



QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS

Official Programme 6^d

Division 3 **SWINDON TOWN**

SATURDAY 3 SEPT. 1966
Kick-off 3.15 p.m.

Club Notes *by Ranger*

HELLO RANGERS

We have taken only one point out of a possible four in our League matches so far and we realise that this is not an impressive record. Our failure against Watford last Saturday was particularly frustrating but we feel that we have learned many valuable lessons. We know now that no matter how hard we try to play attractive football, and no matter to what extent we succeed, our opponents will be determined to upset us regardless of whether or not the spectators are given value for their money.

Our experience against Watford was a perfect example of a team playing a negative game against us. They obviously hoped to get a goal in a break away and they succeeded. Yet we had 20 per cent. of the play and couldn't score as they packed their penalty area.

We will meet these tactics many times this season and in the hope of finding a way to break them we had a film of the Watford match made and Alec Stock, Bill Dodgin and the players have been analysing it to find a way to counter these defensive tactics.

TODAY—SWINDON TOWN

Today we are determined to win both points and thus show our supporters that we really mean business. That is not to say that we do not welcome our visitors Swindon Town. We know that they too are determined to win and we can look forward to a fine game. We know also that they have very fine players such as Nurse, a Welsh international, Rogers and Brown and we know that if we get both points we will have earned them.

NEXT—MIDDLESBROUGH

Our forthcoming fixtures also look attractive and one of the most attractive will be that against Middlesbrough on Tuesday night next. Middlesbrough make no secret of the fact that they intend to go straight back into the Second Division and they will be one of the big obstacles in our own fight for promotion. A big and enthusiastic crowd of supporters for Rangers could be worth a couple of points on Tuesday night. Please try to be here.

OTHER MATCHES

Other upcoming matches include a second round League Cup tie against Aldershot away on September 14th and the opening match for our second team against Luton away on September 8th.

Our Youth team beat West Ham by 3-0 and lost by the same score to Brentford. They are playing at home on alternate Saturdays and deserve your support.

Season tickets are still available at £8-10-0d. and £7 and advance bookings for all home matches may be made through the Secretary's office price 8/6d. Firms or individuals who wish to donate match balls should also contact the Secretary.

Applications for membership of the Blue and White Club are rolling in and the membership fee is 10/6d.



JOHN COLLINS

We are sorry to announce that John Collins has asked the club for a transfer and has been put on the transfer list. John has been with us for seven years and has given devoted service to the club. We are sorry that he should want to leave but he has our best wishes for the future.

OLD FAITHFUL

In mentioning support and supporters there is one particular person that we would like to thank. He is Mr. Mike Copolla of 54 Wallingford Avenue, W.10. He has been a staunch Rangers fan since 1894 and that's something of which he is proud. We can assure him that we are also proud to have him with us and we hope he will be with us for a long time to come. Thank you Mike.

QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS

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QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS

Colours :

Shirts, Blue, White Hoops

White shorts

- 1 Peter Springett
- 2 Ian Watson
- 3 Tony Hazell
- 4 Mike Keen
- 5 Ron Hunt
- 6 Frank Sibley
- 7 Mark Lazarus
- 8 Keith Sanderson
- 9 Leslie Allen
- 10 Rodney Marsh
- 11 Roger Morgan

Sub : John Collins

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Yellow Flag : Mr. G. F. SQUIRREL

SWINDON TOWN

Colours :

Shirts, Red and White

White shirts

- Tony Hicks 1
- Owen Dawson 2
- John Trollope 3
- Roger Smart 4
- Mel Nurse 5
- Stan Harland 6
- Eric Weaver 7
- Denis Brown 8
- Willie Penman 9
- Joe Butler 10
- Don Rogers 11

Sub : Keith Morgan

NEXT HOME FIXTURES

Football League, Div. III	S. E. Counties League	Football League, Div. III
MIDDLESBROUGH	LEYTON ORIENT	DONCASTER R.
TUESDAY, SEPT. 6	SATURDAY, SEPT. 10	SATURDAY, SEPT. 17
Kick off ... 7.30 p.m.	Kick off ... 3.15 p.m.	Kick off ... 3.15 p.m.

SUPPORTERS' CORNER

The result of the match against Watford was, of course, a great disappointment to all supporters of the club but it cannot be denied that the players never stopped fighting for goals and were it not for the brilliance of the Watford goalkeeper and the negative tactics of the rest of the Watford team we would certainly have won.

In addition there was that shot from Roger Morgan which many Rangers fans thought was a goal but the referee thought otherwise. If Mr. Dienst of Switzerland had been in charge of the whistle the decision might have gone the other way but England's luck was not ours on this occasion. There was also an appeal for a penalty but all this is crying over spilt milk and we must be prepared to create our own lucky breaks.

The points from our other matches now become all the more valuable and we hope the team soon gets into the rhythm which brought so many goals last season.

RANGERS CHA-CHA-CHA

We would like all supporters to remember that the team has a right to expect their vocal as well as their moral support. Against Colchester it was apparent that people were enjoying themselves as Rodney Marsh helped himself to four goals and the team appreciated this.

But it is also important to remember that support must always be there and not merely when the team is two or three goals ahead. In fact support when the team is a goal down is much more important and the encouragement of the crowds can bring out that extra effort which makes all the difference to the result.

So we would appeal to supporters to give that extra bite to their support. We are certain the players will respond with better individual performances and that the result will be seen in our position on the table.

MEMBERSHIP

Could we once again appeal for members of the Supporters' Club. You can enrol at the ground today if you wish or fill in the form at the bottom of this page and send it along by post. You must also make up your mind to become a member of the Blue and White Club because you'll be missing a lot if you don't. Construction of the club premises is now almost complete and it will become the centre of activity at the club. If you spend 10/6d. on becoming a member you will be making a very wise decision.

AWAY TRIPS

Two very attractive trips to away matches are coming up. The first of these is to our League match at Reading on Saturday, September 10th. The second will be to Aldershot for the Second Round League Cup match on September 14th. Details of both these trips can be had at the ground today. Please call at our booking office under "A" stand. Tickets must be paid for at the time of booking.

BEAT THE CLOCK

There are many attractive prizes to be won in our Beat the Clock competition. You will find sellers all around the ground and tickets are 6d. each. The winning times for the Colchester match were 22:58, 36:23, 40:16, 53:25, 74:18.

POOLS COMPETITIONS

Our two competitions are in full swing, with one on Bingo and the other football and lucky numbers, all tastes should be satisfied. We require more agents, call at the Pools office or at the huts you will be well rewarded and enjoy helping the club.

1966/7 SUPPORTERS' CLUB AND SPORTSMAN'S ASSOCIATION

Application for Membership

Name

Address

Membership 1/6 including Membership Card. Badge 1/6 extra.
(State age if under 16 years)

FOOTBALL LEAGUE—DIVISION III

Saturday, August 20, drew with Shrewsbury Town (home) 2-2.

Team: Springett; Watson, Hazell; Keen, Hunt, Sibley; Lazarus, Collins, Allen, Marsh, Morgan R.

Scorers: Allen, Marsh.

Saturday, August 27, lost to Watford (away) 0-1.

Team: Springett; Hazell, Langley; Keen, Hunt, Sibley; Lazarus, Sanderson, Allen, Marsh, Morgan R.

FOOTBALL COMBINATION—DIVISION II

Final League Placings 1965-66

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Reading	38	24	6	8	87	42	54
Gillingham	38	25	4	9	88	51	54
Q.P.R.	38	23	4	11	85	60	50
Brighton	38	22	4	12	89	59	48
Charlton Ath....	38	19	8	11	74	44	46
Birmingham C.	38	20	4	14	85	58	44
Bournemouth ...	38	17	9	12	64	62	43
Bristol C.	38	18	6	14	70	61	42
Oxford U	38	16	9	13	60	57	41
Brentford	38	17	7	14	74	71	41
Bristol R.	38	16	8	14	83	74	40
Luton Town ...	38	17	4	17	74	82	38
Leyton O.	38	14	9	15	74	78	37
Watford	38	10	9	19	57	63	29
Millwall	38	9	11	18	54	73	29
Aldershot	38	9	11	18	46	73	29
Notts County...	38	7	11	20	46	81	25
Southend U.	38	10	4	25	68	88	24
Mansfield T. ...	38	8	7	23	54	106	23
Colchester U ...	38	7	9	22	45	94	23

SOUTH EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE

DIVISION I

(Up to and including August 27th, 1966)

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Chelsea	2	2	0	0	9	1	4
Brentford	2	2	0	0	6	1	4
Ipswich	2	2	0	0	4	1	4
Crystal Palace ...	2	2	0	0	7	3	4
Fulham	2	2	0	0	5	3	4
Brighton	2	1	0	1	8	5	2
Charlton Athletic	2	1	0	1	4	2	2
Watford	2	1	0	1	5	2	2
Millwall	2	1	0	1	4	5	2
Q.P.R.	2	1	0	1	3	3	2
West Ham U. ...	2	1	0	1	3	2	2
Arsenal	2	0	0	2	3	7	0
Tottenham H. ...	2	0	0	2	3	7	0
Bexley United ...	2	0	0	2	3	10	0
Leyton Orient ...	2	0	0	2	1	4	0
Luton Town	2	0	0	2	9	8	0

SOUTH EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE

Saturday, August 20, lost to Brentford (away) 0-3.

Team: Spratley; Inkpen, Murphy; Adams, McKeown, Turpie; Walshe, Glover, McGovern, D'Eath, Gillard.

Saturday, August 27, beat West Ham United (home) 3-0.

Team: Spratley; Atkins, Rufus; Inkpen, McKeown, Turpit; Walshe, Glover, D'Eath, Adams, Gillard.

Scorers: Adams 2, D'Eath.

FOOTBALL LEAGUE CUP

Tuesday, August 23, beat Colchester United (home) 5-0.

Team: Springett; Watson, Langley; Keen, Hunt, Sibley; Lazarus, Sanderson, Allen, Marsh, Morgan R.

Scorers: Marsh 4, Lazarus.

FOOTBALL LEAGUE DIVISION III

(Up to and including August 30th, 1966)

Up to and including August 20th						Away			Goals		Pts
P.	W.	Home		Goals		W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	
		D.	L.	F.	A.						
12	2	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	2	2	3
12	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	3
22	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	3
12	1	0	0	2	1	0	1	0	1	1	3
10	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	2	1	3
3	1	0	1	3	1	0	1	0	3	3	3
12	1	0	0	2	1	0	1	0	1	1	3
12	1	0	0	2	1	0	1	0	2	2	3
22	0	1	0	3	3	1	0	0	2	1	3
12	1	0	0	2	1	0	1	0	3	3	3
12	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	1	2	2
12	1	0	0	3	1	0	0	1	1	2	2
12	0	1	0	2	2	0	1	0	1	1	2
12	1	0	0	3	1	0	0	1	1	3	2
12	0	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	3	2	2
12	0	1	0	3	3	0	1	0	0	0	2
12	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	2
3	1	0	0	3	1	0	0	3	1	5	2
10	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	4	2
12	0	1	0	2	2	0	0	1	0	1	1
12	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	3	1
10	0	0	1	2	3	0	0	1	1	3	0
12	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	1	1	3	0
12	0	0	1	1	3	0	0	1	1	3	0

BLUE & WHITE CLUB

Application for Membership

Name

Address

Please send Membership Card, when available, Subscription 10/6 enclosed.

FIXTURES 1966-67

FOOTBALL LEAGUE DIVISION III

1966			F. A.
Sat. Aug. 20	SHREWSBURY T.		2 2
Sat. „ 27	Watford		0 1
Sat. Sept. 3	SWINDON TOWN	HOME	
Tues. „ 6	MIDDLESBROUGH	HOME	
Sat. „ 10	Reading	Away	
Sat. „ 17	DONCASTER ROV.	HOME	
Tues. „ 20	Swindon Town	Away	
Sat. „ 24	Mansfield Town	Away	
Mon. „ 26	Middlesbrough	Away	
Sat. Oct. 1	GRIMSBY TOWN	HOME	
Sat. „ 8	SWANSEA TOWN	HOME	
Sat. „ 15	Bournemouth	Away	
Wed. „ 19	Torquay United	Away	
Sat. „ 22	LEYTON ORIENT	HOME	
Sat. „ 29	Gillingham	Away	
Sat. Nov. 5	WORKINGTON	HOME	
Sat. „ 12	Scunthorpe United	Away	
Tues. „ 15	TORQUAY UNITED	HOME	
Sat. „ 19	OLDHAM ATHLETIC	HOME	
Sat. „ 26	(1)		
Sat. Dec. 3	BRISTOL ROVERS	HOME	
Sat. „ 10	Colchester United	Away	
Sat. „ 17	Shrewsbury Town	Away	
Mon. „ 26	BRIGHTON	HOME	
Tues. „ 27	Brighton	Away	
Sat. „ 31	WATFORD	HOME	
1967			
Sat. Jan. 7	(2)		
Sat. „ 14	READING	HOME	
Sat. „ 21	Doncaster Rovers	Away	
Sat. „ 28	(3)		
Sat. Feb. 4	MANSFIELD TOWN	HOME	
Sat. „ 11	Grimsby Town	Away	
Sat. „ 18	(4) Peterborough U.	Away	
Sat. „ 25	Swansea Town	Away	
Sat. Mar. 4	BOURNEMOUTH	HOME	
Sat. „ 11	(5) PETERBORO' U.	HOME	
Sat. „ 18	Leyton Orient	Away	
Fri. „ 24	DARLINGTON	HOME	
Sat. „ 25	GILLINGHAM	HOME	
Mon. „ 27	Darlington	Away	
Sat. Apr. 1	Workington	Away	
Sat. „ 8	(6) SCUNTHORPE U.	HOME	
Tues. „ 11	Walsall	Away	
Sat. „ 15	Oldham Athletic	Away	
Sat. „ 22	OXFORD UNITED	HOME	
Tues. „ 25	WALSALL	HOME	
Sat. „ 29	(S.F.) Bristol Rovers	Away	
Sat. May 6	COLCHESTER U.	HOME	
Sat. „ 13	Oxford United	Away	
Sat. „ 20	(FINAL)		

LONDON MID-WEEK LEAGUE

1966			F. A.
Thur. Sept. 8	Luton Town	Away	
Wed. „ 21	Millwall	Away	
Tues. Oct. 11	Charlton Athletic	Away	
Tues. „ 18	ALDERSHOT	HOME	
Tues. „ 25	Watford	Away	
Tues. Nov. 1	COLCHESTER U.	HOME	
Tues. „ 8	LEYTON ORIENT	HOME	
Wed. „ 16	Leyton Orient	Away	
Tues. „ 22	LUTON TOWN	HOME	
Tues. „ 29	MILLWALL	HOME	
Tues. Dec. 6	SOUTHEND UNITED	HOME	
Wed. „ 14	Southend United	Away	
Tues. „ 20	CHARLTON ATH.	HOME	
1967			
Wed. Jan. 4	Aldershot	Away	
Tues. „ 10	WATFORD	HOME	
Wed. „ 18	Colchester United	Away	
Wed. „ 25	Aldershot	Away	
Tues. „ 31	LEYTON ORIENT	HOME	
Tues. Feb. 7	COLCHESTER U.	HOME	
Wed. „ 15	Millwall	Away	
Tues. „ 21	SOUTHEND UNITED	HOME	
Tues. „ 28	Charlton Athletic	Away	
Tues. Mar. 7	LUTON TOWN	HOME	
Wed. „ 15	Leyton Orient	Away	
Tues. „ 21	WATFORD	HOME	
Thur. „ 30	Luton Town	Away	
Tues. Apr. 4	Watford	Away	
Tues. „ 11	ALDERSHOT	HOME	
Wed. „ 26	Colchester United	Away	
Tues. May 2	MILLWALL	HOME	
Wed. „ 10	Southend United	Away	
Tues. „ 16	CHARLTON ATH.	HOME	

South East Counties fixtures will be published in the programme

Kick-off times : All Saturdays and Bank Holidays—3.15 p.m.
Evenings—7.30 p.m.
Unless otherwise announced.

A	FULHAM v. SHEFFIELD U.
B	SOUTHAMPTON v. CHELSEA
C	TOTTENHAM H. v. ARSENAL
D	WEST HAM U. v. LIVERPOOL
E	CRYSTAL PALACE v. BOLTON WAND.
F	MILLWALL v. NORTHAMPTON T.
G	ALDERSHOT v. BRENTFORD
H	OXFORD UNITED v. MIDDLESBROUGH