

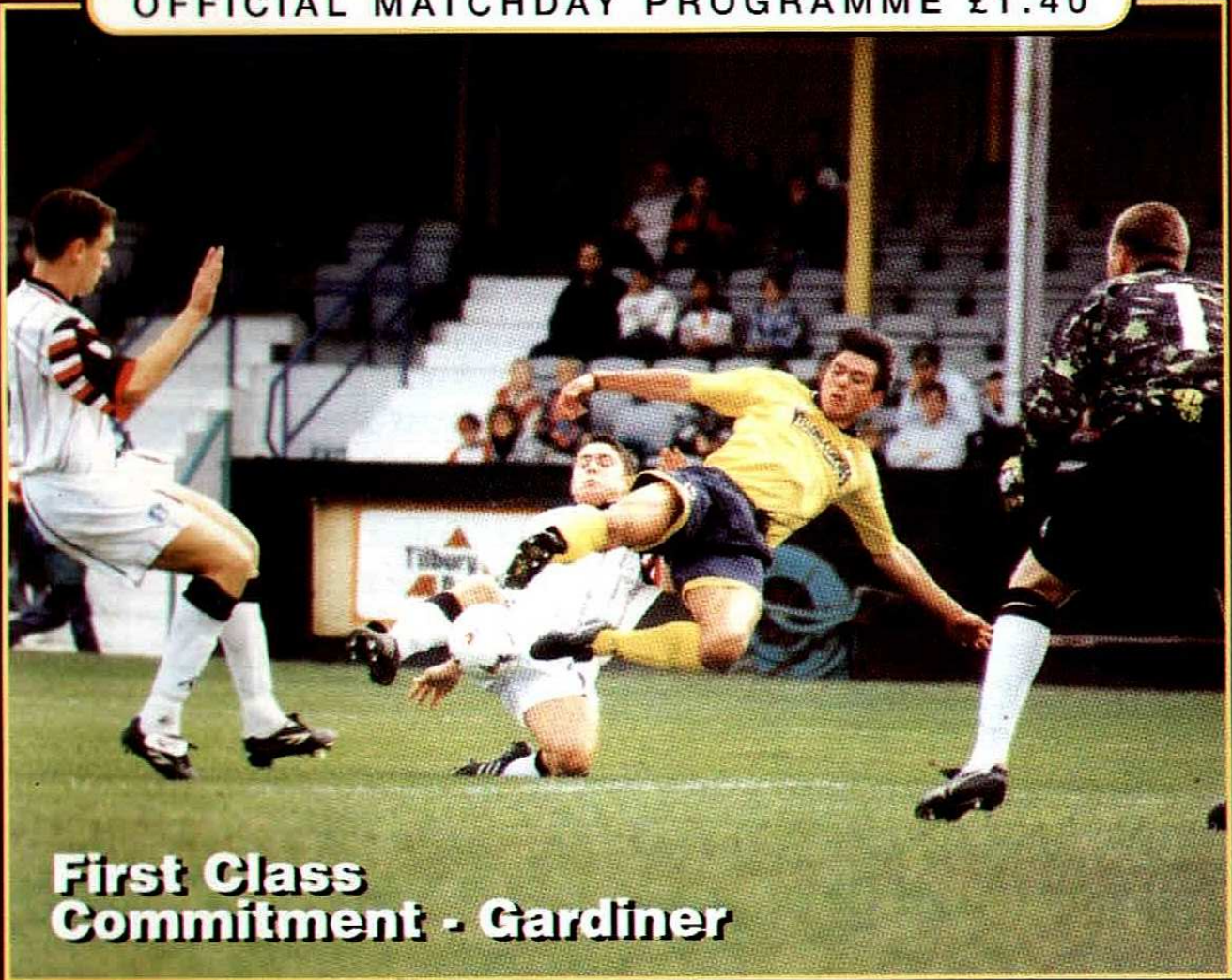


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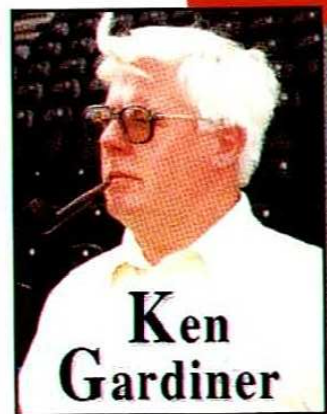
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CHAIRMAN'S NOTES

Tonight we have completed one third of the season, and so far I am pleased with our progress, both on and off the field.

The Manager has already addressed the inconsistency that happens in young sides, but certainly as the season has gone so far, I believe the level of performance and the commitment of the team has been first class, in smaller squads like ours, it is inevitable that the loss of 'key' players has a significant effect, particularly when the style of play has to be altered during their absence. We are only now back close to full strength and our position in the league is quite satisfactory under the circumstances. Everyone must remember that last season, despite the 'Great Escape', we finished 19th in the league and the bookmakers made us second favourites for relegation this season. Off the field, you will have seen where our major efforts have been over the past few months. There have been many dreams over the years about a new stadium, but this time I really believe we are close to reality. Certainly the Board will be working very hard over the next few months to make the stadium project take off in 1996.



Tonight we welcome Swindon, for a match similar in flavour to Birmingham last season. Let's hope we have as good a game, with a similar result.

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TODAY'S VISITORS

SWINDON FC

WELCOME TO THE 'ROBINS'



Back Row: **Wayne Allison, Paul Bodin, Shaun Taylor, Fraser Digby, Mark Seagraves, Andy Thomson, Peter Thorne.**

Middle Row: **Ian Culverhouse, Keving Horlock, Jason Drysdale, Stephen Finney, Dean Hooper, Mark Robinson, Luc Nijholt (no longer with club), Ty Gooden, Edwin Murray.**

Front Row: **Martin Ling, Wayne O'Sullivan, Andy Rowland (First Team Coach), Steve McMahon (Player/Manager), Ross MacLaren (Reserve Team Coach), Jonathan Trigg (physiotherapist), Jamie Pitman, Ben Worrall.**

Swindon Town visit Dean Court tonight as league leaders, a position confirmed in the Second Division match of the season so far when 2nd placed Crewe visited the County ground. An 87th minute penalty from bargain of the season Steve Finney helped the Robins to a 2-1 win and put 7 points between them and Crewe. It's certainly been a roller coaster ride for Swindon supporters in the last few seasons with one promotion and two relegations in the last three seasons, though the way they have started the 95-96 campaign, they seem set to even out that score.

A good away record is vital to a successful team, and Swindon can certainly look back at their away record this season with pride. They have suffered just one defeat on their travels, 4-3 at Wrexham, but have won at Hull (1-0), Carlisle (1-0), Brentford (2-0), Bristol Rovers (4-1) and Brighton (3-1). This coupled with five home wins and two draws has pushed them clear at the top of the table.

Under manager Steve McMahon, the Robins have a good set up. Steve Finney and Wayne Allison have grabbed 17 goals between them while another 11 have been scored. Defensively they are strong with just 10 goals conceded - all this from a side who conceded 75 goals last season and scored just 54 goals during the 94-95 season.

Everything is pointing to the fact that Swindon Town are likely to be tasting promotion at the end of this season. Most goals for, second least goals against. If they achieve this, it will be their fourth league change in as many seasons - breathtaking stuff for the Swindon faithful.

SWINDON



TODAY'S VISITORS

THE PLAYERS

STEVE McMAHON - PLAYER/MANAGER

Appointed player/manager at the end of November 1994. Started his career at Everton and made his league debut at Sunderland in August 1980. Moved to Aston Villa for £300,000 in 1983 and was also part of the England Under 21 side. He was then signed by Liverpool in 1985 for £375,000 and this was to be the most successful part of his career. As well as winning many trophies at Liverpool, including being part of the double winning side, he also made the full England side. His next move was to Manchester City in 1991 for £900,000 until he moved to Swindon. His pedigree as a player is now showing through as a manager as he has steered the Robins to the top of the division.

FRASER DIGBY

Sheffield born Fraser joined Manchester United straight from school. Failed to make the first team at Old Trafford and after a loan spell at Oldham, first moved to Swindon on loan in 1986 before signing permanently for them. Has now made over 400 appearances for the Wiltshire club although he did return to Old Trafford on loan during the 92/93 season. Made a vital last minute save in the recent top of the table clash with Crewe.

MARK SEAGRAVES

Signed this Summer from Bolton Wanderers after playing a major part in the Trotters run in to promotion. Started his career as an apprentice at Liverpool before going on loan to Norwich City where he made his league debut before signing for Manchester City where after 42 league appearances, moved to Bolton.

IAN CULVERHOUSE

Signed for Swindon last December for £250,000 from Norwich City. Started his career at Tottenham Hotspur where he made just two league appearances in 1984 before moving to Carrow Road for £50,000 in October 1985 where he made 296 league appearances and starred in the Canaries UEFA Cup successes. Made 9 appearances for Swindon last season.

PAUL BODIN

Defender who scored from the penalty spot the last time the Cherries visited The County Ground. Cardiff born Paul started his career at Chelsea, before moving to Newport County. Moved along the South Wales coast to Cardiff where he made his league debut before dropping into Non League football with Bath City. Returned to Newport before signing for Swindon in 1988. After 93 league appearances and 9 goals, moved to Crystal Palace for £550,000 but found first team appearances limited. After a loan spell at Newcastle, rejoined Swindon just ten months after leaving them. Has gained international recognition with Wales and is Swindon's regular penalty taker and has already found the net this season from the spot.

WAYNE O'SULLIVAN

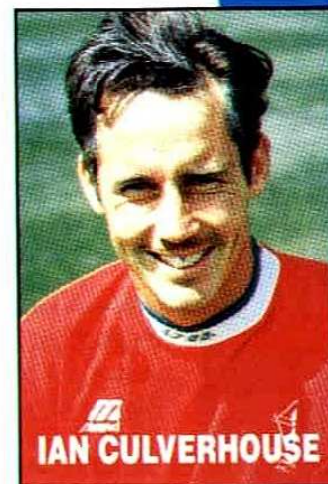
A defender who has worked his way through the ranks at the County Ground to grab a first team spot. Made his debut at home to Port Vale in the first game of last season and went on to make over 30 appearances. Scored his first goal for the club in the sides 2-0 win at Brentford this season and also opened the scoring in Swindon's recent 2-0 win over Bristol City.

MARK ROBINSON

Rochdale born defender who joined West Brom from school in June 1985 and made his league debut in April 1986 and made just one more before joining Barnsley where he made 137 league appearances before moving for a spell at Newcastle for £450,000. The vast squad at St James Park prevented Mark from an extended first team run and he joined Swindon for a club record £600,000 in July 1994. Scored his first goal for Swindon this season in the 4-1 win over Bradford.

WAYNE ALLISON

Wayne signed this Summer from Bristol City for a fee of £475,000. Started his career at Halifax before moving to Watford. After just a year at Vicarage Road moved to Bristol City where he made 195 league appearances scoring 48 goals, including 13 last season which made him leading scorer. Has regularly found the net this season, including the first against Crewe, and has fast become a fans favourite.



SWINDON



TODAY'S VISITORS

STEVE FINNEY

Steve has made a superb start to his Swindon career after signing from Manchester City in the Summer. He only started the first game of the season at Hull due to Peter Thorne failing a fitness test and scored the winning goal. Has regularly hit the net since then including a brace against York, one against Blackburn in the Coca Cola cup, two at The Goldstone Ground in Swindon's 3-1 win and the 87th minute winner at home to Crewe.

SHAUN TAYLOR

Signed for Swindon from Exeter City for £200,000 in July 1991 after originally being at Bideford Town. Ever present for the last two seasons, this defender knows where the net is with 24 goals in his Swindon career including one this season at Bristol Rovers.

TY GOODEN

Ty was released from Wycombe at the end of the 92/93 season and was signed by Swindon in December 1993 after a trial period. He made his Premiership debut against West Ham in March 1994. Made 16 league appearances last season, scoring twice and scored the winner against Rotherham this season.

EDWIN MURRAY Joined Swindon Town in 1988 as an associate schoolboy, this defender signed professional forms in 1991 and made his league debut in the same year at home to Oxford.

PAUL ALLEN

Recently signed on a free transfer from Southampton. Started his career at West Ham where he made 152 league appearances before moving to Tottenham where he appeared in 292 league games, scoring 23 goals. Moved to the Dell where he also spent time on loan at Luton and Stoke before moving to Swindon. His experience is a great asset to Steve McMahon's side.

KEVIN HORLOCK

Defender signed from West Ham on a free transfer in the summer of 1992 and made his debut at Portsmouth that year.

Before this season scored just twice in 90 league appearances for Swindon, but has boosted his goalscoring record this season by scoring in the 4-1 win over Bradford City, hitting a hat trick at Twerton Park in the sides 4-1 over Bristol Rovers and scoring the third in Swindon's recent 3-1 win at Brighton.



KEVIN HORLOCK

LOOKING BACK

Tonights visitors, Swindon Town FC, are part of the history of AFC Bournemouth as they were our first ever opponents for a league game. The game was played at Swindon on August 25th, 1923 in front of a 9,545. Swindon won that game 3-1 with Johnson scoring all three of the home sides goals. Bournemouth's goal came from Jim Lister, giving him the accolade of being the scorer of Bournemouth's first ever league goal. The following Wednesday, the Cherries were due to play Watford, but this was postponed due to a waterlogged pitch, so it was Swindon who provided the opposition for the first ever league game at Dean Court. 6,614 witnessed a 0-0 draw. The Cherries and the Robins met each other every season until 1963 when the Robins gained promotion to Division Two, a stay that lasted two seasons, and then up until 1969 when again they gained promotion. The two sides went their separate ways in 1975. Swindon had just been relegated on December 28th 1974, defeated the Cherries 2-1 at the County Ground. On March 31st, the sides fought out a 1-1 draw - the Cherries needed to win as they found themselves relegated at the end of the season. Swindon finally gained promotion in 1982 to division two with Bournemouth regaining their third division status. The sides did meet in the League Cup though in 1980 with Swindon winning on aggregate 3-1, Steve Massey had given the Cherries the lead at Dean Court before Swindon hit back. The game was decided in extra time at the County Ground where two late goals decided the tie. That was not the first cup meeting between the sides though, in the FA Cup, the sides have met on two occasions. The first was in the 1st round in the 26/27 season when after a 1-1 draw at Dean Court, the Cherries went through thanks to a 4-3 win at the County ground. The Cherries progressed to the third round that season, finally going out to Liverpool in a replay. The next time the sides met in the FA Cup was in Boscombe's famous cup season. A trip to the County Ground was Bournemouth's reward for an 8-0 home victory over Burton Albion.

SWINDON

Reg Cutler scored for Bournemouth and Swindon's Bob Edwards sliced a penalty wide with three minutes left to give Bournemouth a 1-0 win. In the next game, Accrington Stanley were beaten 2-0 at Dean Court and then "Cox's Pippins" set off on a cup run that caught the nations imagination. The side came up against the countrys top three sides and Wolves were beaten 1-0 away, Spurs 3-1 at Dean Court before finally bowing out in the Quarter Finals to Manchester United. Going on to more modern times, Swindon and Bournemouth both had a superb season during our Championship run of the 86-87 season. A dramatic game at Dean Court was decided by a goal from Carl Richards with just five minutes left. Jimmy Quinn had the ball in the Bournemouth net with a minute left, but the goal was disallowed and the Cherries hung on for a vital win. At Swindon later in the season and with Bournemouth well in control at the top of the table and the Robins trying for the other automatic promotion slot, there was a titanic struggle between the sides.

Over 4,000 Bournemouth fans made the trip and were soon celebrating a thumping header from John Williams. Swindon hit back through Hockaday and the sides shared the points. Bournemouth were safely promoted as Champions while Swindon joined the Cherries in Division two via the play offs. The first ever division two game between the two sides was full of incident. Both Tommy Heffernan and Paul Morrell were sent off in a six goal thriller with Puckett and O'Connor scoring for Bournemouth as we went down 4-2. The last game of the season at Dean Court was between the two sides and it was the Cherries who celebrated avoiding relegation with a fine 2-0 victory. In the 88-89 season, Swindon "Did the double" over Bournemouth, but our 3-1 defeat at the County Ground, will long be remembered for a magnificent performance by Ian Bishop. Swindon then dented Bournemouths play off hopes in an exciting game at Dean Court the following March with a 3-2 victory. The 89-90 season proved to be of despair for both sides, a superb performance by the Cherries saw us win 3-2 at the County Ground, Luther Blissett grabbing two and George Lawrence the other.

Swindon won 2-1 at Dean Court and that result put them well on the way to the play offs. They made it to Wembley, beat Sunderland but had the deserved promotion denied to them due to financial irregularities. They were then relegated by the league to division three, to join Bournemouth again as Tranmere were promoted. The whole messy business ended with Swindon reinstated as a division two side and Tranmere kept in division three. Under Glenn Hoddle Swindon did make the play offs again and won a pulsating game 4-3 against Leicester. They won many friends in the Premiership, but only lasted there for one season and then found themselves at the wrong end of the first division last season, but their flying start this season suggests that it won't be too long before they are back up there again.

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MEL'S MESSAGE



Good evening and a warm welcome to you all for tonight's game against Swindon Town.

Welcome to the management, players and supporters of Swindon Town. They have had a great start to the season under the management of Steve McMahon.

He did an excellent job for the clubs he played for before moving into management at a difficult time for the club. Swindon were on their way down and Steve took over a side bound for relegation from the First Division and

sometimes what happens is that when a team comes out of the Premier League, sometimes they go all the way down. Examples of this are Northampton, Swansea and Bristol City, but with a manager like Steve, he has the character that he has showed in the game to turn things round and now this season it looks already as if their champions with 35 points from 14 games, which is an amazing amount of points. I think many people are now looking to see who will be the second team to go up. They had a great result at Notts County on Saturday which put a ten point gap between them and the third placed team.

I was quite pleased with Saturday's game. I felt that we won the game in the first half.

I would have liked to have seen another goal, but they had nothing to lose in the second half and pushed forward. I felt in the first half again we created chances which carried on from the Swansea game, we had a lot of really good forward play, took the lead, but really needed a second goal. In the second half, with nothing to lose, they had part of the game, they threw people forward and because we hadn't got that second goal, we may have played too many early balls and were not creating chances which I know that with the ability that we have, we can do. It was up to them to break us down, and that may have been on our minds. I thought we looked solid though by the end. It was all good for the experience for the team, sometimes you have to grind results out - we've been creating plenty of chances in the last couple of games, something I'm very pleased with, and as long as we keep making chances, then we are going in the right direction.

Tonight is a big game and I know you can create a special atmosphere to really help the team, we're up against it, they're not, they've lost just one game this season, so let's hope we can double that.



CAPTAIN'S CORNER

Good evening. Obviously everyone's looking forward to playing Swindon.

They're top of the league after a flying start, so it's a big game for us and it's midweek under the lights which always seems to give games here added atmosphere, so we're all keyed up and looking forward to it and hoping that we can spring a surprise and give Swindon a few problems and something to think about. I thought the cup draw was great for the club especially when you look at some of the places we could have ended up at. The main thing was to be drawn at home. When I watched the draw, as soon as our name came out first, which meant we were the home side, I wasn't too bothered about who we got, but obviously getting Bristol City has added spice to the game with them being a club quite near to us, so we should get a good crowd and have a game to look forward to. We've escaped some of the dodgier places we could have gone to in this round, so hopefully we can play well against Bristol City and continue further into the competition and our aim is the same as anyone in our division and that is to get as far as we can and try and pull out one of the plum ties at some stage, create a shock and a bit of history for ourselves in the progress as has happened in the past. But we must first win the games against teams in and around our division which are never easy, so we must get those out of the way first before we can start dreaming of playing the country's top sides. It's a big game tonight, Swindon will have a lot of support with them, so on behalf of the players, if I could ask for that extra little bit of the support, back us from the start and hopefully we can put a performance together and get the three points we badly need.



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25 years ago today, the Cherries were tasting life in the fourth division for the first time ever. The side had a good, solid start and were lying in fifth place behind Notts County, Northampton, Southport and Chester when Lincoln City visited Dean Court. The Imps were lying in the middle of the table, but with a good record away from home and the Cherries were looking to bounce back after a 4-2 defeat at Chester the previous week. A crowd of 6,477 assembled at Dean Court for the game, the second lowest of the season so far. As so often during this promotion season, it was Ted MacDougall who made all the difference between the two sides. Bournemouth introduced John Benson for his home debut after signing for the Cherries for £15,000 from Torquay. Bournemouth took their time to get into their stride in the goalless first half, the nearest they came to scoring was early in the first period when Lincoln keeper, Kennedy, failed to hold Scott's corner and Eddie Rowles attempted to convert the loose ball only to see Branston clear off the line. Bournemouth were becoming more dominant as the half time whistle approached and nearly took the lead when Hubbard sliced the ball just inches away from his own goal. Bournemouth's pressure finally told in the second half, though the City keeper was at fault with the first goal. A long cross from Scott looked quite an easy catch for Kennedy, but he allowed it to go beyond him and Rowles headed home to give the Cherries a deserved lead. Goal machine MacDougall then headed home the second, just when it seemed that his tireless performance would bring him no reward and then just minutes later, set up the goal of the game. MacDougall turned provider when a surging run down the right was finished off with an inch perfect cross to the head of John Sainty to complete a 3-0 win.

'Super Macs' goal meant he had now got 16 in 16 games. It helped to lift the Cherries to third place as both Southport and Chester lost.

Of the teams in the fourth division that season, just three now play a higher grade than today's division two, Grimsby, Southend and Oldham. Northampton, Chester, Darlington, Colchester, Scunthorpe, Exeter, Cambridge, Lincoln, Hartlepool are now in the basement division. Ourselves, Notts County, Peterborough, Stockport, York, Crewe and Brentford are in the new Division Two, whilst Southport, Workington, Aldershot, Barrow and Newport are no longer league clubs.



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As an example, we have illustrated a few items generously modelled by Geoff Barker and Heidi from 2CR Classic Gold.



FAMILY FIREWORK FANTASIA

Elsewhere in the programme you will find full details of this wonderful event to be staged at Dean Court on Sunday evening 5th November. Make it a date for the whole family and buy one of the specially discounted family tickets which are sure to be at a premium. It is a safe comfortable way to spend bonfire night, especially as we are opening up our full catering facilities.

FOOTBALL SPECIALS

The initial response to the Football Specials has been a bit disappointing, but I am sure they will fill up as the weeks progress. Did you know that you can get a return ticket from New Milton (84), Ringwood (85) or Wimborne (86) for £2 and children can travel for as little as 50p. It's got to be cheaper than the car, and you've got no parking problems. If you need further information, you can pick up a leaflet from the Club Shop or ring the Yellow Buses Information Hotline 557272.

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Exeter City v AFC Bournemouth

Tuesday November 7th, Autowindscreen shield. A game Bournemouth simply have to win to progress in the competition after Exeter drew 1-1 at Brentford. This is our first visit to Exeter since the 93-94 season when goals from Paul Wood and Gary Chivers gave the Cherries the points.

AFC BOURNEMOUTH TRAVEL CLUB

Transport will leave Dean Court at approximately 3.00 p.m. If you wish to travel to this game, please call into the club shop TONIGHT and leave your name and contact number so the Travel Club can assess which transportation is required.

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PARKING

It has to be said that parking can be a real problem near St James Park. Most of the streets around the ground are residents only parking. There is a multi storey car park in King William Road which is about a ten minute walk from the ground and is free after 6 p.m.

AWAY SUPPORTERS INFORMATION

The away stand at St James Park is now closed and visiting supporters are now in the seating area. There are 250 seats plus another 125 which have "restricted view". Cost is £8 for adults and £5 for children under 16 and OAP's. Exeter will be producing a reduced programme for £1 for this game. There is a supporters club behind the Popular Bank. Food in the ground is excellent but the toilets, well, try and find somewhere before you go to the game!

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Home and Away Travel



BOURNEMOUTH RESERVES

WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 25th

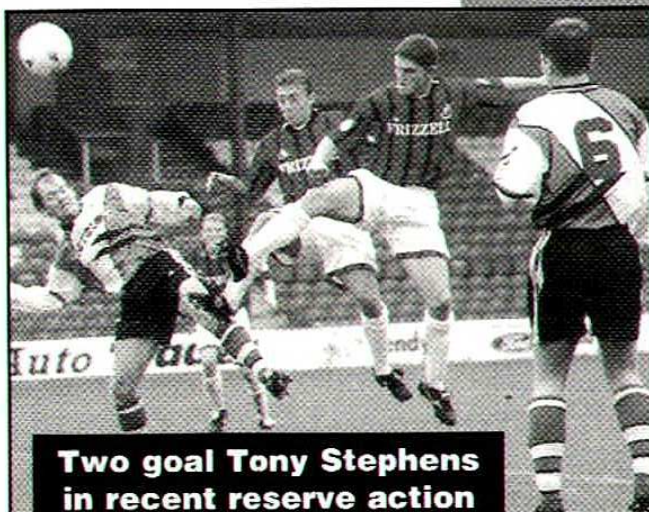
BATH CITY (1) 1 AFC BOURNEMOUTH (0) 2

Manager John Williams was delighted with a superb performance at a wet and windy Keynsham Town ground as the Cherries finished off their Avon Insurance Combination Cup group with a win over Bath City. Two second half goals from Tony Stephens sealed the Cherries win, but it was the all round performance that pleased John Williams so much.

Despite going behind early on, the side dug in and could easily have gone into the break in the lead. Michael McElhatton had the best chance when his volley from 25 yards cannoned back off the underside of the bar. Despite going into the break a goal down, the Cherries could look back at a half to be pleased with.

The deserved equaliser finally came on the hour. A superb tackle from McElhatton on the half way line enabled him to send in a perfect ball for Tony Stephens to latch onto and slot past the keeper. After 73 minutes, the Cherries were in the lead, John Bailey crossed the ball, David Town challenged and the ball fell to Stephens who volleyed home from 12 yards with his left foot.

Bath tried to salvage something in the last few minutes, but the Cherries side contained them comfortably. Despite the victory, Plymouth Argyles win at Bath by 5-1 on October 18th means that Plymouth won the group.



Two goal Tony Stephens in recent reserve action

AFC BOURNEMOUTH: Moss, Murray, Gibbon, Victory, Rawlinson, Strong, Oldbury, Bailey, McElhatton, Town, Stephens

Appearances: 6- Town, 5-Howe, Moss, Rawlinson, 4- Gibbon, Oldbury, Stephens, Victory.

3- M Smith, Williams, McElhatton, Strong.

2-Cureton, Dean, Griffin, O'Driscoll, Watson.

1- Bailey, Jenkins, Milson, Rahman, Wells, Young.

Appearances as sub: 2-Bowers, Dean, 1-S Fletcher, Griffin, Hayter, M Smith, S Smith, Stephens, Williams.

Goals: 3-Cureton, 2-Town, Rawlinson (2 pens), Stephens, 1-Howe, Oldbury, M Smith, Strong.

COMBINATION DIVISION 2 CUP GROUP A

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Plymouth	5	4	0	1	14	6	12
Bournemouth	6	3	1	2	13	10	10
Bath City	4	1	1	2	9	6	4
Torquay	4	1	0	3	8	16	3

AVON INSURANCE COMBINATION

Wed Aug 30	Torquay United (LC)	H	2.00	4-2
Wed Sep 6	Bath City (LC)	H	7.30	1-1
Tue Sep 19	Plymouth Argyle (LC)	A	2.00	3-1
Mon Oct 2	Torquay United (LC)	A	7.30	3-4
Wed Oct 11	Plymouth Argyle (LC)	H	2.00	0-1
Wed Oct 25	Bath City (LC)	A	7.30	2-1
Wed Nov 8	Newport A.F.C.	H	7.30	
Wed Nov 15	Swansea City	A	2.00	
Wed Nov 22	Plymouth Argyle	H	2.00	
Tue Nov 28	Torquay United	A	7.30	
Wed Dec 20	Birmingham City	A	7.00	
Wed Jan 10	Cardiff City	H	2.00	
Mon Jan 15	Cheltenham Town	A	7.30	
Wed Jan 24	Swansea City	H	2.00	
Tue Jan 30	Plymouth Argyle	A	2.00	
Wed Feb 7	Torquay United	H	2.00	
Wed Mar 6	Bath City	A	7.30	
Wed Mar 13	Birmingham City	H	2.00	
Wed Mar 20	Cardiff City	A	2.00	
Wed Mar 27	Cheltenham Town	H	7.30	
Wed Apr 3	Bath City	H	7.30	
Wed Apr 17	Newport County	A	7.45	





BOURNEMOUTH YOUTH

A WEEK IN THE LIFE OF A YT PLAYER

All footballers have to start somewhere, and Youth player Steve Strong has had an association with the club for longer than most of the playing staff, starting here as a ten year old schoolboy, he worked his way though and is now in his second year as a YT. So what do our YT staff do during the week ? Below is a typical week in the life of a trainee.



MONDAY

Our first job on a Monday is to get the boots out of the skip and clean them ready for the first team for training at Chapel Gate. I clean Scott Mean's and Russell Beardsmore's. When we get to Chapel Gate, we put the boots out ready for the first team. We then go off with Sean O'Driscoll for training. Monday is usually the hardest day and training goes on to 1 or 2 o'clock. Then we clean the changing rooms and return to Dean Court.

TUESDAY

My most memorable Tuesday was the last one of last season! I played at Plymouth the day before in a reserve game and was taken off at half time as it was possible that some of us could be needed for the Shrewsbury game. I didn't have a clue that I'd be involved. The squad was then called out and I was told I was sub. I only came on for two minutes, but it was a good two minutes ! I managed to get back to the changing room minus my shirt, shorts, socks and even my shin pads ! I was worried about that, but then

I saw all the other players were the same !

If we have a game on a Tuesday for the Youth team, we have a quiet day with light training, working on set pieces and then relax before the match.



STEVE STRONG

WEDNESDAY

On Wednesday, there's usually a reserve game. We don't have to report to the ground until an hour and a quarter before kick off. If it's away, we usually leave at about 9.30 am, depending on where it is.



BOURNEMOUTH YOUTH

THURSDAY

On Thursdays, in the mornings, two lads come in to do the boots and then we have college in the afternoon. All the YT's are on a college course as part of their training. In the first year the college is at the club, we are all taking a Leisure and Tourism course, and then in your second year we take the advanced course at Southampton College.

FRIDAY

Friday's are usually quite easy days, we come in, clean the boots and as we will have a game the next day we train by first having a warm up, go through some skills with Sean O'Driscoll and then play a five a side game at the end.

SATURDAY

If we are at home, we are at Chapel Gate by 10 o'clock, play our game and then come straight back to Dean Court where we have match day duties. The players boots have to be cleaned, then two lads get picked to stay in the boot room in case the players want for example different studs and the YT changes the studs, three lads have to collect the balls after the warm up, then we all have to sit behind the dug out in case too many balls go over the stands and we have to go and collect them. After the game, we have to get the kit and take it into the kit room for Nimbus to clean, stick all the boots on the pegs, then we have to do the chores like cleaning the changing rooms. Everybody has set jobs. If we play away from home and we get back in time, then we still do all these duties. It may sound like hard work, but it's a good life, and obviously my aim one day is for someone to clean my boots

Appearances: 12-Dean, Griffin, Howe, Kemp, M.Smith, 11-Williams, Fricker. 10-Hayter, Jenkins, 9-Wells. 5-Bowers, Strong. 3- S. Smith, Trickey. 2-Fletcher, Stone.

Appearances as sub: 5-Fletcher. 4-Bowers. 3-Hughes, 2-Jody, Jenkins, Chavez Mundo, Hayter. 1-Broadhurst, Fricker, Nash, Stone.

Scorers: 3-Hayter, M. Smith. 2-Fricker, S. Smith. 1- Dean (pen), Kemp, Strong OG, Williams, Jamie Jenkins, Bowers.

SOUTH-EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE DIVISION 2

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Crystal Palace	9	8	1	0	35	9	17
Tottenham	10	5	2	3	24	17	12
Southampton	9	5	1	3	18	8	11
Luton Town	9	5	1	3	20	14	11
Bristol City	10	4	3	3	18	16	11
Wimbledon	9	5	0	4	22	13	10
Barnet	10	3	4	3	12	12	10
Brighton	9	5	0	4	11	12	10
Bournemouth	8	4	1	3	14	16	9
Bristol Rovers	8	4	0	4	14	11	8
Brentford	9	3	2	4	10	14	8
Oxford	9	3	2	4	10	15	8
Swindon	9	2	2	5	7	16	6
Wycombe	10	2	2	6	11	21	6
Colchester	9	2	1	6	9	20	5
Reading	9	1	2	6	8	29	4

SOUTH-EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE DIVISION 2

Aug 12	S	Bristol City		(A)	2-0
Aug 19	S	WIMBLEDON	K.O. 11.00am	(H)	0-4
Sep 2	S	BRIGHTON & H.A.	K.O. 11.00am	(H)	3-1
Sep 9	S	Barnet		(A)	3-1
Sep 11	M	OXFORD	S.J.F.C. (1) 7.30pm	(H)	1-4
Sep 16	S	WYCOMBE League Cup 1st Round		(H)	2-1
Sep 23	S	Luton		(H)	0-4
Sep 30	S	Southampton		(A)	0-1
Oct 7	S	TOTTENHAM	K.O. 11.00am	(H)	2-2
Oct 14	S	Bristol Rovers		(A)	4-3
Oct 17	S	SWANSEA FAYC 1		(H)	1-2
Oct 21	S	Southampton League Cup 2nd Round		(A)	0-2
Oct 28	S	Brighton & Hove Albion		(A)	1-4
Nov 4	S	Swindon Town		(A)	
Nov 11	S	COLCHESTER UTD	K.O. 11.00am	(H)	
Nov 18	S	Wycombe Wanderers		(A)	
Nov 25	S	League Cup 3rd Round			
Dec 2	S	OXFORD UTD	K.O. 11.00am	(H)	
Dec 9	S	Reading		(A)	
Dec 16	S	READING	K.O. 11.00am	(H)	
Dec 30	S	BRISTOL CITY	K.O. 11.00am	(H)	
Jan 6	S	Wimbledon		(A)	
Jan 13	S	BRENTFORD	K.O. 11.00am	(H)	
Jan 20	S	Brighton & Hove Albion	(A)		
Jan 27	S	BARNET	K.O. 11.00am	(H)	
Feb 3	S	Luton Town		(A)	
Feb 10	S	SOUTHAMPTON	K.O. 11.00am	(H)	
Feb 17	S	Tottenham Hotspur		(A)	
Feb 24	S	BRISTOL ROVERS	K.O. 11.00am	(H)	
Mar 2	S	Crystal Palace		(A)	
Mar 9	S	SWINDON TOWN	K.O. 11.00am	(H)	
Mar 16	S	Colchester United		(A)	
Mar 23	S	WYCOMBE WDRS	K.O. 11.00am	(H)	
Mar 30	S	Oxford United		(A)	

To be re-arranged Brentford (away). Crystal Palace (home).

'WILLO' - A NEW ROLE

When John Williams joined AFC Bournemouth in 1986, he proved to be the spur that landed the third division championship. As a player, 'Willo' wanted nothing but success, and now, as assistant to Mel Machin, his attitude hasn't changed.

So what are the main differences between being a player and now on the management team? "Straight away, it's more of an organising role now, making sure the players are fit and generally helping the manager get the team ready for Saturday.

Lot's of my time now is taken up in the afternoons and the Evenings scouting and making sure that we know the teams we are going to play, keeping an eye on players that you think could be getting free transfers, generally keeping on the ball".

As well as these jobs, John also runs the reserve side, "Yes, I really enjoy running the reserve side. I'm very fortunate that it's a very young side, you can get into situations with reserve sides when you have older players who know they are being released, so obviously, they are not as easy to work with. Now though, we've got a young, up and coming side with many players on the edge of the first team and I want to give them every chance and assistance to get into the first team because I know how heartbreaking it can be to play in the reserves week in and week out".

Willo had a brilliant career in the game, so what are the plus points of being on the management side of football? "Helping the younger play-

ers, to pass on the experience I gained during my time as a player, trying my best to get the YT's professional contracts and to make sure that the first team players secure good contracts and go on to great things. A big plus point is working with the first team, they are a great set of players - you can't get them off the training pitch, they always want to learn more - which is a great attitude, and that makes me feel good as I know that the players want to do well as they are as ambitious as I was when I was a player and they are going to do everything they can over the next couple of years to make sure we have a successful football club".

One of the down sides at any football club is having to release players, a task that John is not looking forward to, "No, you work with these players for two years and the players we have now are the ones that I was involved in making them YT's, so it can be a very unhappy time when you have to tell young lads that in our opinion, it's not going to happen for you here. We always tell them to prove us wrong though somewhere else as it does happen - Graham Roberts at Bournemouth is a prime example - but that doesn't help the situation. The boys we have now still have a long time to prove themselves so they can work hard now and have a career at this football club".

After a long career, what does John miss most about playing? "I miss the changing room most. I always wondered what players meant when they said 'I miss the changing room' - but now I know because there's such a fantastic atmosphere there, the laughing, the leg pulling, I certainly miss all that. I do still stay on the edge of things with a couple of players though! We have a really close knit bunch here. The fact that I'm still in football is what I want. I made the decision when I was 26-27 to stay within the game and sometimes luck takes it's hand, and at the moment, things are going well, but I'm always aware that in football, if results dip, we'll be asked to let someone else have a go, so it's our job to keep the results on the up, and the club on the up right from the Youth policy to the first team, to make sure the clubs on a sound footing and challenging for honours".

So where do John's ambitions lie? Would he like to become a manager one day? "Yes, one day, but at the moment, I'm happy to be learning under Mel Machin. He's great to work for and I learn so much from him every day. Some of his decisions come through sheer experience. 9 times out of 10, I'll pick the same side as him, but sometimes he sees something in the opposition that I haven't seen and make a change, and I do learn from that, he's a great manager and the experience I can gain through him, will be a great help".

Willo was part of the great Bournemouth team of 1987 and now, part of the great management team that kept Bournemouth up last season, and hopefully go on to greater things.



John Williams

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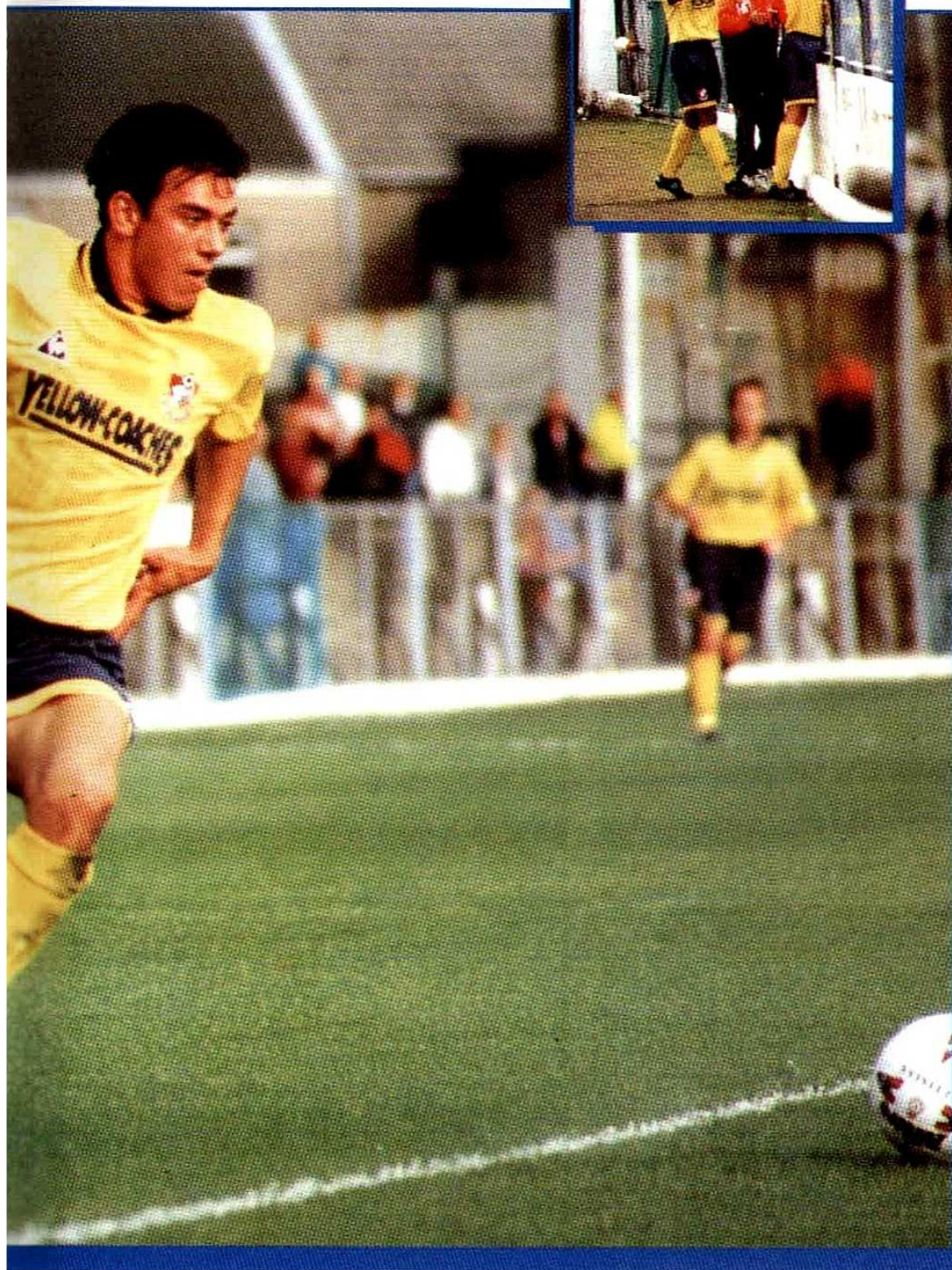
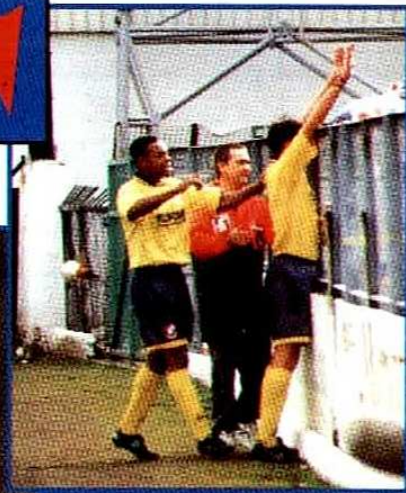


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HALF-TIME QUIZ

QUESTIONS

- 1 Which former Swindon and Bournemouth player is now manager of a first division side ?
 - 2 Who was the last player to sign for Swindon from Bournemouth ?
 - 3 Which four clubs did Steve McMahon serve before joining Swindon?
 - 4 When did AFC Bournemouth last beat Swindon at Dean Court ?
 - 5 When did AFC Bournemouth last win at Swindon ?
- Questions on records**
- 6 What is the highest win in a British game ?
 - 7 Who is AFC Bournemouth's most capped player ?
 - 8 Who holds the record for football league appearances ?
 - 9 What is Bournemouth's official biggest league victory ?
 - 10 Who has gained the most points in one season ?

ANSWERS

- 1 Jimmy Quinn
- 2 Shaun Close
- 3 Everton, Aston Villa, Liverpool and Manchester City.
- 4 87-88, 2-0.
- 5 89-90, 3-2.
- 6 Arbroath 36 Bon Accord 0
- 7 Gerry Peyton, Republic of Ireland, 7 caps.
- 8 Peter Shilton, 996 league appearances.
- 9 7-0 v Swindon Town, 56/57.
- 10 Swindon Town, Division 4, 85/86, 102 points.



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PHYSIO'S REPORT



Welcome tonight to the many players here who can't normally attend the Bournemouth games due to be involved themselves. No matter what level of football you play at, injuries are all the same, if anything, at a lower level, there are more injuries due to hard games and poor standard of pitches without the back up that a league club has.

There is a golden rule when it comes to treating injuries at any level. I.C.E. Ice, Compression and elevation. If an injury doesn't improve within a couple of days, then you must see a GP or see a sports therapist. A side of any standard should have a proper medical kit with them at all games; Ice packs, it is advisable to invest in a freezer box for these. Crepe bandages for the compression. Obviously a normal first aid kit with dressings, scissors, if you have someone trained then it's advisable to have an airway, strappings, hot oil. In an ideal situation, if you are hurt playing football, then you should go off, if you try and carry on and it's painful you can do more damage. One important part of your kit is shinpads. In 90% of cases, it saves very badly bruised shins and possibly broken. It is better to get a good pair and not go for the cheap ones as they will not protect you. Throughout the season, I will talk about treatment of particular injuries. Football is there to be enjoyed at all levels, so stay healthy whilst you are playing.

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AT DEAN COURT

Won 24 Drew 12 Lost 6 Goals for 85 Goals against 40

AT THE COUNTY GROUND

Won 9 Drew 6 Lost 27 Goals for 47 Goals against 92

TOTAL Played 84 Won 33 Drew 18 Lost 33 Goals for 132
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GEORGE NDAH

George is at Dean Court on loan from Crystal Palace for one month, with a possibility of that being extended a further two months. George has made a total of 26 league appearances for the Eagles, including 12 in the Premiership last season where he scored his first league goal in the 2-0 win over Leicester City.



Former Cherries player, Charlie Burke has sadly passed away. Charlie joined Bournemouth in 1939 from Ardeer Recreation and played as Centre Forward in 25 games for Bournemouth, scoring 6 goals before moving to Weymouth in July 1947. Our sympathy goes to his family.

DIVISION TWO ROUND UP

Three of the four sides relegated from Division One last season are amongst the pace setters at this stage of the season. Tonights visitors Swindon recorded a vital victory over Crewe at the County Ground to stretch their lead at the top to 7 points. The Wiltshire side have gained an incredible 32 points out of a possible 39. Close behind are Notts County who won 3-0 at Bristol Rovers. Rovers simply can't win at home at the moment, the County defeat and the defeat by Bournemouth sandwiched a good 3-2 win at Bradford City.

Burnley have now climbed up the table with a 3-0 win over struggling Brighton, Kurt Nogan scoring against his old club. Blackpool had a chance to move to second place but lost 2-1 at Rotherham.

The surprise package at the moment are Chesterfield. Newly promoted, they have now moved up to a play off spot, helped by a 1-0 win over Shrewsbury.

Wycombe have improved after a shaky start to the season and won the local derby at Oxford by a convincing scoreline of 4-1. Miguel De Souza grabbing his tenth goal of the season in front of Oxford's best crowd of the season, 7,731.

Bradford scored twice in the last 16 minutes at Carlisle to grab a draw, and then pulled off a highly credible 0-0 draw at Norwich in the Coca-Cola Cup, a game that saw former Cherries loan player, Graham Mitchell, sent off.

Stockport are not far behind the leading pack and after a 1-1 draw at struggling Hull, they put in a good performance at Aston Villa in the Coca Cola cup before finally bowing out to two second half goals. Other Cup hero's, York City also went out of the Cup, but certainly gave QPR a fright on their way to a 3-1 defeat. York's league form certainly perked up after that famous win at Old Trafford. They lost again in the league though to Bristol City, a result that leaves York hovering above the relegation zone.

Occupying bottom place is Hull City who have been forced to put their entire squad up for sale. Star striker Dean Windlass seems certain to leave now as the club try to ease financial pressures.

It's a very open Division Two though this season, and any team could shoot up the table with a good run, though it will take something special to match the consistency shown by tonights visitors.

DIVISION TWO CLUBS IN ROUND TWO

Canvey Island v Brighton, Wycombe v Gillingham, Oxford United v Dorchester, Exeter v Peterborough, Fulham v Swansea, **AFC BOURNEMOUTH** v Bristol City, Swindon Town v Cambridge United, Hitchin Town v Bristol Rovers, Brentford v Farnborough Town, Hull v Wrexham, Blackpool v Chester, Bradford City v Burton, Scarborough v Chesterfield, Shrewsbury Town v Marine, Carlisle v Preston, York City v Notts County, Altrincham v Crewe, Burnley v Walsall, Rochdale v Rotherham, Stockport v Lincoln.

BOURNEMOUTH ON THE INTERNET

The Cherries now have a site on the Internet. The address is: <http://www.maths.soton.ac.uk/rpb/AFCB.html>

CHERRY BITES



IN MY OPINION

By Mitchell Kaye

It is often said that a year is a long time in football.

After all, only twelve months ago George Graham was untouchable at Arsenal, Kenny Dalglish's Blackburn were blitzing the Premiership, and Alan Ball was at the wrong end of the table with Southampton.

What a difference a year can make. Graham has a worldwide ban from the game, Dalglish is the director of football of a side whose football lacks direction, and Alan Ball is at the wrong end of the table with Manchester City.

A couple of months into the season at Dean Court and the club are comfortably placed in a mid-table position.

Steve Jones is amongst the country's leading goalscorers, the squad which completed last season has been kept intact with the summer signings increasing competition for places, and several of the performances have been of the highest quality.

After staring relegation in the face for the whole of last season, the club could be forgiven for resting in the second division for a year or two.

Yet nothing could be further from the truth. Far from settling for an easy life, everyone connected with the club appears determined to push forward. The loan signings of Michael Duberry and George Ndah, both very promising young players, emphasize this point.

Add this to recent news of the board's plans for an all-seater stadium, and it is clear the club is moving in the right direction, under the right management.

What a difference a year can make!

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Lottery tickets are on sale around the ground tonight for 50p each giving you the chance to win up to £1000 instantly, just like William Ogles seen here being presented with his cheque from Jamie Victory



50/50 draw

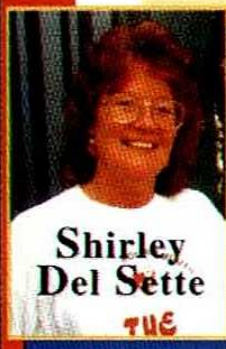
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Some time ago I was asked if the Junior Cherries had any old kit that we could donate to children in Uganda. We searched in our cupboards and found some shirts and shorts from the past and these were duly sent with our best wishes. It was my great pleasure to receive this photograph of some of the children wearing what all faithful AFCB supporters will recognise as some of our replica kit from the 1980's! The accompanying letter from Jim Finlay said, "The look on the faces of each of the children spoke a great deal more than any thankyou could convey ... I visited Kampiringisa Boys School - recipients of another donation of kit from Bournemouth. They were all keen to hear news of how the team were doing and they still have a poster from the 'Echo' on their dormitory wall! "On behalf of those children and the 1995 Sses team - Thankyou very much!!" tonight we welcome any Junior Supporters from Swindon Town who are here for the match, enjoy your visit to Dean Court.

Best wishes, Shirley



QUIZ

Answer these questions, hand them to Shirley and have a chance of winning a signed picture of 'THE GREAT ESCAPE' book

- 1 What county do Swindon play in, is it Hampshire, Wiltshire or Berkshire?
- 2 What is the name of the Swindon Ground.
- 3 What was the score the last time Bournemouth played Swindon at Dean Court, was it 0-1, 1-2 or 1-3?

Junior Cherries Quiz sponsored by Sporting Media



Lucky Membership Number winner for October, Shane Mitchener, received his prize of 'The Great Escape' video from his favourite player, Ian Andrews on the pitch.

MESSAGE CORNER

Welcome to Caroline Strong on her first visit to Dean Court tonight. Love from Mum, Dad and Peter.

Happy Birthday to Jon Wright and Daniel Robertson both in the New Stand tonight.

To have a message printed here please send it in at least two weeks before the game. There is no charge and they don't have to be birthday messages

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MEET THE MASCOT

Tonight we have two brothers leading the team out, Richard and Stuart Belling from Branksome, Poole. They both attend St. Aldhelms School. Richard aged 9 enjoys football, karate and swimming and plays football for Charminster Saints Under 10's team. Stuart aged 11 enjoys football and computers. Richard chooses Scott Mean as his favourite player while Stuart chooses Steve Jones.

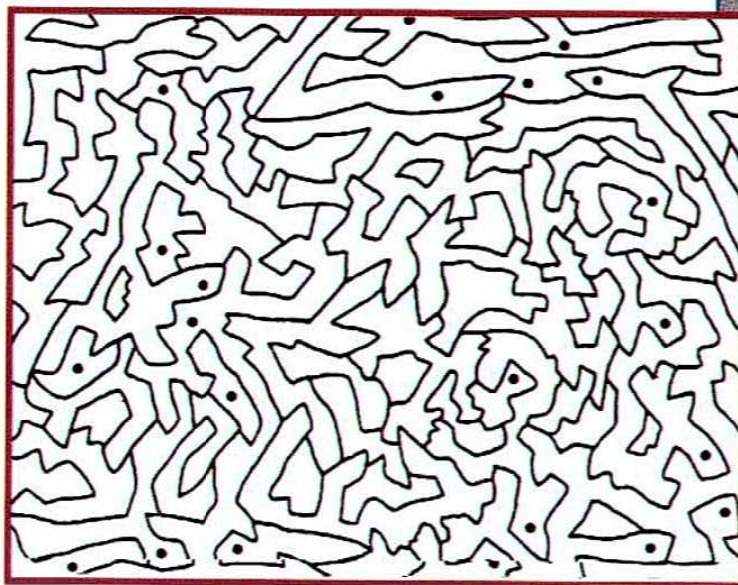


Marcus Schrimaglia from Lamberton, Wales, our mascot at Swansea with Steve Jones



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Fill in all the sections marked with a dot and see what appears!



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You will have plenty of chances to practice as the game will be available to play in the Family Room before every home fixture. Please come along and join in the fun, it's a super game with a great prize to be won. Our winner will receive two season tickets for the Family Enclosure for the 96/97 season.



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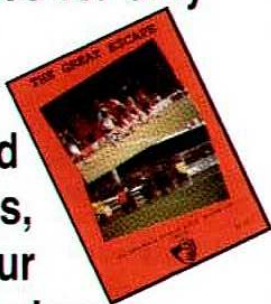
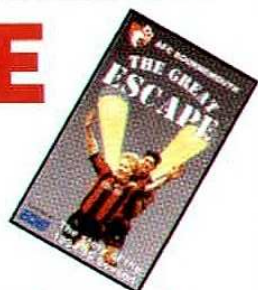
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The twenty third edition of the CAMRA good beer guide has just been published, and a new edition for Bournemouth in the 1996 issue is our very own supporters club. This recognition follows on from the acclaim received in our winning of the CAMRA Wessex region club of the year award presented earlier this season.

If you enjoy well kept ale and live in the Springbourne, Boscombe, Pokesdown or Queens Park area's you are only a short walk away. With our very competitive bar prices and our policy of constantly changing guest ales, there is no better time to join our club.

The total cost of joining is £9, being the £6 annual subscription fee and a joining fee of £3. Details can be obtained from the club. Remember each visit helps towards our latest donation to AFC Bournemouth in the form of purchasing a new mini bus.

The mini bus is often used for transporting the Youth team to their games.

With top Premier League clubs importing World Cup international's from Brazil, France and Romania, the bottom Premier teams importing from the likes of the Channel Islands, Angora and Liechtenstein, it only leaves us with the isles in the Atlantic Ocean and there's Rockall out there !! Therefore, our support of the Youth team is definitely the correct way forward.

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NOVEMBER DIARY

SATURDAY 4th	<i>Silent Attack</i>
SATURDAY 18th	<i>Zenith Sounds Disco</i>

Finally, a reminder that it is a members night only in the club after tonights game.

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DATE	OPPONENTS	SCORE	ATT	POS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
SAT AUG 12	Bradford City	A	0-1	5107	-	Andrews	Young	Beardsmore	Morris	Murray	Mean	Holland
TUE AUG 15	Luton CCC1 (1)	A	1-1	2728	-	Andrews	Young	Beardsmore	Morris	Murray	Mean	Holland
SAT AUG 19	PETERBOROUGH	H	3-0	4175	10	Andrews	Young	Beardsmore	Morris	Murray	Mean	Holland
TUE AUG 22	Luton CCC1 (2)	H	2-1	4884	-	Andrews	Young	Beardsmore	Morris1	Murray	Mean	Holland
SAT AUG 26	Wycombe Wdrs	A	2-1	4749	6	Andrews	Young	Beardsmore	Morris	Murray 1	Mean	Holland
TUE AUG 29	WREXHAM	H	1-1	4825	5	Andrews	Young	Beardsmore	Morris	Murray	Mean	Holland
SAT SEP 2	ROTHERHAM	H	2-1	4906	3	Andrews	Young	Beardsmore	Morris	Murray	Mean	Holland
SAT SEP 9	Notts County	A	0-2	4875	7	Andrews	Young	Beardsmore	Morris	Murray	Mean	Victory*
TUE SEP 12	Blackpool	A	1-2	3384	9	Andrews	Young	Beardsmore	Morris	Murray	Mean	McElhatton**
SAT SEP 16	CREWE	H	0-4	4488	13	Andrews	Young	Beardsmore	Morris	Murray	Mean	Holland
TUE SEP 19	Watford CCC2(1)	A	1-1	5037	-	Andrews	Young	Beardsmore	Morris	Murray	Mean	Holland
SUN SEP 24	BRIGHTON	H	3-1	4560	11	Andrews	Young	Beardsmore	Morris	Murray	Mean	Holland
WED SEP 27	BRENTFORD AWS	H	0-1	1092	-	Andrews	Young	Beardsmore	Morris	Murray	Victory	Holland
SAT SEP 30	Stockport	A	1-3	5655	12	Andrews	Duberry	Beardsmore	Morris	Murray	Victory	Holland
TUE OCT 3	WATFORD CCC2(2)	H	1-1	4365	-	Andrews	Pennock	Beardsmore	Morris	Murray	Victory	Holland
SAT OCT 7	Bristol Rovers	A	2-0	5171	10	Andrews	Pennock	Beardsmore	Morris	Murray	Duberry	Holland
SAT OCT 14	BURNLEY	H	0-2	4954	12	Andrews	Pennock	Beardsmore	Morris	Murray	Duberry	Holland
SAT OCT 21	Swansea	A	1-1	1988	14	Andrews	Young	Beardsmore	Morris	Pennock	Duberry	Holland
SAT OCT 28	CARLISLE	H	2-0	4250	9	Moss	Young	Beardsmore	Morris	Pennock	Duberry	Holland
TUE OCT 31	SWINDON	H										
SAT NOV 4	Walsall	A										
TUE NOV 7	Exeter AWS	A										
SAT NOV 11	BRISTOL CITY (FAC 1)	H										
SAT NOV 18	BRENTFORD	H										
SAT NOV 25	Chesterfield	A										
SAT DEC 9	Brighton	A										
SAT DEC 16	STOCKPORT	H										
SAT DEC 23	HULL	H										
TUE DEC 26	Oxford	A										
SAT DEC 30	York	A										
TUE JAN 2	SHREWSBURY	H										
SAT JAN 6	BRISTOL CITY	H										
SAT JAN 13	Peterborough	A										
SAT JAN 20	BRADFORD CITY	H										
SAT JAN 27	Wrexham	A										
SAT FEB 3	WYCOMBE Wdrs	H										
SAT FEB 10	Bristol City	A										
SAT FEB 17	BLACKPOOL	H										
TUE FEB 20	Rotherham	A										
SAT FEB 24	Crewe	A										
TUE FEB 27	NOTTS COUNTY	H										
SAT MAR 2	OXFORD	H										
SAT MAR 9	Hull	A										
SAT MAR 16	YORK	H										
SAT MAR 23	Shrewsbury	A										
SAT MAR 30	BRISTOL ROVERS	H										
TUE APR 2	Burnley	A										
SAT APR 6	Carlisle	A										
TUE APR 9	SWANSEA	H										
SAT APR 13	Swindon	A										
SAT APR 20	WALSALL	H										
SAT APR 27	CHESTERFIELD	H										

ENDSLEIGH LEAGUE DIVISION 2

	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Swindon	14	5	2	0	14	4	6	0	1	17	7	35
Crewe	13	5	1	0	14	5	3	2	2	13	9	27
Notts County	14	4	1	2	10	8	3	3	2	8	4	25
Chesterfield	14	5	1	1	14	5	2	2	3	6	7	24
Blackpool	14	4	2	1	9	5	3	1	3	10	9	24
Burnley	14	5	2	0	13	4	1	3	3	7	10	23
Wycombe	14	2	4	1	8	7	3	3	1	12	6	22
Bradford	14	4	1	2	13	11	2	2	3	8	12	21
AFC Bournemouth	14	4	1	2	11	9	2	1	4	7	10	20
Wrexham	14	3	3	1	11	9	2	2	3	6	8	20
Bristol Rovers	14	2	1	4	7	13	4	1	2	9	8	20
Stockport	14	2	4	1	8	5	3	1	3	7	6	20
Oxford	14	4	1	2	12	8	0	5	2	6	8	18
Rotherham	14	5	2	0	13	5	0	1	6	5	14	18
Peterborough	14	4	2	1	15	6	0	3	4	5	16	17
Walsall	14	2	3	2	11	10	2	1	4	5	5	16
Swansea	14	3	3	1	11	7	0	3	4	4	13	15
Brentford	14	4	0	3	8	6	0	3	4	4	10	15
Shrewsbury	14	3	0	4	10	10	1	2	4	8	15	14
York	14	2	2	3	7	8	2	0	5	7	15	14
Bristol City	13	2	3	2	6	4	1	2	3	5	12	14
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Hull	14	1	3	3	5	9	0	3	4	4	12	9

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Rotherham	14	5	2	0	13	5	0	1	6	5	14	18
Peterborough	14	4	2	1	15	6	0	3	4	5	16	17
Walsall	14	2	3	2	11	10	2	1	4	5	5	16
Swansea	14	3	3	1	11	7	0	3	4	4	13	15
Brentford	14	4	0	3	8	6	0	3	4	4	10	15
Shrewsbury	14	3	0	4	10	10	1	2	4	8	15	14
York	14	2	2	3	7	8	2	0	5	7	15	14
Bristol City	13	2	3	2	6	4	1	2	3	5	12	14
Brighton	14	2	2	3	8	9	1	1	5	5	14	12
Carlisle	14	2	3	2	8	6	0	2	5	5	16	11
Hull	14	1	3	3	5	9	0	3	4	4	12	9

KEY: Goalscorers in bold. CCC=Coca Cola Cup. FAC = Football Association Cup. AWS = Auto Windscreens Shield.

• Substitute used.

1995/96 SEASON



Robinson●●	Jones	Fletcher	Brissett	Victory●	Pennock●●●	Bailey●●
Robinson●●	Jones 1	Fletcher●	Brissett	McElhatton●●	Bailey●	Rawlinson
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Robinson	Jones	Bailey 1	Brissett 1	Oldbury	Victory	Cureton
Robinson	Jones	Ndah	Brissett	Fletcher	Oldbury	Young
Robinson●	Jones 1	Ndah	Brissett	Oldbury	Murray●	Fletcher
Robinson●●	Jones●●●	Ndah	Brissett●	Bailey●	Murray●●	Fletcher●●●

PLAYER STATS

APPEARANCES

	Endsleigh League	Coca-Cola Cup	F.A. Cup	Autowindcreens Shield	TOTAL
Ian Andrews	13	4	-	1	18
John Bailey	8(4)	2(1)	-	(1)	10(6)
Russell Beardsmore	14	4	-	1	19
Jason Brissett	14	4	-	1	19
Jamie Cureton	(5)	-	-	-	(5)
Mike Duberry	4	-	-	-	4
Steve Fletcher	1(2)	1	-	-	2(2)
Matthew Holland	12	4	-	1	17
Steve Jones	14	4	-	1	19
Michael McElhatton	1(2)	(1)	-	-	1(3)
Scott Mean	9	3	-	-	12
Mark Morris	14	4	-	1	19
Neil Moss	1	-	-	-	1
Robert Murray	12(2)	4	-	1	17(2)
George Ndah	3	-	-	-	3
Marcus Oldbury	(2)	(1)	-	-	(3)
Adrian Pennock	11(1)	3	-	1	14(1)
Mark Rawlinson	(2)	(1)	-	-	(3)
Steve Robinson	8(3)	3	-	1	12(3)
David Town	(2)	(2)	-	(1)	(5)
Jamie Victory	2(4)	1(1)	-	1	4(5)
Neil Young	11(1)	3	-	1	15(1)

GOALS

	Endsleigh League	Coca-Cola Cup	F.A. Cup	Autowindcreens Shield	TOTAL
Steve Jones	8	3	-	-	11
Jason Brissett	3	-	-	-	3
John Bailey	2	-	-	-	2
Steve Robinson	2	-	-	-	2
Steve Fletcher	1	-	-	-	1
Matthew Holland	1	-	-	-	1
Mark Morris	-	1	-	-	1
Robert Murray	1	-	-	-	1
Marcus Oldbury	-	1	-	-	1

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TOTAL LEAGUE ATTENDANCES AWAY FROM
DEAN COURT
30,929 (Average 4,418 7 games)
COCA COLA CUP AWAY FROM DEAN COURT
7,765 (Average 3,883)
TOTAL
80,101 (Average 4,215)



PLAYER PROFILE



OFF THE WALL

OFF THE WALL WITH STEVE FLETCHER

FULL NAME: Steven Mark Fletcher.

NICKNAME: It's always been 'Fletch' or 'Big Fletch'.

BEST THING ABOUT BEING A FOOTBALLER: The time off and doing something that you really enjoy and getting paid for it.

WORST THING ABOUT BEING A FOOTBALLER: I Think that's obvious! Being injured and not being part of the team when they're doing well. I seem to be prone to injuries - someone's not looking down on me.

DO YOU SPEND ALL YOUR TIME DOING YOUR HAIR: Do me a favour! My hairs curly so I have to put gel on it or it would go up like a ball of fluff.

HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE YOURSELF IN A LONELY HEARTS COLUMN: A good all round performer.

DO PEOPLE EVER FIND IT HARD TO UNDERSTAND YOUR ACCENT: Certainly when I first came down here, I had to repeat everything twice before anyone understood me, but not so much now, I think I've picked up a bit of a Southern accent - my main problem is that I talk to fast and that's when people can't understand me.

WHO DO YOU ROOM WITH: Scott Mean. It always seems to be our room that gets 'done' by either Youngy or Robbo. They steal your keys and 'do' our room when we are at Breakfast. If they ever come in our room, I always keep an eye on them and if they're up to any mischief, then "ill give them a little dig. Scott's a bad room mate really, he's very untidy and he never flushes the toilet after him.

IF YOU WERE REINCARNATED AS AN ANIMAL, WHAT WOULD YOU BE: A rabbit because all they do is mate all day!

WHAT'S THE BEST GROUND YOU'VE EVER PLAYED ON: White Hart Lane when I was with Hartlepool and we got stuffed 5-0! Gazza scored four and Gary Liniker scored one and I didn't have a kick all night, but it was good to play in such a good ground in front of a crowd of 18,000.

WHAT'S THE WORST GROUND YOU'VE EVER PLAYED AT: Halifax Town, the Shay, it must be the only ground that was worse than Hartlepool, Belle Vue at Doncaster isn't very nice. The worst pitch though is Hartlepool, we'd have divits in it at the start of the season!

WELL, DID YOU EAT ALL THE PIES: No! But I had a good go at it though! I have got a bit of a weigh problem. If I starve myself for two days, I'll pig out the next! I still eat a lot, but it's a lot more healthy now - I'm off the junk food!

Look out for the lucky programme - you could win tickets for a show compliments of the BIC if the picture above is signed by the player. Take your programme to the Club Shop, when open, to claim your prize.

STEVE



PLAYER PROFILE

WHAT'S THE BEST GAME YOU'VE EVER PLAYED IN:

Either Shrewsbury or Brentford last season. The Shrewsbury game is special because we stayed up and I got the award before the game. I got promotion with Hartlepool, but it wasn't as good as that.

WHAT'S THE WORST GAME YOU'VE EVER PLAYED

IN: Plymouth at home a few seasons back, we lost 3-1, and I even managed to score with my only kick of the night. I got a rating of 4 in the paper and was dropped afterwards for the next three games. I was terrible that night. Brighton last season was bad, we were on a good run and the boss went to town on me after that which I deserved.

WHAT ARE YOU DOING ON THE GREAT ESCAPE VIDEO: I was the last one to do my bit and it was in the middle of our celebrations and I couldn't believe what they asked me to do! They had to film it 12 times before I got it right. You can see me talking to myself on the video and I was saying, 'What the hell am I doing!'. I think it's only my Mum who likes it!

WHAT'S THE WORST FOOTBALL SHIRT YOU'VE

WORN: Do you need to ask? It's got to be the Bournemouth one from three seasons ago, it was horrible. The shorts were alright, but the tops, too tight for me, horrible to wear. That's just the home kit, I thought the away kit was twice as bad! I used to wonder what supporters of other teams must have thought! The one we've got now though I think is one of the best in the league, it's superb, the whole kit. It's good to have white shorts and socks, it looks good for the team.

WHAT'S THE FUNNIEST THING YOU'VE SEEN AT A FOOTBALL

MATCH: It's got to be when Marcus Oldbury scored against Watford in the Cup match. I was in the stand with Neil Young, Scott Mean and Michael McElhatton and when Marcus scored, we were running up and down B Block going absolutely mad! With the penalties we were jumping round like lunatics. I've never been like that since I was 14 years old watching Liverpool! Neil Young was on top of the press box with his hands up going mad! It was really funny.

DESERT ISLAND

WHO WOULD YOU TAKE WITH YOU? Scott and Youngy's girlfriends, Melanie and Niki!

WHAT THREE ALBUMS WOULD YOU TAKE WITH YOU? The Ultimate Motown Collection, A House Collection CD and Elvis because he's a legend, he's my hero, I'd take his all time greatest hits.

WHAT THREE THINGS COULDN'T YOU LIVE WITHOUT? My music and video collection a decent Chinese takeaway and a never ending supply of Budweiser.



FLETCHER



CHERRIES IN ACTION

SWANSEA 1 AFC BOURNEMOUTH 1 21/10/95

**Mike Duberry sends
in a close range
header**



**George Ndah
sends in a first
half shot**



**George and Steve link
up well at Swansea**



**George Ndah going
forward**



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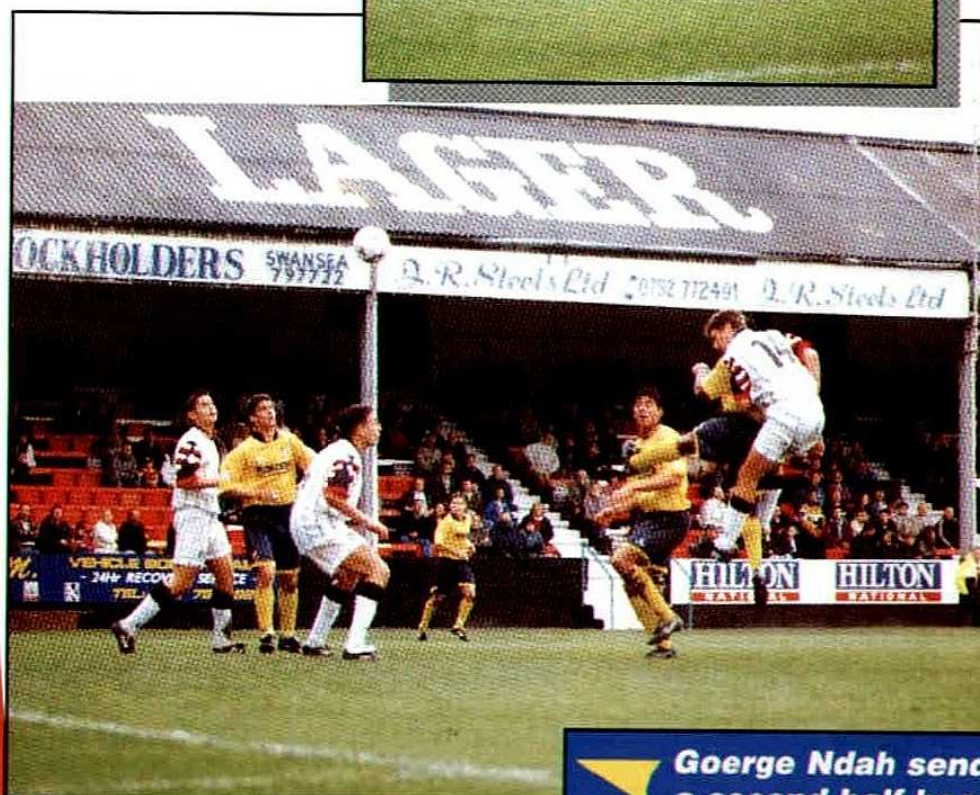
CHERRIES IN ACTION



Rob Murray tries his luck at goal



Steve Jones jinks his way past the swans defence



Goerge Ndah sends in a second half header



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- 3 Russell Beardsmore
- 4 Mark Morris
- 5 Adrain Pennock
- 6 Michael Duberry
- 7 Matthew Holland
- 8 Steve Robinson
- 9 Steve Jones
- 10 George Ndah
- 11 Jason Brissett
- 12
- 13
- 14

SWINDON TOWN

- 1 Fraser Digby
- 2 Ian Culverhouse
- 3 Paul Bodin
- 4 Steve McMahon
- 5 Paul Allen
- 6 Shaun Taylor
- 7 Mark Robinson
- 8 Wayne O'Sullivan
- 9 Steve Finney
- 10 Wayne Allison
- 11 Kevin Horlock
- 12
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- 14

MATCH OFFICIALS

Andy D'Urso (Billericay, Essex)

Andy is a Bank Manager and is married with two small children, Daniel and Alexandra. He commenced refereeing in 1979 in youth and mens football, before being promoted to class 1 in 1985, officiating on the Isthmian League as linesman for four years and then promoted to the Referee's list in 1989 and on the Panel League's list of linesmen.

Appointed to national list of linesmen in 1990, and then panel referee in 1992, with promotion to the national list of referee's last season. His first game in charge was at Craven Cottage last August for the Fulham v Walsall game. In his spare time, he enjoys all sports, particularly football, squash and golf. Enjoys spending time with his family, travel and listening to music.

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