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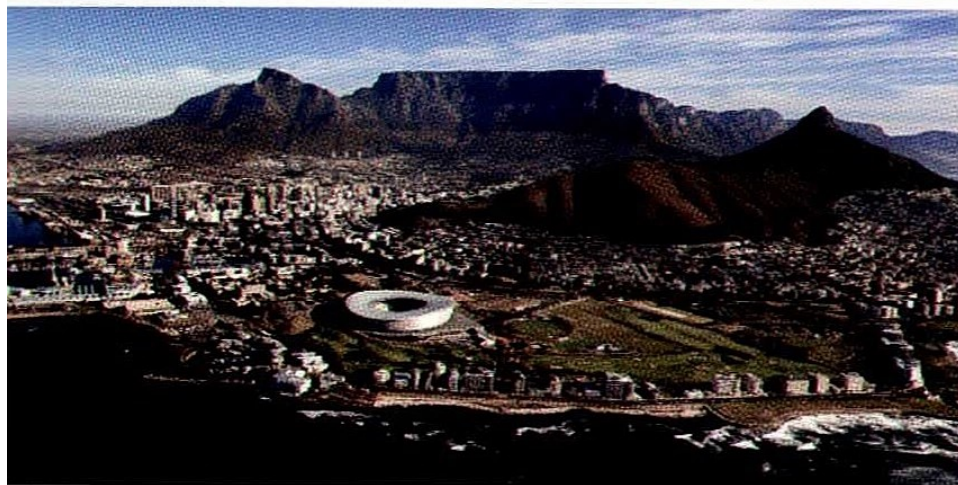
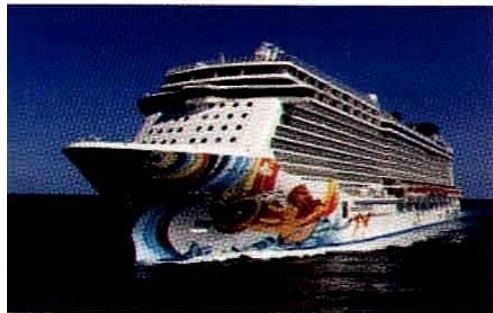
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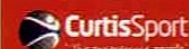
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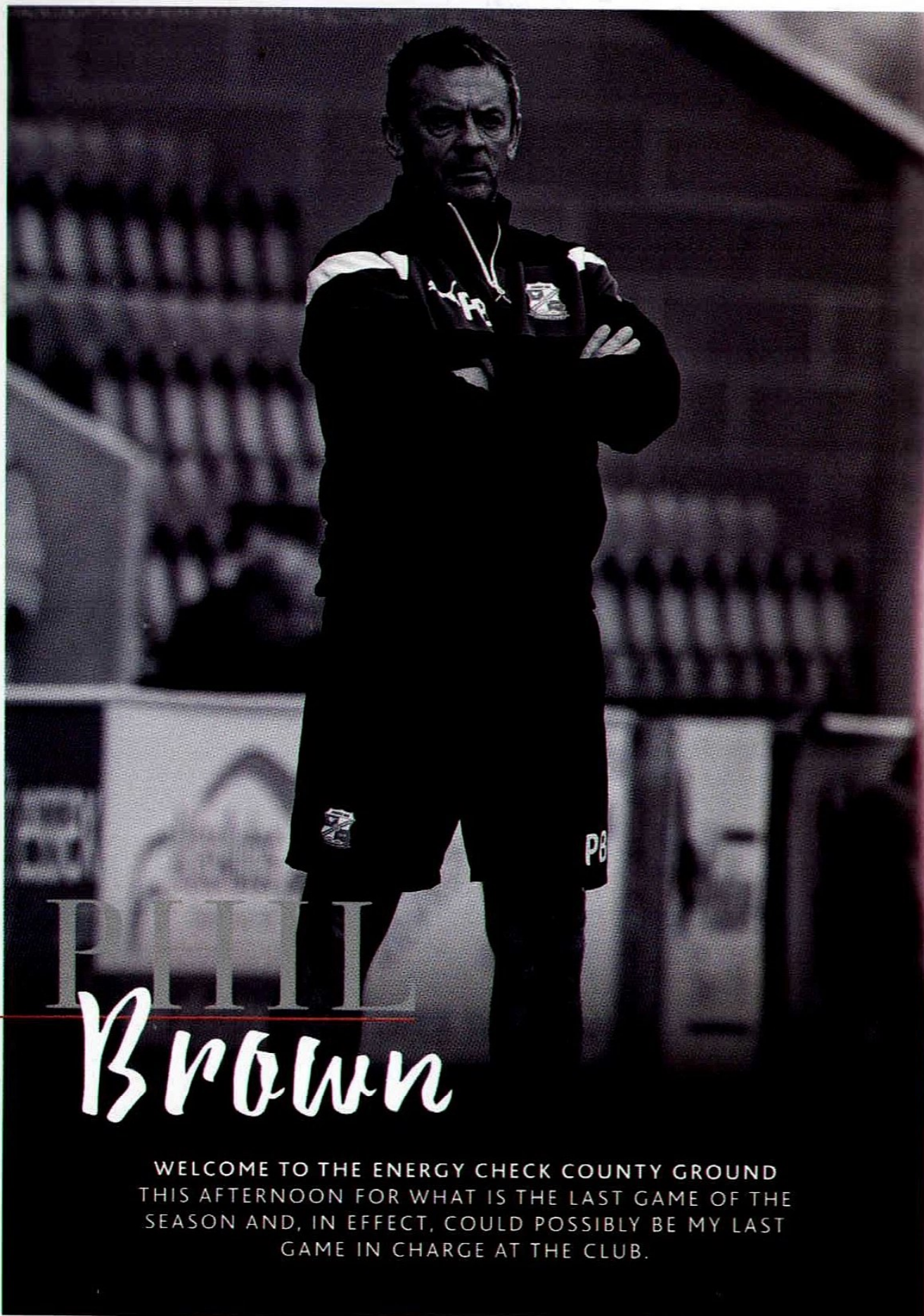
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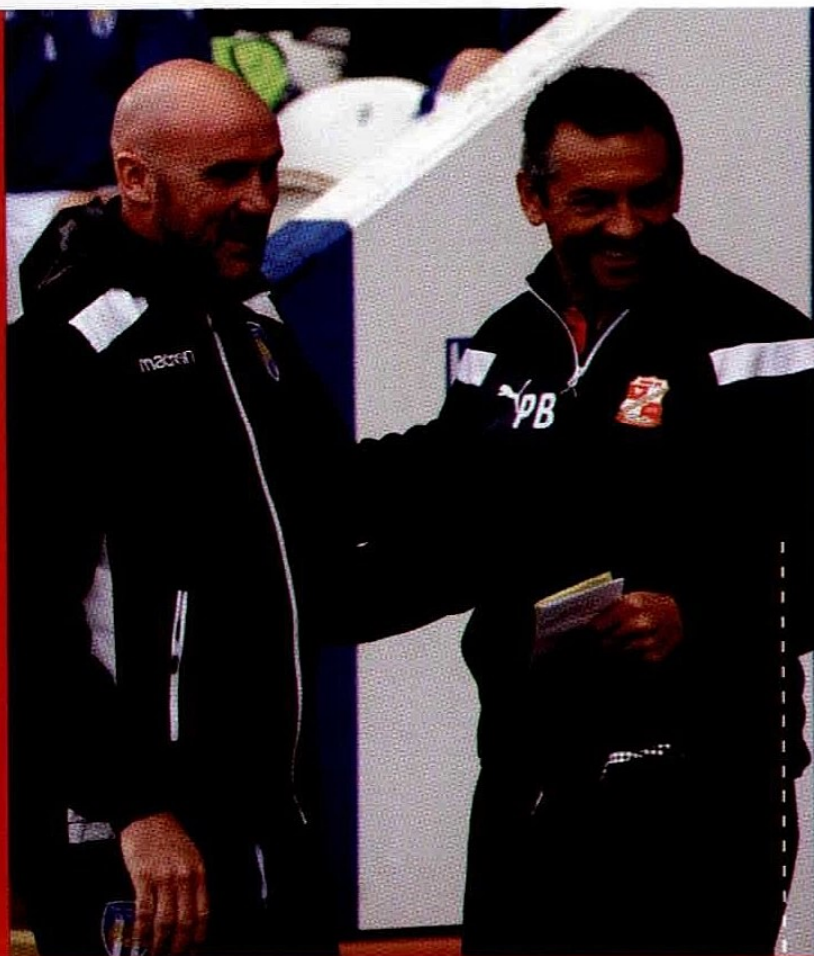
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All in all, I hope it isn't but I have to be realistic and understand that we are in the results business and having only won one, drawn five and lost three, I can only hope that the owner has seen sufficient changes around the place to give me an opportunity to get this club promoted next season.

The main key factor surrounding the club is the infrastructure and the recruitment policy, and to affect that in ten games without a transfer window is close to impossible but myself and Brian Horton have imprinted ourselves on the team, that is Swindon Town, but ultimately not been able to change the personnel to suite our personalities.

Our qualities have always been hard work, respect and punctuality which ultimately gets the professionalism to gain success in this game and, to be brutally honest, we've been disappointed in the individuals we've worked with. That's not of course everybody but, if given the opportunity, the people who are with us next season in the main will be the ones to wear the shirts with pride. We need people who care and people who understand what is required. If you don't have these qualities in life then regardless of what profession you are involved in... forget it!

A fantastic example of what I am talking about is in town today and we congratulate John Coleman, his team and the board of directors for a remarkable achievement. We salute you as champions and hopefully will do you proud by giving you a game today. We also welcome your supporters and we wish you all a safe journey home and look forward to seeing Accrington Stanley competing in Division One next year.



I personally voted for John Coleman to be the LMA Manager of the Year ahead of Pep Guardiola and I'll certainly be paying for his beer on the night of the awards if he wins it.

Today I would like to thank all of our supporters for getting behind the team during mine and Brian's short tenure and we will hopefully see you all next season.

I would also like to thank the loan players, Ollie Banks, Kellan Gordon, Timi Elsnik, Chris Hussey and Rollin Menayese for their support during my time at the club and wish them well for the future.

**Yours in Sport
Phil Brown.**

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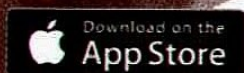


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Good Afternoon and a warm welcome back to The Energy Check County Ground for the final time this season.



"I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the supporters that have taken the time to watch Swindon Town both home and away this season."

Firstly, I would like to congratulate Accrington Stanley on winning the EFL Sky Bet League Two following what was a superb season. It is a great achievement for them and thoroughly deserved after 46 games. I would like to wish them all the best for next season in League One. At the same time, we would like to welcome the management, players, directors and fans from Accrington for today's game.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the supporters that have taken the time to watch Swindon Town both home and away this season. The away support in particular has been phenomenal and I am positive this was a contributing factor to the run we had in

the latter part of 2017. Aside from the fans I would like to thank all of our sponsors for their continued support this season and we look forward to working with you again next year.

I think it is fair to say that this season has not turned out the way the Chairman envisaged. Back in the summer every effort went into building a squad that was capable of competing for promotion as that was the task that was set for the manager at the time. As a result, all player recruitment and footballing matters were handed over to the football management team to ensure that they were given the best opportunity to achieve the targets that they were set with.

Unfortunately, the team did not quite achieve the task set

which has resulted in another season in the Sky Bet League Two. I would like to personally thank Phil Brown and Brian Horton for their efforts in the final ten games of the season. They inherited a squad that wasn't theirs and that, coupled with the endless injury list, made the task more difficult than they had first imagined. We will be sitting down with Phil once the season has concluded to see how both parties feel with regards to the 2018/19 season and beyond.

I would like to finish by wishing you all a good summer and I hope you come back fresh and revitalised for an exciting 2018/19 season at The Energy Check County Ground.

Steve Anderson,
Chief Executive.




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Another season is nearly ready to go into the record books with the 2017/18 Sky Bet League Two campaign coming to a close after today's clash against Accrington Stanley.

The season hasn't gone as hoped with the team falling short of our minimum aim to get into the Play-Offs, with preparations now underway to ensure that we can mount a promotion push next season.

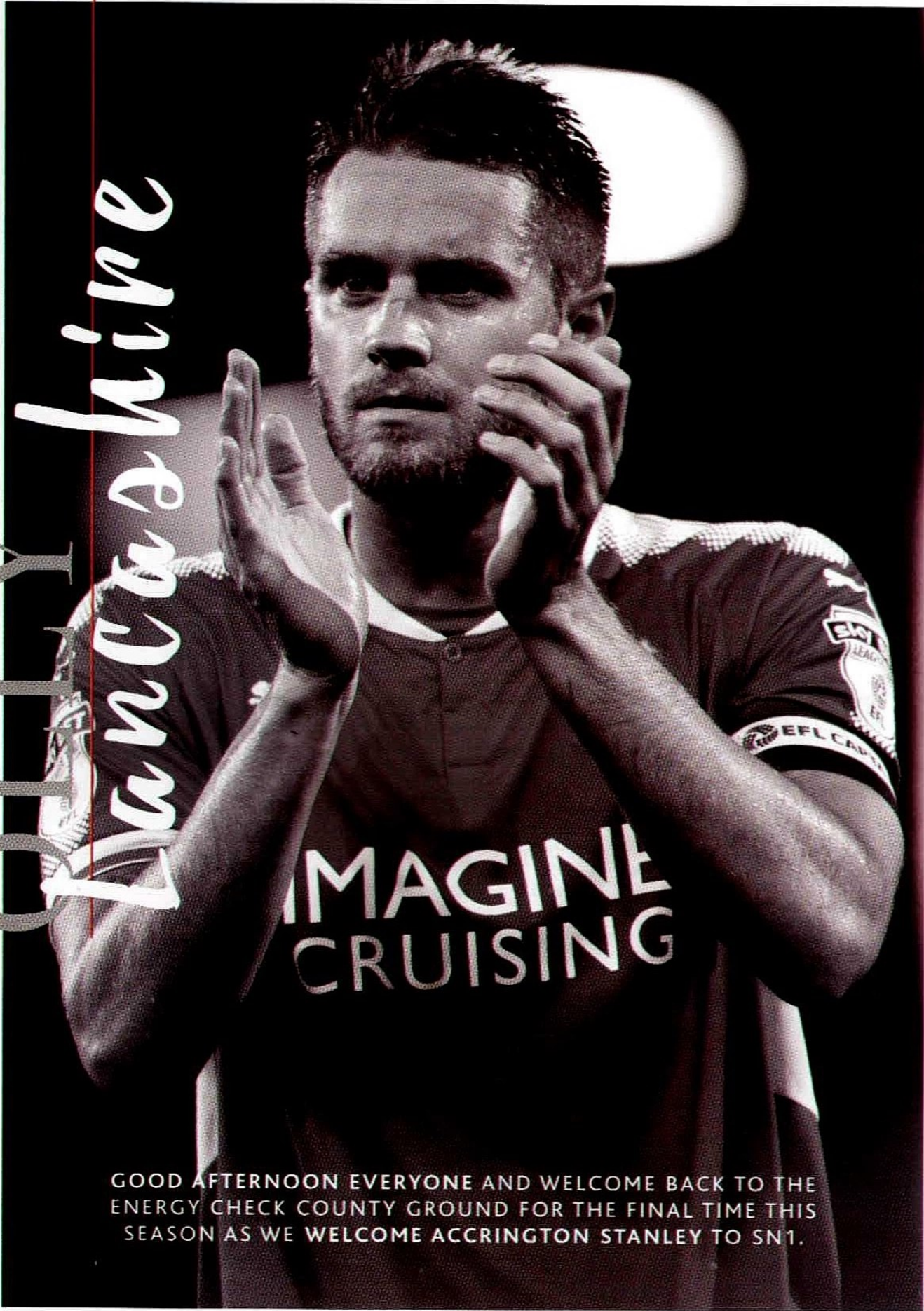
On behalf of everyone at Swindon Town Football Club, we would like to thank every single one of you for your outstanding support both home and away and on and off the field throughout this season.

We look forward to seeing you all back here in August.

Have a great summer!



OLLY DanCoshire



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It is very disappointing and very frustrating to know that our season will end today after missing out on the Play-Offs. We had an opportunity this year to get ourselves in the top seven at least and, for one reason or another, it hasn't happened and it is important that we all learn from our mistakes. We need to come back raring to go for next season.

Every game you play in as a professional you want to go out there and do your best to try and win the game. Everyone has their own issues at the end of the season in terms of contracts running out, so everyone is looking to put on a good performance and win the game. Today will be a tough game and it is a good one to finish on. Hopefully we can use it as a springboard for next season.

I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate Accrington Stanley who arrive here today as the Sky Bet League Two Champions. Accrington have deserved it after 46-games and from the outside looking in their success

looks to be based on hard work and togetherness, which can take you a long way and Accrington have proved that. We can learn a lot from our opponents today.

I would like to finish by saying on behalf of all the lads a huge thank you for your support this season. It has been an up and down year but you've been with us the whole way and the support has been fantastic. To play for you has been a pleasure, especially the support away from home where we've turned some away games into home games. You are our twelfth man and hopefully you can stick with us as we look to go again next season.

Enjoy the game today and have a good summer.

Olly Lancashire, Captain.

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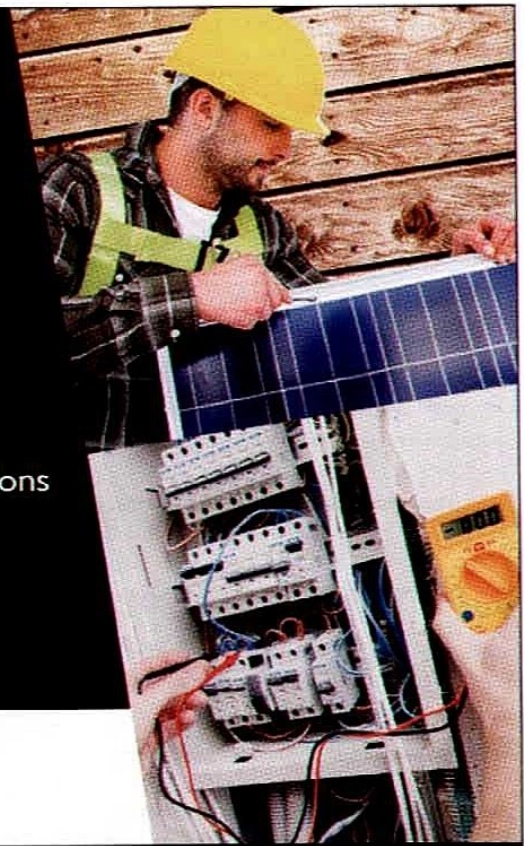
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'The Club That Wouldn't Die' will arrive in Wiltshire today as the proud new Sky Bet League Two Champions following a stunning 2017/18 campaign.

It has been a memorable season for all associated with Accrington who mounted a relentless assault on promotion from Christmas onwards to capture the League Two crown last month in emphatic style. With a limited budget, Stanley have far surpassed their own expectations and will now look forward to life in League One next season.

Accrington's success has been very much a team effort but the form of key striker Billy Kee has played a huge role in their march to the Title, with the forward helping himself to 25 goals so far this season. And another goal or two this afternoon would likely be enough to crown him League Two's leading scorer for the 2017/18 season.

The last meeting between these two sides came back in February 2018 with a Marc Richards penalty not enough to prevent Town from falling to a 2-1 defeat at The Wham Stadium.

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THE MANAGER

JOHN COLEMAN

John Coleman returned to Accrington Stanley for his second spell as manager in September 2014 following a spell away from the club.

Coleman's first spell at Accrington Stanley saw him become the club's most successful and long serving manager as he returned the Reds to the Football League by winning the Conference title.

The prolific non-league goalscorer joined the club as player/manager after a successful spell at Ashton United in 1999, leading Stanley to the Unibond First Division title at the first time of asking.

The Premier Division title, numerous cups and ultimately promotion to the Football League followed in 2006. Each season in League Two he improved the club's finish, culminating in a highest position since the 1950's of fifth in 2011 followed by a play-off semi-final defeat to Stevenage.

He left the club to join Rochdale in 2012 but after a year at Spotland and spells with Southport and Sligo Rovers he returned as Stanley manager in September 2014.

In his first full season back with the Reds he led the side to the brink of promotion, claiming a fourth placed finish in League Two before losing out to AFC Wimbledon in the play-offs.

The Reds finished 13th in the 2016/17 season after a 15-game unbeaten run and the start of 2017 took them from the relegation battle towards the promotion places.

And Coleman has led Stanley to even greater heights this season with the club sweeping all before them to storm to the Sky Bet League Two Title in emphatic fashion.

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PLAYER PROFILES



01

AARON CHAPMAN



Chapman is now in a second spell with Stanley after an earlier loan period was curtailed by a serious injury. He returned in the summer of 2016 having been released by Chesterfield. Chapman began in non-league football with Belper and soon drew attention from league clubs, ultimately moving to the Proact Stadium before joining the Reds on loan. The 6 foot 8 custodian is now in his second full season with the Reds.

02

JIMMY DUNNE



Irish central defender, Jimmy Dunne, joined Stanley on loan from Burnley in January 2018, and made his Football League debut two days later as a second-half substitute in a 4-0 win over Chesterfield. Dunne was on the books at Manchester United as a youngster, before signing professional terms at Turf Moor. He spent the early part of 2017/18 on loan at National League side Barrow, making 21 appearances and scoring two goals, before moving to the Reds for his first taste of the EFL.

03

MARK HUGHES



Hughes had a brief loan spell at Stanley in 2013 and returned in January 2016 on a permanent deal after leaving Stevenage. The former Everton trainee has well over 200 appearances at Football League level under his belt and also had a spell playing in Australia. He's well known to manager John Coleman and assistant Jimmy Bell having grown up in the same part of Merseyside as the pair. Hughes signed a contract extension in July 2017 to keep him at the club until 2019.

04

JANOI DONACIEN

Versatile defender who arrived at Stanley on a short term deal on the eve of the 16/17 season starting having been released by Aston Villa. He was born in St Lucia and joined Luton as a youngster before spending time with Tottenham and ultimately Villa and has League Two experience from loans at Tranmere, Wycombe and Newport. After representing his country at under 19 and under 21 level he was handed a senior cap against Trinidad and Tobago in 2006. He signed a new deal in summer of 2017 to keep him at the club until 2019.



06

**LIAM NOLAN**

Nolan is a former Northern Ireland Under 21 international joined Stanley from non-league Southport where he had been playing part-time. The midfielder had previously played in the league with Crewe, after spending two years in their academy and signed a one-year contract with the option of a further year. Has played a role in Accrington's march to the League Two Title this season.

07

**JORDAN CLARK**

The attacking midfielder started his career at home town club Barnsley, moving to Shrewsbury in 2014. He scored three goals in his first season as they were promoted from League Two and made 26 appearances for the League One side last season. Joined Stanley in the week leading up to the 2016/17 season after leaving the Greenhous Meadow and signed a new contract in the summer of 2017, keeping him at the club until 2019.

08

SCOTT BROWN

The experienced midfielder was snapped up by John Coleman following his release by National League side Grimsby Town in the January 2016 transfer window. He'd worked with the Stanley boss before during a spell at Southport that saw him wear the captain's armband. Injuries presented Brown with his first team chance as the season drew to a close and he grasped it, going on to become a pivotal part of the side as the Reds made the League Two play-offs in 2016/17. He has also played an instrumental role in Accrington's success this term.



10

KAYDEN JACKSON

The speedy frontman, who was once on the books at SN1, signed for Stanley for an undisclosed fee in July 2017 and scored on his debut against Colchester in a 3-1 opening day win. Jackson also scored for Oxford City, Swindon Supermarine and Grimsby during loan spells when making his first appearances for the clubs. The striker has been a key player this term with his sixteen goals helping fire Stanley to the League Two Title.



11

SEAN MCCONVILLE

McConville, who signed for Stanley originally in 2009, was part of the team who led Stanley to the League Two Play-Off Semi-finals in 2011 and his goals proved vital that season. The wideman subsequently moved onto Stockport, linked up with John Coleman at Rochdale, before joining Barrow in 2012 and spent time with Stalybridge and Chester. Having been player of the season at the Deva Stadium he returned to Stanley in 2015, chalking up regular starts to take him beyond 100 appearances for the club. During 2016/17 season McConville notched 17 assists as Stanley challenged for promotion, he was rewarded with a new contract in the summer keeping him at the club until 2019. McConville has contributed thirteen goals and eleven assists this season to help fire Accrington towards promotion.



29

BILLY KEE

Northern Ireland striker returned for a second spell with Stanley last season to become a key member of the team. His first taste of league football came with the Reds in a loan spell from Leicester City in 2009, followed by permanent spells with Torquay and Burton Albion that saw him cement a reputation as a dangerous lower league goal scorer. His form brought a move to Scunthorpe but after a frustrating spell there he returned to the Wham Stadium, finding the net 17 times in 2015/16 as he led the Stanley line to great effect. Kee scored 15 times during the 2016/17 season as Stanley pushed for promotion and he leads League Two in scoring this term with 25 goals.



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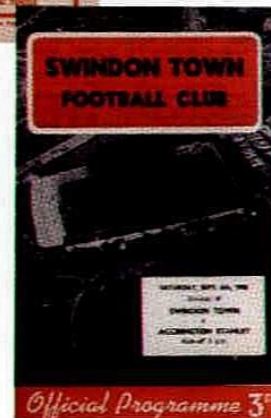
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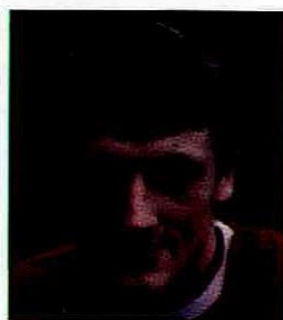
A BOOT IN BOTH CAMPS

11 PLAYERS WHO HAVE SERVED **BOTH CLUBS**



PAUL CRICHTON

Paul's playing career stretched nearly 25 years and encompassed 18 League clubs. Lou Macari signed the then 19-year old on loan from Forest on Christmas Eve 1987 and he made his debut in a win at Reading on Boxing Day, helping Town to ten points in his four games. Paul did not arrive at Accrington until late 2004, when they were in the Conference National. He spent a few weeks back in Swindon as goalkeeping coach in the summer of 2016. STFC 4 apps / ASFC 19



TONY GRANT

A loan signing from manager Steve McMahon's former club Everton in January 1996, Tony had made his Premier League debut there a year earlier. He netted on his Swindon debut in a 3-0 home win over Hull City, Town also taking maximum points from his other two appearances. Tony joined Accrington in League Two in January 2007 but moved again in the close season to assist his final League club Chester City. STFC 3 apps / ASFC 6



VINCE JACK

A 6'4" centre-half from Ross and Cromarty, Vince was one of Bert Head's first recruits for Town - £1,150 from his former club Bury. The day after signing, in October 1956, he replaced fellow Scot Frank Whyte for a trip to The Dell. But he was consigned to the reserves for the entire 1957/58 season when 'Garth' Hudson was ever-present. Vince returned to Lancashire to join Stanley on a free in July 1959, later emigrating to New South Wales. STFC 28 apps / ASFC 23

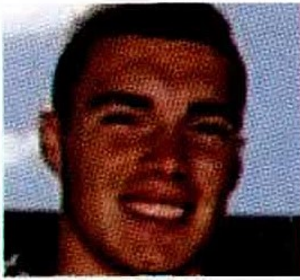
PERCY BROOKE

Signed by Sam Allen from Town's Third Division South rivals Aberdare Athletic a week before the 1926/27 season commenced, Percy provided cover at right-back. After he replaced Harry O'Neill following a 9-3 humbling at Brighton, first choice Wally Dickinson was declared fit and Percy had to wait until April for a further chance. Percy joined Stanley in July 1927, but only played in the opening two games before losing his place. STFC 3 apps / ASFC 2



SID SWINDEN

Following six years at The Hawthorns, during which he had made just four League appearances, Sid came to the County Ground in the summer of 1937. Forging a full-back partnership with Jack Smith, Sid held his place until a knee injury intervened in the November. He returned to the line-up in March following the sale of Smith to Chelsea. Sid left for Peel Park in July 1939, the clubs agreeing a £40 fee - which was never paid due to the onset of War. STFC 37 app / ASFC 21



LLOYD JONES

Another big centre-back, Lloyd joined Liverpool from his home town club Plymouth where he had been since the age of ten. After making his League debut while at Cheltenham during a six-week loan in January 2015, he spent the remainder of the season with Accrington. He joined Town on a season-long loan the day before action commenced in August 2016, but a hip injury kept him out for October and he only made the bench after February. STFC 29 apps / ASFC 11



ARTHUR METCALF

Small in stature at 5'5", Arthur played his early football in his native north-east. He joined Liverpool in 1912, netting nearly seventy goals there in 150 games. Town signed him from Stockport in June 1920 but he found the target just seven times during his two years at the County Ground. Arthur's next stop was Stanley where he was top scorer in 1922/23 with 18 goals before he returned to the Third South with Aberdare. STFC 31 apps / ASFC 31



JACK BURKINSHAW

Signed from Midland League Rotherham Town in early May, Jack made his Swindon debut 108 years ago today - providing Harold Fleming with two 'assists' as his goals won the Dubonnet Cup in Paris. But Jack could manage no more than 19 goals during his three-year stay at the County Ground. By 1921, when he joined his last League club Accrington, he had moved back to wing-half. Today is also the anniversary of his death in 1947, at just 56. STFC 56 apps / ASFC 32



JOE EDDLESTON

After failing to make the grade at Blackburn, Joe - another 5'5" forward - spent five years in the Third Division North, where he hit 100 goals for Nelson. Sam Allen brought him to Swindon in August 1926 to play alongside fellow new boy Harry Morris, Joe contributing 66 goals to an impressive total of 282 that the pair grabbed up to the end of 1931/32. By then, Joe was 35 and given a free transfer to return to his native Lancashire and join Stanley. STFC 219 apps / ASFC 41



WILLIE MILLAR

A Scot, Willie began his career in his native Ayrshire in 1941 but his first move south of the border was to Swindon in August 1950. In the following March he netted both goals in Town's first ever floodlit game against Bristol City and his name was headline news in February 1952 when he grabbed the winner in an F.A. Cup Fourth Round replay win at Stoke. Willie joined the Gills in 1953 before spending the 1956/57 season at Peel Park. STFC 82 apps / ASFC 26



JIMMY THOMPSON

Oldham-born Jimmy started his career during the Great War and made history in August 1921 when he hit a hat-trick in the first game of Stalybridge Celtic's brief stay in the Football League. He signed for Accrington in 1924, playing in every game that season and netting eight goals. Jimmy arrived at the County Ground in June 1925 as left-wing cover for Bertie Davies but scored just once, in a crushing 8-2 win over Bourmoumouth in January 1926. STFC 9 apps / ASFC 46



ARNOLD DARCY

(seen here in action for Town in December 1957); began his League career at Accrington in March 1952. He made 40 appearances, scoring nine goals, at Peel Park before joining the then Lancashire League side Wigan Athletic in the summer of 1953. Arnold moved to Swindon in November 1956 and in September 1958 he scored Town's only goal in a 2-1 home defeat by Stanley.



OTHERS WHO SERVED BOTH CLUBS (EXCLUDING CURRENT STAFF):

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GOOD AFTERNOON EVERYONE AND A WARM WELCOME BACK TO OUR FINAL GAME OF THE 2017/18 SEASON AT THE ENERGY CHECK COUNTY GROUND AS WE WELCOME THE CHAMPIONS ACCRINGTON STANLEY TO TOWN - HOPEFULLY BY THIS TIME NEXT SEASON WE WILL BE THE ONES BEING CONGRATULATED ON PROMOTION.

The Commercial Department goes into overdrive even though the season has come to an end. At this time it is paramount that we continue to promote the club and the commercial packages that it has to offer. We will be booking a series of meetings engaging with our current partners and advertisers but we have also conducted internal meetings with ideas to attract new business. We are the only professional football club in Wiltshire with an attractive fanbase, we also have a monumental following on all of our social media channels and we have a great platform to promote any business large or small. The packages that we offer start from as little as £500 plus VAT, which is a great entry-level and we would encourage business owners to make contact with us for a tour of the ground to assess the options and to partner up with us for the new season. A new season which will be full of optimism.

We still continue to promote free superfast broadband to our supporters. This is in conjunction with our partners, Relish Broadband who we have been actively and creatively working with on this joint promotion. Please visit relish.net/freebroadband to check out the T&C's and you must be in the coverage area. We have held talks with Relish Broadband and are currently negotiating a new commercial deal which will commit them to further support of the football club to the end of season

2018/19, so we encourage all of our fans to support our commercial sponsors the way they support us. We also in the last few days have met to finalise details with Better Leisure Centres with a view for a season-long extension of naming rights of the iconic Town End. As we have engaged with Relish, Better also like our creative approach with engagement of the fanbase, so look out for competitions and social media engagement in the coming weeks. Better will also sponsor our email marketing campaigns and will continue to sponsor our Junior Reds.

We have seen great numbers across the hospitality floor throughout this season and would like to thank all those that have booked packages with us. Your support has been incredible. We would of naturally liked to have capped today off with a promotion as the ultimate thank you, but that will have to wait until next season where your support will be just as vital as it has been for this campaign. We will be sitting down with the key stakeholders very early next week to discuss what next season looks like in terms of the individual packages and pricing for our suites. This will include all executive season ticket details so please watch this space and your continued backing for the cause is always very much appreciated and essential for our long-term success. We thank you for your patience.

On to today we welcome long-term sponsors and good friends Dave

Cobb Transport LTD. Dave Cobb has supported us commercially for the past five seasons and is a fine example of a committed, loyal partner. Another sponsor who have also been supporting us with with a comprehensive package for the past five seasons is PrePay Solutions, who are the Matchball Sponsors today. PrePay very recently extended their deal to the end of next season. Thank you very much for this. Next in line is the Bowler Party, led by John and Mark Bowler. This is a group of fans who, on top of their season ticket commitment, like to support the club with sponsorships and have done so across this last decade. Last but by no means least, and new to proceedings today, is D&G Energy Solutions who join us as the Talk of the Town sponsor.

Finally, a massive thank you to all our Executive Season Ticket holders, sponsors, partners, staff both full-time, part-time and voluntary, for all of your commitment and hard work. Have a great summer and we'll see you soon.

COME ON YOU REDS!

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GRIMSBY TOWN







MATTY *Taylor*

IT HAS BEEN A STELLAR SEASON FOR MATTY TAYLOR ON A PERSONAL LEVEL WITH THE FORMER PREMIER LEAGUE STAR A FIRM FANS' FAVOURITE AT SN1. THE 36-YEAR-OLD SAT DOWN WITH RED REVIEW LAST WEEK TO OFFER HIS HONEST THOUGHTS ON THE SEASON AS A WHOLE...

IN-DEPTH WITH...

Honesty and dealing in facts is something Matty Taylor has prided himself on both throughout his career and during his time in Wiltshire.

Never one to try to paper over the cracks or gloss over things when they don't need to be, the 36-year-old can always be relied upon to deliver the hard, honest truth.

So it was no surprise when we sat down with the defender for a look back at the events of the last couple of weeks that he again pulled no punches when assessing our failure to reach the Sky Bet League Two Play-Offs.

"I don't think it was an accumulation of feelings, for me personally it was just sheer disappointment," Taylor told swindontownfc.co.uk exclusively.

"Our performances this season haven't been good enough and that, coupled with the lack of consistency this year as a whole, ultimately cost us our minimum goal of reaching the Play-Offs.

"Everybody in the camp is feeling quite down at the moment, which is understandable, but we've got one football game left to play so that is what we are looking at and focussing on now."

And Taylor went on to stress the importance of finishing the 2017/18 campaign on a high in order to carry some momentum over into next season.



17/18 STATS...

GAMES PLAYED ----- 37

STARTS ----- 33

MINUTES PLAYED ----- 3040

GOALS --- 07

ASSISTS ----- 12



"The focus has to be on getting a positive result from today's game and finishing this season on a high in order to try and carry some momentum into next year," he added.

"Today is very important for us because as a football club we've got an opportunity to pick up three points and finish as high up the table as possible.

"For me personally, I'll be doing everything I can to try and win this game and I would like to think that all of my team-mates, and I'm sure that they will be, will be acting in the same manner." The momentum into next season is a big one because it has been disappointing this year for us considering that the expectation at the start of the term was for us to get promotion.

"We've fallen short, we're all aware of that so now the remaining fixture is one we have to try and win and perform well in.

"I would suggest that there will be changes at this football club over the summer in terms of players and personnel, and there are a lot of lads who are out of contract so they are playing for their futures at the football club.

"If that is not enough drive and determination to go out and do your all then I don't know what is but, from a personal point of view, I would love us to finish on a high and get a positive result in the last game of the season.

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There was plenty of excitement when it was announced that Matty Taylor had chosen SN1 as his next destination back in August 2017.

After all, this was a player who had plied his trade at the highest level in English football with the likes of Portsmouth, Bolton Wanderers and West Ham United.

Having carved out a memorable career in the Premier League, Taylor arrived at The Energy Check County Ground still harbouring a hunger coupled with a burning desire to add another promotion to his CV.

Although any team success has eluded him in 2017/18, it has been a superb campaign on a personal level for Taylor who has racked up seven goals and twelve assists.

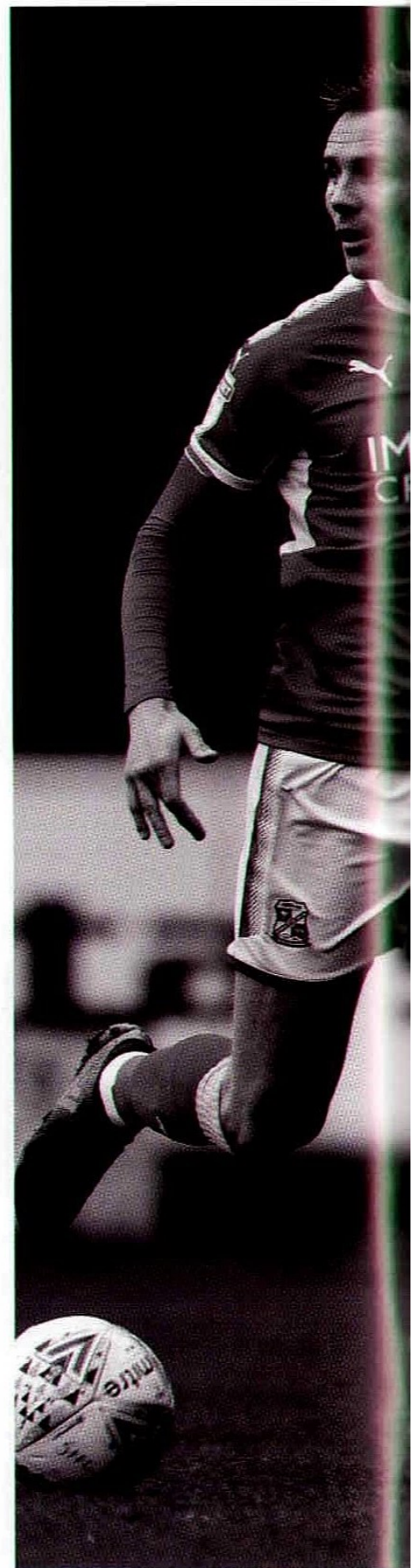
His wizardry from set-pieces is still a weapon capable of hurting any team, as proven with THAT sublime free-kick against Wycombe Wanderers in February 2018.

Taylor has also become a firm fans' favourite during his short time in Wiltshire, with his passion, work-rate and desire for Swindon to succeed earning him more than a few friends and admirers.

His stock only continued to rise after he stepped into the fold following Dave Flitcroft's shock departure in March, and although his sole game in caretaker charge didn't pan out the way he would have liked, many were left impressed with the way Taylor dedicated himself to the role.

Come to any Town game now and you can guarantee that a rendition of 'There's only one Matty Taylor' will break out, perhaps perfectly demonstrating the bond that has been built between fans and player.

And that support is something Taylor has taken to his heart, with the defender taking time in an exclusive interview with swindontownfc.co.uk to praise the relationship he shares with the Town faithful.



"The aim for me when I first arrived here was to get into the team because I left League One football for a reason and that was to come play football," he said.

"I have really enjoyed myself this season.

"It has been very frustrating at times because we haven't picked up the results that we would have wanted to or that we should have, but personally I have really enjoyed it.

"I have loved playing for Swindon Town Football Club.

"I would like to think that the majority of the fans would probably know that from the effort and determination that I put into my performances.

"I have loved playing every minute of this season and hopefully there will be some more minutes in the final fixture.

"The relationship I've built with the fans has been really enjoyable for me, especially at my age because I think football fans want to see their players give 100% effort and that is a given from me.

"That is probably one of the reasons why we have a very good relationship.

"I've hit it off with the fans and I've really enjoyed it and I have to thank them, not just for their support towards me but their support towards the team because there were times this season where they could have really turned against us, and I would suggest at other football clubs they would have.

"They stuck with us this year and I would urge them and ask every single one of them to come back and support us next season on our promotion charge."



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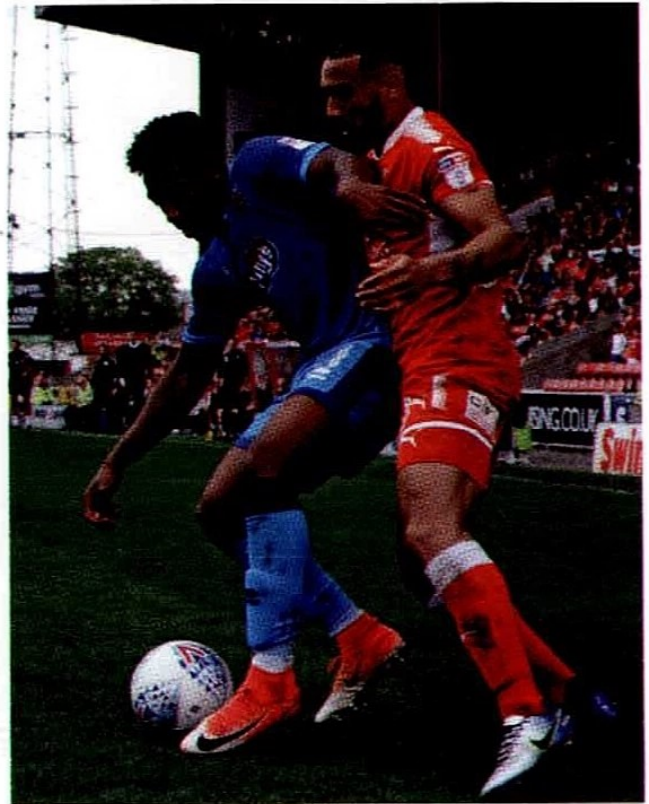
GRIMSBY TOWN

Scorer: Mitch Rose (45)



Subs: McSheffrey, Dembele, (Jamilie Matt 72), (Ben Davies 72), Killip, Jackson, (Easah Sulliman 85)

Booked: Reece Hall-Johnson, Mitch Rose



Message Board



RICHARD SMITH

Dad has been a season ticket holder for over 60 years. We sit in the Don Rodgers stand. His first game that he can recall was Sheffield Wednesday away. He used to travel to home & away game's with his good friends Bill Emery & Pavel Lewkowich, of which on away games they would leave early as Bill would always want to go into a bookies to place a bet on the horses. Dad has seen many ups & downs during the years of which his most memorable would be going to Wembley for the 69 cup final. Also he was at the Sunderland & Leicester play off finals too. He also remembers when first going to the County Ground that they used to sit on railway sleepers around the ground as there was no stands at that time. It is with regret that he can no longer be a season ticket holder due to his age now, but I know he will listen to the commentary on the radio & still maybe turn up for the odd game or two. What a loyal supporter he has been.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY JOSHUA STRANGE

Joshua has been following Swindon since he was 2 & 1/2 Years Old. Josh is currently at Cheltenham Town FC doing a BTech scholarship. His favourite Town players to date are Matt Ritchie, David Lucas & Simon Cox. His favourite Town moment thus far is being promoted with Paolo Di Canio as the Manager.



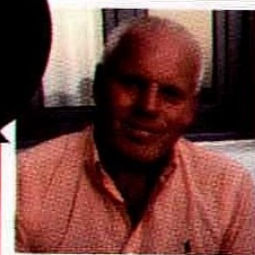
HAPPY 50TH BIRTHDAY TRACY CARTER!

Love from Andy, Hannah, Emma and Nathan x



HAPPY BIRTHDAY HELEN SMITH FOR 14TH MAY

Helen is a Season ticket holder in Don Rodgers stand. Love from Ben, James, Mum, Nan, Ali, Lucas and Vicky.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY MARTIN FOLLETT

Happy 50th birthday daddy! We love and appreciate you, enjoy the game! Love hollie and Louis xxx



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy Birthday to our very own Head of Commercial & Marketing, Adam Wainwright. From all of your friends and colleagues, have a great day!



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy Birthday to Football In The Community's James Sims, who celebrates his 21st birthday on May 9th. On behalf of everyone at STFC, have a great day James!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO VICKY GALLON

Hope you have a great day. Lots of love from Helen, Ben and James x



HAPPY 7TH BIRTHDAY TO JOSHUA FISHER

Lots of love Mummy, Daddy and Faye

THANK YOU

We would like to thank the following four ball boys for their fantastic service, with the youngsters all having their last game today.

LIAM HARTLEY | JACK WESTLAKE | TOM DEARSLEY | DECLAN COOK

The four have given 14 years of service between them, with Liam covering 165 games over the last six years.

Thanks for everything boys!



MANY CONGRATULATIONS TO SIMON GRIEVES, WHO IS SOON TO TIE THE KNOT!

Simon is joined today with Terry Poole his best man (who has organised today) and Simons friends and family. They join us in the Robins Suite to watch the match in style! Terry, and all that know Simon would like to wish him all the very best for his future upcoming marriage to Becky White. Have a great day with us.



HAPPY 10TH BIRTHDAY ISOBEL REEVES

Enjoy the game today, Lots of Love from Mummy, Evie & all your family xx



WELCOME BACK TO THE ENERGY CHECK COUNTY GROUND PAUL HATCH

Paul Hatch is back cheering on the Town today, Paul is here all the way from Australia - Best Wishes from all at Swindon Town FC

TODAY'S Mascots...



TEDDY BIRD

Age: 4
School: Rush Common
Team Plays for:
Abingdon Utd Juniors
Hobbies/Likes: Learning about
animals and riding his bike.
Favourite Town Player:
Matty Taylor



BEN DRIVER-LOMAS

Age: 13
School: Abbeyfield
Team Plays for:
Chippenham Hawks
Hobbies/Likes:
Football, Cricket & Hockey
Favourite Town Player:
Matthew Taylor



ELISE CLAYTON

Age: 10 (was 10 on the 28th April)
School: Colebrook Junior School
Teams Played For:
Stratton Juniors, Colebrook School
Team & Swindon Town Football
in the Community Centre for
Excellence
Hobbies/Likes: Football & Reading
Favourite Town Player:
Matt Taylor



ALFIE DOCHERTY

Age: 6
School: Glory Farm, Bicester
Teams Played For:
Chesterton U7s (Warriors)
Hobbies/Likes:
Football
Favourite Town Player:
Kaiyne Woolery



JACK CUMMINS

Age: 8
 School: Stratton Primary
 (In Cirencester)
 Team Plays for:
 Stratton Youth U9s
 Hobbies/Likes: Football, Skiing
 & Nerf Gun Wars
 Favourite Town Player:
 Ollie Banks



RUDI JAMES

Age: 7
 School: Powells
 Team Plays for: South Cerney
 Hobbies/Likes:
 Football, Rugby & Star Wars
 Favourite Town Player:
 Jan Age Fjortoft



SAM POTTER

Age: 9
 School: Stratton Primary
 (In Cirencester)
 Teams Played For:
 Stratton Youth U9s
 Hobbies/Likes: Football & Skiing
 Favourite Town Player:
 Luke Norris



DAVID BRYANT

Age: 11
 School: Lethbridge
 Teams Played For:
 Lethbridge School
 & Croft Under 11's
 Hobbies/Likes:
 Football, PS4, Martial Arts
 & Athletics
 Favourite Town Player:
 Reice Charles-Cook



JOSHUA HEMMINGS

Age: 7
 School: Corsham Regis Academy
 Teams Played For:
 AFC Corsham U8's
 Hobbies/Likes:
 Football
 Favourite Town Player:
 Marc Richards



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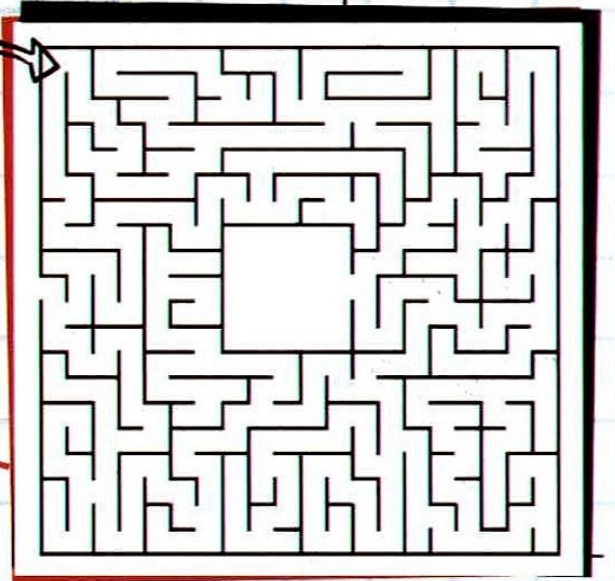
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WITH ANNIE

Good afternoon and welcome to the Energy Check County Ground for the final match of the season to all Swindon Town Supporters.



We also extend a warm welcome to the management, players and supporters of Accrington and

congratulate them on their promotion to Division One as champions. We wish them every success for next season.

For Swindon Supporters it has once again been a rollercoaster season with a change of manager and a high number of players in and out. We can but hope next season will see an improvement and I am sure we will all come back after the summer feeling a lot better. We will be ready to get behind our team and manager whoever that may be.

I would like to thank everyone who has supported us this season by buying Half-time Draw tickets. It is our main fundraiser

and through this we are able to do things that improve your match day experience.

Last but not least, I would like to thank our Committee. Marc Walters and Sally Carter for running the away coaches to make sure those who want to can travel safely, Teresa Dean our secretary, Steve Dean our treasurer and Lee Cole, Mark Thatcher and Mick Castle. We also thank Patrick and Chris who are not on the Committee but have helped us buy selling a large number of tickets each game.

Finally we have to say goodbye to Andrew the Club's Head of Media and Communications, who has helped us out in the past. We wish you well Andrew and hope you have a successful time across the 'pond' - but don't forget us will you?

ANN ALDER, Chairperson

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David Webb	£1
Peter Scull	£5
Peter Money	£1
Paul Plowman	£1
Ann Alder	£1
Shirley Hollister	£1
Dave Johnson	£2
Mike McQueen	£3
Rod & Hilda Sheppard	£1
Eileen Bailey	£1
Jerry Walsh	£1
Sue Mitchell	50p
Mick Russell	£1
John Thrush	50p
Les Cannings	50p
Brad Carter	50p
Mavis & Pete Knight	50p
Andy Whittaker	£3
Keith Smith	£1
Len Clutterham	£1
John Lodge	£1
Dick Mattick	£2
Caroline Cove	£1
Terri Venables	50p
(from 01/09/17)	
Mike Dew	50p
Roger Bunce	50p
Anonymous	£1
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1st No. 692 wins £468 - won by Sydney Watts from Aldbourne
2nd No.934 wins £55 - NOT CLAIMED

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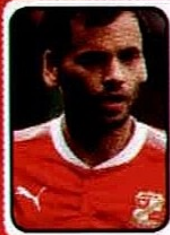
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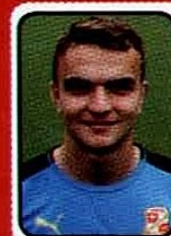
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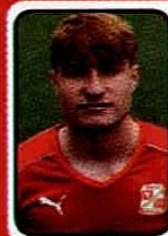
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2017-18 STAT PACK



SWINDON TOWN v **ACCRINGTON STANLEY**



MATCH FACTS

Swindon have won both of their two home League Two games against Accrington by a 2-0 scoreline.



MATCH FACTS

Stanley's 2-1 win in the reverse fixture in February was their first in five attempts against Swindon in League Two (D1 L3).



GOALS



AV. GOALS PER GAME



SHOTS (EX. BLOCKED)



% SHOTS ON TARGET



CLEAN SHEETS



% GOALS TO SHOTS



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GOALS CONCEDED

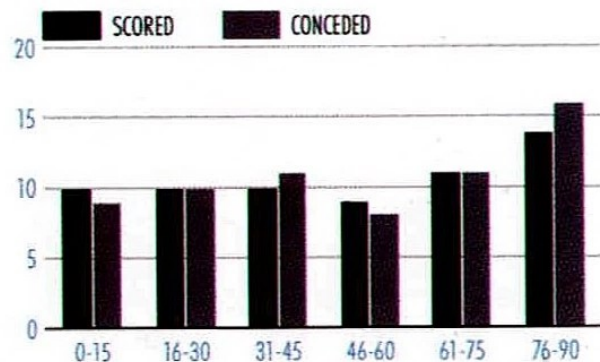


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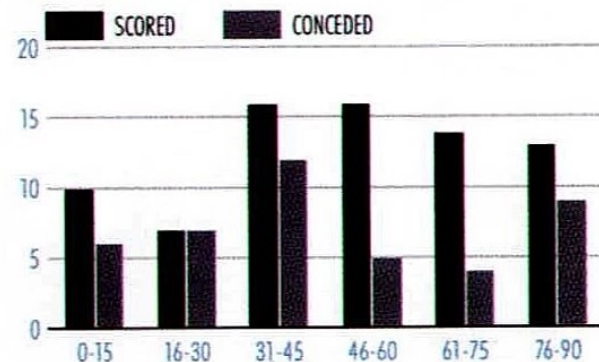


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2017-18 **STAT PACK****LEAGUE TWO TOP FIVES**

GOALS

1	KEE	25
2	EISA	23
3	MCNULTY	23
4	HYLTON	21
5	DOIDGE	20

ASSISTS

1	ADEBAYO AKI...	12
2	TAYLOR	12
3	MCCONVILLE	11
4	COOPER	9
5	STEAD	9

SHOTS ON TARGET

1	EISA	67
2	MCNULTY	60
3	ADEBAYO AKI...	58
4	DENNIS	54
5	KEE	54

MINUTES PER GOAL

1	LANG	143
2	HYLTON	145
3	MCNULTY	145
4	LEE	146
5	RICHARDS	155

% OF GOALS INVOLVED IN

1	DOIDGE	46
2	MCNULTY	45
3	POPE	45
4	DENNIS	45
5	KEE	43

MINUTES PER CHANCE CREATED

1	COOPER	221
2	TAYLOR	253
3	MCALINDEN	281
4	KENNEDY	294
5	ADEBAYO AKI...	301

FOULS

1	UCHE IKPEAZU	122
2	ADEBAYO AKI...	112
3	NEWTON	107
4	MANDRON	100
5	POPE	95

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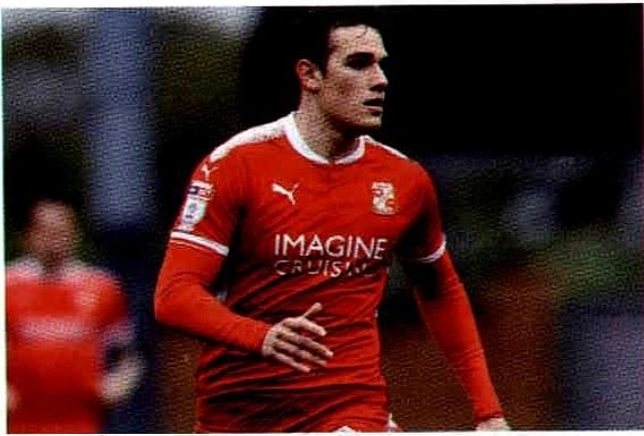
1	RAMSDALE	52
2	KRYSIAK	54
3	GARRATT	56
4	ROSS	57
5	FLINDERS	60

LEAGUE TWO SPOTLIGHT

The division's top goal scorer Billy Kee has been directly involved in eight goals in his last 11 away league appearances for Accrington (seven goals, one assist).

LEAGUE TWO SPOTLIGHT

Coventry, currently in 6th place, have not finished in the top six of any division since 1970 in the top-flight.





COLCHESTER UNITED



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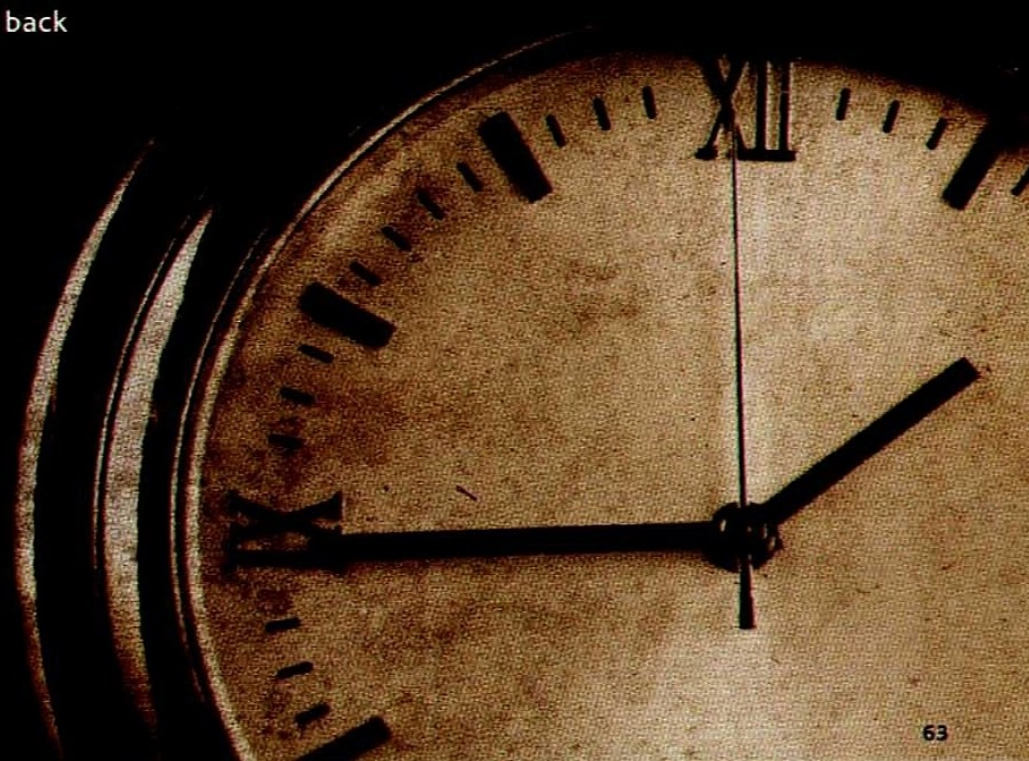
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Jake Jervis celebrates with his Town team-mates after scoring the opening goal in our 2-0 win away at Accrington Stanley back in October 2011.





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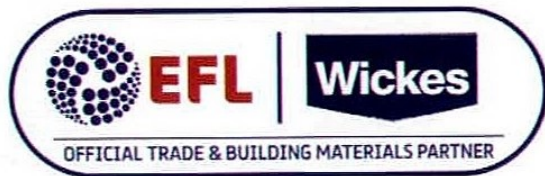
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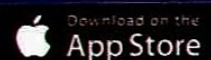


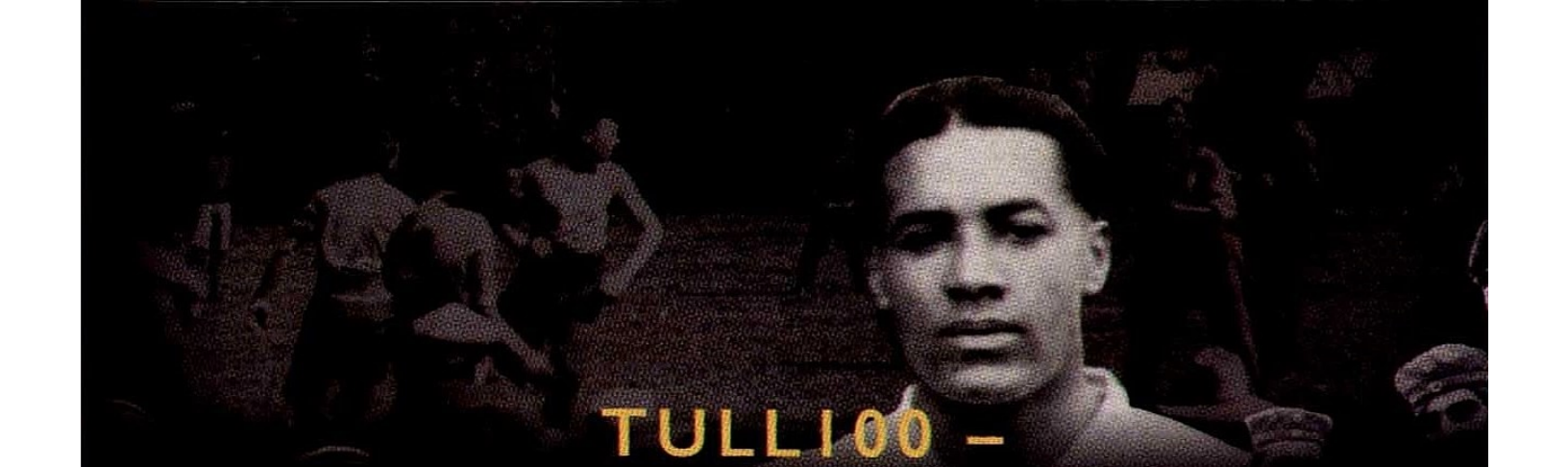
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To mark the centenary of Walter Tull's death, the Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government and Big Ideas in conjunction with the EFL, Football Association and Premier League's Football Remembers initiative invite schools, football teams and youth, arts and voluntary groups to celebrate his life and achievements through Tull 100 – Football Remembers.

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RISING Stars



JOE ROMANSKI was just the latest Academy graduate to make the breakthrough into the first-team after he made his Swindon Town debut during the defeat to Grimsby Town last month.

It was a proud moment for the young centre-back who has been in and around the senior side for the majority of the season, impressing Phil Brown enough to get given his big chance.



In good company at SN1 with the likes of Scott Twine, Will Henry, Tom Smith and Jordan Young all looking to make their mark, Romanski is now looking to kick on and build on his first taste of professional football.

"It was massive to get my debut," he told Red Review. "That is what I've been aiming for since the start of the season and I felt it was a decent performance.

"I'm proud of myself and it is only the start.

"Getting my debut has given me a massive boost and a lot of confidence and motivation to work hard in the summer and get myself in shape for next season.

"I needed someone to put their faith in me and put me on the big stage and I was happy that I could repay the Gaffer. I want to keep on doing well now.

"With all these players coming through the Academy it is an exciting time and that is down to the likes of Alan McLoughlin and Lee Peacock who have given us all really good guidance."

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It was nice to get my home debut against Yeovil. All of my family and friends were there and it was a nice feeling - probably my best in football yet.”

SCOTT TWINE has taken the next step in his development this season and has impressed in the last few weeks after being given the chance to shine by Phil Brown.

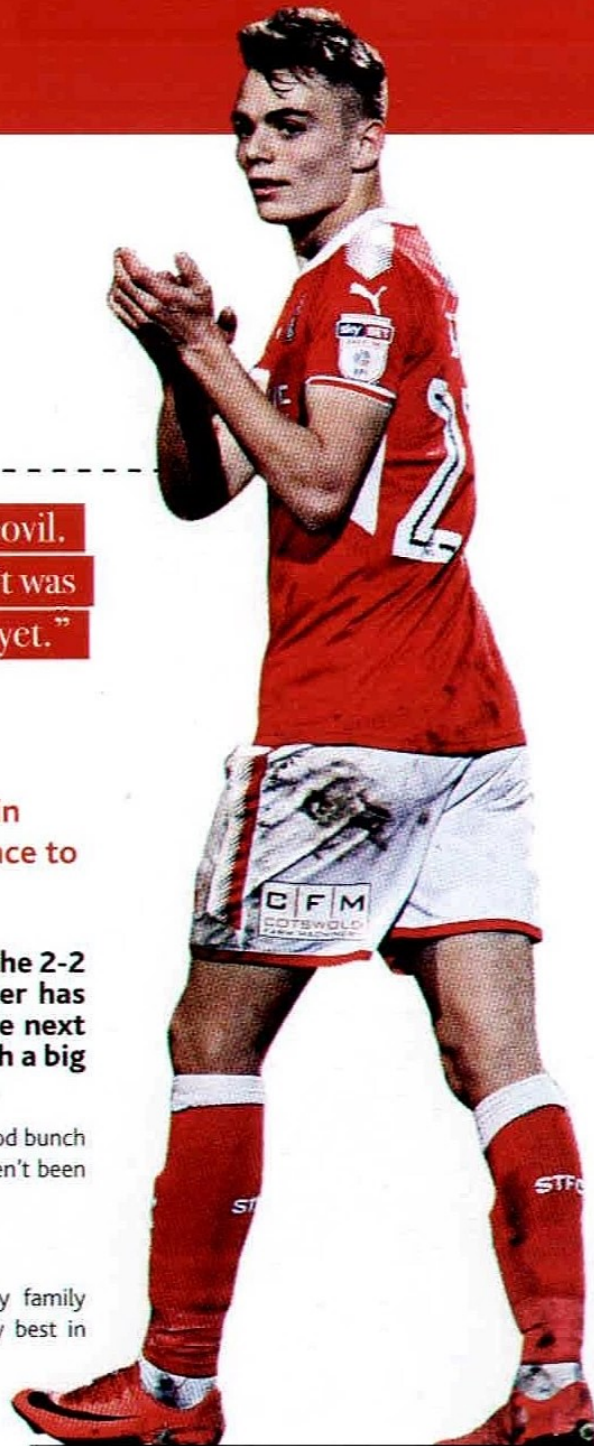
Making his home debut for the club during the 2-2 draw with Yeovil Town in April, the striker has shown glimpses that he could well be the next big thing to emerge from the club's Academy with a big role in the first-team next season looking likely.

"I've enjoyed training with the first-team every day, they are a good bunch of lads and they make me feel part of the team, even when I haven't been in the squad," he told Red Review.

"I've loved training with them all season.

"It was nice to get my home debut against Yeovil. All of my family and friends were there and it was a nice feeling - probably my best in football yet.

"I'm hoping to feature at some point against Accrington today and I can't wait for pre-season already."



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Last week saw Commonweal School and John Bentley School represent Swindon Town FC in the regional EFL Trust - Futsal Cup. Commonweal narrowly missed out on reaching the semi-finals, however the girls from John Bentley won all of their matches and lifted the regional trophy. They will now go on and represent STFC in the National finals in Derby. Congratulations to the players from John Bentley and good luck in the grand final.



FOOTBALL FANS IN TRAINING

Before today's match we host the graduation of our latest group of FFIT men. The men will receive their certificates for completing the twelve week course and we will celebrate another fantastic set of results, including weight and waist

loss, as well as the additional benefits that come with having a healthier lifestyle. Congratulations to this current group and if you know any men aged 35-65 looking to become healthier and more active then please email jon@stfc-fitc.co.uk for more information about the next course starting in September.



SATURDAY TEAM CLUB

Today we are very excited to welcome six teams from Wanborough Junior Football Club who join us for our Saturday Team Club experience. We have built up a great relationship with Wanborough JFC and Chairman Gary Sumner over recent years and we are also looking forward to Wanborough JFC being a partner club within our new facility. Many thanks to Gary for his efforts in co-ordinating today's visit and we do hope that all the players and parents have a good day out at SN1.

If you know of any clubs or groups that would enjoy a match day out at STFC then email admin@stfc-fitc.co.uk for further information about next season's Saturday Team Clubs packages.

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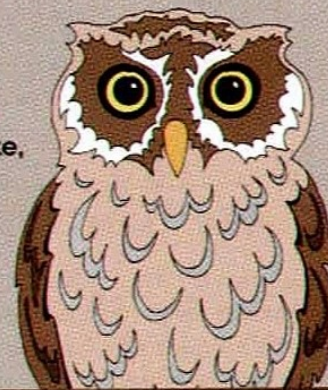
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DATE	FIXTURE	RES./K.O	ATT. (AWAY)	STARTING XI					
AUGUST									
Sat Aug 5	Carlisle United	W2-1	6,036 (557)	Vigouroux	Purkiss	Conroy	Lancashire	Hussey	Dunne
Tue Aug 8	Norwich City CC1	L2-3	13,166 (321)	Vigouroux	Purkiss	Robertson	Lancashire (1)	Hussey	Dunne
Sat Aug 12	Exeter City	D1-1	7,795 (807)	Vigouroux	Purkiss	Robertson	Lancashire	Hussey	Dunne
Tue Aug 15	West Ham United (EFLT)	L2-3	2,082 (285)	Henry	Purkiss	Conroy	Lancashire	Hussey	Dunne
Sat Aug 19	Morecambe	W1-0	1,655 (472)	Vigouroux	Purkiss	Conroy	Lancashire	Hussey	Dunne
Sat Aug 26	Crawley Town	L0-3	6,613 (87)	Vigouroux	Purkiss	Conroy	Lancashire	Hussey	Dunne
SEPTEMBER									
Sat Sep 2	Barnet	L1-4	5,895 (246)	Vigouroux	Purkiss	Robertson	Lancashire	Hussey	Taylor
Sat Sep 9	Luton Town	W3-0	8,455 (832)	Vigouroux	Purkiss	Conroy	Lancashire	Hussey (1)	Dunne
Tue Sep 12	Notts County	L0-1	5,107 (336)	Vigouroux	Purkiss	Conroy	Lancashire	Hussey	Taylor
Sat Sep 16	Stevenage	W3-2	6,022 (171)	Vigouroux	Purkiss	Conroy	Lancashire	Hussey	Dunne
Fri Sep 22	Forest Green Rovers	W2-0	3,305 (804)	Vigouroux	Purkiss	Robertson	Lancashire (1)	Hussey	Dunne
Tue Sep 26	Coventry City	L1-2	6,340 (702)	Vigouroux	Purkiss	Robertson	Lancashire	Taylor	Dunne
Sat Sep 30	Cambridge United	W2-0	5,847 (326)	Vigouroux	Purkiss	Preston	Lancashire	Taylor	Dunne
OCTOBER									
Sat Oct 6	Cheltenham Town	L1-2	5,050 (1,402)	Charles-Cook	Purkiss	Preston (1)	Lancashire	Taylor	Dunne
Sat Oct 14	Mansfield Town	W3-1	4,081 (523)	Charles-Cook	Purkiss	Preston	Lancashire	Taylor	Dunne
Tue Oct 17	Lincoln City	L0-1	5,684 (393)	Charles-Cook	Purkiss	Preston	Lancashire	Taylor	Dunne
Sat Oct 21	Wycombe Wanderers	W1-0	7,114 (784)	Charles-Cook	Purkiss	Preston	Lancashire	Taylor	Dunne
Sat Oct 28	Port Vale	W3-0	5,071 (296)	Charles-Cook	Purkiss	Preston	Lancashire	Taylor (1)	Dunne
Tue Oct 31	Wycombe Wanderers (EFLT)	W1-0	1,236 (83)	Charles-Cook	Knogle	Preston	Robertson	landolo	Dunne
NOVEMBER									
Sat Nov 5	Dartford (FAC1)	W5-1	2,705 (480)	Charles-Cook	Purkiss	Preston	Lancashire	Taylor	Dunne
Wed Nov 8	Bristol Rovers (EFLT)	W4-2	1,657 (197)	Charles-Cook	Knogle	Robertson	Lancashire	landolo	Goddard (1)
Sat Nov 11	Chesterfield	D2-2	6,140 (196)	Charles-Cook	Purkiss	Preston	Lancashire	Taylor	Dunne
Sat Nov 18	Yeovil Town	W2-1	3,622 (1,144)	Charles-Cook	Purkiss	Preston	Lancashire	Taylor	Dunne
Tues Nov 21	Grimsey Town	L2-3	3,023 (199)	Charles-Cook	Purkiss	Preston	Lancashire	Taylor	Dunne
Sat Nov 25	Newport County	L0-1	6,764 (880)	Charles-Cook	Purkiss	Preston	Lancashire	Taylor	Dunne
DECEMBER									
Sat Dec 2	Stevenage (FAC2)	L2-5	1,883 (532)	Vigouroux	Purkiss	Preston	Lancashire	Taylor (1)	Dunne
Tue Dec 5	Forest Green Rovers (EFLT)	L0-1	1,320 (100)	Vigouroux	Knogle	Preston	Lancashire	Taylor	Robertson
Fri Dec 15	Colchester United	L2-3	6,020 (160)	Vigouroux	Purkiss	Preston	Lancashire	Taylor	McDermott
Sat Dec 23	Crewe Alexandra	W3-0	3,736 (315)	Vigouroux	Purkiss	Preston	Lancashire	Taylor	Dunne
Tue Dec 26	Luton Town	L0-5	8,526 (1,403)	Vigouroux	Purkiss	Preston	Lancashire	Taylor	Dunne
Sat Dec 30	Notts County	W1-0	6,247 (430)	Charles-Cook	Knogle	Preston	Lancashire	Robertson	Dunne
JANUARY									
Mon Jan 1	Barnet	W2-1	2,031 (629)	Charles-Cook	Knogle	Preston (1)	Lancashire	Robertson	Dunne
Sat Jan 13	Forest Green Rovers	W1-0	7,062 (7)	Charles-Cook	Knogle	Preston	Lancashire	Robertson	Dunne
Sat Jan 20	Coventry City	L1-3	8,643 (1,280)	Charles-Cook	Gordon	Preston	Lancashire	Robertson	Dunne
Sat Jan 27	Crewe Alexandra	W4-3	5,439 (132)	Charles-Cook	Gordon	Preston	Lancashire	Robertson	Dunne
Tue Jan 30	Stevenage	W1-0	2,116 (n/a)	Charles-Cook	Gordon	Preston	Lancashire	Purkiss	Taylor
FEBRUARY									
Sat Feb 3	Lincoln City	D2-2	8,909 (555)	Charles-Cook	Gordon	Preston	Lancashire	Purkiss	Taylor
Tue Feb 6	Accrington Stanley	L1-2	1,243 (218)	Charles-Cook	Menayese	Knogle	Lancashire	Purkiss	Taylor
Sat Feb 10	Mansfield Town	W1-0	6,031 (568)	Charles-Cook	Menayese	Knogle	Preston	Purkiss	Taylor (1)
Tue Feb 13	Wycombe Wanderers	L2-3	4,863 (1,012)	Charles-Cook	Menayese	Knogle	Lancashire	Purkiss	Taylor (1)
Sat Feb 17	Port Vale	W3-2	5,713 (207)	Charles-Cook	Menayese	Knogle	Robertson	Purkiss	Taylor
Sat Feb 24	Chesterfield	L1-2	4,668 (451)	Charles-Cook	Menayese	Knogle	Lancashire	Purkiss	Taylor
MARCH									
Sat Mar 10	Cheltenham Town	L0-3	6,658(?)	Moore	Menayese	Knogle	Robertson	Purkiss	Taylor
Sat Mar 17	Cambridge United	W3-1	5,123(506)	Moore	Menayese	Hussey	Robertson	Purkiss	Taylor
Sat Mar 24	Exeter City	L1-3	4,567(337)	Moore	Menayese	Hussey	Robertson	Purkiss	Taylor
Fri Mar 30	Morecambe	D1-1	6,328(82)	Moore	Menayese	Hussey	Knogle	Purkiss	Taylor
APRIL									
Mon Apr 2	Crawley Town	D1-1	5,008(1,377)	Moore	Menayese	Hussey	Knogle	Purkiss	Taylor
Sat Apr 7	Carlisle United	D0-0	5,807(?)	Moore	Lancashire	Hussey	Knogle	Purkiss	Taylor
Tue Apr 10	Yeovil Town	D2-2	5,709(?)	Moore	Lancashire	Hussey	Knogle	Purkiss	Taylor (2)
Sat Apr 14	Newport County	L1-2	3,911(949)	Moore	Menayese	Hussey	Knogle	Purkiss	Taylor
Sat Apr 21	Grimsey Town	L0-1	6,690(?)	Charles-Cook	Romanski	Hussey	Knogle	McGivern	Taylor
Sat Apr 28	Colchester United	D0-0	3,687(295)	Moore	Menayese	Elsnik	Knogle	McGivern	Taylor
MAY									
Sat May 5	Accrington Stanley	15.00							

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Thomas	T. Smith	Brophy	Mullin (1)	H. Smith	Iandolo			G Eltringham
McDermott	Linganzi	Brophy	Mullin	H. Smith	Norris	Woolery (1)	Thomas	D Drysdale
McDermott	Linganzi	Iandolo	Woolery	Norris (1)	Mullin (1)	H. Smith	Brophy	J Busby
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McDermott	Linganzi	Mullin	Woolery	Norris	Brophy	Taylor	H. Smith	B Huxtable
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Mullin	Gordon	Elsnik	Anderson	Norris	Woolery	Taylor (1)	H. Smith	D. Drysdale
Mullin	Gordon	Elsnik	Anderson	Norris	McDermott	Linganzi	H. Smith	C. Breakspear
Linganzi	Gordon	Woolery	Anderson (1)	Norris	H. Smith (1)	Goddard	Mullin	A. Woolmer
Linganzi	Gordon	Woolery	Anderson	Norris	Goddard	McDermott	Mullin	R. Jones
Linganzi (1)	Goddard (1)	Mullin	Anderson	Norris (2)	McDermott	Woolery		O. Langford
Linganzi	Goddard	Mullin	Anderson	Norris	McDermott	Woolery		S. Oldham
Linganzi	Goddard	McDermott	Anderson	H. Smith (1)	Mullin			J. Brooks
Linganzi	Goddard	McDermott	Anderson	H. Smith	Elsnik	Mullin (1)	Gordon (1)	G. Horwood
Mullin	Elsnik	Woolery	Anderson	Gordon	H. Smith	Goddard	McDermott	K. Johnson
Mullin (1)	Elsnik (2)	McDermott	Linganzi (1)	H. Smith (1)	Goddard	Woolery	Gordon	D. Drysdale
Mullin (1)	Elsnik	Woolery (1)	Anderson	Gordon (1)	Preston	Dunne	McDermott	A. Marriner
Linganzi	Elsnik (1)	Woolery	Anderson	H. Smith	Goddard	Norris (1)	Mullin	L. Collins
Goddard	Elsnik	Norris	Anderson (1)	H. Smith	Gordon (1)	Woolery		C. Hicks
Goddard	Gordon	Woolery	Anderson (1)	H. Smith	Iandolo			M. Coy
Goddard	Iandolo	Mullin	Anderson	H. Smith	Woolery	Gordon	Brophy	J. Linnington
Goddard	Gordon	Mullin	Woolery	Linganzi (1)	Norris	H. Smith	Brophy	N. Kinseley
Iandolo	Norris	Mullin	Anderson	Linganzi	Woolery	Dunne	Gordon	R. Lewis
Iandolo	Woolery (1)	Mullin	Anderson	Linganzi	Krioyle	Goddard	Gordon (1)	J. Busby
Norris (1)	Woolery (1)	Mullin	Anderson	Linganzi (1)	Gordon	Iandolo	Goddard	E. Ilderton
Norris	Woolery	Mullin	Anderson	Linganzi	Gordon	Iandolo		G. Ward
Norris (1)	Woolery	Iandolo	Anderson	Linganzi	Purkiss	Mullin		B. Toner
Norris	Woolery	Iandolo (1)	Anderson	Linganzi	Gordon	Mullin	Purkiss	C. Hicks
Norris (1)	Woolery	Iandolo	Anderson	Banks	Gordon	Mullin	Purkiss	D. Whitestone
Norris	Woolery	Iandolo	Anderson	Banks (1)	Richards	Mullin	Brophy	S. Martin
Richards (2)	Woolery	Iandolo	Anderson	Banks	Norris	Elsnik (2)	Taylor	G. Salisbury
Richards	Elsnik	Norris	Anderson	Banks (1)	Mullin	Dunne	Robertson	D. Drysdale
Richards (1)	Elsnik	Norris	Anderson	Banks (1)	Menayese	Mullin	Robertson	A. Coggins
Richards	Elsnik	Norris	Dunne	Banks	Gordon	Mullin	Woolery	D. Bond
Richards	Elsnik	Norris	Anderson	Banks	Mullin			K. Friend
Richards (1)	Elsnik	Norris	Anderson	Banks	Woolery			A. Madley
Richards (2)	Elsnik	Norris	Anderson	Banks	Woolery	Dunne	Mullin (1)	A. Woolmer
Richards	Gordon	Mullin	Anderson	Banks	Robertson (1)	Norris	Woolery	J. Brooks
Richards	Elsnik	Norris	Anderson	Dunne	Gordon	Woolery	Mullin	T. Nield
Richards (2)	Elsnik	Norris (1)	Mullin	Dunne	Woolery	McGivern	Gordon	L. Swabey
Richards	Elsnik	Woolery (1)	Mullin	Dunne	Linganzi	Norris	Gordon	L. Collins
Richards	Banks	Anderson	Norris (1)	Dunne	Woolery	Mullin	McDermott	K. Johnson
Woolery	Banks	Anderson	Norris	Dunne	Mullin	Richards (1)	McDermott	D. Whitestone
Woolery	Banks	Gordon	Richards	Dunne	McDermott	Anderson	McGivern	B. Huxtable
Woolery	Banks	Twine	Richards	Dunne	McGivern	Mullin	Elsnik	T. Kettle
Woolery	Banks	Twine	Richards	Dunne	McDermott	Mullin	Linganzi	C. Breakspear
Linganzi	Mullin	Anderson	Richards	Dunne	McDermott	Banks	Twine	J. Brooks
Twine	Banks	Anderson	Richards	Dunne	Woolery	McDermott	Hussey	C. Hicks

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KEY: (1) = Number of goals scored.
First Substitution, Second Substitution, Third Substitution

LEAGUE TABLE

POS	TEAM	P	W	D	L	GD	PTS
1	Accrington Stanley	45	29	6	10	33	93
2	Luton Town	45	25	12	8	48	87
3	Wycombe Wanderers	45	23	12	10	18	81
4	Exeter City	45	23	8	14	9	77
5	Notts County	45	21	13	11	23	76
6	Coventry City	45	22	8	15	17	74
7	Lincoln City	45	20	14	11	16	74
8	Mansfield Town	45	18	17	10	15	71
9	Carlisle United	45	17	15	13	8	66
10	Swindon Town	45	19	8	18	-1	65
11	Newport County	45	16	15	14	-2	63
12	Colchester United	45	16	14	15	2	62
13	Cambridge United	45	16	13	16	-9	61
14	Crawley Town	45	16	10	19	-8	58
15	Stevenage	45	14	13	18	-4	55
16	Crewe Alexandra	45	16	5	24	-14	53
17	Cheltenham Town	45	13	12	20	-5	51
18	Grimsby Town	45	12	12	21	-27	48
19	Port Vale	45	11	14	20	-13	47
20	Yeovil Town	45	12	11	22	-16	47
21	Forest Green Rovers	45	13	8	24	-20	47
22	Morecambe	45	9	18	18	-15	45
23	Barnet	45	11	10	24	-22	43
24	Chesterfield	45	10	8	27	-33	38

RESULTS

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Chesterfield 1-0

Newport County

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Yeovil Town 2-3

Mansfield Town

Stevenage 3-1 Exeter City

Port Vale 1-2 Carlisle United

Newport County 2-1

Cambridge United

Morecambe 0-1 Barnet

Luton Town 3-1

Forest Green Rovers

Grimsby Town 2-1

Notts County

Crawley Town 1-2

Crewe Alexandra

Colchester United 0-0

Swindon Town

Chesterfield 1-2

Wycombe Wanderers

Cheltenham Town 1-6

Coventry City

Accrington Stanley 1-0

Lincoln City

TODAY'S GAMES

(3:00PM UNLESS STATED)

BARNET V CHESTERFIELD

CAMBRIDGE UNITED V PORT VALE

CARLISLE UNITED V NEWPORT COUNTY

COVENTRY CITY V MORECAMBE

CREWE ALEXANDRA V CHELTENHAM TOWN

EXETER CITY V COLCHESTER UNITED

FOREST GREEN ROVERS V GRIMSBY TOWN

LINCOLN CITY V YEOVIL TOWN

MANSFIELD TOWN V CRAWLEY TOWN

NOTTS COUNTY V LUTON TOWN

WYCOMBE WANDERERS V STEVENAGE

TOP GOALSCORERS

1	Billy Kee	Accrington Stanley	25
2	Marc McNulty	Coventry City	23
3	Mohamed Eisa	Cheltenham Town	23
4	Danny Hylton	Luton Town	21
5	Christian Doidge	Forest Green Rovers	20

TOP ASSISTS

1	Adebayo Akinfenwa	Wycombe Wanderers	12
2	Matty Taylor	Swindon Town	12
3	Sean McConville	Accrington Stanley	11
4	Jon Stead	Notts County	9
5	George Cooper	Crewe Alexandra	9

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FROM THE EDITOR

Well here we are then. After ten months, 53 games and plenty of talking points on and off the pitch, the 2017/18 Sky Bet League Two campaign is nearly over...

Ultimately, this campaign will be one that will quickly be consigned to the rubbish bin with everyone still very much disappointed at the fact that we fell short of making the Play-Offs. I really thought we would do it but what has happened has happened and the focus must now be on ensuring we are ready for a promotion push next season.

Whilst we are on the subject of promotion, it would be wrong and rather rude of me not to congratulate Accrington Stanley who arrive here today as the new Sky Bet League Two champions. Accrington have long been one of the feel-good stories within English football and you can't underestimate just how big an achievement their success has been this season. I'm sure they will get the congratulations they so deserve prior to kick-off this afternoon.

On a personal note this looks set to be my last programme as I prepare to embark on a new chapter in my life this summer. As many of you who keep up to date with me on social media will know, I feel it is the right time to pursue other interests as I look for my next challenge.

I have absolutely loved my time at this wonderful club. Growing up supporting Town, it was always an ambition of mine to one day work here and I'll walk away a very proud man that I've been able to tick that off my bucket list.

It has been a whirlwind two years with a lot of hard work put in and I really hope

that the media output we've created has served its purpose in terms of keeping you all in touch with the club.

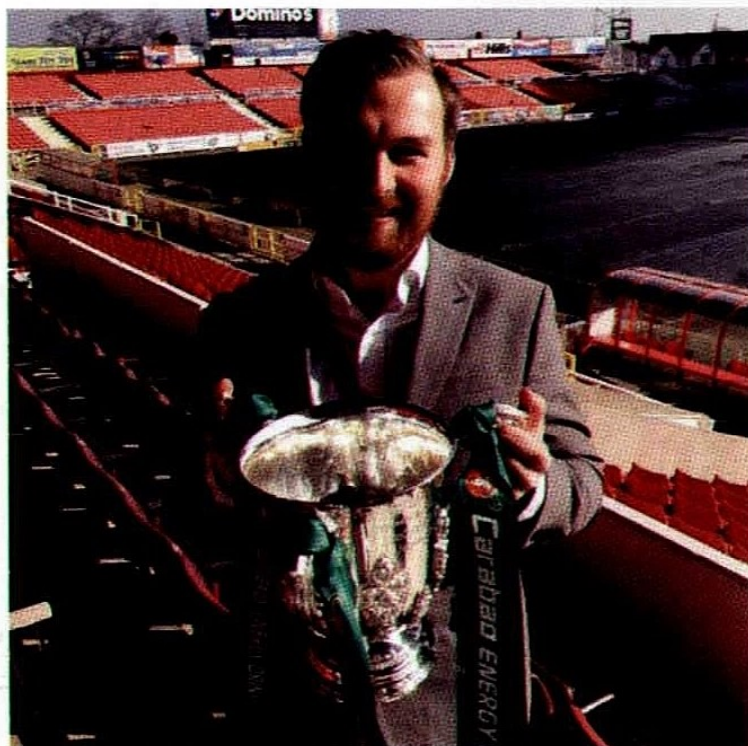
I'll leave with a plethora of good memories and I've made friends that I'll keep in touch with for life. So, all that is left to do is to thank you all for your support and kind words during my time here.

Enjoy the game today and have a good summer.

All the best.

Andrew Steele-Davis, Head of Media & Communications.

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- 04 Matt Preston
- 05 Chris Robertson
- 06 Olly Lancashire (C)
- 07 Paul Mullin
- 08 James Dunne
- 09 Luke Norris
- 12 Will Henry
- 14 Ellis Iandolo
- 15 Tom Smith
- 16 Amine Linganzi
- 17 Marc Richards
- 18 Donal McDermott
- 19 Timi Elsnik
- 21 Reice Charles-Cook
- 23 Joe Romanski
- 22 Kaiyne Woolery
- 24 Kyle Knoyle
- 25 Dion Conroy
- 26 Jordan Young
- 27 Scott Twine
- 28 Stuart Moore
- 29 Ollie Banks
- 30 Keshi Anderson
- 31 Matty Taylor
- 32 Rollin Menayese
- 34 Ryan McGivern



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- 01 Aaron Chapman
- 02 Jimmy Dunne
- 03 Mark Hughes
- 04 Janoi Donacien
- 05 Ben Richards-Everton
- 06 Liam Nolan
- 07 Jordan Clark
- 08 Scott Brown
- 09 Offrande Zanzala
- 10 Kayden Jackson
- 11 Sean McConville
- 12 Danny Williams
- 14 Mekhi McLeod
- 15 Ross Sykes
- 16 Jonny Maxted
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