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EditorsComment

Town have been beaten just once by Bradford City in the last eight meetings at The County Ground – and let's hope we can add to the winning tally today.

Colin Todd arrives back at his former employers whilst Gareth Whalley also faces his former club having played over 100 games for The Bantams from 1998 – 2002.

Inside today's edition we have a feature interview with midfielder Michael Pook, go behind the scenes with Physio Dick Mackey, review the STFC Golf Day and have details of the next Sporting Dinner with Bruce Grobbelaar and much, much more.

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Did you know ?

Steve Jenkins has now scored two goals for Swindon Town since joining the club in October 2004. This represents 25% of all the goals scored in his professional career, with previous strikes coming at Swansea (1), Huddersfield (4), and Peterborough (1 - against Town!)

Andy King

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome the Management, Staff, Directors and Supporters of Bradford City to The County Ground...

I must also add a special welcome to Colin Todd, who I have known for a long time both as a team mate at Everton and during his time as Manager here at Swindon Town.

His managerial record stands strong and is proven even at the highest level. His team will be very well organised and hard to beat, probably a trademark of Colin's playing career. He was one of the best defenders in recent times when he was at his best – I think he was that good.

This is now a big game for us following our poor run of form, although it was another narrow loss at Bournemouth, we

a vital turning point, not always a successful one but plays a big part towards a confident performance.

Hopefully this week Sean O'Hanlon will be back from injury. Not only will this be a welcome return but with Andy Gurney getting a red card – it's a timely return to action. Rhys Evans is still unavailable and please spare a thought for Alan Reeves, sitting at home for the first time in his career, having no control over events in his new career in coaching.

There is also sad news on the injury front. Young Andy Caton – a tremendous prospect – has unfortunately damaged his knee ligaments. The

However Alan's misfortune has given the opportunity to Iffy Onuora and Ian Woan to gain some first team experience, to taste the pressure of games in a different way – simply results, although Iffy has had some experience with Walsall.

But with the downs comes the ups. Hopefully today we can, with your support, enjoy the wonderful taste of victory – which will have been worth all this heartache.

I have many times before spoken of 'you' the supporter, supporting your team. I understand and support you voicing your opinions but not if in any way it's detrimental to the team – that's not support!

Bournemouth on Saturday was an example I believe, of support and performance together which probably deserved a victory, but certainly a result.

Today could be that turning point. Thank you for your support as always.

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"I do feel that we need to be more aggressive in our goal attempts. The lead in games for me is a vital turning point, not always a successful one but plays a big part towards a confident performance"

showed a lot of effort and determination but were just lacking that magic element of luck. I do feel however that we need to be more aggressive in our goal attempts. The lead in games for me is

full extent of the injury is still to be determined, but he is young and therefore should be a quick healer. I am certain that after a full recovery he will be challenging for a first team place next season.

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Boardroom Talk



A warm welcome to The County Ground this afternoon for the visit of Bradford City.

I would like to thank all the fans for their support at the Bournemouth game. I know many of our fans spend a lot of their time and money supporting the club and this is very much appreciated. We were very unfortunate not to get a point but look forward to an exciting game today.

The draw for the First Round of the LDV Vans Trophy took place last weekend and we were handed a home draw against Stevenage Borough. The game will take place at The County Ground on Tuesday 18th October and prices for this game will be announced shortly, so keep an eye on the website and in the programme for further details.

I have recently met with Anne Snelgrove, one of our local MP's for Swindon.

She has given her support to the club for our involvement with the forthcoming National anti-racism week of action in football in October. She has also given her support to the proposed redevelopment of the stadium – a copy of her letter is printed in the programme on the news page. We welcome her support as we desperately need to redevelop The County Ground.

This week we held a recruitment evening for the new Stewarding course that is being piloted at Swindon College. This is going to lead to a brand new qualification for those who aspire to be a steward at a sporting venue.

As you may know by now, we are going to hold a Fans Forum on the 5th October at 7pm in the Winners Lounge. Shaun Hodgetts is going to compere this. We haven't had a Forum for sometime and hopefully the panel, comprising of Manager Andy King, Iffy Onuora, Ian Woan, a player and myself, can answer any questions you may have. Look out for details of how you can send in your questions soon.

Finally, I hope you enjoy today's game and thank you for your support once again.

A stylized, handwritten signature in black ink.

Sandy Gray
Chief Executive

Windass Takes Player Award



Bradford City striker Dean Windass recently won the August Powerade Player of the Month Award in Coca-Cola League One.

Windass has been in great goal-scoring form in the opening weeks of the season. His four goals in six games for the Bantams in August included a brace against Milton Keynes Dons and a vital late strike to earn a share of the points against Yorkshire rivals Rotherham.

Also shortlisted for the August award were Pawel Abbott of Huddersfield Town, Deon Burton of Rotherham United and Swansea City's Roberto Martinez.

Chris Kamara, chairman of the Powerade Player of the Month Awards panel, said: "Despite being 36, this is the fittest I have ever seen Dean. He has worked really hard in pre-season and

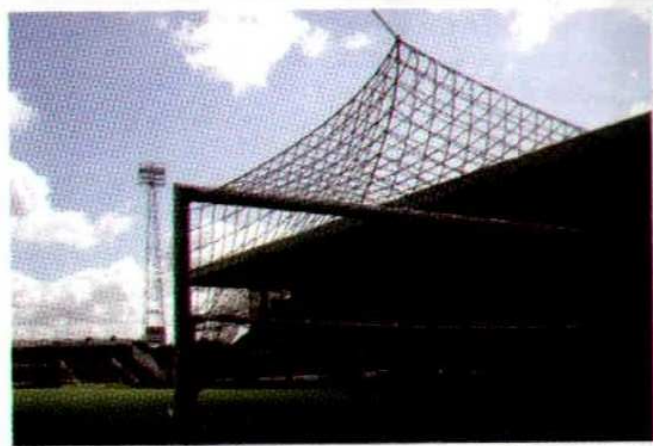


this definitely showed in his performances last month. In this sort of form there is no reason why he cannot go on and better his best-ever goals tally this season."

Joleon Lescott of Wolverhampton Wanderers won the award in the Championship and Nathan Tyson of Wycombe Wanderers landed the League 2 accolade.

The Powerade Awards panel, chaired by Sky Sports pundit and Coca-Cola Ambassador Chris Kamara, made the decision. The panel also includes Jack Taylor from The Football League, who refereed the 1974 World Cup final, Paul Hetherington, Chairman of the Football Writers Association and Malcolm Clarke, Chairman of the Football Supporters Federation.

Help County Ground development



Do the club and yourself a favour by completing the TrustSTFC survey on the economic benefits the club brings to the town centre and you could win a shirt signed by the first team!

As part of TrustSTFC's lobbying effort to support the proposed redevelopment of the County Ground, we've spoken to a lot of councillors and other interested parties around the town and one theme which keeps coming up is why its so important this development

succeeds so that Swindon doesn't lose its only professional football club and, as part of that, the benefits the club brings to the town.

To be fair, very few of them needed convincing of the benefits in terms of pride and sporting spin-offs which having a professional football club can bring, but quite a few were surprised when we started talking about the amount of money the club brings into the town, in terms of fans coming to Swindon to watch football who wouldn't otherwise come here. So we thought we should prove it to them by doing a survey of how much fans, home and away, spend in Swindon as a direct result of having the club here.

Over the next few weeks and months, you'll see Trust volunteers with clipboards asking people to complete the survey - it only takes a couple of minutes and everyone who completes the survey will be entered into a prize draw to win a signed STFC shirt, kindly donated by the club as an incentive.

The survey can also be completed online at: <http://www.truststfc.co.uk/>. So, do yourself and the club a favour, take a couple of minutes to complete the survey and you could be the envy of your mates!

Summerbee a Rover



Tranmere Rovers have completed the signing of former Swindon Town winger Nicky Summerbee on a four-month contract.

Rovers Boss Brian Little beat off competition from Dundee for the player's signature and completed a deal for Summerbee after the 34-year-old impressed while on trial at Prenton Park.

Summerbee made one appearance for Town earlier this season after being released by the Bantams, starting in the right of midfield in a 2-1 win over Nottingham Forest.

However, Andy King decided not to offer the player a contract and he then joined Tranmere Rovers for a trial period and has consequently been offered a deal.

That opportunity has now been granted by Little, who will reassess the player's deal in January.

Rockin' Racing!

It's that time of year again and our bird Rockin' Robin is heading down to Huntingdon racecourse to challenge for gold in this years Mascot Grand National! The famous race is in its 7th year and Rockin' is hoping to bring running glory back to The County Ground.

Rockin's preparation for this year's event has involved a mixture of holistic, therapeutic and dietetic changes to changes to his lifestyle. He has invested in a personal trainer; which he insists isn't 'cheep', but is guaranteed to get him off to a flying start.

Training this year has involved several sprint meetings between Rockin' and his name sake a Robin Reliant. In the time trials Rockin' beet the ageing car

five times out of five! To see more of the races between bird and machine watch out for Sky One's new programme 'Vroom Vroom' in February 2006!

RR has also been in touch with his French cousin Robin le Bank who has given him some new tactical ideas on gliding and soaring down the wing! Rockin's change of plan may involve a change in footwear. Robin may play his big boots to gain a 20-metre head start over the rest of the mascot pack and hope that is blinding pace will carry him through.

Good Luck to Rockin' in this years race - Lets hope he can be crowned Fastest Mascot in the World 2005!

The race is at Huntingdon racecourse at 1.30pm on Sunday.



Stadium Support

Swindon Town Football Club have received the backing of Labour MP for Swindon.

In a letter to Chief Executive Sandy Gray, Anne Snelgrove MP outlined her support for a redevelopment of the existing County Ground site.

Here is a copy of the letter:

13 September 2005



Dear Sandy,

Following our meeting on 7th September I would like to confer my full support to your commitment to improving the facilities at The County Ground to the standards of a 21st century club with high ambitions, whilst keeping the club where it belongs, at the heart of Swindon.

With best wishes,

Yours Sincerely,

Anne Snelgrove MP
Labour MP for South Swindon

In Memorium

Richard Sheppard of Bampton, life long supporter of Swindon Town FC and father of Paul and Tracey, passed away peacefully on the 11th of September 2005 in his home at the young age of 52. He was a loving and caring Dad and will be forever missed and always in our hearts.

A loyal and faithful Dad to both of us, and to his passion for football, he once said that everyone's time will come but the Swindon Town FC will never die!!! Come On You Reds!!!


Swindon Town

Fallon, 90


Southend United

Barrett, 1, Gray, 87

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Southend inflicted a narrow defeat on Town who conceded another early goal in a disappointing performance writes STFC Sports Reporter Adrian Smith.

Swindon Town lined up with former Southend player Nicky Nicolau in the starting line-up and there was a place for Jamie Cureton in the starting eleven with a 4-4-2 formation employed.

The visitors took a shock early lead when Adam Barrett headed home after 70 seconds from a free-kick awarded for a late challenge by Jamie Cureton on the right side of midfield.

The Robins appeared shell-shocked after the early setback but went on to create first half chances for Rory Fallon, Michael Pook and Stefani Miglioranzi.

Tony Thorpe and Ricky Shakes replaced Cureton and Whalley at half-time as Town looked to get back in the match although it was Southend who continued on the offensive.

Jerel Ifil conceded a free-kick in the 86th minute by the left hand corner flag although the decision looked harsh because Ifil appeared to play the ball cleanly. The ball was crossed by Kevin Maher into the Town area where substitute Wayne Gray headed the ball downwards past Heaton to put the visitors into a 2-0 lead.

However Andy King's men pulled a goal back immediately after a foul by Che Wilson who was cautioned for a foul on Shakes. The ball was played forward and reached Collins deep in the Southend area and he sent a low ball across the area where it was touched home by Rory Fallon for his third goal of the season.



Photos: Dave Evans, Swindon Advertiser



Swindon Town vs. Southend United

Goals	Cards	Sub'd				Goals	Cards	Sub'd
Heaton			Sat 10th September County Ground Kick-Off 3pm Attendance: 4,785 Referee: M. Fletcher			Flahaven		
Gurney						Hunt		
Collins						Barrett		
Ifil						Edwards		
Smith						Wilson		
Pook			MATCH STATS			Gower		
Miglioranzi						Maher		
Whalley		45'				Guttridge		84'
Nicolau		71'				Cole		
Fallon						Goater		90'
Cureton		45'	14	Shots	10	Lawson		65'
Bulman			7	On Target	7	Griemink		
Jenkins			13	Fouls	11	Prior		90'
Shakes		45'	4	Corners	6	Bentley		84'
Roberts		71'	2	Cards	4	Smith		
Thorpe		45'	50%	Possession	50%	Gray		65'



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Good afternoon and welcome to this afternoon's home game with Bradford...

I must start by thanking you all for your excellent backing at Bournemouth last weekend. Unfortunately I was unable to take part in the game due to injury, but more on that later. Looking on from the stands I thought our performance was a lot more positive and we were very unlucky not to take anything from the game. We created chances for ourselves and after they too had a man dismissed, the game really opened up but unfortunately we came away empty handed.

In the week leading up to the Bournemouth game I joined in with training for several sessions, but I knew my ankle wasn't quite right so was unable to feature in the matchday squad. This week it has felt a lot stronger and as I write these notes I am optimistic of being available for today's game.

Having been out of action since the home game with Yeovil Town, it has been

a frustrating spell on the sidelines so it will be good to get back out there and do my bit to help the cause. Injuries are part and parcel of the game of football, but sometimes are hard to accept. Alan Reeves is still recovering from his broken leg and it will be good to have him back around the place upon his return.

Bradford City are nobody's fools though. They have some real quality in their set-up and in Dean Windass have a powerful and canny striker. He has tremendous experience and will be one to watch if we are to take something from the game.

To that end, a clean sheet and three home points would be a fantastic return not only for me personally, but for the team.

Seano

STFC WORLD

The week on STFC World...

Monday 19th

Steve Jenkins speaks about his goal and defeat at AFC Bournemouth.

Tuesday 20th

Midfielder Neale McDermott on his debut and moving in with fellow loanees.

Wednesday 21st

It's pre-match build-up ahead of the weekend's contest with The Bantams.

Thursday 22nd

Highlights of our last home encounter with Bradford, with Sammy Igoe's goal sealing a 1-0 win.

Friday 23rd

A search through the archive with Grant Smith's double at Valley Parade in January 2005.

Saturday 24th

Full match commentary vs. Bradford and post-match reaction after the game.



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Did you know ?

Along with Chelsea, who emulated City's feat in 1905, Bradford City remain the only club to be elected to The Football League before they had played a single senior match.

Bradford

city

Words: Dave Wallis



Colin Todd is making a return to The County Ground today and while relations between him and old friend Andy King are bound to be cordial, neither will want to have done the other a favour by 5 o'clock tonight.

The man responsible for bringing Andy to Swindon in 2000, left for Derby County just five months later and has now been at the helm at Bradford since June 2004. Todd's second-in-command is ex-Derby striker Bobby Davison and there's been a mixed start to the season for City.

The first nine games have produced three wins, three draws and three defeats and the 1-1 home draw with a resurgent Yeovil last weekend left City on 12th place and 12 points.

After an opening day victory at Hartlepool, the

Bantams have taken two points from their other three away League games, but perhaps the highlight so far has been the 5-0 away victory at Rochdale in the Carling Cup.

Amongst the appropriate words to sum up striker Dean Windass is 'prolific', (the front man already has eight strikes to his name this season), but perhaps less flattering is 'veteran'. At 36 years old, he shows little indication of slowing down and he signed a contract extension recently as Premiership Wigan came sniffing for his signature.

Steve Claridge though, a recent acquisition after one match with Gillingham would surely be the oldest player on the score sheet should he register today. He's three years older than Dean Windass.

So, a meeting of old boys in more ways than one.

A year ago tomorrow, Sammy Igoe scored the only goal of the game to grab three points for Town in the corresponding fixture. He's not here to do it this time around but they'll be plenty of others trying to repeat the performance.

ONE TO WATCH: DEAN WINDASS

Dean made a welcome return to Valley Parade having re-signed for Bradford City in July 2003. He first played for the Bantams from March 1999 for two years before a £1m move to join Middlesbrough. He started his footballing career in non-League with North Ferriby before a move to Hull City in October 1991. Aberdeen snapped him up four years later when they paid £700,000 for his signature and in his three years at Pittodrie he scored 23 goals in 78 League appearances for the Dons.

He joined Oxford United in July 1998 and scored 15 goals in 33 games for the U's. City brought him to West Yorkshire in March 1999 but two years later he joined 'Boro in March 2001. He then spent loan spells at Sheffield Wednesday and rivals Sheffield United before a permanent move to Bramall Lane in January 2003.



Bradford City



Last 5's

Season	League	Pos	FAC	LC
04/05	League One	11th	R1	R1
03/04	Division One	23rd	R3	R1
02/03	Division One	19th	R3	R1
01/02	Division One	25th	R3	R3
00/01	Premier League	20th	R3	R3

Date	Venue	F-A	Att.
03.01.05	Valley Parade	2-1	8,239
25.09.04	County Ground	1-0	5,189
12.12.98	County Ground	1-4	7,447
14.11.98	Valley Parade	0-3	14,897
24.01.98	Valley Parade	1-1	15,130

Date	Opponents	H/A	Score
20.09.05	West Brom CC2	A	L4-1
17.09.05	Yeovil Town	H	D1-1
09.09.05	Tranmere Rovers	A	D2-2
02.09.05	Chesterfield	H	W2-0
29.08.05	Blackpool	A	L1-0

Player	From	£
Steve Claridge	Gillingham	Free
Richard Edghill	QPR	Free
Bobby Petta	Darlington	Free
Damion Stewart	Harbour View	Free
Andrew Taylor	Middlesbrough	Loan

Player	To	£
Jake Wright	Halifax	Loan
Danny Forrest	Halifax	Loan
Danny Ekoru	Crawley	Free
Clint Davies	Woking	Free
Peter Atherton	Halifax	Free

The Squad

York-born keeper **Russel Howarth** has been the recent holder of the number one shirt. The 23-year old has made just over 20 career appearances and joined from Tranmere Rovers in the summer of 2005.

Defender **Richard Edghill** signed up for The Bantams as a free agent and has brought a wealth of experience to the set-up. Having made progressed from being a trainee he went on to make over 120 senior appearances for The Blues.

His former clubs include Birmingham, Wigan, Sheffield United and QPR. **David Wetherall** is a former England Schoolboy International and became Bradford City's record buy when he joined the club for a fee of £1.4m in July 1999 from neighbours Leeds United, following former teammates Lee Sharpe and Gunnar Halle. Central defender **Mark Bower** signed professional forms with Bradford City in March 1998. Such was the desire for Bradford City to keep their local-born defender that despite competition from other clubs, Mark was offered and accepted a new

Probable Line-Up



4-year contract on 18 March 2005. **Andrew Taylor** is on-loan from Premiership Middlesbrough and has played every league game for his new side so far this campaign. Former Manager Nicky Law was quick to snap up Doncaster-born **Ben Muirhead** in March 2003 when he was released by Manchester United after having impressed in two trial games for the Bantams. Jamaican-born **Damion Stewart** arrived from Harbour View in the summer of 2005 and has so far failed to make an impact on the first team. A former apprentice at Valley Parade, Leeds-born defender **John Swift** and **Lewis Emanuel**, who has made over 80 appearances for Bradford provide further defensive options.

Marc Bridge-Wilkinson signed a two-year deal with Bradford City on transfer deadline day, 24 March 2005, having previously been on loan with the Bantams from Stockport County for a month. He celebrated the move by scoring after just six minutes in City's 1-1 draw with Doncaster Rovers at the Earth Stadium a few hours after putting pen-to-paper. 24-year old Liverpool born midfielder **Tom Kearney** signed from Everton after impressing during a trial period in March 2002. Now back in



- Former striker **Gordon Watson** became only the second player in the history of the game to prove negligence against another player, after a successful court case in the late 1990's proved Huddersfield defender Kevin Gray was guilty of challenging him with intent

contention after suffering a double hernia repair and a serious knee injury which ruled him out of most of last season. Dutchman **Bobby Petta** was a somewhat surprise signing from Darlington in the summer of 2005 and has great experience at the top level with Celtic, Fulham and Ipswich Town. **Steven Schumacher** and **Owen Morrison** are yet to make an impact this term.

Frontman **Andy Cooke** joined Bradford City following a six-month stint with Pulan I. cons, the former club of Town striker Jamie Cureton. Cooke's previous clubs include Newtown, Stoke City and Burnley where he scored 51 goals in 135 league outings. **Danny Cadamarteri** returned to Valley Parade on 1st July 2005 from Sheffield United. He enjoyed a successful first spell with Bradford before making the switch to Leeds United in July 2004 where he made just one substitute appearance, which ironically came against Swindon Town in the Carling Cup, before moving to Sheffield United a few months later. He started his career at Everton. **Steve Claridge** provides further competition up front and needs no introduction to Swindon fans. He has now scored 189 goals in over 500 starts for a plethora of league and non-league clubs.

Colin Todd

Colin Todd was born in Chester-le-Street in December 1948 and started his club career at Sunderland.

His playing career there took in five years with a total of 173 matches played and three goals scored, before a move to Derby County in 1971. It was here that the central defender won two league championships under the guidance of Brian Clough and the late Peter Taylor. The successful era at Derby also won Colin a total of 27 England caps.

His Management career has seen him in charge of Middlesbrough, Bolton Wanderers and of course Swindon Town where he won just 5 of 20 in charge. He took over at Bradford City in June 2004 after a brief spell with Derby County. His current record with The Bantams stands at 21 wins, 21 losses and 17 draws.



Interesting Facts...

to cause serious physical damage. Watson won over £950k in compensation for the injury which ultimately ended his career.

- **Isaiah Rankin** entered the Bradford City history books on Sunday 2nd July 2000 when he scored the Bantams' first ever goal



in European competition as City beat FK Atlantas 3-1 in Klaipeda (Lithuania) in the Intertoto Cup.

- Among the players to represent both Town and the Bantams are Peter Downsborough, Gareth Edds, Steve Foley, Stan Harland, Chris Kamara, Jimmy Quinn, Nicky Summerbee and Gareth Whalley.



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Red cards have been a hot topic of conversation at The County Ground and beyond in the last week or so.

I've already made my views clear on the Bournemouth debacle but I thought I'd enter the ongoing Wayne Rooney debate.

Words fail me when I read and hear about players queuing up to either back or sympathise with Wayne Rooney.

His 'applause' to the referee deserved an early bath and when are we going to stop making excuses for this bloke?

I keep hearing 'he's just a kid' and the alike. Actually, I think you'll find he's an adult. Stop all this molly-coddling rubbish. He needs to learn some respect rather than effing and blinding at his England captain and also members of the coaching staff if reports are to be believed.

I'm surprised that Sir Alex Ferguson has yet to administer the hairdryer treatment to the player.

Surely it comes down to an

issue of respect. Can you imagine a top rugby union star applauding the referee in such fashion?

Yes, there's pressure on Rooney but enough is enough. Grow up or carry on earning the early baths sunshine. Before you know it, you'll have hacks and fans up and down the country muttering 'remember that Wayne Rooney? What a waste.'

Anyway, from tantrums to Bantams as we welcome Bradford City to the County Ground. This was one of the few matches I missed last season so I get quite irritated when I hear people going on about Sammy Igoe's wonderful winner. I still haven't seen it.

No doubt Colin Todd will get his usual cool reception although I think the jeers have become rather watered down in recent encounters.

We did the double over City last season and there's no

question this would be a timely moment to go halfway to achieving that feat again.

Four defeats on the bounce have dropped us into the bottom four and only one match away from the point where alleged 'meaning' comes into the campaign.

Three points are desperately needed to lift spirits and hopefully that's exactly what we'll have come quarter to five.

Then it's the exotic trip to Doncaster and another tough away game. M K Dons looms after that. Is it just me or do we seem to have endless away games? Have we been diddled by the fixture compute here?

Anyway, that's about it for another week. I'll save the LDV 'excitement' for another day. I imagine the club are licking their lips at the prospect of Stevenage's visit. Oh, the revenue.

Cheers for now and see you all back here for the Port Vale game (another flippin early kick off).

Jon

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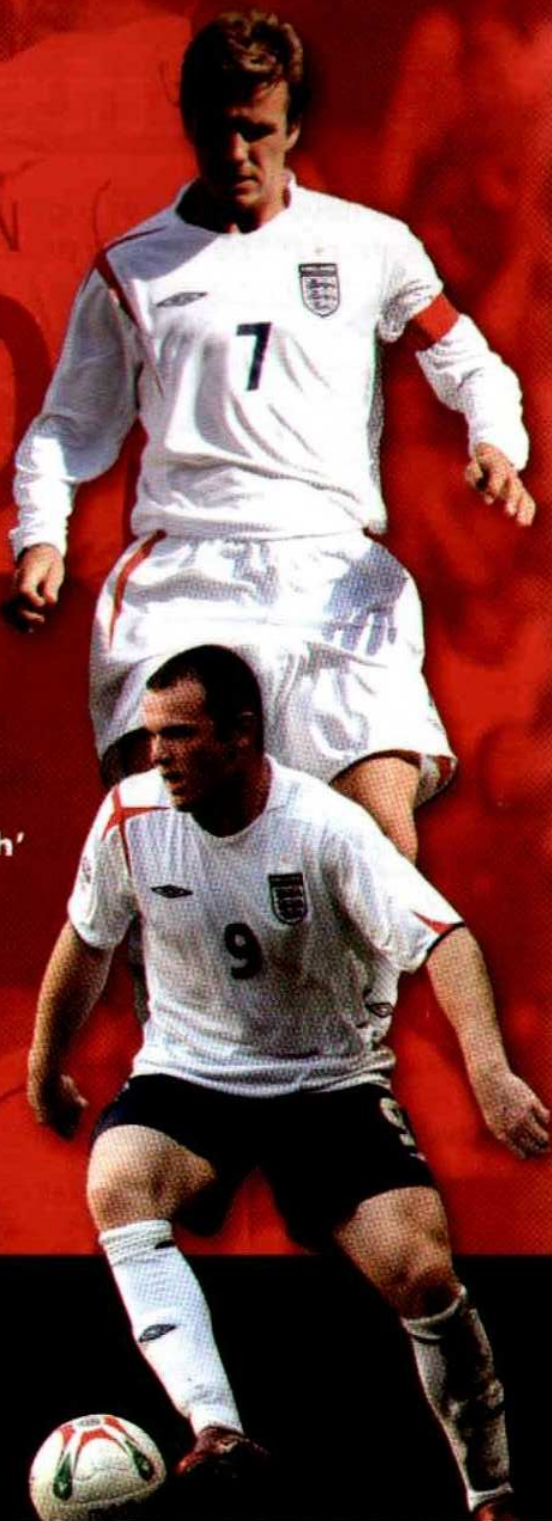
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Swindon Town Golf Day



I know that the Swindon Town Golf Day has already been detailed elsewhere in this programme, but I would like to take this opportunity of personally thanking the group of players who attended and played in last Wednesday's Golf Day at The Wiltshire Golf and Country Club.

The players who attended were Tom Heaton, Colin Heath, Rory Fallon, Andy Nicholas, Ben Wells, Charlie Comyn-Platt, Sean O' Hanlon and Michael Pook. Not only were they excellent ambassadors for the Club, but they also featured highly in the awards on the day, winning both the best team and runners up awards. Both myself and Sarah from the Marketing Department spent time on the day driving around the course on a golf buggy. I don't really want to get into the argument of how ladies drive but with the way Sarah drove the buggy, I have never experienced sea sickness before on a golf course!

However, I have to say that another scene that we both witnessed was a devastated Tom Heaton driving off on the 15th tee. In all fairness to Tom, the tee shot was excellent and must have gone all of 200 yards down the fairway, unfortunately for him, the head of his golf club, also went a few yards as well, having snapped cleanly off the shaft. I am sure you can imagine how sympathetic his team mates of Colin Heath, Ben Wells and Andy Nicholas

were seeing and hearing Tom's expressions and comments. The laughter from all of them was loud, but became even louder when Tom revealed that the Club didn't belong to him, it was his Father's!

My final thanks and comments must go to Chris Abrook from the Catering Department who organized goody bags for all of the day's golf players, and to Rory Fallon, who managed to bring a little bit of Formula One racing to golf whilst driving around his buggy all around the golf course. At times, he even managed to get up to speeds of 20mph and created wheel spin on one or two fairways. However, in trying to see if the buggies go faster on two wheels, and playing games of 'swerving out at the last moment' with Sarah Mildenhall and her buggy. Rory bought speed to a round of golf, never seen before at The Wiltshire Golf and Country Club.

Our next golfing event will not be until the New Year, when we will be staging another of our 'Game of Two Halves' golfing and football days. The date of this is on Tuesday 14th February, 2006 when Gillingham will be our visitors for our game which will have a 7.45pm kick off.

Our next Swindon Town Golf Day, will be held on Wednesday 19th April 2006, and the venue will, once again be The Wiltshire Golf and Country Club. Details of both of these events will be published nearer the time, but should you wish to know anymore details, then you can contact me via e-mail on mike@swindontownfc.co.uk

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Rhys Evans

Position: Goalkeeper
Age: 23 **D.O.B:** 27/01/1982
Height: 6' 1" **Weight:** 12st 4lbs
Previous Clubs: Leyton Orient (loan), QPR (loan), Bristol Rovers (loan), Chelsea
STFC Debut: vs. Southend, 12/08/03
Apps: 99(+1) **Goals:** 0



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Sean O'Hanlon

Position: Defender
Age: 22 **D.O.B:** 02/01/1983
Height: 6' 1" **Weight:** 12st 3lbs
Previous Clubs: Everton
STFC Debut: vs. Notts Co, 24/01/04
Apps: 69(+4) **Goals:** 7



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Jack Smith

Position: Defender
Age: 21 **D.O.B:** 14/10/1983
Height: 5' 11" **Weight:** 11st 3lbs
Previous Clubs: Walford
STFC Debut: vs. Barnsley, 06/08/05
Apps: 10 **Goals:** 0



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Nicky Nicolau

Position: Midfielder
Age: 21 **D.O.B:** 12/10/1983
Height: 5' 8" **Weight:** n/a
Previous Clubs: Southend, Arsenal
STFC Debut: vs. Oldham, 09/08/05
Apps: 3(+2) **Goals:** 0



Zoe Collman

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Position: Defender
Age: 23 **D.O.B:** 27/06/1982
Height: 6' 1" **Weight:** 12st 10lbs
Previous Clubs: Huddersfield (loan), Watford
STFC Debut: vs. Barnsley, 01/02/03
Apps: 69(+8) **Goals:** 0



Dave Ward

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Steve Jenkins

Position: Defender
Age: 32 **D.O.B:** 16/07/1972
Height: 5' 10" **Weight:** 10st 9lbs
Previous Clubs: Peterborough, Notts Co, Cardiff, Birmingham (loan), Huddersfield, Swansea
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Gareth Whalley

Position: Midfielder
Age: 31 **D.O.B:** 19/12/1973
Height: 5' 10" **Weight:** 11st 8lbs
Previous Clubs: Wigan, Cardiff, Bradford, Crewe
STFC Debut: vs. Barnsley, 06/08/05
Apps: 10 **Goals:** 0



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Rory Fallon

Position: Forward
Age: 23 **D.O.B:** 20/03/1982
Height: 6' 2" **Weight:** 11st 9lbs
Previous Clubs: Yeovil (loan), Shrewsbury (loan), Barnsley
STFC Debut: vs. Oldham, 15/11/03
Apps: 30(+38) **Goals:** 14



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Tony Thorpe

Position: Forward
Age: 30 **D.O.B:** 10/04/1974
Height: 5' 9" **Weight:** 12st 0lbs
Previous Clubs: Rotherham (loan), QPR, Luton, Reading (loan), Bristol City, Fulham, Luton, Leicester
STFC Debut: vs. Barnsley, 06/08/05
Apps: 4(+1) **Goals:** 1



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Stefani Miglioranza

Position: Midfielder
Age: 27 **D.O.B:** 20/09/1977
Height: 6' 1" **Weight:** 12st 10lbs
Previous Clubs: Portsmouth
STFC Debut: vs. Barnsley, 10/08/02
Apps: 103(+10) **Goals:** 8



Mr Harry Fitchett & Mrs Brenda Peachey

Chris, Nicky, & Matthew Rowe

Jamie Cureton

Position: Forward
Age: 29 **D.O.B:** 28/08/1975
Height: 5' 8" **Weight:** 10st 7lbs
Previous Clubs: QPR, Pusan Icons, Reading, Bristol Rovers, Bournemouth (loan), Norwich
STFC Debut: vs. Barnsley, 06/08/05
Apps: 6(+3) **Goals:** 0



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Ricky Shakes

Position: Forward
Age: 20 **D.O.B:** 25/01/1985
Height: 5' 10" **Weight:** 12st 0lbs
Previous Clubs: Bury (loan), Bristol Rovers (loan), Bolton
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Matthew Bulman

Position: Goalkeeper
Age: 18 **D.O.B:** 14/10/1986
Height: n/a **Weight:** n/a
Previous Clubs: n/a
STFC Debut: n/a
Apps: 0 **Goals:** 0



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Alan Reeves

Position: Defender
Age: 38 **D.O.B:** 19/11/1967
Height: 6' 0" **Weight:** 12st 0lbs
Previous Clubs: Wimbledon, Rochdale, Chester, Gillingham (loan), Norwich, Heswell
STFC Debut: vs. Sheff Utd, 08/08/98
Apps: 216(+21) **Goals:** 14



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Andy Nicholas

Position: Defender
Age: 21 **D.O.B:** 10/10/1983
Height: 6' 2" **Weight:** 12st 8lbs
Previous Clubs: Chester (loan), Liverpool
STFC Debut: vs. Boston, 15/10/03
Apps: 43(+12) **Goals:** 2



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Kyle Lapham

Position: Defender
Age: 19 **D.O.B:** 17/01/1986
Height: n/a **Weight:** n/a
Previous Clubs: n/a
STFC Debut: vs. Huddersfield, 30/04/05
Apps: 2 **Goals:** 0



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Charlie Comyn-Platt

Position: Defender
Age: 19 **D.O.B:** 02/10/1985
Height: 6' 2" **Weight:** 12st 0lbs
Previous Clubs: Wycombe (loan), Bolton
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Apps: 1 **Goals:** 0



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Christian Roberts

Position: Forward
Age: 25 **D.O.B:** 22/10/1979
Height: 5' 11" **Weight:** 13st 0lbs
Previous Clubs: Bristol City, Exeter, Drogheda (loan), Hereford (loan), Cardiff
STFC Debut: vs. Oldham, 16/10/04
Apps: 22(+11) **Goals:** 6



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Michael Pook

Position: Midfielder
Age: 19 **D.O.B:** 24/06/1986
Height: 5' 11" **Weight:** 11st 10lbs
Previous Clubs: n/a
STFC Debut: vs. Boston, 15/10/03
Apps: 15(+3) **Goals:** 1



Quadrant Exhibitions

50/50 Draw

Patrick Collins

Position: Defender
Age: 20 **D.O.B:** 04/02/1985
Height: 6' 2" **Weight:** 12st 8lbs
Previous Clubs: Sheffield Wednesday, Sunderland
STFC Debut: vs. Barnsley, 06/08/05
Apps: 9 **Goals:** 0



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Ben Wells

Position: Forward
Age: 17 **D.O.B:** 11/12/1987
Height: n/a **Weight:** n/a
Previous Clubs: n/a
STFC Debut: vs. Huddersfield, 30/04/05
Apps: (+4) **Goals:** 0



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Andy Caton

Position: Forward
Age: 17 **D.O.B:** 03/12/1987
Height: n/a **Weight:** n/a
Previous Clubs: Southampton, North Leigh
STFC Debut: vs. Wrexham, 07/08/04
Apps: 2(+7) **Goals:** 1



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Age: n/a **D.O.B:** n/a
Height: n/a **Weight:** n/a
Previous Clubs: n/a
STFC Debut: n/a
Apps: n/a **Goals:** n/a



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Position: n/a
Age: n/a **D.O.B:** n/a
Height: n/a **Weight:** n/a
Previous Clubs: n/a
STFC Debut: n/a
Apps: n/a **Goals:** n/a



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Andy King

Position: Manager
Born: Luton, 14th August 1956
Previous Clubs: Mansfield
Playing Career: Luton Town, Everton, QPR, WBA, Everton, Wolves, Luton Town, Aldershot.



Drug Test

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Ian Woan

Position: Youth Coach
Born: 14/12/1967
Playing Career: Shrewsbury, Syracuse, Columbus, Swindon, Barnsley, Nottingham Forest, Runcorn



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Dick Mackey

Position: Physio
Previous Clubs: none



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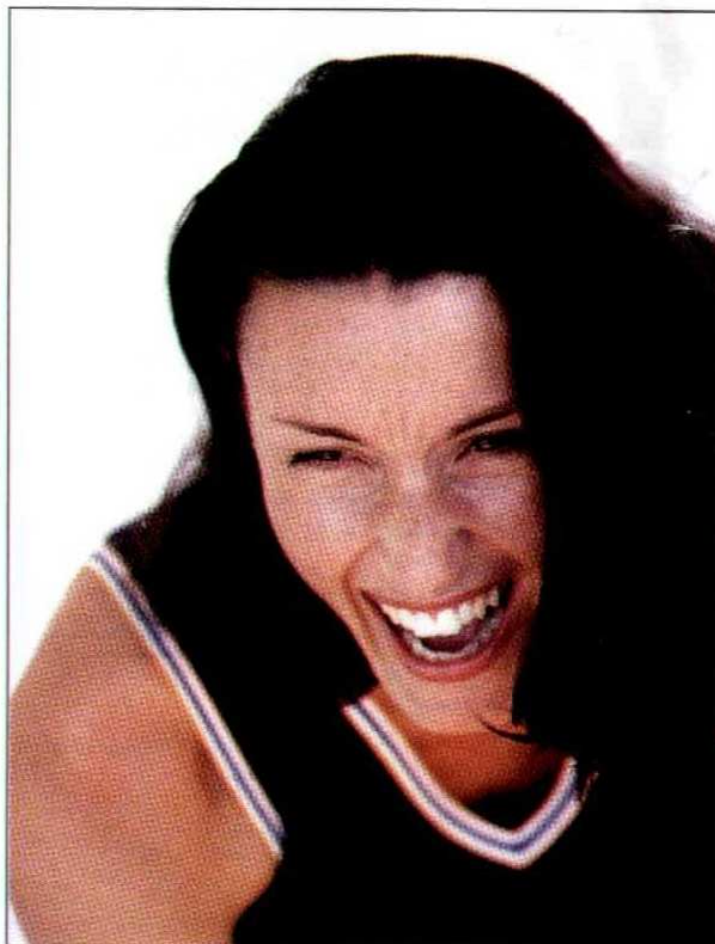


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Picture 1: Officials, Captains and Mascots line-up before kick-off against Yeovil; **Picture 2:** Man of the Match Tom Heaton presents Match Sponsor Tom Hartley aka 'Rockin Robin' with a birthday present from the Football Club - a packet of bird seed; **Picture 3:** Match Sponsor Tom Hartley presents Man of the Match Tom Heaton with a bottle of champagne; **Picture 4:** Birthday Boy Tom Hartley blows out the candles to celebrate his 21st birthday.

Today's Match Sponsors

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Nationwide Block 6 Gang

Back for the first of four visits to the Platinum Match Sponsors Lounge this season are the Bowler brothers and Co. They have once again dipped their hands into their pockets to help the Club they love. However, I do have one little story about a certain member of the gang, John Bowler that must be told to all of today's guests.

John, who is also known as 'The Undertaker' was invited as a guest to the recent Yeovil home game. He arrived to the game with his arm heavily wrapped in a sling, and judging by the expressions on his face, he was apparently in a lot of discomfort and obviously found it difficult to put his hand into his pocket, especially when it was his turn to buy drinks. Encouraged and spurred on by his brother Mark, both brothers had a great time and thoroughly enjoyed their drink free afternoon.

However, they were caught with 'their trousers down' so to speak, when the Man of the Match, Tom Heaton walked into the lounge to pick up his award. So, who were the first two guys to stand up and give Tom a huge round of applause and clapped loudly? Yes, you got it, Mark Bowler and John 'oops I have blown my cover' Bowler. This time, the arm sling had disappeared and John's had appeared to make an amazing recovery.

However, despite all the things they get up to, in order not to buy a drink, they have, along with the other regulars in their group co-sponsored today's game. They come with an excellent track record of Swindon Town never having been beaten at any of the games that the group have sponsored.



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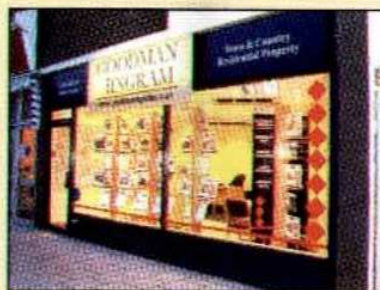
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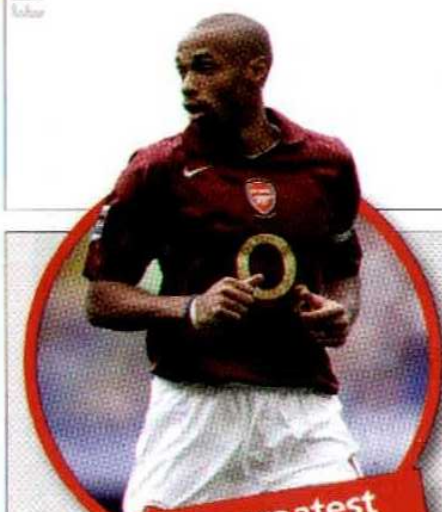


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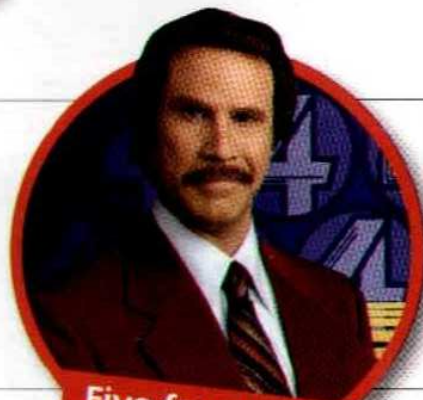
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Five greatest footballers?

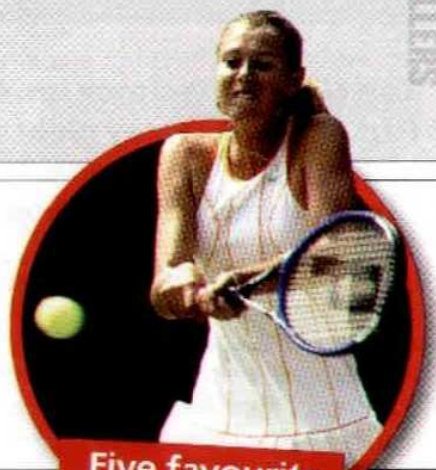
1. Any Given Sunday
2. **Anchorman**
3. Dumb & Dumber
4. Remember the Titans
5. Coach Carter



Five favourite movies?

1. Eric Cantona
2. Ronaldo
3. Roy Keane
4. **Thierry Henry**
5. Ronaldinho

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Five favourite sports?

1. Football
2. Golf
3. Rugby League
4. Cricket
5. **Tennis**



Five favourite childhood tv shows?

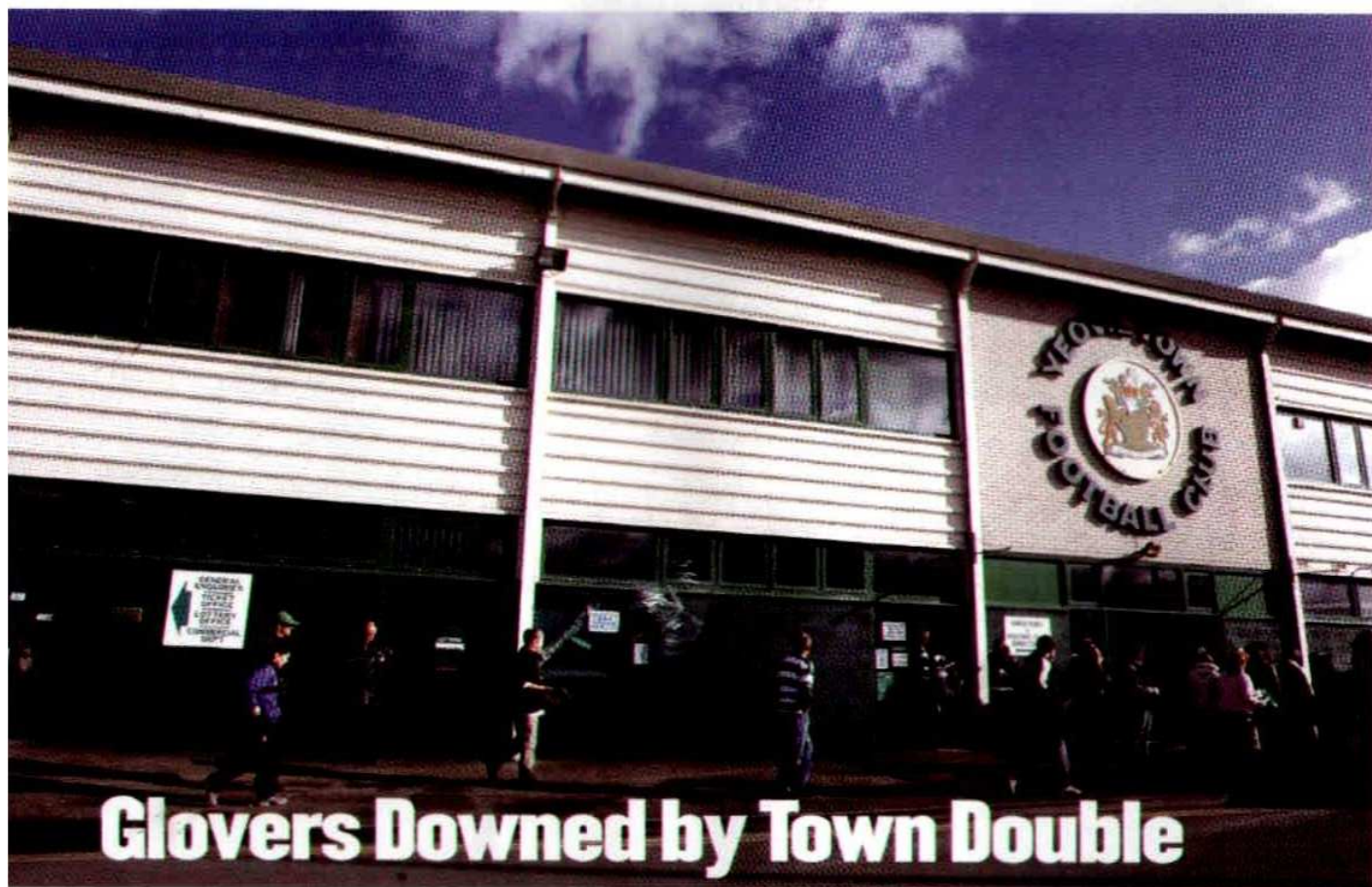
1. The Hurricanes
2. **Thundercats**
3. He-Man
4. Bananaman
5. Danger Mouse

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Five favourite holiday destinations?

1. St. Lucia
2. Cancun
3. Marbella
4. **Florida**
5. Italy



Glovers Downed by Town Double

Town's Reserves took on Yeovil at Huish Park on Wednesday night and emerged 2-1 victors, thanks to a goal apiece from Jamie Cureton and Christian Roberts...

Ian Woan took a strong side to face The Glovers with a number of players with first team experience in the side. At the back Kyle Lapham and Andy Nicholas started either side of Leigh Henry and Charlie Comyn-Platt. In the middle of the park there were central midfield berths for Colin Heath and Neale McDermott whilst Ricky Shakes and Nicky Nicolau played out wide.

Christian Roberts began the game up front alongside Jamie Cureton, who was omitted from the first team squad at Bournemouth last weekend. Both players were to go on and play a key role in the Town victory.

Swindon started the game brightly against a strong

Yeovil side and it was The Robins who took the lead just a minute before the break. A corner from the right saw the ball find its way to Colin Heath who flashed his shot across the face of goal where Cureton pounced to open the scoring from close range.

After going in 1-0 down at the break, Yeovil emerged fired up for the second half and quickly went about attacking Swindon. Matty Bulman enjoyed a solid game in between the sticks and was called into action on several occasions. However, he was powerless to stop a strong header from Efe Sodje making it 1-1

Yeovil 1
Swindon 2

Wed 21st September

Line-Up: Bulman, Lapham, Henry, Comyn-Platt, Nicholas, Shakes, Heath, McDermott, Nicolau, Cureton, Roberts

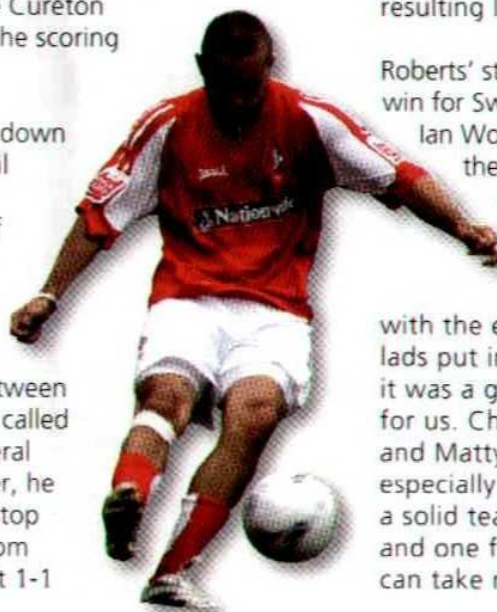
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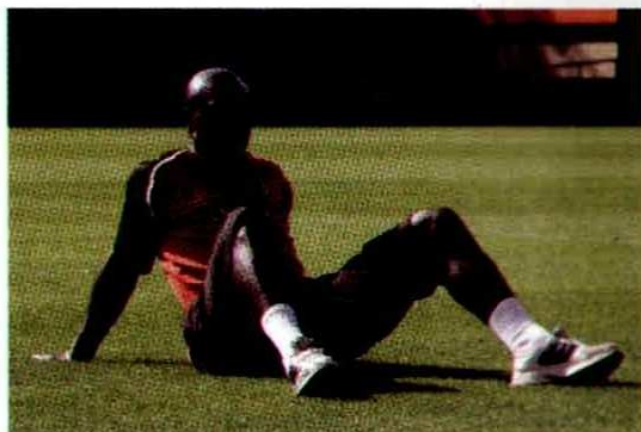
on 56 minutes.

Despite conceding just 11 minutes into the half Swindon quickly rallied round and responded immediately. The ball found its way through to Colin Heath on the edge of the area, but the Glovers keeper could only parry his effort with Christian Roberts netting the resulting loose ball.

Roberts' strike sealed a 2-1 win for Swindon Town with Ian Woan delighted with the efforts of his side at the final whistle.

"I was delighted with the effort that the lads put in and overall it was a good workout for us. Christian Roberts and Matty Bulman did especially well, but it was a solid team performance and one from which we can take many positives."





Future Promise

The Centre of Excellence games last weekend pitted us against local rivals Bristol Rovers.

The Under 16's acquitted themselves very well, particularly in the light of their disappointing recent results and lost 2-0. After that there were wins for all the other age groups from Under 9's to Under 15's, although the Under 11's drew 0-0 and the Under 12's lost 2-1. The Under 10's were particularly impressive as they won 6-1.

The players are settled back into their twice-weekly training routine now the schools have gone back. Most age groups are fairly well established although there is still quite a large proportion of trialists involved with us. Some of these potentials look very promising and the usual procedure is that if they impress sufficiently after a six-week trial, they would be offered a contract with us for a year. Like all the other lads, this would then be reassessed on an annual basis. The emphasis and ethos remains on enjoyment within a professional set-up.

This weekend we entertained Portsmouth across the board and though it is not an exclusively results based programme, it is always interesting to see how we fare against supposed exalted Premiership opposition.

Watch this space.

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Reserve Fixtures 05/06

Aug 16	CHELTHAM	H	4-2
Sep 6	BOURNEMOUTH	H	7-0
Sep 21	Yeovil Town	A	2-1
Oct 5	Bristol City	A	2pm
Oct 10	Bristol Rovers	A	7.30pm
Nov 8	Plymouth	A	7pm
Nov 15	CARDIFF	H	2pm
Nov 29	SWANSEA	H	2pm
Dec 13	Cheltenham	A	7pm
Jan 10	Bournemouth	A	2pm
Jan 24	YEOVIL	H	2pm
Feb 8	Swansea	A	7pm
Feb 21	BRISTOL ROV	H	2pm
Mar 7	BRISTOL CITY	H	2pm
Apr 4	PLYMOUTH	H	2pm
Apr 19	Cardiff	A	2pm



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Plymouth	15	8	2	5	30	24	26
Chelt'ham	15	6	6	3	24	19	24
Yeovil	14	7	2	5	31	25	23
Bristol C	15	7	1	7	28	26	22
Bristol R	15	6	3	6	29	34	21
Swansea	15	5	2	8	25	43	17
Swindon	14	4	2	8	27	27	14
B'mouth	16	3	4	9	18	28	13

Youth Fixtures 05/06

Aug 13	Cirencester	A	6-2
Aug 20	NEWPORT	H	0-0
Sep 3	Bournemouth	A	1-0
Sep 10	BRISTOL ROV	H	1-0
Sep 17	Swansea	A	2-2
Sep 24	Cup R1		
Oct 1	Cup R2		
Oct 8	Oxford United	A	11am
Oct 15	EXETER CITY	H	11am
Oct 22	Cup R3		
Oct 29	Cup R4		
Nov 5	Cup R5		
Nov 19	PLYMOUTH	H	11am
Nov 26	Yeovil Town	A	11am
Dec 10	Cheltenham	A	11am
Dec 17	HEREFORD	H	11am
Jan 7	OXFORD UTD	H	11am
Jan 14	Exeter City	A	11am
Jan 21	Plymouth	A	11am
Feb 4	YEOVIL TOWN	H	11am
Feb 11	Cup QF		
Feb 18	CHELTHAM	H	11am
Feb 25	Hereford	A	11am
Mar 11	CIRENCESTER	H	11am
Mar 25	Newport	A	11am
Apr 1	BOURNEMOUTH	H	11am
Apr 8	Bristol Rovers	A	11am
Apr 15	SWANSEA	H	11am

South West Conference Table 05/06

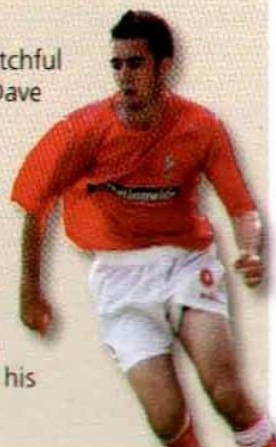
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Chelt'ham	5	3	2	0	14	6	11
Swindon	5	3	2	0	10	4	11
Yeovil	5	3	0	2	11	9	9
Newport	5	2	2	1	10	4	8
Oxford	5	2	1	2	11	9	7
Swansea	5	1	3	1	14	7	6
Bristol R	5	2	0	3	12	10	6
Exeter	5	2	0	3	13	16	6
B'mouth	5	2	0	3	11	14	6
Cirencester	5	1	0	4	6	23	3
Hereford	5	0	0	5	3	23	0

All Square at Swans

Town's Under 18's stretched their unbeaten start to the campaign to five matches after earning a 2-2 draw at Swansea City last weekend.

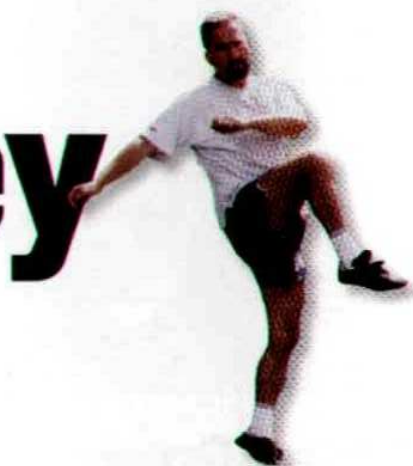
The team were under the watchful eye of Under 16's Manager Dave Warren with Youth Team Manager Ian Woan away with the first team.

However, they returned to Wiltshire with a point after goals from trialist Shane Garricks and defender Leigh Henry (right), who added to his goal tally for the season.



Dick Mackey

WIN, LOSE OR DRAW THERE IS ALWAYS ONE CONSTANT SIGHT AT SWINDON TOWN FC. DICK MACKEY HAS BEEN PHYSIO AT THE COUNTY GROUND FOR OVER TEN YEARS AND HAS SEEN THE HIGHS AND LOWS DURING HIS TIME WITH THE CLUB.



In the build-up to this afternoon's game with Bradford City we caught up with the man who gets the walking wounded back to fitness...

How long have you been physio here for?

I have been here since the Glenn Hoddle days, so all in all about eleven years now in some capacity.

What is the best thing about the job?

Seeing an injured player return to first team football is always pleasing. Another great thing is being outside, it is lovely up at the training ground in the summer.

And the worst thing?

I'd say getting cold feet up at the training ground in the middle of winter.

Alan Reeves' injury was probably the nastiest for a while. Those sorts of injuries must be even worse for you to deal with as you work with the players day in day out...

It is very difficult. Just before 'Reeves' was injured I mentioned that he had been very lucky with injuries in his playing career. Although in hindsight he had enjoyed a lengthy playing career and it wasn't the worst time to have sustained such an injury, although injuries are never nice.

Are you really the fastest physio in the league?

I have been asked this before, to which I replied perhaps on the rowing machine! Realistically though I am probably not the fastest, but perhaps the fittest physio in the league.

Have you ever been to an away game and left a vital piece of your medical kit?

Not yet! I can't think of a time when that has happened. I did leave my kitbag on the bus once though and had to borrow a few bits and pieces from the home physio – luckily that was John Trigg who was physio here for a while.

We left a player behind once - Peter Thorne when we played at Cardiff. He chased after the bus and we let him on eventually...

Do the players leave things behind in the changing room after a game?

They do and it is amazing what you do find. I have jewellery in my kitbag that has still not been claimed. They leave a variety of things behind – suits, jackets, football boots and even themselves on the odd occasion.

We hear you are a bit of a legend at head tennis, do you have the best serve at the club?

My general play is not too bad but I am a serve and volley man if the truth be told. I did beat Andy Gurney before a recent home game, we use it as part of the warm-up routine and 'Gurns' wasn't best pleased at being beaten!

Who is in charge of the fining system at the club?

I need to find someone to do that. We have a treatment room fines board at the club. These include late for treatment (£10), no mobiles (£10) and other things such as no hats, eating or drinking in the treatment room.

Players have a pre-match routine – what is yours?

Just making sure I have everything the players need. I have a routine and part of it is superstitious, it is very much job orientated. Rory Fallon likes jelly babies so I have to get those and some players like to have an ankle strapped every game.

Do you remember when the Town fans began the 'there's only one Dick Mackey' chant at Blackpool last season?

I was quite embarrassed but it was a lovely surprise. As I come from the Town there is a bit of banter with the fans and it was nice to be feted, even if only for five minutes. I would be delighted if there was a repeat of it at MK Dons next week!

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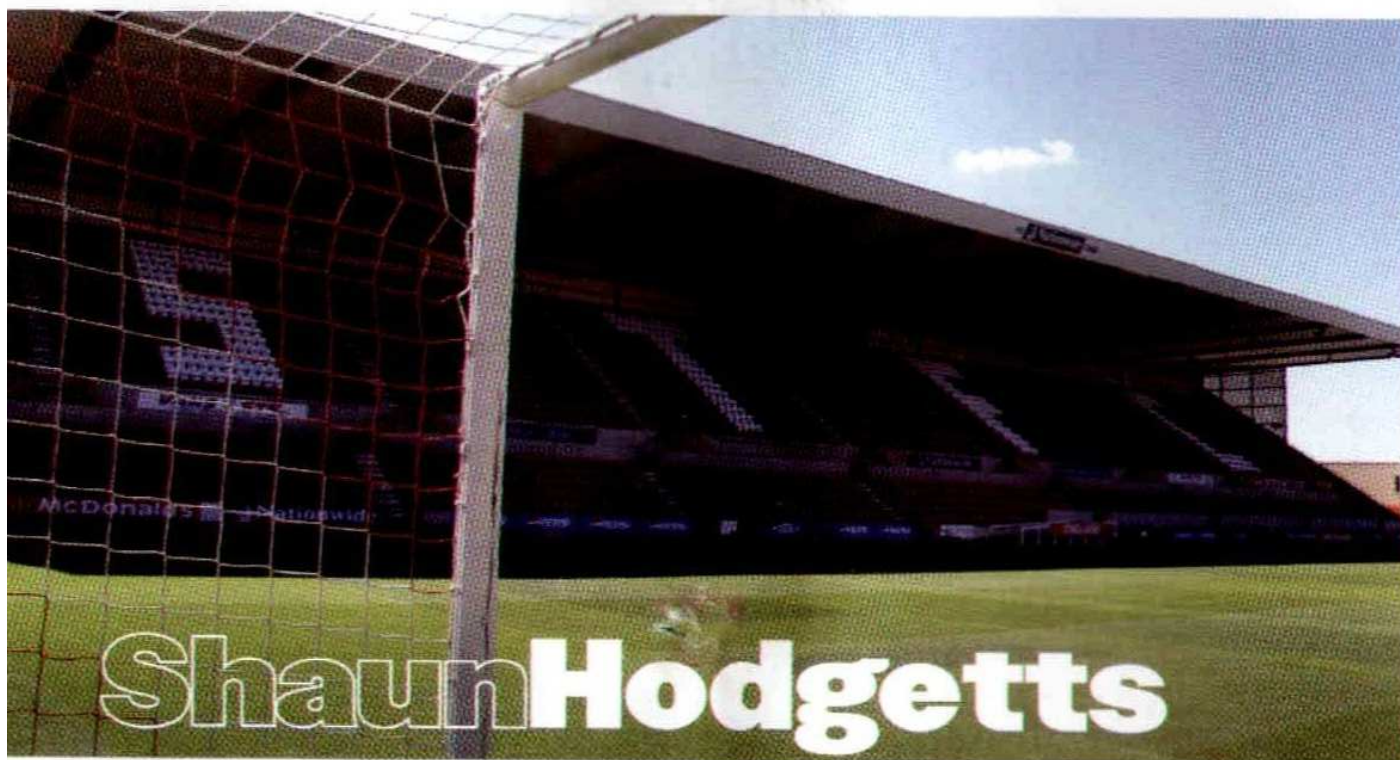
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We're looking forward to another Fans' Forum here at Swindon Town's County Ground. Tickets are available now!

The last time there was such an event the top-table of panellists included Andy King, then Chief-Executive Mark Devlin, Rhys Evans and Andy Nicholas. It was a fascinating evening. The broadcast begins with the anticipation of a "story" breaking live, but, perhaps not surprisingly, more mundane matters prompt lots of questions, such as the state of the toilets or ticketing arrangements, not necessarily prices!

Most of us have favourite players and on that occasion certain individuals wanted to quiz the manager on the fact that Grazioli and Willis weren't regular starters. He gave honest answers without breaking confidences. Agree or disagree with his choices, but he once again demonstrated his love of the game, passion for the club, and desire to succeed.

He did reveal details of the inaugural Jimmy Davis Memorial Cup match to be

played at Redditch, home of the roundabouts!

Even then, if memory serves me correctly, the issue of a new stadium was on the agenda - can't remember if it was Front Garden, West Swindon or redevelopment of the present site - I'm sure there'll be much discussion about that again at our gathering on Wednesday 5th October.

We'll start at 7pm on BBC Radio Swindon on 103.6 FM and online at bbc.co.uk/wiltshire. You'll be able to e-mail us direct during the show - remember stfc@bbc.co.uk - we can also take texts on 07786 203 303. It'll be entirely interactive even for those not in the 150-strong audience. If you are coming, please consider your point in advance so we can collate them on your arrival to ensure we don't spend all the time talking about the same subject. That said, there will be a chance to respond to adhoc

comments from the floor.

A good discussion may make the Swindon Advertiser!! Several years ago now, chairman Rikki Hunt in a radio fans' phone-in branded some supporters "mindless morons" suggesting they go and follow Oxford. Great back-page headline less than 24 hours later that included his apology.

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We will be on-the-air from the Winners' Lounge in eleven days time - let's hope for a productive night.

More immediately, after four straight defeats all by a single goal, surely, surely three points against visitors Bradford this afternoon. The performance at Bournemouth offered encouragement.

Let's hope we can at least survive the opening exchanges without conceding an incredibly early goal...



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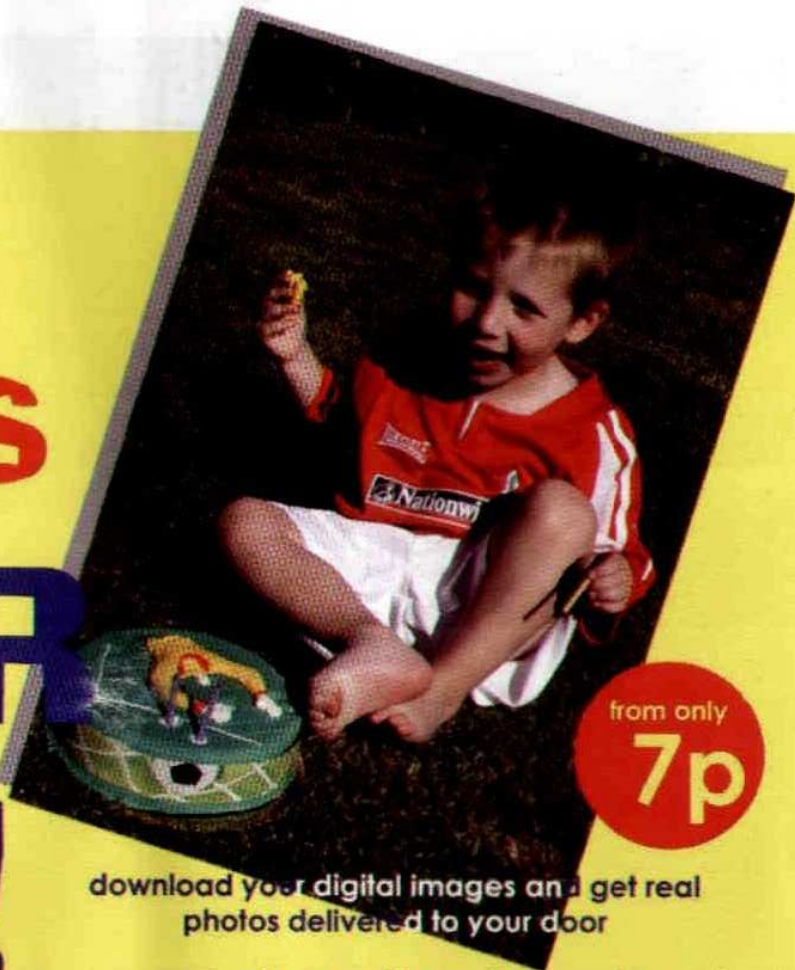
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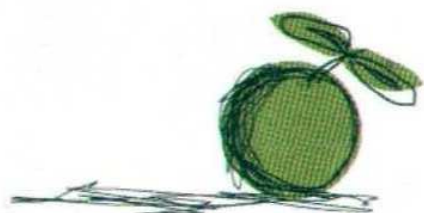


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Town Ladies

with Roger Reeves MBE



The girls in action in pre-season

The Town Ladies have won one a game and lost a game in the South West Combination League.

The Town visited league newcomer Luton Town and took the lead through Michelle Rich after fifteen minutes. The Town continued to be the better side and Laura Morgan scored a second. Despite continue to have the better of the play the Town could not increase their lead and a late rally gave the home side a consolation goal. The Town then entertained Forest Green Rovers and fell behind in the 25th minute when Rovers took advantage of one of the few chances that they created. With the second half a few minutes old the visitors doubled their lead. The Town fought back but were unable to find the net. There was

not much between the two sides but Forest Green took full advantage of the chances that they created.

The Town Reserves opened the new season having been promoted to the South West Regional League with a two goals to one victory over Cirencester Town. The Town fell behind in the first half but Lisa Coe put the sides level before Stephanie Lewis grabbed the winner in injury time. The Town then visited Chippenham Town. Louise Corcoran put the Town ahead against the run of play and Stephanie Lewis added a second. In the second half the Town took control and two goals from April Poulden and a goal from Amber Egerton took the Town's total to five.

Tomorrow the Town visit Oxford City for a South West Combination League game. Last season the Town beat City by three goals to two at home and shared four goals in the away game. City like the Town have three points although the Town have two games in hand.

The Town Reserves play host to Swindon Spitfires in the South West Regional League. This game will be played at the Aldbourne FC Ground and will Kick Off at 2-00 pm.

Ladies Fixtures

Sep 4	PLYMOUTH	H	1-2
Sep 11	Luton Town	A	2-1
Sep 18	FOREST GREEN	H	0-2
Sep 25	Oxford City	A	2pm
Oct 2	Newquay	A	2pm
Oct 9	QPR	H	2pm
Oct 16	Launton	A	2pm
Oct 23	FA Cup 1		
Oct 30	League Cup 1		
Nov 6	CLEVEDON	H	2pm
Nov 13	FA Cup 2		
Nov 20	KEYNSHAM	H	2pm
Nov 27	Chesham	A	2pm
Dec 4	NEWTON ABBOT	H	2pm
Dec 11	LUTON TOWN	H	2pm
Dec 19	League Cup 2		
Jan 8	Plymouth	A	2pm
Jan 15	Forest Green	A	2pm
Jan 22	CHESHAM	H	2pm
Jan 29	OXFORD CITY	H	2pm
Feb 5	NEWQUAY	H	2pm
Feb 12	QPR	A	2pm
Feb 19	LAUNTON	H	2pm
Feb 26	Clevedon	A	2pm
Mar 5	Keynsham	A	2pm
Mar 19	Newton Abbot	A	2pm

A bit about... Sam Quinn



Sam has played football for as long as she can remember. She was always kicking a ball about in the garden with her Dad, Jimmy. She played for the Cricklade Boys team before she got a call from John White asking her if she would like to join the Town. She said yes, and started to play for the Reserves before progressing to the first team.

Last season she was Player's Player of the Year and Manager's Player of the Year. Sam, who is 20 and a Nursery Assistant, has also played for the County at Youth and Senior level.

Table 2005/06

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
QPR	4	4	0	0	14	2	12
Keynsham	3	3	0	0	18	3	9
Clevedon	5	2	2	1	13	8	8
Newquay	3	2	1	0	6	3	7
Chesham	3	2	0	1	17	11	6
N. Abbot	4	1	1	2	9	10	4
Forest Green	4	1	1	2	6	8	4
Plymouth	4	1	1	2	5	11	4
Swindon	3	1	0	2	3	5	3
Oxford City	5	1	0	4	8	25	3
Luton	2	0	0	2	3	5	0
Launton	2	0	0	2	1	12	0



Haydon Hero

MICHAEL POOK ON THE FUTURE, BEATING BRISTOL CITY AND LEARNING WITH RORY

Words: Nick Judd

Photography: Chris Adams / Chris Tanner

As a fan you want to see local players sweating blood and tears for your team. Unfortunately there haven't been many lads who have come good from the SN1 catchment area in recent years – Steve Mildenhall and Rhys Evans rare successes.

There have been plenty of players that have almost making the grade, only to end up in the local non-league scene. Kevin Halliday, Alan Young, Ian Herring... while others have done well but flown from the Robins nest; the Matthew Mills' of this world, for example.

Which is why Michael Pook's (nicknamed 'Pooky' by fellow pros and fans alike) rise to prominence has been a welcome factor in a summer that has seen a number of faces pass through the club's revolving transfer door.

The Haydon-born midfielder has been ever-present this season after signing professional forms along with team-mates Matty Bullman and Kyle Lapham; heck he even notched his first goal for the first team with a magnificent strike against Wycombe Wanderers in the Carling Cup first round defeat.

Yet while 'Pooky' is overjoyed to be a regular in his hometown team after 12 years at the club, the side's current form is eating away at the promising youngster. Frustrated as both a player and a supporter, one thing's for sure – he won't stop until his side are back where they belong, up the table...

A local lad and a Town supporter, our current form must be very hard for you to take at the moment?

Yeah, it is disappointing. As a player and a fan I can understand the frustrations of the team and the supporters, but I guess if you're going to have a bad run and sit at the wrong end of the table, now's the time to do it and get it out of the way. There's still a long way to go...

second half despite being a man down... in fact you couldn't tell who was missing a player. I thought we had the momentum and had we scored the penalty, I'm sure we would have gone on to win, especially as they had a guy sent off as well. The penalty was the turning point, but that's just indicative of our luck at the moment.

Do you think it's merely a case of waiting for our luck to change? Or is it a lack of confidence? What's behind this baffling start to the season??

We're asking these kinds of questions after every game, but I just think things really haven't gone our way. We need to cut out our mistakes and try and be a bit more consistent if we're to rise up the table, but things just haven't fallen

at home and get that momentum behind you. We've had four defeats on the bounce and after a while the danger is that you can get into a losing habit. We need to get out of that as quickly as possible and get into the habit of winning games.

The Manager has come under increasing pressure, is it hard for the players when the fans are giving him stick?

It is, but then the fans are entitled to their opinion. And yet, while the Manager is responsible for the team selection, he can't control things like sendings off and penalty misses when the game's started. I think the players have to take a certain degree of responsibility as well.

You've played every game this season – that must feel like a great achievement in your first campaign?

It's my first season as a professional and at the start of it my aim was to play in every game. I wasn't sure how likely that was going to be, but I've played every game so far. Unfortunately it's all been overshadowed by the fact that we haven't been winning games.

Considering you made your debut against Boston United in season 2003/04, it's been a long wait hasn't it?

It has seemed like a long wait, spending two seasons on the bench and travelling to every away game without being involved. But when I made my debut in the league encounter against Tranmere last year I knew I had to make the most of my chance and I'm trying to continue that now. Hopefully it will



The reaction of the players on Saturday suggested that the Bournemouth defeat was a bitter pill to swallow, especially having dominated for long periods – what was the dressing room like after the game?

I think that pretty much sums it up. We dominated in the

for us. I don't think it's a lack of confidence, there's nothing in this division to fear and there isn't one team doing particularly well that we think are better than us.

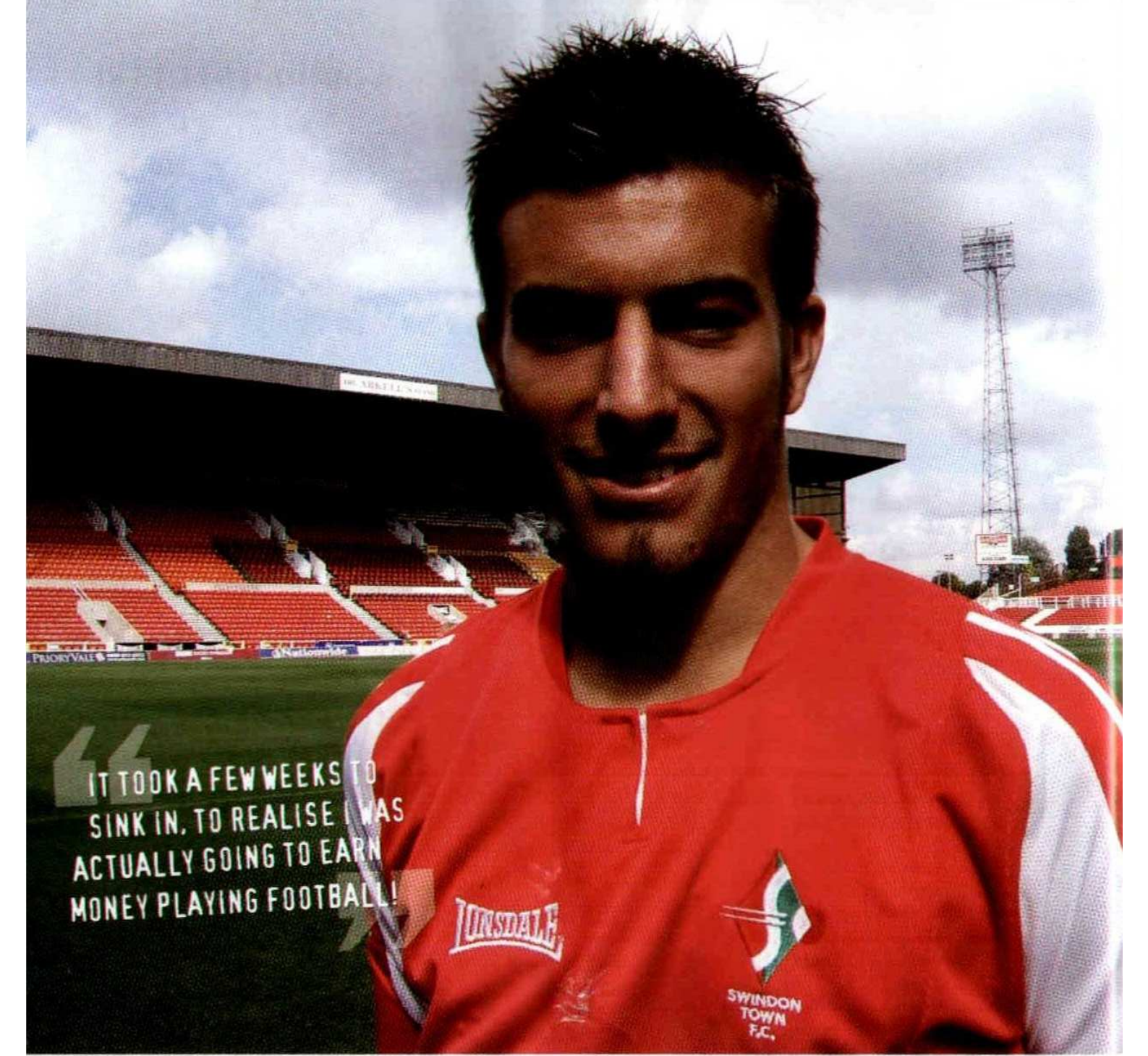
Bradford at home today, it's a must-win game isn't it?

You have to get going

A close-up, slightly low-angle shot of a man with dark, spiky hair and a light beard. He is wearing a white t-shirt with the word "ABERCROMBIE" printed in a bold, black, sans-serif font across the chest. He is looking off-camera to the left with a serious, intense expression. The background is out of focus, showing a white door frame on the left and a brick wall. The lighting is dramatic, with strong highlights and shadows.

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continue for as long as possible.

What did it mean to be offered a professional contract at the end of last season? And with Kyle Lapham and Matty Bulman making it too, it must have been amazing?

It's every lad's dream. It took a few weeks to sink in, to realise I was actually going to earn money playing football – surely it doesn't get any better than that? It's the best job in the world and I've been here since I was nine, it just goes to show that there

are rewards for youngsters that keep at it.

You've played alongside a number of players and in a variety of formations, what do you think works best for the team?

I'm not sure what formation best suits us, to be honest. We've tried the 4-4-2 and the 4-5-1, and lost the last four games, so I think we're still looking. I think the 4-4-2 is probably the one I'd favour, just because more players are used to it. The 4-5-1 is a lot more specialised

and takes time to get used to. For me my favourite position is centre midfield.

Nor right-back? (Pook deputising at right-back at Dean Court last Saturday)

[laughs] No, not right-back.

Have you learned anything from the experienced players such as Steve Jenkins, 'Migs' and Gareth Whalley?

All the senior professionals have been brilliant for me; they all give you advice

before and after games and I welcome any criticism if I feel it will help my game. It really gives me confidence to get that feedback and if you can eradicate the bad points they pick up on, and work hard on the good points – you're only going to improve as a player.

You mentioned in an earlier A-Z programme feature that you were looking forward to the Bristol City game. Given that both sides are struggling, how big a derby is that going to be now?

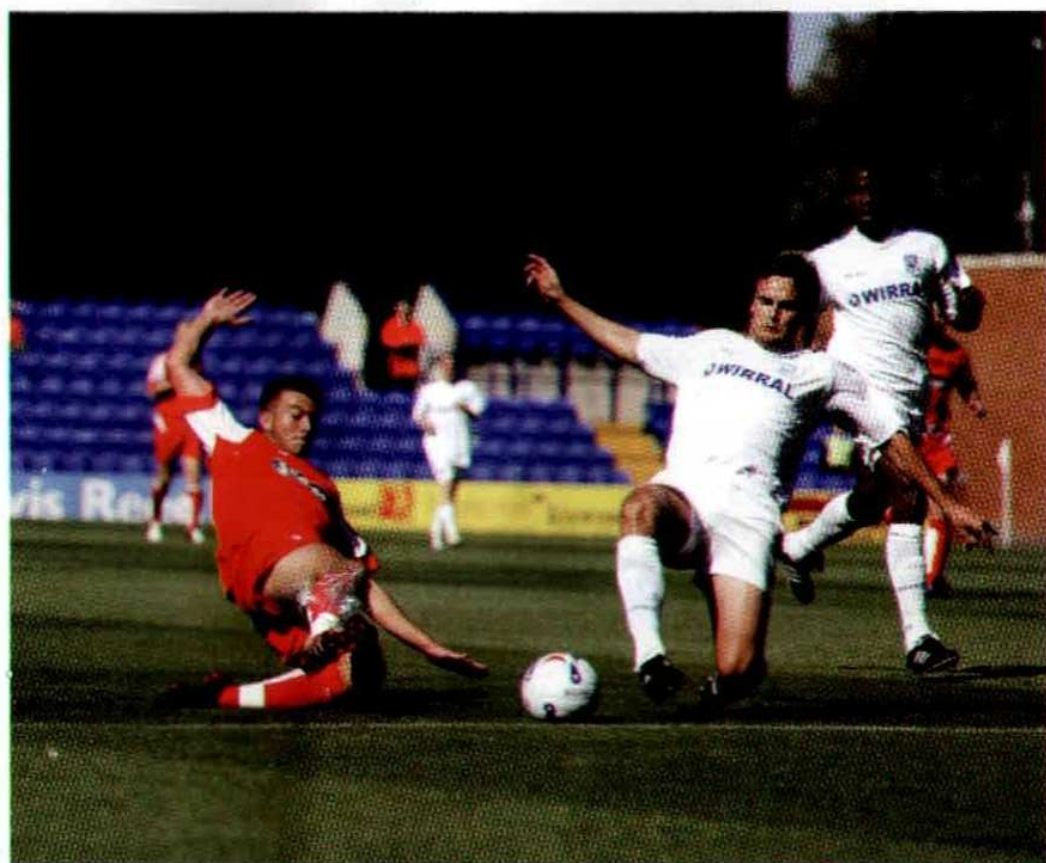
It would be just as big if it were at the top of the table, but hopefully by then we'll be away from the bottom and looking for another big win to steer us further up the table. I think it could be one of the highlights of the year.

Will it be your first appearance in front of the Sky cameras?

Yep, my first game in front of the cameras. They've picked a good game I reckon...

We seem to have a bad record in front of the cameras. Is there anything as a team we can do to prevent us from under-performing in advance?

I don't think stats like that mean a great deal. At the end of the day the best team will win it on the night – it doesn't matter of the



cameras are there or not.

You notched your first goal against Wycombe in the Carling Cup, have you got a figure in mind in what you'd like to achieve this season?

I think midfielders should always be striving for double figures – if they get half they get half. I'd like to think I'll get a few more in the league to help us climb the table.

And with Jamie Cureton and Tony Thorpe yet to hit top form in front of goal, does that make you feel under more pressure to find the net?

They'll score goals if they keep at it, I'm sure they'll get a handful once they get off the mark. But yes, we should be contributing more from midfield – but the goals will come.

Your long throw has become something of a weapon, supplying Steve

"While the Manager is responsible for the team selection, he can't control things like sendings off and penalty misses"

Jenkins with a goal at the weekend – has that always been the case?

When I was younger we used it as one of the main parts of our set pieces. When you have a long throw it can often be like having a corner when in the final quarter, especially with players like Rory Fallon and Patrick Collins putting themselves about. Hopefully we'll get a few more goals that way before the season's out.

One of the strikers is taking time out to help you off the pitch... tell us more about these guitar lessons you're having with Rory Fallon?

Rory and Stef are both pretty good guitar players and so Matty Bullman and I decided we'd take it up. Rory has donated a guitar to us both, but we're not the best! He's given us some decent advice and he's preparing a song for us – hopefully by Christmas we'll be better!

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The October Half-Term week is fast approaching with the three days being 25th, 26th and 27th. We already have 120 people signed up already so to avoid disappointment I must stress that if you are intending to attend the course, please submit your forms as soon as possible.

Our Ability Counts project is well underway and we have been travelling all over Wiltshire, coaching in special needs schools

for children with physical and learning difficulties. All this work culminates in the Festival of Football to be staged in Devizes on October 20th 2005. If last year was anything to go by, when we had a fantastic 120-plus participants, then I am sure the children will again gain a great deal of experience and enjoyment from the occasion. In talking to our coaches involved in the project, it really is a rewarding piece of work and we as a Football in the Community Office take terrific pride in.

Our Annual Six-a-Side competitions will be in action soon and we are in

the process of mailing out to all the primary schools in the area as we look to make this year's competition just as successful as in previous years. The defending champions Greenmeadow School I am sure will be doing everything in their power to keep their hands on the coveted trophy. We will keep you updated with times and dates for the competition in future programmes or check out our section located on the Community Section of the official website at Swindontownfc.co.uk

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Soccer Centres Round-Up

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We have introduced mini goals into more of our Centres this year that has really improved the small-sided games for the 5-7 year old children and allowed more children to improve in game situations.

We have now limited spaces for the 5-7yrs in Soccer Centres with limited spaces at Ridgeway leisure centre and the Rec in Highworth. Mini soccer for our 4-5 year old children continues to grow with the need for more sessions to cope with the demand.

Mini soccer is a progression from our popular tiny tots scheme and prepares the children for life in Soccer Centres.

For information regarding Soccer Centres please contact Shane on 01793 617718.

Tiny Tots and Birthday Parties

We would like to welcome back all of the toddlers on our Tiny Tots sessions. All three sessions are up and running for the new term and it is great to see lots of new and excited children learning new skills.

Anyone who is interested in booking a football party here at the club after October half term should note that you can only book either a Monday or Thursday due to the availability of the hall we use. Therefore, we have limited spaces available so please book now to avoid disappointment.

Ethnic Round-up

I have been back into the schools this week with various sessions starting up. Monday was the start of the Asian girls group at Churchfields School and on Tuesday at Drove where I run an after-school club. The St Joes and Churchfields 4- a-side leagues have also started up with 72 and 84 young people attending respectively. For more information please call Luke on 01793 617718.

Come on you Reds!
Sharpy, Shane and Adam

Course Schedule

Link Centre (Swindon Borough)

Monday:	4.30-5.30	5-6yrs
	5.30-6.30	8-11yrs
Thursday:	4.30-5.30	5 yrs
	5.30-6.30	7-8yrs

Oasis (Swindon Borough)

Monday:	5.00-6.00	8-11yrs
Monday:	4.30-5.30	5-8yrs
Saturday:	10.00-11.00	5-8yrs

Highworth (Swindon Borough)

Tuesday:	4.00-5.00	5-6yrs
	5.00-6.00	7-8yrs
Thursday:	4.00-5.00	5-6yrs
	5.00-6.00	8-11yrs

Haydon Centre (Swindon Borough)

Thursday:	4.00-5.00	5-6yrs
	5.00-6.00	7-8yrs
	6.00-7.00	9-11yrs

Stratton

Monday:	3.30-4.30	6-7yrs
	4.30-5.30	9-11yrs
Tuesday:	3.30-4.30	5-6yrs
	4.30-5.30	9-10yrs
Wednesday:	3.30-4.30	7-8yrs
	4.30-5.30	8-9yrs
Friday:	3.30-4.30	5-6yrs

Marlborough

Wednesday:	3.30-4.00	5-7yrs
	4.00-5.00	7-9yrs
	5.00-6.00	9-11yrs

Ridgeway

Wednesday:	5.00-6.00	5-7yrs
	6.00-7.00	8-11yrs

Bampton

Friday:	5.00-6.00	7-9yrs
	6.00-7.00	10-11yrs

Tidworth

Friday:	4.00-5.00	5-8yrs
	5.00-6.00	8-11yrs

Croft (Swindon Borough)

Saturday:	9.00-10.00	5-7yrs
	10.00-11.00	5-7yrs

Dorcan (Swindon Borough)

Tuesday:	5.00-5.45	4-5yrs
Wednesday:	5.00-5.45	4-5yrs
Thursday:	5.00-6.00	8-11yrs
Friday:	6.00-7.00	5-7yrs

Chippenham

Friday:	4.30-5.30	5-8yrs
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Swindon Town FC

Golf Day Review



The Annual Swindon Town Golf Day took place at The Wiltshire Golf and Country Club on Wednesday 14th September and STFC Magazine brings you a round-up of all the action from the day.

Swindon Town players Michael Pook, Rory Fallon, Sean O'Hanlon, Ben Wells, Andy Nicholas, Charlie Comyn-Platt and loanees Colin Heath and Tom Heaton were there representing the club and they also took their place amongst the winners on the day.

Our next golfing event will not be until the New Year, when we will be staging another of our Game of Two Halves' golfing and football days. The date of this is on Tuesday 14th February, 2006 when Gillingham will be our visitors for our game which will have a 7.45pm kick off.

For more details please call Sarah Mildenhall in the Marketing Department on 01793 333718 or send an email to sarah@swindontownfc.co.uk

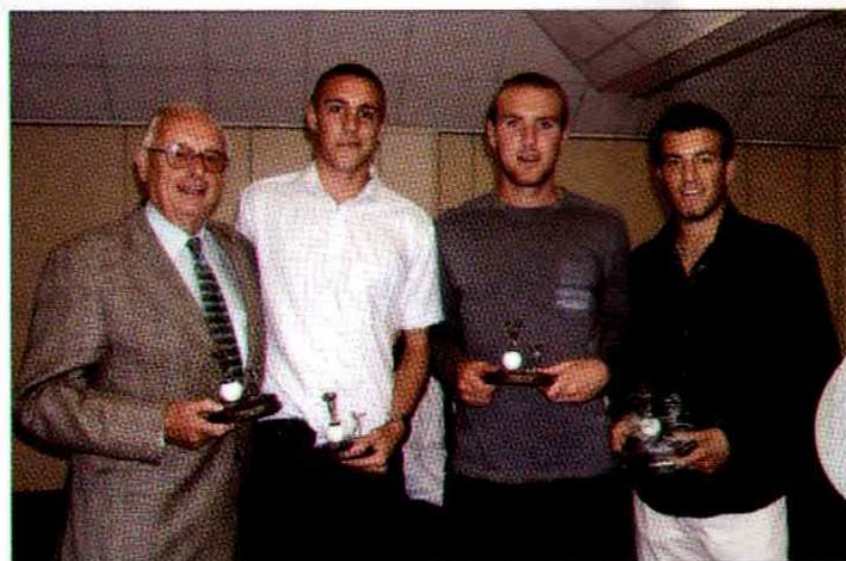


Top: Colin Heath and Rory Fallon cruise around the Wiltshire Golf course.

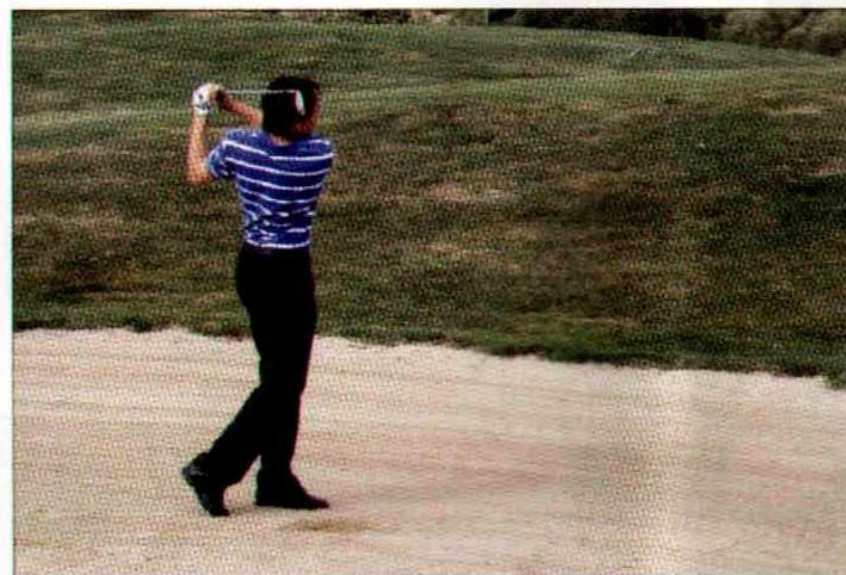
Middle: Striker Rory Fallon, Town's top goalscorer in all campaigns so far, didn't take part in the golf but was there in support of his team mates.

Bottom: 3rd Place - Mike Spearman presents the Yorkshire Pipeliners with their third place award in the team event.





Top: 1st Place - Mike Spearman presents the winners Colin Heath, Tom Heaton, Andy Nicholas and Ben Wells with their awards



Above: Colin Heath in action away from the football pitch.

Middle left: 2nd Place - Runners Up Mike Spearman, Sean O'Hanlon, Charlie Comyn-Platt and Michael Pook with their awards.

Bottom left: Youngster Ben Wells plays himself out of potential trouble with an elegant bunker shot.

NEXT GOLFING EVENT:
A Game of Two Halves'

Tuesday 14th February 2006
Call 01793 333718 for more details
or email sarah@swindontownfc.co.uk

In The News



Northern Ireland peace talks come to an end with the 'Good Friday Agreement' after 2 years of talks and 30 years of conflict.

International Government officials are outraged after it is revealed India carried out underground nuclear tests without prior warning.



The British Government announces a total ban on the use of landmines.

American President Bill Clinton admits having an affair with White House intern Monica Lewinsky.



A car bomb explodes in the busy market town of Omagh, County Tyrone, Northern Ireland on 15th August 1998. More than 100 people are feared injured or killed in the blast.

The world's oldest astronaut, 77-year-old John Glenn, lands back on Earth after a 9-day mission aboard the Space Shuttle Discovery. Glenn had previously been aboard the Friendship 7 capsule that circled the earth in 1962.



Bantams go up to Premiership



It was May 1999 and the celebrations in Bradford were at their peak. City manager Paul Jewell had replaced Chris Kamara in 1998 and led the side to a second place finish in Nationwide Football League Division One to take City into the Premiership.

Sunderland had topped the table with a massive 105 points, with City next on 87. Never out of the top three from January 1999, The Bantams had corrected a season that didn't start too well. Just one point from the first four

games gave little indication of what was to come.

As October commenced City had moved up to mid-table, and the first meeting of the season between today's sides took place at Valley Parade on November 14th.

Town were lying dangerously close to the relegation zone and the 3-0 defeat didn't help matters. Goals from Peter Beagrie, Nigel Pepper and Wayne Jacobs did the damage.

The chance for revenge came less than a month later and this time City knocked in four.



Top Films

Armageddon

A Bug's Life

Rush Hour

Saving Private Ryan



There's Something About Mary

The Waterboy

The Truman Show

Lock, Stock...



A Town goal from Iffy Onuora did little to reduce the margin created by two goals a piece from Robbie Blake and Lee Mills. The result lifted City into a play-off place for the first time.

Town's season wasn't looking good. Six places off the bottom of the table, thankfully it didn't get worse, but it didn't get much better.

An 18th place finish concluded Steve McMahon's last full season in charge. By October 1998, Jim Quinn (below), a striker with both Swindon and Bradford on his CV had returned to Wiltshire for his third spell, this time as player/manager. He'd previously scored 14 times in 35 appearances for Bradford.

Wycombe Wanderers put us out of the League Cup at the first hurdle (no change there then) and Barnsley did for us in the third round of the FA Cup. Iffy Onuora (main picture) finished on 20 League goals, George Ndah on 11 and Mark Walters on ten.

For Bradford, current Swindon midfielder Gareth Whalley missed just one game of the promotion season having signed from Crewe during the summer, while Ex-Manchester United keeper

Gary Walsh was ever-present.

Top scoring for City was Lee Mills on 23. Blake scored 16 with Beagrie on 12, and Gareth Whalley chipped in with a couple

There's some longevity being shown by some of the heroes of 1999.

In March that year, Dean Windass had signed for Bradford from Oxford, scoring three times to the end of the season. On 2nd September this year and at the age of 36 he was still featuring on the score sheet for the Bantams, while 39 year-old Peter Beagrie was scoring for Scunthorpe on the same day. Will we yet see a comeback from Iffy Onuora?

Bradford's history seems to strangely track that of Swindon. An FA Cup final victory in 1911 was sandwiched by semi-final appearances for Town in

1910 and 1912. Neither club have achieved as much in the competition since, and as Bradford claimed promotion from Division Four in 1982 after four years of trying, Town were dropping in the bottom division for their own four-year stint.

Words: Dave Wallis



Top Tunes

All Around The World
Oasis

No Matter What
Boyzone

Never Ever
All Saints

C'Est La Vie
B*Witched

Goodbye
Spice Girls

Doctor Jones
Aqua

Because We Want To
Billie Piper

Millennium
Robbie Williams

It's Like That
Run DMC vs. Jason Nevins

Music Sounds Better With You
Stardust



On the Box

The Royle Family

Goodness Gracious Me

South Park

League of Gentlemen



On this day...

24th September 1975

First Britons conquer Everest

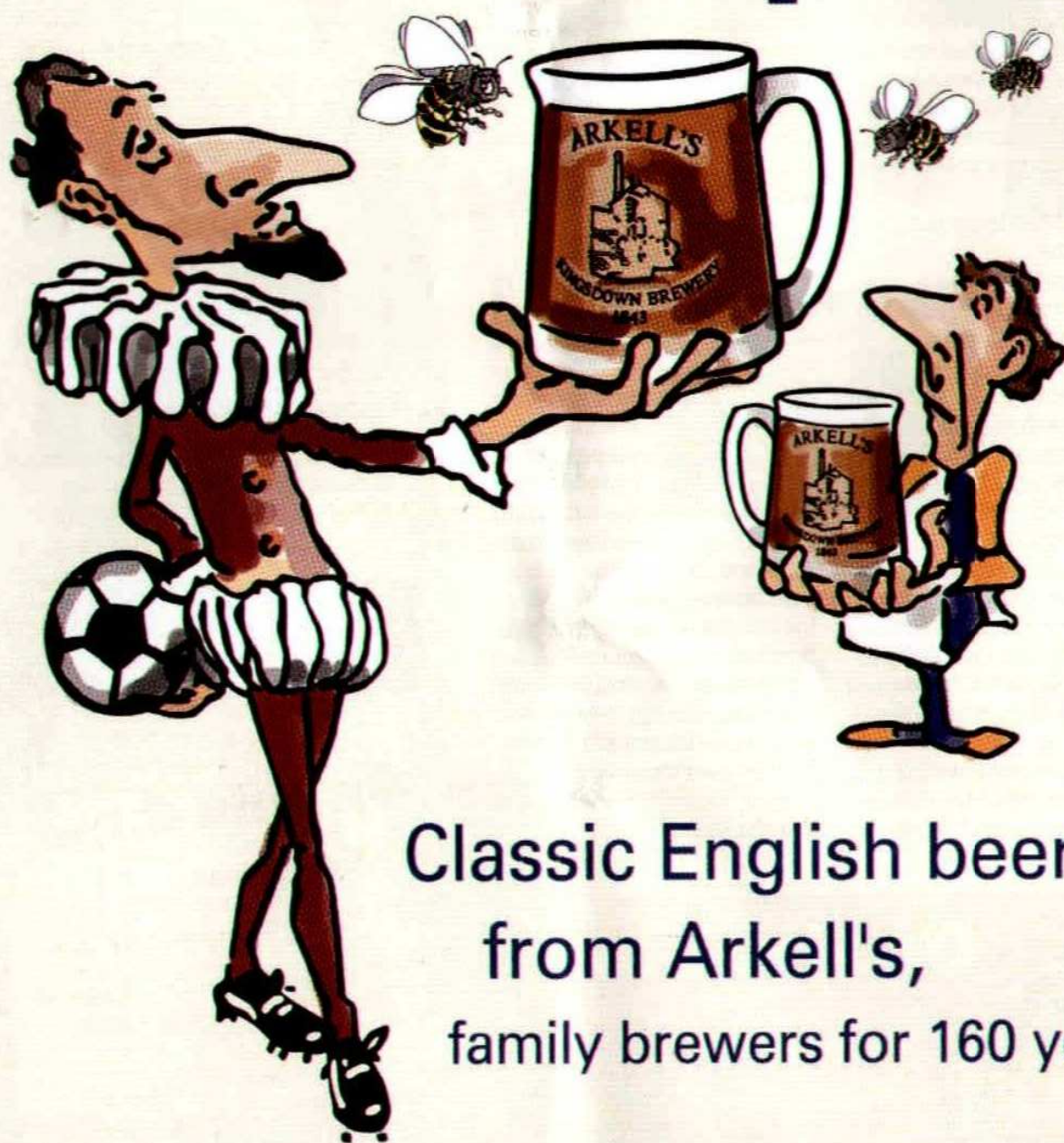
Dougal Haston and Doug Scott have become the first Britons to reach the summit of the world's highest mountain.

The men arrived at the top of Mount Everest via the previously unclimbed south-west face, 33 days after establishing their base camp.



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Half-Time Draw

The latest winner was R. Robins of Filkins, who won £354 with ticket number 280. Where is Filkins? I hear you ask. Well actually, it's on the road from Lechlade to Burford before you get your maps out.

Disabled Group

The Disabled Group held their last gathering on Monday 12th September. Keep an eye open for their meeting next month which will be detailed in these notes.

AGM

The Supporters Club AGM was held on Thursday 22nd September. We will bring a brief resume of the election of officers and major issues in our next programme notes.

Pounds for Points

At the time of writing the notes we are now at £49 per point. Last season we raised £3000 for the Centre of Excellence through this initiative alone, with all monies raised "ring fenced" for this purpose. A couple more fans pledging just 50p per point will take us to the watershed of £50 per point. Can you help? Contact Mavis Knight.

Scoreboard

Don't forget, for business advertising, or to get a fan a mention on the board at a particular match, for that special occasion ring 01747 840721.

Away Travel

Please note that the telephone number for the latest information

has changed. This is now 01793 536757, so please arrange to programme this into your mobile etc.



Fans Forum

We hope to see as many of you as possible at this ticket only event, which is taking place on Wednesday 5th October. If you have any questions about us, or our activities, we will be pleased to deal with these on the night, as well as talk to anyone who is able to lend a helping hand and assist us during the coming season.



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The Walsh 4 2.00
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Chris Weavers 1.00
Paul Bartlett 1.00
Olive & Michael Spearman 1.00
Iris Higgs 1.00
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Kirsteen Fraser 1.00
Knightsleep, Southampton 1.00
Nick & Lisa Munton 1.00
Hanneys Reds 1.00
Pearl & Barbara 1.00
Paul Spearman 1.00

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Bill Dolman 1.00
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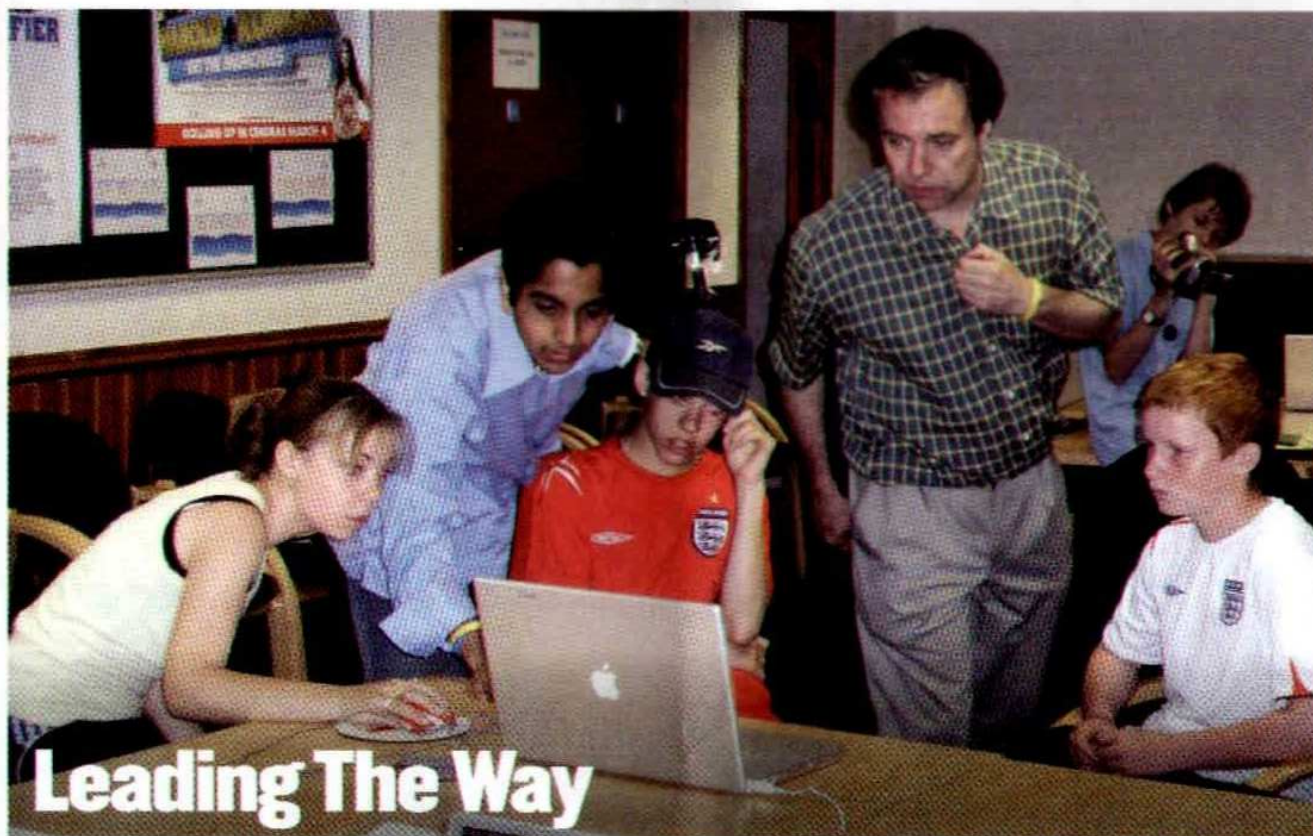
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Study Centres



Playing for Success



The Swindon Town FC Study Centre recently played host to 14 clubs from London and the South East of England.

Study Centre Managers from Ipswich Town, Norwich City, Arsenal and Crystal Palace were part of the group who came to see how the Swindon Town Study Centre organises and runs its Movie Challenge work.

In July the Study Centre ran a three days of Movie Challenges for students from Dorcan Technology College. The students worked on three movies. The first involved Sky News where the students gave a press conference introducing a famous player who had decided to join the Robins. The second project was Phoenix from the Flames involved the students recreating Don

Rogers second goal at Wembley in the 1969 League Cup triumph. The third project was to remake of the classic Nike advert Portugal vs Brazil. The students worked in small groups and had to film and edit their movie in one day. They also created the labels and covers for their DVD. The students had a great time and gained a valuable insight in to the world of

Apple Mac movie technology.

If you would like to know more about the Study Centres then visit our website www.stfcstudy.org.uk

Enjoy today's game.

Martin Turnbull
STFC Study Centre Manager




Bournemouth

Hayter, 24 (pen), 68


Swindon Town

Jenkins, 44

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It was a case of 4, 3, 2, 1 as Town slumped to their fourth defeat on the trot losing by the odd goal in three. The game saw two sending-offs although Steve Jenkins managed one goal which was the Robins' first away goal since Good Friday.

Town made a bright start to the match and were more than matching their opponents before Andy Gurney was harshly sent off by referee Barry Knight for an alleged shirt pull on James Keene in the 23rd minute. Cherries leading scorer James Hayter stepped up and slotted home the resulting spot-kick.

The travelling Town fans were given something to cheer when Steve Jenkins headed home a deserved equaliser from a long throw by Michael Pook just one minute before half time. This was Town's first away goal since their draw at MK Dons on Good Friday.

After the break James Hayter extended the lead on 68 minutes as he got in front of defender Jerel Ifil inside the box, heading home a cross from the right from James O'Connor.

Just moments later the home side were reduced to ten men. Josh Gowling brought down Tony Thorpe inside the area and was shown the red card, but Thorpe's penalty was easily saved by Cherries goalkeeper Gareth Stewart.

Neale McDermott made his Football League debut in Town colours coming on to replace Steve Jenkins with a quarter of an hour to go. Christian Roberts and Colin Heath also appeared as substitutes, replacing Tony Thorpe and Gareth Whalley respectively.

The game ended in defeat for Town but it was a much more positive showing. Despite 52% of the possession and just one less shot on target than the hosts, Andy King's men now look to today's game with Bradford City to pick up three points.



Photos: Mick Cunningham



AFC Bournemouth vs. Swindon Town

Goals Cards Sub'd			Goals Cards Sub'd		
Stewart			Heaton		
O'Connor			Gurney		
Cooper		64'	Collins		
Young			Ifil		
Gowling			Jenkins		74'
Cooke		44'	Miglioranzi		
Stock			Pook		
Surman			Whalley		83'
Foley			Smith		
Hayter	2		Fallon		
Keene		86'	Thorpe		78'
Pitman			Bulman		
Hart		51'	McDermott		78'
Whisken			Heath		83'
Rodrigues		44'	Shakes		
Hudson		86'	Roberts		78'

Coca-Cola LEAGUE 1

Sat 17th September

Fitness First Stadium

Kick-Off 3.00pm

Attendance:

7,276

Referee:

B. Knight

MATCH STATS

Shots: 9

On Target: 4

Fouls: 10

Corners: 4

Cards: 3

Possession: 48%

Shots: 6

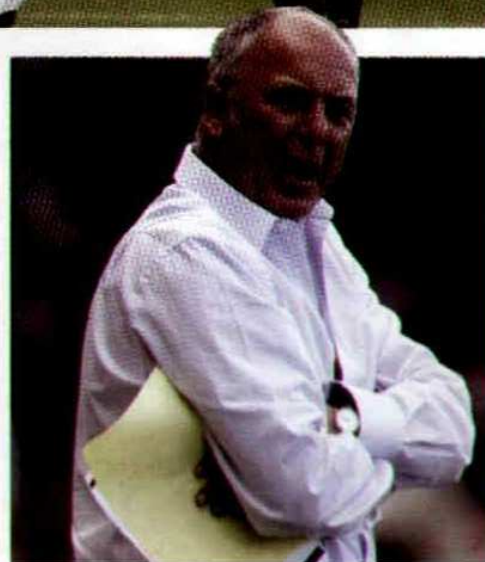
On Target: 4

Fouls: 13

Corners: 4

Cards: 2

Possession: 52%





with Andrea Garratt

Welcome JR's

Good afternoon and welcome to all Junior Robins here today for the visit of Bradford City to The County Ground.

Last Saturday at 11.15am the coach carrying the Junior Robins departed for AFC Bournemouth for our first reciprocal trip of the season. The Juniors completed a few Random Robin forms on the way so keep an eye out for these throughout the season appearing on these pages. A general knowledge was also handed out and raffle tickets were sold. Congratulations go to Hannah Clinch, Harriet Aspell, Ryan Bragg and Chris Sinsbury. Also a special well done goes to Will Bryant for winning the quiz. Will took home an autographed football for his efforts.

George Chadwick made the draw for the mascot and Scott Langham was the lucky winner. The staff at Bournemouth



were very generous and enabled Scott's brother Billy to be a mascot for the day too (pictured).

I'd like to say thank you to George and Brenda for their help, to all the Juniors on the coach for their impeccable behaviour and to those parents who travelled for their support.

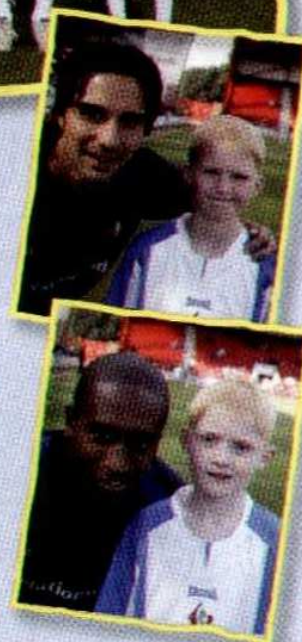
On the return journey we watched a video and

arrived safely back at the club at 7.20pm.

The next reciprocal will be to MK Dons on October 1st. I have places still available priced at £10 Junior Robins and £15 for Adults. The coach will depart at 11.30am. Please contact me on the details below to book.

Enjoy the game.

Andrea



Contact Andrea on 01793 525619 or email andrea@swindontownfc.co.uk



HAPPY BIRTHDAYS

Patrick McAleer
Peter Jones
Katie Prout
Oliver Bunt
Thomas Barrett
Joe Scanlon
Frederick Haynes
Thomas Perrett
Josh Skeates

Also a Happy 8th
Birthday to Ashley
Jenkins from Mum,
Dad and brothers!

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HALF-TIME QUIZ

1. What is Bradford's nickname? has a Dennis the Menace style away kit?
2. What is the name of Alan Reeves' brother?
3. Which team plays their home games at Ashton Gate?
4. Can you name the Town player sent off at Bournemouth last weekend?
5. Who do Swindon Town play on October 15th?
6. Which Championship team
7. Which member of the Town squad has played for Bradford?
8. Who plays at The Earth Stadium?
9. How many Swindon fans went to Barnsley on the opening day of the season?
10. Which former Swindon and Bradford player recently signed for Tranmere Rovers?

Answers: 1. The Bantams; 2. David; 3. Bristol City; 4. Andy Gurney; 5. Brentford; 6. QPR; 7. Gareth Whalley; 8. Doncaster Rovers; 9. 635; 10. Nicky Summerbee

TODAY'S MASCOTS



Samuel May

7-year old Sam attends Dunmore Infant School in Abingdon and his favourite player is Rory Fallon.



Luke May

Luke is 5 years old and attends Dunmore Infant School in Abingdon. His favourite player is Jamie Cureton.



Tristan Hall

Tristan is here celebrating his 11th birthday today and it is the first game of live football he will have ever been to.



Ashley Hall

Football mad Ashley is here with brother Tristan. He plays for his school & for his local team and is also at his first game today.



Alan Drayson

Alan is here celebrating his 30th birthday today as a present from Angela, Michael, Mum, Dad & his Nan.



Aaron Lappin

Aaron is 6 and goes to St Michaels School in Aldbourne. His birthday is on 14th May & his hobbies include swimming.

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Booking Info

Opening Hours

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BoxOffice



Ticket Prices	Arkells / Nationwide		Town End**		Family Enclosure***	
	Advanced	Matchday	Advanced	Matchday	Advanced	Matchday
Adult	£21.00	£23.00	£15.00	£15.00	£19.00	£19.00
O.A.P./Student	£13.00	£15.00*	£12.00	£12.00*	£12.00	£12.00*
Junior	£7.00	£9.00	£9.00	£9.00	£4.00	£4.00
Wheelchair & Helper	£10.00	£10.00	£10.00	£10.00	n/a	n/a

* Please note NO student tickets are available on matchdays.

** Please note unaccompanied Juniors are not allowed in the Town End for Health & Safety reasons.

*** Family Enclosure located at the front of the Arkells Stand, maximum 3 children per adult.

Away Tickets...

vs. Doncaster Rovers



Earth Stadium

Tuesday 27th September '05
Coca-Cola League One
Kick-Off 7.45pm

Seated Ticket Prices

Adults	£15.00
OAP/Student	£10.00
Child	£10.00

*terrace prices see below

Town have been allocated 237 seated tickets for this fixture which are now available from the Box Office. Terrace tickets will be available on the night at a cost of £13 for adults, and £5 for OAP's, students and children.

vs. Milton Keynes Dons



N. Hockey Stadium

Saturday 1st October '05
Coca-Cola League One
Kick-Off 3pm

Ticket Prices

Adults	£15.00
OAP/Student	£10.00
Child	£8.00
Under 7's	Free

Swindon Town are currently waiting for allocation details to be confirmed. Please check website for future details. OAP must be over 60, Child under 16. ID/proof of age may be required.

vs. Brentford



Griffin Park

Saturday 15th October '05
Coca-Cola League One
Kick-Off 3pm

Seated Ticket Prices

Adults	£17.00
OAP/Student	£12.00
Child	£3.00

*terrace prices see below

Town are currently waiting for allocation details to be confirmed. Terrace tickets will be available on the day at a cost of £12 for adults, £6 for OAP's, and £3 for children. No student tickets are available on matchdays.



NEXT HOME

vs. Port Vale

Saturday 8th October 2005
Coca-Cola League One,
The County Ground, 1.00pm



Port Vale manager Martin Foyle made several signings during the summer as he tries to improve on last year's 18th place finish, and it's Vale who visit the County Ground next.

Coming in were Mark Innes from Chesterfield and leaving Bristol City for the Potteries was Tony Dinning. Midfielder Danny Sonner spent the summer of 2004 training with Town before joining Peterborough. He left London Road for Port Vale during the close season. Striker Hector Sam was another new arrival when he departed from freshly relegated Wrexham to join up at Vale Park.

Vale lost 19-year-old striker Dave Hibbert in the summer when he joined Preston. Out of contract, the deal went to a tribunal that saw the Valiants disappointed by the outcome. An initial fee of £35,000 was paid by North End, with further instalments based around appearances that could eventually set the fee at around £100,000. Vale had already turned down a bid of £60,000 and the fee pleased Preston more than it did Vale.

The changes in personnel seemed to be doing the trick as Vale made a cracking start to the season, lying third after seven games. Defeat at Scunthorpe meant a drop of four places while a 1-0 home defeat to Colchester last weekend dropped Vale to 8th in the table.

Nathan Lowndes has started the season as the man most successful in front of goal. He's struck five times so far with Michael Cummins on two. Billy Paynter (right) has registered just once but hit 10 last season.

Just one goal separated the two teams on each occasion last term. Chris Birchall scored the goal that gave Vale the three points in October, while the return at the County Ground in February was decided by a Michael Proctor goal in our favour.

Skipper Sam Collins has recently called for his side to overcome the accusation that lack of experience was costing the club points but Vale are still a tough nut to crack.



NEXT AWAY

vs. Doncaster Rovers

Tuesday 27th September 2005
Coca-Cola League One,
Earth Stadium, 7.45pm



It's the midweek haul up to South Yorkshire for our next away match when we travel to face Doncaster Rovers, and while the old school may think they are visiting Belle Vue, officially it's now The Earth Stadium.

Manager Dave Penney added ex-Bristol City man Paul Heffernan to his squad in the summer after the striker spent an unsettled twelve months at Ashton Gate. He scored five times in 27 appearances last season and £125,000 was used to secure his signature for Rovers. He scored in the 1-1 draw with MK Dons in the second game of the season.

In midfield is ex-Yeovil Town striker Michael McIndoe who became a Rover in the summer of 2003. He'd missed just three games in his first two seasons and knocked in 20 goals over the same period. Centre back Steve Roberts came in from Wrexham during the summer and arriving on loan recently was Serbia & Montenegro international Uros Predic from FK Hajduk Kula. His wait for international clearance may delay the inclusion of the 32-year-old midfielder.

Last season, both fixtures between the two clubs finished with honours even through 1-1 draws. In December, Greg Blundell was on the score sheet for Donny at the County Ground, while Sam Parkin equalised for Town, and in February, Derby loanee Lee Holmes put Town in front before Neil Roberts squared things up again. Rovers finished two places and three points above Town in 10th place in League One.

Last weekend 23 places separated Rovers from Scunthorpe, their opponents of the day, but Rovers' 3-1 win lifted them four places and above Town. McIndoe scored his third of the campaign while Leo Fortune West and Jonathan Forte, on loan from Sheffield United, also made the score sheet.

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FIXTURES, STATS
& APPEARANCES

Kick-Off 3.00pm Saturdays,
7.45pm midweek unless
otherwise stated

League One Table 21.09.05



	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	GD
1 Swansea	9	6	1	2	25	13	19	+12
2 Huddersfield	9	6	1	2	17	12	19	+5
3 Southend	9	5	2	2	16	10	17	+6
4 Brentford	9	5	2	2	14	8	17	+6
5 Scunthorpe	9	5	2	2	15	11	17	+4
6 Barnsley	9	4	2	3	11	7	14	+4
7 Rotherham	9	4	2	3	11	7	14	+4
8 Port Vale	9	4	2	3	9	8	14	+1
9 Bournemouth	9	3	4	2	9	9	13	0
10 Oldham	9	4	1	4	11	13	13	-2
11 Tranmere	9	3	3	3	12	10	12	+2
12 Bradford	9	3	3	3	11	9	12	+2
13 Nott'm Forest	9	4	0	5	14	13	12	+1
14 Colchester	9	3	3	3	9	10	12	-1
15 Chesterfield	9	4	0	5	14	16	12	-2
16 Walsall	9	3	3	3	14	16	12	-2
17 Hartlepool	9	2	4	3	11	13	10	-2
18 Blackpool	9	2	4	3	8	13	10	-5
19 Yeovil	9	2	3	4	8	13	9	-5
20 Gillingham	9	2	3	4	6	13	9	-7
21 Doncaster	9	2	2	5	9	12	8	-3
22 Swindon	9	2	1	6	10	14	7	-4
23 Bristol City	9	1	4	4	9	18	7	-9
24 Milton Keynes	9	0	6	3	7	12	6	-5

Today's Fixtures Saturday 24th September 2005

LDWWL	Barnsley	VS	Doncaster	WLLL
LDLWW	Blackpool	VS	MK Dons	DLLDD
LWWDD	Brentford	VS	Bristol City	LDLDD
WWLWL	Chesterfield	VS	Hartlepool	LDWLD
WWOLD	Colchester	VS	Huddersfield	WWLWW
WLLLD	Oldham	VS	Bournemouth	WLLDD
LLWWLW	Rotherham	VS	Southend	WWWLW
LLWWD	Scunthorpe	VS	Walsall	LLWDL
DWWWW	Swansea	VS	Nott'm Forest	WWLWL
LLLLW	Swindon	VS	Bradford	LDLWL
LDLWW	Tranmere	VS	Gillingham	WLLDD
LDWWL	Yeovil	VS	Port Vale	LLWDL

STFC Player Appearances & Goals 2005/06






	League			Cup			Total		
	aps	gls	y/r	aps	gls	y/r	aps	gls	y/r
EVANS, Rhys	4	0	0	-	-	-	4	0	0
O'HANLON, Sean	5	1	1/0	-	-	-	5	1	1/0
SMITH, Jack	9	0	2/0	1	0	1/0	10	0	3/0
NICOLA, Nicky	3(1)	0	0	(1)	0	0	3(2)	0	0
IFIL, Jerel	9	0	3/0	1	0	0	10	0	3/0
JENKINS, Steve	2(2)	1	2/0	-	-	-	2(2)	1	2/0
WHALLEY, Gareth	9	0	0	1	0	0	10	0	0
FALLON, Rory	7	3	0	(1)	0	0	7(1)	3	0
THORPE, Tony	3(1)	1	2/0	1	0	1/0	4(1)	1	3/0
MIGLIORANZI, Stefani	4(1)	0	1/0	-	-	-	4(1)	0	1/0
CURETON, Jamie	6(2)	0	0	(1)	0	0	6(3)	0	0
SHAKES, Ricky	4(4)	0	0	1	0	0	5(4)	0	0
BULMAN, Matt	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
REEVES, Alan	(1)	0	0	1	0	0	1(1)	0	0
NICHOLAS, Andy	1	0	0	-	-	-	1	0	0
LAPHAM, Kyle	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
COMYN-PLATT, Charlie	-	-	-	1	0	0	1	0	0
ROBERTS, Christian	1(8)	2	1/0	1	0	0	2(8)	2	1/0
POOK, Michael	9	0	1/0	1	1	0	10	1	1/0
COLLINS, Patrick	9	0	1/0	-	-	-	9	0	1/0
WELLS, Ben	(2)	0	0	-	-	-	(2)	0	0
McDERMOTT, Neale	(1)	0	0	-	-	-	(1)	0	0
HEATH, Colin	4(1)	1	1/0	1	0	0	5(1)	1	1/0
HEATON, Tom	5	0	0	1	0	0	6	0	0
GURNEY, Andy	4(1)	0	2/1	-	-	-	4(1)	0	2/1

Other Appearances: Nicky Summerbee, 1

Date	Opponents	Res	Att	Vis	Pos	Referee
Sat Aug 6	Barnsley	A	0-2	9,358	635	23rd A. Leake
Tue Aug 9	OLDHAM ATHLETIC	H	2-3	5,123	324	24th P. Armstrong
Sat Aug 13	NOTTINGHAM FOREST	H	2-1	8,201	2,498	19th A.D'Urso
Sat Aug 20	Blackpool	A	0-0	4,661	539	19th N. Miller
Tue Aug 23	WYCOMBE WANDERERS (CC1)	H	1-3	3,976	417	x P. Taylor
Sat Aug 27	YEOVIL TOWN	H	4-2	6,973	1,342	14th P. Walton
Mon Aug 29	Tranmere Rovers	A	0-1	7,557	249	14th E. Ilderton
Sat Sep 3	Walsall	A	0-1	5,392	325	16th T. Kettle
Sat Sep 10	SOUTHEND UNITED	H	1-2	4,785	533	20th M. Fletcher
Sat Sep 17	Bournemouth	A	1-2	7,276	709	22nd B. Knight
Sat Sep 24	BRADFORD CITY	H				
Tue Sep 27	Doncaster Rovers	A				
Sat Oct 1	Milton Keynes Dons	A				
Sat Oct 8	PORT VALE	H		1.00pm		
Sat Oct 15	Brentford	A				
Tue Oct 18	STEVENAGE BOROUGH (LDV1)	H				
Sat Oct 22	SCUNTHORPE UNITED	H				
Sat Oct 29	Huddersfield Town	A				
Sat Nov 5	(FA Cup Round 1)					
Fri Nov 11	BRISTOL CITY	H				SKY SPORTS
Sat Nov 19	Port Vale	A				
Sat Nov 26	BARNLEY	H				
Sat Dec 3	(FA Cup Round 2)					
Tue Dec 6	Rotherham United	A				
Sat Dec 10	Oldham Athletic	A				
Sat Dec 17	BLACKPOOL	H				
Mon Dec 26	COLCHESTER UNITED	H		3.00pm		
Wed Dec 28	Chesterfield	A		3.00pm		
Sat Dec 31	SWANSEA CITY	H		12.30pm		
Mon Jan 2	Hartlepool United	A		3.00pm		
Sat Jan 7	WALSALL (or FAC3)	H				
Sat Jan 14	Gillingham	A				
Sat Jan 21	BOURNEMOUTH	H				
Sat Jan 28	Southend United	A				
Sat Feb 4	DONCASTER ROVERS	H				
Sat Feb 11	Bradford City	A				
Tue Feb 14	GILLINGHAM	H				
Sat Feb 18	ROTHERHAM UNITED	H				
Sat Feb 25	Nottingham Forest	A				
Sat Mar 4	TRANMERE ROVERS	H				
Sat Mar 11	Yeovil Town	A				
Sat Mar 18	Colchester United	A				
Sat Mar 25	CHESTERFIELD	H				
Sat Apr 1	Swansea City	A				
Sat Apr 8	HARTLEPOOL UNITED	H				
Sat Apr 15	MILTON KEYNES DONS	H				
Mon Apr 17	Scunthorpe United	A		3.00pm		
Sat Apr 22	BRENTFORD	H				
Sat Apr 29	Bristol City	A				
Sat May 6	HUDDERSFIELD TOWN	H				

KEY

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	Full red block denotes player appearance (green denotes goalkeeper)		Half red block & number denotes substitute appearance & player replaced		Substitute not used
1	Number of Goals scored	p	Scored from Penalty	OFF	Player Sent Off
	Through to next round of Cup		Knocked out of Cup	<i>ITALICS</i>	Denotes Loan player
				+	Opponents own goal

Colours
Shirt: Red
Shorts: White
Socks: Red



SWINDON TOWN

Manager: Andy King

1	Rhys EVANS
2	Sean O'HANLON
3	Jack SMITH
4	Nicky NICOLAU
5	Jerel IFIL
6	Steve JENKINS
7	Gareth WHALLEY
8	Rory FALLON
9	Tony THORPE
10	Stefani MIGLIORANZI
11	Jamie CURETON
12	Ricky SHAKES
13	Matty BULMAN
14	Alan REEVES
15	Andy NICHOLAS
16	Kyle LAPHAM
17	Charlie COMYN-PLATT
18	Christian ROBERTS
19	Michael POOK
20	Patrick COLLINS
21	Ben WELLS
22	Andy CATON
23	Neale McDERMOTT
25	Colin HEATH
26	Tom HEATON
27	Andy GURNEY



BRADFORD CITY

Manager: Colin Todd

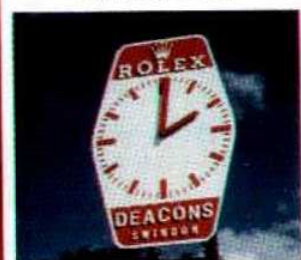
Donovan RICKETTS	1
Darren HOLLOWAY	2
Andrew TAYLOR	3
Tom KEARNEY	4
David WETHERALL	5
Mark BOWER	6
Steven SCHUMACHER	7
Marc BRIDGE-WILKINSON	8
Andrew COOKE	9
Dean WINDASS	10
Owen MORRISON	11
Lee CROOKS	12
Russell HOWARTH	13
Michael SYMES	14
Ben MUIRHEAD	15
Lewis EMANUEL	16
Bobby PETTA	17
Tom PENFORD	18
Danny CADAMARTERI	19
Kevin SANASY	20
Danny FORREST	21
Damion STEWART	22
Richard EDGHILL	23
Steve CLARIDGE	24
Craig BENTHAM	25
John SWIFT	26
Sam DENTON	29
Jake WRIGHT	33

Today's Match Officials Referee: A Bates
 Assistant 1: J N Cordy
 Assistant 2: P H Gibbs
 Fourth Official: J L Cox

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Draw	11/5

Swindon to win by 1 goal	13/2
Swindon to win by 2 or more	20/1
Scoredraw	11/2
Bradford to win by 1 goal	13/2
Bradford to win by 2 or more	33/1

First Scorer

Fallon	6/1	Windass	5/1
Thorpe	7/1	Cadamarteri	7/1
Roberts	13/2	Cooke	15/2
Curton	6/1	Claridge	17/2
Shakes	8/1	Schumacher	11/1
Heath	12/1	Muirhead	18/1
Pook	20/1	Morrison	22/1

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