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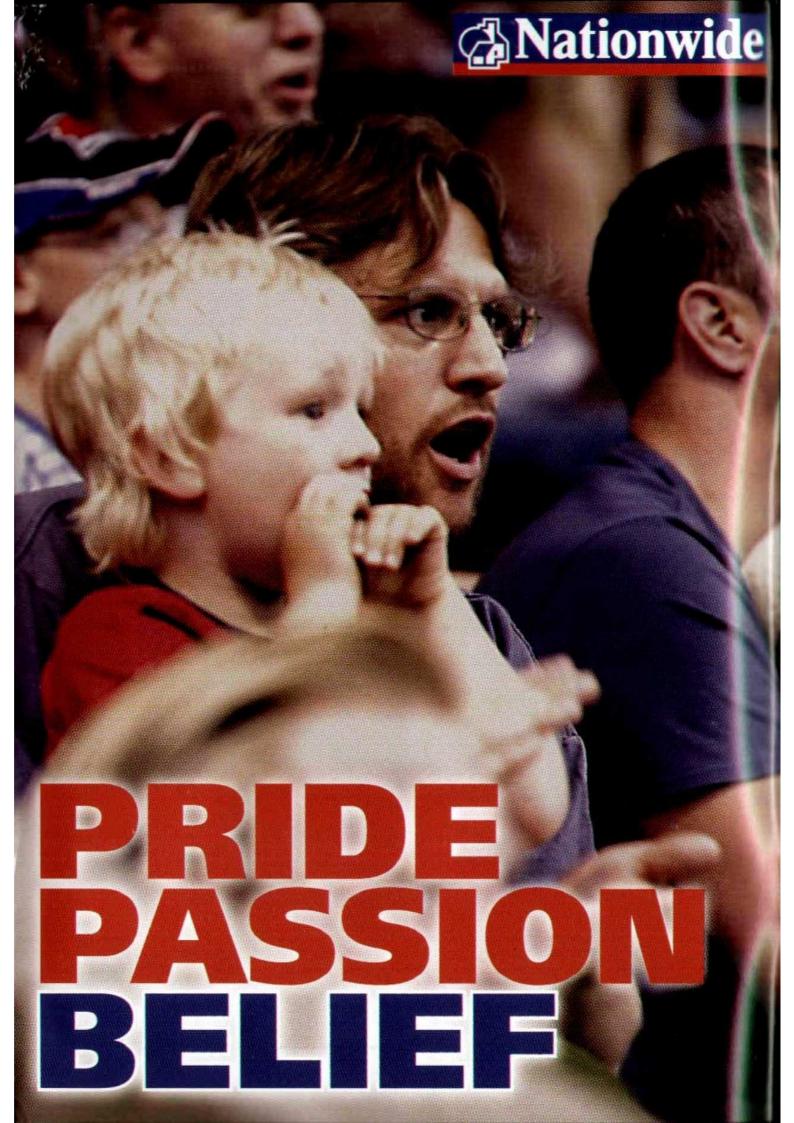
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# **EditorsComment**

The midweek win over Stevenage Borough sees us start today awaiting news of our next opponents in two cup competitions.

By the time you read this the LDV Vans Trophy Second Round draw will have been made (and posted on the official website!). The FA Cup First Round draw takes place after today's game live on BBC and Sky.

Inside today we speak to new loan signing Hameur Bouazza, get Jack Smith's top five, have match action from Brentford and Stevenage as well as a review of the Bruce Grobbelaar dinner.

Come on you Reds!

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# RfyOnuora



Welcome back to The County Ground for our second home game in five days as we entertain Scunthorpe United in League One...

My overwhelming feeling after Tuesday night's win over Stevenage Borough was to be pleased for the Players, Supporters and Staff at the club. It was only when I got home after the game that it sunk in that it had been my first win as Manager. No-one ever doubted the players ability and commitment to the cause, so it was good to get off the mark.

The system changed on Tuesday and I thought it worked quite well. I assessed the players we had available and felt it was the right one for that Today's game is important to us. Hopefully getting that all-important win in the week will give the players the confidence they need to move on from here in a positive way and produce results. There are times when I will address the team collectively to get my message across, but others when I will speak to players on a one-to-one basis. It really depends on the situation but I would like the players to have the belief to go out there and show what they can do. In saving that, we can't get too carried away with our last two results and I have told them

"Hopefully getting that all-important win in the week will give the players the confidence they need to move on from here in a positive way and produce results..."

particular game. Whether I stick with that formation will remain to be seen but I like to get the players for the system, not the other way round.

that. We need to make sure that Tuesday's result wasn't a flash in the pan against, with all due respect to Stevenage Borough, lower league opposition. We will be without Jerel Ifil once again today after his sending off last weekend. I felt the dismissal was a little bit harsh and to some extent I feel he is suffering from a little bit of a 'bad boy' image at the moment. He is not a dirty player by any means and his assets far outway anything else.

Scunthorpe United will be a difficult side to play against. Peter Beagrie continues to turn out and he has tremendous experience for them, amongst others. They carry a threat as a side and we are mindful of what we will be facing here this afternoon.

I would like to thank the fans for their support on Tuesday. I feel we are building some momentum on and off the pitch and I hope that can continue here today with a win.

Enjoy the game.

Iffy Onuora



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A warm welcome to the County Ground this afternoon to the Players, Officials and Supporters of Scunthorpe United.

Today is Kick Racism out of football day and our Community Office have been working with various ethnic groups recently, with children from Drove School taking part in a half-time game today as part of the campaign. The players will be warming up and running out in Kick-Racism out of football t-shirts and these will be given out to the crowd before-kick-off.

I would like to thank all the fans who came to the LDV Vans Trophy game on Tuesday evening. We had a good win against Stevenage and for the first round of this cup we were fortunate to be well supported. We only had the Arkells stand open and had over 1,700 fans. We are often criticised about our prices and we would have liked to have made further price reductions but unfortunately Stevenage would not agree to these and we had to ask the Football League to arbitrate.

A good cup run financially would be a bonus and we have two cup draws to look forward to today - the first round of the FA Cup and the second round of the LDV Vans Trophy.

As part of the 'Red Army - Loud and Proud' campaign, supporters are today bringing flags and scarves to the game and hopefully we can have three points to enable us to celebrate at the final whistle

Our financial situation has been well documented in the press recently. The winding up petition was withdrawn this week as we had paid the monies to the court. We also had news of another successful court appeal. In July I had to travel to Switzerland to the Court of Arbitration for Sport where we were appealing on a FIFA ruling for compensation for training from a French club. The original decision has been overturned and compensation payment drastically reduced. Clubs should not be afraid to go to CAS as it is the courts duty to look at all cases afresh which is what they did.

Sandy Gray Chief Executive

Enjoy the game today and keep up the support.

# **New Female Talent Wanted for ITV Soccer Show**



TV West's top-rated SOCCER NIGHT programme returns next month and the producers are hunting female talent for the new series.

If you - or someone you know - are female, supports any of the region's Football League clubs, aged between 18 and 30, and wants a start in the TV business then this is your/their chance.

Photographs and/or showreels (on VHS or DVD) should be sent as soon as possible to the show (address below), along with personal details, stating which football team they support, and why.

A shortlist will then be drawn up and in the New Year, each week on the show, this list will be whittled down to one girl from each of the four league clubs in the region – Bristol City, Bristol Rovers, Swindon Town and Yeovil Town. There will then be a play-off between the clubs to find the eventual winner who will then present items on the show.

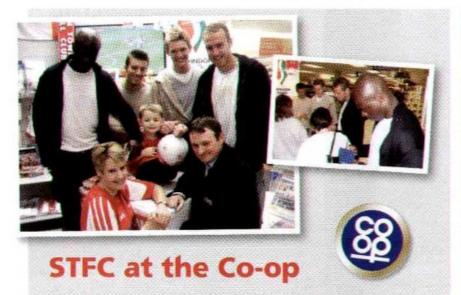
"Women should be no strangers to the upper echelons of television sports presentation, and it's only correct that SOCCER NIGHT reflects the growing trend of female prominence by affording our viewers this chance," said Jed Pitman, producer and Head of Sport at ITV West. "Who knows – we may find the next Gabby Logan!"

The SOCCER NIGHT team will also be calling on the support of the clubs'

websites and match programmes to help find suitable candidates.

Please send your photos or showreels to Soccer Night, ITV West, The Television Centre, Bath Road, Bristol BS4 3HG; or by email to RowZ@itv.com

SOCCER NIGHT returns at midnight on November 3 presented by Jed Pitman and Andrew Lindsay with regular pundit Russell Osman and new boy Andy Thomson, the former Rovers and Swindon defender. It runs for 27 weeks until the end of the current football season. SOCCER NIGHT will also celebrate 50 years of ITV by hosting a show from each decade since the 1950s, using the channel's newly-invented time machine!



Swindon Town FC manager Iffy Onuora and several first team players visited the Co-op store, Newport Street, Old Town last Thursday.

The event signalled the re-launch of the club's retail partnership with the store, which is now stocked with an array of current STFC merchandise including team shirts, sweatshirts, videos, mugs, scarfs, bedspreads, towels, cushions, umbrellas, books, gloves and shin pads.

Media & Communications Manager, Chris Tanner said, "There is now a great opportunity for Town fans to pick up a range of branded team items from the Co-op store. The event was a great success with many fans attending to meet the Manager and players."

# **Cup Draws Today!**

Swindon Town and Scunthorpe United fans can find out their FA Cup opponents after today's game.

Having safely navigated a passage into Round Two of the LDV Vans Trophy, Iffy Onuora's men already know their Second Round opponents after the draw was made this morning on Soccer AM.

The FA Cup draw takes place at 5.10pm on BBC1 and Sky Sports News.

Some numbers to look out for include:

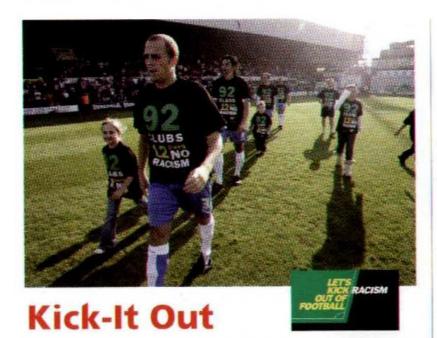
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CHIPPENHAM TOWN

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oday's match against Scunthorpe United is Town's designated antiracism game and will feature a number of activities throughout the club.

The week of action is now a firm fixture in the sporting . and community calendar and has been co-ordinated by football's anti-racism campaign, Kick It Out, as part of the game's ongoing contribution to tackle racism.

Over 600 events will have taken place, including all 92 professional clubs and a number of conference and non-league clubs, before the culmination of the campaign on October 26th.

Swindon Town FC are pleased

to support the week as part of our commitment to kicking racism out of football. Activities today will clearly spell out the clubs position on racism and will include:

- Giveaways to children at the game including Kick-It Out T-Shirts, Stickers, Wristbands and more.
- · Players will wear Kick-It Out T-Shirts for the warm up and run-out.
- · Half-time entertainment from children from Drove School.

If you would like further details on the Ethnic Development Projects at Swindon Town FC then please call Luke Sharps on 01793 617718.

### **Half-Time Entertainment**

Swindon Town FC will be staging a half-time game today as part of the club's Kick-Racism Out of Football day.

At half-time we will have a small-sided game on the pitch featuring children from Drove School. These children, from varying Ethnic backgrounds, will also be running out with the players before the game and please give them all a warm welcome.

Also joining us today are four young men from Broad Green Youth Centre who have gained accreditations for their involvement with Ethnic Development coaching sessions on Thursday evenings. Well done for that lads at enjoy your day here.



### **Sporting Dinner**

The next Sporting Club Dinner is on Thursday December 8th when the hard men of soccer, ex-Liverpool star Tommy Smith and ex- England star Norman Hunter come to The County Ground.

The compere for the evening will be Barry Williams and table prices are £495 + VAT. For more details please call Sarah Mildenhall in the Sales and Marketing Department on 01793 333718 or eMail sarah@swindontownfc.co.uk

#### **Quiz Night at STFC**

Swindon Town will be holding a Quiz Night on Thursday 3rd November 2005 in the Winners Lounge at The County Ground.

The maximum of people per team is six and the entry cost is just £5 per person and includes a meal.

To book a place call Chris Abrook on 01793 333715 or Clive Harper on 01793 333743.

#### No Smoking!

Swindon Town Football club would like to remind supporters that the Family Enclosure in the Arkells Stand and Disabled catering outlet in the Nationwide Stand are strictly non-smoking.



# Brentford



# Swindon Town

Swindon Town gained a valuable point at Griffin Park but not before losing Jack Smith and Steve Jenkins to injury, with Jerel Ifil also seeing red, wrote STFC Sports Reporter Adrian Smith.

Andy Gurney returned to the Swindon line-up after his recent suspension and Neale McDermott dropped down to the substitutes bench as Town kicked off at a very sunny Griffin Park.

There was an early substitution for Town when Steve Jenkins left the field in the 9th minute and was replaced by Andy Nicholas so Jack Smith moved to the right back position and Nicholas went to left back.

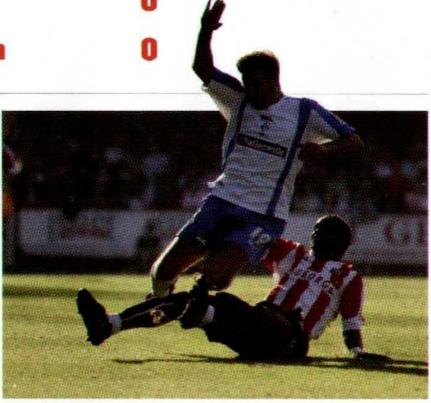
Rory Fallon had a superb chance for Town in the 16th minute after controlling the ball well on the edge of the area but he sent a hurried volley towards goal which struck the ground and bounced into the keepers arms.

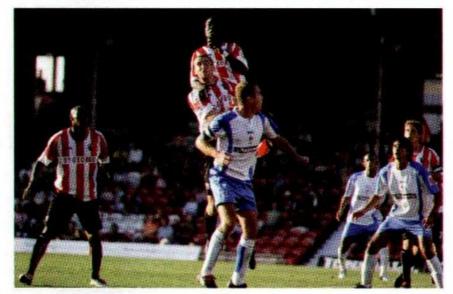
Town were grateful to Tom Heaton when he cut out a dangerous move by bravely diving at the feet of the on-rushing Jay Tabb before Michael Pook and Gareth Whalley went close at the other end.

Iffy Onuora was forced to shuffle his line-up as a result of the injury to Smith so Neale McDermott took over in midfield from Gurney who moved to right back.

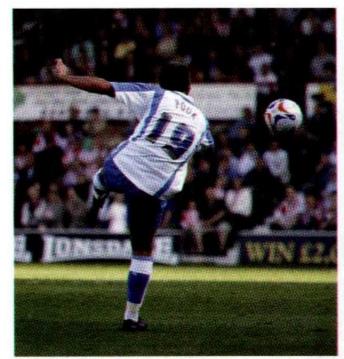
Jerel Ifil was cautioned for a foul just outside the penalty area in the 82nd minute and although the free-kick was cleared, the home side continued their relentless attacking but found keeper Tom Heaton in exceptional form.

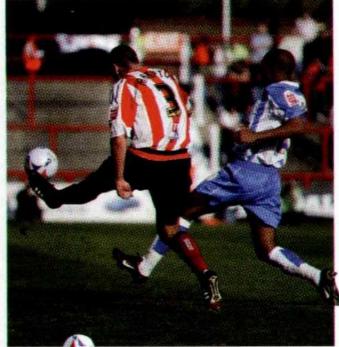
There was controversy in the 88th minute when Jerel Ifil was sent off for a second bookable offence, his second red card this season - meaning the defender will sit out today's match against Scunthorpe - completing a two-game ban.

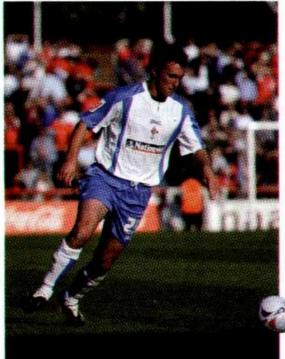


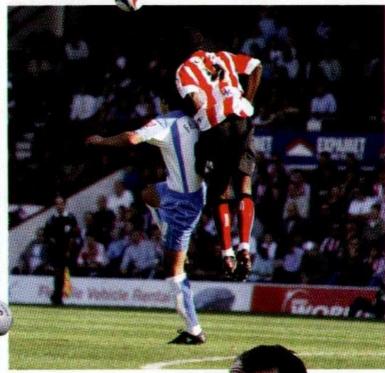








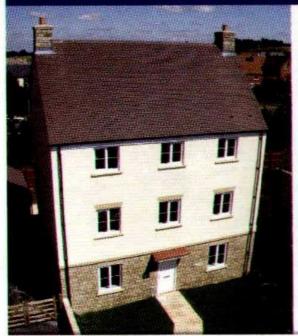




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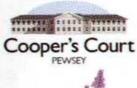














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#### Good afternoon and welcome back for the visit of Scunthorpe United...

Following our point at Brentford last weekend the key factor was to follow that up with a victory against Stevenage Borough in midweek.

We did just that. A great header from Rory provided us with an early lead which settled any nerves and meant we could relax a little more on the ball. We had a lot of time in possession and I thought we were very patient with our build-up play, leading to Hameur's first goal for the club.

The spirit at the training ground has been good and we have all been looking forward to today's game against Scunthorpe United. We were incredibly unlucky in the Port Vale game and we will be looking to register a welcome home three points here this afternoon.

Whilst Scunthorpe are doing well in League One at the moment, we are also aware how close this division is and we now have to look to put together a run of results to lift ourselves up the league.

We come into today's game on the back of two clean sheets and its good to see that some of the hard work we have been putting in on the training ground has been showing on the field.

It is crucial that we get off to another good start this afternoon. Your support so far this season has been fantastic and I hope we can give you something to shout about this afternoon.

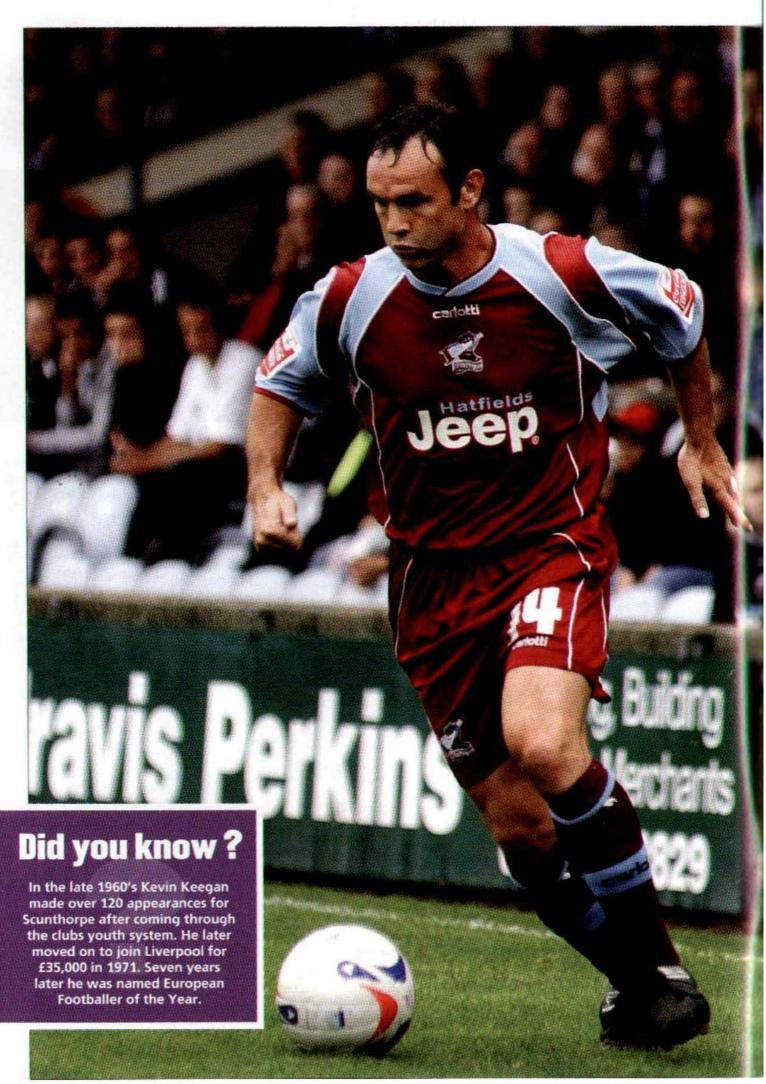
A win would certainly send everyone here home happy.

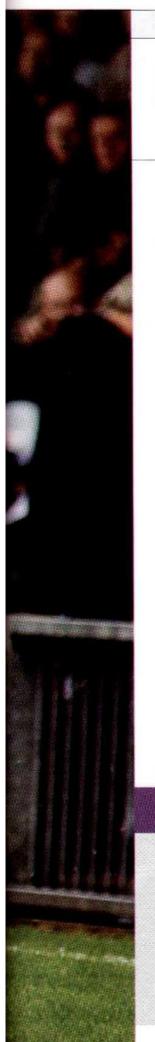
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### Welcome to today's visitors who had a successful season last year when they climbed up from League Two with a 2nd place finish and automatic promotion.

This season, Scunthorpe United show little indication that they will need a period of consolidation at their new level. A haul of 21 points from their first 14 games in League One left the Irons in fifth place as the week commenced.

United boast one of the top marksmen in the country in Billy Sharp. His brace in the 2-2 home draw with Rotherham last weekend took the striker to ten for the season, followed by Dubliner Andrew Keogh on six. Richard Hinds who arrived from Hull City in the summer has three, with another six players with a goal to their names. Andy Butler is another amongst the goals but it was his 2nd minute own goal on Saturday that gave Rotherham the lead.

An injury scare though has

forced the return of 20 yearold striker Michael Rankine. Into his second month out on loan at Barrow, manager Brian Laws has chosen to recall him to Glanford Park.

At the other end of the experience spectrum, Peter Beagrie needs little introduction wherever he plays. He celebrates his 40th birthday soon and can be relied on to be a threat in his 22nd season of League football.

Laws has been at the tiller since February 1997, the sort of longevity that can only be bettered by four other managers in the entire top four divisions. He recently appointed Nicky Reid as the club's new fitness coach.

The last time the two teams faced each other in League action was in April 1986.

Then a Dave Bamber goal gave Town a 1-1 home draw. Les Hunter was on the score sheet for United. but Charlie Henry and Bryan Wade had already scored the goals to gain a 2-0 win at The Old Show Ground back in November.

The last six away games for our visitors have seen three wins, a draw and a couple of losses, and after Town's point at Brentford last weekend we shouldn't lose sight that our well placed opposition haven't had it all their own way this season.

Four straight defeats threatened to undermine their good start before a win at Tranmere at the beginning of October put them back on track.

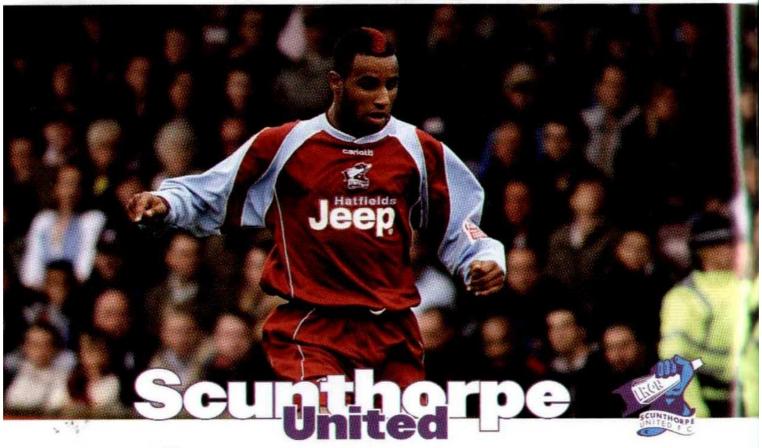
It only takes one victory to start a run of wins.

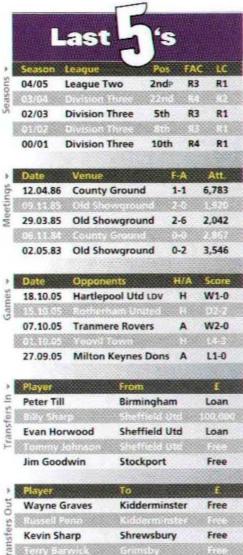
#### ONE TO WATCH: BILLY SHARP

Striker Billy Sharp joined the Iron in August from Sheffield United. A natural finisher Sharp made an immediate impact finding the back of the net on his debut scoring the winner at Nottingham Forest. A previous loan spell at Rushden during the 2004/05 season saw him score nine goals in 16 games.

The Sheffield-born striker has made an impressive start to the season having scored 10 goals in just 11 starts for The Iron so far this season. His overall career goalscoring record stands at 19 goals in 27 league starts and he will be looking to continue that here today.







# The Squad

Vastly experienced goalkeeper Paul Musselwhite joined the Iron for a second spell in June 2004. 'Mussy' has nearly 550 first team games to his credit including 132 appearances from his first spell at Scunthorpe United, 312 at Port Vale and 95 at Hull City. Tom Evans provides competition and has been with the Iron since 1997. Until last season Tommy had been first choice but the arrival of Musselwhite saw him fall down the pecking order.

Clifford Byrne joined the Iron

on a permanent basis in 2003 following a successful loan the previous season. The former Irish U21 international signed a threeyear deal after being released by First Division Sunderland. Richard Hinds started his career at Tranmere in 1998, where he spent 5 years at the club before moving to Hull City where he made 40 appearances in two seasons. He moved across the river to Scunthorpe on June the 1st, before which he spent the later parts of the season on loan at the Iron, making 6 starts and one substitute appearance. Andy Crosby became Brian Laws' first summer signing of 2004 when the former Oxford



**Paul Hayes** 

Barnsley

Captain completed a move. An experienced defender was top of Laws' wanted list and Cosby certainly fitted the bill. Central defender Andy Butler had an excellent first full season in 2004/05. As well his excellent defensive qualities, Butler poses a threat at the other end weighing in with 10 goals last season. Marcus Williams is another player to have come through

the youth setup at Glanford Park. The full back signed his first professional contract in the summer when he signed a twovear deal.

Midfielder Cleveland Taylor joined the Iron on loan in January 2004 from Premiership side Bolton Wanderers. The move became permanent and Cleveland signed a new contract with the Iron in the summer. The versatile player has great pace and trickery and is more than useful addition to the squad. A hugely popular player, the winger has pace to burn and an eye for the spectacular goal... At still only 22 big things are expected from him. Matthew Sparrow continued to develop during the 2004/05 season playing both in central and right midfield. A product of the Iron's youth setup Sparrow signed professional terms with the Iron in 2001 and now has over 150 league games under his belt. Ian Baraclough started his career with Leicester before loan moves to Wigan and

Grimsby. Signed permanently at Lincoln before joining Mansfield Town. Notts County paid £150,000 for his services in 1995 and he went on to join QPR before returning to County in 2001. Baraclough has over 450 league games to his name and can also operate at left back or as a central defender. Winger Peter Beagrie agreed to extend his playing career for at least another season when he signed a one year deal in the summer The left-winger caused League 2 defences no end of problems with his trickery despite missing part of the campaign through injury and is certainly one player Brian Laws would rather have in his squad than in someone else's. Beagrie started his career with Middlesbrough before spells with Sheff Utd, Stoke, Everton, Sunderland, Man City, Bradford, Everton and Wigan.

Tommy Johnson started his career at Notts County as a trainee, making 100 appearances. He then moved onto play for the likes of Derby, Aston Villa, Celtic, Everton and Sheff Wed, costing over £5 million in transfer fees. Last season he was player/coach at Sheffield United, but after rejecting a contract to become full-time coach he signed for the Iron on the 13th of June 2005. Steve Torpey became the Club's record signing when he joined from Bristol City for £175,000. The big target man was brought to United to add some strength and height to the attack.

# **Brian Laws**

Brian Laws was appointed in February 1997 when Mick Buxton was dismissed.

As a player Brian began his career with Burnley making his debut in the number two shirt for the last game of the 1979-80 season He had spells with Huddersfield and Middlesbrough before joining Nottingham Forest in July 1988 where he enjoyed the most prosperous days of his playing career. Laws spent more than six years at Forest until he applied successfully for the Player-Manager at Grimsby Town. He was Town's Manager for exactly two years from November 1994.

He spent a short time as a player at Darlington, before arriving at Glanford Park early in the 1997 New Year, Laws guided the Iron to promotion in 1998/99 and then after relegation back down to League 2 he became only the second manager to lead United to promotion on two

occasions when the Club were promoted back to League 1 in 2005.





 Scunthorpe were one of the first teams to move to a purpose-built out-of-town stadium when they moved from the Old Showground (above) to the 9,183 capacity Glanford Park in May 1988. The East Stand at the Old Showground was one of the first 'cantilever'

# **Interesting Facts...**

stands in the country, built in 1958.

· Scunthorpe were elected to the Football League in 1950 ahead of Workington and Wigan, They finished a respectable 12th place in thier debut season in Division Three North.



- Swindon signed Hungarian inside forward Miklos Nagy from 'The Iron' in 1951. He made only 3 appearances for Town but remains the only ever Hungarian to pull on the red & white shirt.
  - The highest transfer fee received by Scunthorpe is £350,000 from Aston Villa for Neil Cox back in 1991.



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'Scunthorpe United' was my response as a colleague on another paper asked me for my tip to finish bottom of the pile this season ahead of the big kick-off.

Iron fans would probably have been delighted to hear that, such is my appalling record when it comes to predictions.

It certainly doesn't look as though United are going to end up rock bottom judging by their start to the campaign.

Still, it seems the Football League 'basement' is no longer the joke it once was with teams no longer coming up to League One and then crashing straight back into oblivion.

Scunthorpe, Southend, Swansea and Yeovil all seem to be coping quite happily at this level with Southend having recently notched up eight wins on the bounce. Is that great credit to them or a poor reflection on the standard at this 'higher' level? I'll leave you to decide.

But it all seems to fit Rory Fallon's belief that the leagues are essentially bunching up together.

Talking of bunching up, three points today would certainly bring Iffy's lads within sight of the pack just above them.

These notes are being penned ahead of the LDV clash with Stevenage but hopefully that ended in victory and now we can look to bag three league points against the men from Glanford Park

It's another Loud and Proud affair today and hopefully there will be a repeat of the atmosphere that marked the start of the Port Vale game. You could almost touch the positive vibes and Iffy and the players did appreciate it.

With a bit of luck it'll be a case of 'same again' today, also a Let's Kick Racism out of Football day, albeit with a positive result come 4.45.

Anyway, unless you're going to Huddersfield next Saturday (where hopefully we'll manage to finish the game with 11 men rather than nine this time) our next chance to meet up will be on Friday November 11 when the television cameras roll into town for the match with Bristol City.

We are long overdue a home league win over them and the fact that Matt Heywood and Grant Smith are now on their books should add some extra spice if any were needed.

Enjoy the game, get behind the lads and Rory, run towards the Arkells Stand when you score today. It makes life so much easier for pictures!

Cheers for now.

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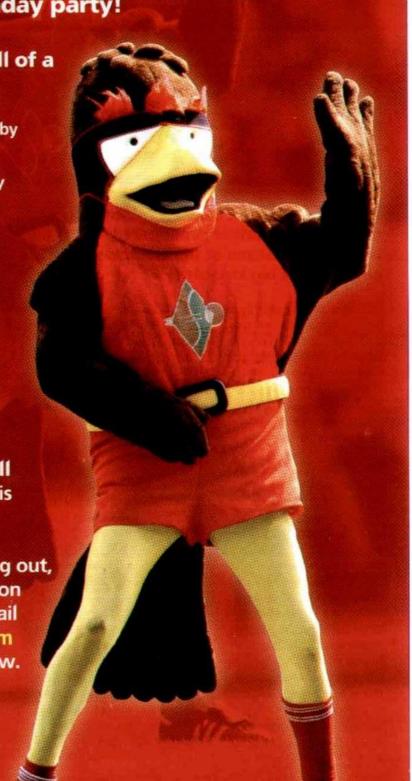
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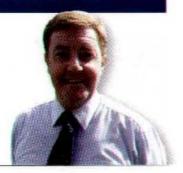
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# Gommercial Break with Mike Sullivan



# New initiatives on the way



Having now been in charge of the Sales and Marketing departments of various football clubs now for close to 25 years, I along with my wife Anita, met up recently with a very special, and past Chief Executive friend of mine from my days at Watford, Eddie Plumley.

Eddie, and his wife Fran, met up with Anita and myself at the Bridge Hotel in Reigate, Surrey last friday. We hadn't seen each other for close onto to 13 years, and it highlighted just how much time passes quicker the older you get. Way back in 1981, Eddie along with Graham Taylor and Chairman Elton John, led Watford Football Club from the depths of the then Division Four to Division One (now the Premier League), UEFA Cup action in Germany, Bulgaria and Czechoslovakia, and finally an appearance in the 1984 FA Cup Final at Wembley Stadium

One of the things that made the Club special, was the fact that it concentrated on bringing families back to Vicarage Road, and, at the same time, taking the Club out to it's local community. It also boasted of having the first 'Family Enclosure' in the League, an area that had been especially set aside for families only. One of the golden rules of the Enclosure was the fact that, parents had to be accompanied by children on the day of the game. The

popularity of this grew and grew, and before long the Enclosure holding 500 season ticket holders, was joined by a Family Terrace funded by local companies, sponsoring Manager Graham Taylor in the 1984 London Marathon. It was a major part of the Club, which became known as the Family Club of football.

Over the last two weeks, Sandy Gray, Mark Devlin, Linda Birrell, Martyn Starnes, Brian Powell and myself have been having a number of meetings to discuss some new initiatives in promoting local schools, youth clubs and junior football clubs to come along and enjoy the County Ground experience for themselves. I am pleased to say that some new ideas are already in motion and details of these will be available soon on the Club's main website. Alternatively, if you would like to register your school, youth club or junior soccer team to our scheme, then please e-mail: mike@swindontownfc. co.uk with all your details. I will then forward these details on to our Ticket Office Manager Brian Powell for him to register your application. You will then be automatically contacted on any new initiatives or special days run by the Club.

Finally, well done again to Rob
Tuck, who is keeping the ideas fresh
and flowing in the Club's 'Loud
and Proud' Campaign. The theme
today is scarves, ticker tape, banners
and flags and, I must take this
opportunity of saying well done to
everyone who entered into the spirit
of it all at the Port Vale home game.
It was excellent, and the atmosphere
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#### Mike Sullivan

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Position: Goalkeepe Age: 23 D.O.B: 27/01/1982 Height: 6' 1" Weight: 12st 4lbs Previous Clubs: Levton Orient (Ican), OPR (Ican), Bristol Roy (Ican),

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#### SeanO'Hanlon



Position: Defender D.O.B: 02/01/1983 Age: 22 Height: 6' 1" Weight: 12st 3ibs Previous Clubs: Everton STFC Debut: vs. Notts Co. 24/01/04 Apps: 75(+4) Goals: 7

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#### **JackSmith**





Position: Defender D.O.B: 14/10/1983 Age: 21 Height: 5' 11" Weight: 11st 3/bs Previous Clubs: Watford STFC Debut: vs. Barnsley, 06/08/05

Goals: 0 Apps: 15

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#### Nickv**Nicolau**



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

Zoe Collman

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Position: Defender D.O.B: 27/06/1982 Age: 23 Height: 6' 1" Weight: 12st 10ibs Previous Clubs: Huddersfield an, Watford

STFC Debut: vs. Barnsley, 01/02/03 Apps: 73(+8) Goals: 0

**Dave Ward** 

#### 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 STFC Debut: vs. Torquey, 30/10/04

Apps: 31(+2) Goals: 2



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#### Gareth**Whallev**



Height: 5' 10" Weight: 11st 8lbs Previous Clubs: Wigan, Cardiff, Bradford, Crewe STFC Debut: vs. Barnsley, 06/08/05

Goals: ()

Mr Pete Mildenhall

Apps: 14



#### **RoryFallon**



Position: Forward D.O.B: 20/03/1982 Age: 23 Height: 6' 2" Weight: 11st 9ibs Previous Clubs: Yeovil (loan), Shrewsbury (toan), Barnsley STFC Debut: vs. Oldham, 15/11/03 Apps: 36(+38) Goals: 19

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#### Tony Thorpe





Position: Forward D.O.B: 10/04/1974 Height: 5' 9" Weight: 12st Olbs Previous Clubs: Rotherham (lose). QPR, Luton, Reading nown, Bristol City, Fulham, Luton, Leicester STFC Debut: vs. Barnsley, 06/08/05 Goals: 1

Mr Cliff Puffett



#### Stefani **Miglioranzi**



Mr Harry Fitchett & Mrs Brenda Peachey

Previous Clubs: Portsmouth

Apps: 104(+10) Goals: 8

STFC Debut: vs. Barnsley, 10/08/02

#### **JamieCureton**



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

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#### RickyShakes





Position: Forward Age: 20 D.O.B: 25/01/1985 Height: 5' 10" Weight: 12st Olbs Previous Clubs: Bury (loan), Bristol Rovers (loan), Botton STFC Debut: vs. Barnsley, 06/08/05 Goals: 0 Apps: 7(+5)

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#### **MatthewBulman**





Position: Goalkeep 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 Olbs Previous Clubs: Wimbledon, Rochdale, Chester, Gillingham town Norwich, Heswell

STFC Debut: vs. Sheff Utd. 08/08/98 Apps: 216(+21) Goals: 14

STFC Disabled **Supporters Group** 

#### Andy Nicholas





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#### KyleLapham



Position: Defender Apps: 2

D.O.B: 17/01/1986 Age: 19 Height: n/a Weight: n/a Previous Clubs: n/a STFC Debut: vs. Huddersfield,

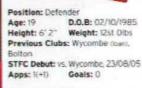
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#### Charlie Comyn-Platt





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#### Christian Roberts





Position: Forward Age: 25 D.O.B: 22/10/1979 Height: 5' 11" Weight: 13st Oibs Previous Clubs: Bristol City, Exeter, Drogheda (lonn), Hereford (lo Cardill STFC Debut: vs. Oldham, 16/10/04

Apps: 23(+14) Goals: 6

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#### Michael Pook



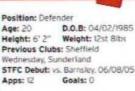
Position: Midfielder Age: 19 D.O.B: 24/06/1986 Height: 5' 11" Weight: 71st 10ibs Previous Clubs: n/a

STFC Debut: vs. Boston, 15/10/03 Apps: 21(+3) Goals: 1

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#### Patrick Collins





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# BenWells





Position: Forward D.O.B: 11/12/1987 Age: 17 Height: n/a Weight: n/a Previous Clubs: n/a STFC Debut: vs. Huddersfield. 30/04/05

Apps: (+5)

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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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#### ffyOnuora



Playing Career: Huddersheld. Tranmere, Grimsby (lost), Wycombe no, Sheffield United, Gillingham, Swindon, Gillingham, Mansfield, Huddersfield

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#### lanWoan



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

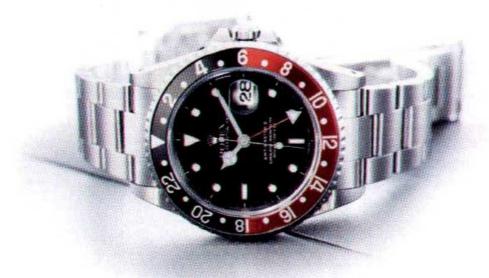
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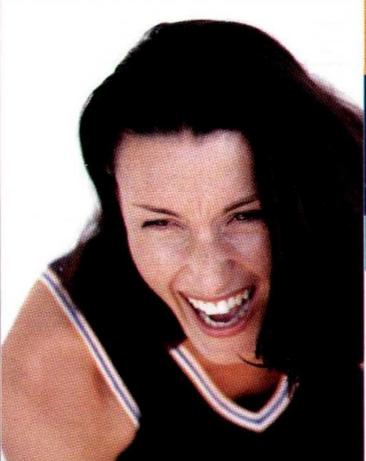




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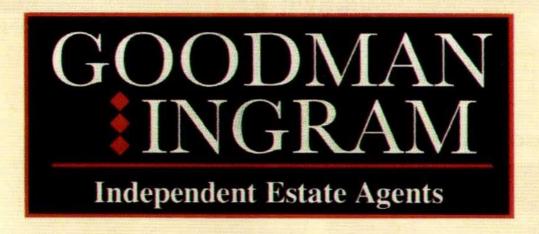
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Our fundraising is mainly through our half-time draw and the Pounds for Points scheme initiative, which any supporter or group of supporters can join for a little as 50p per point. See page 53 for more details.

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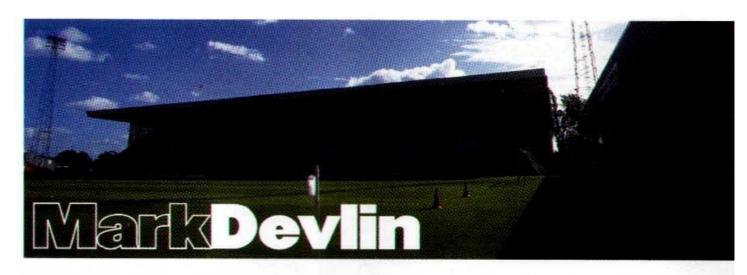


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#### Mark Devlin returned to The County Ground as Deputy Chairman recently and here he brings supporters his views on returning to the club, working with the community and building for the future...

It is great to be back at Swindon, after 13 months at Loftus Road, Although the circumstances of my departure from QPR were somewhat controversial, I was very pleased to be asked back to a club I developed a very fond regard for during my two previous years in Wiltshire.

I have been given the rather grandiose title of Deputy Chairman, and my main task will be to further improve upon the relationship between the club and the media and, importantly, between the club and its fan base. I will also take a greater role in the marketing of the club, especially initiatives aimed at increasing attendances at The County Ground. At this point I must say a massive thank you to Robert Tuck for his efforts with the Loud and Proud campaign, it helped to create a wonderful atmosphere against Port Vale, and we all appreciate his hard work.

Despite the tough financial situation we face, and our current league position, there is so much about this club that we can all be very proud of. Our Football In The Community scheme is one of the very best and most proactive in the country. We are incredibly active in our community and play a leading role tackling serious social and education issues. We were one of the first clubs in England to appoint an Ethnic Community Officer, in conjunction with Swindon Borough Council, exclusively to deal and assist the local ethnic groups ensuring that football is used as a medium to tackle social inclusion.

We have two Study Support Centres, based within the stadium assisting some of our local schools with the provision of the national curriculum, and encouraging local kids to develop their literacy and numeracy through IT, in a stimulating environment.

In Iffy Onoura we have a young Manager who is not only determined to improve our position in the table, but who shares our vision of making this a truly community orientated club, and improving our player visibility within the local community itself.

As I said earlier, we have

much to be proud of, and one of my key tasks will be to start letting the wider public of Swindon know exactly what an asset they have in their local football club

As for our finances, we will continue to struggle whilst attendance levels drop below the 6,000 mark, and we will continue to need to find a benefactor, or benefactors, to make good our losses. There is no guarantee that we can continue this forever. However, we are not alone in our struggle to keep our heads above the financial waters. 80% of clubs in England have the same challenge to meet, ours however, seems to be more public than most. We want to work with the supporters to develop initiatives that will not only provide a short term increase in gates, but will help us to retain and build support in future years.

"We are incredibly active in our community and play a leading role tackling serious social and education issues"

It is good to be back, and I look forward to working with the tremendous group of people behind the scenes at the club, who are all committed to improving our current situation.

Thank you for your support, and if you can, please spread the word and help us to build the fanbase at the club.

Mark Devlin



#### A second half brace from Christian Roberts helped Swindon overturn a 2-0 half-time deficit to win 3-2 at the Memorial Stadium...

Town included Andy Gurney, Ricky Shakes and Jamie Cureton in their starting eleven and had looked second best for much of the opening 45 minutes, but in what was a game of two very different halves, with Alan Reeves' side finding the back of the net three times after the break to secure all three points.

Swindon created the first opportunity of the game on six minutes when a David Stroud cross from the left picked out Shakes in the box, but his volley was blocked by the well placed Mark Preece.

Lewis Haldane picked up another long pass from the back, and after rounding defender Leigh Henry, the former Southampton trainee beat Bulman with a rasping right-footed drive from 20 vards.

Darren Mullings came close to making it 2-0 in the next Rovers attack, but his low effort rolled just past the upright, and at the other end Martin Horsell was in the right position to make a comfortable save from Gurney.

Five minutes after scoring his first goal of the game, Haldane was on target again, this time he was picked out by Chris Lines, and after once again rounding Henry, he lashed a left-footed drive high into the corner of the net.

Swindon responded with a Gurney free-kick that sailed wide, and should really have got themselves on the scoresheet when another Gurney ball into the box picked out Cureton, only for the former Rovers forward to put his shot high over the crossbar.

The half ended with another chance for Swindon to get themselves on the scoresheet, but Roberts could only direct his header straight at Horsell from a Cureton cross.

Royers came close to making it 3-0 within a minute of the restart, as Stuart Campbell played in Ben Willshire, whose ferocious right-footed drive struck the Swindon

#### **Bristol Roy** Swindon

Mon 10th October

Line-Up: Bulman, Lapham, Nicholas, Wells, Henry, Comyn-Platt, Shakes, Gurney, Roberts, Cureton, Stroud. Subs: Jutkiewicz, Pryde, Allen

upright before rebounding away to safety.

The visitors scored their first goal of the afternoon on 56 minutes, when a quickly taken free-kick from Ben Wells found Roberts in the area, and the former Bristol City marksman finished clinically with an angled drive into the corner of the net.

Mullings headed wide from a Lines cross as Rovers looked to restore their two-goal lead, before Roberts scored his and Swindon's second of the afternoon on 76 minutes to level the scores at 2-2.

The goal came after Rovers failed to clear their lines in defence, and Roberts was able to take advantage to slide the ball home past Horsell from close range.

Comyn-Platt almost scored from a speculative 30 yard effort, before Swindon found the back of the net for the third time of the afternoon to complete an impressive comeback.

Substitute Lukas Jutkiewicz was the man on target for the Robins, firing home from eight yards with a superbly taken left-footed volley.





# **Centre of Excellence**

Firstly I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself having recently taken over as Centre of Excellence Youth Development Officer.

I have been a coach at the Centre of Excellence for over seven years now, having been taken on by Phil Cannon when he was here. I had previously run a coaching school out at Devizes before starting coaching here.

Phil Cannon started a great set-up here and Jimmy Fraser continued the work before moving on. Iffy has now moved up to the first team so my role is to carry on the good work that has been done before, and look to get the kids through the age groups and up towards the first team.

My job will see me involved with the Under 7's to the Under 16's so there is a wide scope there. I will also be recruiting players from 7 to 16-years old and will also be responsible for retaining them and releasing them. That will be the hardest part - releasing players - but that's part of the job and it has to be done when the need arises.

I will also be recruiting coaches and I must say that we have some fantastic coaches here already. We have the likes of Paul Bodin involved with the Centre and he has great experience to pass on, as well as other A-License coaches.

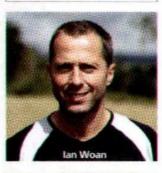
The coaches hold monthly meetings to discuss the players' development. Jeremy Newton will also become Swindon Town Centre Excellence Coordinator. He is a bubbly character and I am sure he will do well in the role.

It is a massive job but one I am looking forward to immensely.

#### Martin Allen

Aug 16	CHELTENHAM	Н	4-2
5ep 6	BOURNEMOUTH	Н	7-0
Sep 21	Yeovil Town	Ä	2-1
Oct 5	Bristol City	Д	0-3
Oct 10	Bristol Rovers	A	3-2
Nov 8	Plymouth	A	7pm
Nov 15	CARDIFF	H	2pm
Nov 29	SWANSEA	H	2pm
Dec 13	Cheltenham	Α	7pm
Jan 10	Bournemouth	А	2pm
Jan 24	YEOVIL	H	2pm
Feb 8	Swansea	A	7pm
Feb 21	BRISTOL ROV	H	2pm
Mar 7	BRISTOL CITY	Н	2pm
Apr 4	PLYMOUTH	H	2pm
Apr 19	Cardiff	Δ	2nm

Reserve Fixtures 05/06



#### Pontins Combination Table 12.10.05

P	W	D	L	F	Α	Pts
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#### Youth Fixtures 05/06 Aug 13 Cirencester Aug 20 NEWPORT H 0-0 Sep 3 Bournemouth A 1-0 Sep 10 BRISTOL ROV H 1-0 Sep 17 Swansea Sep 24 Hereford (Cup) Gillingham (Cup) A Oct 1 2-2 Oxford United A 2-1 Oct 15 EXETER CITY H 4-3 Oct 22 B'MOUTH (Cup) H 11am Oct 29 Cup R4 Cup R5 Nov 19 PLYMOUTH H 11am Nov 26 Yeavil Town A liam Cheltenham 11am Dec 10 HEREFORD 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 CHELTENHAM H 11am Feb 25 Hereford A 11am Mar 11 CIRENCESTER H 11am Newport BOURNEMOUTH H 11am

#### South West Conference Table 17.10.05

**Bristol Rovers** 

Apr 15 SWANSEA

Apr 8

A 11am

	P	W	D	L	F	Α	Pts
Plymouth	7	6	0	1	28	9	18
Swindon	7	5	2	0	16	8	17
Chelt'ham	7	3	3	1	16	9	12
Newport	6	3	2	1	14	5	11
Oxford	7	3	1	3	15	13	10
Yeovil	7	3	1	3	12	11	10
Exeter	7	3	0	4	20	21	9
B'mouth	7	3	0	4	14	17	9
Swansea	7	1	4	2	15	11	7
Bristol R	7	2	1	4	14	15	7
Cirencester	7	1	2	4	7	24	5
Hereford	6	0	0	6	5	33	0



# CITYCE HAIT DET TOWN'S HEAD CHEF ON FEEDING THE PLAYERS, MATCHDAY FOOD AND GOURMETS FOR ELTON...

#### What is life like working behind the scenes at The County Ground?

"Very hectic at times but we get things done. At the moment we are very busy and sometimes we work up to sixteen hours days."

#### How hectic do things get on a matchday?

"Pretty busy but it's all about managing things in the correct way. I am usually in around 7am on a matchday and then the other chefs arrive about an hour later. We start

probably worked about 40 hours over that weekend."

#### Were their any special requests from Elton John or Lulu when they played here?

"Unfortunately they brought in their own people who catered for them in a separate area. I am an Elton John fan so it was unfortunate not to get to meet him."

#### What sort of food do the executive guests enjoy on a matchday?

"They are not too bad and usually don't make too much of a mess. There are some regulars, such as Stef, 'Jenks' and Rory, who come back on a regular basis after training."

serving the Executive Guests around 1pm and then things guieten down, dependant on whether we have an evening function on or not."

#### Was the Elton John concert the busiest time you have experienced?

"Without doubt it was. In the lounges and suites we catered for around 600 people and Chris Abrook, Catering Manager, and I "The customers like good, simple food done well and that's what we do here. Although the food may look simple on the outside, it is not simple to prepare so quite a lot of work goes in on the preparation side."

#### Have you ever tried one of the pies from the Arkells Stand?

"Yes. We actually tested them before they were brought in to sell to the customers. Although I am

not a pastry connoisseur, they seem pretty good."

#### The players often come back for a feed after training. Are they messy eaters?

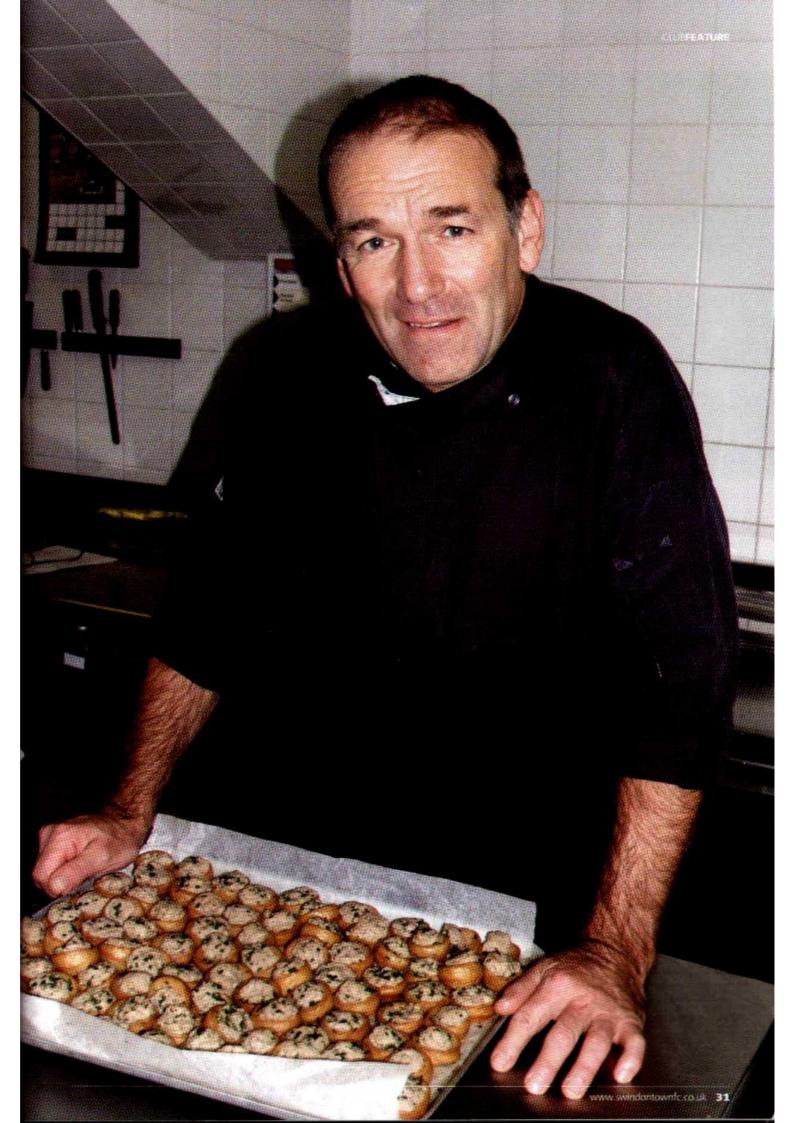
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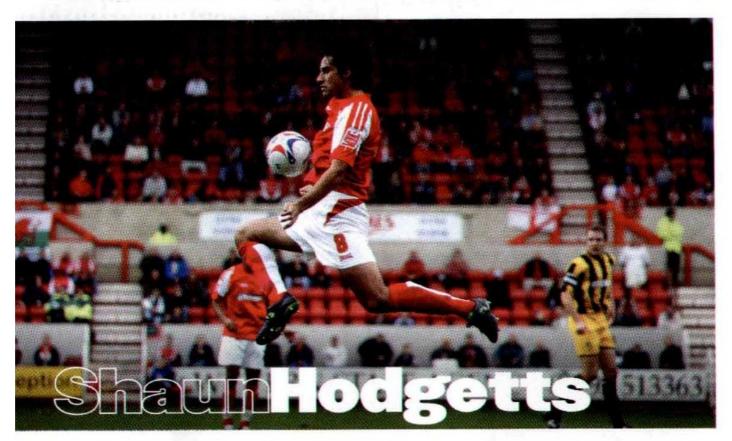
#### Who is the most famous guest you have catered for?

"There have been many 'famous' names through, but it depends on your outlook I suppose. The likes of Sir Garfield Sobers, Chubby Brown, Lenny Henry and Michael Parkinson have been served here, but being a rugby fanatic Gareth Chilcott and Dean Richards were probably the ones for me."

#### When you get some time off, where do you head for a good meal?

"Anywhere local. We are pretty well off for places to eat around the Swindon area. The Wild Duck at Ewen is always good or the Coles at Marlborough all serve good food."





#### The annual bash celebrating the best in the West is at the beginning of December...

Nominations are already being sought in the Unsung Hero category. 12 months ago, the efforts of Swindon netball coach Eileen Witts were recognised. More than 40 years service ultimately offered her the opportunity to attend the glittering Sports Personality of the Year programme in London, Andrew Flintoff is the hot favourite for the top prize after his Ashes exploits this summer. Do you know somebody who washes the kit, ferries the youngsters around or trains a team for free and deserves their 15 minutes of fame? Application forms are available by visiting our reception in Old Town, ringing 0845 3000 789 or going online to bbc.co.uk/wiltshire.

In other categories, a judging panel meets in a smokefilled room to determine the one-two-three. Last year. Sam Parkin took the Football prize while Sean O'Hanlon was a runner-up in the Young Player class. Could Rory Fallon be rewarded in 2005? He's scored in every game he's started at the County Ground this term, another one against non-league Stevenage Borough in the LDV Vans Trophy here on Tuesday night, but I don't think I saw the paintballing celebration again! It was "Hameur-time" for the other goal. Watford Ioanee Bouazza est marque un but, as they say in France. Fortunately, I remembered the translation from the days of Eric Sabin! At the final whistle, we had an interesting interview, my questions in schoolboy French, his answers in English. I had also expected to hear M.C.Hammer's "You Can't Touch This" on the tannoy at the time. Injured goalkeeper Rhys Evans had heard a similar rumour. We were delighted to have his insight into the game for our commentary on 103.6 BBC Radio Swindon. He also revealed a setback on his way

Sheffield Wednesday's Patrick Collins is the unlucky temporary transfer to have to miss out - rules are rules! In contrast, with Jack Smith sidelined by injury midweek, Michael Pook is now the only ever-present, under both Andy King and Iffy Onuora.

"It was 'Hameur-time' for the other goal. Watford loanee Bouazza est marque un but, as they say in France."

And finally, a word on last Sunday's Swindon Halfmarathon and Fun Runs. The surprise entrant was Steph Carroll, nee Cook, a Sydney 2000 Olympic gold medallist for Team GB in the Modern Pentathlon, running incognito in case she didn't live up to expectations. Second-place in the women's competition was no disgrace. The overall champion was Swindon

Harrier Nathan Montague,

Athlete of the Year?

perhaps a contender for our

to full fitness. Best wishes for a speedy recovery!

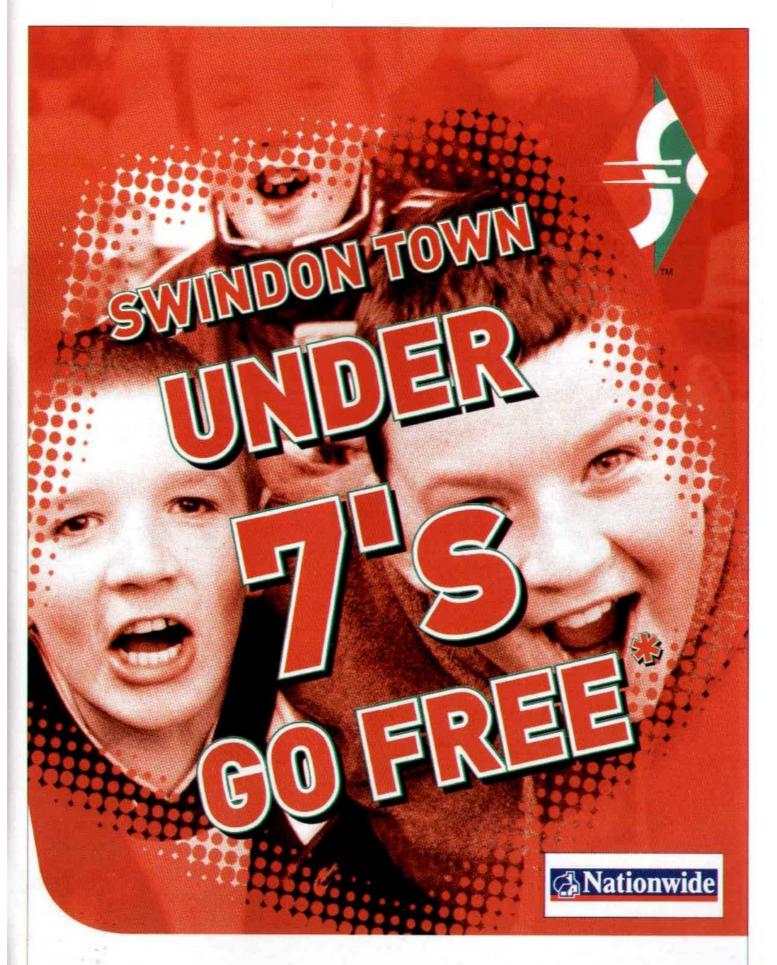
Tom Heaton, of course, is

between the sticks and with

Andy Gurney, Colin Heath

and Neale McDermott also

in the matchday squad,



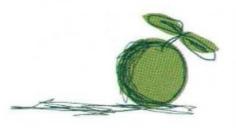
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he Town Ladies have picked one point out of six in the South West Combination League and have dropped to eighth place.

The Town entertained unbeaten Queens Park Rangers and were beaten by four goals to one. The Town were three down at the break but a better second half restricted the table topers to one more goal while a spirited last twenty minutes rewarded the Town with a consolation goal from Laura Morgan.

The Town visited Forest Green Rovers and a disappointing first half saw the Town trailing by three goals to one with Michele Brown getting the Town's goal. The half time "chat" and some reorganisation resulted in the

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Keynsham	6	5	1	0	28	8	16
Newquay	6	4	2	0	18	6	14
Chesham	6	4	1	1	35	15	13
N. Abbot	8	2	3	2	23	18	9
Clevedon	7	2	2	3	15	18	8
Plymouth	7	2	2	3	10	19	8
Swindon	7	2	1	4	12	20	7
Forest Green	7	1	3	3	13	16	6
Oxford City	7	2	0	5	14	29	6
Luton	5	1	0	4	13	11	3
Launton	5	0	0	5	1	40	0

Town having much the better of the play after the interval. Michelle Rich pulled a goal back and then had an effort disallowed for off side. A three player end to end move finished with Laura Morgan getting the equaliser.

The Town Reserves were beaten four goals to two when they played Central from Exmouth in Devon at home in the First Round of the South West Regional League Cup. April Poulden and Pam Ashman found the net for the Town. Back to league action and the Town played Bristol University at Aldbourne and were beaten by five goals to two. The Town's goals came from Laura Potter and Louise Corcoran. The Town are currently in third place in Division One (North) of the South West Regional League.

Tomorrow the Town play at home to Yeovil Town in the First Round of the Women's FA Cup. Yeovil who play in the South West Regional League, since being relegated from the South West Combination League two seasons ago, are currently in third place. The Glovers have already come through the two preliminary rounds accounting for Worcester City five nil and Reading seven nil. This game will be played at the Aldbourne FC Ground and will Kick Off at 2.00pm.

Ladies Fixtures						
Sep 4	PLYMOUTH	Н	1-2			
Sep 11	Luton Town	Α	2-1			
Sep 18	FOREST GREEN	Н	0-2			
Sep 25	Oxford City	Α	4-2			
Oct 2	Newquay	A	1-6			
Oct 9	QPR	Н	1-4			
Oct 16	Forest Green	Α	3-3			
Oct 23	YEOVIL (FAC1)	H	2pm			
Oct 30	LUTON (LC1)	H	2pm			
Nov 6	CLEVEDON	H	2pm			
Nov 13	FA Cup 2					
Nov 20	KEYNSHAM	H	2pm			
Nov 27	Chesham	Α	2pm			
Dec 4	NEWTON ABBOT	H	2pm			
Dec 11	LUTON TOWN	Н	2pm			
Dec 19	League Cup 2					
Jan 8	Plymouth	A	2pm			
Jan 22	CHESHAM	H	2pm			
Jan 29	OXFORD CITY	H	2pm			
Feb 5	NEWQUAY	H	2pm			
Feb 12	QPR	Α	2pm			
Feb 19	LAUNTON	Н	2pm			
Feb 25	Clevedon	А	2pm			
Mar 5	Keynsham	Α	2pm			
Mar 19	Newton Abbot	A	2pm			
TBC	Launton	A				

#### A bit about... Lisa Coe



Lisa started to play football with her friends, boys and girls in the local park. At Eldene Junior School she was encouraged to play football and played in the school team.

When she was at Dorcan Secondary School she played for the girls school team before joining Coleview and then Swindon Town. Lisa, who is sixteen is still a student and plays in midfield. She has represented Wiltshire County at Youth level.

HORNET HAMEUR IS LOOKING TO ADD SOME STING TO TOWN'S ATTACK

Words: Nick Judd

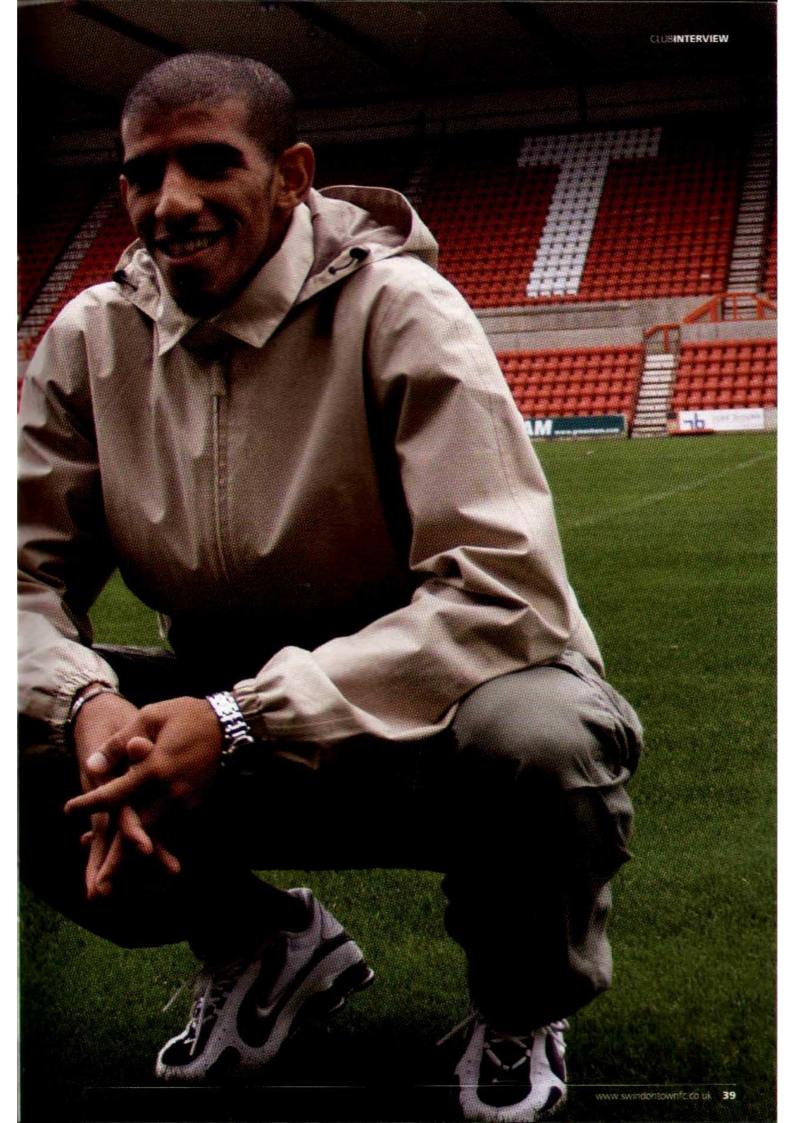
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oing on loan isn't the easiest thing to do for a young footballer. As if uprooting and moving to a new area, meeting a bunch of new team-mates and adapting to a different level of football isn't difficult enough. there's the worry that the player may have kicked the last ball for their old club, too.

Yet for some reason loan players always seem to do well at Swindon Town. There are exceptions to the rule (we won't name names!), but on the whole past players have come to SN1 in order to improve their game, and have subsequently gone on to better things.

Jimmy Davis, Johnnie Jackson, Michael Reddy, Michael Carrick, Shay Given, Tony Grant, Jerel Ifil, James Milner. you could probably field an A and B team capable of doing some damage!

And so when he checked in as iffy Onoura's first loan signing of his brief tenure with the blessing of his boss at Watford, Adrian Boothroyd, striker Hameur Bouazza joined Swindon with the intention of finding the back of the net. Three games into his Town career and following two electrifying performances against Port Vale and Brentford, the 20-year old is looking to add to his tally, as well as his reputation. If only Swindon's luck would change...



## It must have been pleasing to grab your first goal for the club on Tuesday night?

Yes definitely, it was very enjoyable. The thing now is to continue the good form and get a win against Scunthorpe United.

#### And a win too, there must have been a feeling of relief at the final whistle?

Definitely. We needed a win no matter who it was against and we can now push on from that. The LDV Vans Trophy is a good competition and there is a chance to progress now.

## How important is that result, coupled with last Saturday's draw against Brentford, to team morale?

To win games when you're

## early, something we've not been too good at recently!

It's all about confidence and a win will always improve that. For me it's about scoring goals so I cannot really talk about being confident when keeping clean sheets.

## You bring a lot of pace to the side - do you think that your game is suited to working off the headers and flicks of Rory Fallon?

Yes, but I have a lot of work to do to improve my game. I need to get my confidence back and Iffy has said that he brought me here because I have good speed, and because I am very sharp. I just want to be able to help the team and help the club move forward



in bad form is very hard. It's not that we haven't been playing well, just that we haven't been getting any luck. Hopefully now in front of goal we'll get that luck.

It must have been nice to keep a clean sheet, too, as well as hold the lead having gone ahead so

## Rory's in fine form, have you been impressed with your strike partner?

Yes, he's on fire and scoring goals - I just need to be able to help him and keep it up. and start scoring myself!

We changed the formation on Tuesday, do

## you think that gives us another option in terms of going forward?

It can be hard for the first 10-15 minutes when you change formation, but I'm happy to play in any system.

## Obviously we have plenty of strikers here at the club, what do you make of the likes of Tony Thorpe and Jamie Cureton in training?

It's all about luck and at the moment they're not getting much. But the Gaffer will give them time to improve and then it's up to them.

## Have you been impressed with Iffy Onoura since you joined the club?

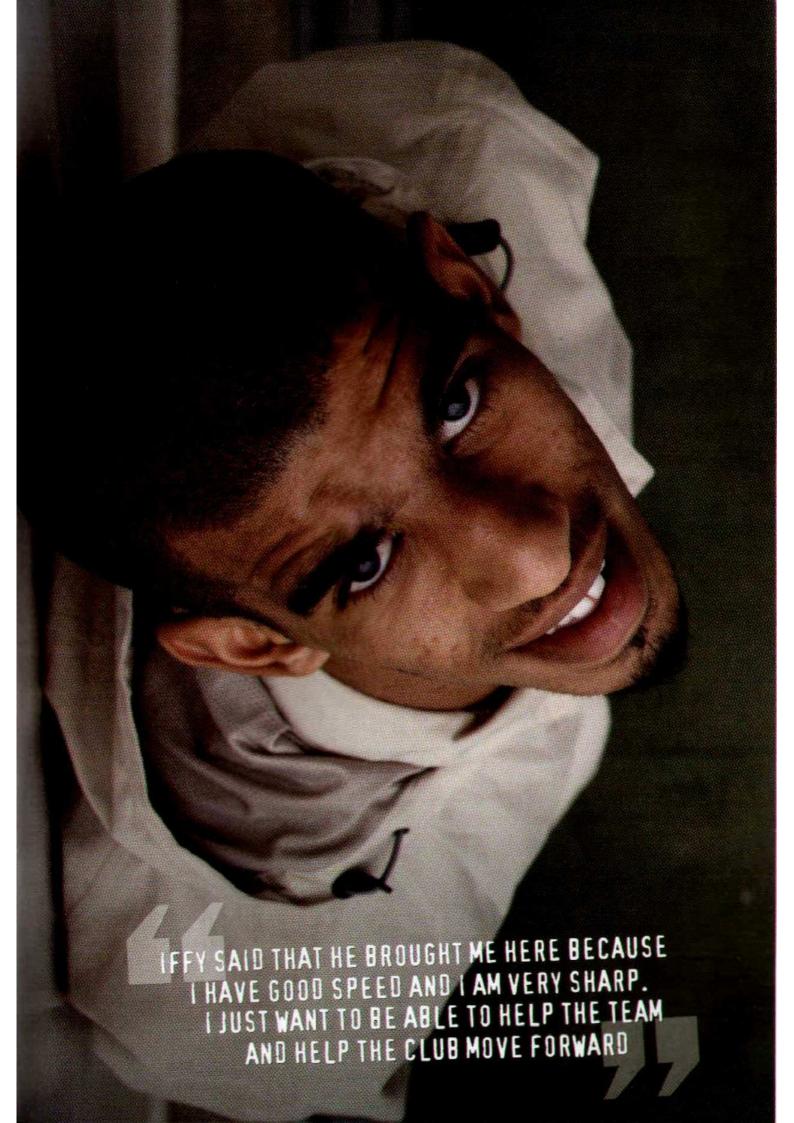
He's given me confidence. I can see he believes in me and I'd like to score some goals to repay him. I'm just enjoying the chance to be able to play games and hopefully I can take that back to Watford and continue playing well.

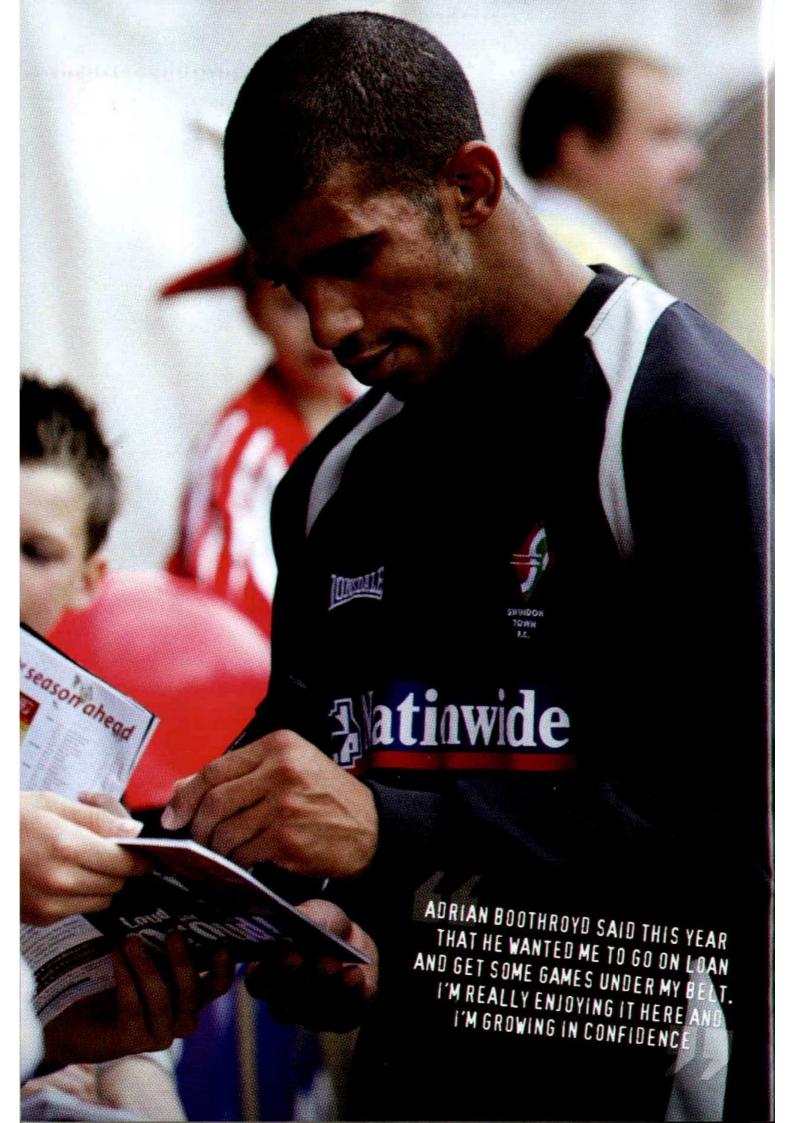
## Has he helped improve your game at all?

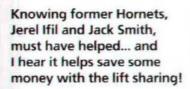
Yes, but I have a lot more work to do, I'm still very young and learning all the time so it's great experience for me to be here.

## Did you find it difficult coming into a side struggling at the wrong end of the table?

Not really. We've done well in the last few weeks - we've just not been very lucky. Sometimes the ball just doesn't want to go in but we'll carry on - it's not as if we're playing badly. In fact we're playing okay, it's just a case of waiting for our luck to change.







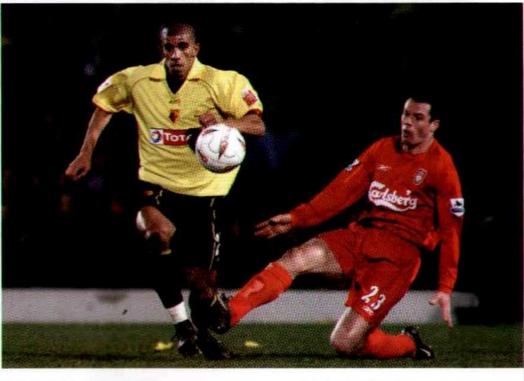
Yeah, they're good lads and good friends. They have helped me here in terms of settling in and getting to and from training!

Watford manager Adrian Boothroyd said when you left that you "still have a lot to offer Watford." - that must be pleasing.

Yes, it's really pleasing. He said this year that he wanted me to go on loan and get some games under my belt. I'm really enjoying it here too and I'm growing in confidence. Hopefully he will see that when I go back to Watford.

**Obviously Darius** Henderson has joined Watford this season. As a former Town player last season, what do you make of him as a striker and did you go to him for advice before coming here?

He's doing really well. I didn't really ask him for advice, but he's like Rory - doing very well. All I can do is wish him luck, but work hard so that I can do well as well. Not just in games, but also in training - everything comes from the training ground.



Tell us how your move to Watford came about, and what you were up to in France beforehand...

I spent two years at Auxerre and came to have a twoweek trial with Watford. They accepted me and after spending four years in the academy, I was given a three-year deal. I played for the first team and then, more recently, for the reserves. It can change so quickly.

You played an integral part last season... do you think that your lack of goals is one of the reasons why it hasn't worked out for you this season?

It's all about confidence as a striker and I was low. But I think it's going well here and I can feel the confidence coming back - I just want to score more goals.

Still, to play against the **European Champions must** have been an experience...

Very good... an amazing atmosphere. The games against Liverpool were the best time I've enjoyed in

"I would like to think Louid play in the Premiership but again... I am still young and have a lot of work to do"

England - I loved it.

You mentioned in an earlier interview that Jamie Carragher is the toughest player you've faced. Do you feel you could do a job in the Premiership playing against players of his quality?

We know he's a quality player, he has plenty of experience and I loved playing against him. It was so exciting. I would like to think I could play in the Premiership but again... I am still young and have a lot of work to do.

Do you think a) Swindon can get out of trouble and b) Watford can sustain a promotion push in the Championship.

Yes to both. It's hard to say but a few wins can change everything.

Starting today for the Town?

It's another game to focus on, we have to forget Tuesday night's win. Hopefully we can do well and Swindon can win three points.

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## ood afternoon and Gwelcome to today's allimportant home encounter with Scunthorpe United.

We would like to welcome Richard Hall as our special quest today in appreciation of all his assistance to the Football in the Community department. Richard is the Operations Manager from Stagecoach West and does a fantastic job on our holiday courses. As part of our wet-weather contingency plan, Richard provides, at often very short notice, transport for the children to the indoor facilities around Swindon which enables our courses to continue even with extreme weather conditions.

On Thursday we held our Third Annual Ability Counts Festival in Devizes. This is the culmination of a six-week coaching programme at every special school in Wiltshire. We had over 150 children attend

the Festival with a variety of disabilities taking part in a morning of coaching and teambuilding activities and an afternoon of small-sided matches. This project takes place through the partnership of Nancy Tillier at Sport England and Barry Stephens and Bev Maull of the Wiltshire FA. We would like to thank them for their ongoing support and assistance for this rewarding project.

## 'Loud and Proud' with **Bryant Homes**

Bryant Homes is supporting the 'Loud & Proud' campaign, which aims to bring enthusiasm back to the club, following the recent run of results at the County Ground.

Sales negotiators from two Bryant developments on Priory Vale, Challice Place and Steeple Chase, dressed in red on Saturday to support the team and boost

morale. As the 'Loud & Proud' campaign gains momentum, it is hoped that the team's luck will change and that Swindon Town will start moving up the table.

Bryant Homes is the official sponsor of Swindon Town's Football in the Community programme, and the funds provided by the housebuilder have enabled the project to improve and extend the programme of events and initiatives that run throughout the local area.

Football In The Community development officer, Clive Maguire, commented: "It is great to see that Bryant Homes is really getting behind the club, not only with sponsorship, but also by getting into the spirit of the 'Loud & Proud' campaign."

Enjoy the game,

Clive and Jon.



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s you will all be aware today is our designated Kick-Racism Out of Football day. We have a number of things going on during the day so keep an eye out for the many giveaways we will be offering this afternoon.

We have been working hard throughout the last year and beyond to Kick-Racism Out of Football here and today we are delighted to have a competition with us. Liam Wilkins won our competition to design a poster for Kick-Racism Out of Football and is here today at his first Swindon Town game. We hope you enjoy the game Liam and hope to see you back here again.

Also joining us today are four young men from Broad Green Youth Centre who have gained accreditations for their involvement with coaching sessions on Thursday evenings. Well done for that lads at enjoy your day here.

At half-time today we will have a small-sided game on the pitch featuring children from Drove School. These children, from varying Ethnic backgrounds, will also be running out with the players before the game and please give them all a warm welcome.

Enjoy the game today and remember if you would like to receive any further information on Ethnic Development please call me on the number below.

Luke Sharps 01793 617718

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# **Bruce Grobbelaar**

**STFC Sporting Dinner** 

ormer Liverpool goalkeeper Bruce Grobbelaar was in Town just over a week ago as guest speaker at the club's latest Sporting Club Dinner.

Grobbelaar, 48, entertained over 150 people in the Winners' Lounge recalling a variety of tales and tribulations from his life in the game.

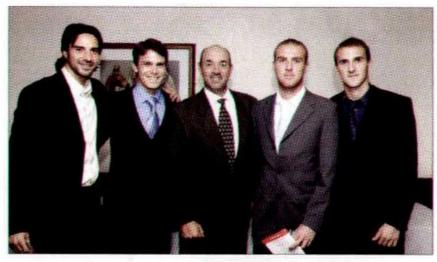
He made more than 600 appearances for Liverpool and in that time won six League titles, a European Cup, the FA Cup and League Cup three times each.

The next Sporting Club Dinner is on Thursday December 8th when the hardmen of soccer, ex-Liverpool and England star Tommy Smith and ex-Leeds and England star Norman Hunter come to The County Ground.

The compere for the evening will be Barry Williams and table prices are £495 + VAT. For more details please call Sarah Mildenhall in the Sales and Marketing Department on 01793 333718 or email sarah@swindontownfc.co.uk



▲ Compere Barry Williams in full flow telling his tractor joke.



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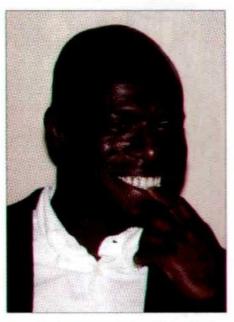
 Bruce Grobbelaar meets Chief Executive Sandy Gray, The Mayor of Swindon and Club Patron Mike Spearman.



A great display of auction items.



Brucie telling stories about his playing days at Liverpool.



 Now how can I remember all of those jokes? Iffy ponders...



Best wishes, Bruce Grobbelaar...



▲ The winner of our Irish Bingo was Dave Haydon.



Now, I may just have to have a tenner on that!



▲ The winner of next season's FA Cup will be Spurs, I know.....?

## **In The** News



Tens of thousands of Britain's miners go on strike in protest against job losses.

The USSR announces it will boycott the 1984 Los Angeles Olympic Games in protest of the commercialisation of the games and a lack of security measures.



Britain agrees to hand Hong Kong back to China in an historic agreement. The deal ends 155 years of British rule

in the colony. The change over will take place in 1997.

The EEC donates £1.8 million in aid to combat the famine in Ethiopia.





The English pound note is replaced by pound coins after 150 years in circulation.

A bomb explodes at the Conservative party conference in Brighton, killing 5 people & injuring many more.



ust one point separated today's teams when 1984/85 finished and while that left Swindon and Scunthorpe in 8th and 9th respectively, that still left the teams 76th and 77th in the Football League.

Scunthorpe had just dropped down to Division Four after a season in the third and under the guidance of new manager Frank Barlow were making an assault on an immediate return.

A period of re-adjustment was necessary. Draws in the first two games were followed

by four defeats that left the side 23rd in the table, but by November when the Irons travelled to Swindon they had hoisted themselves to 13th. One place behind were Town, and the 0-0 draw did nothing to separate the teams.

That changed in March though.

Leigh Barnard and Peter Coyne scored for Town in the game at The Old Showground, but no less than six players were on the score sheet for Scunthorpe as United struck half a dozen.

In the days before the playoffs anything less than a top



Ghostbusters

Beverly Hills Cop

Gremlins

Nightmare On Elm Street



Indiana Jones & the Temple of Doom

The Karate Kid

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The Terminator



four finish went un-rewarded. A defeat and three draws from the last four games left Scunthorpe five places short.

Perhaps Town fell victim to another delay in the rule changes. With seven games to go Town lay 10th, and today four straight wins could lift a club significantly up the table. But under two-points-for-a-win, they only took Town to 7th.

Two points from the last three games concluded the season, with Town on 72 points and Scunthorpe on 71.

And there was little light relief in the cups either. A 1-0 win at Eastville over Bristol Rovers in the first round of the Milk Cup

was never going to overcome the disaster of a 5-1 defeat in the previous leg.

The FA Cup was even worse! A 0-0, first round draw

at Dagenham led to a 2-1 home defeat in the replay. To put that in perspective, The Daggers were to finish fourth from bottom of the Gola League, now the Conference.

Scunthorpe at least made the second round of each competition, the most notable game culminating in elimination from the Milk Cup by First Division Aston Villa.

In case it escaped anyone's notice, last month England's cricket team reclaimed the Ashes and a name associated with cricket glory of a different era made his last two football appearances in 1985.

Ian Botham turned out twice as a substitute for Scunthorpe before calling time on his aspirations as a striker.

At the season's end. Chesterfield finished champions of Division Four. They had succumbed by four goals to nil on New Year's Day at the County Ground, a significant victory in a largely anonymous season for Town.

Scunthorpe's top scorer was

Steve Cammack with 24 league goals, with Julian Broddle on 14 and Mike Brolly on nine. All three had scored against Town in March.

For Swindon, Colin Gordon, Peter Coyne and Alan Mayes (above) finished on 17. 15 and 10 respectively. Previous star striker Andy Rowland was ever present, but played all bar one game at centre back. Goalkeeper Scott Endersby also played every match and player/ manager Lou Macari made 26 appearances in the penultimate season of his playing career.

Words: Dave Wallis

99 Red Balloons Nena



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Hello Lionel Richie



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Frankie Goes To Hollywood

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Do They Know It's Christmas Band Aid

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The escape route was found shortly after he had disappeared. Bars in a window at the end of a landing had been sawn away and a rope ladder hung down inside the prison wall.



On the Box

The Bill The A-Team



Spitting Image

Robin of Sherwood





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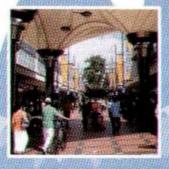
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Today's match is being sponsored by the Swindon Town Supporters Club 50/50 draw.

## Half-Time Draw

The latest winning ticket was 666 which paid £389 to Emma Haines of Chippenham.

## Come on you Reds!

There is no doubt that the Football Club is again facing difficult times, both on and off the field.

Many fans stick with the club through thick and thin and whilst they may not be necessarily be happy with every facet of the club they are still prepared to help fund a professional football within the Town. They do this through purchase of season or match day tickets, or support fund raising or commercial activities.

There are others who seem content to jump on the "anti" this or

that bandwagon, and voice there opinions in a destructive manner, whilst at the same time professing to withdraw their support until things get better. Which actually, when they do this, only makes things worse.

The critical comments on airwayes, by people who often may not perhaps go to matches, or who may criticise out of blind ignorance, only delays potential improvements at the club, both on and or off the field.

At this vital time we would urge everyone, who ever you may be, to put up by attending matches etc, or shut up. At present negative comments are not what is needed as the Club fights for survival in League 1 and perhaps even its own future.

The 'Red Army - Loud and Proud' campaign at the last home game started to bring a positive air back to the Football Club, continued by the enthusiastic support at Brentford.

Can you, will you, continue to help move it forward?

If you are stuck for things to do to help the Club, why not contact us and we will find a way for you to help, including helping us with :-

- . The half-time draw (we expect to pass our 100,000 ticket sales later during the season)
- · Pounds for points in support of youth development
- Scratch card lottery
- · Red Army fund (jointly with Trust STFC)

We are, after all, 100% RED

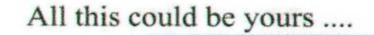
Can you help and yourself do that bit more? If you can Contact Roger Bunce on 01865 820499.

Finally, welcome back to Mark Devlin. We enjoyed a fine relationship with Mark during his previous term. We look forward to developing that, still further.



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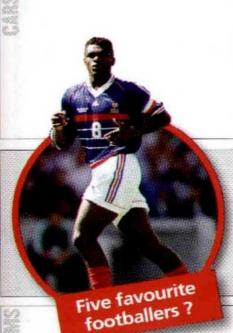
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## **Jack Smith**



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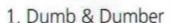
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Five favourite cars?

- 1. Ronaldo 2. Pele
- 3. Zinedine Zidane
- 4. Marcel Desailly

5. Ronaldinho



2. Lord of the Rings

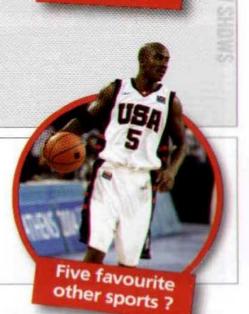
- 3. The Usual Suspects
  - 4. A Time to Kill
- 5. Menace II Society



Five favourite movies?



- 1. The O.C.
- 2. Friends
- 3. The Office
- 4. MTV Cribs
- 5. Will & Grace
  - 1. Golf
  - 2. Snooker
- 3. Basketball
  - 4. Cricket
  - 5. Tennis





## **Swindon Town**

Fallon, 4, Bouazza, 53



Stevenage Borough

Swindon earned a morale boosting win against Stevenage Borough as goals by Rory Fallon and Hameur Bouazza earned a place in the draw for the LDV Trophy Southern Section Second Round, wrote STFC Sports

Reporter Adrian Smith.

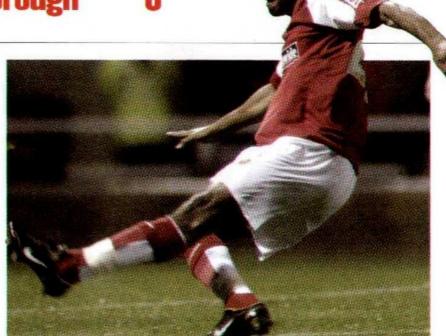
Swindon took the lead at a damp County Ground in the 4th minute when Christian Roberts laid the ball off to Neale McDermott on the right wing and his looping cross was headed home by Rory Fallon for his 8th goal of the season. This was no more than the Robins deserved after a bright, positive start to the match.

Three minutes later Hameur Bouazza did well to intercept a ball out of defence and he took several paces forward before sending in a low shot which went just wide of the upright and there were signs that Town were going all out to try and get a second goal.

Hameur Bouazza was again involved in a couple of lively attacks in the space of a minute when he fired in a powerful shot after receiving the ball from Gareth Whalley and shortly afterwards Bouazza tricked his way into the area but his shot lacked power and was easily saved.

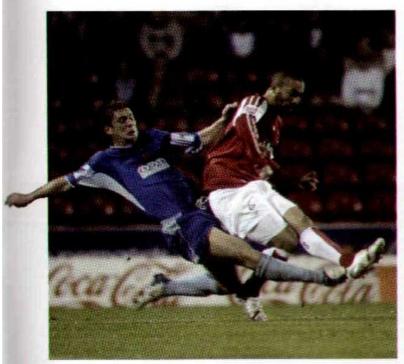
Christian Roberts then went close with an ambitious left footed effort before Pook headed over from the edge of the area with Gore backpedaling.

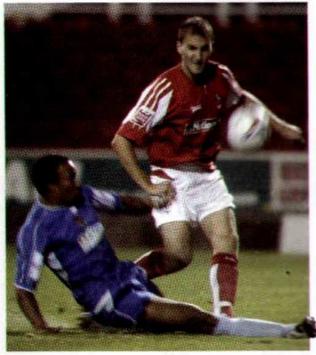
After going in one up at the break, Neale McDermott was impeded in the 53rd minute when charging towards goal and the resulting free-kick led to Town doubling their lead through Hameur Bouazza. The Frenchman fired home from an acute angle after a shot by Fallon had been parried by keeper Gore. The striker gleefully celebrated his debut goal for Iffy Onuora's team and eased any nerves amongst the Town players.

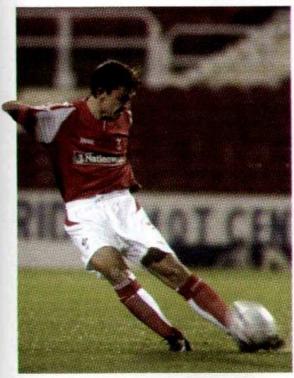


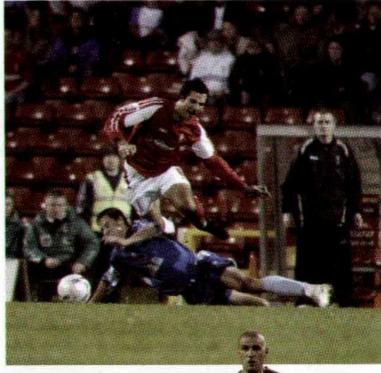












## Swindon Town vs. Stevenage Borough

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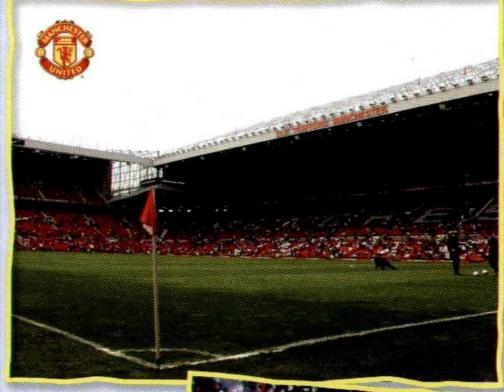
## JR's on Tour

Good afternoon and welcome to all Junior Robins here at today's game.

On Thursday 27th October 2005, we will be taking a coach to Old Trafford - 'The Theatre of Dreams' - to the home of Manchester United FC.

The trip will include a tour of the stadium, including a visit to the dressing rooms and tunnel area. Some great players, including George Best, Eric Cantona, David Beckham, Ruud Van Nistelrooy and Wayne Rooney have all prepared themselves for some of the biggest matches in the club's history.

There will also be a visit to the superb museum, where you can find exhibits capturing many memorable moments in their long and distinguished history. Prices are £20 Junior Robins and £25 adults. The coach leaves for the trip at 8.30am from The County Ground



Also, on Monday 31st October we will be hosting another of our 'Meet the Players' night. As this is Halloween anyone attending in fancy dress will be entered into a prize draw. The evening will start at 6.45pm.

Enjoy the game today,

Andrea



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



# UNDER 7's

## HAPPY BIRTHDAYS

James Walters Jonathan Pill Lee Matthews Lauren Woolhouse Martha Robinson Vicki Eyles Christopher Head Callum Jones William Dyer Simon Porter Brad Byrom Chloe Burnett Dan Wainwright Darren Aylett Maxwell Johnson Michael Lane Kieran Shail Alexander White Lewis Page Paul Barnes Grace Bouwers Dominic Gregorace John Herman Ben Curtis

com; 10, 762 fans. City; 7. Sam Parkin; 8. Seven; 9. 888. TOWN; 5. Steve Jenkins; 6. Morwich 2. Eight, 3. Watford, 4. Huddersheld Quick Quiz Answers: 1. The Iron;

- 1. What is Scunthorpe United's nickname?
- 2. How many goals has Rory Fallon scored so far this season?
- 3. From which club did STFC sign Hameur Bouazza?
- 4. Who do Town play away next weekend?
- 5. Who wears the number 6 shirt for Swindon Town?

- 6. Which team plays its home matches at Carrow Road?
- 7. Who was top scorer for Swindon Town last season?
- 8. How many different clubs has Alan Reeves played for?
- 9. Who are shirt sponsors of Middlesbrough?
- 10. How many Swindon fans travelled to Brentford last Saturday?

## TODAY'S MASCOTS



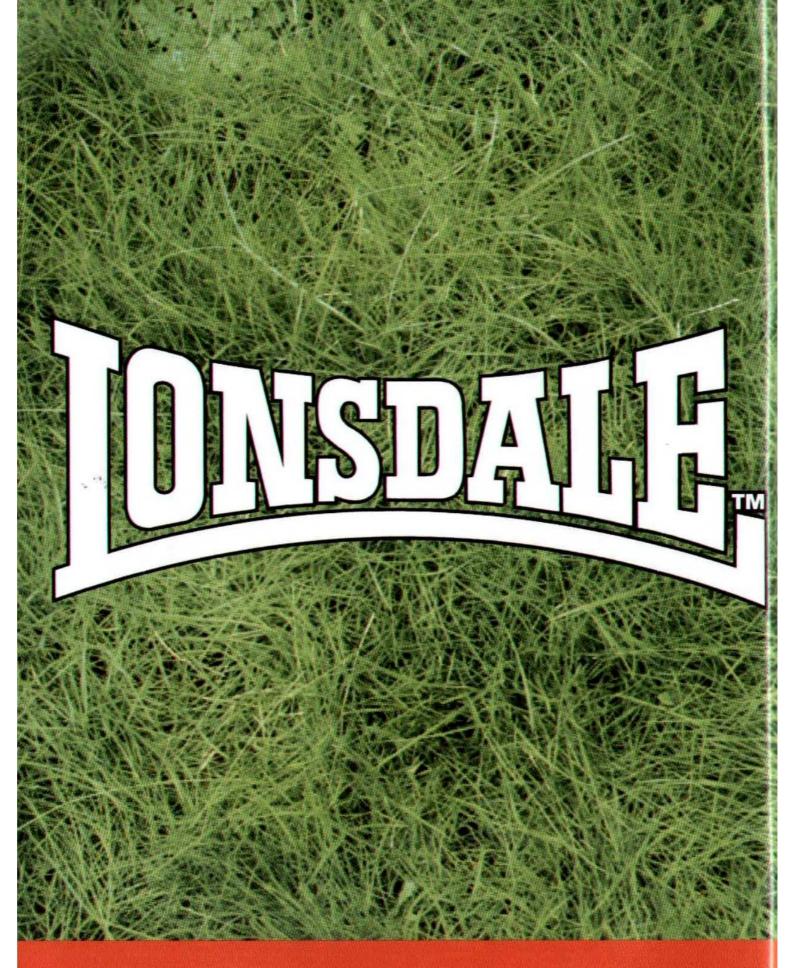
Scott Langham

Scott Langham is 8-years old and attends Gorse Hill School. His favourite player is Rhys Evans and his hobbies are playing on his playstation and goalkeeping.



Lewis Tavener

Lewis, who lives in Chippenham, is here today celebrating his 11th birthday. He plays football with FC Chippenham and also rugby for his hometown. He goes to school at St Peters Primary school and his favourite player is Rory Fallon.





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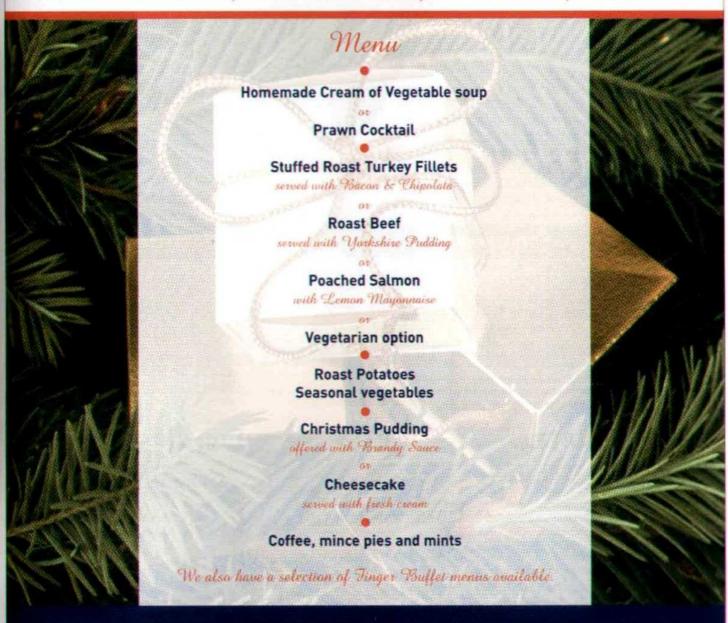
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Please state clearly the game(s) you wish to buy tickets for, the number of tickets you want, what type of ticket (Adult, OAF, Student or Junior) the value and your credit or Debit Card details including your name and address. State if you wish to collect the tickets or have them posted.

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Payment can be made by cash, cheque (made payable to Swindon Town Footbil Club - no later than five days before travel) or by credit/ debit card. All bookings must be paid for at the time of booking.

#### Away Travel - 01793 536 757

SAS Travel organise coach trips for all away games. Their County Ground Booking Office is open on Tuesdays and Thursdays between 10'00am & 2:00pm and on Thursday evenings between 7:00pm & 9:00pm and before all Home games until 15 minutes before kick off. The SAS Travel Club 24-hour answer phone info service is 01793-825935





Ticket Prices	Arkells / N	lationwide	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	19.00	£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 Huddersfield Town



#### Galpharm Stadium

Saturday 29th October '05 Coca-Cola League One Kick-Off 3pm

#### **Ticket Prices**

Adult £16.00 Student £11.00 OAP £8.00 £5.00 Junior

Town are currently waiting for allocation details to be confirmed. All tickets are pay on the day. Student tickets are only available from the Main Ticket Office at the Galpharm Stadium OAP must be over 60, Juniors under 16.

#### vs Port Vale



#### Vale Park

Saturday 19th November '05 Coca-Cola League One Kick-Off 3pm

#### **Ticket Prices**

£18,50 Adults OAP £11.00 Student £12.00 £8.50

Town are currently waiting for allocation details to be confirmed. All tickets are pay on the day. Student tickets are only available from the main ticket office with a valid NUS card, OAP must be over 60, Juniors under 16.

## **Cup Tickets...**

## vs. FA Cup 1st Round



#### Venue TBC...

Saturday 5th November '05 FA Cup Round 1 Kick-Off 3pm

The draw for the first round proper of the FA Cup takes place after today's game. The draw will be screened live on BBC 1 and Sky Sports News from 5.10pm.

For reaction & ticket prices, check the official website at www.swindontownfc.co.uk.



## NEXT HOME

## vs. Bristol City

Friday 11th November 2005 Coca-Cola League One, The County Ground, 7.45pm



Always keenly awaited, our next League match at the County Ground is against our old rivals Bristol City.

Both teams have undergone managerial upheaval already this season. Brian Tinnion was relieved of his position at Ashton Gate earlier in the season and replaced by Gary Johnson, who had already brought his Yeovil Town side to Wiltshire.

Tinnion had been given little over a year to make an impression in Bristol in his first managerial appointment, but Johnson moved north through Somerset with international experience under his belt through a spell leading Latvia.

He had an immediate impact in Bristol when City inflicted Brentford's only home defeat so far in his first match in charge.

That though has been an all-to-rare bright spot in City's season so far. Below Town in League One for much of the start, City are still too close to the bottom for comfort.

A 65th minute Luke Wilkshire goal gave City a 1-0 win over Tranmere last weekend at Ashton Gate, a win that lifted Johnson's new team two points above the relegation zone.

Last season was a good one for the Wiltshire Robins, with Town taking four points from six and recording a victory in the LDV Vans Trophy over their similarly feathered opposition.

This year's contest could bring head-to-head meetings between Grant Smith and Matt Heywood for City, and Christian Roberts for Town, all of whom have worn the red of both Robins.

A home draw in the FA Cup might still pop up before we face Bristol City, but currently our next match takes place on Friday 11th November 2005 with a 7:45 kick-off.



## NEXT AWAY

## vs. Huddersfield Town

Saturday 29th October 2005 Coca-Cola League One, Galpharm Stadium, 3.00pm





If we are to turn our season around, we can expect to face some daunting challenges.

At the start of the week, Town were five points adrift at the bottom of League One while Saturday's opponents' home win over Walsall last weekend took them to the very top of the table. Huddersfield Town are having a great season, having collected 30 points from 14 games.

Last season Pawel Abbott struck 26 goals and at the beginning of this week he has already hit 11 this time around. Andy Booth got 10 and Luke Beckett fired six in just seven games while on loan from Sheffield United.

This term Gary Taylor-Fletcher has struck seven, Danny Schofield has six, and Booth has another four. Iffy will be envious of that sort of versatility in front of goal.

Last season saw a convincing 4-0 victory for the Terriers in their penultimate game of the season. Two goals from Abbott, one from Booth and a single from Rob Edwards saw us off with our tails between our legs.

Abbott had already scored in the 2-1 win over Town at the County Ground in December. Chris Brandon got the other while Grant Smith got ours in the last minute.

Altogether, that contributed to leave the Terriers in ninth place, three places above Swindon at the close of 2004/05.

Everyone needs to pull together in times of crises. This will be the next task Iffy's boys will face as we attempt to put things right.

Town's away support is often nothing short of amazing. Give the boys all the support you





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4 • Brentford	14	7	4	3	19	12	25	+7		
s - Scunthorpe	14	6	3	5	23	21	21	+2		
6 Port Vale	14	6	3	5	16	15	21	+1		
7 - Bradford	14	5	5	4	19	16	20	+3		
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STFC Player Appearances & Goals 2005/06

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Sat Aug 6	Barnsley	Α	0-2	9,358	635	23rd	A.Leake
Tue Aug 9	OLDHAM ATHLETIC	Н	2-3	5,123	324	24th	P.Armstron
Sat Aug 13	NOTTINGHAM FOREST	H	2-1	8,201	2,498	19th	A.D'Urso
Sat Aug 20	Blackpool	Α	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	Н	4-2+	6,973	1,342	14th	P.Walton
Mon Aug 29	Tranmere Rovers	Α	0-1	7,557	249	14th	E.Ilderton
Sat Sep 3	Walsall	А	0-1	5,392	325	16th	T.Kettle
Sat Sep 10	SOUTHEND UNITED	Н	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	2-3	4,590	292	23rd	A.Bates
Tue Sep 27	Doncaster Rovers	Α	0-1	5,282	201	24th	N.Miller
Sat Oct 1	Milton Keynes Dons	Α	1-3	5,536	900	24th	J.Singh
Sat Oct 8	PORT VALE	н	1-2	4,531	189	24th	P.Melin
Sat Oct 15	Brentford	Α	0-0	6,969	762	24th	P.Walton
Tue Oct 18	STEVENAGE BOROUGH ((DV1)	Н		1,771	60	+	D.Whitest
Sat Oct 22	SCUNTHORPE UNITED	Н					
Sat Oct 29	Huddersfield Town	A					
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Sat Nov 26	BARNSLEY			******			
Sat Dec 3	(FA Cup Round 2)	- 11					
Tue Dec 6	Rotherham United	A					
Sat Dec 10	Oldham Athletic	A					
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Sat Dec 17							
Mon Dec 26	COLCHESTER UNITED	H		3.00pm			
Wed Dec 28	Chesterfield SWANSEA CITY	A		3.00pm	=100000		W
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Mon Jan 2	Hartlepool United	A	0000000	3.00pm			
Sat Jan 7	WALSALL (or FAC3)	Н					
Sat Jan 14	Gillingham	A					
Sat Jan 21	BOURNEMOUTH	H					
Fri Jan 27	Southend United	A		7.45pm			
Sat Feb 4	DONCASTER ROVERS	H				01.101	
Sat Feb 11	Bradford City	A					
Tue Feb 14	GILLINGHAM	Н					
Sat Feb 18	ROTHERHAM UNITED	Н					
Sat Feb 25	Nottingham Forest	A					
Sat Mar 4	TRANMERE ROVERS	H					
Sat Mar 11	Yeovil Town	A					
Sat Mar 18	Colchester United	Α					
Sat Mar 25	CHESTERFIELD	Н					
Sat Apr 1	Swansea City	Α					
Sat Apr 8	HARTLEPOOL UNITED	Н					
Sat Apr 15	MILTON KEYNES DONS	Н					
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Jamie CURETON		Ian BARACLOUGH	11
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Matty BULMAN	ПП	Adam CAPP	13
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Kyle LAPHAM		Wayne CORDEN	16
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Christian ROBERTS		Andy BUTLER	18
Michael POOK		Andrew KEOGH	19
Patrick COLLINS		Marcus WILLIAMS	21
Ben WELLS		Tom EVANS	22
Andy CATON		Rob SMITH	23
Neale McDERMOTT		Billy SHARP	24
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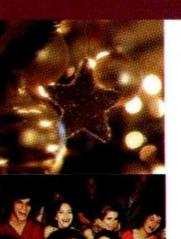




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