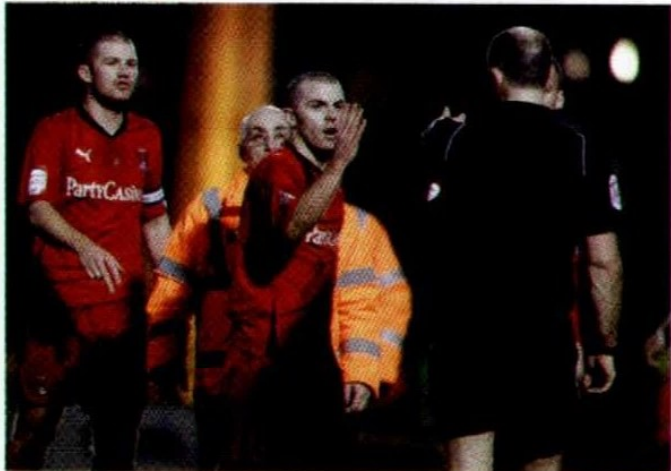
20 mins – Dean Cox is looking to impress against his old club and he works the space to stand up a cross from the left that Jonathan Téhoué heads over the top.



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32 mins - Fox is involved again, turning at the Albion defence before sending in a shot that Casper Ankergren just about touches over the bar.

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35 mins - Ben Clancy is downplayed by Gary Docker and it leads to a great Albion chance as Glenn Murray feeds Mark Spink, whose shot is saved by Jamie Jones.

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38 mins - Brighton have an equally inviting opportunity at the start of the second period as Elliott Bennett is played in, but Jones blocks a shot around the post.



67 mins - Tehoue wins a flick on deep in Albion territory and Alex Revel picks up possession but shoots off target from outside the box.

66 mins - Paul Jose Mooku comes off the bench and looks to have an instant impact, leaving his man on the floor before shooting over the bar.

72 mins - Albion sub Craig Nwani tries his luck on the other end sending a shot whistling over the crossbar from 25 yards.



They Said...

O's boss Russell Slade:

"I'm not sure whether it was a fair result. We felt disappointed at the end of the game and I think it tells a million stories that we're disappointed with a point against the League leaders.

"I thought we controlled lots of the second half to be honest and were a little bit unlucky.

"There weren't many chances - I think they created two and the second one was a very good chance - but I thought we were probing most of the time second half and asking more questions of them with the crosses."



Brighton manager Gus Poyet:

"I think it was the worst game we have been involved with this season. It was awful.

"When you have to play this kind of game and you cannot create chances and you don't test the goalkeeper it is very important to realise there is nothing and just keep a clean sheet and get something from the game."



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90 mins... Moore has another effort on goal, driving a shot straight at Jones from outside the penalty area.



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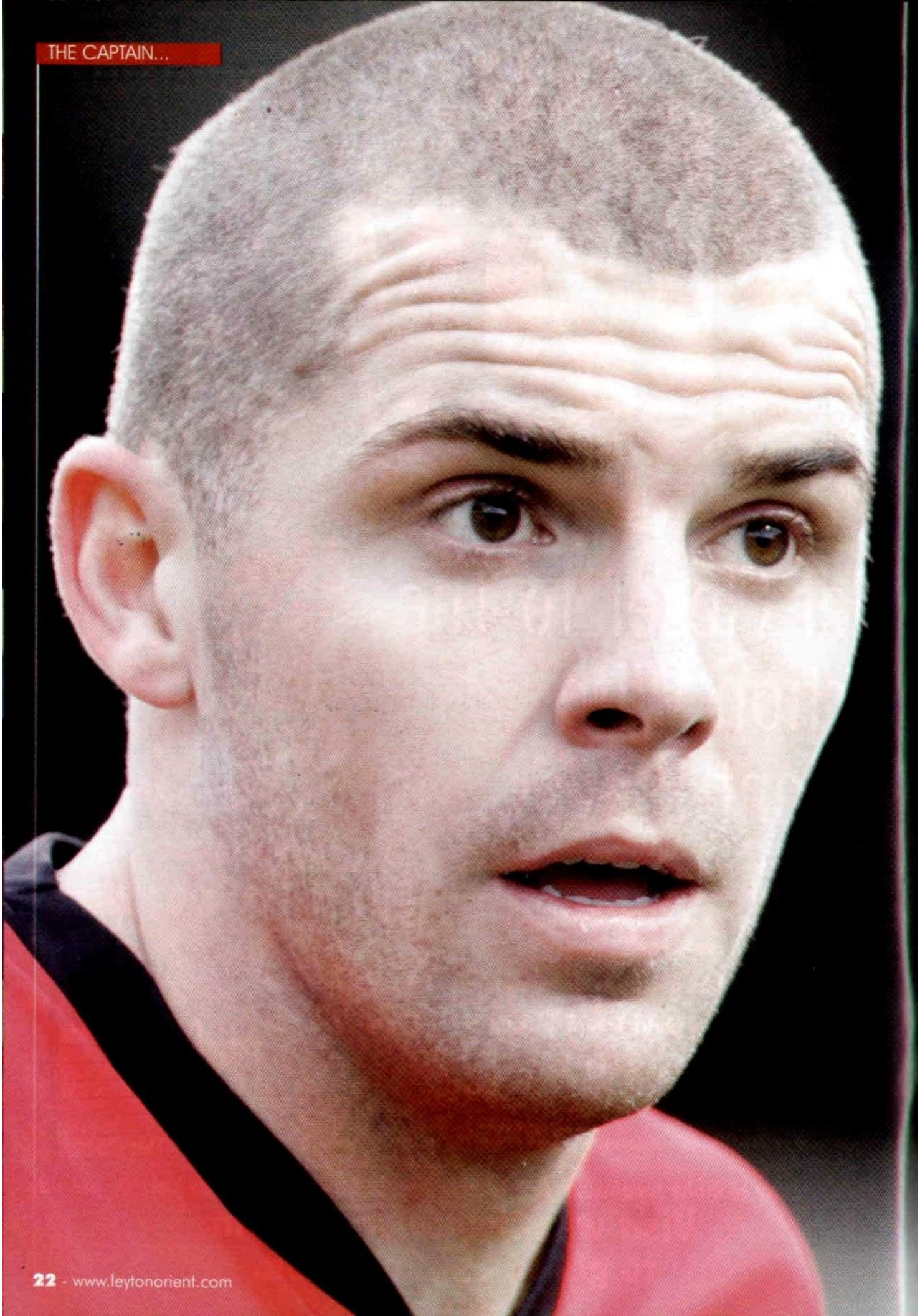
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THE CAPTAIN...



We will always keep battling to the end

WELCOME back to Brisbane Road for tonight's game against Swindon Town. We will be going flat out to keep our recent good run going.

One of the most pleasing aspects about Saturday's draw at Bournemouth was that we scored a last-gasp goal to keep that record intact and have lost just once in our last 17 games, which underlines the progress we are starting to make.

It was a great finish by Dean Cox and I'm sure the goal will give him a big boost as he has not scored for a while, but it just shows what a great attitude there is in the camp. We will always keep battling to the end and never give up.

I think the result was even more creditable, as Bournemouth are right up there in second place and we were without Alex Revell, who was given a rest, as the games are coming thick and fast and he has been working so hard.

We were also without Matt Spring and Ben Chorley and all three of them have been hugely influential for us this season.

But even without them, we were able to go to the team who are in one of the automatic promotion places and earn a draw.

Deserved a point

To be honest, I don't think we played that well in the first half, but there's no doubt we deserved at least a point for our second half performance.

In the end I thought that Bournemouth were hanging on and couldn't wait for the final whistle. We were the side trying to win the game.

Tonight's encounter with Swindon is the first of two massive matches here in the next few days and if we can win tonight, it would lift us into the top half of the table for the first time this season and that would really give us a boost.

But, I know it's not going to be easy. I'm surprised that Swindon find themselves just above the drop zone. I really didn't see that coming this season.

I know they are always going to miss a striker like Charlie Austin, but it's still going to be tough for us, as I really do think Swindon are in a false position.

They still have some good players at the club and showed last season, when they reached the Play-off Final, that they can be a dangerous side and I still think that's the case.

Target

We have got to be looking for a minimum of four points from these two home games. That's the target and if we can achieve that, then the League table will make pleasant reading for a

change.

We've got three more League games in the next eight days and if we can get a good return from those matches then we can really look forward to our FA Cup game against Arsenal.

But we cannot afford to lose sight of the fact that the League is our bread and butter. It's the most important thing for us and who knows what we could go on and achieve if we can keep our good run going.

A couple of wins and a draw would see us shoot up the table and things are really starting to come together now.

We've not exactly had it easy of late, with games against Sheffield Wednesday and then back-to-back matches against the top two. But we have remained unbeaten and have not looked out of place against any of them. I really don't think we have anything to fear.

If any side was going to win last Tuesday's game against Brighton, I thought it was us. Then on Saturday, we came from behind to get at point and really showed our character at Bournemouth. We didn't panic and at the moment we go into every game thinking that we won't get beaten.

Enjoy playing

We enjoy playing for the gaffer and the crowds are getting bigger and I'm sure there will be a fair few here tonight, just like there was for last Tuesday's match against Brighton.

It always helps us if there is a big crowd here for midweek matches. You are sometimes a little tired after a Saturday game and the fans really do help to lift you.

Stephen Dawson in conversation with Trevor Davies

One more thing...

Question: Have you ever been a substitute and come on so quickly as you did against Brighton last week?

SD: I don't think so. The gaffer felt that I needed a rest and I was still not 100 per cent fit, so the plan was to be on the bench and take things easy.

Then, after a couple of minutes, poor old Adam Chambers suffered a bad cut and had to come off. So I found myself on the pitch and there were still 85 minutes left to play!

Things didn't quite go according to plan, but that just demonstrates what a great spirit we have here. Everyone is prepared to do their bit for the team.

Season 1964/65

This was to prove a difficult season for the Club and its Supporters who were given little to enthuse over during a season that saw them locked in a battle against relegation for much of the time whilst also utilising the services of three managers before the campaign was completed.

3 - The number of managers that took charge of Orient during the season. Benny Fenton was in control from August until December but was then sacked just before Christmas and Les Gore took over in a caretaker capacity for the remainder of the month before Dave Sexton was appointed in January 1965.

8 - Fenton signed eight players during the summer including Scots goalkeeper George Ramage and full-back David Forsyth. Other additions were full-back Jeff Harris from Enfield and Barnet's England amateur international Tony Harding whilst youth players Billy Carter, Johnny Lambert and Billy White were signed on professional forms. During the early weeks of the season, Welsh international right-half Malcolm Lucas was sold to Norwich City and Dennis Sorrell, a left-half, was signed from Chelsea. Further signings included centre-half Andy Nelson from Ipswich Town and Norwich City's Colin Worrell.

19 - There were 19 goals scored during our first three home matches of the season. Ted Phillips scored a hat-trick in the opening day 5-2 win against Portsmouth with Dave Dunmore and Terry Price also on

the mark before we beat Manchester City 4-2 ten days later with Phillips and Dunmore bagging a couple apiece. Another five goals were seen when Derby County provided the opposition in E10 although, sadly, four of those entered our net.

36 - A total of 36 goals were recorded in our opening seven

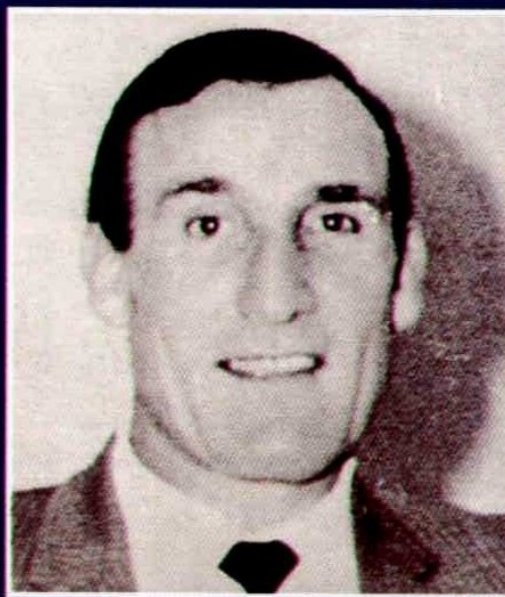


15 - Ted Phillips was our leading scorer with 15 League and Cup goals. The hard-shooting inside-left scored a number of wonderful goals from distance but lost his goalscoring touch during the season and was sold by Dave Sexton to Luton Town just before transfer deadline day.

matches of the season including a 6-0 thrashing at Manchester City and a 5-2 success at The Vetch when we beat Swansea 5-2 where Phillips and Terry McDonald both scored twice with Price completing the goalscorers list.

12 - Following a run of 12 matches that provided just one win for the O's and included a 5-0 thumping at Newcastle, Fenton was relieved of his duties and replaced as manager following a 3-0 home defeat by Swindon Town.

10,000 - The amount in pounds that Orient paid Fulham for inside-forward Dave Metchick. Having been appointed as Caretaker-boss following the demise of Fenton, Les Gore moved swiftly to



48 - Benny Fenton spent barely a year in charge of Orient before he was relieved of his duties. The team won only 14 of the 48 League matches under his stewardship with 22 games ending in defeat. Formerly manager of Colchester United, he joined Orient in November 1963 but his style of football that saw two wingers playing in a deep-lying role failed to inspire or entertain. With the O's hovering towards the foot of the table in December 1964, he was sacked although 18 months later, he took over at Millwall. His most memorable achievement with us was masterminding the FA Cup victory at Leicester City.

persuade the player to move across London. The cultured inside-forward made his debut on a snow-covered pitch on Boxing Day and scored a wonderful 25-yarder helping us to beat Charlton Athletic 4-2 in front of 9,256.

3 - Three successive victories starting with a 2-0 success at Cardiff City - where a Harry Gregory penalty and a goal from Joe Elwood earned us the points - was followed by two home wins. We beat Plymouth Argyle 2-0 with Elwood claiming both goals and then Preston North End 2-1 with Sorrell scoring his first goal for the club whilst Gregory was also on target. These victories allowed us to climb out of the relegation positions and although we failed to win any of our seven remaining matches, we did achieve four draws that ensured we would maintain our Second Division status.

3 - The number of Cup matches played by the O's during the season. We suffered a 3-1 Third Round defeat at Southampton in the FA Cup and although we beat Barnsley 3-0 in the second round of the League Cup, we then lost 2-1 at Charlton Athletic in the following round.



25 - A total of 25 players were used during the campaign by the trio of managers. The most League appearances, 36, were recorded by forward Gregory and centre-half **Andy Nelson** who only joined us after the opening month of the season but then played in every match.

8,920 - The average League attendance at Brisbane Road during the season. That represented a fall of 1,439 from the previous term and the figures were set to continue to decline over the next two years. The highest recorded home attendance was for the match against Crystal Palace which attracted 17,711 to Brisbane Road to witness a single goal victory for the visitors whilst the lowest figure was on January 16 when 5,132 watched us lose 3-2 to Swansea Town as the Swans were then titled.

4 - Four teams completed the double over us; Swindon Town (3-0 & 1-0), Derby County (4-1 and 1-0), Norwich City (3-2 and 2-0) and Crystal Palace against whom we lost both matches 1-0. Orient failed to take maximum points from any of their opponents in the two head-to-head encounters.

2 - Two youngsters who were to serve Orient so well in the future were beginning to make their mark. A 17-old Peter Allen was playing well in the reserves whilst 15 year-old centre-half Paul Went captained the England Schoolboy international side against Scotland at Wembley. Both players were destined to make their first team debuts for the club in season 1965/66.



4 - Four successive defeats around the turn of the year left the O's at the foot of the table with 22 points from 28 matches and persuaded the Orient directors to appoint **Dave Sexton** as boss. He had previously played for the club before becoming a well-respected coach with Chelsea. His first game in charge saw us suffer another reverse (1-0) at Crystal Palace.

LEAGUE DIVISION 2

	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1. NEWCASTLE UNITED	42	16	4	1	50	16	8	5	8	31	29	57
2. NORTHAMPTON TOWN	42	14	7	0	37	16	6	9	6	29	34	56
3. Bolton Wanderers	42	13	6	2	46	17	7	4	10	34	41	50
4. Southampton	42	12	6	3	49	25	5	8	8	34	38	48
5. Ipswich Town	42	11	7	3	48	30	4	10	7	26	37	47
6. Norwich City	42	15	4	2	47	21	5	3	13	14	36	47
7. Crystal Palace	42	11	6	4	37	24	5	7	9	18	27	45
8. Huddersfield Town	42	12	4	5	28	15	5	6	10	25	36	44
9. Derby County	42	11	5	5	48	35	5	6	10	36	44	43
10. Coventry City	42	10	5	6	41	29	7	4	10	31	41	43
11. Manchester City	42	12	3	6	40	24	4	6	11	23	38	41
12. Preston North End	42	11	8	2	46	29	3	5	13	30	52	41
13. Cardiff City	42	10	7	4	43	25	3	7	11	21	32	40
14. Rotherham United	42	10	7	4	39	25	4	5	12	31	44	40
15. Plymouth Argyle	42	10	7	4	36	28	6	1	14	27	51	40
16. Bury	42	9	4	8	36	30	5	6	10	24	36	38
17. Middlesbrough	42	8	5	8	40	31	5	4	12	30	45	35
18. Charlton Athletic	42	8	5	8	35	34	5	4	12	29	41	35
19. Leyton Orient	42	10	4	7	36	34	2	7	12	14	38	35
20. Portsmouth	42	11	4	6	36	22	1	6	14	20	55	34
21. SWINDON TOWN	42	12	3	6	43	30	2	2	17	20	51	33
22. SWANSEA TOWN	42	9	7	5	40	29	2	3	16	22	55	32

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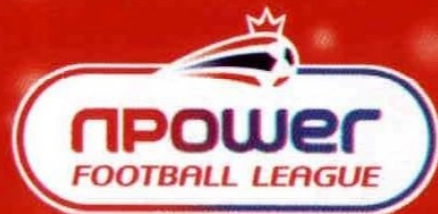
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SKIPPER Stephen Dawson featured on last week's Friday Football Programme live from the team hotel ahead of the draw at Bournemouth.

It was just a short chat about the recent events at the club and what was to come over the next couple of weeks including a host of important League games before the visit of Arsenal.

Stephens' time was much appreciated from our point of view as it is great to get a sense of how a squad is feeling on the eve of a game, and it's great that the club, the manager and players are prepared to let us interrupt their pre-match preparations.

Now, why mention this little tableau of what goes on week in and out at BBC London? Well it was brought back to my mind while watching Superbowl XLV on Sunday evening. I have always taken an interest in the sport since I was a kid and now working in the sports media it's fascinating to see how things operate over the pond.

Media access to players post-match in the NFL is almost intrusive with cameras poking their way under the noses of players seemingly just after they have got out of the shower... and it appears that

there is a whole phalanx of reporters desperate to get the story.

But the players seem to be comfortable with the situation and appear to understand that for them the sport is also a product and as a result there falls upon the participants to accept that the consumers want to see more.

Now I'm not suggesting that the dressing rooms of football grounds up and down the country should be thrown open to hordes of media types wielding microphones and cameras, but there is a case to suggest that those who play the media well can quiet often create a positive image which goes a long way with a savvy public.

On a completely different tack, the question again got banded about this week about who would want to be a football manager. More good people lost their jobs over the last few days, two with a connection to the O's. Both Martin Ling and Andy Scott are now looking for an alternative employer after parting company with Cambridge and

Brentford respectively.

Then two days ago Roberto Di Matteo was sacked by West Bromwich Albion, despite the Baggies still being outside the relegation zone.

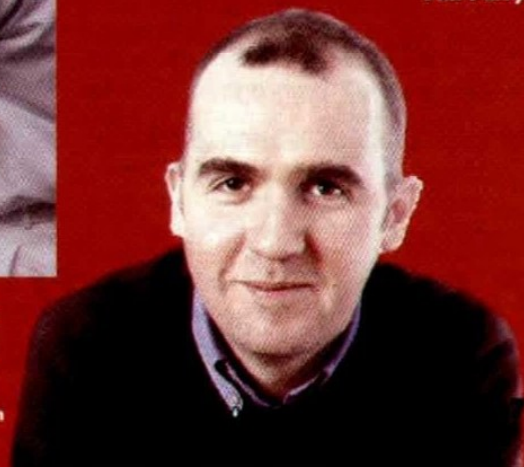
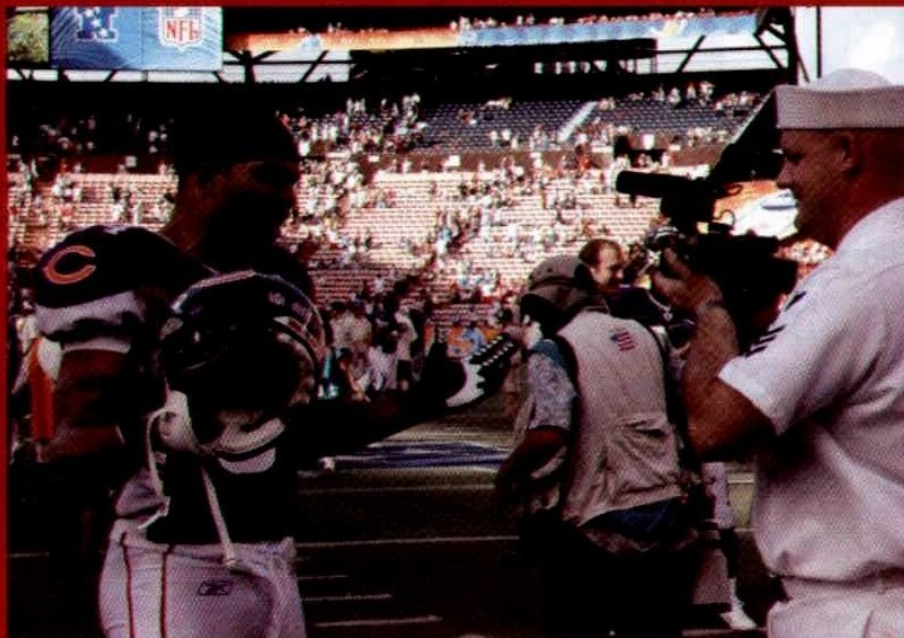
I can understand that those who run and own clubs can start getting twitchy when results take a turn for the worse,

'Now I'm not suggesting that the dressing rooms of football grounds up and down the country should be thrown open to hordes of media types...'

and past achievements seem to be very readily forgotten. But there now appears to be a culture in our game that managers are easily expendable, although how this benefits our game in general I am not sure.

I am convinced that all three men will get back involved in the game at some stage but it won't be easy and no doubt there will be others joining them in the dole queue soon.

Phil Parry



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The Team that was... **1956/57**



BACK ROW (l to r) – Stan Willemse, Alex Forbes, Peter McMahon, Dave Groombridge, Stan Aldous, Stan Earl, Ken Facey, Phil McKnight.
FRONT ROW (l to r) – Phil White, Dave Sexton, Tommy Johnston, Ron Heckman, Jimmy Smith, Jimmy Andrews.



JIMMY ANDREWS

A stylish inside-forward, Jimmy was signed by English club West Ham United from Dundee in November 1951

for £4,750. He made a total of 120 League and Cup appearances for the Upton Park club before making the short journey to Brisbane Road to join the O's who had just been promoted from the Third Division (South). Whilst at Leyton Orient, he scored eight goals in 35 League appearances over a span of three seasons but during that time, the clever ball-playing figure was unable to claim a regular place in the side.

In June 1959, he moved to Queens Park Rangers, who were managed by former O's boss Alec Stock and he scored 15 goals in 82 League games, before retiring and taking up a coaching role with the Loftus Road club. His reputation as a top-quality coach blossomed and he spent time with Luton Town and then Tottenham Hotspur in that role before he took up an appointment as manager of Cardiff City in 1974 after

Frank O'Farrell had resigned from the post. During his time in charge at Ninian Park, he guided the Bluebirds to promotion in 1975/76 and they also won the Welsh Cup on two occasions. In total, he won 63 of the 190 League matches played (a win percentage of 33.16%) whilst 51 games finished all-square but he was sacked in November 1978. He later worked as a scout for Southampton.



ALEX FORBES

Born in 1925, the Scottish wing-half began his career in England when joining Sheffield United after the end of

the Second World War. Whilst at Bramall Lane, he won the first of his 14 international caps for Scotland when selected for the match against England on April 12 1947.

An attack of appendicitis midway through the 1948/49 season saw Forbes lose his place with United and he signed for Arsenal in February 1948 for £15,000. Nicknamed 'Red' (for the colour of his hair) and known

for his hard tackling, he became a regular for seven seasons and picked up two League winners' medals and an FA Cup winners' medal. He continued to also play for Scotland, eventually picking up 14 caps for his country. He is the last surviving player from Arsenal's FA Cup winning side of 1950. In all, Alex played 240 games for Arsenal, scoring 20 goals but injury blighted his final season with the Gunners which restricted him to five appearances in 1955/56 so he moved to Leyton Orient in August 1956 as the Club prepared for their return to Second Division football.

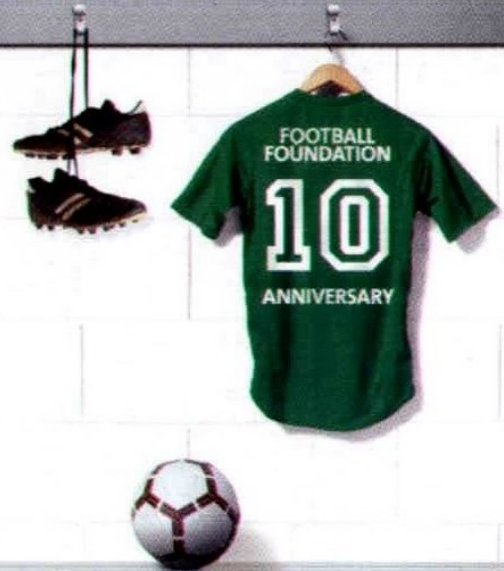
He never made the anticipated impact at Brisbane Road and spent much of the time in the reserve side having failed to oust Phil McKnight from the left-half position. After one season and eight appearances, he moved to Fulham for whom he only made only four appearances before joining non-league Gravesend & Northfleet.

After retiring from playing, Forbes spent some time coaching the Arsenal reserves and youth teams before emigrating to Johannesburg, South Africa, to coach children at a private school and run a business in the City before retiring. He was also chairman of the South African branch of the Arsenal Supporters' club.

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ONE ON ONE

Jonny Davies takes a look at the latest news around League 1

► **SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY** have appointed former West Bromwich Albion and Bolton boss Gary Megson as their new manager.

The 51-year-old has agreed a three-and-a-half-year contract and again links up with Wednesday chairman Milan Mandaric, whom he worked under at Leicester City.

Megson replaces Alan Irvine, who left Hillsborough last Thursday with the Owls lying 12th in League 1.

"I am delighted with this appointment because Gary is a top drawer manager," Mandaric told the club website.

"He has tremendous experience in the Championship and the Premier League and that is where Sheffield Wednesday needs to be.

"My target when I bought this club was promotion this season and that remains the case."

► **MYLES WESTON** scored both goals as **Brentford** ended a seven-game winless run with a 2-0 win against Plymouth on Saturday.

Weston's double either side of the break clinched an emphatic win against struggling Argyle in the Bees' first game since former O's man Andy Scott was sacked - giving caretaker manager Nicky Forster a dream start. Meanwhile, former Yeovil Town,



Above: Myles Weston
Below: Gary Megson

Bristol City and Peterborough United boss Gary Johnson has been linked with the manager's post at Griffin Park. Johnson has been out of work since leaving Posh last month.

► **TONIGHT'S** visitors **Swindon Town** are still optimistic they can strengthen their forward line with the loan signing of Tottenham striker Jonathon Obika.

The 20-year-old has been on loan at Peterborough United, but is expected to arrive at the County Ground soon.

Just before Saturday's game against

Rochdale, boss Danny Wilson said: "He's still Peterborough's player at this moment in time, but we're hopeful we'll have an addition next week at some stage.

"It's not done and dusted, as he's still technically a Peterborough player."

Obika arrived at London Road four weeks ago having had a four-month spell at Crystal Palace at the end of last season.

He played for Spurs in their UEFA Cup campaign during the 2008/09 season, but since then also spent time on loan with Millwall and Yeovil (twice).

► **NOTTS COUNTY** defender Krystian Pearce has signed a new deal that will keep him at the club until the summer of 2013.

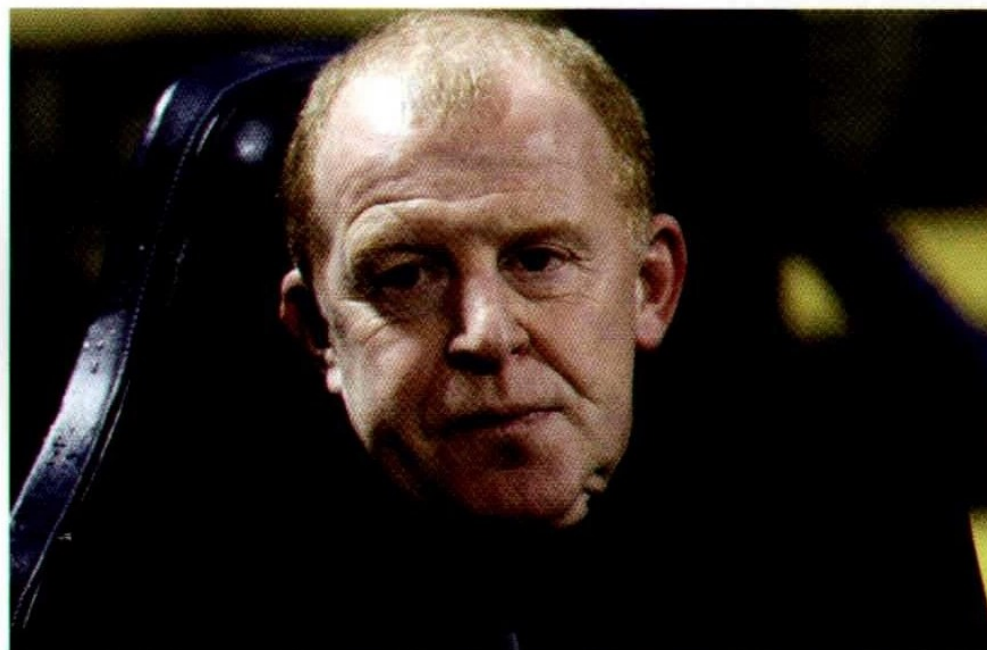
Pearce, who arrived at Meadow Lane on a free transfer last summer, has established himself as a figurehead in the heart of the defence in recent weeks, forming a solid partnership alongside Mike Edwards after Liam Chilvers was sidelined through injury.

The 21-year-old originally signed a deal until the end of this season, but his performances have persuaded manager Paul Ince to tie him to a longer contract.



► **DIETMAR HAMANN** has left his position at **MK Dons** to become Leicester's first-team coach.

The former Germany midfielder departs a similar position at MK Dons to join Sven Goran Eriksson's City staff.





LOAN

STAR

On-loan Paul-Jose's learning on the international stage...

'It's a huge honour to be picked to play for my country, I've been playing for the national team since I was an under-15, and that's gone through to the under-19s and I'm the captain of the team too.'

ONE O's player who will have to look out from afar for tonight's result is on-loan Spurs winger Paul-Jose Mpoku.

The 18-year-old is currently away on international duty with the Belgian under-19 side and is due to take on Belarus in games today and on Thursday.

He describes turning out for his country as a massive honour, even though in an ideal world he would also be involved in tonight's meeting with Swindon.

"It's a huge honour to be picked to play for my country," he said. "I've been playing for the national team since I was an under-15, and that's gone through to the under-19s and I'm the captain of the team too.

"I don't really know what to expect from Belarus. It will be a tough game. I've never played against them before, but it'll be good preparation for us as we look ahead to the European Championship qualifiers later in the season.

"We have some new players coming into the squad, so it will be good for

'Playing internationally is a good learning curve because it's different to club football.'

them and I'm looking forward to it.

"I'll probably be playing at the same time as we do against Swindon, so as soon as I'm away from that I'll be looking on the internet to see how we've got on, or probably my girlfriend or mum will tell me – and hopefully it's good news!"

Mpoku's last international call-up saw him take on England in a UEFA U19 Championship qualifier, and he scored as the Young Lions were defeated 2-1.

He continued: "I couldn't wait to play against England the last time I was called up. Ever since I came over here I've been wanting to play against England, so it was great to be drawn

against them.

"I wanted to play against my best friend John Bostock, who also plays for Tottenham, and it was a great occasion.

"I scored in the game too, which was fantastic, and the fact it was near my home too made it even more special as my girlfriend was there, my family too.

"Playing internationally is a good learning curve because it's different to club football. When you're playing for your country, you're playing against the best in your age group from the other nations.

"It's interesting, because you can compare what you're like in Belgium to what they're like in Belarus for example



and see where you stand."

Mpoku had to leave home at 16 to join the Tottenham Academy, and having to make a new country his home was something he had already experienced, having left the land of his birth, the Democratic Republic of Congo, at a very early age.

He explained: "I was born in the Congo and moved to Belgium when I was one. When I was 12 I signed for Standard Liège and then when I was 16 I went to Tottenham.

"It was a big step and a big decision for me when I came to England, because there were a lot of clubs who wanted me.

"I had to leave my family and friends and I couldn't speak the language when I came here. I had English lessons every Thursday from 8am to 12pm for two years, and it was hard at the beginning because my English was rubbish.

"But now it's a lot better and Tottenham have really helped me as a club. They helped me and they helped my family when they have come over, putting them into a hotel and they made the transition a lot easier for me. I'm really enjoying being in England and I'm loving being on loan at Leyton Orient now."

The loan at Orient has provided Mpoku with his first taste of senior football, and he is relishing every moment of his experience.

He has scored twice in 20 games, as well as laying on a number of goals for his teammates and he is keen to add to that over the coming months.

He said: "Coming to Orient was another big step for me. Everyone loves to play first team football, so when they said I could go on loan here I was really happy to take the opportunity.

"I'm learning every day, in training, in games and I know coming to Leyton Orient will improve me as a footballer so much.

"It's great to play with these players. In the changing room people like Dean Cox, Jimmy Smith, Forbesy and Ben Chorley, every single day somebody will say something and start laughing and I'm just enjoying it so much.

"Everyone is competitive in training, we might do the warm up and me and Ben want to win. We love it and there is such a



good spirit here.

"The manager is great too and I really appreciate it because for the manager to put someone in the team at 18 shows great trust in me.

"I'm thankful to him, because if I'd gone to another team maybe the manager wouldn't have had that faith, but he trusts me and I want to repay him."

Mpoku provided the assist for Orient's winner in their FA Cup tie at Swansea City, which set up next week's fifth round meeting with Arsenal, and he described that as a perfect moment.

"I didn't even see how the ball went in, I just saw the ball in the net and I was so happy for the team, for myself and for my family," he said.

"For everyone I was so happy, because we've come so far as a team – from the defeat at Brighton we went on an unbeaten run, beating Norwich and Swansea and then drew 0-0 when we played Brighton again at home.

"So when that goal went in at Swansea, everything from Norwich and the last month all came together and it was an emotional moment, especially as it came in the last few minutes of the game.

PAUL-JOSE MPOKU CAREER TIMELINE

April 19 1992

Paul-Jose is born in Kinshasa, DR Congo.
2004

Having moved to Belgium as an infant, Paul-Jose is brought into the Standard Liège youth system.

July 2008

With a host of clubs around Europe chasing his signature, including Manchester United, Paul-Jose opts to join the Tottenham Hotspur Academy.

2009/10 season

Paul-Jose makes great strides at Spurs, scoring 13 goals in 22 Premier Academy League starts and earning a call-up to the first team bench for an FA Cup replay against Bolton in February 2010.

September 24 2010

Mpoku joins the O's on loan, initially for a month but later extending the deal for the rest of the season.

September 28 2010

He makes his League debut, stepping off the bench to replace Adam Chambers in a 0-0 draw against Walsall.

October 13 2010

He scores the first goal in the Belgium U19s 2-1 win over England, which helps his country progress from the first round of qualifiers for the UEFA U19 Championships, alongside the Young Lions.

December 7 2010

Paul-Jose scores his first senior goal in the O's incredible 8-2 win over Droytsden in the FA Cup. Mpoku's strike, in the third minute of extra time, put Orient 3-2 up.

January 3 2011

His first League goal arrives, as he makes his mark as a sub to score Orient's third in their 4-2 win over Colchester United.

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SCOTT WINS

DECEMBER PLAYER OF THE MONTH

Two O's goalscoring heroes, Peter Kitchen and Scott McGleish, are pictured at the Supporters Club before last Tuesday's game v Brighton & Hove Albion when 'Kitch' presented Scott with the LOSC December Player of The Month award on behalf of the club.

Well done Scott and thanks Peter, it's always good to see you at the O's.



THURSDAY ALE NIGHT

Join us for another ale session at the club on Thursday February 10.

Plenty of excellent ales to enjoy.

The club opens at 6pm

**Please note that the club will NOT be open on Wednesday for the England friendly game v Denmark*

MARCH QUIZ BOOKINGS OPEN

Bookings are now being taken for the next of our ever popular Quiz Nights at the Supporters Club which will take place on Sunday March 20. Team entry (of eight players) is £60 to include some half time nosh.

Call and see Simon at the club to reserve your place or email us at the above address.

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MANAGERIAL RECORDS

Russell Slade

Played 32 Won 11 Drawn 10 Lost 11
 For 46 Against 42
 Av Pts/game 1.34
Biggest Win(s) L Orient 4 Sheff Wed 0
 (22/01/2011). **Biggest Loss(es)**
 Brighton 5 L Orient 0 (01/01/2011).

Danny Wilson

Played 99 Won 37 Drawn 34 Lost 28
 For 148 Against 136
 Av Pts/game 1.46
Biggest Win(s) Won 4-1 on 2 occasions
Biggest Loss(es) Gillingham 5
 Swindon 0 (08/08/2009).

MANAGER HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

Played...6 Russell Slade.....2 Danny Wilson.....2
 Draws2 Goals 9 Goals 9

Player with the most...

shots

Alex
 Revell 52

shots on target

Alex
 Revell 28

shots off target

Alex
 Revell 24

assists

Dean
 Cox 9

crosses

Dean
 Cox 93

fouls

Jimmy
 Smith 29

free-kicks-won

Stephen
 Dawson 36



Player with the most...

shots

Charlie
 Austin 61

shots on target

Charlie
 Austin 34

shots off target

Charlie
 Austin 27

assists

Sean
 Morrison 5

crosses

Jon-Paul
 McGovern 36

fouls

Charlie
 Austin 30

free-kicks-won

Matt
 Ritchie 38

GAMES SINCE

1	a win	6
2	a home win	6
0	an away win	3
7	a defeat	0
12	a home defeat	2
3	an away defeat	0
2	a score draw	8
0	a no score draw	1
1	conceding a goal	0
2	scoring a goal	0
1	conceding > 1	0
1	scoring > 1	0
0	keeping a clean sheet	1
0	failing to score	1
5	back to back wins	21
25	back to back defeats	3
0	gaining a point	1
0	losing a point	0
3	win by > one	6
7	loss by > one	3

SHARP SHOOTERS

L Orient	FL Cup	Tot	Swindon	FL Cup	Tot		
Alex Revell	10	3	13	Vincent Pericard	2	4	6
Scott McGleish	7	6	13	Matt Ritchie	4	1	5
Jonathan Tehoue	4	3	7	Jon-Paul McGovern	3	2	5

TEAM HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

Played...27 L Orient wins.....7 Swindon wins.....11
 Draws9 Goals 23 (0.9 per game) Goals 42 (1.6 per game)
 0-0's.....4 Times failed to score 10 Times failed to score 9

Biggest League win at L Orient for each team:

28/03/1964 & 11/03/2008 L Orient 2-1 Swindon
 19/12/1964 L Orient 0-3 Swindon

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LEAGUE STATS



15	Position	21
25	Played	28
8	Won	7
9	Drawn	9
8	Lost	12
38	Goals For	39
36	Goals Against	47
33	Points	30



Record Against Top Half of Table

W	D	L	RANK	W	D	L	RANK
3	7	5	14	5	3	7	8

Record Against Bottom Half of Table

W	D	L	RANK	W	D	L	RANK
5	2	3	17	2	6	5	24

Record When Scoring First

W	D	L	RANK	W	D	L	RANK
7	1	1	19	6	2	2	21

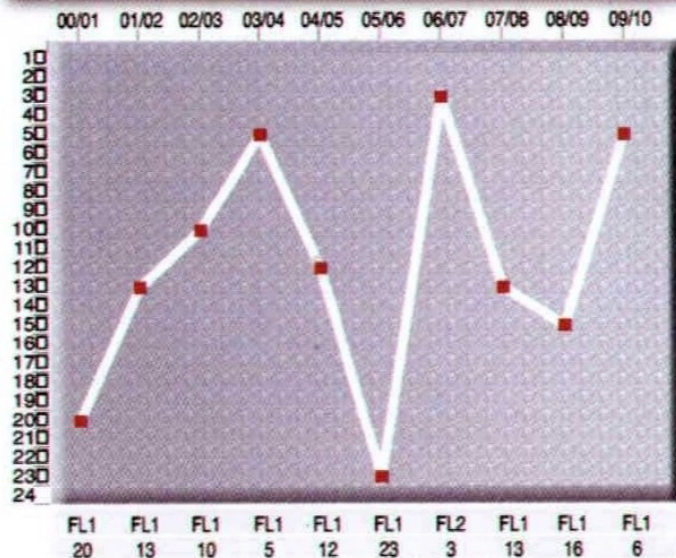
Record When Conceding First

W	D	L	RANK	W	D	L	RANK
1	6	7	9	1	4	10	14

Match Scores

Wins: 1-0[2], 2-1[2], 3-0[2], 4-0[1], 4-2[1], Losses: 0-1[1], 0-2[1], 0-5[1], 1-2[2], 1-3[1], 2-3[2], Draws: 0-0[2], 1-1[3], 2-2[4]
 Wins: 1-0[2], 2-1[4], 4-2[1], Losses: 0-1[2], 0-2[1], 0-3[1], 1-2[4], 1-3[1], 2-3[2], 4-5[1], Draws: 0-0[3], 1-1[2], 2-2[2], 3-3[2]

SWINDON - TEN SEASON RECORD



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THEO'S CHARITY QUIZ NIGHT

AS PART of his year of fundraising for Macmillan Cancer, Theo will be holding a quiz night in the Gallery at the Matchroom Stadium on Sunday February 27 from 5.30pm.

You can expect a range of questions to include subjects such as sport, music and geography.

The evening will include a buffet for all guests, a silent auction and the chance to add a familiar face to your team that may or may not help you win a number of prizes.

Entry is £10 per person for teams of six with a proportion of that going straight to Macmillan Cancer. A maximum of 20 teams can enter so book early to avoid disappointment.

To book your place please send a cheque for your entire team's entry fee (made payable to Leyton Orient) to Chris Pope at Leyton Orient FC, Matchroom Stadium, Leyton, London, E10 5NF or email c.pope@leytonorient.net Please also include contact details for a member of your team.

The evening is expected to end at approximately 10pm.

If you cannot attend but wish to support Theo in his fundraising efforts then please visit www.justgiving.com/TheoWyvern.



CHAMBERS SUFFERS LEG INJURY

ADAM CHAMBERS required stitches in a wound on his shin sustained during last Tuesday's 0-0 draw with Brighton & Hove Albion.

The O's midfielder, who was making his first start since November 2 after recovering from a hamstring problem, only lasted five minutes after picking up the injury early on.

He had to be replaced by Stephen Dawson and now looks set to be out for a period of about six weeks.

O's boss Russell Slade told leytonorient.com: "It was a nasty injury and he needed about 25 stitches in a wound on his shin.

"He's so unlucky at the minute and we hope he has a speedy recovery."

ESPN TO SCREEN ARSENAL TIE



ORIENT'S FA Cup sponsored by E.ON round five tie against Arsenal will be screened live by ESPN.

The game will take place at Brisbane Road on Sunday February 20 with a 4.30pm kick-off.

The O's reached the last-16 of the FA Cup for the first time in 29 years by defeating Championship high-flyers Swansea City in round four, while Arsenal battled past Huddersfield Town at the Emirates Stadium.

Orient and Arsenal haven't met in competitive action since the 1978 FA Cup semi-final, when the Gunners ran out 3-0 winners.

The FA fee for live TV broadcast is £247,500 per club.

O'S PICK UP LMA AWARD

ORIENT'S shock FA Cup win at Swansea City has earned manager Russell Slade the F&C Investments Performance of the Week Award.

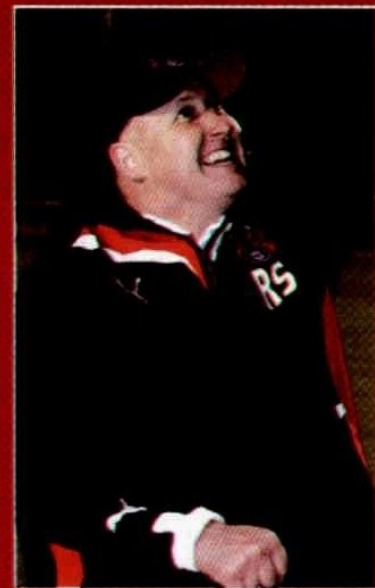
The prize, which is given by the League Managers Association (LMA) five-man panel, which includes LMA Chairman Howard Wilkinson and Sir Alex Ferguson, was presented to O's boss Slade at the club's training ground last Friday morning, and featured on Sky Sports' Soccer Saturday programme.

Slade receives a specially engraved crystal football for the excellent 2-1 win away at the Championship high-flyers.

An extraordinary own goal from Swansea City captain Alan Tate gave Leyton Orient victory in the FA Cup tie, after Jimmy Smith gave Orient the lead in the 35th minute, heading past Yves Ma-Kalambay as the goalkeeper failed to deal with a free-kick.

Swansea equalised moments before half-time when Darren Pratley's chip picked out Cedric van der Gun to flick home.

Orient dug deep and a replay seemed imminent, but two minutes from time Tate swung at a cross and sliced into his own net.



ELSEWHERE IN THE WORLD ON THIS DAY

1587 – Mary, Queen of Scots, is executed on suspicion of having been involved in the Babington Plot to murder her cousin, Queen Elizabeth I.

1855 – The Devil's Footprints mysteriously appear in southern Devon.

1879 – The England cricket team led by Lord Harris is attacked during a riot during a match in Sydney.

1952 – Elizabeth II is proclaimed Queen of the UK.

1974 – After 84 days in space, the crew of the first American space station Skylab returns to Earth.

1983 – The Melbourne dust storm hits Australia's second largest city. The result of the worst drought on record and a day of severe weather conditions, a 320 metres (1,050 ft) deep dust cloud envelops the city, turning day to night.

BORN ON THIS DAY

1828 – Jules Verne, French author (d. 1905)

1888 – Dame Edith Evans, British actress (d. 1976)

1921 – Lana Turner, American actress (d. 1995)

1925 – Jack Lemmon, American actor and film director (d. 2001)

1931 – James Dean, American actor (d. 1955)

DIED ON THIS DAY

1587 – Mary, Queen of Scots (b. 1542)

1924 – Gee Jon, First man in U.S. to be executed by lethal gas (b. 1895)

1990 – Del Shannon, American entertainer (b. 1934)

1998 – Enoch Powell, British politician (b. 1912)

TOP OF THE CHARTS ON THIS DAY:

2007 – Gene Kelly – Mika

1997 – Ain't Nobody – LL Cool J

1987 – I Knew You Were Waiting (For Me) – Aretha Franklin & George Michael

1977 – Don't Cry For Me Argentina – Julie Covington

1967 – I'm A Believer – The Monkees

1957 – Singing The Blues – Guy Mitchell

Of the 12 first team League and Cup matches played on this date, only four victories have been completed by Orient teams whilst one match has been drawn. Goals have also been in short supply with just 11 goals scored by the O's down the years although 18 have been conceded.

We failed to find the net in four of our first five matches on this date, the exception coming in 1930 when we beat Coventry City 3-1 at Lea Bridge to gain the Division Three (South) points. The next productive performance was 45 years and three games later when we struck the only goal of the game to beat York City at home before gaining a second successive win when a visit from Cambridge United saw us record a 3-1 win. Another barren run then followed with four of our remaining five matches failing to produce an Orient goalscorer the lone exception coming in 2000 when we beat Exeter City 4-1 at Brisbane Road.

Amongst our heavier defeats were the 4-0 reverses at Derby County during the 1907/08 season and 3-0 at Newcastle United in 1964.

Featured games

1964 v Newcastle United

St James' Park failed to prove a happy hunting ground for the O's who suffered a 3-0 defeat against the Magpies who were recording their tenth home win of the season from 15 matches.

Leyton Orient (listed in the League table within the matchday programme as merely 'Leyton') started the match in 14th place in Division Two had won just three of their 15 away League matches having also drawn three games.

A month earlier, United had been knocked out of the FA Cup 2-1 at non-league Bedford but they were on top form against the O's who had no answer to a potent Newcastle attack and who gained adequate revenge for their 1-0 setback at Brisbane Road in September when the home side extended their unbeaten home run to five matches on that occasion.

Orient: Mike Pinner, Stan Charlton, Eddie Lewis, Malcolm Lucas, Sid Bishop, Cyril Lea, Terry McDonald, Gordon Bolland, Dave Dunmore, Bobby Mason, Malcolm Musgrove.

1975 v York City

Manager George Petchey commented that the 1-0 win against York City at Brisbane Road was a "convincing performance." He continued: "Although we won by the only

goal of the game, several good scoring chances were created and a penalty missed."

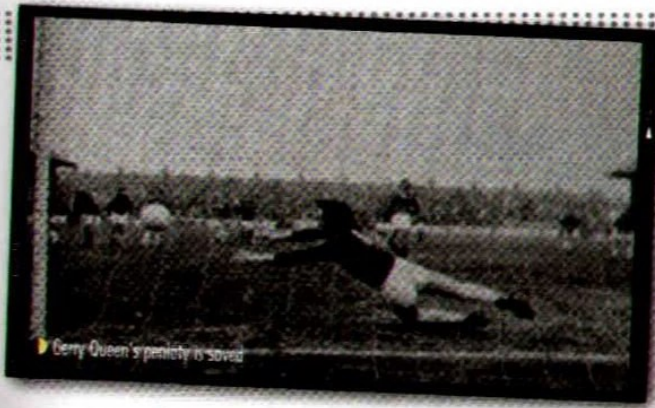
A crowd of 6,453 saw the two closely-matched teams, who were just below halfway in Division Two, compete in a hard-fought clash but Ricky Heppollette chose an excellent time to record his first goal of the season that allowed us to leapfrog our opponents and reach 28 points from the 28 matches played thus far. However, goals were in short supply with inside-forward Heppollette's strike being only the 11th goal scored by Orient in 14 home League matches whilst we had managed one fewer in the 12 matches on our travels.

Forward and ex-Crystal Palace player Gerry Queen, who was finding goals hard to come by having played 22 matches with just one goal to his name, extended his disappointing sequence after missing a penalty.

In his column in the matchday programme, Petchey wrote of his satisfaction at the

emergence of the younger players. "One of the most encouraging features of this season has been the progress made by our young professionals," he wrote. "There is a great deal for young players to learn between the time they leave school and their graduation – if successful – to League footballers. So far this





season, three of our recent apprentices, Bobby Fisher, Tony Grealish and Laurie Cunningham, have made an impact at senior level.

"Much of the credit for the successful introduction of these young players to this level of the game is due to the encouragement and assistance given by our senior players. Peter Allen, Peter Bennett, John Jackson, David Payne, Gerry Queen, Tom Walley and the like provide a wealth of experience and advice which is passed on in training and by playing alongside the youngsters in the reserve and League teams. A system that ensures a first-class introduction and promotes and maintains the great spirit that exists within the Club."

Orient: John Jackson, Bobby Fisher, Derrick Downing, Peter Allen, Phil Hoadley, Tom Walley, Barrie Fairbrother, Tony Grealish, Gerry Queen, Ricky Heppollette, Derek Possee.

1986 v Cambridge United

Orient started the match in seventh place with 45 points from 28 matches and their hopes of improving their promotion prospects were sustained with a 3-1 victory against Cambridge United in front of 2,727 gathered in E10.

The pitch was covered by a thin carpet of snow but an Orient side hit by injuries prevailed to complete the double over the U's yet it was our visitors who looked the better side for much of the game.

They had a goal disallowed in the early stages of the match whilst keeper Peter Wells was twice forced to deny Steve Spriggs and it was against the run of play



when Ian Juryeff hooked the ball home after 16 minutes following a build-up involving Steve Castle and Paul Shinnars. With 69 minutes played, Shinnars slid in his 13th League goal of the season to cap a move also involving Pat Corbett and Shaun Brooks. Steve Massey

pulled one back for Cambridge with ten minutes remaining but our two-goal cushion was restored when Brooks set up Chris Jones to complete the scoring.

Manager Frank Clark reasoned: "This was another occasion when we, as the home side, failed to totally kill off the opposition, in that Cambridge, from being two-down, crept back into the game and there was some prospect of some tense final minutes before the third goal from Chris Jones settled matters. His was a goal of classic simplicity and I felt was due reward for having been our most consistent player over the last seven or eight matches."

Orient: Peter Wells, John Sitton, Kevin Dickenson, Peter Mountford, Colin Foster, Pat Corbett, Steve Castle, Shaun Brooks, Paul Shinnars, Chris Jones, Ian Juryeff.

2000 v Exeter City

We recorded our biggest win of the season when we sunk Exeter 4-1 at Brisbane Road to enable us to complete a quick-fire double over the Grecians watched by an attendance of 3,854. It stretched our unbeaten run to eight games during which time we had taken 20 out of 24 points and more than doubled our tally for the season.

The run also enabled us to finally climb off the bottom of the Division Three table and then out of the bottom five. The O's made light of the poor conditions as the wind and rain made life difficult but it took only 11 minutes for Wim Walschaerts to volley us in front. Chances were being created at both ends and Scott Barrett was forced to pull off an excellent save to deny Gary Alexander and

Steve Flack whilst Exeter shot-stopper Stuart Naylor denied John Martin at point blank range.

Our tension was eased when Steve Watts doubled our lead although he looked suspiciously offside when he ran onto a pass from Tony Richards. However, Paul Buckle reduced the deficit just before the break to give the visitors hope before two goals in the final 20 minutes eventually settled the outcome. Firstly, Matt Lockwood scored with a spectacular volley before Richards capped an impressive display with our fourth goal seizing onto a through pass from Kwame Ampadu.

Captain Dean Smith, in his programme column 'Pearls From Dean', looked back on the match enthusiastically. "The win means we are full of confidence



and the aim is to turn Brisbane Road into the fortress it once was," he stated.

"Certainly goals seem to be less of a problem for us these days and we scored four cracking goals whilst Exeter's effort was just as spectacular. Even Wim was on the scoresheet and if he can score with a left-foot volley from the edge of the area, then anything's possible. But to be honest, I don't mind how they go in. The most important thing is getting the three points."

Orient: Scott Barrett, Matthew Joseph, Matt Lockwood, Dean Smith, Simon Downer (Dave McGhee), Kwame Ampadu, Wim Walschaerts, Ahmet Brkovic, Steve Watts (Nicky Shorey), Tony Richards, John Martin (Ilysedon Christie).

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PRINT OF TODAY'S MATCHDAY PROGRAMME



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CELEBRATION EVENING

SIX SCHOOLS from east London were recently invited to the boardroom at Brisbane Road to celebrate their achievements in Leyton Orient Community Sports Programme's 'Playing for Success' scheme.

'Playing for Success' is an initiative between the Department for Education, local authorities and the governing bodies of sports. It aims to get children between the ages of 10 and 14, who are at risk of underachieving, interested in learning through the stimulus of sport.

Andy Edwards, the O's youth team manager, was present to award the prizes to children from Gwyn Jones Primary, South Grove Primary, Edinburgh Primary, George Tomlinson Primary, St Mary's CofE and George Mitchell Secondary Phase.

Running alongside the 'player of the match' awards was a dream team competition, to try to get children interested in maths through putting together their own football team.

The winner of this competition was Areeba Zahid from Edinburgh Primary school, with an impressive score of 855, 40 points ahead of second place Apryl Robinson from Gwyn Jones Primary.

Andree Selner, Senior Education Development Officer for Leyton Orient Community Sports Programme said: "It has been a great evening to celebrate all the hard work that the pupils

have put into the programme this term with their friends, families and teachers.

"They have really excelled and you can see by their presentations the high standard of the work being produced.

"It's such a shame that the funding for this project has been cut by the Government after ten years of seeing how successful it has proved to be. It has not only raised achievement but also confidence, self-esteem, motivation and independent learning skills of the pupils involved.

"Unfortunately we can no longer deliver the programme for free to schools from March and schools are already unsure if the new budget they have will be enough for them to afford to pay for it."

WINNERS OF 'PLAYER OF THE MATCH' AWARD...

- ▶ Mariya Patel from Gwyn Jones Primary
- ▶ Vera Osademe from South Grove Primary
- ▶ Ishfaq Wardag from Edinburgh Primary
- ▶ Imaad Yousuf from George Tomlinson Primary
- ▶ Rachel Junaid from St Mary's Church of England
- ▶ Chiquita Hand from George Mitchell

By Dominique Hume





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RULE WITH 

THEO'S GANG



Hi Gang,

It's a Tuesday night so it must mean another evening of football here at Brisbane Road!

This is the third week in a row we've had midweek action in E10, and tonight we welcome Swindon Town to east London.

Our last two League matches have been against the top two in the division and we've done very well to draw against them both. We battled out a 0-0 draw against the leaders Brighton, and were a little unlucky not to win the game, and then we had to travel to second placed Bournemouth on Saturday.

The Cherries have a great home record, with 11 wins at their own ground already this season, and for a long time it looked as though they would add to that after Michael Symes scored in the first half.

But, just as in the game between the clubs here, we never gave up and came back at the end with a great goal from Dean Cox.

It just showed the great spirit we have here and with two home games this week we've got a great chance to climb up the table.

So I want to hear you making as much noise as you can to cheer on the boys and hopefully we'll have something to celebrate tonight.

Come on you O's

Theo

HALF-TIME CHALLENGE

Can you answer these questions about tonight's opponents?

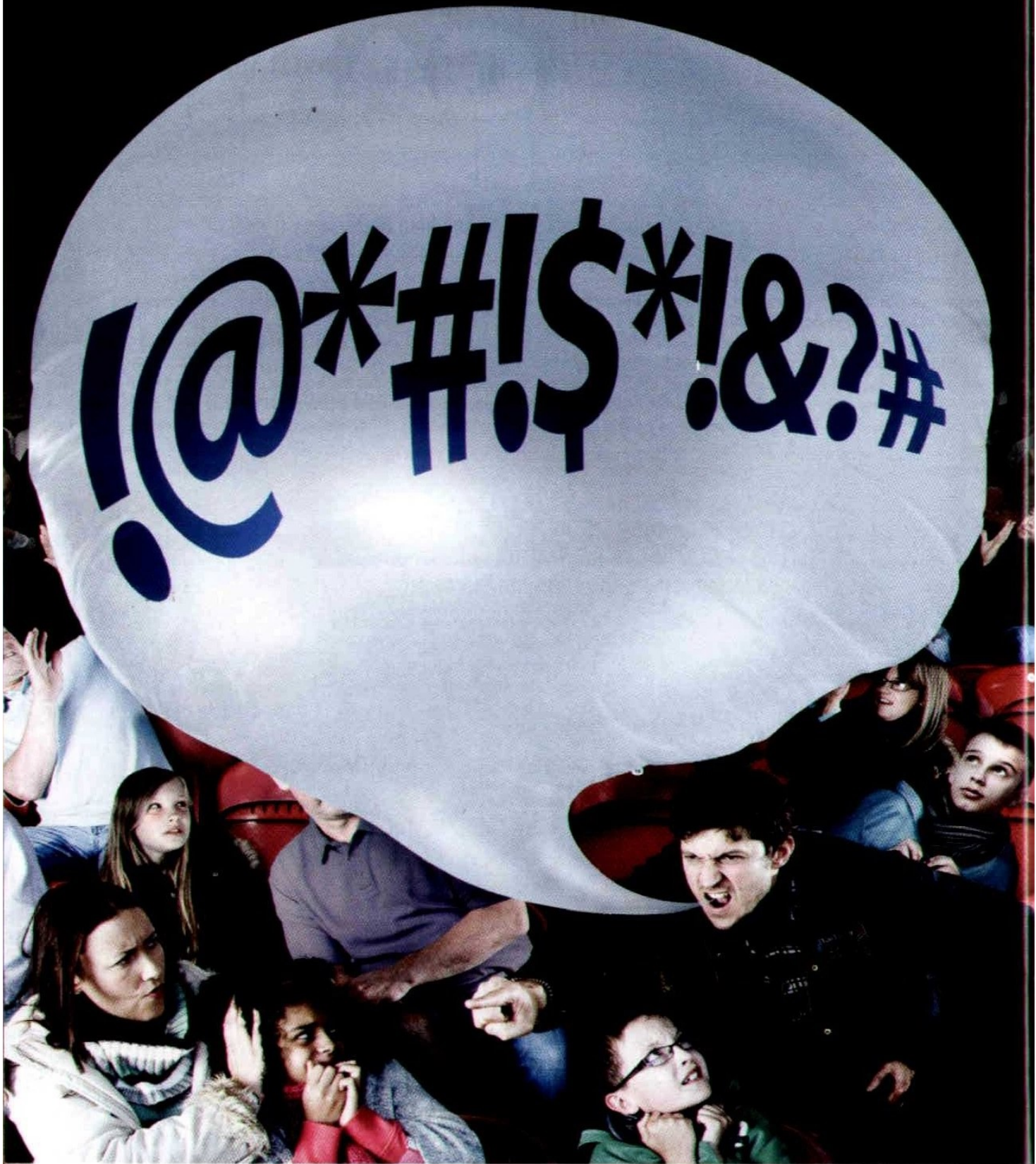
- ▶ What is the name of Swindon Town's home ground?
- ▶ Which former O's manager played for both Swindon and ourselves?
- ▶ What is Swindon's nickname?
- ▶ Who scored their equaliser against us when we drew 2-2 in the away game earlier this season?
- ▶ Which O's striker had a loan spell at Swindon last season?

WHERE'S THEO?



CAN YOU GUESS WHICH OF OUR LEAGUE RIVALS THEO HAS VISITED THIS WEEK?

Half Time Quiz: The County Ground, Martin Ling, The Robins, Michael Rose, Alex Revell - Where's Theo: Dogenhorn & Redbridge



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O'S SEE OFF SHRIMPERS SOUTHEND UNITED U18 1 – 3 LEYTON ORIENT U18

Saturday February 29 2011

Youth Alliance South East Conference

ORIENT returned to winning ways with a 3-1 victory over local rivals Southend United.

Without a win since mid-October, the O's had gone eight games since they last gained a three point haul, but they ended that run in fine style against the Shrimpers.

The O's started at a great pace, creating several good chances in the opening period.

Kaine Sheppard netted the opener, finishing neatly with his left foot following good work down the flank.

Chris Benjamin and Lamar Hurley both struck the post, while all Southend could offer before the break was a long range shot that Tom Lovelock turned around the post.

Southend looked to up the tempo after the interval, but Orient remained on top, with their wingers and full backs particularly influential.

With 63 minutes on the clock, Billy Lobjoit sent over a ball into the six-yard

box. Sheppard's shot was saved, but Benjamin pounced on the rebound to double the lead.

Benjamin then added a third following a good delivery from Joe O'Donoghue.

Southend pulled one back and finished strongly but Orient deserved their victory.

Head of Youth Development Mel Jeffries, who took charge of the team with Andy Edwards away with the first team, said: "We're pleased to get back to winning ways.

"I impressed on the boys the need to start the game strongly. They did that, and the defenders also set us a platform to press high up the pitch.

"We played some excellent football and deserved the win."

Orient: Tom Lovelock; Alan Mabuyaku, Stephen O'Hara, Kenzer Lee, Joe O'Donoghue (Sam Conway 84); Billy Lobjoit, Ross Dedman, Lamar Hurley, Moses Odubajo (Anthony Okadigbo 76); Kaine Sheppard (Joe Foley 70), Chris Benjamin

YOUTHS RUN RIOT AGAINST BRIGHTON

LEYTON ORIENT U18 7 – 1 BRIGHTON & HA U18

Tuesday February 1 2011

Youth Alliance South East Conference

KAINE SHEPPARD scored a hat trick as Orient's youngsters ran riot against Brighton & Hove Albion last Tuesday.

The Seagulls had no answer to Orient's power as they romped home to their second successive victory.

Billy Lobjoit got the rout started early, opening the scoring with a fine driven shot.

The O's soon made it 2-0, with Sheppard notching the first of his treble when he received the ball on the left hand side and, spotting the goalkeeper off his line, lobbed him from 25 yards.

First year scholar Lobjoit added a third before the break, finishing off a good individual run by curling a shot home.

Sheppard scored the fourth after the break, and although Brighton pulled one back, Orient were soon back on the front foot.

Orient's fifth came as the result of an own goal, and midfielder Lamar Hurley scored the sixth with a fine header following Moses Odubajo's cross.

Sheppard completed his hat trick and the scoring late on to round off a hugely pleasing afternoon for youth team boss Andy Edwards.

He said: "I'm really pleased as it shows what we can do. More than anything I was pleased with the way we defended, because it gave us the platform to score the goals at the other end.

"We look like a threat when we go forward and we are difficult to play against, and it was a real team performance."

YOUTH TEAM FIXTURES 2010/11

Date	Opponent	Result
August 14	Gillingham (a)	4-1
August 21	Southend United (h)	1-2
August 28	Aldershot Town (h)	1-3
September 4	Gillingham (a) (YAC)	2-3
September 11	Southend Utd (a) (YAC)	2-1
September 18	Millwall (h) (YAC)	2-2
September 25	Colchester Utd (a) (YAC)	3-1
October 2	Dag & Red (h) (YAC)	5-2
October 16	Dag & Red (a)	6-0
October 23	Millwall (h)	0-1
October 30	Bristol Rovers (a) (YAC2)	1-2
November 4	Thurrock (a) (FAYC1)	0-1
November 6	Brighton & HA (a)	1-3
November 13	Colchester Utd (h)	1-4
November 20	Millwall (a)	1-2
January 15	Gillingham (h)	1-1
January 22	Colchester Utd (a)	2-2
January 29	Southend Utd (a)	3-1
February 1	Brighton & HA (h)	7-1
February 5	Aldershot Town (a)	4-2
February 12	QPR (h)	
February 26	Stevenage Boro (a)	
March 5	Brentford (h)	
March 12	Luton Town (a)	
March 26	Northampton T (h)	
April 2	Barnet (a)	
April 9	Wycombe W (h)	
April 30	Peterborough Utd (a)	
TBA	Dag & Red (h)	

LEAGUE TABLE 2010/11

	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
QPR	13	10	1	2	18	31
Millwall	10	8	0	2	9	24
Peterborough U	13	7	2	4	3	23
Brentford	11	6	1	4	9	19
Southend U	10	6	1	3	9	19
Colchester U	12	6	1	5	4	19
Aldershot T	13	6	1	6	-5	19
Leyton Orient	13	5	2	6	8	17
Barnet	12	5	1	6	-10	16
Wycombe W	9	5	0	4	5	15
Brighton & HA	11	5	0	6	-6	15
Gillingham	11	3	2	6	-5	11
Luton T	10	3	1	6	-3	10
Dag & Red	12	3	1	8	-14	10
Stevenage	9	3	0	6	-4	9
Northampton T	11	2	0	9	-18	6

YA CUP GROUP 5 LEAGUE TABLE

	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Leyton Orient (Q)	5	3	1	1	5	10
Gillingham (Q)	5	3	1	1	2	10
Southend U (Q)	5	2	2	1	1	8
Millwall (Q)	5	1	3	1	1	6
Colchester U	5	2	0	3	0	6
Dag & Red	5	0	1	4	-9	1

APPEARANCES + SUB (GOALS):

Yilmaz Aksoy 2, Oluseyi Bailey 0 + 1, Chris Benjamin 14 + 1 (12), Hanif Boyle 0 + 1, Callum Compton 6 + 1 (1), Ross Dedman 2, Jack Dekanski 14, Elyon Egbeku 0 + 1, Joe Foley 4 + 6 (2), Harrison Georgiou 0 + 3, Connor Hubble 1, Lamar Hurley 3 (1), Sam Conway 6 + 9, Grag Knock 9 (2), Harry Lee 8 + 1, Kenzer Lee 3, Tom Lovelock 15, Billy Lobjoit 18 (8), Alan Mabuyaku 17, Jack Metcalfe 2, Joe O'Donoghue 17, Stephen O'Hara 17, Moses Odubajo 14 (2), Anthony Okadigbo 10 + 3 (2), Michael Richardson 2, Stephen Sam 1, Bobby Scott 7 (3), Kaine Sheppard 17 + 2 (8)



Orient 2 MK Dons 2

npower League 1, Brisbane Road,
Tuesday January 25 2011

Leyton Orient

- 1 Jamie Jones
- 3 Andrew Whing
- 4 Ben Chorley
- 6 Terrell Forbes
- 7 Dean Cox
- 8 Stephen Dawson
- 9 Scott McGleish
- 11 Alex Revell
- 13 Charlie Daniels
- 16 Matthew Spring
- 20 Jimmy Smith

Subs:

- 12 Lee Butcher (GK)
- 14 Ryan Jarvis
- 18 Jonathan Tehoué for McGleish (68)
- 21 Jake Argent
- 26 Moses Odubajo
- 27 Paul-Jose Mpoku for Cox (76)
- 29 Harry Kane for Dawson (39)

Goals: McGleish 9, Forbes 14

MK Dons

- 1 David Martin
- 3 Dean Lewington
- 4 Mathias Doumbé
- 7 Stephen Gleeson
- 13 Mark Carrington
- 14 Lewis Guy
- 15 Danny Woodards
- 19 Jabo Ibehre
- 22 Peter Leven
- 23 Adam Chicksen
- 26 Luke Chadwick

Subs:

- 2 Jude Stirling
- 6 Sean O'Hanlon for Woodards (46)
- 8 David Amoo for Guy (66)
- 9 Rowan Vine for Chadwick (70)
- 17 Stuart Searle (GK)
- 18 George Baldock
- 27 Daniel Powell

Goals: Gleeson 7, O'Hanlon 56

Referee: Darren Sheldrake

Attendance: 3,131 (187 away)



7 mins — MK Dons start in fine style and get a goal to match when Stephen Gleeson arrows a right-footed volley into the top corner from 25 yards.

9 mins — But the D's hit back immediately as Andrew Whing feeds the ball into Scott McGleish, who takes a touch and slides the ball into the bottom-left corner.

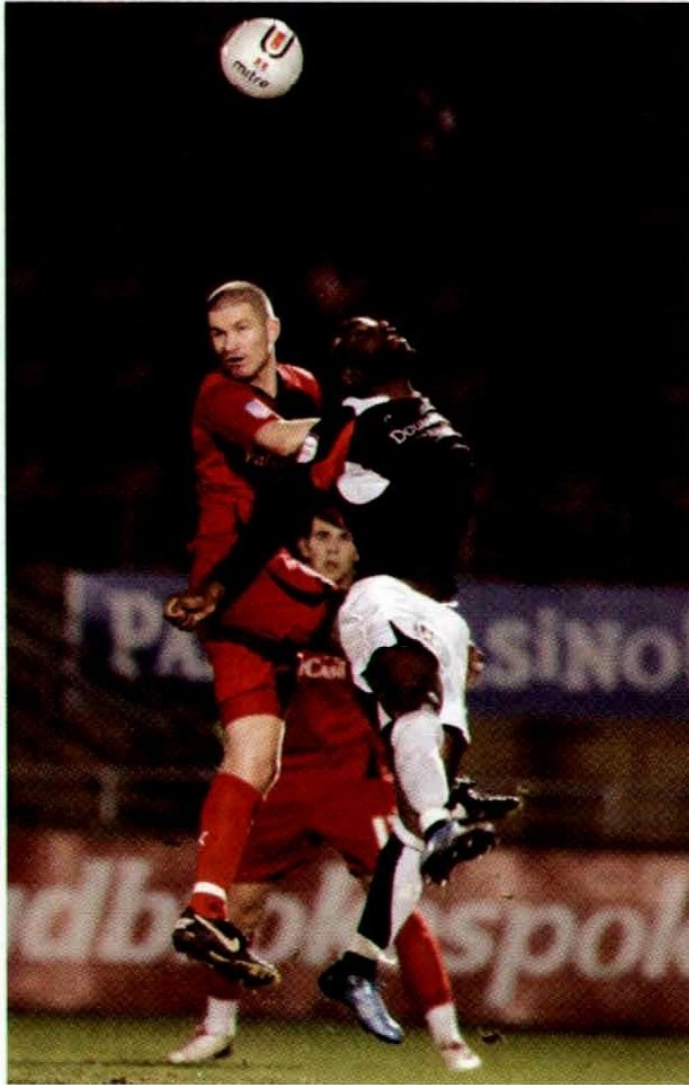
11 mins — It's an all-action start to the game and another Whing cross finds its way to Dean Cox, whose first-time shot corners off the post.



110 13 mins. The O's are really starting to click and Cox plays a through ball to the overlapping Charlie Daniels, and his fierce shot is turned around the post.

110 14 mins. From the resulting corner, the ball works its way back to Cox, whose cross picks out Terrell Forbes for a header from eight yards and he makes it 2-1.

110 39 mins. The home side are dealt a blow when Stephen Dawson limps off the field with a dead leg, forcing a reshuffle which sees youngster Harry Kane moving into midfield.



45 mins — Jamie Jones has to make a fine save to deny former O's man Jabio Ibelue, as his flicked header from Gleeson's cross looks goalbound.

56 mins — The Dons don't have to wait long after the interval to level, as Sean O'Hanlon gets on the end of Peter Leven's free kick to nod home.

63 mins — The O's look second best after the break, but Cox tries to get them going with a run and shot that curls wide of the far post.



They Said...

O's assistant manager Kevin Nugent:

"I think it probably was a fair result. We're a little disappointed to throw away a lead, but we were up against a decent side.

"We didn't play at our best, but we ground out a point. After conceding that early goal, we came back strongly, and we're getting used to it in terms of having to come from behind."



Dons assistant John Gorman:

"We started off the way we want to play football.

"We want to pass this ball like we do at home sometimes, we passed it for fun for like 10 minutes and they were wondering when they were going to get a kick. But credit to Orient, they came at us, and Scott McGleish, who is a thorn in my side, has popped up."



110

89 mins — MK Dons go closest to a winner as Dean Lewington delivers a free kick and O'Hanlon heads back across goal, just beyond the dive of sub David Amoo.

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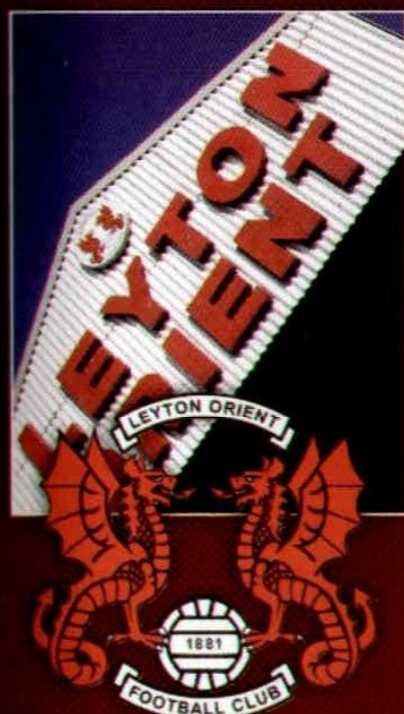


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Leyton Orient v Bristol Rovers

npower League 1
 Saturday February 12 2011
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GALLERY...

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Concessions	£25
Platinum Package	£75

Orient v Arsenal

FA Cup sponsored by E.ON Round Five, Sunday February 20 2011. Kick-off 4.30pm

THE priority period for season ticket holders has now passed and tickets for this fixture will go on sale from after tonight's match to supporters who are able to produce a home match ticket for both the Brighton & Hove Albion fixture and the Swindon Town fixture. Tickets must be produced to purchase a seat.

Supporters in this category have from after tonight's match until 4pm on Friday February 11 to apply.

Any remaining tickets will go on general sale from after the Bristol Rovers match on Saturday February 12.

Ticket prices are as follows:

	Adult	Concession
Gallery	£35	£25
West Stand	£22	£14
East Stand	£22	£14
Tommy Johnston Stand	£20	£13
North Family Stand	£20	£13

Arsenal have been allocated the usual away section (East Stand South end) as well as the Wyvern Suite. All tickets for away fans will be on sale directly from Arsenal FC.



MK Dons v Orient

npower League 1, Tuesday February 15 2011. Kick-off 7.45pm

Leyton Orient FC have been sent an initial 500 tickets for this match, which are currently on general sale from the ticket office.

Prices for this match are as follows:

Adult £20 - Seniors (over 60) and Ambulant Disabled £14 - Juniors £9
Carer Free of charge

Wheelchair users need to contact MK Dons direct for tickets at their Box Office on 01908 622900.

GETTING THERE

By road: Exit the M1 at junction 14 and take the left-hand filter lane towards Milton Keynes. Continue straight over the roundabout (Northfield) on H6 Childs Way. At the next roundabout (Fox Milne) turn left on to V11 Tongwell Street. At the next roundabout (Brinklow) turn right along the H8 Standing Way (A421). Continue on the H8 Standing Way following signs for Buckingham, continuing over a number of roundabouts, and on reaching the Bleak Hall roundabout turn left onto the V6 Grafton Street and follow signs for the stadium.

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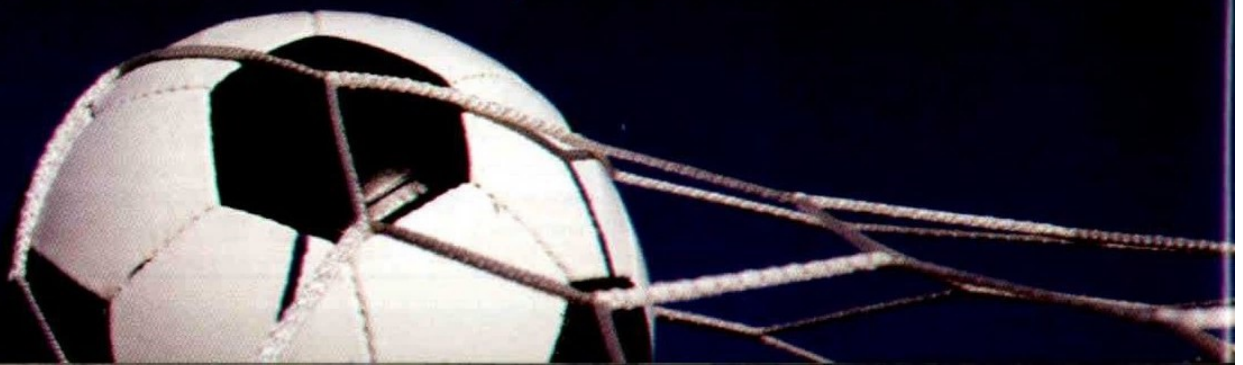
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HEIDEN EURO CUP

ORIENT'S under-13s recently returned from competing in the Heiden Euro Cup tournament in Germany.

Orient's Head of Youth Development Mel Jeffries writes...

The Heiden Euro Cup is an annual indoor 5-a-side tournament played over a weekend in January for players born in 1998 (U13s), which is currently in its 12th year.

Leyton Orient were only the second English team to be invited to send a squad to compete against other European professional sides from Germany, Austria, Poland, Netherlands and Armenia.

After working within other Centre of Excellences, I knew what a good experience this tournament could prove to be for the boys and was delighted when the players and parents were of the same opinion.

As you may be aware on the continent boys are age banded by the Year in which they were born (Jan-Dec), however in England boys play their football within the School Year (Sept-Aug). This obviously meant either we could select a squad across two age bands or select a squad which would be competing with some of its players playing older boys. I decided on the latter option which made the competition even tougher, thus adding



to the prospect of the boys playing against the likes of Borussia Monchengladbach, FC Koln, Werder Bremen, DSC Armenia Bielefeld et al.

The boys travelled on the Centre of Excellence mini-bus via Eurostar, through France, Holland and finally Germany, arriving at Heiden

Viktoria Sporting Club on the Friday evening. The group stages for their half of the draw did not commence until the Saturday afternoon, but their Coaches filled the morning with a training session and observation of the opposition in the other half of the draw.

After the group stages the boys finished fourth in a group of five, with the highlight being a hard fought 3-3 draw with BMG. This left them in a group of four to play on the Sunday for 16th-20th position. The performances improved in the second half of the competition and they finished in 18th position.

The boys travelled back on the Sunday arriving back late that same evening.

I hope you can see from some of the boys' comments after the tour that it had proved to be a worthwhile experience for all involved and something that as a department we will actively seek to continue with in our programme.

Luke Bennett said: "Going to Germany was a great experience and a lot of fun. We were the youngest team, but we still played well. The Germans are very strong and don't give up."

Jelani Watson-Gayle added: "It was good to see the German 5-a-side standard, I want them to see our standard of 11 a side. Also it was good to play football away from home."

Tommy Nevrkla said: "Going to Germany was a really good experience, as we played a different style of football against boys that were at least a year older than us. The games were played in a small indoor space, so there was less room to work in and the games were fast and furious.

"It also took time to get used to the fact that you could bounce the ball off the walls. In the end we had some good results and bonded really well together as a team."

'Going to Germany was a great experience and a lot of fun. We were the youngest team, but we still played well. The Germans are very strong and don't give up.'

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DRIBBLERS

SHARP SHOOTERS

Player	Team	Lge	Cup	Ttl
Craig Mackail-Smith	Peterboro	14	5	19
Jordan Rhodes	Huddersfield	10	6	16
Will Hoskins	Bristol Rvs	12	3	15
Johnnie Jackson	Charlton	12	2	14
Gary Jones	Rochdale	12	2	14
Neil Mellor	Sheff Wed	6	7	13
Scott McGleish	L Orient	7	6	13
Alex Revell	L Orient	10	3	13
Jamie Cureton	Exeter	9	3	12

WHERE TO SEE GOALS (By Ground)

Ground	Home Team	M	Gls	G/Mt
London Road Ground	Peterboro	14	69	4.93
Victoria Park	Hartlepool	11	40	3.64
Banks's Stadium	Walsall	13	44	3.38
St James Park	Exeter	13	44	3.38
Dean Court	Bournemouth	14	47	3.36
WHC Stadium	Colchester	14	44	3.14
Boundary Park	Oldham	14	41	2.93
Withdean Stadium	Brighton	13	37	2.85
Spotland Stadium	Rochdale	12	34	2.83
Brunton Park	Carlisle	14	39	2.79
Matchroom Stadium	L Orient	12	33	2.75
Prenton Park	Tranmere	14	38	2.71
Memorial Stadium	Bristol Rvs	13	35	2.69
Huish Park	Yeovil	12	32	2.67
Home Park	Plymouth	15	39	2.60
stadium:mk	MK Dons	13	33	2.54
L.B Barking & Dag Stad	Dag & Red	12	30	2.50
Griffin Park	Brentford	12	30	2.50
Galpharm Stadium	Huddersfield	15	36	2.40
Meadow Lane	Notts County	13	31	2.38
Hillsborough	Sheff Wed	13	31	2.38
The Valley	Charlton	13	31	2.38
St Marys Stadium	Southampton	14	32	2.29
County Ground	Swindon	15	34	2.27

TEAM LEADERS

Team with the most...
shots on target 199 Southampton. **shots off target** 179 Southampton. **corners** 201 Swindon. **hit woodwork** 12 Bournemouth. **offsides** 92 Notts County. **fouls** 336 Plymouth. **yellow cards** 53 Tranmere. **red cards** 9 Plymouth.

PLAYER POWER

Player with the most...
Shots 82 Richard Lambert (Southampton). **Shots on target** 45 Richard Lambert (Southampton). **Shots off target** 37 Richard Lambert (Southampton). **Assists** 11 Grant McCann (Peterboro). **Crosses** 102 Ben Davies (Notts County). **Offsides** 41 Craig Mackail-Smith (Peterboro). **Fouls** 51 Chris O'Grady (Rochdale). **Free-kicks won** 72 Glenn Murray (Brighton).

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2010/11 SEASON



GOAL COUNTER 904

RIGHT FOOT 499 goals



LEFT FOOT 204 goals



HEADERS 180 goals



Own goals 20 (2.2%), Other body part 1 (0.1%)

QUICK-FIRE GOALS

From the start of a match
 Michael Timlin (Rochdale vs Swindon) 0:35

By a substitute after coming on
 Chris Solly (Leyton Orient vs Charlton) 1:22

DISCIPLINARY



3.0 cards per match



0.2 cards per match

QUICK-FIRE CARDS

From the start of a match
 Danny Coles (Peterboro vs Bristol Rovers) 1:57

By a substitute after coming on
 Michael Timlin (Swindon vs Bournemouth) 1:31

SUB TOTALS

Subs used 1547

Offsides 1635

Corners 3650

Shots Off Target 3290

BEAT THE TRAFFIC

Total number of goals you would have missed by leaving every match ten minutes early

1 4 5

In the npower Football League One this season there have been **3350** shots on target, goals constitute **27.0%** of all shots (doesn't include own goals). The woodwork has come to the rescue of the defending side on **172** occasions (the biggest beneficiaries being Exeter 17). There have been **87** penalties awarded this season and of those **63** have been scored (a success rate of **72.4%**). Tranmere have been awarded most penalties - **7**. Tranmere have given most penalties away **8**. The team to score the most penalties is Charlton **6**. Tranmere missed **3** penalties in the npower Football League One this season.

RESULTS

How many times each result has occurred this season - home sides score shown first

0-0	21
0-1	23
0-2	11
0-3	10
0-4	3
0-5	1
0-6	1
1-0	28
1-1	35
1-2	17
1-3	9
1-4	2
1-5	1
2-0	27
2-1	34
2-2	21
2-3	4
2-4	3
2-5	-
3-0	11
3-1	9
3-2	13
3-3	6
3-4	1
3-5	-
4-0	7
4-1	6
4-2	6
4-3	-
4-4	-
4-5	-
5-0	1
5-1	2
5-2	1
5-3	1
5-4	1
5-5	-
6-1	1
6-2	1

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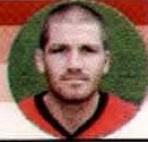


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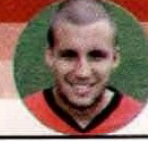


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Boots: Tim Patten



Jamie JONES

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Away: Adam Dolan

Boots: Journee Silver



Terrell FORBES

Home: Paul Organ-Moore

Away: Bywaters

Boots: Available



Adam CHAMBERS

Home: Christine Rainbird

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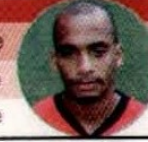


Elliot OMOZUI

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Away: Maria, Danielle, and John Prowse

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ROCK 'N' ROLL FOOTBALL...

FUNNY isn't it? You hardly get a decent mention for several decades and suddenly everyone's talking Leyton Orient. Arsenal fans are texting asking for tickets, the news media have woken up to our Olympic Stadium concerns, and I've now discovered that two chaps at indie-rock bible the NME are dedicated O's fans, having relocated from up north. I reckon we're now, officially, one of those 'fashionable' clubs you hear about.

I've often wondered whether we could trade on our location a bit, given that Leyton is only a stone's throw from trendy areas like Hoxton and Shoreditch, Stoke Newington and Dalston. The club have tried various schemes over the years to get local residents interested, but it's always tricky with several big sides on our doorstep (perhaps literally on our doorstep after 2012, unfortunately). I wonder if we can keep this current fashionable climate going, however.

I shouldn't really mention the NME as I actually work for a rival music magazine (called Clash, available in all good newsagents – well, not that I've checked) but our popularity there does suggest that Orient have a certain underground credibility, that could be worth tapping into.

I mentioned on this page last year that I'd been over to see a game at St Pauli, in Hamburg, which showed what can be done. They used to get regular crowds of under 2,000 before they changed the ethos of the club, took advantage of

their location near the famously rock 'n' roll Reeperbahn and became the world's coolest football club, with sell-out crowds of over 20,000 every week.

...you can still
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big rock concert...

I interviewed Norman 'Fatboy Slim' Cook a few weeks back and he was very familiar with St Pauli's famous skull-and-crossbones club crest, while also being a big shareholder at Brighton. "You look at St Pauli, we all had the stickers on our flight cases, but no-one knew much about the football," admitted Cook, "apart from that it's a cool team to support."

Now Orient wouldn't be able to recreate the full St Pauli effect: you can still drink alcohol and stand in Germany so games have an atmosphere like a big rock concert, which, let's be honest, is a bit hard to imagine on a matchday at Brisbane Road. There's certainly an underdog spirit at the O's though, as we take on the big boys on and off the pitch, and you can see how that might appeal to those who take a more leftfield, independent approach to their rock 'n' roll.

Music papers like the NME and die-hard indie fans generally were always notorious for championing bands while they were on the way up, then laying into them as soon as they sold some records and moved to a major label. Given that we're unlikely to be in the Premier League for, ooh, at least a couple of years yet, I reckon we're their perfect football team.

Admittedly, the last time I was in the Orient press box we spent most of half time talking about Chas and Dave...

Si Hawkins





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Date	Opponents	Res	Pos	Att	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Sat Aug 7	Yeovil Town	1-2	15	4,126 (344)																						
Tue Aug 10	Swindon Town CC1	2-1	-	4,450 (203)																						
Fri Aug 13	Charlton Athletic	1-3	22	5,535 (1,593)																						
Sat Aug 21	Southampton	1-1	21	21,468 (755)																						
Tue Aug 24	West Brom CC2	0-2	-	2,349 (626)																						
Sat Aug 28	Exeter City	3-0	15	4,145 (665)																						
Wed Sep 1	Brighton & HA JPT1	2-0	-	3,124 (84)																						
Sat Sep 4	Dag & Red	0-2	20	4,195 (1,199)																						
Sat Sep 11	Huddersfield Town	1-2	23	3,918 (603)																						
Sat Sep 18	Notts County	2-3	23	6,356 (452)																						
Fri Sep 24	Brentford	1-0	19	4,485 (912)																						
Tue Sep 28	Walsall	0-0	20	2,963 (114)																						
Sat Oct 2	Oldham Athletic	1-1	22	3,806 (144)																						
Tue Oct 5	Brentford JPT2	0-0*	-	1,152 (204)																						
Sat Oct 9	Sheffield Wednesday	0-1	23	17,445 (796)																						
Sat Oct 16	Hartlepool United	1-0	20	3,605 (201)																						
Sat Oct 23	Swindon Town	2-2	21	8,384 (375)																						
Sat Oct 30	Rochdale	2-1	18	4,880 (362)																						
Tue Nov 2	Colchester United	2-3	19	3,899 (693)																						
Sat Nov 6	Dag & Red FAC1	1-1	-	3,378 (1,176)																						
Sat Nov 13	Bristol Rovers	3-0	17	5,541 (282)																						
Tue Nov 16	Dag & Red FAC1r	3-2	-	2,901 (794)																						
Sat Nov 20	AFC Bournemouth	2-2	18	4,531 (1,003)																						
Tue Nov 23	Peterborough United	2-2	19	4,423 (351)																						
Mon Nov 29	Droylsden FAC2	1-1	-	1,762 (162)																						
Tue Dec 7	Droylsden FAC2r	8-2**	-	1,345 (69)																						
Sat Dec 11	Tranmere Rovers	2-1	16	4,291 (165)																						
Sat Jan 1	Brighton & HA	0-5	19	7,198 (212)																						
Mon Jan 3	Colchester United	4-2	18	4,339 (708)																						
Sat Jan 8	Norwich City FAC3	1-0	-	18,087 (2,125)																						
Sat Jan 15	Rochdale	1-1	18	2,731 (222)																						
Sat Jan 22	Sheffield Wednesday	4-0	17	6,449 (2,350)																						
Tue Jan 25	Milton Keynes Dons	2-2	16	3,131 (187)																						
Sat Jan 29	Swansea City FAC4	2-1	-	6,281 (678)																						
Tue Feb 1	Brighton & HA	0-0	15	5,872 (1,955)																						
Sat Feb 5	AFC Bournemouth	1-1	16	6,717 (405)																						
Tue Feb 8	Swindon Town	H																								
Sat Feb 12	Bristol Rovers	H																								
Tue Feb 15	Milton Keynes Dons	A																								
Sun Feb 20	Arsenal FACS	H 4.30pm																								
Sat Feb 26	Huddersfield Town	A																								
Tue Mar 1	Plymouth Argyle	H																								
Sat Mar 5	Notts County	H																								
Tue Mar 8	Walsall	A																								
Sat Mar 12	Oldham Athletic	H																								
Tue Mar 15	Hartlepool United	A																								
Sat Mar 19	Brentford	A																								
Sat Mar 26	Yeovil Town	H																								
Sat Apr 2	Charlton Athletic	A																								
Sat Apr 9	Southampton	H																								
Sat Apr 16	Exeter City	A																								
Sat Apr 23	Peterborough United	H																								
Mon Apr 25	Carlisle United	A																								
Sat Apr 30	Tranmere Rovers	H																								
Sat May 7	Plymouth Argyle	A																								
TBC	Carlisle United	H																								
TBC	Dag & Red	H																								

10/11 LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts
1. Brighton	27	9	4	0	28	9	6	4	4	20	12	27	53
2. Bournemouth	29	11	2	2	36	13	3	6	5	16	18	21	50
3. Huddersfield	28	9	3	3	24	12	6	1	6	24	21	15	49
4. Southampton	27	7	4	3	23	9	6	2	5	26	18	22	45
5. Charlton	26	7	3	3	16	15	5	5	3	27	20	8	44
6. Oldham	28	7	6	2	25	18	4	5	4	19	20	6	44
7. MK Dons	29	9	2	2	21	12	4	3	9	19	30	-2	44
8. Peterborough	27	10	2	3	45	32	3	2	7	15	23	5	43
9. Rochdale	27	4	6	2	19	15	5	5	5	18	17	5	38
10. Colchester	27	6	6	2	23	21	3	5	5	11	15	-2	38
11. Hartlepool	27	5	3	4	19	22	5	4	6	9	17	-11	37
12. Sheff Wed	27	6	5	3	22	13	4	1	8	21	24	6	36
13. Carlisle	26	6	5	4	25	18	3	3	5	12	13	6	35
14. Brentford	28	5	3	5	15	17	5	2	8	18	21	-5	35
15. Exeter	28	6	4	4	26	23	3	4	7	13	26	-10	35
16. Leyton Orient	26	6	4	2	21	12	2	6	6	18	25	2	34
17. Yeovil	28	5	2	6	15	18	4	4	7	14	23	-12	33
18. Plymouth	30	5	4	6	18	21	4	2	9	17	27	-13	33
19. Notts County	25	7	1	5	18	13	2	4	6	14	19	0	32
20. Swindon	29	5	6	5	17	19	2	4	7	23	29	-8	31
21. Tranmere	26	5	4	5	18	20	3	3	6	12	18	-8	31
22. Walsall	29	4	1	8	19	25	3	5	8	19	29	-16	27
23. Bristol Rovers	28	4	4	6	17	24	2	5	7	17	34	-24	27
24. Dag & Red	26	3	4	5	14	16	3	3	8	15	25	-12	25

ROLL CALL

Player	League		FA Cup		Lge Cup		JPT		O's Career		All-Time	
	A	G	A	G	A	G	A	G	A	S	G	
Jamie Jones	17	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	83	0
Elliot Omazusi	22	0	0	4	0	0	2	0	0	30	0	70
Michael Liddle*	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	23
Andy Frampton*	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	277
Andrew Whing	9	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	10	2	240
Ben Chorley	23	0	3	6	0	1	2	0	0	1	5	325
Aaron Brown	4	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	7	2
Terrell Forbes	22	0	2	6	0	0	2	0	0	32	0	2
Dean Cox	24	1	5	5	0	0	1	1	1	31	3	6
Stephen Dawson	20	1	1	4	1	0	2	0	0	2	0	28
Scott McGleish	16	5	7	4	2	6	1	1	0	120	18	41
Adam Chambers	15	3	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	172	12	16
Alex Revell	24	2	10	6	0	2	1	1	0	1	0	31
Lee Butcher	6	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	9	1	0
Charlie Daniels	22	1	0	6	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	124
Ryan Jarvis	3	5	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	75	34	19
George Porter	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Matthew Spring	25	0	2	6	0	0	1	1	0	0	34	1
Adrian Patulea*	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	20	3
Jason Crowe	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Jonathan Téhoué	3	12	4	2	4	3	1	1	0	12	29	9
Mike Castor	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	4
Jimmy Smith	16	5	2	6	0	2	2	0	0	79	12	6
Jake Argent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Harry Beauliyman	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Josh Millwood	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tom Lovelock	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
James Walker*	0	11	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	11	19
Tom Carroll	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Moses Odubajo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Paul-José Mpoku	6	8	1	3	2	1	0	0	1	0	10	10
Chris Benjamin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Harry Kane	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1
Jason Brown*	3	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0

* Player no longer with the club

COMING SOON

FOLLOWING tonight's game against Swindon Town, we return here again on **Saturday** when Bristol Rovers are the visitors.

When the two sides met earlier in the season at the Memorial Stadium we ended our 18-game wait for an away League win with a 3-0 success against the Pirates.

Dean Cox and Alex Revell scored before Rovers defender Carl Regan was sent off on 34 minutes and Revell wrapped things up with a third six minutes into the second half. Last Saturday Bristol Rovers were beaten 4-2 at home by League leaders Brighton and are currently 23rd in the table with 27 points from 28 games.

SAFETY INFORMATION

THE expertise and experience of safety stewards, police, doctors and members of the St John Ambulance are vital ingredients in the safety management of the Matchroom Stadium. However, the successful implementation of this plan depends to a very large extent on the cooperation of you the spectator.

Please contact a steward if you have any worries over a matter of safety, concerns about the behaviour of other supporters or if you need help with ticketing or finding your way around the stadium. As Stadium Manager I would like to draw your attention to a number of key issues.

FIRST AID

Should you require medical attention ask either the nearest steward or a member of the St John's Ambulance who are located throughout the ground.

PERSISTENT STANDING

The Matchroom Stadium is an all-seater stadium and standing during matches or other events is not permitted. Spectators should remain seated at all times and not obstruct the view of others.

LOST PROPERTY

Stewards will ensure that any lost property is taken to a secure storage location. If you wish to claim property you believe to be lost in the stadium please ask the nearest steward or telephone the club on 0871 310 1881.

FACILITIES FOR DISABLED SUPPORTERS

Viewing areas for wheelchair users and dedicated toilet facilities are available throughout the ground. Disabled toilets are located on each concourse and all have emergency alarms.

The club provides a dedicated steward whose sole responsibility is the welfare of our disabled supporters and he visits all disabled areas regularly throughout the course of an event.

PROHIBITED ITEMS

Leyton Orient has a legal obligation to deny entry to the stadium to anyone carrying cans, bottles, glasses or containers of any description. Other prohibited items are clearly displayed at each turnstile block.

Spectators bringing such items will have them confiscated and these cannot be returned – they are given up as a condition of entry.

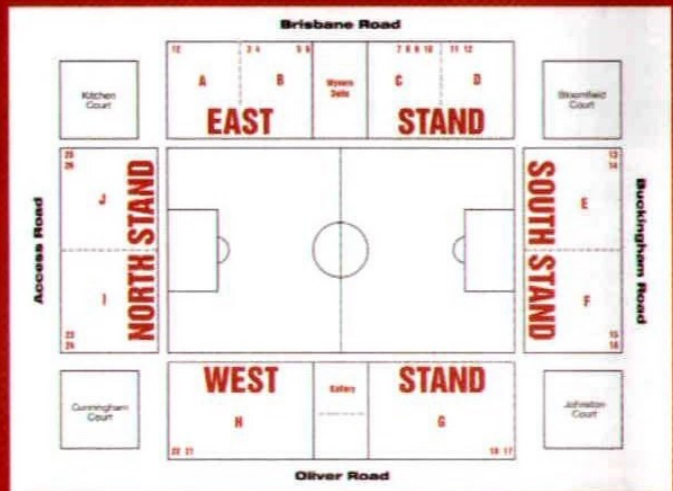
PLEASE DO NOT SMOKE

The Matchroom Stadium is a non-smoking venue. Spectators are requested not to smoke at any time in public areas and safety stewards are authorised to ask any person found smoking to leave the stadium.

LICENSED BARS/FOOD OUTLETS

There are many bars and food outlets open to the public here at the Matchroom Stadium.

For these outlets to operate safely and effectively it is critical that all



persons making use of them move away from the bar and counter area immediately after purchases have been made.

Supporters are reminded that it is a criminal offence to consume alcohol within sight of the pitch and any supporter attempting to carry alcohol into the stands faces possible ejection and arrest.

EMERGENCY EVACUATION

In the event of an emergency within the stadium which requires there to be any form of evacuation, a tannoy announcement preceded by an audible tone will be made.

Supporters should then follow the instructions given to them by the safety stewards and, in the event of an evacuation, should make their way to the nearest exit gate.

PLAYING SURFACE

Supporters are reminded that at no time are they permitted to enter the field of play. Any supporter who encroaches onto the pitch will be ejected from the ground and arrested.

I hope you enjoy your visit to the Matchroom Stadium.

SEATING

Whilst every effort is made to ensure you are provided with a clean undamaged seat for the event occasionally one may be overlooked. Should you have a problem please contact the nearest steward who will be happy to assist in either cleaning or arranging the repair of your seat.

MULTI-BALL

Leyton Orient Football Club are licensed by the Football League to operate a multi-ball system at its matches.

Would all supporters please support us in this endeavour and refrain from throwing balls directly onto the field of play and instead return them to the nearest ball boy situated around the pitch.

Chris Baker, Stadium Manager

PLEASE NOTE

If you witness any anti-social behaviour in the stadium, such as swearing or racism, please text 07776 228 298 to inform the Chief Safety Officer anonymously.

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Leyton Orient

Manager: Russell Slade
Colours: Red and White

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29. Harry KANE.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



Swindon Town

Manager: Danny Wilson
Colours: White and Blue

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1. David LUCAS.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Scott CUTHBERT.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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9. Vincent PERICARD.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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20. Thomas DOSSEVI.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
21. Alan SHEEHAN.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
22. Matt RITCHIE.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
23. Nathan THOMPSON.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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28. Mark SCOTT.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
31. Billy BODIN.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Next up

Leyton Orient v Bristol Rovers

Saturday February 12 2011
At the Matchroom Stadium
npower League 1
Kick-off 3pm

Officials

Referee: Dave Phillips
Assistant Referee: Adrian Summerode
Assistant Referee: Mark Scholes
Fourth Official: Wade Norcott

This week's fixtures

npower League 1

Tuesday February 8 2011

Leyton Orient v Swindon Town
Rochdale v Bristol Rovers

Saturday 12 February 2011

Brighton & Hove Albion v Hartlepool United
Charlton Athletic v Peterborough United
Colchester United v Swindon Town
Dagenham & Redbridge v Yeovil Town
Huddersfield Town v Oldham Athletic
Leyton Orient v Bristol Rovers
MK Dons v Brentford
Notts County v Exeter City
Plymouth Argyle v Tranmere Rovers
Rochdale v Sheffield Wednesday
Southampton v Carlisle United
Walsall v Bournemouth

Last Five Results

Leyton Orient

5/2/11 - AFC Bournemouth (a) D 1-1
1/2/11 - Brighton & HA (h) D 0-0
29/1/11 - Swansea City (a) W 2-1
25/1/11 - MK Dons (h) D 2-2
22/1/11 - Sheffield Wednesday (h) W 4-0

Swindon Town

5/2/11 - Rochdale (h) D 1-1
1/2/11 - AFC Bournemouth (a) L 2-3
29/1/11 - Exeter City (h) D 0-0
25/1/11 - Tranmere Rovers (h) D 0-0
22/1/11 - Bristol Rovers (a) L 1-3