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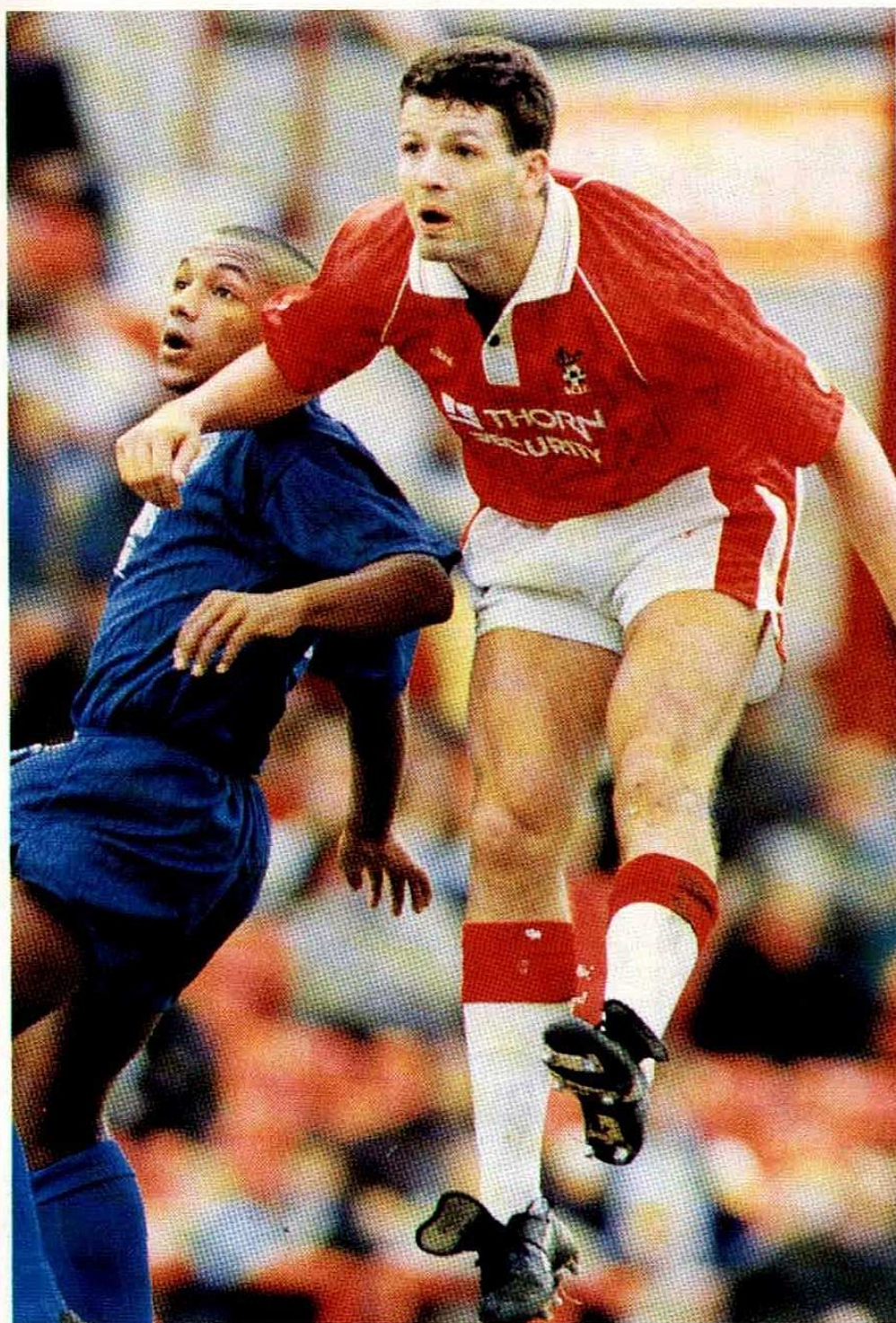
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Manager's Notes



DENIS SMITH

Welcome to Swindon who are proving to be one of the most attractive teams in the Division.

I am delighted to see how well they are doing and with their, and our, approach to the game, we should be in for a most exciting ninety minutes today.

It is pleasing to see Glenn Hoddle's philosophy pay dividends. Long may it continue! There are probably more teams in this Division than any other Division who want to play. Hopefully that state of affairs can spread and be extended throughout the League.

Certainly, if the likes of Newcastle, Millwall, West Ham,

Swindon and ourselves can make it to the Premier Division, then we can take our philosophies with us.

Today should see the debut of Bjorn Kristensen who has joined us on loan from Newcastle United.

Benny, as he is known, is a talented, all-round individual who can play at full back, central defence or in midfield. A Danish international, I am sure he will be a lift to the team, and hopefully, he will have a successful stay with us.

As I have mentioned in these notes previously, I am always trying to improve the quality of the squad. Certainly, with the injury situation this season, supporters have seen a number of different players and formations.

I will be delighted when I can settle on one pattern of play with a settled side. If we can win today, then hopefully we can use that as a platform to launch us on a winning run.

Enjoy the game.





SWINDON TOWN



Back Row L-R: John Moncur, Darren Hall, Fraser Digby, Paul Hunt, Nicky Hammond, David Bennett, Craig Maskell, Steve White.

Middle Row L-R: John Trollope (Youth Team Manager), Ross MacLaren, Nicky Summerbee, Colin Calderwood, Shaun Taylor, Adrian Viveash, David Mitchell, Andrew Thompson, Kevin Horlock, Andy Rowland (Reserve Team Coach).

Front Row L-R: Kevin Morris (Physiotherapist), Martin Ling, David Kerslake, Wayne O'Sullivan, Glenn Hoddle (Team Manager), John Gorman (Asst. Manager), Paul Bodin, Shaun Close, Micky Hazard, Eddie Buckley (Kit Manager)

Swindon Town are certainly one of the most attractive teams to watch in the First Division. Led by player-manager Glenn Hoddle, the Wiltshire side always try to be positive.

Sceptics say it is too difficult to climb out of this division playing pure football, as Swindon do. But their high league position and excellent results so far this season surely go a long way towards disproving that view.

Hoddle's predecessor Ossie Ardiles, another man from the Tottenham Hotspur school of football, had Swindon playing the same way. He created a marvellous team which was actually promoted to the old

First Division via the play-offs, in 1990, only to be promptly relegated because of financial irregularities. Having never played at the highest level, that was a massive blow to the club.

This season may well offer them their best opportunity to finally join the big boys in the Premier League. Since taking over the manager's hot seat in April 1991, Hoddle has gradually built a team, which now has a settled look. Last time around they finished eighth, five points off a play-off place. That was a disappointing final position for a team which lay second this time last year. A collapse in form either side of Christmas was what really killed their chances.

But surely they won't make the same mistake this time, and will go a lot closer to contention for one of the automatic promotion places. If they do achieve that aim, then they will not only prove that it is possible to escape from the First Division by always playing football, but also that it is not essential to spend lots of money.

This present Swindon side has been put together without paying out by fees, especially compared to the likes of Derby County and Blackburn Rovers. Hoddle has used his enormous experience of football at the highest level to really help his players to develop. He has sold players to the value of £1.6m, but spent less than half of that amount

AT THE GA

on replacements. The men who have come in to the Swindon team have benefited from rubbing shoulders daily with arguably England's best player in the last 15 years. To many of them, he was their hero as youngsters dreaming of a career in professional soccer.



Glenn Hoddle

But not all great players become successful managers. Hoddle has shown he has what it takes by making some shrewd moves. His first was to appoint an old friend, John Gorman as his assistant. Gorman had been the coach at Leyton Orient and so knew the lower divisions extremely well. This knowledge would prove invaluable to a man taking his first steps in management, as he knew many players in his team would have to come from the league's breeding ground.

Top scorer Craig Maskell, who has been one of the revelations of the season so far, was taken from Reading. Another big success has been the acquisition of midfielder Martin Ling from Southend for just £15,000.

The man who directs most of Swindon's moves in midfield, Micky Hazard, our 'One to Watch', is perhaps an exception. He played at the top with Hoddle at White Hart Lane, before moving to Chelsea. But even he didn't cost a lot of money, and his experience gives the side

some balance.

A closer look at Swindon's results so far reveal how well they have done:

Sunderland	(H)	1-0
Bristol Rovers	(A)	4-3
Wolves	(A)	2-2
Cambridge	(H)	4-1
Millwall	(A)	1-2
Birmingham	(H)	0-0
Oxford	(H)	2-2
Charlton	(A)	0-2
Grimsby	(H)	1-0
Watford	(H)	3-1
Portsmouth	(A)	1-3
Notts Co	(H)	5-1
West Ham	(A)	1-0
Barnsley	(H)	1-0
Brentford	(H)	0-2
Newcastle	(A)	0-0
Southend	(H)	3-2

After beating Torquay United 9 - 2 on aggregate in the second round of the Coca-Cola Cup, they went out to Premier League Oldham 0 - 1 at home.

Here's a run-down on the Swindon first team squad:

Goalkeeper **Nicky Hammond**, a free transfer from Arsenal, is in his fifth season at the County Ground. He is keeping the more experienced **Fraser Digby** out of the side at present. Nicky has twice recovered from a broken leg.

Player-boss **Glenn Hoddle**, now 34, marshalls the back line from his position as a sweeper. He was capped 53 times by England and spent 12 years with Spurs before going to France and playing for Monaco for three years. It was a brave decision for him to take on the job at Swindon, especially as the threat of relegation was a very real one at the time.

He plays behind the two centre backs, captain **Colin Calderwood**, who is the longest serving player, and last season's Player of the Year, **Shaun Taylor**, who was signed from Exeter for £200,000 a year ago.

One to watch

MICKY HAZARD



Micky Hazard is now playing some of the best football of his career and is one of the key players in the Swindon side.

Now 32, he has proved to be a bargain buy since his £130,000 move from Portsmouth in September 1990.

At only 5ft 7ins tall and weighing only 10 stone 5 lbs, he is obviously not in the team for his [physical presence]. Micky is always buzzing around in midfield creating openings for the strikers to exploit.

He is also a consistent performer, who only missed two league games last season. A great passer of the ball, he ranks among the best midfielders in the country.

During a long career he spent nine seasons at White Hart Lane, winning UEFA Cup and FA Cup winners medals, before going on to play in a blue shirt at Stamford Bridge for five seasons. He then wore another blue shirt for Portsmouth for two years.

TE TODAY

Our Opponents Today - Swindon Town

Former England Under 21 international **David Kerslake** plays at right back, with free signing **Kevin Horlock** filling the left back spot in place of the injured Paul Bodin.

Alongside Hazard in midfield, **Martin Ling** is in his second spell at the County Ground and says he wishes he had played for Hoddle before now. Another Tottenham old boy, **John Moncur**, is in contention for a place in the midfield, although Nicky Summerbee has deputised in recent weeks following an injury to Morcur.

The main strikeforce consists of 24

year-old **Craig Maskell**, who was Reading's top scorer last season with 15 goals, before joining Swindon for £250,000 in the summer. The much-travelled **Dave Mitchell** is Maskell's partner up front. He has an impressive list of clubs which includes Eintracht Frankfurt, Glasgow Rangers and Feyenoord. He is 30 and **Steve White** is three years older. Often used as a substitute, White was a free transfer from Bristol Rovers. The addition of Maskell has helped to fill the gap left by the departure of Duncan Shearer, who left for Blackburn before going to Aberdeen.

FACTS & FIGURES

Nickname:	The Robins
Ground:	The County Ground
Record Victory:	10 - 1 v Farnham, FA Cup 1st round replay 1925
Record Defeat:	1 - 10 v Man City, FA Cup 4th round replay 1930
Highest League Scorer in a season:	Harry Morris - 47, 1926-27
Most Capped Player	Glenn Hoddle - 53 England

DID YOU KNOW?

- As recently as 1986 Swindon were in the old Fourth Division, but were promoted as champions with a record 102 points.
- Swindon shocked the football world by beating Arsenal in the 1969 League Cup Final as a Third Division side.
- They won the now revitalised Anglo-Italian Cup in 1970.

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A series of articles by Peter Godsiff

Wembley Triumph

Wembley on 24th May 1986 is a moment that will remain in the memory of every City fan. That was the club's first appearance in a Cup Final at the famous ground, ending in a superb 3-0 win over Bolton Wanderers in the Freight Rover competition. Yet the Wembley trail started improbably at chilly Plymouth in January with a goal-less draw. City scraped through into the next stage after winning 2-1 at Walsall to finish top of the three club group. The Southern quarter-final against Northampton attracted 3,038 fans to Ashton Gate to see Steve Neville head the late winner in a 3-2 success after earlier goals by Glyn Riley and Bobby Hutchinson. Interest was aroused when City were drawn at home to Gillingham in the Southern semi-final. A crowd of 5,707 saw goals from Neville, Alan Walsh (penalty) and Riley set up a 3-0 win and a place in the regional final against Hereford United. Hereford had knocked City from the Milk Cup at the start of the season and again the tie was over two legs. But, in the first game at Edgar Street, it seemed as if the Hereford jinx was about to strike again. Hereford won 2-0 in front of 7,608, leaving City with a monumental task in the return at Ashton Gate. After a goal-less first half on 9th May, City's chances were ebbing away. But the luck turned. A Riley header went through the goalkeeper's fingers and a shot from Howard Pritchard was deflected into his own net by Mike Pejic to take the game into extra time. Neville's goal clinched it. That set up the greatest football excitement in Bristol for decades. In the two weeks before the final, the whole area was buzzing. The players and staff were measured for new Cup Final suits, souvenirs were hastily ordered and secretary Jean Harrison and her office workers spent every available minute trying to

satisfy the huge demand for Wembley tickets.

The players were given a rousing send-off when they travelled by coach to London on the Friday, and they all experienced a great thrill when they walked over the hallowed Wembley turf on arrival.



Wembley Celebration

Back home, the radio, television and press prepared for the big day with special broadcasts and editions, while an estimated 30,000 fans from the area carefully looked out red and white scarves and rosettes to confirm their allegiance to the Reds. From dawn on the big day a convoy of cars, mini buses, coaches and even double decker buses streamed eastwards on the M4 towards Wembley. The motorway and exits to the ground were jammed. But the atmosphere was tremendous - happy, smiling faces of young and old looking forward to their greatest day out following Bristol City. It was dubbed "the friendly Cup Final" and that was exactly how it was. Supporters from Bolton and all parts of Lancashire mingled freely with West Country fans from Bristol, Somerset, Gloucestershire and Wiltshire. There was one last-minute injury scare. David Harle, signed on loan from Leeds, was troubled by a hamstring strain. But he recovered and Cooper named the following team:

Waugh, Newman, Moyes, Curle, Williams, Pritchard, Hutchinson, Harle, Walsh, Riley, Neville. Subs: Llewellyn, Marshall.

It was a momentous day for Clive Middlemass, the assistant manager Cooper decided to reward his efforts by allowing him to lead out the team. Bolton player-manager Phil Neal's strength at right-back and the skills of former Scottish international Asa Hartford in midfield kept City out until the 44th minute.

Then the red bobble hats were flung into the air in jubilation as Bobby Hutchinson challenged for Keith Curle's free kick and the ball fell for Glyn Riley to score.

That set the pattern and when Steve Neville's 73rd minute shot was parried, Howard Pritchard swept in the second. Six minutes from time Neville capped a Man of the Match display by crossing from the left for Riley to head in the third.

City's profit from the 54,502 crowd (receipts £286,000) was estimated at £80,000. And they received a £15,000 mini-bus as well.

Proud Hutchinson received the trophy as the tearful City players received their medals.

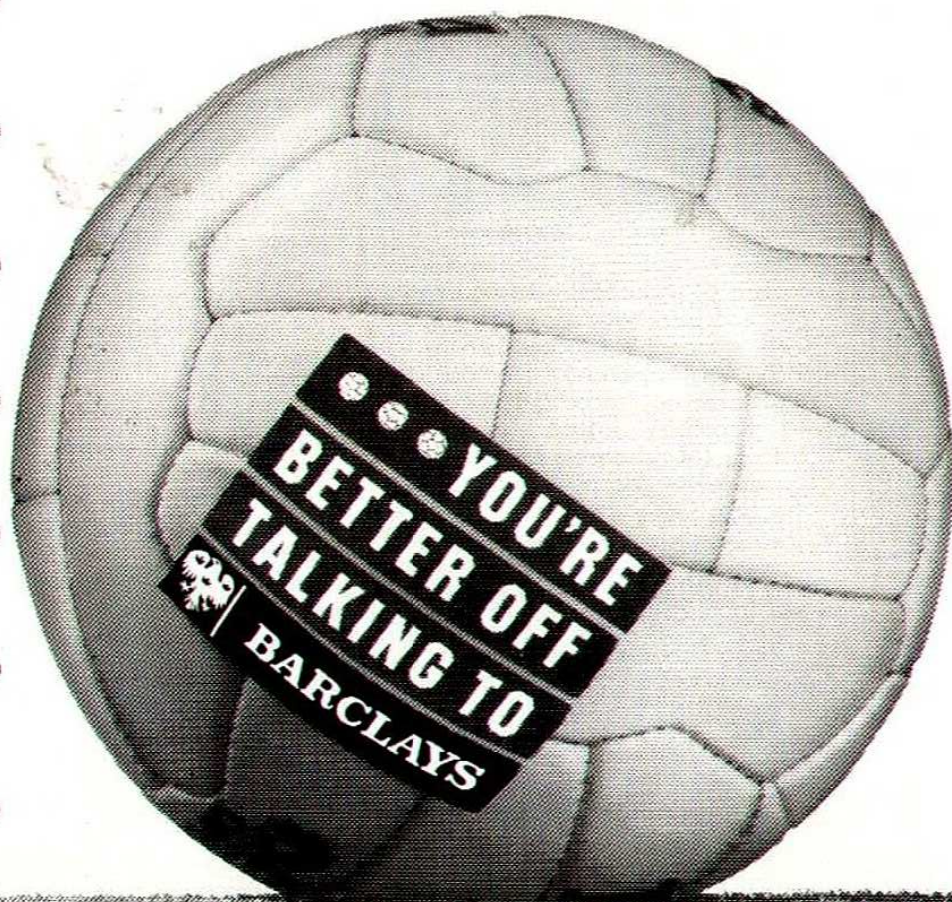
"It is the most emotional occasion of my life," said Cooper. "It was a day for all our supporters. I hope this type of match brings some sanity into the game."

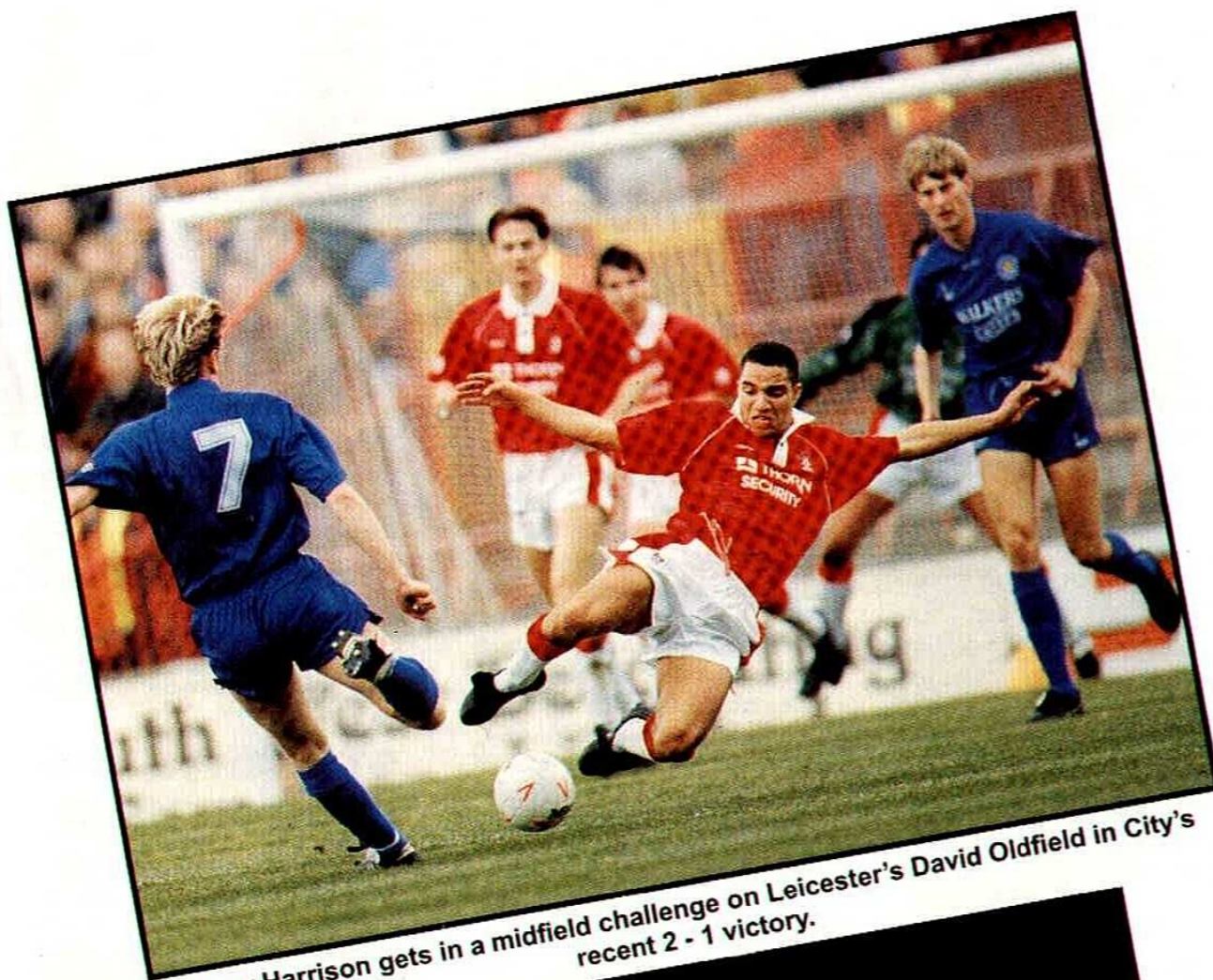
Said Hutchinson: "Showing the trophy to our wonderful supporters gave me the sort of feeling you can't put into words."

Curle even took his two month old son Thomas onto the pitch "To make sure he has been on the Wembley turf," he said.

And, as the celebrations continued, level-headed chairman Des Williams carefully gained possession of the cup and stowed it away in the team coach. His concern was understandable for it signified the first great triumph of the re-built BCFC (1982) company.

Whatever your
goal...





Gerry Harrison gets in a midfield challenge on Leicester's David Oldfield in City's recent 2 - 1 victory.



Leicester's Julian Joachim is robbed by Russell Osman's tackle.



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NEWS DESK ...

Mural in Place

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Football in the Community



Shaun Parker Reports

Goalkeeping Coaching Day

My thanks to all of you who have signed up for our Goalkeeping Coaching Day which is being held on Sunday 6th December.

The response has been tremendous and at the time of writing, over 70 children between the ages of eight and fifteen will be involved. With two weeks still to go, I anticipate that numbers could reach three figures.

Mural in Position

As many of you will have noticed, the winning entry in our summer Mural Competition arranged in conjunction with the Evening Post, now appears painted and erected on the side of the Grandstand.

The original competition was a great success with more than 200 entries, and showed that youngsters can be involved with Bristol City without necessarily having great football skills.

Many thanks go to Nigel Pennycott Designs who were very generous in letting artist Gary Stone use their workshop to complete the painting, and Southside Scaffolding who provided the scaffolding and their support.

I am sure everyone will agree that the mural makes Ashton Gate an even better Stadium than before.

SHOOT-OUT AT TWERTON

Are you Under 10?

Would you like to be one of our ten players to take on Rovers in an American style shoot out on the pitch at half time on Sunday 13th December?

What's an American Style Shoot-out? you ask.

Well, you have just seven seconds to score from outside the box by dribbling up to and, hopefully around the 'keeper or alternatively with a well placed shot.

Still Interested?

Well, there are two places available and they could be yours - along with free entry to the Rovers v City derby - if you can answer the two questions below.

1. Who scored City's last penalty at first team level?
2. Against whom was it scored?

Answers please on a postcard to Shaun Parker, Bristol City FC, Ashton Gate, Bristol BS3 2EJ.

Your entry should reach us no later than Tuesday 1st December 1992 and the winners will be announced in the programme produced for the Reggiana game here on the following Tuesday.

It's a great opportunity - one not to be missed!

Enter today!

STUDENTS RECEIVE HELP

With students and schoolchildren more involved these days with projects for college/school, the club receives a number of letters each week enquiring about various aspects of Bristol City Football Club.

Wherever possible, we try to help in any way we can, either by responding to questionnaire, conducting interviews and any other relevant method.

It was pleasing to receive the following letter of thanks from Claire Godfrey just recently.

24 Church Road
Bishopsworth
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6th November 1992

Dear Shaun,
I would like to thank you so very much for letting me spend the day at Ashton Gate on Friday 6th November. It was of great help to my course which I am following, and I was able to find out all the information which I needed to know. Thanks again.
Yours sincerely

Claire Godfrey



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COACHING CONTINUES!

Following the success of the Summer Soccer School held at Gordano School at the end of July, I have returned to Gordano to undertake four coaching sessions there, an arrangement which comes to an end in two weeks time.

Bristol City WFC

Hopes of getting back to winning ways last weekend were dashed when their game was called off because of a waterlogged pitch.

Twerton Game All Ticket

A reminder to all City fans that our Barclays League Division One game with Bristol Rovers at Twerton Park will now be played on Sunday 13th December 1992, kick-off 3.00pm.

The game will be all ticket for City supporters and details regarding the distribution of tickets will be available shortly.

EARLY START

Our Barclays League game here at Ashton Gate with Oxford United on Saturday 26th December 1992 will kick-off at 11.30 am.

WELCOME BENNY

On behalf of all at Ashton Gate, a warm welcome to our loan signing Bjorn Kristensen. We sincerely hope that his stay with the club will be a happy and enjoyable one.

TERRY OUT ON LOAN

Midfielder Terry Connor who joined City from Swansea, has returned to the Vetch Field on a month's loan.

Terry, who has made a marvellous recovery from a serious knee injury, will be looking to continue his rehabilitation back to full sharpness in his month with the Swans, who are currently going well in Division Two.



Leading Goalscorers Division One

		BL	C	A/I	TOTAL
Whittingham	Portsmouth	16	2	2	20
Maskell	Swindon	13	1	1	15
Blissett	Brentford	10	4	1	15
Aldridge	Tranmere	9	2	2	13
Simpson	Derby Co.	9	2	1	12
Cole	Bristol City	8	4	0	12
Furlong	Watford	9	2	0	11
Morley	West Ham	9	0	1	10
Bull	Wolves	8	1	1	10
Peacock	Newcastle	8	2	0	10
Davison	Leicester	6	1	2	9
Allen	Millwall	7	2	0	9
Allen	West Ham	8	0	0	8
Kelly	Newcastle	5	2	1	8
Stewart	Bristol Rovers	5	0	3	8
Mitchell	Swindon	4	3	1	8



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MARTIN SCOTT

Sheffield-born Martin Scott started out as a midfield player and it was only later in his career that he became a left-back.

After two seasons appearing for Sheffield Boys and in Sunday football, he joined Rotherham United as a schoolboy, training at Millmoor during the holidays.

He also appeared in Rotherham's young Sunday side, Millmoor Juniors, until he was old enough to become a YTS youngster. Phil Henson, now Rotherham's manager, was assistant to George Kerr at the time and helped Martin's development.

He was brought into the League team for the final three games of the 1984-85 season against York, Cambridge and Wigan. Then Norman Hunter, the former City favourite, took over, and Martin made only one substitute appearance the following season.

But his big chance came the year after when the regular first team left-back Phil Crosby broke his leg. Martin, who was being tried at left-back in the reserves, came in for the final 15 games.

He signed a new two-year contract and retained his place on merit. Then he had a hernia operation and needed another operation soon afterwards to clear a pelvic injury which kept him out for eight months.

By this time Billy McEwan was manager and, with Rotherham placed fourth in the Fourth Division, Martin came in for the last 20 matches and helped the club win the championship.

Rotherham started well in the Third Division but after being second at Christmas, slipped to ninth. He was signed by Jimmy Lumsden for £200,000 in December 1990 and has been a regular in the City side since.

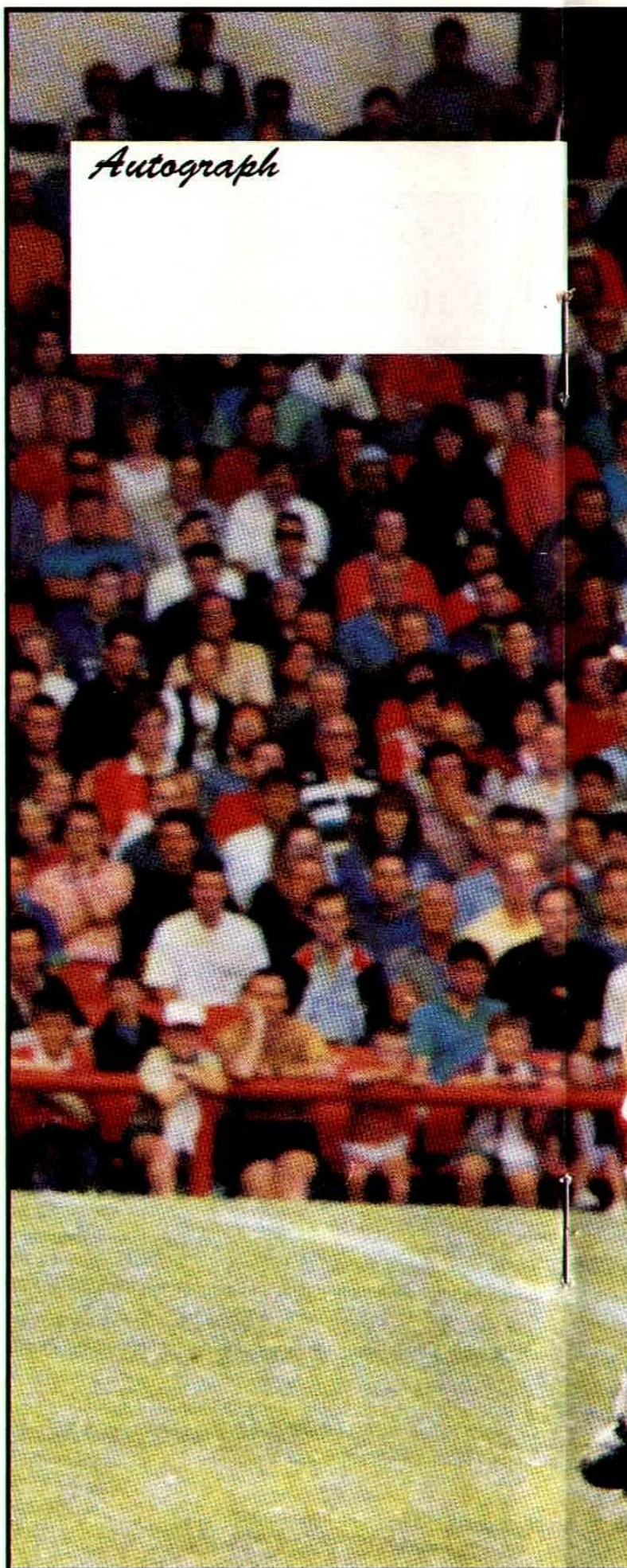
"It was a good move," said Martin, who is now 24. "It was a chance to better myself and step up a division."

"I am working hard to improve even more, having started off near the bottom and making steady progress."

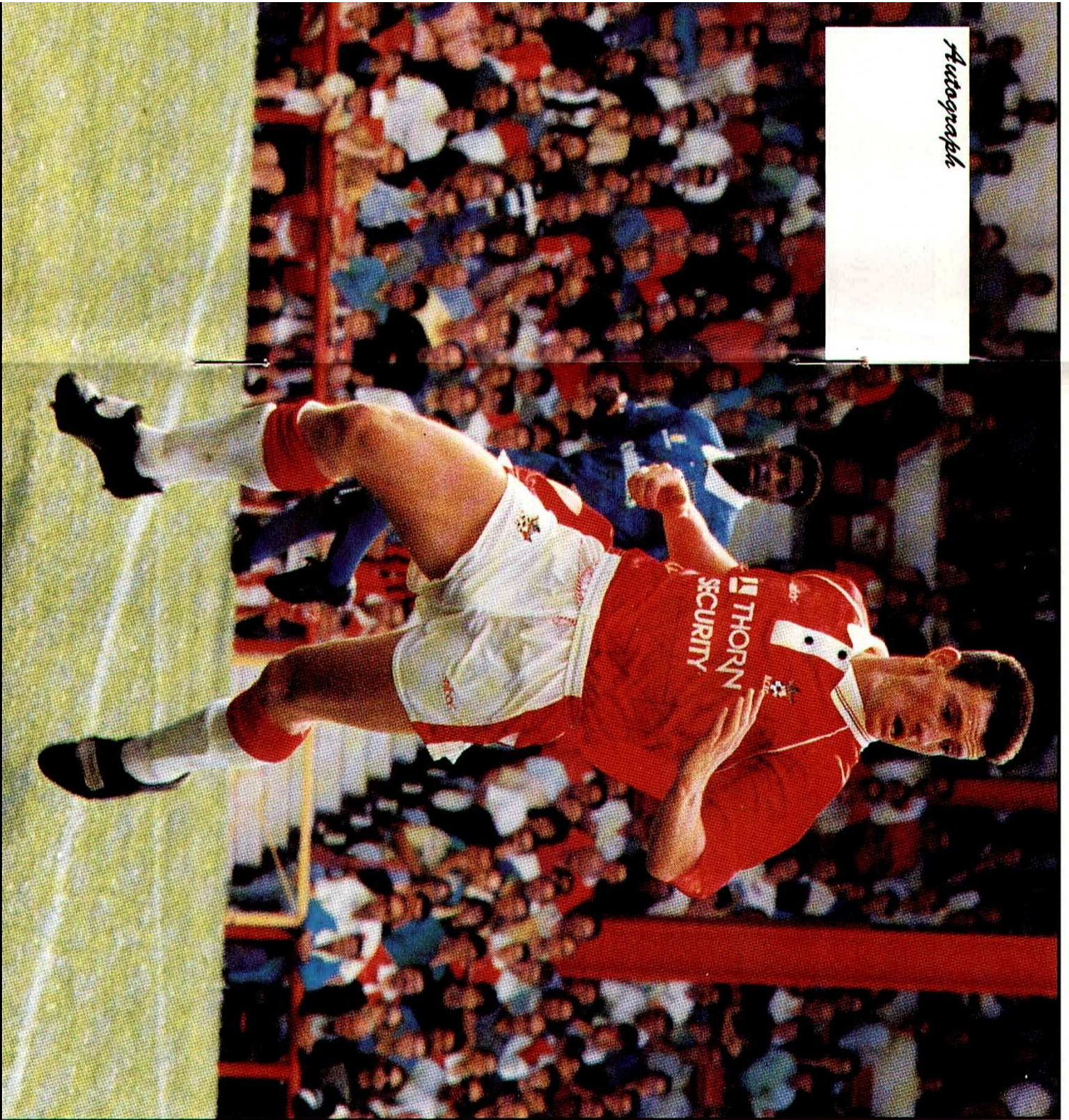
He rates the promotion season with Rotherham as the highlight of his career so far.

In his spare time he plays golf and snooker and is engaged to Samantha.

Autograph



Autograph





IN RESERVE



**Alan Crawford
Writes...**

The 2 - 0 win over Southampton at The Dell had to rank as our best Football Combination performance of the season.

It was an excellent all-round team effort against a team including the likes of Kerry Dixon in attack and several other experienced players. We were good value for the result.

It was particularly satisfying in view of the disappointing start which saw trialist David Adekola come off with a hamstring problem after just five minutes.

I mentioned in previous notes how impressed we had been with the Nigerian international in training and manager Denis Smith was looking forward to watching him in competitive action.

Sadly, that will now have to wait. Hamstrings take a while a clear up and David will be having treatment at Ashton Gate until we can give him another game.

One thing we have been trying to do at reserve level as well as in the first team is to build a solid defence so it was very satisfying to keep a clean sheet against the likes of Dixon.

Brian Mitchell teamed up with another trialist, Tony Frankland, in the centre of defence. For the second time this season Brian had an excellent game when playing in the middle.



Brian Mitchell

Tony joined us after his attempt to start a League career with Exeter City had been ruined by a serious injury. At the time of writing no decision has been made over his future here.

Having contained the Saints until half time and played very well, we got the goals we deserved in the second half through James McIntyre and Andy Hogg.

McIntyre has spent most of this season pushing forward from left back after joining us as a winger. But he still relishes having a crack at goal and remains a regular threat for the reserves.

By the end every player in the side could look back on his performance with satisfaction. It really was something to build on as we attempt to get away from the wrong end of the Combination table.

Team v Southampton: Leaning, Llewellyn, Benton, Mellon, Mitchell, Frankland, Connor, Bent, Adekola, Rouse, McIntyre, Paterson, Hogg.

NEXT HOME GAME

Our next home game is on Wednesday, 2nd December 1992, when we play Luton Town. Kick-off is at 7.30pm.

RESERVE FIXTURES

DATE	OPPONENTS	V	RESULT
August			
19	Fulham	H	1-2
26	West Ham Utd	A	1-5
September			
2	Crystal Palace	H	2-4
9	Tottenham	A	0-1
16	Milwall	H	1-1
24	Brighton & HA	A	1-1
30	Norwich City	H	1-1
October			
8	Wimbledon	A	0-2
14	Portsmouth	H	3-0
23	Norwich City	A	1-1
28	Q. P. R.	H	1-2
November			
2	Millwall	A	postponed
10	Southampton	A	2-0
18	Chelsea	H	
25	Oxford United	A	
December			
2	Luton Town	H	
8	Q. P. R.	A	
16	Charlton Athletic	H	
22	Watford	A	
30	Oxford United	H	
January			
4	Luton Town	A	
13	Southampton	H	
20	Charlton Athletic	A	
27	Watford	H	
February			
1	Chelsea	A	
11	Wimbledon	H	
17	Tottenham	H	
24	Arsenal	A	
March			
3	Swindon Town	H	
8	Swindon Town	A	
24	Brighton & H. A.	H	
31	Fulham	A	
April			
3	Ipswich Town	H	
14	Arsenal	H	
17	Portsmouth	A	
19	Crystal Palace	A	
28	Ipswich Town	A	
May			
5	West Ham Utd	H	

The Neville Ovenden FOOTBALL COMBINATION League Table - as at 14/11/92

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Millwall	12	8	2	2	22	13	26
Chelsea	12	7	3	2	29	18	24
Q.P.R.	12	6	4	2	23	12	22
Crystal Palace	13	5	6	2	30	20	21
Tottenham	12	6	2	4	26	11	20
Wimbledon	12	5	4	3	19	14	19
Ipswich Town	13	6	1	6	20	21	19
Arsenal	12	5	3	4	23	12	18
Southampton	12	5	3	4	17	15	18
Watford	13	4	6	3	20	24	18
Oxford Utd	13	4	6	3	16	23	18
Brighton & H.A.	13	5	2	6	17	27	17
Norwich City	12	4	4	4	25	22	16
Charlton	12	4	2	6	13	10	14
Fulham	13	3	3	7	10	23	12
West Ham Utd	12	3	2	7	15	20	11
Bristol City	12	2	4	6	14	20	10
Luton Town	10	2	3	5	12	19	9
Swindon Town	11	2	3	6	14	22	9
Portsmouth	11	2	3	5	15	25	9

SOUTH EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE

DATE OPPONENTS V RESULT

August

15	Wimbledon	H	0-3
20	Arsenal (SJFC)	H	0-4
22	Brighton & H A	A	3-1
29	Bristol Rovers	H	5-1

September

5	Reading	A	4-0
12	Colchester Utd	H	3-0
19	Reading (SECL Cup)	H	3-2
26	Tottenham	H	3-0

October

3	AFC Bournemouth	H	1-1
10	Brentford	A	2-1
17	Oxford	H	2-1
24	Brentford (SECL)	H	1-1
31	Brentford (SECL)	A	1-2

November

7	Crystal Palace	H	4-1
14	Luton Town	A	1-4
21	Swindon Town	H	
28	(SECL Cup)		

December

5	Swindon Town	A	
12	Wimbledon	A	
19	Brighton & H A	H	

January 1993

2	Bristol Rovers	A	
TBA	Southampton	A	

League fixtures for the new year - 9th
January onwards will be issued
towards the end of 1992.

SOUTH EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE

LEAGUE TABLE 1992/93 - as at 14/11

	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
Wimbledon	12	9	1	2	30	10	19
Bristol City	11	8	1	2	28	13	17
Brentford	11	7	3	1	22	11	17
Brighton & H A	11	6	2	3	28	22	14
Bournemouth	11	4	4	3	15	15	12
Southampton	12	4	4	4	14	17	12
Luton Town	11	5	0	7	24	18	10
Tottenham	11	5	0	6	21	25	10
Oxford United	12	3	3	6	21	25	9
Bristol Rovers	12	3	3	5	20	30	9
Colchester	10	4	0	6	11	17	8
Swindon Town	12	3	2	7	13	26	8
Crystal Palace	11	3	1	7	16	19	7
Reading	11	2	2	7	15	30	6

Following our 4 - 1 defeat last Saturday at Luton, the lads have been deposed at the top of the South East Counties League by Wimbledon once again.

The performance at Luton can only be described as poor. We just didn't play well and there were too many players below par.

Without making excuses, we were understrength with both goalkeeper Matthew Steadman and full back Jason Fowler missing through injury and on top of that the heavy pitch did not help our attempts to play football.

At half time, despite being below form, we were in the game at 1 - 1 and probably shaded the first half. However at any level, mistakes cost goals - and that was the case as the Hatters inflicted only our second defeat in the League this season.

Having held out to the final fifteen minutes, we then conceded three awful goals - all attributable to individual mistakes.

The result will, I'm sure, bring us down to earth and demonstrate to the lads that there is no room for complacency. It will be interesting to



THE YOUNG ONES

see how they react in this morning's game with Swindon. Let us hope that we can bounce back.

FA YOUTH CUP

Following our 4 - 1 victory over Bristol Rovers here at the start of this month, our youngsters are in action in the Second Round on Wednesday next, 25th November 1992, kick-off 7.30pm.

They play Epsom and Ewell, opposition that they met last season. In a close encounter, City triumphed 3 - 2 and one anticipates that this year's clash will be equally close.



Nathan Hicks scores City's first goal in the last round of the FA Youth Cup.

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Andy Cole waits to pounce while Leicester 'keeper Russell Hoult kneels expectantly!

Hi Junior Reds.

Welcome to today's local derby against Swindon Town. A chance for City to see if they can continue their improved home form against one of the Division's top sides.

JUNIOR FOOTBALL

The Junior Reds continue to be a very busy organisation and the chance for the girls to play a more active part came about when we entered teams in a six-a-side tournament at Whitchurch on Sunday 1st November. Teams at Under 11 and Under 14 levels played a full part in a keen contest which drew girls teams from around the region, and despite their lack of practice the Junior Reds teams showed up fairly well. The contest was in fact such a success that it has been decided to extend it to a short league season. The league will take place at Whitchurch Sports Centre on Sunday mornings from 10am - 12 noon, and of course the Junior Reds will have teams at both age levels. The boys have had a lot of chances to play football because of the great success of our Matchday Options Scheme.

This Scheme brings in many groups of youngsters for a day out at Ashton Gate and today is no exception. The Junior Reds have had several matches this morning and we are always keen to hear from young members who

would like to play (phone John on 0454 325666).

The chance to play for the Junior Reds away from home comes when members go on one of our visits to other grounds - the next of these comes on December 5th when we take a party to Watford. Any member wishing to go on this trip is advised to book today, as places go very quickly (see Claire in the Clubroom or Block G).

COMPETITION

Time is running out for you to get your entries in for our seasons prediction contest. Just pick up an entry form and tell us your final placings of the top and bottom of each division as well as your idea of this season's Cup winners at the end of the season. The member with the most correct predictions will be awarded the prize. All entries must be in by 28th November.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

Available from today are tickets for this year's Juniors Reds Christmas Party which is being held on Sunday 20th December - this will provide the perfect start to Christmas week. Tickets are free to Junior Reds (on production of their membership card) and priced at £2.50 for parents and guests. Music will be provided by the GWR Roadshow. There will be a raffle on the night and also drawn out on that night will be the winner of Martin Scott's away shirt that he wore last season. Tickets to win the shirt are available now from Jean.



BIRTHDAYS NOVEMBER

- 11th - SHAUN TIERNEY (15)
- 12th - RIKKI BEES (11),
PAUL STAMPS (9)
- 13th - RIKKI BEES (11)
- 14th - MATTHEW HUCKER (2)
- 15th - ADAM BURTON (6)
- 16th - MATTHEW BROOKS (2),
JAMES BRYANT (11),
DEBRA CHAPPELL (13)
- 17th - NEIL GODFREY (15),
KAREN THOMAS (12)
- 18th - WAYNE SCANNELL (11)
- 20th - MARCUS BREWER (1),
LEE DAVIS (14)
- 21st - JACK HICKEY (8)
- 22nd - PAUL NICOLL (15)
- 23rd - LEWIS JONES (2),
CLAIRE LONG (5)
- 24th - NEIL RIDLEY (13)
- 26th - MARC TREASURE (12)
- 27th - THOMAS RYAN (11),
SUSANNAH MALLAGHAN (12),
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CITY STATISTICS

1992/93

BARCLAYS LEAGUE DIVISION ONE

SEASON 1992/93 - up to & including games played 14/11/92

	HOME						AWAY						
	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	
NEWCASTLE	16	6	1	1	16	4	7	0	1	16	9	40	
SWINDON	17	7	2	1	22	11	2	2	3	9	12	31	
TRANMERE	16	7	3	0	22	6	2	1	3	8	9	31	
MILLWALL	16	6	2	0	21	6	2	3	3	6	8	29	
WEST HAM	16	3	1	2	11	4	5	2	3	17	9	27	
LEICESTER	17	5	2	2	10	8	3	1	4	10	12	27	
WOLVES	17	3	4	1	17	11	3	4	2	10	7	26	
CHARLTON	17	4	4	2	13	8	3	1	3	8	8	26	
GRIMSBY	16	4	3	1	13	9	3	1	4	11	9	25	
DERBY COUNTY	16	2	0	4	11	12	5	3	2	16	9	24	
PETERBOROUGH	15	2	2	4	10	12	5	1	1	14	8	24	
PORTSMOUTH	16	5	0	1	13	2	1	5	4	15	21	23	
OXFORD UTD	16	3	5	2	16	10	2	3	1	9	7	23	
WATFORD	17	4	2	3	14	14	2	3	3	11	13	23	
BRISTOL CITY	16	4	2	2	13	12	2	0	6	11	24	20	
BRENTFORD	16	4	2	3	17	11	1	2	4	7	9	19	
BIRMINGHAM	15	4	0	3	9	11	1	4	3	4	12	19	
BARNLEY	16	2	2	4	8	8	3	1	4	12	9	18	
CAMBRIDGE	17	4	1	4	12	15	0	4	4	5	16	17	
NOTTS COUNTY	17	1	4	3	7	11	2	2	5	13	24	15	
SUNDERLAND	16	3	2	3	10	9	1	1	6	5	18	15	
LUTON	16	0	3	4	9	20	2	3	4	9	17	12	
SOUTHEND	16	1	3	2	5	7	1	2	7	9	19	11	
BRISTOL ROVERS	17	2	1	6	12	24	0	2	6	10	22	9	

APPEARANCES AND GOAL SCORERS SEASON 1992/93

	LEAGUE		CUP	
	Apps	Goals	Apps	Goals
Andy LEANING	1	-	-	-
Brian MITCHELL	12	-	6	-
Martin SCOTT	15	3	7	1
David THOMPSON	16	-	7	-
Matt BRYANT	14	-	6	-
Russell OSMAN	10	-	2	-
Micky MELLON	7	1	5 (1)	-
Jacki DZIEKANOWSKI	13	3	5 (2)	-
Nicky MORGAN	1	-	-	-
Andrew COLE	12	8	5	4
Gary SHELTON	14	1	6	1
Gerry HARRISON	9 (4)	1	3 (3)	-
Keith WELCH	15	-	7	-
Rob EDWARDS	8 (2)	-	6	-
Leroy ROSENIOR	12 (1)	1	5	1
Mark AIZLEWOOD	2	-	1	-
Wayne ALLISON	6 (6)	2	3 (2)	2
Junior BENT	- (5)	1	- (1)	-
Andy LLEWELLYN	2	-	-	-
Terry CONNOR	2 (3)	-	1	1
Nicky REID	3 (1)	-	1	-
James McINTYRE	-	-	- (1)	-
Mark GAVIN	2 (1)	-	1 (1)	-
Own goals	-	3	-	-

OPPONENTS	RES	POS	ATT
AUGUST			
15 Portsmouth	3 - 3	11	15251
18 Cardiff City (CCLC 1 (1))	0 - 1	-	9126
22 Luton Town	3 - 0	7	7926
25 Cardiff City (CCLC 1 (2))	5 - 1	-	9801
29 Sunderland	0 - 0	10	14076
SEPTEMBER			
1 Watford (A/I Cup)	1 - 0	-	3588
6 Derby County	4 - 3	7	12738
12 Southend United	0 - 1	8	9515
15 West Ham United	1 - 5	9	14130
19 Newcastle United	0 - 5	12	29465
22 Sheffield United (CCLC Cup)	2 - 1	-	6922
26 Barnsley	2 - 1	10	8049
29 Luton Town (A/I Cup)	1 - 1	-	2538
OCTOBER			
3 Tranmere Rovers	0 - 3	13	5975
7 Sheffield United (CCLC Cup)	1 - 4	-	7588
10 Charlton Athletic	2 - 1	12	9282
17 Cambridge United	1 - 2	13	3894
24 Leicester City	2 - 1	10	10408
31 Brentford	1 - 5	15	8726
NOVEMBER			
4 Millwall	1 - 4	15	5934
7 Birmingham City	3 - 0	14	10008
11 Cosenza (A/I Cup)	0 - 2	-	3644
14 Grimsby Town	1 - 2	15	5651
21 Swindon Town			
24 Pisa (A/I Cup)			
28 Notts County			
DECEMBER			
5 Watford			
8 Reggiana (A/I Cup)			
13 Bristol Rovers			
16 Cremonese (A/I Cup)			
19 Peterborough United			
26 Oxford United			
28 Wolverhampton Wanderers			
JANUARY			
2 FAC 3			
9 Newcastle United			
16 Barnsley			
23 FAC 4			
27 West Ham United			
30 Luton Town			
FEBRUARY			
6 Portsmouth			
10 Southend United			
13 Derby County			
20 Sunderland			
27 Charlton Athletic			
MARCH			
6 Tranmere Rovers			
9 Millwall			
13 Birmingham City			
20 Watford			
23 Swindon Town			
27 Grimsby Town			
APRIL			
3 Notts County			
6 Bristol Rovers			
10 Oxford United			
12 Wolverhampton Wanderers			
17 Peterborough United			
24 Cambridge United			
MAY			
1 Leicester City			
8 Brentford			

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Sportsmans Dinner

The Sportsmans Dinner due to take place on Monday, 7th December 1992 has been postponed to the New Year. It is hoped that it will be possible to arrange it for the end of January.

We'll bring you details as soon as they have been finalised.

CHRISTMAS LUNCH

Our Catering Manager, Peter Tully still has a few vacancies for his Christmas Lunch function arranged for **Monday 21st December 1992 (12.30pm to 1.00pm)**. Sample our sumptuous lunch, join in the Christmas festivities and enjoy the entertainment provided by **Top Hat N' Tails**.

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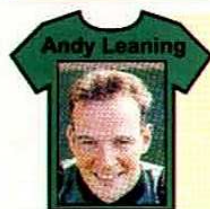
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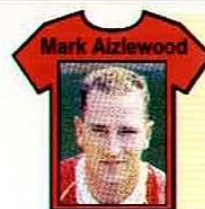
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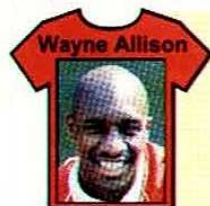
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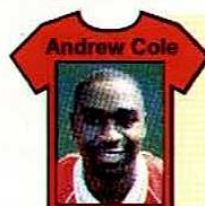
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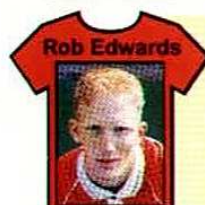
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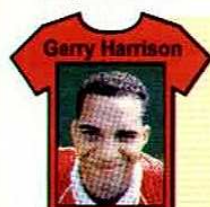
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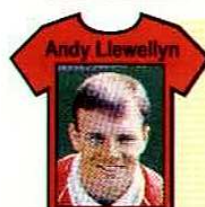
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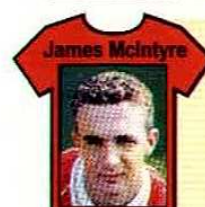
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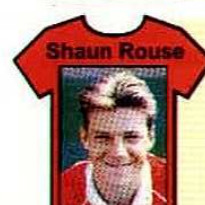
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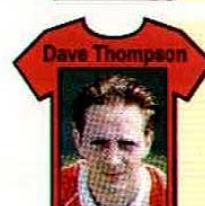
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**NOTTS COUNTY
BARCLAYS LEAGUE
DIVISION ONE
Saturday 28th November
1992**

Relegated last season, the new season has brought Notts County little respite from their struggles, and currently they are fifth from the bottom in Division One.

With crowds not holding up and cash at a premium, manager Neil Warnock has had to sell. Perhaps the biggest blow to him was the loss of star defender Craig Short. He was sold to rivals Derby County in September for a million pound plus fee.

His absence has been most noticeable. The hitherto watertight County defence has shipped goals - so far this season they've conceded 35 in seventeen League games, twenty four of them away from Meadow Lane.

Ironically, they have recorded two victories on their travels - one more than they have achieved at home, where they have already suffered three defeats.

County have 'blooded' several youngsters following the change in personnel and the blend of youth and experience is a good one.

Judging by past encounters, the game is likely to be close and with County becoming more desperate for points, another tough game is in prospect.

Away Day

**WATFORD
BARCLAYS LEAGUE
DIVISION ONE
Saturday 5th December
1992**

Bookings can now be made for the trip to Watford on Saturday, 5th December. Coaches will depart Ashton Gate at 10.30am and the fare is £7 for Travel Club members and £8 for non-members.

Visitors should stand on the South West Terrace and admission is £7, and admission to the Sir Stanley Rous stand is £10.

Programmes cost £1 each.

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WATFORD F.C. (on left)

Total Mileage: 123.1 miles

CLUB 92

Please note with immediate effect:
**Dolman Bar facilities
will be available for
Dolman Stand Season
Ticket Holders and
City Society Members.**

OPEN TODAY:

1.00pm - 2.30pm

before the game

4.40pm - 6.00pm

after the game

**CONGRATULATIONS...
to Jackie and Steve
Fudge on the birth of
their daughter
Sophie Lee, on
November 10th 1992.
not forgetting
Grandmother Beryl!**

MATCHDAY

THE FIRST DIVISION MAGAZINE

WOLVES
But's going for gold

DERRY
Can't goal

WILLKILL
The new Lion's den

CAMBRIDGE
United and direct

SOUTHERN'S
Assail

PETERBOROUGH
Pusher days

BRIGHTON
Smile's still running

SPRINGHAM
Singing the Blues

BARNSLEY
On Taggart

BRISTOL CITY
AND TOWERS

8 seasons together

WEST HAM
Hammering on

POMPEY'S
travels

Plus
Charlton
Grimsby
Leicester
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Notts County
Oxford
Sheff
Tottenham



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TEAM CHECK

Barclays League Division One

Saturday 21st November 1992, kick-off 3.00pm

BRISTOL CITY		V	SWINDON TOWN	
KEITH WELCH	1		NICKY HAMMOND	
MATT BRYANT	2		DAVID KERSLAKE	
MARTIN SCOTT	3		KEVIN HORLOCK	
BJORN KRISTENSEN	4		GLENN HODDLE	
ROB EDWARDS	5		COLIN CALDERWOOD	
BRIAN MITCHELL	6		SHAUN TAYLOR	
GERRY HARRISON	7		MICKY HAZARD	
GARY SHELTON	8		NICKY SUMMERBEE	
LEROY ROSENIOR	9		CRAIG MASKELL	
ANDY COLE	10		MARTIN LING	
MICKY MELLON	11		DAVE MITCHELL	
	12			
	14			

MATCH SPONSOR

We Welcome today

**BASS
WALES &
WEST**

MATCHBALL SPONSOR

We Welcome today

**MGM
ASSURANCE**

TODAY'S REFEREE: Mr P. Jones (Loughborough)

Married with two young children, Peter is an Account Executive with BT. Chairman of the Loughborough Referees Society, he started refereeing in 1975 and is now in his fourth season on the Referees List. His hobbies are golf and horse racing.



TODAY'S LINESMEN



YELLOW & RED QUARTERED FLAG
YELLOW FLAG

J. E. Biddle (Solihull)
M. J. Holohan (Swansea)

TODAY'S MASCOTS



BRISTOL CITY MASCOT

Kerrie Fowler is 12 years old and attends Downend Secondary School. Her hobbies are swimming, reading and football, and she is a regular visitor to Ashton Gate with her Dad. Her favourite players are Keith Welsh and Leroy Rosenior.

We hope that Kerrie and Liam both enjoy their day at Ashton Gate.



SPONSORS MASCOT

Liam O'Connell is 9 years of age, and attends St Bernadettes Primary School. His hobbies are playing football and rugby and most other sports. A regular visitor to Ashton Gate with his Dad, his favourite players are Andy Cole and Jacki Dziekanowski.

FORTHCOMING FIXTURES

F. A. Youth Cup - 2nd Round

BRISTOL CITY

V

EPSOM & EWELL

Wednesday 25th November 1992.
Kick-off 7.30pm.

BARCLAYS LEAGUE
Division One

BRISTOL CITY

V

NOTTS COUNTY

Saturday 28th November 1992.
Kick-off 3.00pm.



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