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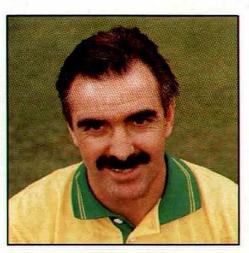
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John Gorman

What can I say? We are rooted at the foot of the Premier League table yet we are far from being in a position to succumb to the blues! Indeed, the spirit in the camp is vibrant.

The lads know they can play good football and get great personal satisfaction from doing so. They are confident that they will find their feet and make their mark in this league... There's definitely no panic at all.

The quality is still here, we have shown that in our performances if not by our results. We are all confident we can pull things around.

We were given a big boost on Monday when for the first time since the season started we had all 18 senior players involved in training. Even just one senior pro out through injury makes a difference when you are working with a small squad like ours.

It is good to have people of the calibre of Paul Bodin back in harness. Paul was injured in Finland in preseason and it has taken some time for him to get completely fit. It was unfortunate for him that he returned just a week or so too late to be included in the Welsh team for their important World Cup tie last week.

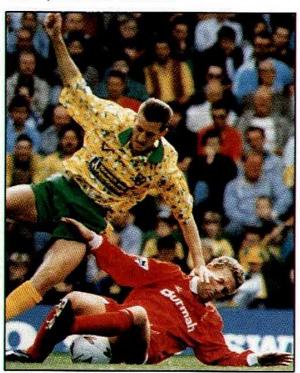
When we have the likes of Paul back, and he should be in the side this afternoon, we have the makings of a very good club.

Young Kevin Horlock has been outstanding as Paul's replacement and there is no doubt his time will come. In fact with Kevin, Nicky Summerbee and Adrian Whitbread, we have three tremendously gifted young players.

As you know we have also signed Terry Fenwick and welcome him to the County Ground for his first home match today. Terry is a very experienced player with an international pedigree and when he came on at West Ham last Saturday went out and did exactly the job he was asked to do. I'm sure he will be a great asset to the club.

After our early setbacks we seemed to get it right at Norwich where we possibly deserved more than a share of the points. Having kept a clean-sheet at Carrow Road we played the same formation here against Manchester City and looked for an hour as if we were going to secure our first win of the season.

I thought we controlled the game at I-0 but for some reason we then tried to hold that advantage instead of going out to increase it. For an hour we were spot-on then we lost it.



Micky Hazard - in action at Norwich

The turning point was their second goal. After their first we went forward again and should have regained the lead. We didn't take our chances and in the end paid dearly.

After the disappointment of that evening we had a couple of days rest then, because of the International fixtures, had a full week to work hard on our game; and the lads really grafted.

The improvement at West Ham was there for all to see. There is no doubt we produced some of our best football this season at Upton Park. We were the better side and played some unbelievable football.

Even Billy Bonds was gracious enough afterwards to say that we "murdered them for thirty-minutes" yet we were again unable to turn our superiority into goals.

It will come. We are learning all the while and seem to be getting better each game. Hopefully that important first win will materialise today.

Newcastle have certainly taken the game by storm and we must congratulate Kevin and his assistants on their success. They won the First Division in style last season and did a magnificent job.

What is so pleasing is that Kevin's success has been a success for football. His philosophy on the game is much the same as ours which means we have the ingredients here for a great match this afternoon.

We hope you enjoy it. The lads have been knocked out by your tremendous support and are so eager to repay you with a home win.

# John Gorman



## THE CARLING DREAM TEAM

When fans get to discussing who they'd choose as a dream eleven it's a sure-fire recipe for long and heated discussion.

And no doubt the results of the first Carling fans' survey will prompt yet another round of the argument. We asked an equal number of fans from each of the 22 FA Carling Premiership clubs to nominate their top player choices and used the results to draw up an overall favourite dream team.

As you can see, the money-no object eleven includes only one uncapped player, Liverpool new boy Neil Ruddock and recognises the talents of the Footballer of the Year Chris Waddle.

Ryan Giggs comes out as the top player most fans would like to see playing for their club. The Old Trafford star gained more than twice as many votes (21%) as his closest rival - England striker Alan Shearer (9%).

Despite London being home to six FA Carling Premiership clubs, the Capital has only one representative in the 'Dream Team' - Arsenal's Ian Wright.

Over the season, Carling will be asking fans for their views on the game - both on and off the pitch. So watch this space to see what the fans think about soccer's top flight.



\* The Sir Norman Chester Centre for Football Research polled 1,000 FA Carling Premiership fans during July. The fans were drawn equally from each of the 22 FA Carling Premiership clubs and over 72% watched more than 16 of their club's home games last season.

#### DREAM TEAM SUBSTITUTES

Goalkeeper Neville Southall (Everton) David Bardsley (QPR) Full Back Centre Back Tony Adams (Arsenal) Earl Barrett (Aston Villa) Full Back Midfield Eric Cantona (Manchester Utd) Darren Anderton (Spurs) Winger Dean Saunders Forward (Aston Villa)



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#### Jon Pollard ~ Secretary

Over the next three weeks we will be playing teams who have the spending power to buy in as and when they need to without too much thought as to whether or not the budget figures will be thrown out of line. Starting with this afternoon's clash with fellow Premier League new-boys Newcastle United.

Last season both teams provided the First Division with two of the best games of the year when in front of over 28,000 partisan Wearsiders, not to mention the millions watching on television we fought out a goalless draw before the return game here at the County Ground which was also seen by a capacity crowd. This time we ran out victorious 2-1 with goals from Paul Bodin and Colin Calderwood. Andy Cole made his debut for Newcastle and has proved to be an excellent buy from Bristol City.

Next Saturday we visit Old Trafford in the FA Carling Premiership when we face the mighty Manchester United before our next home game against Blackburn Rovers on Saturday 2 October. This game is one of the few fixtures this season at The County Ground which is not all ticket.

#### Coca-Cola Cup

The option for Season Ticket holders to buy their tickets for next Wednesday's Coca-Cola Cup second round first leg tie against Wolverhampton Wanderers at The County Ground has now expired and any remaining tickets are now on general sale. This game is all ticket and there will be no cash admission on the night.

Also all ticket is the away leg which is being played at Molineux on Tuesday 5 October kicking off at 7.30pm. Season Ticket Holders, on production of their book, may purchase a ticket from the Club for this game priced £8 each. Their priority booking period expires at 4.45pm on Thursday 30 September after which time any remaining tickets will be put on general sale.

#### **Football Combination**

Because of the Coca-Cola Cup tie here, next

Wednesday's Neville Ovenden Football

Combination fixture with Ipswich Town has been

re-dated for Monday 14 March.

The Reserves next game is on Tuesday 28 September when they travel to Ashton Gate where they meet Bristol City kicking off at 7.30pm.

#### **Quick Departure**

The Youth Team unfortunately made a quick exit from the Southern Junior Floodlit Cup last week going down 2-1 at the hands of West Bromwich Albion. The Midland Youth Cup 1st round tie at home to Nottingham Forest will be played at The County Ground on Monday 27 September 1993, kicking off at 7.30pm. The boys were in Cup action this morning at Wanborough against Southend United in the first round of the South East Counties League Cup.

#### **Dangerous Practice**

One practice we ask be stopped is that of scattering strips of paper about the place when teams enter the field of play. The paper is a fire risk and an annoyance to both stadium staff and local residents who have to try and clear the mess up. We regret that in future any supporters seen throwing paper about will be ejected from the Stadium.

#### No Smoking

A reminder that the Town End Stand is strictly a No Smoking area. Again anybody not wanting to comply with this ruling will find themselves ejected from the stadium. Please respect the comfort of others.

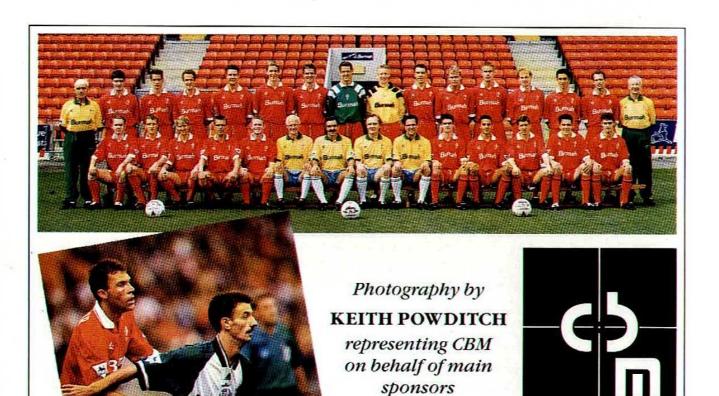
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# **Newcastle United**

#### The Visitors

Resurgent Newcastle look the part - by John Nolan

Kevin Keegan's team cruised to promotion last season, leading the First Division from the first to the last week. It was an impressive comeback and their return to the big time has generated an enthusiasm on Tyneside that has to be experienced to be appreciated.

Season Ticket sales generated £8-million and some of that money has been invested in strengthening the side even further, the most notable acquisition being the signing of former Liverpool and England star Peter Beardsley.

Alas, Beardsley still awaits his comeback match after having had his jaw shattered in three places by Neil Ruddock in a pre-season "friendly" with his former Liverpool colleagues. Keegan wasted no time recruiting a replacement, £300,000 tempting Millwall to part with Malcolm Allen.

Keegan is determined to create a Liverpool style empire on Tyneside. It won't happen overnight, it will be a gradual progress, but the foundations are now being laid.

The passion is contagious. The build-up to the opening game of the season against Spurs, managed by former Town boss Ossie Ardiles, who was sacked by Newcastle in 1991-92, began the day the fixtures were released. Ossie went home smiling after Spurs had won 1-0 but Keegan could well have the last laugh.

They love their heroes at St James' Park and Andy Cole looks like joining the Newcastle hall of fame. His pace and finishing looks certain to make him one of the top strikers in the Premiership.

#### Form Guide

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Everton	- 1	0	Allen
Blackburn Rovers	1	1	Cole
Ipswich Town	1	1	Cole
Sheff Wednesday	4	2	Cole, Mathie, Allen (2)



#### **Newcastle United ABC**

Malcolm Allen - Striker. Snapped up from Millwall for£300,000 on the eve of the season's start as a replacement for the injured Beardsley. Looks twice the player he did at the Den and has forged a good understanding with hit-man Andrew Cole. Started his career with Watford and had a spell on loan with Aston Villa before Norwich stepped in and sighed him in 1988. Malcolm played just 35 League games (8 goals) for the Canaries before joining the Lions, in a £400,000 deal, in March 1990. Capped 13 times by Wales he could soon be back in international reckoning. Born: Deiniolen 21-3-67.

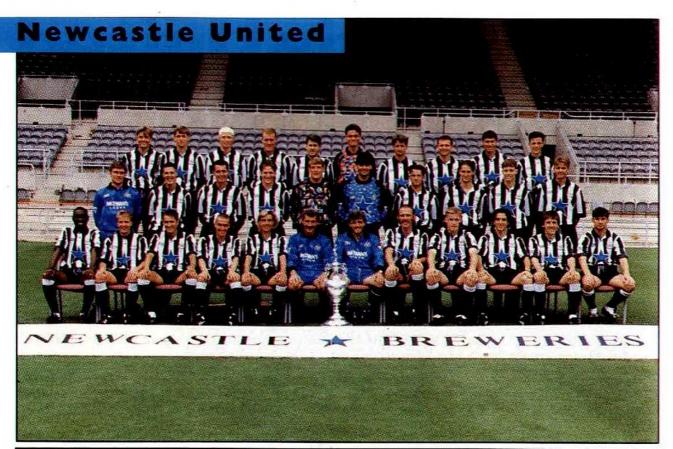
John Beresford - Fullback. Signed from Portsmouth in July 1992 for £650,000, after a proposed move to Liverpool fell through on medical grounds. Started his career with Manchester City who gave him a free move to Barnsley in 1986 with whom he made his League debut. Three years later Portsmouth paid £300,000 for his services. An

England Youth International, John was put on standby for the full England squad last season... Scored a debut League goal in the 6-0 win over Barnsley, in April 1993. Born: Sheffield 4-9-66.

Paul Bracewell - Midfield. The first of Keegan's signings in the summer of 1992, a tribunal set the fee of £250,000 for the out of contract Sunderland star. Had just made his fourth FA Cup Final appearance with the Rokerites. It was his second spell with Sunderland after service with Stoke City and Everton with whom he won Championship; FA Cup and European Cup Winner's Cup medals. A strong tackling midfield general who would have made more than his three appearances for England (1985-88) had not serious injury intervened. Born: Stoke 19-7-62.

Lee Clark - Midfield. Still only 20, but already being hailed on Tyneside as the "new Gazza". A former England Schoolboy captain he relishes responsibility and was the Magpies only ever present last season - when he picked up a string of Player of





Back Row: Danny Anderson, David Roche, Alun Armstrong, Steve Watson, Kevin Brock, Steve Harper, Scott Sellars, John Beresford, Robert Lee, Richard Appleby

Middle Row: Derek Fazackerley (First Team Coach), Peter Cormack, Liam O'Brien, Alan Neilson, Tommy Wright, Pavel Srnicek, Matty Appleby, Rob Elliot, Tony Dinning, Nathan Murray

Front Row: Andy Cole, Alex Mathie, Steve Howey, Lee Clark, Barry Venison, Terry McDermott (Assistant Manager), Kevin Keegan (Manager), Brian Kilcline, Kevin Scott, Niki Papavasiliou, Peter Beardsley, Paul Bracewell.

the Year Awards. Was just 17 when he made his League debut, at Bristol City, in September 1990 and made the England Under-21 team in Toulon in the summer of 1992. A hard working play-maker who is destined for great things. Born: Wallsend 10-10-72.

Andrew Cole - Striker. A former pupil at the GMG FA School of Excellence he spent six years at Highbury Under-21 squad. Born: Sunderland 26-11-71. but made only two senior appearances for Arsenal, in the last six-minutes of the League game with Sheffield United in 1990-91 and in the Charity Shield game with Spurs. Bristol City shelled out a club record £500,000 for him in the summer of 1992 and he had registered 17 goals for them by the time Keegan swooped in with a cheque for a £1.75-million in March 1993 - making him the club's most expensive buy ever. Made his Magpies debut at Swindon and scored 12 goals in 11 starts for the Geordies - including a hat-trick against Leicester on the final day of last season...his quick-feet and blistering pace has already made an impact on the Premiership and Kevin Keegan is tipping Andrew for full England honours. Has played for England of course at Schoolboy, Youth and Under-21 levels. Born: Nottingham 15-10-71.

Stephen Howey - Central Defender. A product of the YTS Steve was a prolific scorer in youth and

reserve team football but was not able to reproduce that form in the senior grade. Made his League debut, as a sub. at Old Trafford in May 1989, but started only four games in two years after that. It was after Keegan switched him to centre-back, just over a year ago, that he made an impression and he made 52 appearances in this role last season forcing his way into the England

Robert Lee - Forward. A West Ham United fan as a youngster he was a turnstile operator at Charlton Athletic when the Valiants spotted him playing for ABTA. Made his League debut for them against Grimsby Town, in March 1984, and developed into an England Under-21 International. Played in excess of 250 games for Charlton before moving to Newcastle in a £700,000 deal in September 1992. Plays up front on the right. Scored 12 goals for the Magpies last season. Born: West Ham 1-2-66.

Alan Neilson - Defender. Became a YTS trainee after asking for a trial because his grandfather was a Newcastle United fan. A versatile performer he provides cover for every defensive position and last season made six appearances. Still yet to establish himself in the Newcastle side but is a regular in the Welsh Under-21 side. Born: Wegburg 26-9-72.

#### **Newcastle United ABC**

Liam O'Brien - Midfield. Stylish operator who loves to carry the ball to the opposition. Scored seven vital goals last season - most of them spectacular efforts from long range. Began his career with Dublin side Bohemians and was with Shamrock Rovers when Manchester United snapped him up in 1986. Made his League bow v Leicester City in December 1986 and made 31 League appearances for the Red Devils. Newcastle signed him in 1988 for £250,000. Republic of Ireland International. Born: Dublin 5-9-64.

Nicos Papavasiliou - Midfield. Exciting young recruit signed in the summer from Greek club OFI for £125,000. Niki, a Cypriot International, had paid his own fare to have a trial with Newcastle last season and did enough to impress. Is now impressing English football fans with his busy and skilful contribution on the left side of midfield - his style being not dissimilar to that of former Liverpool favourite Craig Johnston. Certainly has no inhibitions about the physical aspects of Premier League football. Born: 31-9-70

Kevin Scott - Central Defender. Commanding stopper who has been the fulcrum of the defence since making his debut, in a First Division defeat at Sheffield Wednesday, in September 1986. Was released as a teenager by Middlesbrough and was spotted playing for Easington Juniors by Newcastle who signed him in 1984. Was in the Magpies FA Youth Cup winning side a year later. Is 6' 2" and is now the longest serving player on the books. Born: Easington 17-12-66.

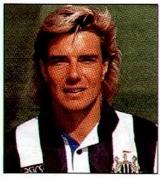
Scott Sellars -Midfield. Beautifully balanced player who can go either way but favours his left side. Served his apprenticeship with Leeds United. making his League debut for them at Shrewsbury in May 1983. It was after his move



Blackburn Rovers in 1986, that his career really took off and Leeds United resigned him for £1-million in the Summer of 1992. Injuries, alas, hampered his progress and Newcastle United's £700,000 bid was accepted by Howard Wilkinson in March 1993. Scored twice in 13 appearances for the Magpies last season. Born: Sheffield 27-11-65.

Pavel Srnicek - Goalkeeper. Comes from the same Czech club as Hammers' number one Ludek Miklosko - Banik Ostrava. Cost Newcastle £250,000 in January 1991 and made his debut the following April conceding 15 goals in his opening seven games. Has since come to terms with the English game and established himself in United's promotion side after Tommy Wright was injured - making 41 appearances. Capped by Czechoslovakia at Under-21 level he has still to make his full International debut though he was on the bench for the RCS in their 2-2 draw with Wales in Cardiff last week. Born: Ostrava 10-3-68.

Barry Venison - Fullback. Right-sided defender who is rated by many as the best uncapped right-back in England. Came to the fore with Sunderland after making his debut, as a 17-year-old, in a 2-0 defeat at Notts County (10-10-81). Made 172



League appearances in five years at Roker and became the youngest captain in a Wembley Final when he skippered Sunderland in the 1985 Milk Cup Final. Picked up a runners-up medal then and again two years later when he wore the red of Liverpool against Arsenal. Had arrived at Anfield in a £250,000 transfer in July 1986 and won two Championships - 1988 and 1990 and an FA Cup runners-up medal (1989) while on Merseyside. In the summer of 1992 Liverpool let him sign for Newcastle in another £250,000 move. Played 55 times last season and was the only outfield player not to score! Born: Consett 16-8-64.

**Stephen Watson** - Fullback/Midfield. Outstanding young player who figured in England's Under-20 side in the World Youth Championship finals when he was still 17. Was first blooded in the Newcastle side when he was 16 and remains the youngest ever to represent the club at that level. Can play right-back or in midfield and was a regular in England's Under-19 side in the World Youth Championship Finals in Australia last March. Born: North Shields 1-4-74.

Tommy Wright - Goalkeeper. Was on International duty for Northern Ireland last week when he kept a clean-sheet in a 2-0 win over Latvia in the World Cup. Stands 6'1" and was outstanding for 19 games at the start of last season before injury cost him his place to Srnicek. Started as a part-timer with Linfield and was snapped up by Newcastle for £30,000 seven years ago. A former cross-country champion and part-time barman, he has also played for Hull City on loan. Born: Belfast 29-8-63.

#### The man in charge



Kevin Keegan

Manager

Keegan was born at Armthorpe, Yorkshire, on St Valentine's Day 1951. He joined Scunthorpe United as an apprentice in December 1968 and in May 1971 was signed by Liverpool for a bargain £35,000.

A relatively unknown player he was to emerge as a giant in one of the greatest club sides of all time. His tremendous verve and commitment and knack of finding the net, helped establish him not only as the darling of the Kop but of the national side as well

First capped by England against Wales in 1972 Kevin played his 63rd and final game in a goalless draw with Spain, in Madrid, during the 1982 World Cup Finals. He scored 21 goals for his country.

The soccer world was stunned in the summer of 1977 when Keegan turned his back on Anfield and signed for SV Hamburg for £500,000! In the Bundesliga he was a great success but three years later he was back with Southampton who paid £420,000 for his registration.

After two years at the Dell he arrived at St James' Park for a bargain £100,000. Kevin became the inspiration of Arthur Cox's side finishing his playing career on a glorious note as he led Newcastle United back to Division One.

Keegan collected three League Championship medals as a player as well as winner's medals in the FA Cup; the European Cup and the UEFA Cup (twice). He was crowned Footballer of the Year in 1976; European Footballer of the Year in 1978 and 1979 as well as PFA Player of the Year in 1982.

The return of Kevin Keegan to St James' Park in February 1992 sparked a revival that even the most ardent disciples of this famous club could little have envisaged.

Newcastle was engulfed by a cloud of gloom and despondency at the time - with finances as well as playing results presenting a dismal picture.

Keegan turned it all around. He attracted the cast input and stimulated the town and the team to eventually reap the rewards last season as they romped away with the First Division title.

# SPOTLIGHT

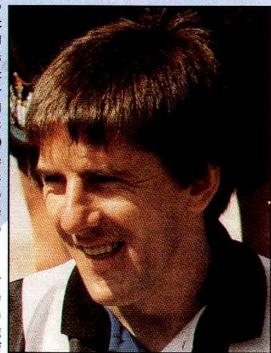
on Peter Beardsley

Peter Beardsley - Forward, His return for his first club has been postponed following facial injuries received in a clash with Liverpool's Neil Ruddock in a pre-season friendly.

It was Carlisle United who gave Peter his big break, after spotting him playing for Walsend BC, and he made his league debut for them v Blackburn Rovers (21-8-79). Scored 22 goals in 102 league appearances then signed for Vancouver Whitecaps (£275,000) in 1982.

Came back on loan to Manchester United but Ron Atkinson rejected him after just 75 minutes in a Milk Cup tie against Bournemouth. Peter returned to Canada and in September 1983 Newcastle paid £300,000 for his signature. He responded with 20 goals in 35 league games to help the Magpies secure promotion in 1984 to Division One.

The chisel-chinned striker was to become the darling of Tyneside; and in 1986 made a scoring England bow - the first of his 49 caps - in Egypt,



Peter Beardsley

In the summer of 1987 Peter became the costliest player in Britain when Liverpool invested £1.9 million in his transfer. He made 175 appearances for the reds before a surprise switch to Goodison Park in August 1991 but was unable to solve Everton's problems, and they let him return to St James' Park in the summer for £1.5 million.

# Premier NEWS



We managed to double our points haul last week with a well deserved draw at West Ham but it seems the 'S' clubs are not in favour at the moment with Southampton, Sheffield Wednesday and Swindon occupying the bottom three rungs on the Premier League ladder after last Saturday's programme.

The Hammers were just above the Oldham Athletic and Newcastle United, along with Sheffield United and Manchester City, on the brink.

It is surprising what one win can do. Take Chelsea last Saturday. Former Newcastle star Gavin Peacock scored their winner against Manchester United to inflict the first defeat on the Champions for sixmonths...Yet it was Glenn Hoddle who hogged all the headlines with another vintage show that emphasised the mockery of the £75,000 fee set by a tribunal.

Where can you buy talent like that for heavens sake? Even if you have £14-million to spare! Were we done or were we done?

That win pushed the Blues into a middle of the table position but more importantly gave them all a big confidence booster. It will be interesting to see how they get on this afternoon at Coventry.

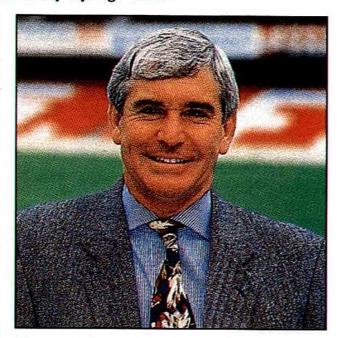
The Sky Blues have started well again and remain the only unbeaten side in the Premiership. Their success is an incentive for all the smaller clubs whose financial resources can not match those of Arsenal, Liverpool and Manchester United.

Mind you money doesn't always buy success - look at Sheffield Wednesday. The new Wednesday formation has cost £14-million and though everyone has shrugged their slow start off as just one of those things they have to beware they do not fall into the same demise as Leeds United experienced last season.

Wednesday entertain troubled Southampton today in a match of vital significance. The Saints beaten 2-0 at the Dell last week have lost all three of their away fixtures thus far and six of their seven games. It is putting manager lan Branfoot under enormous pressure from the fans.

But what of Leeds United the former champions...That 2-0 success at the Dell ended a miserable 17-months without an away win (24 games), and prompted Gordon Strachan to claim: "This was one of the most satisfying games and results of my career. It was like a World Cup qualifier when you have just got the point you needed."

Former Sheffield United hit-man Brian Deane, and Gary Speed, scored the goals now Deane faces his former colleagues in the Yorkshire derby at Elland Road this afternoon. The pools pundits have this one down as a draw but "Harry" Bassett's men have lost



Ian Branfoot

Under Pressure

all three away games this season and the Blades boss was not too happy with this team's show against Spurs.

Adrian Littlejohn equalised twice in his first game of the season to rescue a point at Bramall Lane where temperatures were high after Jason Dozzell had netted a controversial goal for Spurs.

Ossie Ardiles praised the character of his team in a difficult game. But Ossie and former Town skipper Colin Calderwood will be expecting three points from today's meeting with Oldham Athletic.

The Latics are still looking for a first home win after Tony Cottee's goal gave Everton three points on Saturday but they have won one of their three away matches.

Everton stage the big Mersey derby today with Liverpool still favourites to win while Blackburn Rovers remain odds on to beat West Ham United.

The Ipswich vs Aston Villa game could go either way. Dalian Atkinson and Dean Saunders failed to find the net in the goalless draw with Coventry while Suffolk's pride was dented severely at Highbury where Kevin Campbell netted his first senior hat-trick for Arsenal.

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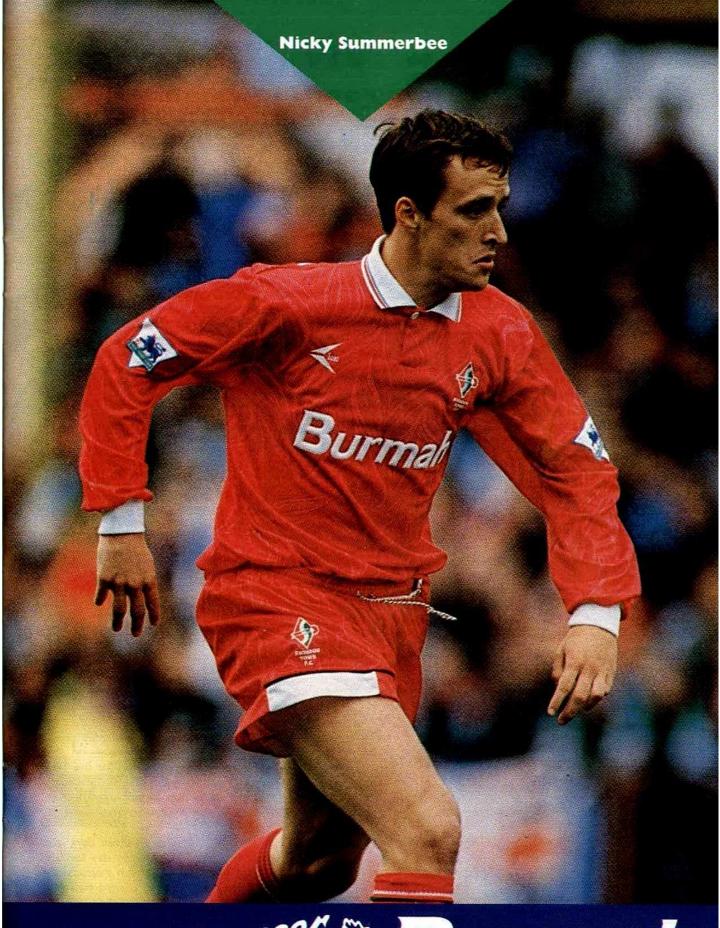


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# Years Paul Plowman Gone By

#### " Looking Back "

#### **5 Years Ago**

September 17 1988 : Blackburn Rovers 0 Swindon Town 0

The Town were still looking for their first win of the season, but Ewood Park was not the best of venues to attempt to break that sequence. Swindon had failed to score there in five League attempts! Blackburn had started with maximum points.



Lou Macari shuffled his pack, with former Rovers' defender Tim Parkin having recovered from a knock. Colin Calderwood thus reverted to midfield, to the exclusion of Paul Bodin.

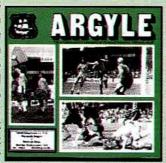
But the Town had to wait only three more days to notch their first win, when AFC Bournemouth were beaten 3-1 at the County Ground, although Duncan Shearer - later to join Blackburn - had to wait a little longer for his first League goal for the Town.

Town: Digby, Hockaday, King, MacLaren, Parkin, Gittens, Foley, Calderwood, Shearer, White, Barnes. Subs: (not used) Henry, Bodin

#### 15 Years Ago

September 15 1978 : Plymouth Argyle 2 Swindon Town 0

It was a case of 'hello' and 'goodbye' in this Third Division encounter at Home Park. Big Chris Guthrie made his 45th final League appearance for the Town before moving on to Fulham, where he would finish the season as top Meanwhile, scorer. substitute Paul Gilchrist was making his debut following a 'free' transfer



from Portsmouth a fortnight earlier.

Neither made a mark on this rather dull day out in Devon, where Brian Bason and Fred Binney did the damage as Swindon were concerned.

On the following Wednesday, manager Bob Smith made another trip back to his old club at Bury, this time to sign striker Andy Rowland for £85,000.

**Town:** Ogden, McLaughlin, Ford, McHale, Aizlewood, Stroud, Miller (Gilchrist), Carter, Guthrie, Bates, Kamara.

#### 25 Years Ago

September 18 1968 : Bournemouth & Boscombe Athletic 2 Swindon Town 0

Although this was the Town's seventh Third Division fixture of the season, it was the first time they had conceded a goal! Ray Bumstead was the man who finally breached the Swindon defence, forcing Peter Downsborough to retrieve the ball from the back of the net after 568 minutes'



play. There were several opportunities for the Town to share the points but they were effectively killed off in the last minute when former Swindon striker Keith East grabbed a second goal for the South Coast side.

Danny Williams' men crashed again three days later, 2-1 at Eastville. It proved an unhappy day for both skipper Stan Harland, on his 100th consecutive League appearance and reserve centre-half Mick Blick, who had celebrated his 20th birthday the day before.

Town: Downsborough, Dawson, Thomas, Butler, Burrows, Harland, Heath, Smart, Smith, Noble, Rogers.

Sub: (not used) Jones C.

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John Gorman knew full well what he was buying when he invested £500,000 in Adrian Whitbread. The Leyton Orient skipper had been under John's control during his days as Youth Team Manager at Brisbane Road and he had followed the young defender's progress with interest.

Now of course the whole of Swindon and beyond has realised the potential of the 22-year-old stopper whose attitude matches his competitive instincts on the field.

Bitterly disappointed after our last home defeat by Manchester City Adrian observed: "It was a game we could have won. But it has happened a few times now. When we let the first goal in we seem to collapse.

"Disappointing because I thought we had done enough to beat Man City...We will succeed this season; we know we will do well. It is just a matter of getting that first win. It is very hard but when we do it will lead to other things I am sure.



"The lads were upset at losing another game of course but we have to keep our heads up. We played well and all the people here watching know that. We were easily as good as Manchester City on the night and could well have walked off with three points. The sad reality was that we gained nothing."

Of course for Adrian it is a new experience trying to combat some of the biggest names in British football...but he loves every moment.

He says: "It has taken a lot to adapt to the pace of the game - it is a little bit different from Division Two - I have stepped up two leagues; but I feel that I have coped with it.

"I blame myself for City's second goal. The ball was played over the top towards Quinn and I obviously thought he was going to be in the air trying to knock the ball into the back of the net. I think he gave me a little nudge to indicate he was going to go up for the ball but he just brought it down and put it in the back of the net.

"As a defender in the Premier League you shouldn't be caught like that you know. So that was down to me.

"I thought we sat back after going one up expecting to run out as 1-0 winners. We should have kept it compact, maintained our rhythm and maybe look for the second goal.

"To be fair even at I-I we still created enough chances to retake the lead and to be fair that is what it is about at the moment. When we get the chances to put the ball in we are not doing it. The same at the other end we have got to close opponents down quicker and stop them scoring.

What is the difference then. It is not just the pace of the forward is it?

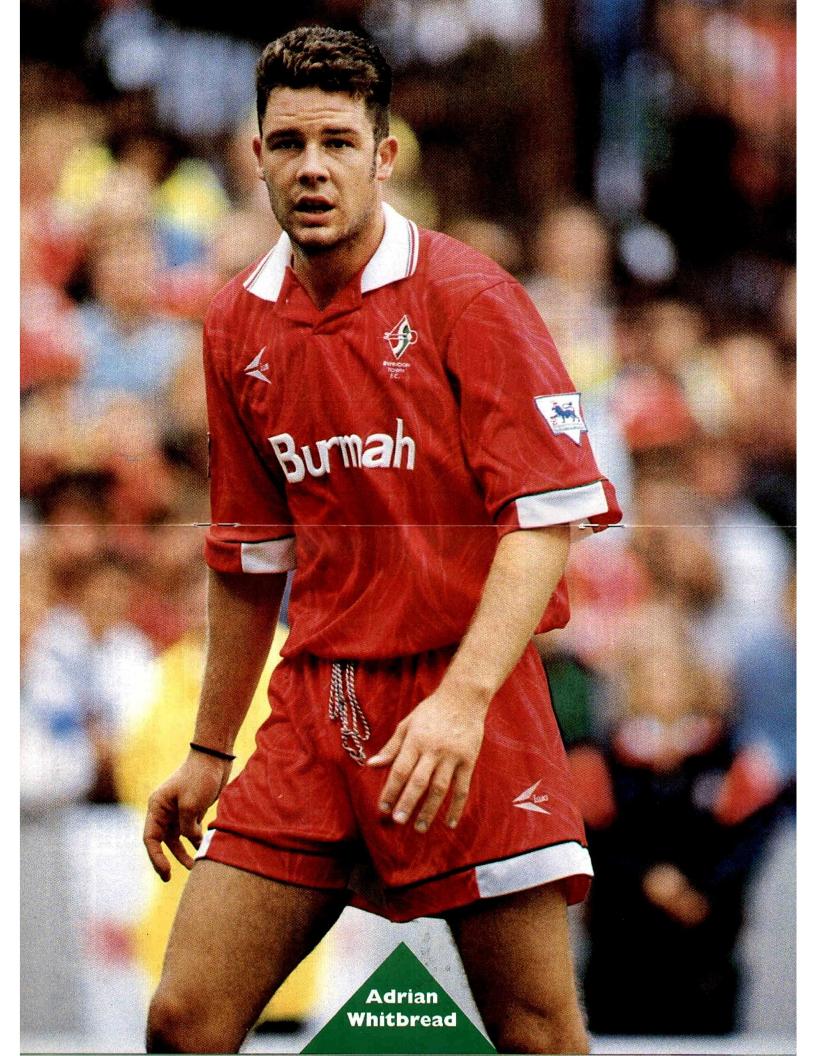
"No," says Adrian. "It is the quality. The quality all round in general. Obviously Swindon like to play and I have had to adapt to that without making too much difference to my game. I feel I have still been defending well. Shaun and I are actually getting it together now though obviously it will take a bit more time before we know each other's game. But the speed in general of the game and the quality we are up against is the main thing. They don't take two chances they take the first chance and the first chance ends up in the back of the net.

I asked Adrian if he felt his partnership with Shaun would work well as they are two very similar players?

"We are but I don't think it will cause any problem. I don't really know what sort of player Colin Calderwood was because I did not take too much interest in Swindon before I came here. But I feel I am doing okay at the moment and that is what it is all about. Just keep on trying to do your best."

"Whether I do or not is down to me. I have got to get things right on the training pitch and then on a match day. Obviously I think I can do it. I believe I have done well in the first seven games. And as a team I still believe that if we can stay injury free we have a great chance of staying at this level."





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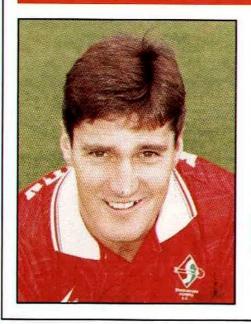


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#### PLAYER OF THE WEEK



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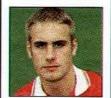
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# with Jonathan Trigg Communit

May I welcome you all to the game today and especially our party from Stratton Football Club who have been taking part in our Saturday Team Club.

May I also extend this welcome to Terry Connor who will now be assisting me in the running of the Community programme.

Terry, an ex-England Youth and U21 International started his career at Leeds United before moving on to play for Brighton, Portsmouth, Swansea and finally Bristol City where injury forced him to retire from full-time professional football. Terry is currently playing for Yeovil Town on a part-time basis.

"My appointment is unique and a first in the Country, as my post has been created by the generous sponsorship of a local businessman, Kevin Jackson, from the Melksham based doubleglazing firm - Kevin Jackson Windows. I am looking forward to working alongside Jonathan and establishing Swindon Town as the focal point for Community life". said Terry Connor

New coaching courses have now been finalised and full details will be listed in next Wednesday's Coca-Cola Cup programme. Briefly they include weekly courses during the schools half term holiday from 25th-29th October at the County Ground Complex and at Greendown School, girls and ladies coaching every Friday evening also at Greendown School and Monday night activities for the disabled are also planned.



Jonathan Trigg welcomes Terry Connor to the County Ground

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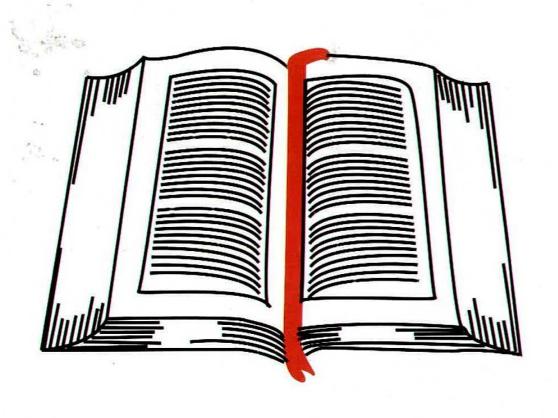
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## Commercial Janet Garrett NEWS

A very big welcome to everyone here today from myself and my team in the Commercial Department.

Interest in Swindon Town Football Club has never been higher with the public profile heightened with our being in the Premier League. More and more people throughout Wiltshire and surrounding Counties are now becoming involved with the Club on a whole range of projects and enterprises with a comforting record level of corporate interest. It's wonderful that so many local companies and small businesses are enjoying the opportunities now offered. We want more and more businesses and individuals to join our Club and become associated with us so please let the Commercial Department know if you would like to receive the new commercial brochure or if you would like to come to any of the games as a VIP. There are still some places available for the Coca-Cola Cup match against Wolverhampton Wanderers on the 22nd of September.

#### Today's Match Sponsor

I'm delighted to welcome Selectabook Ltd as today's Match Sponsors.

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#### Today's Lucky Mascots

Today we are fortunate to have two young supporters with us as Mascots. The first is Carl Flanagan who has recently celebrated his ninth birthday, so today has been arranged by his parents as his present, I do hope you have a great day. Carl lives locally in Eldene and attends the Eldene Junior School. His past-times include football, football and more football. His ambition is to one day play for Swindon Town, so watch out lads! Carl's favourite players are John Moncur and Martin Ling.

I would also like to welcome back Shaun Cooper as a

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Swindon Town mascot. Shaun appeared last season against Bristol City back in March and enjoyed the day so much that he wanted to be a mascot for his birthday. Shaun is celebrating his sixth birthday on Thursday so this has been a present from his grandparents. Happy Birthday from all the players and staff at Swindon Town F.C. and of course all your family and friends. Shaun lives in Swindon and currently attends the British School Wotton-under Edge. His hobbies are football and watching speedway racing.

For more information about becoming a Swindon Town Mascot or a Junior Robin please contact Justine Phillips on 0793 430430 ex 211.



Shaun Cooper



Carl Flanagan

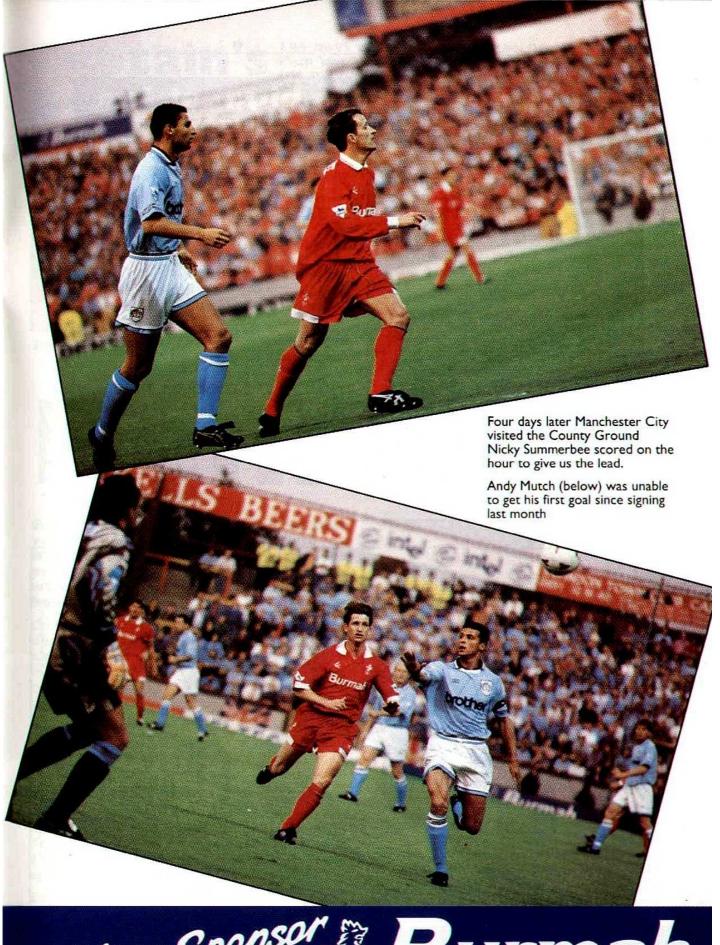
#### JUNIOR ROBINS

I hope all those who joined us last Saturday at Upton Park enjoyed the day and will take part in our next reciprocal visit when time permitting we will be able to play some friendly games against their Juniors.

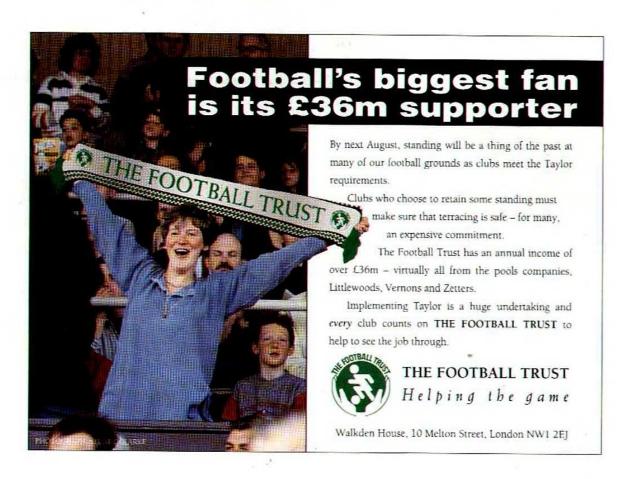
I would just like to say a big thank you for all those Junior Robins who attended our first meeting of this season on Monday, I do hope that you found it interesting. All those who were unable to make this meeting and didn't manage to collect your welcome packs please call in to the office to see me. I would also like to remind you that INDOOR TRAINING is due to start again on Wednesday 22nd September so get those trainers out.

Happy Birthday to Edward Monniot who celebrates his 14th birthday today and Scott Joyce who will be celebrating on Tuesday. I would also like to take this opportunity of extending belated birthday greetings to the following Junior Robins whose birthdays have fallen over the past few weeks: Claire White; David White; Lee Walker; Oliver Janson; and Steve Maull.

# Replay Andy Mutch in aerial battle with John Polston at Carrow Road where we picked up our first point of the season against Norwich City.



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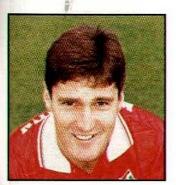


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# Captain's LOG



Ross MacLaren

The boys did very well in the first half at West Ham last week. We defended well and controlled the midfield and it was only in the closing stages that they came close to scoring.

Fraser did his job and kept them out and I think we were well worth a point.

The West Ham players looked a lot more nervous than we did which is an encouraging sign. We worked hard for each other and I think a draw was a fair enough outcome.

We have kept clean sheets in our last two away games now and that has to be something. We would have been proud of this in the First Division last season.

We played a 4-4-2 formation with a straight back-four and that is why I didn't play. It hurts not being out there but it is for the good of the team and that is what matters.

Last year we won at West Ham and that was a turning point for us. We went on a roll after that. Hopefully this will be the turning point again. If we can get our first win this afternoon it will really set us on our way nicely.

But Newcastle are a good side - they have spent a lot of money - and Andy Cole will need to be watched very closely indeed...Thanks again for your support; and keep on cheering us on.

# Benno

England's 3-0 defeat of Poland in that vital World Cup qualifying tie at Wembley not only relieved the tensions on manager Graham Taylor but gave the whole English game a much needed boost.

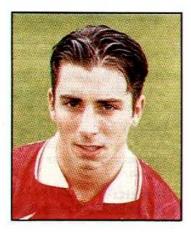
Our domestic game relies very much on the success of the national side and if Mr Taylor's team do not make it to the USA next summer the depression will be felt from St James' Park to Home Park in terms of customers through the turnstiles.

The responsibility then resting on the shoulders of the England manager is almost unimaginable though one doubts if he pauses to take stock of the implications further than those highlighted by the tabloids. If he did he would surely panic. For no man can be expected to carry such a heavy burden.

The Poland game must have awakened some happy memories too for our latest acquisition Terry Fenwick. Terry played 20 times for England between 1984 and 1988 and his last but one full appearance was made against the Poles in the World Cup Finals of 1986.

England desperately needed a win after losing to Portugal and drawing 0-0 with Morocco...Terry and company maintained a clean-sheet while Gary Lineker helped himself to a hat-trick at the other end in Monterrey.

Terry missed the game against Paraguay in the Azteca Stadium - West Ham's Alvin Martin taking his place -



Kevin Horlock -Ball in my court

which England won 3-0 again thanks to two more from Lineker and one from Peter Beardsley. But he was back in the side for the infamous "hand-of-God" game against Maradona and Argentina.

Talking of comebacks our own Kevin Horlock was looking forward to returning to Upton Park last week. He says: "I have been thrown in at the deep end again - which doesn't bother me at all - I know Paul is injured at the moment so it is up to me. The ball is in my court. If I do well perhaps I will stay in the side.

I want to make the most of my opportunity this time. I didn't feel as if I made the most of it last time. So I aim to hang on in there...It was great last time we went to West Ham and won; hopefully this will be our first result of the season".

#### With Andy Rowland

Our Football Combination game against Arsenal at Highbury saw a much better all round performance from the lads and we considered ourselves unfortunate not to get at least a point.

Despite losing Nick Hammond and Adrian Viveash, who were both on first team duty, we more than held our own against a very strong Gunners line-up. One bonus for us was the debut of Terry Fenwick whose experience showed in our defence and youngsters Andrew Thomson and Edwin Murray were helped with his talking and organisation.

We looked the better team during the first half and at times the game was quite physical but we handled ourselves well.

Chris Hamon went close with a header and Marcus Phillips had a great shot tipped over the bar. We eventually scored through Marcus Phillips from the penalty spot after a foul on Austin Berkley in the area.

We held our lead until Arsenal's Alan Smith, looking five yards offside, broke into our box and shot at an angle past young Shane Cook.

After the break we came out looking to play the same way and although we were pinned back we never faltered.

We had a couple of chances but unfortunately could not find the back of the net.

The goal which won the game for Arsenal came when Alan Smith lost his marker before rounding Cook to score from close in.

Despite losing we came out of the game with some credit and must try to improve on some of the technical aspects to add to the commitment shown.

#### Result:

#### Neville Ovenden Football Combination Division I

Arsenal 2 Swindon Town I

Scorer: Phillips M.

Team: Cook, Hamon, Murray, Thomson, O'Sullivan, Phillips M, Berkley, Lane, Fenwick,

Gooden, Reeves. Subs: James, Kearns

#### **Andy Rowland**



Shane Cook



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Footb	all Combinati Division I	on
Mon 16 Aug	Chelsea	A 0-3
Wed 25 Aug	Arsenal	A 1-2
Wed 8 Sep	Charlton Athletic	H 2-0
Tue 14 Sep	Bristol Rovers	Α
Tue 28 Sep	Bristol City	A
Wed 6 Oct	Brighton	Н
Wed 13 Oct	Luton Town	н
Tue 19 Oct	Crystal Palace	A
Wed 27 Oct	Millwall	H
Wed 3 Nov	Arsenal	Н
Mon 8 Nov	Millwall	A
Tue 16 Nov	Queens Park Rangers	A
Wed 24 Nov	Brighton	A
Wed I Dec	Bristol City	Н
Wed 8 Dec	Luton Town	A
Wed 15 Dec	Bristol Rovers	H
Wed 22 Dec	Ipswich Town	A
Wed 29 Dec	Wimbledon	н
Wed 5 Jan	Charlton Athletic	A
Wed 12 Jan	Tottenham Hotspur	H
Tue 18 Jan	Watford	н
Fri 21 Jan	Norwich City	A
Wed 26 Jan	West Ham United	H
Wed 2 Feb	Tottenham Hotspur	A
Wed 9 Feb	Partsmouth	H
Tue 15 Feb	West Ham United	A
Wed 23 Feb	Southampton	н
Wed 2 Mar	Portsmouth	A
Wed 9 Mar	Chelsea	н
Mon 14 Mar	Ipswich Town	H
Wed 16 Mar	Norwich City	Н
Wed 23 Mar	Southampton	A
Tue 29 Mar	Watford	A
Wed 6 Apr	Oxford United	н
Mon II Apr	Crystal Palace	H
Wed 13 Apr	Oxford United	A
Wed 20 Apr	Queens Park Rangers	Н
Wed 27 Apr	Wimbledon	A

Neville Ovenden Football Combination Division I as at 1 Ith September 1993

All Home Games are played at The County Ground, Swindon Kick-Off

7.30pm.

	P	W	D	L	F,	A P	ts.
Bristol Rovers	5	3	2	0	10	4 1	11
Luton Town	4	3	1	0	14	5 1	10
Southampton	4	3	1	0	9	4 1	0
Oxford United	4	3	0	1	13	9	9
Norwich City	3	2	1	0	9	2	7
Chelsea	4	2	1	1	8	6	7
Arsenal	4	2	1	T	7	8	7
Bristol City	3	2	0	1	101	3	6
Brighton & H.A.	5		2	2	5	7	5
Milwall	3	1	1	1	7	2	4
Ipswich Town	3	1	1	1	4	5	4
West Ham United	4	1	1	2	6	9	4
Swindon Town	3	1	0	2	3	5	3
Charlton Athletic	3	1	0	2	2 -	4	3
Tottenham Hotspur	3		0	2	2 .	4	3
Portsmouth	4	0	2	2	6	3	2
Wimbledon	4	0	2	2	4	5	0
Crystal Palace	2	0	0	2	2	7	0
Q.P.R	2	0	0	2	2	7	0
Watford	3	0	0	3	4 1	0	0



#### South East Counties League

Sat 1	4 Aug	Luton Town	Н	1-1
Sat 2	I Aug	Brighton & Hove Albion	A	2-3
Sat 2	8 Aug	Oxford United	H	1-1
Sat 4	Sep	Bristol City	A	2-1
Mon 6	Sep	W.B.A (SJFC 1)	H	1-2
Sat 1	1 Sep	Brentford	H	1-0
Sat 1	8 Sep	Southend United (LC 1)	Н	
Sat 2	5 Sep	AFC Bournemouth	A	
Mon2	7 Sep	Nottm. Forest (MYCI)	н	
Sat :	Oct	Southampton	H	
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Sat 6	6 Nov	Crystal Palace	Α	
Sat I	3 Nov	Reading	н	
Sat 2	0 Nov	Wimbledon	A	147.65
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Sat 1	8 Dec	Brighton & Hove Albion	H	4605
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Sat	8 Jan	Bristol City	Н	1000
Sat I	5 Jan	Brentford	A	
Sat 2	2 Jan	AFC Bournemouth	Н	178
Set 2	9 Jan	Southampton	A	900
DECEMBER 1	5 Feb	Colchester United	A	
Sat 1	2 Feb	Bristol Rovers	A	
Sat I	9 Feb	Tottenham Hotspur	H	
Sat 2	6 Feb	Crystal Palace	Н	
Sat	5 Mar	Reading	A	100

#### South East Counties League Division Two as 11th September 1993

All Home Games are played at

The Allied Dunbar Training Centre, Wanborough Kick-off 11.00am.

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Oxford United	5	2	2	1	9	5	6
Swindon Town	5	2	2	1	7	6	6
AFC Bournemouth	5	3	0	2	9	9	6
Colchester United	5	2	2	1	7	7	6
Reading	5	2	2	16	10	12	6
Southampton	5	2	1	2	7	4	5
Brighton & H.A.	5	2	1	2	10	9	5
Crystal Palace	4	2	1	1	5	5	5
Wimbledon	4	2	0	2	7	4	4
Brentford	4	-1	2	1	5	3	4
Luton Town	5	1	2	2	4	5	4
Tottenham Hotspur	5	2	0	3	7	11	4
Bristol City	5	1	3	3	5	8	3
Bristol Rovers	4	1	0	3	5	9	2

#### With John Trollope

Two local derby games saw us pick up three points in the South East Counties League to continue our good start of the new season.

In the game against Oxford United at Wanborough the visitors controlled the game in the early stages and we struggled to get our game going.

It was in the time leading up to the break that we had our best period. A corner by Andy Kearns was headed in by Jamie Waters at the far post to put us back on level terms after Oxford had taken an earlier lead.

The second half was rather scrappy with neither side gaining any kind of control. Oxford even had a player sent off and as in so many cases we never made the extra man count. Having used both substitutes we ourselves were reduced to ten men after Stuart James received a knee injury which will sideline him for some time.

A week later we visited Bristol City in the League and recorded our first win of the season. However it took us to just before the interval before we confirmed our superiority when Jim Fraser scored with a good low drive.

The second half saw us well on top but silly mistakes crept into our game. From one of these Shane Cook failed to deal with an awkward back-pass conceding a penalty.

Justice was done when Gary Thorne headed in from Jamie Pitman's free-kick shortly before the final whistle.

#### Results:

#### South East Counties League Swindon Town | Oxford United |

Scorer: Waters

Team: Cook, Pitman, Kearns, Holloway, James, Thorne, Worrall, Reeves, Laidlaw, Waters, Medcroft.

Subs: Elsey, Walter.

#### South East Counties League Bristol City I Swindon Town 2

Scorers: Fraser, Thorne.

**Team:** Cook, Pitman, Kearns, Holloway, Elsey, Thorne, Worrall, Reeves, Fraser, Walter, Jordan.

Subs: Phillips I, Waters

#### John Trollope





# Focus on Youth

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#### F.A. CARLING PREMIERSHIP as 13th Sep 1993

	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Manchester United	7	2	1	0	7	1	3	0	1	7	3	16
Arsenal	7	3	0	1	8	4	2	1	0	3	1	16
Blackburn Rovers	7	1	, 1	1	4	4	3	1	0	6	2	14
Coventry City	7	2	1	0	4	2	1	3	0	7	4	13
Liverpool	7	2	0	2	5	3	2	0	-1	8	2	12
Aston Villa	7	2	1	I	6	3	1	2	0	3	2	12
Wimbledon	7	2	1	0	4	3	2	1	1	5	3	12
Everton	7	2	0	1	5	3	2	0	2	3	3	12
Norwich City	7	1	t	2	1	3	2	1	0	10	5	1.1
Tottenham Hotspur	7	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	5	4	11
lpswich Town	7	2	1	0	3	1	1	1	2	4	6	11
Leeds United	7	2	0	1	2	4	1	1	2	4	5	10
Newcastle United	7	2	1	1	6	4	0 '	2	1	3	4	9
Chelsea	7	2	1	1	5	3	0 -	2	1	2	3	9
Q.P.R.	7	2	0	1	5	5	1	0	3	5	9	9
Manchester City	7	1	2	1	5	4	1	0	2	3	3	8
Sheffield United	_7	2	2	0	8	5	0	0	3	3	9	8
Oldham Athletic	7	0	2	2	4	8	1	0	2	1	2	5
West Ham United	7	1	1	2	2	6	0	1	2	1	5	5
Southampton	7	1	0	3	6	8	0	0	3	1	4	3
Sheffield Wednesday	7	0	2	1	3	4	0	1	3	3	9	3
Swindon Town	7	0	0	3	1	9	0	2	2	2	0	2

#### IMPORTANT NOTICE

Important safety announcements by the Club Management over the public address system will be preceded by a loud signal to catch the attention of spectators.

#### Forthcoming Games at the County Ground:

Wednesay 22 September 1993 Coca-Cola Cup 2nd Round 1st Leg vs Wolverhampton Wanderers. Kick off 7.45pm

Monday 27 September 1993 Midland Youth Cup 1st Round vs Nottingham Forest. Kick off 7.30pm

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Wed 18 Aug	Oldham Athletic	Н	0
Sun 22 Aug	Liverpool	H	(
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Sat 28 Aug	Norwich City	Α	0
Wed I Sep	Manchester City	Н	1
Sat 11 Sep	West Ham United	Α	0
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Wed 22 Sep	Wolverhampton W.CCC 2 (1)	Н	
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Sat 2 Oct	Blackburn Rovers	H	
Wed 6 Oct	Wolverhampton W.C.C.C 2 (2)	Α	
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Wed 27 Oct	Coca-Cola Cup Round 3		
Sat 30 Oct	Aston Villa	H	
Sat 5 Nov	Wimbledon	Α	
Sat 20 Nov	Ipswich Town	Н	
Wed 24 Nov	Queens Park Rangers	Н	
Sat 27 Nov	Leeds United	Α	
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Sat 4 Dec	Sheffield United	Н	
Tue 7 Dec	Oldham Athletic	Α	-
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Sat 18 Dec	Southampton	Н	_
Mon 27 Dec	Arsenal	Н	-
Wed 29 Dec	Sheffield Wednesday	A	-
Sat I Jan	Chelsea	Н	-
Mon 3 Jan	Coventry City	A	-
Sat 8 Jan	F.A. Cup Round 3	-	-
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Sat 19 Feb	Norwich City	Н	
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18.	EDDIE MURRAY
19.	ANDY THOMSON
20.	WAYNE O'SULLIVAN
21.	MARCUS PHILLIPS
22.	AUSTIN BERKLEY
23.	NICKY HAMMOND
24.	LEE MIDDLETON
25.	ANDY MUTCH
26.	TERRY FENWICK

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