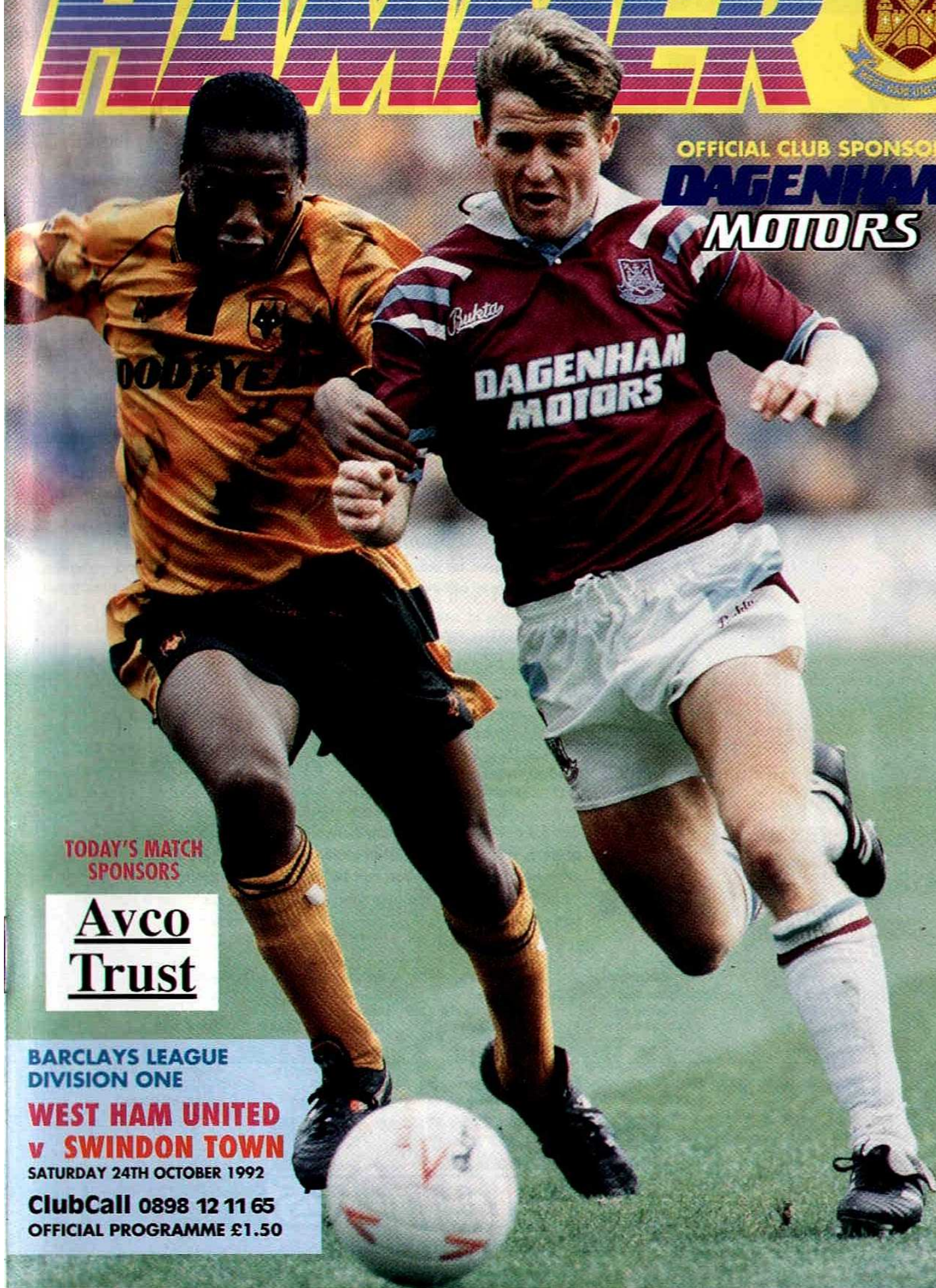


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# WINNING IN STYLE

A LOT of nice things are being said and written about the team during our run of excellent form, but just as pleasing is that our performances have been as good as the results.

Away form has been very good since the start of the season, and there was plenty more to feel happy about at Bristol Rovers last Saturday when we could possibly have doubled our four-goal winning margin on another day. We could have scored more than six against Sunderland, too, but it has to be remembered that Don Goodman missed one or two decent chances for them before we went ahead.

The Sunderland result, and the way we achieved it, was very important because we needed to hit that sort of form at home. The fact that the game was also covered by live TV meant that our performance was seen by an even bigger audience, and hopefully they enjoyed what they saw.



Scoring 10 goals and conceding none in the last two games has given our goals-for tally a big boost as well, and that could be important come the end of the season when it's goals scored - and not goal difference - that counts when splitting teams who are tied on points.

Confidence among the players is obviously very high after eight consecutive unbeaten league games. When Harry joined us in the summer, we recognised that a rebuilding of confidence was our first priority. Now, we are approaching every game with only victory in mind. Obviously we don't throw caution to the wind, but our team-talks are all about being positive, and since the big wins at Peterborough and Bristol City the players have grown in self-belief.

We want to stay as solid as possible from now until Christmas, when hopefully we'll still be among the leading promotion contenders and in a good position to take advantage of the greater number of home fixtures scheduled in the New Year.

We have been fortunate so far to steer clear of serious injury problems. Alvin Martin has battled on despite a broken hand, but now Mike Small is recovering from a back problem so we look a little bit light on cover for the front two of Clive Allen and Trevor Morley.

Many people have been looking forward to the Swindon match. It brings together two teams who are bang in form, playing plenty of good football and scoring lots of goals... so obviously we're set for a nil-nil scoreline today!

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## HAPPY AWAYDAYS

WEST HAM maintained their impressive away league form with a comfortable 4-0 victory over Bristol Rovers at Bath's tiny Twerton Park ground last Saturday.

It was Hammers' fifth away win in the First Division and the third time in seven matches that they have scored three or more goals on their travels.

Although Newcastle United retained their 100% record with a 2-1 win at rivals Sunderland on Sunday, to remain 10 points clear of us at the top, West Ham are now the division's leading away scorers with 14 goals for and only four conceded - compared to the Magpies' 9-4 goal difference.

Comparisons with the side that won promotion from the old Second Division two seasons ago are inevitable, and make interesting reading.

Statistically, the current side is better placed, having taken 23 points from its first 11 games, as opposed to 21 at the same stage in October 1990.

Our goal difference of 23-7 is also slightly better than the previous promotion-winning side's 20-8 (which included a 7-1 home demolition of Hull).

But it is in away games that the present team is really excelling. Their five away wins compares to only one during the same period two years ago, when four away matches were drawn. The 1990/91 side did, though, go on to win nine away games on their way to runners-up spot.

## MEMORIES

THE 6-0 thrashing of Sunderland in our last home game evoked fond memories of that glorious afternoon, October 19, 1968, when Hammers crushed the same team 8-0.



Scorer of a record six of those goals, Geoff Hurst, was here to see the latest rout of the Roker man, as were four more of the team who played that day 24 years ago... Martin Peters, Trevor Brooking and of course Billy Bonds and Harry Redknapp.

## DICKS OUT - AGAIN

SKIPPER Julian Dicks begins his second suspension of the season today - the start of a five-match ban imposed following his second

sending-off this season at Wolverhampton on October 4.

The absence of Hammers' popular number three is likely to mean a recall for Mitchell Thomas and another chance to prove his worth.

Thomas went on the transfer list at his own request soon after the start of the season, but he was still as committed as ever when presented with the chance to cover for Dicks in four games - the big wins at Peterborough and Bristol City and home draws with Derby and Crewe - and acquitted himself well each time.

# CLARET & BLUE NEWS





It is a measure of the strength in depth now available at Upton Park that Hammers can call upon such an experienced, capable player to cover for one of its most valuable assets.

## WELCOME, KEVIN

**YOUNG** Kevin Horlock returns to Upton Park today ... as a Swindon player.

A product of Hammers' youth and reserve teams, Kevin - who will be 20 in eight days' time - joined Swindon in the summer without having made the first team breakthrough here.

With Julian Dicks dominating the number three shirt and several others also in contention, he felt it was best to pursue his future elsewhere.

And Kevin certainly made his mark on his first full league appearance for the Robins ... scoring one of their goals in last Saturday's 5-1 victory over Notts County.

## PARKS RETURNS

**POPULAR** goalkeeper Tony Parks is back with West Ham ... to train.

After a brief spell on loan to Lou Macari's Stoke City in Division Two, Parks finds himself out of work again and is now on the dole.

But Tony, who was released by Hammers on a free transfer in the summer after making nine first team appearances last season, said: "I'm grateful to Bill for allowing me to keep in shape by training with the other lads at West Ham. I'm still living up the road at Chigwell, so it's training at Chadwell Heath is ideal. After playing quite a few games for Stoke's first team and reserves, it would be a shame to lose fitness at this stage.

"I've had talks with a couple of interested clubs but it's the same all round ... they need to sell players before they can buy new ones. It's very frustrating but I'm trying to keep my head up and just hope that a chance presents itself somewhere before too long."

## NO BUDO

**PARTISAN** Belgrade central defender Budimir "Budo" Vujacic will not be joining West Ham.

The Department of Employment last week turned down our application for a work permit for the 26 year-old Yugoslav international, who so impressed while on trial here.

# PRICE CUTS AT UPTON PARK

**ADMISSION** prices are coming DOWN at Upton Park!

**That is the good news for supporters who have criticised the club's price structure following the summer increases.**

West Ham United are pleased to announce price reductions for season tickets in both seated and terraced areas of the ground and in matchday seat prices.

These reductions, which range between 20-25% on seated season ticket prices and 15-18% on matchday seated prices, become effective from our next home game, against Notts County on November 7.

Managing Director Peter Storrie said: "The Club are responding to criticism we have received from supporters on admission prices, bearing in mind the effect of the present recession and level of unemployment in the area, and have decided to reduce prices.

"We surveyed over 200 supporters by telephone, to find out specifically why season ticket-holders had not renewed this season, and their views certainly influenced our decision to cut prices. I would like to thank all those people who took the time and trouble to respond to our survey, and the many hundreds of others who contacted us independently."

A statement from West Ham's Board of Directors read: "We want to acknowledge to the Club's supporters that by increasing ticket prices at the start of this season, the Club misread the economic situation and were asking the supporters to purchase tickets at prices they could simply not afford."

A Category 1 season ticket can now be purchased for £215 and will include 18 League and three Cup matches. The Family Enclosure at £160 for adults and just £80 for Junior Hammers. The East Terrace will be priced at £145, and the North Bank £135.

Peter Storrie explained: "Supporters who purchased season tickets at the increased prices will now be given refunds in the form of vouchers

that can be used against the cost of admission to the two home Anglo-Italian Cup matches (where prices are already being reduced for season ticket-holders), or their 1993/94 season ticket."

As a further incentive for fans to attend the games against Italy's Serie B teams Reggiana (Nov. 24) and Pisa (Dec. 16), the Club have decided to cut prices in all areas of the stadium.

Seats for each game will be priced at £12 - or only £18 for those purchasing a ticket for BOTH matches. Terrace admission at each game will be £8 - or £12 for the two.

And season ticket-holders will be able to watch the star-studded Italians at even cheaper prices - provided they purchase tickets in advance. Matchday seat prices are being slashed to £10 or £15 for both matches, while terrace admission will be just £6 or £9 for the two Anglo-Italian Cup matches, for those buying tickets before the day of the game.

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# PLAYING WITH STYLE

**GLENN Hoddle is fast earning a reputation as one of the game's most respected managers and no one is surprised that the emphasis at Swindon is on STYLE.**

That's how the gifted midfielder always played for England, Tottenham and Monaco during an illustrious playing career and his talent is still flourishing in the role of sweeper.

And no one is more aware of Hoddle's qualities - as an attacking, rather than defensive, player in a back line of three - than his former Spurs team mate, Hammers' striker Clive Allen.

In 1986/87 Allen broke Jimmy Greaves' goalscoring record at the club with 49 in the season. And he is the first to admit: "The majority of my goals were created by Glenn Hoddle. When he gained possession of the ball," said Allen, "I didn't need to wait to see what he was going to do with it. I simply run into the space and on to the pass I knew he would deliver my way. He was always a delight to play with."

"And the way he's got Swindon playing now is just the way he's always believed football should be played."

Hoddle's recent emergence as one of the leading new breed of young managers has also led to high-profile media exposure, as he is regularly invited to make TV and radio appearances, providing intelligent analysis and opinion on football's finer points.

But, as Clive Allen explained, there was little indication of Glenn's future ambitions during his glory days as the top player at White Hart Lane.

"Glenn never talked about the possibility of going into management," continued Allen, "and he used to be petrified at the thought of giving TV interviews."

"But playing for Monaco in France changed all that," added the much-travelled striker whose own career also embraced a spell in the French League, at Bordeaux.

"At Monaco, Glenn learned so much about the game - not only tactically, but how to prepare, physically and mentally, for matches - from their much-respected coach, Arsen Wenger."

Wenger had a big influence on Glenn and the things he learned in France are now bearing fruit at Swindon.

"In France, he and the rest of us who played there, had to learn fast how to handle the media and the many interviews the three football publications and daily newspapers demanded each day. That's why Glenn now looks so comfortable with a microphone."

Clive admits he is looking forward to today's game and a tussle with his old Tottenham team mates, Hoddle and Micky Hazard, another accomplished midfielder in the Glenn mould.

"No one at Tottenham doubted Micky's football ability - he was as talented as anybody else at the club, but he didn't always consistently do it in the first team and his opportunities were often limited because of the overall strength of the side. He's still a very good player, though, and a great passer of the ball."

"Although Glenn will line up as sweeper for Swindon, I don't see it as a case of him trying to stop me and Trevor Morley. Glenn plays the sweeper system like the continentals - as an attacking ploy, not simply bringing in an extra defender as most British teams do - so it will be up to us to make sure he doesn't

come forward into midfield and cause West Ham problems.

"Swindon are a side who put the emphasis on attack, as their results show, and another player to watch is David Kerslake. I played with him at QPR, where he won quite a number of England youth and under-21 caps, so I'm aware of his capabilities too."

"It should be a good game between us and Swindon - two sides who want to play football. It's good - for football's sake as a whole - to see them enjoying a bit of success. Just as long as they don't have any at our expense!"

**ALLEN IS LEAGUE LEADER**  
**MIDFIELDER** Martin Allen had the honour of captaining the Barclays League team to play an Italian Serie B representative side at Bristol City on Wednesday.

The 16-man squad was selected by manager Glenn Hoddle - in charge of today's visitors Swindon - and is distinguished recognition for the Hammers' midfielder, who has really bounced back to form this season after missing so many games last term through injuries.

Alvin Martin and Ludek Miklosko were also both named in Hoddle's original squad, but were ruled out by hand and back problems respectively. However, Alvin and Ludo are expected to be fit to face Swindon today.



Members of Barkingside JYC line up before our last home game, having received a cheque for £300 as their reward for West Ham winning the Barclays Performance of the Week award. This was in recognition of our recent 5-1 victory at Bristol City.

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*One of the success stories of the season so far, MARK ROBSON, is talking here to Tony McDonald about enjoying a fresh start with the club he supported as a boy...*

IN the modern era it is a pity that so much of football talk revolves around the subject of money. The mega-transfer deals, players' wages and the millions being paid for Premier League TV rights... these are the dominating issues of football 1992-style.

But, thank goodness, there are still refreshing aspects to the game as well. West Ham, with less money than a number of their rivals to spend in the transfer market in the last couple of years, are already reaping the reward of their modest summer investment. The three newcomers, Peter Butler, Mark Robson and Matt Holmes, cost only a little over £200,000 between them and each one is already looking a bargain buy.

So it must have brought no little satisfaction to manager Billy Bonds when he saw two of the six goals that crushed Sunderland come from the boot of Robson, a free transfer from London rivals Tottenham, while gritty midfielder Butler was always in the thick of the action and unlucky himself not to open his goals account.

"All three of the new lads have done very well and given us a lift," agreed Bonzo. "Peter and Mark have been regulars in the side but Mattie was unlucky to be left out for the Sunderland game because he had been outstanding at Southend, where he scored our winner to put us through in the Anglo-Italian Cup. "The important thing is that they all want to play for the club and see West Ham do well."

Robson, still only 23, has wanted to play for the Hammers since he

was a schoolkid up the road at Stratford. Now, after a long round trip that has taken in Exeter City, Plymouth, Reading and Spurs, the East Ender has come home... with a bang!

He and Kevin Keen have been dynamic on the wings this season and their confidence and enterprise has been rewarded with goals. Yet it is a measure of Robbo's fresh-faced innocence that the Beckton-based youngster was not entirely certain in his own mind of lining up in the last match here against Sunderland, let alone have thoughts of scoring two goals.

He revealed: "It was disappointing to lose the previous game at Crewe and, for me especially, because I was booked for the first time in my career. The lads pulled my leg a bit, saying that the club would fine me a week's wages for the yellow card. I panicked a bit at first because I knew I couldn't afford it!

"So I was just pleased to keep my place in the side for the Sunderland game. To be fair, we played well at Crewe but didn't get a lucky break. But against Sunderland our finishing was superb."

It was the first time Robson has scored twice in one match. Assistant manager Harry Redknapp went on record as saying that he hoped the two wide players would contribute six or seven league goals apiece this season, and Robson and Keen are now well on course to meet that target.

Continued Mark: "As forward players, we are aware that we need to score goals as well as supply

crosses for the main two strikers.

"Some of the football we played against Sunderland was superb - I thought we tore them apart at times. If we can maintain that sort of standard I don't see any reason why we won't be promoted."

Many rated Mark's first - Hammers' fifth - the pick of the six goals. He controlled Keen's pinpoint cross from the right with calm assurance and then waited for 'keeper Carter to commit himself before placing the ball in the corner of the net - much to the delight of the fans on the North Bank where Robbo used to stand himself as a boy.

But, with typical modesty, he said: "I thought Martin Allen's goal was the best of the lot. It was a good move in the middle of the park. Peter Butler put the ball through and Martin finished it superbly by lobbing the ball over the 'keeper."

After operating on the right flank in his previous games for the Hammers, Robson switched wings with Keen for the Sunderland game - to devastating effect.

"I was a bit surprised to be asked to play on the left," said Robson, "but, to be honest, I prefer that side. I've spent most of my career on the left and it was only during a loan spell with Reading that I played out on the right, so the switch suited me fine.

"We had worked in training on Friday at getting round the back post and coming across the face of goal when the ball is on the opposite side of the field, and it worked a treat against Sunderland.

"It was the best team performance I've ever been part of. We played well at Bristol City to win 5-1 but against Sunderland it was even better.

"It was good, too, that TV was here to cover it. Hopefully the local fans will see that we're playing

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good football and come back to see us."

Mark believes that the healthy competition for places, especially in midfield, will ensure Hammers maintain their current momentum over the rest of the season.

Last Saturday's 4-0 away victory over Bristol Rovers was achieved without the likes of Ian Bishop, George Parris, Matt Holmes and Mitchell Thomas - just four who have played in midfield during the past six months.

Admitted Robson: "After the result against Crewe I did think at one stage that the team might be changed, but the management stuck by us and we came up trumps again.

"There is competition for places and that has to be great for West Ham and the fans. While there is competition everybody will be playing to the best of their ability and wanting to stay in the side.

"Newcastle are still flying high, but they are getting the lucky breaks at the moment and there is still plenty of time to catch them. When we played Newcastle at their place, I watched the game that day and I wasn't over-impressed with them. If you can get at them, you can cause them problems. They can't keep winning and sooner or later they will falter. I'm very confident that when we play them at home, we'll beat them."

The only disappointing aspect of the Sunderland massacre was the attendance of only 10,326 - the lowest league gate for 35 years. The absence of the ITV cameras, allied to reduced admission prices, will hopefully lead to a much-needed upswing in attendance figures. And no one knows better than Mark the effect a buzzing Upton Park crowd can have on the men in claret and blue shirts.

He said: "I was a West Ham fan as a kid and even when I was playing for Tottenham, I'd come here in the week, if we didn't have a game, to see the Hammers play. There was always a special atmosphere about the place and it would be nice to see more fans inside the ground now. I know there have been problems at the club but it would be nice to put those behind us and see a few more people come along. Because I think we can play even better than we did against Sunderland," he added.





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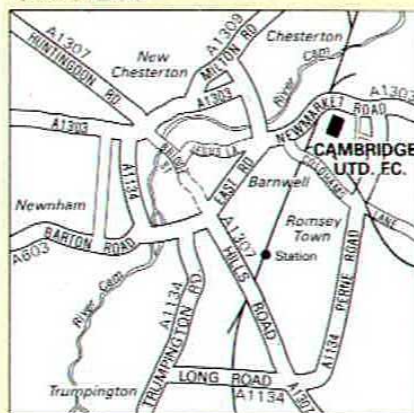
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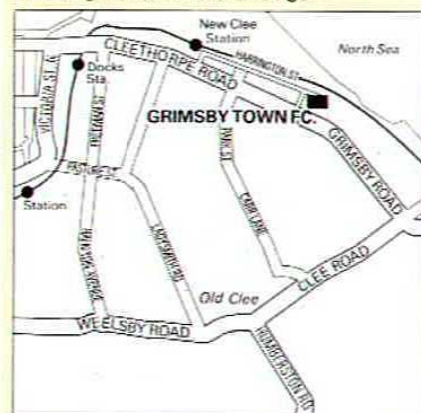
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Terrace: £7 (allocation 1,800)

Terrace tickets and seat tickets (if any are remaining after sales to  
Bond holders) will be available to SEASON TICKET HOLDERS  
USING VOUCHER No. 56 as follows:

Saturday 24 Oct - 10am to 5pm.

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NEW TRAVEL CLUB MEMBERS, SUPPORTERS ASSOCIATION  
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can apply for any remaining terrace tickets as follows:-

Monday 26 Oct & Tuesday 27 Oct - 9.30am to 5pm.

There will be a limit of ONE ticket per member.

If any tickets are remaining after previous sales they will go on  
GENERAL SALE from Wednesday 28 Oct onwards 9.30am to 5pm.  
There will be a limit of TWO tickets per person.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE MATCHES IN THE  
ANGLO ITALIAN CUP CAN BE FOUND ON PAGE 27.

### v GRIMSBY TOWN (AWAY) Barclays League Division One Tuesday 3rd November 1992 Kick off 7.30pm.

THIS MATCH IS NOT ALL TICKET.

Seats: £8 (allocation 500)

SEASON TICKET HOLDERS TO APPLY AS FOLLOWS USING  
VOUCHER No. 57: Saturday 24 Oct - 10am to 5pm.

There will be a limit of ONE ticket per voucher and FOUR  
vouchers per person.

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Monday 26 Oct & Tuesday 27 Oct - 9.30am to 5pm.

There will be a limit of ONE ticket per member.

If any seats are remaining after previous sales they will go on  
GENERAL SALE from Wednesday 28 Oct onwards 9.30am to 5pm.

There will be a limit of TWO tickets per person.

Admission to terraces via Constitutional Avenue or Harrington  
Street is by paying at the turnstiles. Cost: £5.50.

### v MILLWALL (AWAY) Barclays League Division One Sunday 15th November 1992 Kick off 12 noon

THIS MATCH IS ALL TICKET

Seats: £13 (allocation 160 - for Bond holders only)

Terrace: £8 (allocation 3,500)

BOND HOLDERS TO APPLY AS FOLLOWS FOR SEAT OR  
TERRACE TICKETS:

Thursday 29 Oct & Friday 30 Oct - 9.30am to 5pm.

There will be a limit of ONE ticket per holder.

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ONLY AS FOLLOWS USING VOUCHER No. 58:

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Monday 2 Nov & Tuesday 3 Nov - 9.30am to 5pm.

There will be a limit of ONE ticket per voucher and FOUR  
vouchers per person.

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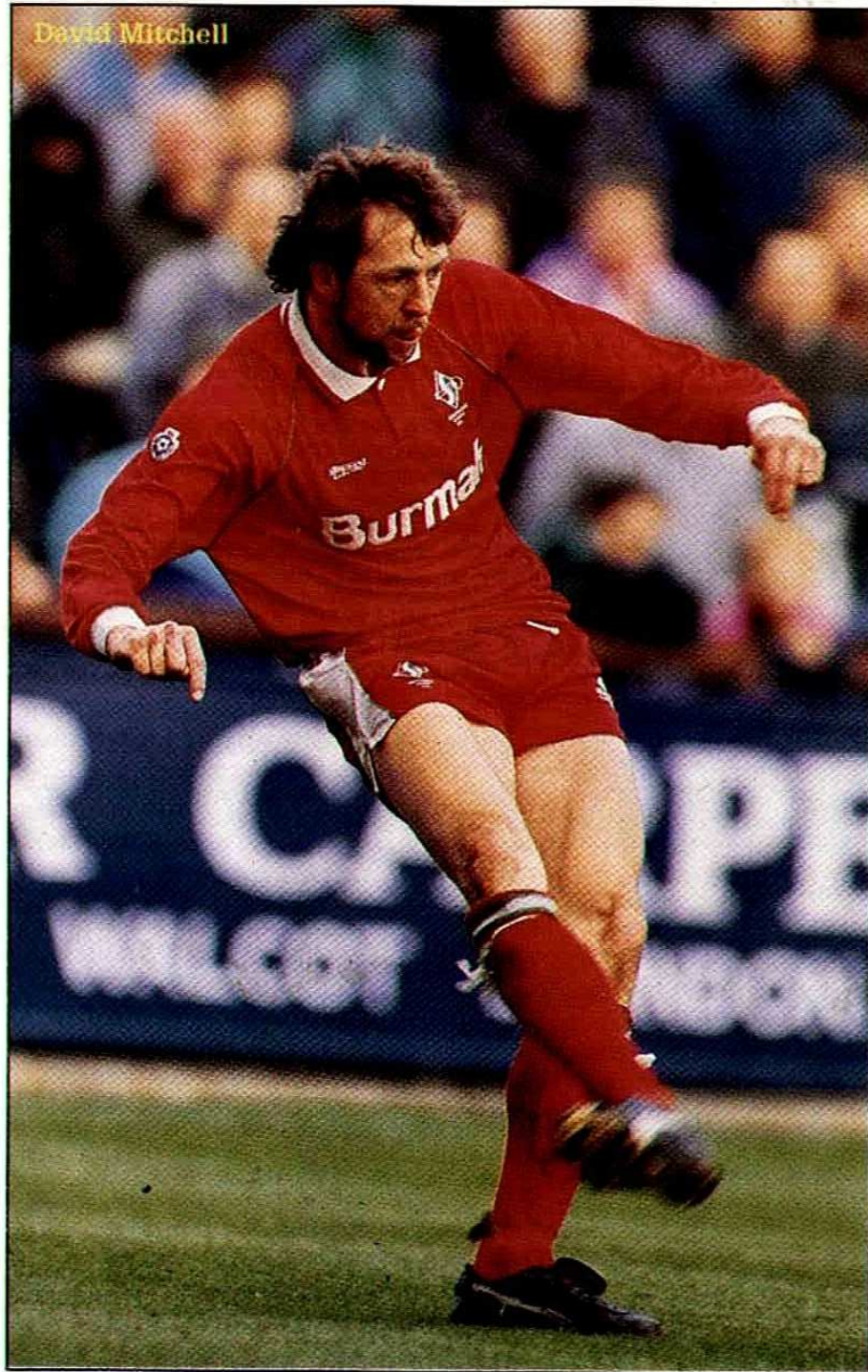
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David Mitchell



Free scoring Swindon Town arrive at Upton Park this afternoon fresh from their largest League win of the season last weekend; a 5-1 thumping of Notts County.

Yet, despite the scoreline, there seems to be something not quite right about that County Ground win.

It contained the same elegant passing game that has brought Glenn Hoddle's team such praise over the last couple of seasons, it included the fluid sweeper system which is the hallmark of the Swindon game, but what it didn't have was the name of Craig Maskell on the scoresheet.

That is a distinct rarity at Swindon these days, because the £250,000 rated summer 'part exchange' from Reading has been in devastating form since his July switch.

With nine League goals already this season Aldershot born Maskell is already looking to be one of the bargain buys of the First Division yet, when you look at his pedigree, perhaps his success shouldn't have been a surprise.

The 24 year old marksman was leading scorer for the Elm Park club last term with 15 goals, and Craig had twice previously finished top scorer in two campaigns with Huddersfield.

But it isn't Maskell's fine form alone that has seen Swindon bulge their opponents' net on three times or more in six games already this season. The First Division's leading scorers are scoring an average of more than two goals every League game thanks to sharing around their goalscoring duties.

No fewer than nine players have tasted goal-grabbing glory already this campaign with the strikers and midfield players being joined by central defenders and full backs in the scoring duties.

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## VISITORS

In fact, only the goalkeeping position, filled this season by Nicky Hammond and Fraser Digby, has failed to come up with a goal so far!

One of Hoddle's two defensive markers employed in his sweeper encompassing pattern, Shaun Taylor has been in especially good form in the opponents' penalty area, having scored six times already this campaign, although his desire to get forward may have to be dampened to cut down on the number of goals that Swindon have conceded this season.

Although top scorers in the division, Swindon also possess one of the worst defensive records among the top 16 clubs, and are especially susceptible to giving away goals away from home.

In five matches away from the County Ground in the League this season, Swindon have conceded 12 goals in accruing just four points, and have already tasted defeat at Upton Park as Charlton are one of the three clubs to have defeated the Town on their travels.

Swindon's only win was at Twerton Park against West Country neighbours Bristol Rovers and, true to form, that was a high scoring encounter in which Town secured the points by the odd goal in seven. Their draw was at Wolves (2-2).

Both of those point winning performances were in the first week of the season and since then Swindon have only had cup performances to provide away day cheer. Oxford United were beaten at the Manor Ground (3-1) in the Anglo-Italian and lowly Torquay United's 'colour psychology' failed to help them in the Coca-Cola Cup.

Torquay have painted their visitors' dressing rooms pink because american psychologists suggest this makes opponents timid...Swindon answered that with a 6-0 Plainmoor win!

But going against the accepted norm is something that Swindon have become good at in recent years. Ossie Ardiles planted the unconventional seed with his daring diamond formation play during his days in the County Ground hot seat and that

has been taken on and enhanced by Glenn Hoddle since his arrival in April 1991.

Hoddle, capped 53 times by England, will always be remembered for his head turning displays during 12 seasons with Tottenham, but he also enjoyed three good years with Monaco before returning to England with what was claimed to be a 'dodgey knee'.

Monaco's loss was Swindon's gain because the 34 year-old player-boss has proved to be an inspirational managerial choice, although Swindon critics do say that the team play only

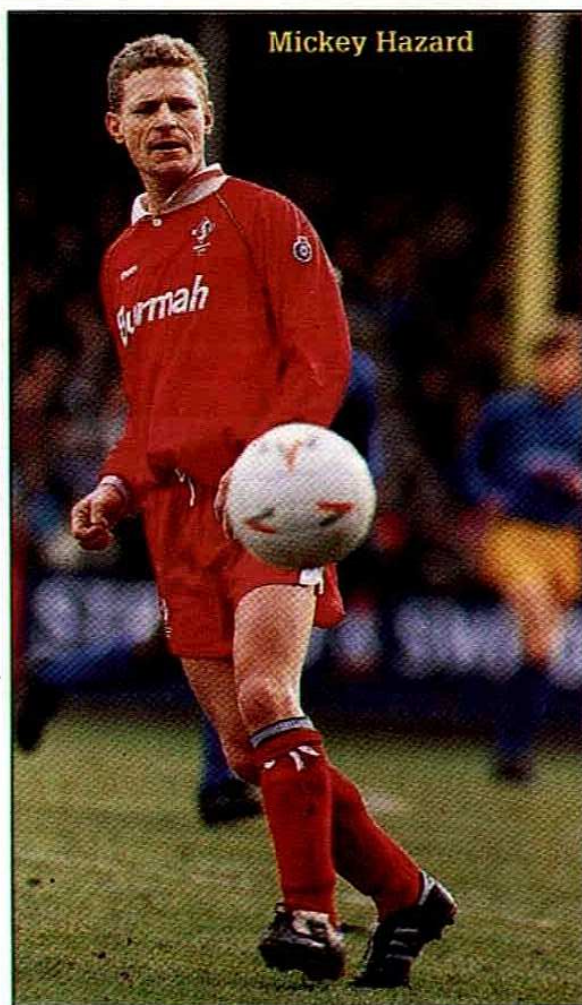
half as well without him in the side to direct those 50 yard defence splitting balls first hand.

So far this campaign he has been forced to sit out only a couple of games, and started the season in fine style with a 30 yard winner against Sunderland.

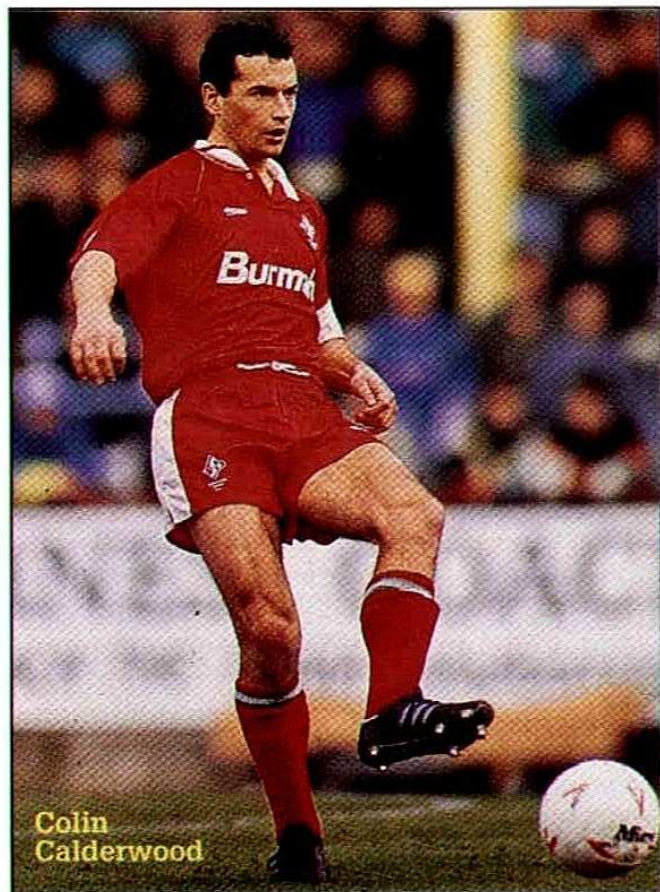
The goal scoring analysis shows that Swindon are prepared to speculate to accumulate, using the principle that conceding goals is unimportant as long as you finish with more than the opposition, and they certainly have the players to live up to this Bohemian philosophy.

The regular full backs of David Kerslake and Paul Bodin, the latter now in his second spell with the club, are more often found in the opponents' half than their own while the regular midfield trio of Martin Ling, John Moncur and Mickey Hazard know more than a thing or two about creative football.

And, in Craig Maskell, the Town now look to have the clinical finisher missing since Duncan Shearer was old last season, to add the thrust of cold steel to Swindon's much admired approach play.



Mickey Hazard



Colin Calderwood



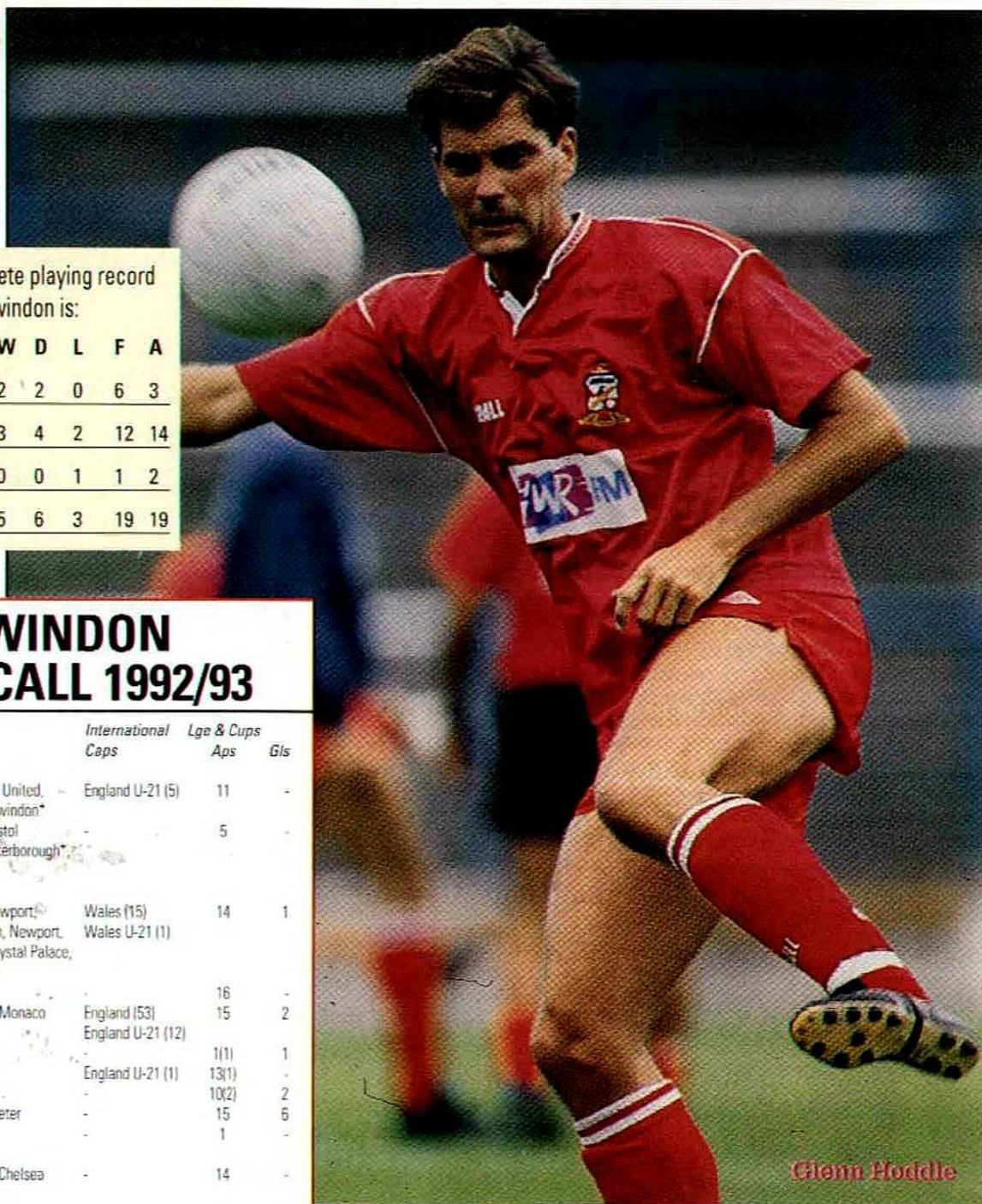
West Ham's complete playing record  
against Swindon is:

	P	W	D	L	F	A
Division Two	4	2	2	0	6	3
F.A. Cup	9	3	4	2	12	14
League Cup	1	0	0	1	1	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>19</b>

## SWINDON ROLL CALL 1992/93

Player	Previous Clubs	International Caps	Lge & Cups Aps	Gl
<b>GOALKEEPER</b>				
Digby Fraser	Manchester United, Oldham*, Swindon*	England U-21 (5)	11	-
Nicky Hammond	Arsenal, Bristol Rovers*, Peterborough*, Aberdeen*	-	5	-
<b>DEFENDERS</b>				
Paul Bodin	Chelsea, Newport, Cardiff, Bath, Newport, Swindon, Crystal Palace, Newcastle*	Wales (15) Wales U-21 (1)	14	1
Colin Calderwood	Mansfield	-	16	-
Glenn Hoddle	Tottenham, Monaco	England (53) England U-21 (12)	15	2
Kevin Horlock	West Ham	-	1(1)	1
David Kerlake	Q.P.R.	England U-21 (1)	13(1)	-
Nick Summerbee	-	-	10(2)	2
Shaun Taylor	Bideford, Exeter	-	15	6
Adrian Viveash	Swindon	-	1	-
<b>MIDFIELD</b>				
Mike Hazard	Tottenham, Chelsea, Portsmouth	-	14	-
Martin Ling	Exeter, Swindon, Southend, Mansfield*, Swindon*	-	15	3
John Moncur	Tottenham, Doncaster*, Cambridge*, Portsmouth*, Brentford*, Ipswich*, Nottingham Forest*	-	11(1)	1
<b>FORWARDS</b>				
Shaun Close	Tottenham, Bournemouth -	-	1(2)	-
Craig Maskell	Southampton, Swindon*, Huddersfield, Reading	-	15	11
David Mitchell	Hangers, Eintracht Frankfurt, Feyenoord, Chelsea, Newcastle*	Australia	15	8
Steve White	Mangotsfield, Bristol Rovers, Luton, Charlton, Lincoln*, Luton*, Bristol Rovers	-	1(8)	3

\* Denotes played on loan.  
Statistics include Saturday 17 October, 1992.



Glenn Hoddle

## PAST RESULTS AGAINST SWINDON

### LEAGUE LANDMARKS

**Biggest victory:** 2-0 in 1990/91

**Heaviest defeat:** none

**Last home win:** 2-0 in 1990/91

**Last away win:** 1-0 in 1990/91

**Last home draw:** 1-1 in 1989/90

**Last away draw:** 2-2 in 1989/90

**Last home defeat:** none

**Last away defeat:** none

### LAST HOME LEAGUE MEETING

Saturday April 20th, 1991 - Division Two

**WEST HAM (1) 2** Parris, Dowie

**SWINDON (0) 0**

**ATTENDANCE:** 25,944

**WEST HAM:** Miklosko, Potts, Parris, Gale, Stewart, Hughton, Bishop, Slater, Dowie, Keen (Allen), Morley

**SWINDON:** Digby, Kerlake, Viveash, Hazard, Simpson, Gittens, Jones, Shearer, Rideout (White), MacLaren, Foley



**HAMMERS climbed to second place in Division One with a thoroughly convincing 4-0 victory over Bristol Rovers at Bath City's Twerton Park ground.**

Although Rovers looked what they are - a side struggling at the foot of the table - it should not detract from another polished win by the Hammers, who extended their unbeaten league run to eight games.

Once again, West Ham virtually clinched the three points by half-time. Trevor Morley, enjoying possibly his best game of the season, opened the scoring in the 17th minute. He provided the clinical left-foot finish to a move started by Tim Breacker and continued by Clive Allen, who left Rovers' defence bewildered with a deft flick over the top for his fellow striker to run on to. Rovers' right-back Alexander endured a particularly harrowing time and it was his shove on Morley - trying to connect with a Keen cross from the right - that led to Hammers' second after 35 minutes. Julian Dicks, playing his last game before serving a five-match suspension, rifled the spot-kick past helpless young 'keeper Kelly, who was replacing the dropped Parkin.

Kelly's inexperience showed in the 41st minute when he hesitated to meet a low through ball, and the lively Kevin Keen nipped in to clip the ball over his body for West Ham's third.

Bristol rarely threatened at the other end. Marcus Stewart, whose goals earned Rovers a shock 2-2 Anglo-Italian Cup draw at Upton Park early last month, was marked out of this game by Steve Potts. Hammers' defensive assurity was typified by the confident Ludek Miklosko received one passback and struck it upfield to a team mate with the outside of his right boot!

West Ham retained control of the game from the first whistle to the last, although they had to wait until the 83rd minute for their fourth goal in the Bath sunshine. Dynamic, little midfielder Peter Butler, who worked tirelessly all game, looked set to score his first for the club when he burst into the penalty area.

But his low shot rebounded off the post, ran across the line and there was Clive Allen to snap up a typical opportunist's goal - his sixth of the season. Minutes later, Allen showed his class again when he backheeled a pass to Butler, but this time his rising shot was forced behind for a corner by Kelly.

## SPEECH BUBBLES

"We're going out fully believing we can beat anyone now" ...ALVIN MARTIN in DAGENHAM POST.

"Dennis Rofo, the Rovers' manager, admitted afterwards that it was his worst experience in football" ...SUNDAY TELEGRAPH.

"Rovers went in at half-time three goals down, shell-shocked by Hammers' sizzling onslaught" ...SUNDAY EXPRESS.

### BRISTOL ROVERS 0, WEST HAM 4

(Barclays League Div. 1)

**Rovers** (4-4-2): Kelly, Alexander, Clark, Yates, Hardyman, Skinner, Mehew, Reece, Taylor, Stewart, Cross.  
Subs: Wilson, Saunders.  
Booked: Clark.

**Hammers** (4-4-2): Miklosko, Breacker, Dicks, Potts, A. Martin, M. Allen, Robson, Butler, Morley, C. Allen, Keen.  
Subs: Gale, Holmes.  
Booked: M. Allen, Morley.  
Att: 6,187. Ref: G. Ashby.



Peter Butler gave another gritty midfield performance against Bristol Rovers and was unlucky not to score his first league goal for the club.

# ON THE RECORD



## PRaise for Fans

TAKE a bow . . . West Ham fans who backed the team in the Coca-Cola Cup defeat at Crewe earlier this month.

We have received the following letter from Brian Lammond, Divisional Commander of Cheshire Constabulary:

"I wish to bring to your attention the impeccable behaviour of your fans at the Crewe Alexandra v West Ham United game played yesterday evening at Crewe.

"As the match Commander it was a pleasure dealing with supporters who were good natured and very well behaved.

"Even towards the end of the game, when the result was inevitably disappointing for them, they did not react to the banter from home supporters, leaving the ground without incident.

"May I, through the programme, thank them for the way they conducted themselves and wish them and your team every success for the remainder of the season."

## CAR FOUND

THE Ford XR3i belonging to Hammers' fan John Tompkins and, as reported in the last home programme, stolen at Wolverhampton, has now been recovered. Although John, from Dagenham, was pleased to see the return of his pride and joy, his relief was tempered somewhat by the extent of the damage to the car, estimated at around £800.

## GET THE MESSAGE

SEVERAL references to West Ham appeared in the Secret Services personal messages column of the DAGENHAM POST newspaper last week.

Darren and Patrick sent out a rallying call when they wrote: "To all those armchair West Ham supporters, don't you realise our club needs you all now. We are supposed to have a great army of fans, so come on you Irons, let's see you all".

But the gentleman calling himself 'Wild Child' hardly had reassuring words for his girlfriend when he wrote: "Donna M - whoever you are, you've got as much chance of getting pregnant by me as West Ham United winning the League".

## HAMMERS NEWS

DON'T forget to obtain your copy of the latest Hammers News - on sale around the ground today.

The October edition is packed with interesting features, including interviews with TREVOR MORLEY, MARTIN ALLEN, KEVIN KEEN, IAN BISHOP and TIM BREACKER.

Youth team coach TONY CARR points the way to a brighter future for English youngsters, while physio JOHN GREEN reveals the players' favourite meals and how they prepare for each game.

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Mark Robson receives Dagenham Motors man of the match from David Philip at Crewe game.



Alvin Martin receives man of the match award from Fred Davey of South Eastern Electrical - sponsors of the Crewe game.

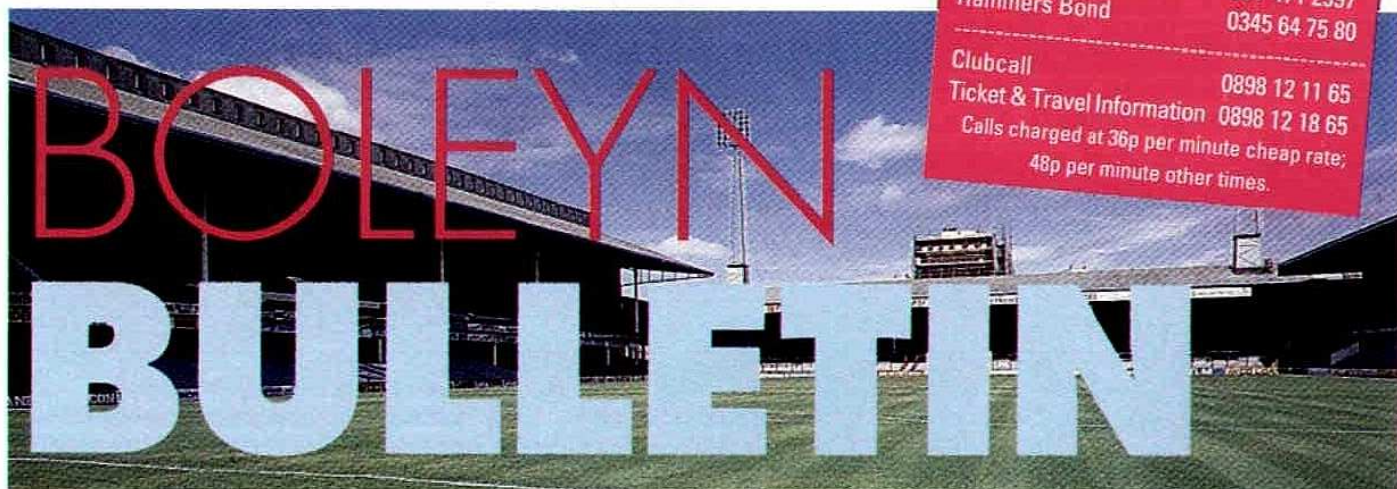
## KEEP OFF THE PITCH

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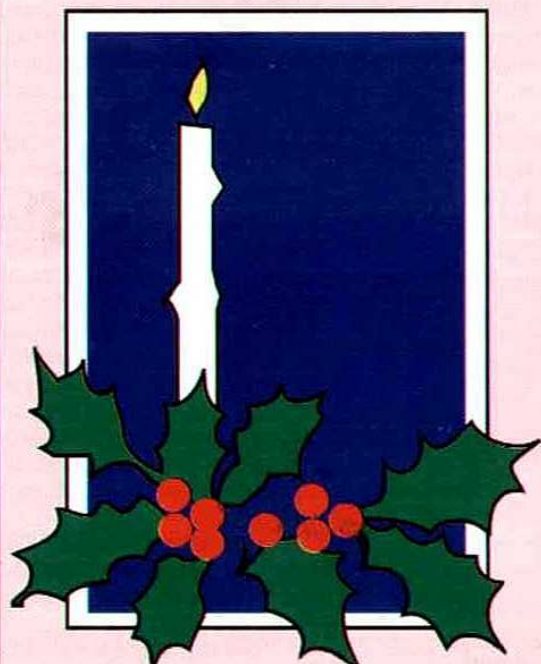


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**WEST Ham produced their Sunday Best to hammer last season's FA Cup losers Sunderland 6-0. After being knocked out of the Coca-Cola Cup at Crewe in midweek, it was important for Hammers to regain their momentum and they could not have produced a better performance than this.**

Yet, ironically, Don Goodman missed two good early chances before Kevin Keen gave Hammers the lead in the 25th minute. Goodman was off the field for nine minutes receiving stitches in a head wound and by the time he returned, his side were two down!

Keen's low drive from 25 yards, following a short corner involving Martin Allen, opened the floodgates and Hammers were brimming with good, creative football. Trevor Morley made it 2-0 from close range, capitalising on a mix-up in the middle of the visitors' defence, and six minutes before the break Martin Allen was sent clear by Peter Butler's first time pass. Goalkeeper Carter rushed towards the Hammers' midfielder who made it three with a well-executed chip from the edge of the area.

In the second half, Hammers continued where they left off in the first. Within three minutes of the restart, Julian Dicks and Clive Allen saw their headers blocked but the ball fell kindly to Alvin Martin who couldn't miss from five yards out.

After 61 minutes Mark Robson scored the first of his two goals. He superbly controlled Keen's right-wing cross, waited for Carter to commit himself and then placed the ball between 'keeper and post. A delightful finish.

The two wingers cut through Sunderland's shaky defence again for Hammers' sixth in injury-time. Keen underlined his new-found confidence with another well-struck shot that forced a save from Carter, but the rebound fell invitingly for Robbo to volley home.

At the other end, Ludek Miklosko did what little work he had to do with maximum efficiency. He dived

low to save a free-kick from Goodman. And, to complete a miserable day for the Sunderland striker, Ludo saved his penalty kick after Steve Potts was adjudged (wrongly, in the light of ITV's evidence) to have fouled Owers.

Sunderland were poor, nothing like the team that won the FA Cup fifth round replay at Upton Park last February. They were without striker John Byrne, who scored twice against Hammers last season, but take nothing away from West Ham. They totally overwhelmed the opposition with some entertaining football that deserved a much bigger stadium audience than 10,326 - our lowest for a home league game in 35 years.

Sunday, October 11  
**WEST HAM 6, SUNDERLAND 0**

**Hammers (4-4-2):** Miklosko, Breacker, Dicks, Potts, A. Martin, M. Allen, Robson, Butler, Morley, C. Allen, Keen.

**Subs:** Gale, Holmes.  
**Scorers:** Keen (25), Morley (29), M. Allen (39), A. Martin (48), Robson (61, 90).

**Sunderland (4-4-2):** Carter, Kay, Rogan, Owers, Bennett, Ball, Cunningham (Atkinson 54), Goodman, Davenport, Gray, Armstrong (Rush 54).

**Booked:** Ball.  
**Ref:** R. Milford (Bristol)  
**Att:** 10,326.

## 'SPEECH BUBBLES'

"We were very poor and a big let-down to our magnificent supporters. They are the ones I feel really sorry for. If I analysed in detail every mistake we made, I'd be here until midnight" ...Sunderland manager **MALCOLM CROSBY**.

"The faithful few who did pay their money at the gate really got behind West Ham from the start. At one stage they chanted the name of Bonds' assistant, Harry Redknapp, and the former Bournemouth manager's influence should not be underestimated" ...**DAGENHAM POST**.

"The 8,000-odd former season ticket-holders who watched Sunday's demolition of Sunderland on the box, cannot have failed to have been impressed" ...**EAST LONDON ADVERTISER**.

"We looked as if a goal would come from every attack" ...**TONY GALE in the NEWHAM RECORDER**.



Mark Robson and Clive Allen celebrate with Martin Allen after the third goal.

# ON THE RECORD





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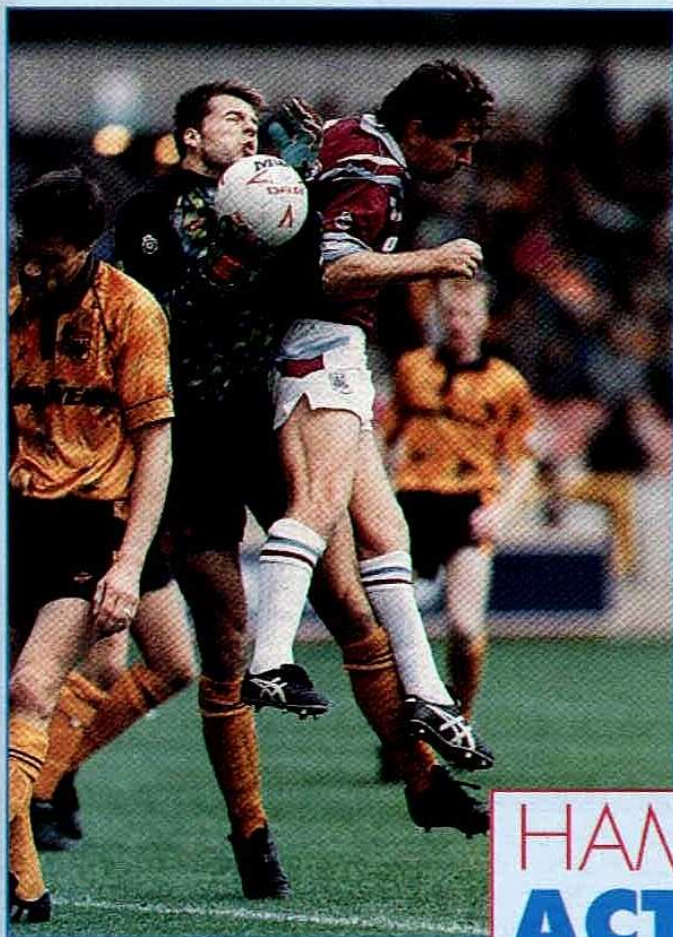
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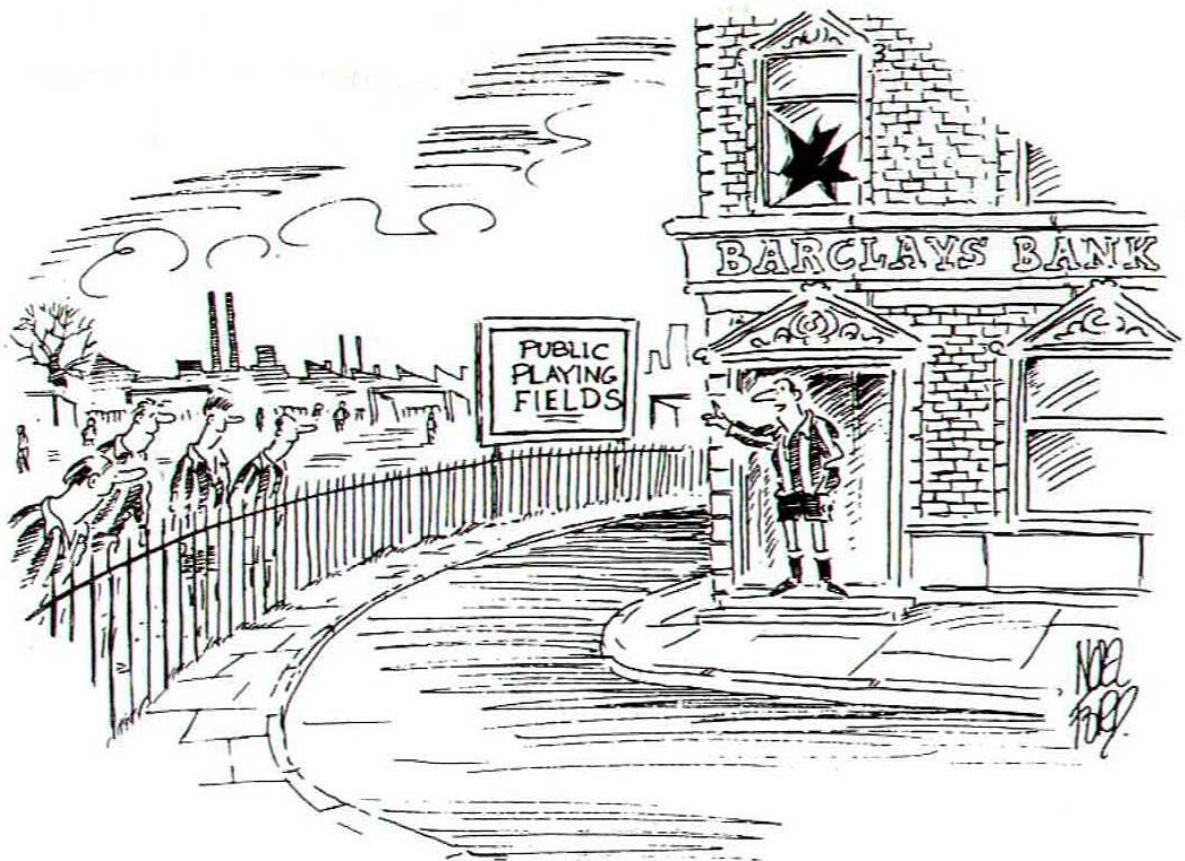
## HAMMER ACTION

In the 0-0 draw with Wolves at Molineux Clive Allen (top left) puts his challenge into Wolves 'keeper Mike Stowell whilst Tim Breacker (top right) makes a well timed interception.

Despite being grounded Trevor Morley (bottom left) keeps possession and 'In the wars' Alvin Martin (bottom right) marshalls the Hammers defence.







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## BILL ROBINSON

**It was with deep regret and sadness that club officials heard of the death of Bill Robinson on Wednesday, October 7. Bill's sudden passing came as a great shock as he had appeared to be in good health when he renewed his links with old acquaintances on our visit to Newcastle earlier this season.**

Born at Whitburn, Co. Durham on April 4, 1919, Bill led the Sunderland Boys' side to victory in the 1934 English Schools Shield final and was immediately signed as an amateur by the Sunderland league club.

After signing professional forms he serviced the Roker Park club well - until the outbreak of the Second World War - and once scored three goals in four minutes against Manchester United in March 1939.

During war-time football he guested for Charlton Athletic and was in their 1943-44 team which beat Chelsea 3-1 in the final of the South Cup at Wembley. His ability during this period so impressed the Charlton manager, Jimmy Seed, that he approached the Wearsiders for his transfer and was delighted to secure his services for £1,000 in the summer of 1946.

In his first season with the Londoners Bill won an FA Cup-winner's medal. He led the attack in the 1947 final when Burnley were beaten 1-0, playing a major part in the move which led to Chris Duffy's goal.

With West Ham United suffering from injuries to their recognised centre-forwards they approached The Valiants and on January 12, 1949, Bill moved across the Thames to East London for a fee in the region of £7,000. The previous weekend

Bill had played at Upton Park for Charlton Reserves and the following Saturday donned the Hammers' colours to score on his debut at The Hawthorns against West Bromwich Albion.

His brilliant leadership, clever ball distribution and unselfishness in leaving the shooting opportunities to other players more suitably placed, made him the ideal team player.

A fearless centre-forward, Bill still managed to get his fair share of goals and created a post-war record of 26 goals in 40 league appearances which stood until John Dick surpassed it six years later.

Bill's full Hammers record is as follows:

A troublesome knee injury forced Bill Robinson to retire at the end of the 1952-53 season, and he was appointed to our coaching and scouting staff. With Wally St. Pier he took over the junior sides and became full-time organiser of the Hammers' youth section.

The success Hammers' youngsters achieved in the next 10 years, and the wealth of players that were developed through the system, owed much to Bill Robinson's talent in spotting and nurturing their precocious skills to ultimate fruition.

In 1953-54 the Hammers got to the semi-final of the FA Youth Cup and three seasons later got to the final, only to be defeated by Manchester United's famous Busby Babes team. The young Hammers got to the final again in 1958-59, only losing out after extra time in the second leg at Blackburn Rovers' ground.

Greater success was achieved in the Southern Junior Floodlit Cup, with four final appearances in four years. After losing out to Chelsea in 1955-56 the Hammers won the trophy



**Bill Robinson**

for the next three seasons.

At this time also were started the youth tours that helped gain the Hammers an international reputation in European junior soccer, with visits to Belgium, Holland, Germany and Switzerland.

In November 1957 Bill was promoted to assistant manager of the club, under Ted Fenton, and at the end of the season saw the side promoted from the Second Division for the first time in 26 years.

Two years later Bill returned to his native North-East when he became manager of Hartlepool United but he remained a devoted West Ham follower and rarely missed watching his old club when we played in the North of England.

During his spare time Bill enjoyed a game of golf and in his younger days enjoyed cricket, as well as being a keen gardener.

**By John Helliard**

# THOSE WERE THE DAYS



# IN THE COMMUNITY

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### FUTURE AWAY GAMES

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### ON OUR WAY TO ITALY

The 3-0 victory over Southend Utd enabled Hammers to make further progress in the Anglo-Italian Cup.

**Picture 1:** Julian Dicks scores from the penalty spot.

**Picture 2:** Hammers first goal scored by Trevor Morley.

**Picture 3:** Matt Holmes makes a tackle in midfield.

**Picture 4:** Martin Allen and John Cornwell clash in this Hammers attack.



# ANGLO ITALIAN CUP



**v REGGIANA**  
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Wednesday 11th November.

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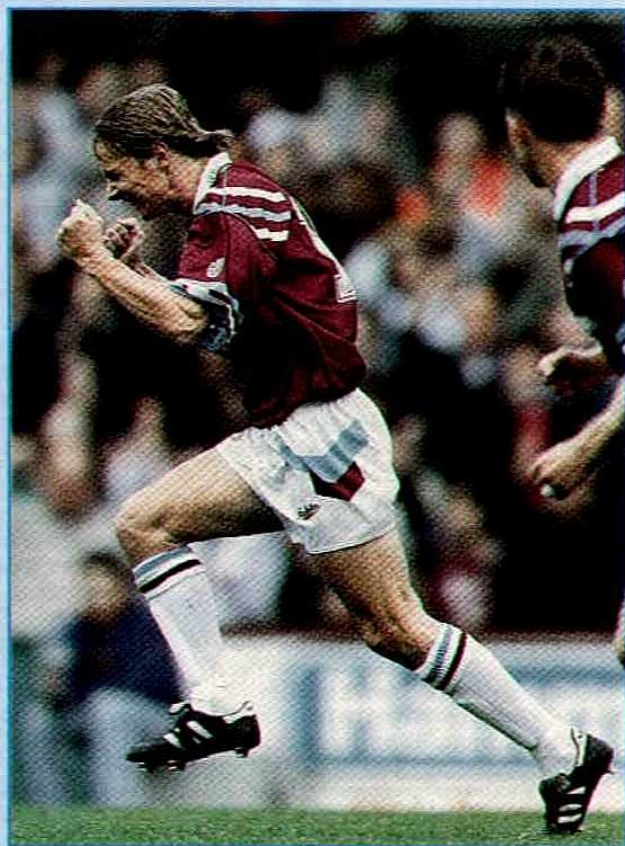


## HAMMER ACTION

In a thrilling 6-0 victory over Sunderland Mark Robson (above) scores his first goal with the Sunderland defence grounded and below a goal from Man of the Match Alvin Martin.







## CELEBRATION TIME!

'Ludo' Miklosko (left) shows his delight after saving a penalty and at the other end of the park Kevin Keen (above) celebrates his goal and Tim Breacker congratulates goalscorer Trevor Morley (below) in the 6-0 victory over Sunderland.





NEVILLE OVENDEN  
FOOTBALL COMBINATION

A mixed bag of fortune has greeted our Reserve side in their last two matches - both away encounters with teams at either end of the combination table.

The visit to Welling for our fixture with Charlton Athletic on October 5, began with a rather disappointing first half, although Tony Clarke had a shot saved after 10 minutes and Colin Foster and Matthew Rush went close with headers.

The Charlton side, which included eight young players as well as joint manager Alan Curbishley, did well to turn round at half-time on equal terms but within six minutes of the restart found themselves a goal in arrears. A free-kick was only half-cleared and George Parris, running in, hit a right-foot shot from 22 yards into the top corner of the net.

Steven Banks was then called upon to make a good save and deny the home side an equaliser after 55 minutes. Ten minutes later we increased our lead when a Parris cross from the right was knocked in by Ian Bishop for his first goal of the season.

The South Londoners reduced the arrears after 70 minutes when their centre-forward picked up the ball on the half-way line and after a fine solo effort, saw his initial shot parried by 'keeper Banks - only to get the rebound back and score.

Within four minutes we again increased our advantage when an Ian Bishop free-kick was superbly met by Colin Foster whose powerful, diving header flew into the net. We had several other chances, could not press home our advantage but by the final whistle run out as worthy winners.

On Tuesday, October 13, we travelled to North London for our fourth consecutive away fixture of the campaign. Arsenal at Highbury are always a formidable opposition but our reserves went in the knowledge that they had a good win over the Gunners in the previous match.

After three minutes Paul Whitmarsh had a good effort saved by the opposing 'keeper with his legs and a similar fate greeted George Parris' shot after he received a pass from Simon Clarke. Following a Matt Holmes cross Ian Bishop forced another good save from the home custodian.

It was not until the 25th minute that Steven Banks was called upon to make a save, but eight minutes later disaster struck when he was sent off after bringing down the Gunners centre forward in the penalty area. Simon Clarke donned the green jersey but was

unable to save the resultant spot-kick and, in another incident soon after, broke one of his fingers saving in a goalmouth incident.

Although reduced to 10 men, we still managed to get back on to equal terms when, on the stroke of half-time, Dean Martin curled in a shot from 25 yards after cutting in from the right.

At the interval it was decided to substitute Clarke because he was in so much pain and Matt Holland took over between the posts. He was soon called into action, making a good save.

Even though we were understrength the North Londoners could not dominate affairs and the game remained evenly balanced. However, after 84 minutes the Gunners finally forced home a header at the far post to snatch the points by the odd goal in three. With two minutes to go, Scott Canham was denied a final equaliser.

Manager Paul Hilton thought his lads were unlucky not to have got a draw.

Monday, October 5, 1992

## CHARLTON 1, WEST HAM 3

Hammers: Banks, Brown, Marquis, Gale, Foster, Parris, Rush, Bishop, D. Martin, S. Clarke, Holmes (Whitmarsh 80). Sub: Holland. Scorers: Parris, Bishop, Foster.

Tuesday, October 13, 1992

## ARSENAL 2, WEST HAM 1

Hammers: Banks, Brown, Thomas, Gale, Foster, Parris, D. Martin, Bishop, Whitmarsh (Canham 75), S. Clarke (Holland 46), Holmes. Scorer: Martin.

## NEVILLE OVENDEN FOOTBALL COMBINATION

## Division One

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Millwall	9	7	1	1	18	9	22
Chelsea	8	6	1	1	18	9	19
Wimbledon	8	5	2	1	18	9	17
Arsenal	9	5	1	3	20	8	16
Crystal Palace	9	4	3	2	22	14	15
Q.P.R.	9	3	3	3	16	10	15
Southampton	10	4	3	3	14	13	15
Tottenham	8	4	1	3	18	9	13
Watford	9	3	4	2	15	20	13
Oxford United	8	3	3	2	8	14	12
West Ham United	9	3	2	4	14	12	11
Norwich City	9	3	2	4	16	19	11
Brighton & H.A.	9	3	2	4	9	18	11
Ipswich Town	9	3	1	5	11	15	10
Fulham	8	2	2	4	7	12	8
Portsmouth	9	2	2	5	12	21	8
Charlton Athletic	8	2	1	5	7	12	7
Bristol City	9	1	3	5	10	17	6
Luton Town	7	1	2	4	8	15	5
Swindon Town	8	1	1	6	8	17	4

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NEVILLE OVENDEN  
COMBINATION FIXTURES

Aug 14	A	Queen's Park Rangers	1-2
Aug 18	A	Watford	2-3
Aug 26	H	Bristol City	5-1
Sep 2	A	Swindon Town	1-1
Sep 8	H	Arsenal	1-0
Sep 16	A	Oxford United	0-2
Sep 30	A	Southampton	0-0
Oct 5	A	Charlton Athletic	
Oct 13	A	Arsenal	
Oct 20	H	Swindon	
Oct 27	H	Charlton Athletic	
Nov 3	H	Chelsea	
Nov 10	H	Ipswich Town	
Nov 17	H	Southampton	
Nov 23	A	Luton Town	
Dec 1	H	Brighton & Hove Albion	
Dec 9	A	Wimbledon	
Dec 15	H	Oxford United	
Dec 30	H	Queen's Park Rangers	
Jan 4	A	Millwall	
Jan 12	H	Watford	
Jan 20	A	Fulham	
Feb 3	A	Portsmouth	
Feb 11	H	Millwall	
Feb 16	H	Crystal Palace	
Feb 23	H	Wimbledon	
Feb 27	A	Brighton & Hove Albion	
Mar 8	A	Crystal Palace	
Mar 16	H	Portsmouth	
Mar 24	A	Tottenham Hotspur	
Apr 6	H	Norwich City	
Apr 16	A	Norwich City	
Apr 20	H	Tottenham Hotspur	
Apr 27	H	Fulham	
May 3	A	Chelsea	
May 5	A	Bristol City	
May 10	H	Luton Town	
TBA	A	Ipswich Town	

## COMBINATION STATISTICS 1992-93

	App.	Sub.	Gls.
M. Allen	1	-	-
S. Banks	8	-	-
M. Basham	2	2	-
I. Bishop	4	-	1
T. Breacker	1	-	-
K. Brown	8	-	-
S. Canham	-	1	-
S. Clarke	6	2	-
J. Dicks	1	-	-
C. Foster	8	-	3
T. Gale	8	-	-
M. Holland	7	1	2
M. Holmes	5	-	1
M. Loram	2	-	2
P. Marquis	6	-	-
D. Martin	7	-	1
T. Morley	3	-	1
G. Parris	6	-	1
M. Peat	1	-	-
M. Rush	6	-	-
M. Robson	1	-	-
M. Small	2	-	-
M. Thomas	3	-	-
D. White	-	2	-
P. Whitmarsh	3	3	2
D. Williamson	-	1	-

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RESERVE



## SOUTH EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE FIXTURES

Aug 15	A	Millwall	0-3
Aug 22	H	Charlton Athletic	0-5
Aug 29	A	Norwich City	2-6
Sep 5	H	Chelsea	2-1
Sep 9	A	Charlton Athletic (SJFC 1)	0-3
Sep 12	A	Gillingham	1-2
Sep 19	H	Ipswich Town League Cup (1)	1-0
Sep 26	H	Fulham	6-2
Oct 3	A	Queen's Park Rangers	0-6
Oct 10	H	Tottenham Hotspur	1-6
Oct 17	A	Portsmouth	2-6
Oct 24	A	Leyton Orient League Cup (2)	
Oct 31	H	Ipswich Town	
Nov 7	A	Southend United	
Nov 14	H	Leyton Orient	
Nov 21	A	Watford	
Nov 28		League Cup (3)	
Dec 5	H	Arsenal	
Dec 12	H	Cambridge United	
Dec 19	A	Cambridge United	
Jan 2	H	Millwall	
Jan 9	A	Charlton Athletic	
Jan 16	H	Norwich City	
Jan 23	A	Chelsea	
Jan 30	H	Gillingham	
Feb 6	A	Fulham	
Feb 13	H	Queen's Park Rangers	
Feb 20	A	Tottenham Hotspur	
Feb 27	H	Portsmouth	
Mar 6	A	Ipswich Town	
Mar 13	H	Southend United	
Mar 20	A	Leyton Orient	
Mar 27	H	Watford	
TBA	A	Arsenal	

## YOUTH TEAM APPEARANCES 1992-93

South East Counties League and Cups

	SEC League			Cups		
	App.	Sub.	Gls.	App.	Sub.	Gls.
J. Bates	9	-	-	2	-	-
S. Blaney	6	-	-	2	-	-
A. Browne	5	1	-	2	-	-
S. Canham	8	-	2	2	-	-
A. Clarke	5	1	-	1	1	-
D. Currie	9	-	3	2	-	-
J. Geraghty	1	-	-	-	-	-
R. Hartigan	1	-	-	-	-	-
R. Johnson	2	-	-	-	-	-
L. Jones	-	1	-	-	-	-
W. Joselyn	3	2	-	1	-	-
J. Knight	9	-	1	2	-	-
D. Maeer	3	-	-	1	1	-
S. Moore	1	-	-	-	-	-
S. Naughton	-	1	-	-	-	-
W. Oakley	-	3	-	-	1	-
D. Oldfield	1	-	-	-	-	-
M. Peat	9	-	-	2	-	-
W. Pritchard	1	-	-	-	-	-
M. Reeve	2	1	2	-	-	-
S. Richardson	1	1	-	-	1	-
C. Rose	5	1	1	1	-	-
D. Shipp	7	1	4	2	-	-
J. Victory	2	1	-	-	-	-
G. Waters	9	-	1	2	-	1

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## HAMMER

## SOUTH EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE

The visit to Chadwell Heath on Saturday, October 10 of Tottenham Hotspur once again proved to be another traumatic encounter for our youth side.

Following their six-goal defeat the previous week against fellow Londoners Queens Park Rangers, our youngsters found themselves under constant pressure. Spurs opened up a two-goal margin by half-time, scoring after 12 and 36 minutes. They added two further counters in the 50th and 56th minutes.

We then introduced our two substitutes, one of whom was Lee Jones, a trialist from New Zealand, and after 63 minutes Jason Knight crossed for Scott Canham to volley home for our lone reply.

In the last 20 minutes we conceded another brace of goals as well as having Jones booked for a foul. With six players injured we were once again forced into playing our less experienced youngsters who are struggling against players from other clubs with more depth of expertise at the higher level.

A week later we travelled to the south coast and visited Portsmouth with Jason Geraghty returning to our side for his first senior game since breaking his leg last season. Stuart Richardson, 15, was included in our starting line-up for the first time as well.

Once again our youngsters found themselves two goals in arrears by the interval, the second goal coming on the stroke of half-time. Pompey added a further two after the re-start before substitute Mark Reeve reduced our arrears.

Danny Shipp had his shot saved on the line by the Blues' 'keeper but Reeve, following up, netted from close-in. The Seasiders then got a fifth and sixth goal before Reeve, having received a through ball from Scott Canham, hit a great shot

on the turn into the far corner of the net for his second of the match.

This was also the first game for two months for Reeve, after breaking his wrist, and although not fully fit, played well in the circumstances.

Manager Tony Carr has naturally been unhappy with his side's defensive performance this season but has been handicapped in team selection by a spate of injuries which commenced in early August. A lack of confidence by certain players has also exacerbated the problems and led to the subsequent three latest heavy defeats.

Saturday, October 10, 1992

### WEST HAM 1, SPURS 6

Hammers: Peat, Blaney, Bates, Waters, Browne (Naughton 61), Joscelyn, Maeer (Jones 61), Canham, Knight, Shipp, Currie.  
Scorer: Canham.

Saturday, October 17, 1992

### PORTSMOUTH 6, WEST HAM 2

Hammers: Peat, Blaney, Bates, Richardson, Waters (Browne 70), Geraghty, Knight, Canham, Shipp, Maeer (Reeve 60), Currie.  
Scorer: Reeve (2).

## SOUTH EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE

### Division One

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Q.P.R.	9	6	0	3	25	10	12
Arsenal	9	5	2	2	24	11	12
Millwall	8	5	1	2	22	12	11
Charlton Athletic	9	4	3	2	22	14	11
Tottenham	7	5	1	1	13	5	11
Norwich City	9	5	0	4	25	23	10
Ipswich Town	9	4	2	3	11	11	10
Watford	9	3	3	3	12	11	9
Fulham	9	4	1	4	18	20	9
Leyton Orient	8	4	1	3	12	14	9
Southend United	8	3	1	4	15	17	7
Cambridge United	8	3	1	4	19	22	7
Portsmouth	8	3	0	5	13	20	6
Chelsea	9	2	1	6	12	18	5
Gillingham	10	2	1	7	14	24	5
West Ham United	9	2	0	7	14	37	4

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Welcome, Junior Hammers to what we hope will be another exciting match, especially after our last big home win against Sunderland.

## COMPETITION TIME

In our last programme, we started a new item on the Junior Hammers page which involved having different competitions for you all to enter and easily obtain your own personally signed photo of a player. Well, we were overwhelmed by the amount of applications we received.

**WESTLEY BLACKBURN** (member No. 4542) wrote in to tell us that Billy Bonds made a total of 795 first team appearances from 1967-1988. According to the new Official Handbook he made 663 league and 131 cup appearances - a total of 794 - and although this differs from Westley's answer by one game, he will still be receiving a personally signed photo from Billy.

## TODAY'S QUESTION TIME

So on to this week's quiz, which we have made a little easier for you. Which one of our first team players was born outside of Britain and made his debut on New Year's Day in 1985 against QPR?

## HAMMERS ART

We now have two great drawings to display on our office walls. **DARAN BERN** (aged five) and his sister **LAUREN** (four) each sent us a picture of their favourite players in action. Lauren's picture shows Ludo receiving some on-the-spot treatment from physio John Green, while Daran did a great job of drawing West Ham showing Sunderland how it's done! They should go a long way to brightening up our office.

Don't forget, if you have any treasured artworks of the team in action **SEND THEM IN** to us and eventually they will appear on our **HAMMERS ART** wall that will be in the new Junior Hammers Lounge.

## NEWSLETTER AND PENNANTS

You can look forward to receiving your Newsletter and Junior Hammers Pennant within the next two weeks.

## GROUND TOURS

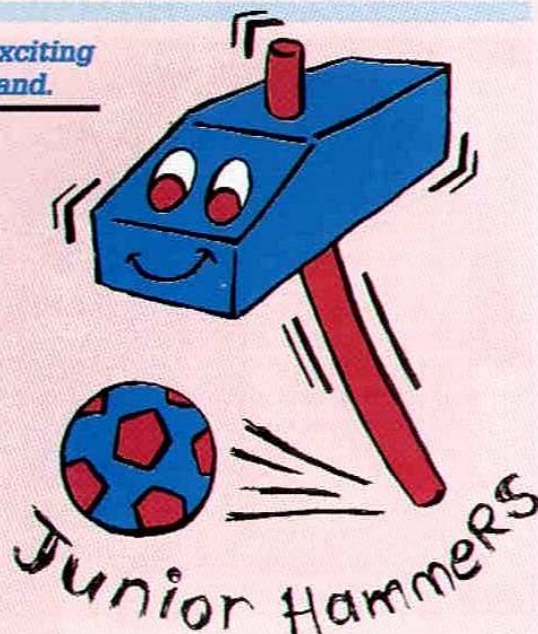
Special tours of the ground are now being arranged by us, here in the Junior Hammers Office, and other members of staff, the times and dates of which will be published in our programme notes as soon as we have all the details, so keep looking here!

## MEET MEMBER...4806

Michael Dobson, who is seven, currently lives in Westgate-on-Sea but will soon be moving to Leeds United country. Michael has been a Junior Hammer since August 1991 and we hope that he will continue to support West Ham and come back and visit us from time to time.

Hope you all enjoy today's game and don't forget to write to us if you have anything you want us or other Junior Hammers to know about.

Sharon.



## HOW DO I APPLY!

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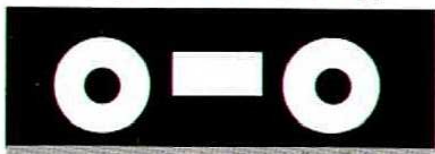
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## HAVE YOU GOT IT TAPED?

IF anyone taped the televised game against Sunderland on October 11, could they please contact Antony on 061-962 9626, as he is desperate to obtain a copy.



## HAMMERS NEWS WANTED

MICK Waite is eager to complete his collection of Hammers News.

He requires all copies from Volumes one and two, issues 4, 6 & 8 from Volume 3 and issues 6, 7, 8 & 9 from Volume four.

Mick is willing to buy the missing copies, so if you can help please ring him on 081-559 9070.

## AUSSIES IN SUPPORT

IN the last home programme we featured the enthusiasm and involvement of the Scandinavian Branch of the Hammers' supporters' club.

Well, this provoked a reaction from our friends Down Under. Dave Chandler, Chairman of the Brisbane branch, writes to say that, like the Scandinavians, the Aussie fans also nominate their own Hammer of the Year.

Last season it was defender Steve Potts who got the vote, and he received the large trophy shown in this picture alongside a team shirt.

## PROGS OFFER

PROGRAMME collector Phil Lynch writes to say that he has obtained a number of West Ham programmes dating back to the early 70's. Anyone who thinks Phil may be able to fill a gap in their collection is invited to write to him (enclosing SAE) at: 27, Pinewood Road, Feltham, Middlesex, TW13 7BD. Phil is willing to sell his programmes at very reasonable prices or exchange them for those needed in his own Brentford FC collection.

## AUSTRALIA'S HOTTEST TICKET

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and humorous  
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newsy items and  
your pictures.**



**IT is with deep regret that we record the death of Hammers' fan Mark Birch, who died at Sussex Beach Holiday Village on the weekend of our league game at Portsmouth.**

Mark's brother, Alan, writes from Heston, Middlesex: "On behalf of all my family, I would like to thank you for the flowers you sent for the funeral, and thank everybody who did all they could for Mark on the morning he died, and for taking care of his best friend, David Lloyd."

West Ham United sends sincere condolences to the family and friends of Mark Birch.





## MEET THE REV

WEST HAM now have their own team chaplain - the Rev Elwyn Cockett. Elwyn, who is curate of St. Chad's Church, Chadwell Heath, is a life-long Hammers' supporter and goes to matches wearing his dog collar under his claret and blue scarf.

And even the recent spate of Sunday matches didn't prevent Elwyn, 33, from attending our live TV games. He was in his usual place on the terraces in between conducting services at his church.

Elwyn and his wife, Susan, have had season tickets at Upton Park since they were first married. Their three children, whose ages range from three to eight, go along with them.

Talking about his new role at the club, Elwyn said: "My job isn't to try and persuade players to go to church or anything like that. Basically, I'm someone they can talk to in confidence when they need to."

"Everyone who works at the club, or is connected with the Hammers, can approach me and I'll try and help."

## HELP US TO COMBAT THE THUGS

For two years now we have been quietly building up intelligence about the small number of hard-core thugs and their hangers-on.

Most of them are now known to us, and, together with your local police, we put a lot of effort into targeting them and frustrating their plans - by arrest wherever possible.

But we also rely on information from the genuine fans - the overwhelming majority.

Our national 24-hour confidential hotline has also been running for two years and has produced a surprising amount of high quality tips.

**0800 515495**

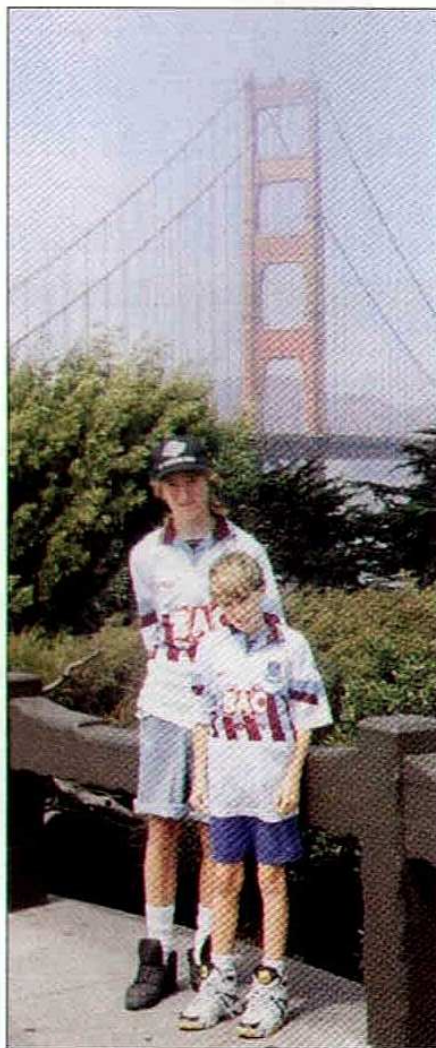
## BY THE GATE

THE Golden Gate Bridge, in San Francisco, California, is obviously a popular attraction for West Ham supporters.

Here are two pictures showing fans in front of the famous bridge.

Roy Lang and his son, Steve, from Chigwell, Essex, are two loyal season ticket-holders proudly wearing their West Ham shirts.

Ross Norton, aged eight, from Eton Wick, near Windsor, Berks, is also pictured.



# IN SUPPORT

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# STATISTICS

UP TO AND INCLUDING SUNDAY 18TH OCTOBER 1992

## BARCLAYS LEAGUE DIVISION ONE

	Home					Away					Pts	
	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F		A
Newcastle United	11	6	0	0	16	3	5	0	0	9	4	33
<b>West Ham United</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>23</b>
Wolverhampton W.	12	2	4	0	12	8	3	3	0	8	1	22
Charlton Athletic	12	3	3	1	11	5	3	1	1	5	2	22
Swindon Town	12	5	2	0	18	7	1	1	3	8	12	21
Tranmere Rovers	11	5	2	0	15	3	1	1	2	5	6	21
Leicester City	12	4	2	1	8	6	2	1	2	7	7	21
Millwall	11	3	2	0	13	4	1	3	2	4	7	17
Peterborough United	11	1	2	3	3	7	4	0	1	11	6	17
Watford	12	3	1	2	10	10	1	2	3	9	12	15
Portsmouth	11	3	0	1	8	2	1	3	3	10	13	15
Birmingham City	11	3	0	2	5	7	1	3	2	4	9	15
Bristol City	11	2	2	2	8	11	2	0	3	8	13	14
Oxford United	11	2	3	2	6	4	1	2	1	5	6	14
Derby County	11	1	0	3	6	7	2	3	2	10	8	12
Notts County	12	1	2	2	4	6	2	1	4	11	20	12
Grimsby Town	11	2	2	1	7	7	1	1	4	6	8	12
Cambridge United	12	3	0	3	6	9	0	3	3	4	12	12
Sunderland	11	2	1	2	5	5	1	1	4	3	11	11
Brentford	11	2	2	3	10	10	0	2	2	1	3	10
Barnsley	11	1	2	3	5	5	1	1	3	5	6	9
Southend United	11	1	2	1	4	3	1	1	5	5	11	9
Luton Town	11	0	2	3	6	14	1	2	3	3	8	7
Bristol Rovers	12	1	1	4	9	17	0	2	4	8	15	6

## 1992/93 RECORDS

	LEAGUE		CUPS	
	App	Gls	App	Gls
Clive Allen	11	6	4	-
Martin Allen	8	3	4	-
Steve Banks	-	-	1	-
Ian Bishop	3	-	-	-
Tim Breacker	11	-	3	-
Peter Butler	11	-	3	-
Julian Dicks	8	1	3	3
Tony Gale	(2)	-	1	-
Matt Holmes	1(2)	-	1	1
Kevin Keen	11	3	4	-
Alvin Martin	11	1	4	-
Ludek Miklosko	11	-	3	-
Trevor Morley	7	6	4	1
George Parris	2(1)	-	-	-
Steve Potts	11	-	4	-
Mark Robson	8(2)	3	4	-
Matthew Rush	-	-	(1)	-
Mike Small	2(3)	-	(1)	-
Mitchell Thomas	3	-	1	-



## CAREER RECORDS

	Lge	Cups	Gls
Allen (C)	15	4	7
Allen (M)	90+17	23+1	21
Banks	-	1	-
Bishop	97+4	19+1	10
Breacker	67+2	22	3
Brown	25+2	6	3
Butler	11	3	-
Clarke	+2	-	-
Dicks	126	39	30
Foster	80+2	16	5
Gale	241+6	62+2	6
Holmes	1+2	1	1
Keen	152+32	45+8	27
Martin (A)	410+2	110	32
Martin (D)	1+1	+1	-
Miklosko	111	24	-
Morley	77+12	19+4	39
Parris	203+22	53+4	18
Potts	150+10	51+2	1
Robson	8+2	4	3
Rush	5+10	1+1	2
Small	39+7	10+2	18
Thomas	37+1	11	3

## FIRST TEAM FIXTURES

DATE	V	OPPONENTS	F-A	ATT	Pos
Aug 16	A	Barnsley	1-0	6,761	11
Aug 22	H	Charlton Athletic	0-1	17,054	17
Aug 29	A	Newcastle United	0-2	29,855	19
Sep 2	H	Bristol Rovers (AIC)	2-2	4,809	-
Sep 5	H	Watford	2-1	11,921	13
Sep 12	A	Peterborough United	3-1	10,657	7
Sep 15	A	Bristol City	5-1	14,130	5
Sep 20	H	Derby County	1-1	11,493	5
Sep 23	H	Crewe C.C. Cup 2 leg 1	0-0	6,981	-
Sep 27	A	Portsmouth	1-0	12,158	4
Sep 30	A	Southend United (AIC)	3-0	6,482	-
Oct 4	A	Wolverhampton Wanderers	0-0	14,391	7
Oct 7	A	Crewe C.C. Cup 2 leg 2	0-2	5,427	-
Oct 11	H	Sunderland	6-0	10,326	5
Oct 17	A	Bristol Rovers	4-0	6,187	2
Oct 24	H	Swindon Town			
Oct 31	A	Cambridge United			
Nov 3	A	Grimsby Town			
Nov 7	H	Notts County			
Nov 11	A	Cremonese (AIC)			
Nov 15	A	Millwall (12.00 KO)			
Nov 21	H	Oxford United			
Nov 24	H	Reggiana (AIC)			
Nov 28	H	Birmingham City			
Dec 4	A	Tranmere Rovers (FA Cup 2)			
Dec 8	A	Cosenza (AIC)			
Dec 12	H	Southend United			
Dec 16	H	Pisa (AIC)			
Dec 20	A	Brentford			
Dec 26	A	Charlton Athletic			
Dec 28	H	Luton Town			
Jan 2		FA Cup 3			
Jan 9	A	Derby County			
Jan 16	H	Portsmouth			
Jan 23		FA Cup 4			
Jan 27	H	Bristol City			
Jan 30	A	Leicester City			
Feb 6	H	Barnsley			
Feb 10	H	Peterborough United			
Feb 13	A	Watford (FA Cup 5)			
Feb 20	H	Newcastle United			
Feb 27	A	Sunderland			
Mar 6	H	Wolverhampton W. (FA Cup 6)			
Mar 10	H	Grimsby Town			
Mar 13	A	Notts County			
Mar 20	H	Tranmere Rovers			
Mar 23	A	Oxford United			
Mar 27	H	Millwall			
Apr 3	A	Birmingham City			
Apr 4		FA Cup SF			
Apr 7	A	Southend United			
Apr 10	H	Leicester City			
Apr 13	A	Luton Town			
Apr 17	H	Brentford			
Apr 24	H	Bristol Rovers			
May 1	A	Swindon Town			
May 8	H	Cambridge United			
May 15		FA Cup Final			

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1992-93		RESULTS		ATTENDANCES		APPEARANCES		AND		GOALSCORERS		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	Sub	Sub
Miklosko	Breacker	Dicks	Potts	A. Martin	Parris †	Bishop	Butler	Small	<b>C. Allen<sup>1†</sup></b>	Keen	Gale(80)	Robson(68)
Miklosko	Breacker	Dicks	Potts	A. Martin	Parris	Bishop†	Butler	Small	C. Allen	Keen	Gale	Robson(50)
Miklosko	Breacker	Dicks	Potts	A. Martin	Holmes †	Bishop	Butler	M. Allen	C. Allen	Keen	Small(46)	Gale
Banks	Potts	<b>Dicks<sup>2</sup></b>	Gale	A. Martin	M. Allen	Robson †	Butler	Morley	C. Allen	Keen	Rush(75)	D. Martin
Miklosko	Breacker	Dicks	Potts	A. Martin	<b>M. Allen<sup>1</sup></b>	Robson †	Butler	Morley	<b>C. Allen<sup>1</sup></b>	Keen	Parris(86)	D. Martin
Miklosko	Breacker	Thomas	Potts	A. Martin	<b>M. Allen<sup>1</sup></b>	Robson	Butler	<b>Morley<sup>1</sup></b>	C. Allen †	<b>Keen<sup>1</sup></b>	Small(77)	Gale
Miklosko	Breacker	Thomas	Potts	A. Martin	M. Allen	<b>Robson<sup>1†</sup></b>	Butler	<b>Morley<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>C. Allen<sup>2</sup></b>	Keen	Small(77)	Gale
Miklosko	Breacker	Thomas	Potts	A. Martin	M. Allen	Robson †	Butler	<b>Morley<sup>1</sup></b>	C. Allen	Keen	Small(82)	Parris
Miklosko	Breacker	Thomas	Potts	A. Martin	M. Allen	Robson	Butler	Morley	C. Allen	Keen †	Small(74)	Parris
Miklosko	Breacker	Dicks	Potts	A. Martin	M. Allen	Robson †	Butler	Morley	<b>C. Allen<sup>1</sup></b>	Keen	Holmes(86)	Gale
Miklosko	Breacker	<b>Dicks<sup>1</sup></b>	Potts	A. Martin	M. Allen	Robson	<b>Holmes<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Morley<sup>1</sup></b>	C. Allen	Keen	Parris	Rush
Miklosko	Breacker	Dicks	Potts	A. Martin	M. Allen	Robson †	Butler	Morley	C. Allen	Keen	Holmes(75)	Gale(89)
Miklosko	Breacker	Dicks	Potts	A. Martin	M. Allen	Robson	Butler	Morley	C. Allen	Keen	Gale	Parris
Miklosko	Breacker	Dicks	Potts	<b>A. Martin<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>M. Allen<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Robson<sup>2</sup></b>	Butler	<b>Morley<sup>1</sup></b>	C. Allen	<b>Keen<sup>1</sup></b>	Gale	Holmes
Miklosko	Breacker	<b>Dicks<sup>1</sup></b>	Potts	A. Martin	M. Allen	Robson	Butler	<b>Morley<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>C. Allen<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Keen<sup>1</sup></b>	Gale	Holmes

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of South Benfleet, Essex. John attends Cedar Hall School and his hobbies are swimming, football, pool and supporting West Ham. His family have been Hammers' supporters for 40 years, and John's favourite player is George Parris. We take this opportunity of wishing John and his family a very enjoyable day with us here at Upton Park.



# WEST HAM UNITED v SWINDON TOWN

<b>LUDEK MIKLOSKO</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>NICKY HAMMOND</b>
<b>TIM BREACKER</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>DAVID KERSLAKE</b>
<b>MITCHELL THOMAS</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>KEVIN HORLOCK</b>
<b>STEVE POTTS</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>GLENN HODDLE</b>
<b>ALVIN MARTIN</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>COLIN CALDERWOOD</b>
<b>MARTIN ALLEN</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>SHAUN TAYLOR</b>
<b>MARK ROBSON</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>MICKY HAZARD</b>
<b>PETER BUTLER</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>NICKY SUMMERBEE</b>
<b>TREVOR MORLEY</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>CRAIG MASKELL</b>
<b>CLIVE ALLEN</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>MARTIN LING</b>
<b>KEVIN KEEN</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>DAVID MITCHELL</b>
	<b>12</b>	
	<b>14</b>	

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RESERVE: K. Ades (E. Sussex)

### COMING SOON

#### FIRST TEAM

Saturday, November 7,  
1992 (3pm)  
**West Ham United v**  
**Notts County**  
(Barclays League Div. 1)

#### RESERVES

Tuesday, October 27, 1992  
(2pm)  
**West Ham United v**  
**Charlton Athletic**  
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