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Good afternoon and welcome to this afternoon's game with Bury back at The County Ground.

Last weekend we travelled down to Torquay and managed to come away with the vital win which has put us back up into the promotion places.

We have churned a result but not played well which, if we are going for promotion,

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Micky Evans very well and Phil Smith had a solid game. I am a great believer in continuity and he made two great saves again last weekend. He will get another start this afternoon because he has deserved his chance.

Unfortunately we come into today's game with a couple of injuries. Paul Evans came off early on last weekend with a knee injury. He had a scan in midweek

We had lost our two league games prior to going down to Devon and it was vital to get back on track. Ady and Jerel handled Micky Evans very well and Phil Smith had a solid game...

then we have to do that. The back four and goalkeeper did very well but as an offensive unit, we were disappointing.

The expectation levels after the Carlisle game were high but a win is a win and it's another three points under our belts. The penalty decision went our way and we got the rub of the green on this occasion.

We had lost our two league games prior to going down to Devon and it was vital to get back on track. Ady and Jerel handled but at the time of writing we don't know the extent of his lay-off. Michael Pook also sustained a knee injury he picked up his fifth yellow of the campaign last weekend so misses today's game through suspension anyhow.

Andy Monkhouse and Charlie Comyn-Platt have now both left the club on one month loan deals. Andy had been out with a hamstring injury and with the limited reserve games we have this season I felt it best for him to get out and get





some regular matches under his belt. We have good cover on the left hand side of midfield with Sofienne Zaaboub and Aaron Brown in contention at present.

Sofienne had another solid game last weekend and soldiered up and down the left flank. Andy Caton and David Stroud can also play there so there are options for us. Charlie is in a similar situation after injury and has joined Grays Athletic and I think he will benefit from regular games.

Michael Timlin joined us on Thursday afternoon in a loan deal which will see him stay with us until January 1st 2007. I have seen him play for the Republic of Ireland Under 21 side and also for Fulham so know what he is capable of. He has experience in League One and I am sure he will definitely do a job here.

The next opportunity for us to bring players in will be January now. I have people in mind but until people have signed I don't get carried away. If players do come in January then they would be permanent moves and for those players who want to play for this football club.

Bury had an enthralling encounter with Weymouth in midweek for their FA Cup First Round replay. Bury have now had one defeat in nine and that will probably make them favourites this afternoon.

Chris Casper has an excellent record and hopefully in a few games time we too will have a record to be proud of. Bury have two excellent strikers, a decent midfield and a mean defence so we will have to be on our guard. If we can take our form from the Carlisle game into this afternoon's encounter then hopefully we will come out with the result we all want.

The next month or two will bring its own pressure and we have to try and cement our place in the top three. I think every game brings pressure after relegation last season. This team has known how to win since the start of the season and we have to kick on now. There are challenges ahead for us and we have to be ready for them, starting today.

Paul Sturrock

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BOARDROOM NOTES Acting Chief Executive, Martyn Starnes



Good afternoon and welcome to this afternoon's League Two contest with Bury.

It has been another busy week for the club and I will now try and update you with all the goings on here at The County Ground.

I think we have pulled off something of a coo in getting Paul to the club because he is an experienced manager who knows how to get teams out of this division. He has made his presence felt and has now met all the staff and he has had the maintenance team working hard making changes at the Fans Forum in the Executive Lounge last week. It proved an ideal opportunity for supporters to meet Paul for the first time and there was a wide range of questions. Those listening got a good feel for what he is all about and our thanks to BBC Radio Swindon for hosting the event.

At the time of writing we are trying to add to the squad ahead of Thursday's deadline. The transfer deadline means that from 12pm Thursday 23rd November we will not be able to add to the squad until 1st January, with the exception of an emergency goalkeeper. Paul has several targets

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Paul has several targets in mind and I am sure by the time you read these notes we will have made additions to the squad with the possibility of a player or two having departed on a temporary basis...

to his office. The canopies outside the Winners Lounge have now been removed and a press room has now been created for post-match interviews. Paul has the club at heart and has been getting involved 'off the pitch' which has been well received. in mind and I am sure by the time you read these notes we will have made additions to the squad with the possibility of a player or two having departed on a temporary basis.

The FA Cup competition makes a welcome return to The County Ground next weekend with the visit of Morecambe in Round Two. We don't budget for cup income aside from the first stage so getting into the Third Round would be fantastic news for us. It is vital that we make it into the next round with the possibility of a Premiership tie, and the added revenue and profile that would bring, here at The County Ground.

There is now just a month to go until Christmas which is an extremely important time for the club off the pitch as well as on it. There is a Comedy Evening booked in for Thursday 7th December which is a new type of event for us and something I know people are looking forward to. This event is nearly sold out so great credit to the Sales and Marketing Department for this and hopefully this trend will continue through the other forthcoming events. For more details on forthcoming events just call the Sales and Marketing Department on 01793 333718.

Enjoy the game today and hopefully we can look ahead to next week's FA Cup game with another three points behind us.

Martyn Starnes

It was good to see several of you

LEGENDS RETURN!

Swindon Town today welcome another set of legends to the club and they will all be enjoying pre-match hospitality in the executive area as part of the club's 125th Anniversary celebrations.

JOE BUTLER signed from Newcastle United in 1965 and his tenacious manner of play soon made him a great favourite. He scored 21 times in 428 appearances and was a member of the team that were victorious at Wembley on that famous afternoon in March 1969. He then played a season with Aldershot and has been involved in the taxi industry for a number of years.

ARTHUR HORSFIELD joined Swindon after playing for both Newcastle and Middlesborough. 'King Arthur' soon became a cult hero with the Town End scoring a hat trick against Roma in an Anglo Italian Match. Arthur scored a total of 57 goals in 132 appearances before moving onto Charlton and Watford where he netted over 70 more goals. Arthur now lives in Gravesend and is a



manager for Royal Mail.

WILLIE PENMAN also played for Newcastle United before joining the club in 1966. A very skilful player, Willie netted 22 times in 120 games and came on as substitute for John Smith at Wembley. He later played for Walsall and had periods of management at both Cheltenham and Dundalk, before setting up his own sports business in Walsall were he still lives.

CHRIS JONES signed for the Town in 1968 from First Division Manchester City for whom he made his league debut. A very hard working player Chris came off the bench on many occasions to net a vital goal, none more so than the winner at Rotherham which clinched promotion for the 68/69 team. Chris netted a total of 20 goals in 78 games before returning north where he netted over 100 goals in the rest of his career, he now lives in York.

Town legends DON ROGERS and JOHN TROLLOPE are also with the party this afternoon. We hope you all enjoy your day!

DEADLINE DEALS

hursday's loan deadline came and went with two players leaving SN1 and one new signing arriving.

Fulham midfielder Michael Timlin has signed for the club until 1st January 2006. Timlin is a talented central midfielder and he has spent loan spells at Scunthorpe United and Doncaster Rovers.

> He started his Fulham career as a left-winger but was converted to central midfield by Fulham's then Academy Director, Steve Kean. The switch paid remarkable dividends for the player as he made rapid through the Academy's ranks and on to the international stage with the Republic of Ireland. Last season Timlin made two appearances for Fulham and captained the Republic of Ireland Under 21 side to victory in the Madeira Cup.



Andy Monkhouse has left the club for a month's loan spell at Hartlepool United, whilst Charlie Comyn-Platt also departed with Andy King's Grays Athletic the destination, also on a one month loan deal.



PRIORITY SYSTEM IN PLACE

Swindon Town Supporters are reminded that there is a priority booking system in place should the club secure a place into the Third Round of the FA Cup.

Supporters should retain their ticket stubs from the home games with Bury this weekend and the FA Cup Second Round tie with Morecambe on Saturday 2nd December. Season Ticket holders will also have priority access to tickets.

For more information please call the STFC Box Office on 0870 443 1894.



MARATHON EFFORT

Swindon Town FC would like to pass on their congratulations to Drew Gillies who recently completed the New York Marathon.

Drew was taking part to raise money for a charity called Dreams who provide treats and surprises for children with terminal illnesses. He raised £3,214 for the cause (www.justgiving.com/agillies) and completed the marathon in 4 hours 16 mins.

The first thing he donned after the marathon was his trusty STFC scarf to keep warm! Drew, above left, is pictured with brother Frazer shortly after completing the race.



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Burghley Fields is located just off Thamesdown Drive in Taw Hill. For more information please call the marketing suite on 01793 747459.



POOK MISSES OUT

Town midfielder Michael Pook will miss today's game with Bury after picking up his fifth yellow card of the season.

Pook is now just one game away from his 50th league appearance in a Town shirt but will have to wait after picking up his fifth caution of the season at Plainmoor.

A product of the Swindon Town Centre of Excellence. Pook has come up through the ranks from youth team captain – where he featured as a striker – before setting into his central midfield role.

CLUB THANKS

Swindon Town this week received a letter of thanks from the family of Sam Burton who attended the home game with Carlisle United.

Burton, who made 509 appearances for Town between 1946 and 1961, enjoyed hospitality on the day and in a letter to the club, Sam Burton's daughters wrote.

"Dad hasn't stopped talking about it since. Nothing was too much trouble for your staff and you treated him like a King. He had the time of his life and Mike Spearman was fabulous making us all feel really welcome."



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Saturday 11th November 2006 County Ground, 3pm Referee: K Wright Attendance: 4,938

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Getting back to winning ways, that's what we wanted. A wirn is a nice confidence boost, especially against a team in a higher division. It's nice to get a win in the FA Cup, but ultimately, we want to get out of the league. I think if we play well, we can beat any side." Jerel Ifil. Town defonder

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They said what...?!

The seen the good and the bad of Swindon. I'm not looking forward to the ugly For the standards we achieved last week, we were very disappointing. Defensively we were reasonable but going forward we were a shadow of what we were last week."

Paul Sturrock, Swindon Town Manager

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GAPTAIN'S COLUMN

with Ady Williams



Good afternoon and welcome to The County Ground for this home encounter with Bury.

I would like to extend a warm welcome to Bury manager Chris Casper. 'Casp' and I were players together at Reading and although I was far superior to him on the rowing machine, we have remained good friends and stay in touch on a regular basis on the phone.

Last week we made the journey down to Torquay United for another tough away fixture. Thankfully we came back with all three points but it was by no means a classic encounter. The conditions were poor and the wind was strong so sometimes you have to grind out a performance and I though we did just that. 'Robbo' scored from the spot after 'Peacs' had been nudged in the back after preparing for a trademark leap for a header on goal. It was one of those decisions that could have gone either way but personally I think the referee got it spot on! I don't often single players out but I thought Phil Smith was excellent last weekend. Goalkeepers will always be judged on the amount of goals they concede but Phil's all-round game was first class. He is becoming more confident with every match he plays. Another bright spot was the amount of fans we took down to Plainmoor! Yet again you turned out in force and although I am repeating myself, your support really does make a difference so please keep it up.

It seems a little while since we beat Carlisle United in the FA Cup First Round. It was a very good team performance against a side who ran away with League Two last year and are now pushing for promotion into the Championship. In recent years I think a Swindon cup run has been something of a struggle, but hopefully this time around we can do something in the FA Cup. The competition generates much-needed revenue and it gives everyone a big buzz from when the draw is made to matchday. Our opponents next weekend, Morecambe, will be no pushovers and their position in the Conference league table certainly shows this. The FA Cup Third Round draw is a special time and we will be doing our best to make sure our name is in the hat.

Our visitors today Bury had an FA Cup First Round replay in the week and despite an early scare, overcame Weymouth at Gigg Lane to secure a place in Round Two. Hopefully we will be the ones with the three points at 4.45pm today.

Enjoy the game.

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MANAGER

CHRIS CASPER

Ardent Swindon Town fans may remember Bury manager Chris Casper who enjoyed a loan spell at The County Ground back in September 1997. The defender joined Town on a two-month loan from Manchester United and made ten appearances for The Robins, scoring one goal.

Burnley-born Casper, son of former Bury coach Frank Casper, joined The Shakers at the start of the 2003/04 season as Youth Team Manager after his own playing career was halted through a severe injury.

Chris joined Manchester United as a trainee in 1991 and signed professional in January 1993. He captained the England Youth team and was a member of their European Championship winning side in 1993 and the England under 21 sides in Toulon 1996.

He joined Reading on loan in September 1998 before making a permanent move to the Madjeski Stadium. A further 45 games followed and more would have followed but for a horrific challenge that saw a double break in his leg. Court proceedings followed and Chris was awarded damages for loss of earnings and his career as a professional football player.

Following the dismissal of Graham Barrow, Chris initially took over as caretaker manager, but after an impressive run of results and performances, and an equally apt set of interviews, Chris was appointed manager on IS October just before Bury beat Darlington at Gigg Lane.





BURY

This is the third successive weekend that today's visitors have faced opposition from the south west of the country.

The day after we overcame League One Carlisle United in the FA Cup, Bury faced Conference side Weymouth where they were held 2-2, and last weekend as we recorded a win at Torquay United, Chris Casper's team were being defeated by two goals to nil by Bristol Rovers at Gigg Lane.

Both results could be considered somewhat of a shock. The loss to Rovers last weekend dropped Bury down a place to ninth in the table, but in truth, with just three wins from ten home attempts, it's fair to say the Shakers' league position is built mostly on their away results.

That suggests today's opponents are formidable on their travels, something that is borne out by the facts. Bury have won their last four away League games.

Manager Chris Casper is the son of Burnley legend Frank. He played nine times at centre back for Town in a loan spell from Manchester United in 1997, scoring the goal that won the game against Tranmere Rovers on 13th September nine years ago. After some impressive work at Team Bath, he took over at Gigg Lane in October 2005.

The Shakers' top scorer is Andy Bishop with eight goals so far. He's followed by Glynn Hurst who has hit six, but Bury have potential problems at the other end of the pitch.

Goalkeeper Kasper Schmeichel, the son of another famous father, plays his last game of a loan spell from Manchester City today. Veteran custodian Alan Fettis is out with a broken arm and Joe Lewis recently joined on a trial from Norwich. Aaron Grundy is making the step up from trainee and played against the Terras of Weymouth to prevent Schmeichel becoming cup-tied.

There is an eight-point gap between the two teams this afternoon and Paul Sturrock's start at the County Ground has yielded two straight wins. With Bury's away form as it, is this looks like being an intriguing encounter.

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BURY



'Scotty' signed for the Shakers mid August 2004 on non-contract terms after being released by promoted Huddersfield Town at the end of the 2003/04 season and became the third ex-Terrier to join the Shakers. A versatile player, he rose through the academy system at Huddersfield and eventually became a regular for the Terrier's reserve's and first team.

3 TOM KENNEDY Defender

Defender who is one of many current players to have progressed through the clubs Youth Team. He made his full league debut on Boxing Day 2003 and since then has rarely missed a game since. Tom has a left foot that many top players would die for and can deliver inch perfect crosses into the box.



Dublin-born centre-half who joined the Shakers on loan form Premiership neighbours Blackburn Rovers in January 2005, he remained with the club until the end of the 2004/05 season and after being released by Blackburn quickly agreed terms with Bury and signed a two-year deal and is now in his final year of his current contract.

05 DAVE CHALLINOR Defender

A tough tacking and fearless skipper, Dave is also the original master of the 'long throw' having used it to good effect in his Tranmere Rovers days. Chall's league career began at Prenton Park where he made over 150 appearances for Tranmere before moving on to Stockport County in 2002. He joined Bury during the 2003/04 season on a three month loan deal, which was then made permanent after his release by the Hatters.

06 COLIN WOODTHORPE Defender

A player with vast experience, including European games under his belt. Colin began his career with newly promoted Chester City as an apprentice in 1985, five years and 155 appearances he found his way to Norwich City and was a part of the UEFA Cup success the Canaries had. Other former clubs include Aberdeen and Stockport County.



Irish midfielder who arrived at Gigg Lane during the summer of 2004 on a free transfer from Huddersfield Town. He finished his first season as the Supporters Player of the season and Website Player of the season. He was given his first league start by Lou Macari at the McAlpine during the 2001/02 season and went onto play over 50 games for the Terriers.

TOM YOUNGS Striker

23-year old frontman who joined Bury from Leyton Orient in the summer of 2005. The striker was forced off early on during last weekend's home defeat to Bristol Rovers so may be out of contention for this afternoon's encounter.





A former Walsall trainee who signed from non-league York City, but a striker that finished last season as the Conference League top scorer with 23 League goals. Andy joined the Shakers after rejecting a new deal at the Kit Kat Stadium in favour of League Football. He has also made league appearances for Kidderminster Harriers, Rochdale and Yeovil Town.

A product of the youth system at

RICHIE BAKER

Midfielder



Preston North End. Richie joined the Shakers over the summer after being released by the Lilleywhites. Preston has decided to scrap their reserve side this season, and joining Bury will offer Richie the chance to gain some league football. With pace and ability on the ball, he is an asset to the side.

15 CHRIS BRASS Defender

Joined the Shakers in January 2006 and signed a new one year deal in the summer. A former Burnley captain with 142 games for the Turf Moor side, Brass has great experience and has also managed York City. Tough-tackling defender who motivates those around him.

7 DAVID BUCHANAN Midfielder

Product of the club youth system, David is now into his second professional contract at the. A tough tackling midfield pocket dynamo. David was also a member of the Northern Ireland U19 squad and is now a member of the U21 side having played four times at the higher level.

18 MARC PUGH Midfielder

19-year old midfielder who arrived at Gigg Lane on trial in mid-February and impressed for the reserve side with two welltaken goals in as many games. He was then offered a contract and has gone on to impress with his



excellent close control and exciting style. Has two goals to his name so far this term.

25 KASPER SCHMEICHEL Goalkeeper

Nineteen-year old keeper who is on loan from Manchester City and joined the Shakers at the back end of August for his second spell at Gigg Lane. Kasper arrived at Gigg Lane during the 2005/06 season and made 15 appearances, 5 of them clean sheets. Son of Danish goalkeeping legend Peter Schmeichel, this is the last game of his loan spell.

28 GLYN HURST Striker

30-year old striker on loan from Shrewsbury Town. Started his career with his Barnsley and has had successful spells with Ayr, Stockport, Chesterfield and Notts County. He knows where the net is and has scored 114 goals in 268 league starts to date and will be a threat this afternoon.

++ Also in contention for today's game are new loan signings **Stephen Turnbull** and **Matthew Blinkhorn**. Turnbull signed for The Shakers on Wednesday afternoon on a one

month Ioan deal. He is a central midfielder who is a former captain of the Hartlepool youth team and will add energy and competition to the Bury midfield. Striker Blinkhorn also signed up on a month's Ioan in midweek and will take squad number 22. His deal ends on 1st January 2007.

FACTS & FIGURES



Year formed: 1885 Nickname: Shakers Ground: Gigg Lane (11,669) Manager: Chris Casper

Record win: 8-0 vs Tranmere, Jan 1970 Record defeat: 0-8 vs Swindon, Dec 1979 Record attendance: 35.000 vs Bolton Wdrs, Jan 1960, FA Cup

Most appearances: Norman Bullock, 506 (1920-35) Top goalscorer: Craig Madden, 129 (1978-86)

Most goals in a season: Craig Madden, 35 (1981/82) Division 4 Most capped player. Bill Gorman, 11 (Republic Of Ireland)

Record transfer fees paid

In: Ellim, David Johnston to Ipswich, 1997 Out: (200k, Darren Bullock from Swindon, 1999

HONOURS

Division 2 champions: 1894/95, 1996/97 Division 2 runners-up: 1923/24 Division 3 champions: 1960/61 Division 3 runners-up: 1967/68 Division 4 promoted: 1973/74, 1984/85 FA Cup winners: 1900, 1903

LAST SEASON

League Position: 19th, League Two FA Cup: 1st round (KOld by Scurithorpe) League Cup: 1st round (KOld by Leicester) LDV Trophy: 1st round (KOld by Helifax) Most appearances: Dave Challinor, 49 Top goalscorer: Simon Whaley, 7 Average attendance: 2,594

SHARED MEMORIES

STFC League record against Bury: P.40, W 17, D 11, L 12, F 50, A 40

Last time we met:

Swindon Town 3-1 Bury The County Ground (Att 7624) Saturday 29th December 2001 Nationwide League Division Two

Played for both:

Ken Bearnish, Darren Bullock, Andy Gray, Bert Head, Tom Henderson, Ray McHale, Ian Miller, Albert Monks, Kevin Moore, Eddie Murphy, Andy Rowland, Ricky Shakes, Bobby Smith, Billy Tucker, Brian William



PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS

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BURY VISIT THE COUNTY GROUND THIS AFTERNOON HAVING NOT WON HERE IN THEIR LAST ELEVEN ATTEMPTS WITH TOWN CURRENTLY HAVING HE UPPER HAND OVERALL IN GAMES BETWEEN THE TWO SIDES.

IN A TOTAL OF 41 LEAGUE AND CUP ENCOUNTERS, SWINDON HAVE WON 18, BURY HAVE BEEN VICTORIOUS IN 12 AND THERE HAVE BEEN ELEVEN DRAWS.

GAMES BETWEEN THE TWO TRADITIONALLY YIELD GOALS, WITH TOWN HITTING THREE ON EACH OF THE LAST TWO BURY VISITS TO SNI. WE TAKE A LOOK BACK AT SEVERAL OF THE MORE RECENT GAMES BETWEEN THE TWO SIDES...

HAY MAKES TOWN WIN

SATURDAY 11TH OCTOBER 1997 Nationwide League Division Two County Ground (Att: 7,640)

SWINDON TOWN

Hay 4, 15, Gooden, 79

BURY Battersby 41

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Town registered all three points over Bury with three goals at The County Ground to send the Shakers back to Gigg Lane without a share of the spoils. A double from Chris Hay sent Town on their way before Ty Gooden wrapped things up with a late third. In goal for Bury that day was goalkeeper Dean Kiely, who has now made 222 appearances for Premiership Charlton Athletic and has made international appearances for Republic of Ireland.

Swindon: Digby, Borrows, Collins, Leitch, Taylor, McDonald (Casper), Walters (Drysdale), Watson, Hay, Allison, Gooden, Bury: Kiely, Hughes (Rigby), Morgan, Daws (Woodward), Lucketti, Butler, Gray, Johnson, Swan, Johnrose (Peake), Battersby.



POINT TAKEN AT HOME

SATURDAY 30TH JANUARY 1999 Nationwide League Division One County Ground (Att: 7,797)

SWINDON TOWN

West (og) 86

BURY Littlejohn 68

An own goal from Dean West was enough to earn Town a point from their home encounter with Bury in early 1999. Adrian Littlejohn had opened the scoring for the visitors in the 68th minute before West's own goal just two minutes before time gave Town a share of the spoils. The Shakers boss at the time was Neil Warnock, who is now in charge at Premiership Sheffield United.

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Swindon: Talia, Kerslake, Hall, Leitch, Reeves, Taylor, Walters, Ndah, Onuora, Gooden (Hay), Davis. Bury: Kiely, Woodward, Williams, Daws, Lucketti (Littlejohn), West,

Swailes, Jemson (Preece), James, Johnrose, Billy.





TOWN TREBLE HITS SHAKERS

MONDAY 27TH AUGUST 2001 Nationwide League Division Two Gigg Lane (Att: 3.202)

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BURY

SWINDON TOWN

Kuffour 47, O'Halloran (pen) 71, Duke 88

This trip to Gigg Lane featured another Bury keeper who went on to make international appearances but more recently national headlines. Town managed three goals on this occasion with Jo Kuffour, Keith O'Halloran and David Duke firing past Paddy Kenny. The former Bradford Park Avenue keeper joined The Shakers for £10,000 in September 1998 and went on to make 150 appearances before a move to Sheffield United in October 2002.

Bury: Kenny, Barrass, Collins, Redmond (Seddon), Nelson, Billy, Murphy, Reid (Jarrett), Bullock (Unsworth), Bhutia, Newby. Swindon: Griemink, Davis (Invincibile), Reeves, Heywood, Gurney, Duke, Hewlett, Howe, O'Halloran, Kuffour (Brayley), Sabin.



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with Ben Lambert & Sarah Mildenhall



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Swindon Town are hosting a Christmas Comedy Evening on Thursday 7th December. Hosting the event will be Billy Connelly's long lost twin brother Bob Lucas. Bob has the exact looks and facial expressions as the Scottish comedian, and performs a mixture of both his own and Billy's material, as well as being a brilliant ad-libber. Guests will also enjoy a two-course meal and the night will finish with a disco. We have limited tickets still available, priced at E25 +VAT per person, please contact us to confirm your place.

The club will be hosting its annual OAP Christmas Lunch, which will be taking place on Tuesday 19th December. We are currently seeking the assistance of the local business community to help make this day a success; all donations will be gratefully received. Sponsors will receive recognition in the matchday programme and also receive a VIP Day Out at a future home game so please contact us to find out more.

We would like to welcome some Town players from the past who are joining us in the Platinum Lounge this afternoon. They are John Trollope, Joe Butler, Arthur Horsfield, Chris Jones, Willie Penman and Don Rogers. We hope they all enjoy their day with us.

For more details on all the opportunities listed above please contact the STFC Sales and Marketing team.

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TEAMMATES: AARON BROWN

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Worst trainer:	HANDS DOWN, CHRISTIAN ROBERTS!
Best/Worst dresser:	ROYCE / CHRISTIAN
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Picture 1: Swindon Town goalkeeper Peter Brezovan meets Town goalkeeping legend Sam Burton at a recent home game; Pic 2: Representatives from matchball sponsors Gary Barnes meet Peter Brezovan at the Hereford game; Pic 3: Ady Williams presents a young fan with a signed shirt for his 18th birthday; Pic 4: Christian Roberts presents quiz winner Val Johnson with a bottle of champagne.

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LINE-UPS

Swindon Town

Andy Lonergan Scott Doe David Stroud Michael Pook Charlie Comyn-Platt Leigh Henry Gareth Whalley Ben Wells Lukas Jutkiewicz Andrew Caton Andy Monkhouse

Subs Used

Jon Stewart Mustapha Carayol Callum Kennedy

Salisbury City

Matty Bulman Scott Bartlett Simon Browne Lee Stevens Tim Bond Matt Holmes Danny Clay Eyre Robbie Matthews Declan McGregor Alex Haddow

Subs Used

Wayne Turk Luke Prince Jon Beswetherwick

SWINDON TOWN SALISBURY CITY Tuesday 14th November 2006

A Ben Wells strike was cancelled out by Danny Clay with this Wiltshire Premier Shield Semi-Final First leg ending all square at The County Ground.

Swindon Town named a strong to side to face Salisbury City, who arrived in SN1 just days after their FA Cup success against Fleetwood. Former Town keeper Matty Bulman started in goal for the visitors who also included former loanee Jon Beswetherwick amongst their substitutes.

Andy Monkhouse provided the first opportunity for the Town front two to attack a decent ball into the box on 9 minutes. Lonergan's long kick downfield was left by Jutkiewicz and the ball rolled out to Monkhouse on the left touchline. His deep cross threatened to cause problems before Lee Stevens came across to the clear the danger.

Gareth Whalley, making his first start since the Johnstone's Paint Trophy exit at Wycombe Wanderers, was enjoying his return to the side and linked up well with Monkhouse on the left.

Ben Wells opened the scoring on 33 minutes. Lukas Jutkiewicz raced onto a lofted pass down the middle before lifting the ball over the advancing Bulman, who got a touch to the ball on the edge of the area. The ball eventually fell to midfielder Ben Wells who hit home from 16-yards to make it 1-0.

Declan McGregor then had an opening just minutes before the break. The Whites striker ghosted through the Town defence but having got to the ball at the byline, curled his effort back towards goal only for the returning Lonergan to gather.

Salisbury mustered together an equaliser on the stroke of half-time. A corner from Alex Haddow bounced around in the box and was stabbed home by former Exeter City midfielder Danny Clay.

The second half began with lengthy treatment for Salisbury City striker Declan McGregor who suffered under the challenge of Charlie Comyn-Platt. Michael Pook then hit a knock-down from Jutkiewicz over the bar on 50 minutes.

Lukas Jutkiewicz peeled away from his marker on the edge of the area with just two minutes remaining. Stroud picked him out with an incisive pass but Jutkiewicz's right foot lob landed just the wrong side of the post in front of the empty Town End.

Mustapha Carayol hit a left foot effort just wide from 16 yards in what was the last play of the evening, with both sides taking a 1-1 draw into the second leg.



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OXFORD UNITED U-18's SWINDON TOWN U-18's Saturday 18th November 2006

Swindon Town's Under 18's took a point from their Youth Alliance Cup encounter at Oxford United, thanks to a goal from Scott Doe.

The game started off brightly for Jeremy Newton's side who included Andy Caton in their starting line-up. With Jon Stewart away on first team duty at Torquay United, Town fielded an under 16 trialist in between the sticks. Chris Allen captained the side with Scott Doe continuing to fill in at right back with Andy Westall's dislocated shoulder ruling him out of action for another four weeks.

There were a number of scouts watching the game, with representatives from Manchester United, Liverpool, Arsenal, Tottenham Hotspur and England amongst those looking on. Attentions were probably noted after the Under 18's emphatic 6-0 win over Swansea City in the FA Youth Cup.

Derby fixtures against Oxford are always keenly contested affairs and this one was no different with 100% commitment from both sides. Town took the lead through a Scott Doe volley – his sixth of the season. Chris Allen put a great ball into the box with Doe smashing the ball from 8-yards past the U's keeper. After the goal Town went on to dominate the first half and went into the break with the narrow advantage.

The second half continued with Swindon continuing their midfield domination coupled with some resolute defensive play. However, a defensive lapse from a set-piece allowed the home side to equalize late into the goal.

After the game, Under 18's coach Jeremy Newton commented:

"We started the game very well. Our passing was purposeful, attitude spot on and played with a high tempo. I spoke to the players before the game about Thursday's FA Youth Cup game against Salisbury and told them we couldn't afford any stupid injuries or poor discipline.

"There were several positives from the game and I thought our goalkeeper did ok. Some of our players were also playing out of position and did well. We scored a good goal but unfortunately concentration plays a vital component to the game and that's something we will have to work on."

Swindon Town: Aaron Bufton, Scott Doe, Callum Kennedy, Alex Rigley, Tom Evans, Sam Morris, Mustapha Carayol, Chris Allen, Andy Caton, Luke Hopper, Jake Hyde Substitutes: Tom Ahmed, Chris Fower

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Aug 15	YEOVIL	H	2-2
Aug 30	Weymouth	A	0-1
Sep 20	Cardiff	A	3.3
Oct 10	PLYMOUTH	н	1-2
Nov 14	SALISBURY (WPS)	H	1-1
Nov 28	BRISTOL ROVERS	н	7pm
Dec 6	Swansea	A	7pm
Dec 12	EXETER	н	7pm
Jan 10	Yeavil	А	2pm
Jan 23	CARDIFF	н	7pm
Jan 30	Salisbury (west	A	7pm
Feb 6	Plymouth	A	7pm
Feb 13	Bristol City	A	7pm
Feb 21	BRISTOL CITY	H	7pm
Mar 5	Bristol Rovers	A	Jpm
Mar 13	CHELTENHAM	Н	7pm
Mar 20	WEYMOUTH	H	7pm
Apr 3	Exeter	A	7pm
Apr 10	SWANSEA	H	7pm
Apr 24	Cheltenham	A	7pm

Swindon Town's reserves will be playing their home games at Hunts Copse, the home of Swindon Supermarine this season. Home reserve games will now kick-off at 7pm on Tuesday nights.

Entry is still free for Season Ticket holders, otherwise tickets are priced at E3 for adults and E1 for concessions.

TABLE 06/07

	P	PTS	GD
PLYMOUTH	7	14	+5
BRISTOL CITY	5	n	+12
CARDIFF CITY	7	8	0
WEYMOUTH.	6	8	-3
YEOVIL TOWN	5	7	+4
SWANSEA CITY	6	7	-7
EXETER CITY	4	5	0
BRISTOL ROVERS	5	5	-6
CHEITENHAM	5	3	-3
SWINDON TOWN	4	2	-2

YOUTHS 06/07

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Aug 12	YEOVIL	H	4-2
Aug 19	Hereford	A	6-0
Sep 2	Gillingham (wc)	A	2-0
Sep 9	SOUTHEND (INC)	н	2-0
Sep 16	COLCHESTER (MAC)	H	3-0
Sep 23	PLYMOUTH	H	4-0
Sep 30	Bournemouth	A	2-3
Oct 7	B'MOUTH (MC)	H	2-2
Oct 14	Brighton pace	Ă	2-1
Oct 21	CHELTENHAM	H	2-2
Oct 28	Oxford United	A	1-2
Nov 3	SWANSEA	н	3-0
Nov7	SWANSEA (TRACI)	н	6-0
Nov 18	Oxford Utd (vac)	A	1-1
Nov 23	Salisbury (FAYCA)	A	7pm
Dec 9	BRISTOL ROVERS	H	Ham
Dec 16	Cheltenham	A	Ilam
Jan 6	BOURNEMOUTH	H	Ham
Jan 13	Swansea	A	Ham
Feb 3	OXFORD UTD	н	Ilam
Feb 17	Bristol Rovers	A	Tlam
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Apr 14	Plymouth	A	Tam

Under 18's home games are played at the Wanborough Training Ground, with kick-off at 11am Saturday mornings.

TABLE 06/07

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OXFORD LINITED	7	19	+13
SWINDON TOWN	7	Ц	+10
BRISTOL ROVERS	6	B	+1
CHELTENHAM	6	10	+2
BOURNEMOUTH	6	7	0
YEOVIL TOWN	6	7	-4
SWANSEA CITY	5	5	+1
PLYMOUTH	6	4	-9
HEREFORD	5	1	-14

IN THE SPOTLIGHT

Find out a little more about this year's youth teamers...

Name: Callum Kennedy Age: 16 Hometown: Camberley Position: Defender Previous clubs: Chelsea, Reading Team supported: Tottenham Hotspur Best moment in football: Playing against Arsenal academy at Highbury Favourite film: Big Daddy



GUEST COLUMN

JON RITSON

Chief Sports Writer, Swindon Advertiser

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Paul Sturrock seems to be settling in nicely and he wasn't joking when he said he wanted a tangerine office!

However, I think the blue and white of Sheffield Wednesday and the green of Plymouth Argyle will also feature in the colour scheme.

Each new manager brings a different style to the job but I think the new man's willingness to engage with supporters is particularly refreshing.

He has already held two forums in his short time here in Wiltshire and clearly feels fans are a crucial element of any successful club.

You sense he is deadly serious about securing that success (just look at his track record) but in an age where so many managers seem fixed with stern, glum faces, it is great to see Sturrock boasting a terrific sense of humour. After all, isn't football supposed to be fun?

Two wins out of two isn't a bad way to get people on board either! Last week's win at Torquay was hardly a 'classic' but I think Lee Peacock was right when he said the scrappy 1-0 away days prove so important in the final shake up.

Lee himself won the decisive penalty at Plainmoor and it was great to see Christian confidently tuck it away.

The referee that day came in for some 'stick' with officials in the spotlight once again. While I agree that the standard can be 'indifferent' I think David Elleray was right (not a sentence I've uttered very often) when he warned of the dangers of simply driving ref's out of the game and discouraging others from taking up the whistle.

And if the pool of officials shrinks then so too does the quality within it. Then people will be moaning even more!

Today we welcome Bury

hopefully we can make it three wins in a row.

to the County Ground and

After recent home slips it's important to get back on track here in Wiltshire. Chris Casper's men lost against Bristol Rovers last week but had been on a tremendous run before that. The lads will need to be at their best.

Then it's the small matter of an FA Cup tie with Morecambe. Already I've heard a few people talking about the third round as if it's all but guaranteed. Dare I say Stevenage?

Anyway, that's about it for today, get behind the lads and hopefully we'll be celebrating another three points at 4.45.

On a personal note I'd just like to say thanks to everyone at the club who has offered their sympathy following a recent family bereavement which saw me away from Swindon for two or three weeks.

Cheers for now,

REFRESHING_ Jon

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GUEST COLUMN

SHAUN HODGETTS Assistant Editor, BBC Badio Swindon

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Played two, won two! Now it's Paul Sturrock's first home league game in charge.

The new manager is already making a difference. He's talked about the redecoration of the Eddie Buckley Room (coaches room) with a splash of tangerine on the wall. The players now spend more time at the ground and future signings will have to live closer to Swindon.

Many other topics were raised in our recent Fans Forum and answered openly and honestly. After the on-air broadcast, the top-table guests stayed on for another hour to talk football! Andy Gurney's injury cropped up and we now know the full extent of his problem. His career is over and I'm sure there will be more comings and goings at SN1, probably by the time you read these notes on matchday. A winger and a forward were the original priorities but injuries to Paul Evans and Michael Pook at Torquay have probably encouraged a re-appraisal of the situation.

As for the current staff, it seems senior players will be used in reserve games, giving themselves as many opportunities as possible to impress. For youngsters Leigh Henry and David Stroud, the clock is ticking.

Hopefully by now the next generation is through to the next round of the FA Youth Cup and a home tie with Queens Park Rangers. It's the magic of the FA Cup for the senior side next weekend with Morecambe the visitors on Saturday afternoon. We will be live in the Merlin pub between 12pm and 2pm looking forward 6699

THE PLAYERS NOW SPEND MORE TIME AT THE GROUND AND FUTURE SIGNINGS WILL HAVE TO LIVE CLOSER TO SWINDON. to the visit of Morecambe as well as Sunday's BBC One plum pairing: Salisbury City vs Nottingham Forest, who are under the charge of former STFC legend Colin Calderwood. Don't forget the FA Cup commentaries are also online at bbc.co.uk/Wiltshire. Whilst on that computer, your emails are always welcome, send to stfc@bbc.co.uk and don't forget to your texts on the Town to 07786 203 303.

With a month to go until Christmas, we're planning special programmes for the holiday period including our CBBC Interviews with Royce Brownlie and Paul Evans. Of course, this time last year Dennis Wise was at Coventry and Paul Sturrock was at Sheffield Wednesday with Lee Peacock. Meanwhile, 'Big Ron' was assisting Iffy Onuora here at The County Ground. A lot has happened in 2006! Who knows that the future holds.
GHRISTIAN ROBERTS

FOUR GOALS IN THREE GAMES AND LIFE IS LOOKING GOOD FOR CHRISTIAN ROBERTS. ON AND OFF THE PITCH... FOR WHILE HE'S FINDING THE NET IT'S ACHIEVING GOALS OFF THE FIELD THAT APPEAR TO BE EVEN MORE REWARDING FOR THE TOWN NUMBER NINE...

WORDS: NICK JUDD | PHOTOS: JOHN BALL

Four goals in three games, you must want that holiday pretty bad?!

Yeah I'm quite pleased to be honest. I had a problem with my knee and so to come back and get a couple of goals is a fine way to come back. Long may it continue.

A lot of questions have been asked of the strikers this year, and so to score a run like this must be the perfect tonic?

Strikers will always be judged with goals - I respect that and understand that - and so when you get some goals and some results - it's great. It's obviously great for me if I'm scoring, but it's more important that the team keeps winning - scoring goals is more of a relief.

Lee, Royce and Fola alluded to the fact that the strikers have been working hard, and thankfully it looks to be paying off...

The team had an excellent run at the start of the season despite the fact that strikers didn't really find the net – and we kept on going. We were covered to an extent. But now more questions are being asked of us and thankfully for me in the last few weeks, it's been going well. It's an excellent confident boost.





"AFTER WHAT I'VE GONE THROUGH IN THE LAST YEAR I APPRECIATE EVERY GAME LIKE IT'S MY LAST AND SO IT'S IMPORTANT FOR ME TO HAVE A GOOD SEASON..."

So does the holiday offer still stand?

I spoke to Dennis a couple of weeks back and he was asking me about the injury. He also said that if I get the 20 I'll still get the holiday! To be honest if it happens it happens – it's a great incentive but like everything, we've moved on. I won't hold him to it but if it happens it happens.

There looked to be a bit of confusion over who would take the penalty at Torquay Saturday...

The way things have been going, with me scoring in the last few games – I just wanted it. I felt confident. Obviously I missed one at the start of the season – that's where the confusion came from. Yet as a striker the last thing you want to do is pass up an opportunity to score when you're in good form. I spoke to Jack Smith after the game and it's amazing, apparently 33% of penalties will be missed this season – so there most be more of an advantage going against the goalkeeper at the moment.

And a nice way for you to silence their fans!

Yeah, that's the mentality of fans. Going back to Devon, I had an excellent time down there playing for Exeter – the Torquay fans will always try and hold you to it – but that's fine by me.

Our away support was superb?

It's amazing that our fans give up

their Saturday and go all the way to Torquay, it's a couple of hours away – it's fantastic. We were lucky enough to get a win to thank them and despite the fact that it wasn't a fantastic performance, we go the win and that's the main thing.

The Gaffer was disappointed with the overall performance, what has he been working on in training this week?

He's been working on the attacking side – how to get into areas of the pitch and get crosses into the box – he wants us to be an attacking force. As a striker that's fantastic, so hopefully if we can maintain it gives us the chance to get some goals.

What have you made of the Gaffer so far?

He's come in and told us the way he wants us to play and it's up to us to adjust to that. It sounds really interesting and hopefully I can be an integral part of that. He's going to be looking to make changes but hopefully I'm the sort of player he wants around. I enjoy it at Swindon – I've had a rocky time here but things are looking positive for me now. I'm up for the task ahead and hopefully I can keep going for a few more seasons – starting with promotion this season.

The Gaffer has said he may bring a striker in, that we're not clinical enough – does that bring the best out of you – would you welcome competition? It will motivate me. When managers come to clubs they have ideas and players in mind – I'm not silly enough to ignore that. After what I've gone through in the last year I appreciate every game like it's my last and so it's important for me to have a good season. I've played I3 games and scored six so my stats aren't too bad. – it's all about adjusting to what's being asked of you. Promotion is on the main list of priorities this season and I want to be a part of it.

That's two A-list managers this season now!

It's been up and down. Wisey was a great character and it was god experience to work under him. He lifted us when perhaps we were losing faith after what happened last season and he had some good ideas – we all enjoyed it. But the new Gaffer is another character – he's done ever so well at Plymouth – he has experience with big clubs and he's come to help us achieve our main aim this season.

You were high on confidence early on in the season and look like you're coming back into that now...

I was and it was partly due to the pre-season I had. I lost a lot of weight from what I was playing at last season, then I had the knee injury – which thankfully is sorted at the moment and I'm starting to get back to that. I'm confident and when you're confident everything seems to fall into place. I'm enjoying playing "THERE'S NO HIDING THE PROBLEMS I'VE BEEN THROUGH AND I SEEM TO BE IN A DECENT PLACE RIGHT NOW. I'VE ALMOST GOT A YEAR'S SOBRIETY BEHIND ME, WHICH IS A FANTASTIC ACHIEVEMENT..."

and enjoying scoring goals and we've been winning games. I've scored in each of my last three games and hopefully I can keep this going over the next four months.

Big game today...

Every game is a must-win game. It starts today then Mansfield Tuesday and six points is a must from the two – that would be a bonus for Christmas time, a period when we play so many games. If we can come into January on a high then we can really push on. The Walsall game will be massive and if we can get through the FA Cup, too... but first and foremost let's try and get six points in the bag.

What do we know about Bury?

To be honest I don't concentrate on anyone else – I'm not that kind of footballer. I focus on what we've got to do – everything else will take care of itself. I do know that they've won eight of their last ten, so they'll be confident, but a confident Swindon Town should be good enough to beat anyone.

Hopefully Kasper Schmeichel won't be looking to emulate his old man in goal...

His father's a legend! But hopefully we'll give him more than he can cope with.

And Morecambe in the FA Cup – who would you fancy in round three if we make it?

It's written on the cards isn't it... it

would have to be Leeds. Or Chelsea or Manchester United. Why not? It's a fantastic chance for the club to earn a few quid. I'd rather that than play a team we have more of a chance of beating – it would be a great occasion for the players and fans – it would be the icing on the cake.

You have been enjoying your football this season - how refreshing has it been to go out there and enjoy it following the problems you had last year?

There's no hiding the problems I've been through and I seem to be in a decent place right now. I've almost got a year's sobriety behind me. which is a fantastic achievement for me, and the people that have supported me. Julian and James at the Sporting Chance Clinic, my wife, my kids and my family - things are going really well. I'm enjoying being a father, a husband – you know, I appreciate my wife for standing by me. It's been a hard time for her but we seem to have got through it together and life is ok. I spend my nights chilling with my kids - living a normal life not trying to race the roads and doing things I shouldn't be doing as a professional footballer.

You must be relieved that you went down the road of recovery because there is a huge stigma attached to alcohol in football...

Football, alcohol and gambling all seem to be connected through our lifestyle, and people always say we get too much time on our hands. But if you want a drink you'll find one in the Sahara desert and thankfully I have come through those times. If I can help anyone in any way now, youngsters coming through then I would be happy to do that. I've seen both sides of the life footballers can live, the right and the wrong way and I'm on the right road now. I have a fantastic background with my family and friends – so it's all going in the right direction now.

Promotion this season would cap a fine year for you...

If they said to me you don't play again but we win promotion then so be it. Obviously I want to be a part of that but it would be the icing on the cake for me personally. We have a good squad, some good players and hopefully we can achieve what we set out to do last June.

Now you've received some stick in these pages for your musical tastes in the dressing room...

People listen to iPods at work and I like to have music in the dressing room. Shakesy is the main man for music, but it's important to get the adrenaline going. I don't like quietness before a game – it annoys mel I probably annoy others but we all have our own ways. I used to sit next to Reevesy and he wouldn't let anyone touch his shin pads or boots. Whatever prepares you best you have to do. I like my music and at the moment Shakesy is supplying some decent tunes.









FOOTBALL IN THE COMMUNITY

with Clive Maguire & Jon Holloway



Today we offer a very warm welcome to David Ledbury who is here with his Avebury Youth Under 12's and 13's today and also to Roly Ashley and Thatcham Town Harriers Under 13's.

Both clubs are here as part of our Saturday Team Club package and let's hope they witness a Swindon win today. Another group who are with us today is local school Crowley's Hill. Over the last ten years we have coached the children for seven weeks at this time of year to help towards their GCSE qualifications. We would like to welcome all the children and staff and particularly to Sue Thomas who has been at the school for more years than I can remember. Sue does a great job with the children and I hope they all enjoy The County Ground experience today.



Over the last few weeks we have been writing out to all the local schools giving details of our prestigious National Six a Side competitions. The Under 11's Football League Community Cup kicks off on January 17th at Dorcan Technical College. It is the start of a long journey with the grand final taking place at the new Wembley in May 2007. The Girls Football League Under 13's cup kicks-off on January 31st 2007 and the grand final being staged at the Millennium Stadium in Cardiff in April 2007. The winners of our local competitions will go on to represent us, as STFC, at the regional finals to be held in Bristol on a date to be announced. Our local finals will be staged on The County Ground pitch itself. Details of this fixture will follow in the New Year.

Finally, we would also like to welcome our guests in the Eexcutive Lounge today who are Jon and Kath Davis who live in Stratton St. Margaret and are both keen supporters of Swindon Town FC. Enjoy your day!

Clive and Jon



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Sogger **Centres**

with Shane Hewlett, Adam Greaney & Luke Sharps



Abig hello to all Soccer Centre members who are here today for the visit of League Two rivals Bury to The County Ground.

At the home encounter with Hereford we welcomed a group from the 3rd North Dorcan Guides. They were treated to a ground tour and then took their seats for the game. Unfortunately Town were defeated but it was an entertaining 90 minutes. I think we now have our very own STFC fan club in Dorcan and some of the girls are back today cheering the team on. The girls are pictured above enjoying their last visit to The County Ground.

Some of you may have read on the website this week that we have announced Adam Greaney as the new Disability and Twilight Football Development Officer for STFC. Adam previously worked as a Football in the Community Officer for the past two years after graduating from Leeds Metropolitan Carnige University with a degree in Sport & Recreation Development. With Adam taking up these two roles it will allow STFC Football in the Community, and their local partners, to deliver more sessions and make football more accessible for footballers with disabilities and disaffected young people.

Both positions have been awarded a Football Foundation grant, coupled with other local partnership funding such as the Wilts FA, Swindon Borough Council and the Wiltshire & Swindon Sports & Activity Partnership (WASP) who all help fund the positions will enable the projects to deliver more coaching sessions, tournaments, festivals and further personal development for participants. If you would like any information on Disability or Twilight football please do not hesitate to contact Adam on (01793) 421303.

Enjoy the game today and let's make it a hat-trick of wins under new manager Paul Sturrock.

Shane Hewlett

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HOWN LADIES with Roger Reeves MBE



Swindon Town Ladies beat top of the table Queens Park Rangers to move up into third place in the South West Combination League.

Previously the Town had entertained last season's runners up Chesham United. The Town fell behind mid way through the first half and although having much the better of the play fell further behind in the second half. Despite the pressure the Town had to wait until late into injury time before Catherine Reid squeezed the ball into the net from an acute angle. A good performance from the Town, but a disappointing result.

The Town then faced league leaders Queens Park Rangers and had a disastrous start falling behind after just five minutes. The Town drew level before the break when Sam Quinn's corner was diverted into the net off a defender. Both sides were playing some good football and play swung from end to end but as the Town gradually took control they were rewarded when Sam Quinn drove a free kick just inside the far post.

The Town Reserves played Swindon Spitfires in the South West Regional League and won by six goals to nil with Kirsty Jones grabbing all six of the Town's goals. The Town then faced top of the table Keynsham Town Reserves and a Sarah Moore penalty was enough to give the Town a share of the points.

Tomorrow the Town travel to Somerset to face Frome Town in the South West Combination League. The Town will be keen to dispel memories of their last visit to Frome when they were beaten by six goals to one in the second round of last season's Women's FA Cup. This is Frome's first season in the Combination League having been promoted from the South West Regional League last season. The Town are now third in the league.

Any women or girls interested in joining the club should contact club secretary John White on 01793 824470.

CLAIRE MORETON

Age: 17

Position: Striker

Job: Student Favourite Team: Manchester United Best Football Moment: Scoring a hat trick for the Under Fourteen team in the semi-final of the Wiltshire County Cup Worst Football Moment: Losing 6-1 to Frome Town in last season's Women's FA Cup

Funniest Football Moment: When the game at Aldbourne



06/07 FIXTURES

Sep 3	FOREST GREEN	н	3-0
Sep 10	Oxford City	A	1-3
Sep 17	LUTON TOWN	н	3-2
Sep 24	QPR	A	2-4
Oct1	BOURNEMOUTH	н	1-0
Oct 15	Luton Town	А	2-0
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Nov 5	Clevedon	A	2-2
Nov 12	CHESHAM	Н	1-2
Nov 19	QPR	н	2-1
Nov 26	Frome Town	A	2pm
Dec 10	Luton Town	A	2pm
Dec 17	OXFORD CITY	H	2pm

* Fixtures have only been made available for the first half of the season.

More will appear here at a later date.

06/07 TABLE

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QPR	9	22	+19
PLYMOUTH	9	21	+10
SWINDON TOWN	10	19	+5
NEWQUAY	8	18	+8
CHESHAM	10	17	•7
FROME TOWN	9	12	-8
BOURNEMOUTH	10	В	-1
CLEVEDON	10	7	-8
LUTON TOWN	9	6	-4
FOREST GREEN*	7	5	-5
OXFORD CITY	9	4	-72

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Jan 8	Plymouth	A	3-3
Jan 15	OXFORD CITY	н	3-1
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Feb 5	NEWQUAY	н	0-4
Feb 19	LAUNTON	H	4-0
Feb 26	CLEVEDON	н	0-0
Mar 5	Newton Abbot	A	3-2
Mar 12	KEYNSHAM	H	0-7
Mar 19	NEWTON ABBOT	н	0-1
Mar 26	Chesham	A	0-2
Apr 2	QPR	A	0-3
Apr 9	Launton	A	4-2
Apr 19	Keynsham	A	1-4

had to be stopped to clear a flock of chickens from the field! Last Film Seen: She is the Man Favourite Artist: Justin Timberlake Who Would You Most Like To Be Stuck In A Lift With: David Beckham

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HADDES WELCOME

Swindon Town FC are today welcoming the Swindon Town Ladies Youth Teams who, together with their friends and families, will be watching the Bury match from the Arkells Stand. They are bringing along 100 supporters, made up of guests, players, parents and Committee Members.

"On behalf of everyone at Swindon Town Ladies I would like to say a big thank you for all the help we have received this season from Swindon Town Football Club," said Mark Willis, the Swindon Town Ladies Under 10's Manager and Under 11's Director Of Football.

"We approached the club to see what help they could provide us with and we are extremely happy with the response we got! The Centre Of Excellence kindly donated five sets of kit that have benefited the under 10's, under 11's and under 14's teams. The girls wear these kits with pride. We have also received another donation from the Football In The Community office of 15 brand new training balls which provides the girls with a ball each to use!"

The Swindon Town Ladies Youth Teams have over 150 girls already signed up and the numbers keep growing. There are 9 different girls teams, ranging from under 8's to adults. If you are interested in getting involved please contact John White on 01793 824470.

The girls under 10's and under 11's teams will be showing off their football skills at half time when they will be playing a 8-a-side match. If you are in the crowd on Saturday please give them your full support.

"We are all very grateful to the club for giving us the opportunity to watch the girls play on the hallowed turf of the County Ground at half time during the Swindon Town v Bury game on the 25th November," continues Mark. "I can't believe how excited the girls and parents are, they are all looking forward to supporting the team and fulfilling a dream that many have had. After all the negative things that have been said about the club it proves to me that Swindon Town FC are a club that cares about the community and for the future fans of the club."

HOW CAN YOU GET INVOLVED?

Swindon Town would like to offer the opportunity for other local youth football teams to enjoy a day out at The County Ground at a discounted rate.

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JENKINS, STEVE

Unlike Tommy, Jenks mark two was a Welshman, as so many Jenkins' seem to be.

After starting with Swansea City, the defender moved on to Huddersfield Town for £275,000 and almost 260 appearances followed. Let's not dwell on the fact that the price the Terriers paid to take Steve to Huddersfield was the only time he cost a club a fee.

A loan spell at Birmingham City, then his free transfers, firstly back to South Wales and Cardiff City, then Notts County and Peterborough United preceded his move to Swindon just over two years ago. Again, no money changed hands.

Oh, we've just dwelt on it!

Steve was a consistent defender who turned out for Town on over 50 occasions, and was released at the end of last season. His only goal for us came at Bournemouth in September of last year, and it came in a 2-1 defeat in the middle of an eight game losing run. Rory Fallon was the only other man to score during the entire period.

But we hadn't brought him in as a goal scorer. Steve Jenkins' steadying influence at the back was appreciated.



JENKINS, TOMMY

When star winger Don Rogers was sold to Crystal Palace in 1972, the board were faced with a huge hole to fill. How do you replace someone who has been raised to god-like status by the supporters at the County Ground?

> With £150,000 from the Don's sale burning a hole in their pocket, the board sanctioned a bid for Southampton and Londonborn wide man Tommy Jenkins, and £50,000 was spent bringing the ex-Reading man to Swindon.

The Royals had spent just £1,500 capturing Jenkins from Margate in the summer of 1969, but turned that into a massive 4,000% profit when he went to the Dell just five months later for £60k. That's some business. After a little over 80 appearances and four goals at the Dell, Town manager Dave MacKay brought Jenkins to Wiltshire, and then he disappeared to take over at Nottingham Forest.

Torn made 100 appearances for us, netting four League goals as we dropped from Division Two to Division Three. Help from older readers to explain to their siblings how that relates to the current naming of the Football League would be appreciated here.

Les Allen and then Danny Williams both gave Jenkins a chance, then in February 1976 Jenks made his last appearance in a 3-0 home defeat to Peterborough and that was that. Tommy was off to the States to play in Seattle, leaving Trevor Anderson and David Moss to continue the wing play for Swindon Town.

Don's boots were big to fill. Tommy tried, but ultimately failed.



JOHNSTONE'S PAINT TROPHY

We're up to J, so it's time for another glance at the knock out cup for the bottom two divisions. This season it's been christened the

JUVENTUS

On 2nd May 1970, Town took on a small Italian team by the name of Juventus. The occasion was the Anglo./Italian Inter-League Clubs Competition and the match took place at the County Ground with 12,879 in attendance.



Juve weren't too bad a side then, as now. In fact by the time Town faced the Italian side, they had been crowned their country's champions a dozen times, most recently in 1967, and were on course to win it again in 1972 and 1973.

Town not only beat their well-respected guests, but did so convincingly. By four goals to nil actually. Goals from Peter Noble (pictured), Stan Harland and a brace from Arthur Horsfield did the damage.

Two weeks later we travelled to Turin for the away encounter. The crack team were surely wounded. Town could expect a backlash. Peter Noble grabbed the only goal of the game and we'd humbled them in their own back yard as well.

Not bad eh? Can Man U lay claim to sticking five past Juventus for no reply? Thought not.

Back in the 1990's with Arsenal in Europe, I wrote to then ITV presenter Bob Wilson to point out that the TV companies often stated that the Gunners had been the first to defeat Juve in Italy in European competition.

This was plainly a mistake and perhaps he'd like to put the record straight I suggested. Particularly as it was him who Don Rogers had left grovelling in the mud at Wembley in 1969 and given Town the chance to face Juventus in the first place.

The Anglo/Italian was not deemed a senior competition, the Chesterfield-born, Scottish international replied. What would he know?

Johnstone's Paint Trophy, a catchy little monicker if ever there was.

Despite yet another change of title, the competition remains pretty much the same as usual, except that a draw after 90 minutes sees the game go straight into penalties rather then the customary 30 minutes extra-time first.

If the change of name confused anyone at the beginning of the season, it wouldn't have been long before a familiar feeling washed over us. Town were knocked out in the first round. It's good to know where you stand isn't it?

JONES - VARIOUS

Taking a look at the players who have represented Town under the name of Jones is like searching a Chinese phone book for someone called Wong. You have to use your fingers and toes to keep up with the Jones' who have pulled on Swindon's red and white.

In fact, it's possible to construct a tidy looking side made up entirely from men called Jones.

Starting with Roy in goal and a back four of Ken, Arthur, Dai and Albert, the midfield could comprise of Mark, Tom (pictured) and Morris and raiding left-sided wide man Fred. Up front Eddie and Chris could complete the team. It wouldn't have been short of experience either. Altogether the eleven men made

772 appearances for Town.

With 17 Jones' all told, there's even enough left to have a full substitute's bench as well. And think of how simple it would be for the people in the club shop, sticking names on the backs of replica shirts.

JARRETT, ALBERT

Spent two months on loan here at the County Ground last season making half a dozen appearances and also featured in an unfortunate car crash. The London-born wide man came in from Brighton in January of this year and made a move to Premiership Watford in the summer.



JUTKIEWICZ, LUKAS

This young lad is making a good impact and at the ripe old age of 17 is now on his fourth Town manager already. All of them have valued Lukas' abilities, and five of the last six League games of last season saw Lukas take to the pitch under Iffy Onuora.

> And new boss Paul Sturrock looks ready to continue giving the strong front man a chance to impress.

His ball to Christian Roberts to allow 'Robbo' to complete the scoring in the final minute against Carlisle United in the FA Cup a couple weeks ago will have helped the new boss form an opinion.

A bright future beckons for the 6ft lin striker.

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Christmas Menu

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Stuffed Turkey Fillet with pigs in blanket or Roast Sirloin of Beef

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Poached Salmon Fillet with lemon mayonnaise

Boiled potatoes, Garden peas

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must say, travelling almost 700 miles and then seeing your team getting knocked out of the FA Cup by a team in a lower league can't be much fun, but that's what happened to the Carlisle fans at our last home match.

Having said that, for Carlisle fan Mr. N McSephney there was a slight sweetener, in as much as having participated in our half-time draw, he won the £348 prize with ticket number 900. Hopefully, he was able to drown his sorrows on the way home.

Today is the second of our "Legends" days and in researching information for today I came across the following in a programme from 1978. Players, managers and officials may change at a club but not the fans - I noted our present treasurer Anne Alder was sponsoring Alan Mayes kit, whilst Teresa Cawte, our secretary was sponsoring the kit for Brian Williams. Amongst the 'Sponsor a Goal' participants were Chris Weavers, Pauline Cox and Eva Hutchins. All five, like many others have supported our club through good and bad times and like all true and loyal supporters are here week in and week out, to support the team.

Mention of the Legends Day will



hopefully bring memories flooding back for many fans, amongst those ex-players around will be Arthur Horsfield (pictured above, scoring in the Anglo-Italian Cup final), Chris Jones and of course, with a record unlikely ever to be beaten in terms of appearances for one club, John Trollope. I am sure you will give each and everyone of them a tremendous welcome.

Unfortunately we have had to cancel for now the forum planned at Hanney, due to a clash now with a FA Youth cup fixture on the same night. On the subject of forums, I cannot pass today without thanking Paul Sturrock for the time he spent last week answering supporters questions at the Fans Forum. Although the programme went off air at 8.30ish, Paul continued to field further questions, at his request for another hour or so, which was great for everyone there.

Thanks to everyone who went to Torquay last week and with around 1,500 fans making up around 37% of the actual attendance, it was disappointing that the stewarding on the day did not match what we have in place at the County Ground. A point I shall be raising with the authorities.

Roger Bunce

POUNDS 4 POINTS

To enter, please send us your full name, address & telephone number, and state the date you wish for your sponsorship to commence. Please state how much you wish to sponsor per point, either 50p. El or 62, or another amount (please say how much). Remember to sign your name to confirm participation. All money raised helps support the STFC Centre of Excellence.

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SWINDON TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB HALF SEASON TICKETS 2006/07



VALID FROM MONDAY 26TH DECEMBER 2006 SWINDON TOWN VS WYCOMBE WANDERERS

NATIONWIDE & ARKELLS STAND

ADULTS: CONCESSIONS: £123.00 (£10.25 per game) SAVING £57.00* JUNIORS:

£208.00 (£17.33 per game) SAVING £32.00* £45.00 (£3.75 per game) SAVING £63.00*

TOWN END STAND

ADULTS: £163.00 (£13.58 per game) SAVING £17.00* CONCESSIONS: £89.00 (£7.41 per game) **SAVING £55.00*** JUNIORS: £45.00 (£3.75 per game) SAVING £63.00* (Only accompanied juniors are allowed in Town End)

DISABLED WHEELCHAIR ENCLOSURES

DISABLED WHEELCHAIR: £101.00 (£8.41 per game) HELPER: FREE

SAVING £19.00*

* SAVINGS ON MATCH DAY PRICES

CONCESSIONS: Disabled - Registered wheelchair disabled including helper Senior Citizen - 60 years and over before 26th December 2006 Students - Persons in Full time Education With Valid NUS Card for 06/07 Only.

IMPORTANT: PROOF OF STATUS WILL BE REQUIRED ON APPLICATION

CASH/CHEQUE INCENTIVE

It assists the club greatly if you pay for your season ticket by cash or cheque, (Credit card payments are still available) You will receive a £5.00 Gift voucher for the STFC Superstore if you pay by cash or cheque, as a thank you from the club for your assistance (please do not send cash through the post).

REASONS TO BUY

- Buying a Half-Season Ticket will save you money when compared to purchasing tickets match by match for the rest of the season
- Your own reserved seating for 12 League games
- 10% Discount in the STFC Superstore
- Juniors receive FREE membership of the Junior Robins
- Pledging your support will help the clubs future
- Priority ticket allocation for away matches and Cup ties (inc. play-offs)











Andy Gurney has played his last game of football at SN1 after announcing his retirement from the game last week due to injury.

'Gurns' had two spells at The County Ground but following two operations with the aim of curing an ankle injury, the 32 year old former Torquay United, Reading and Swansea City player has announced his retirement from the game.

Town manager Paul Sturrock commented on the news:

"Andy has been forced to retire due to this recurring injury with his ankle. The pain from it has been too much and after a long hard think, he has decided to retire.

"There have been a lot of discussions between myself, the medical staff and the player and this is the only road we could have gone down.

"I am disappointed for the boy because he has been an honest, hardworking player with a great free-kick on him. We were hoping that his versatility could have benefited us but football seems to kick you in the teeth.

"Last season he played through it but it has come to the stage where he couldn't continue. He will be well missed here and everyone connected with Swindon Town Football Club wishes him all the best," finished Sturrock.













JR's on the Road...

ello and welcome to all the Junior Robins here today!

This is the last shout for booking your place on the reciprocal trip to Walsall on December 9th. We've only got three arranged for this season, this being the second and Stockport the final one on March 3rd. Tickets and travel are included in the price which is £10 for Juniors, £12 for non-Junior Robins and £15 for adults. You will also get the quiz on the coach, a raffle and the opportunity to be mascot on the day and lead the team out. Walsall are currently top of the league and with us in a healthy 3rd place, it should be a fantastic match. Contact me on 01793 525619 to book your place.

The deadline has been extended for the 'Design a Christmas Card' competition until the end of next week. I haven't received many entries so get your pencils out and your design could be the official Junior Robins card for 2006! Your entry needs to be A5 size (just fold a piece of A4 in half) and make it relevant to STFC, previous winners had a snow man and 11 robins, for the gaffer and squad and Rockin' Robin disguised as a reindeer! Use your imagination and see your idea in print.

Today's entry in the 'UP YOUR STREET' competition which is ongoing all season is Ben Madley at the signpost to Common Platt (Comyn-Platt). Well done Ben, your signed photo of Lee Peacock will be in the post and your name will go into the draw for the 3 day training session with Football in the Community at the end of the season.

Make some noise today, Andrea

Happy Dirthdays!

Lauren Wesley Andrew Butt **Bethany Russell** Lewis Ford Megan Meeks John Gosling **Rebecca** Prout Matthew lones Sam Grant Ryan Loftus-Stevens Jack Woodward David Lyons Bradley Carter Conor Trinci Ashley Windle N R Williams Jemma Hudson Dean Moore Thomas Thorpe Bradley Carter-Selwood Jake Pearce Joanna Richman Matthew Cook Callum Fear Deanna Aspell Daniel Baker





JUNIOR ROBINS sponsored by BRUNEL FM Swindon 107.7

PAUL EVANS

Swindon Town midfielder Paul Evans takes to the question couch to answers a few quick questions for Junior Robins members.

Do you have any pets? Not at the moment.

What was your first pet? A Welsh springer spaniel called 'Bomber'.

How do you spend a day off? Just relax generally. LMA Manager on the X-Box takes up some of my time!

Our of 10, how many marks would you give our mascot Rockin' Robin? 201

Next time: Jerel Ifil

If you would like to ask 'The Beast' a question, send your questions to andrea@swindontownfc.co.uk

Today's Mascots

HONOR FRASER is 3 years old and attends Colebrook Pre School. She loves coming to The County Ground and also enjoys watching Swindon Speedway. Honor is a season ticket holder and comes to football with her mummy and bampy.

BRADLEY CARTER attends Colebrook Junior School. He plays football for Wootton Bassett 'B' under 10's. His favourite player is Peter Brezovan.







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Saving water with Swindon Town FC





GG.FM EXPERIENCE with Gary and Stuart (Stadium Announcers)





Good afternoon everyone and welcome to this afternoon's League Two game with Bury.

The team are hoping to make it three wins out of three for the new gaffer Paul Sturrock and keep us in the automatic promotion spot that we have just taken from Wycombe.

The 'Noize for the Swindon Boyz' against Carlisle I am sure helped spur the team

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penalty decision go in our favour.

Bury have a cup replay with Weymouth to contend with before making it to The County Ground. They had three consecutive wins before drawing with Weymouth and then getting turned over by Bristol Rovers at Gigg Lane last Saturday.

A couple of things about Bury that come into my mind, first being the

With over 1,400 of you making the trip to Plainmoor last Saturday, I am sure that raised the volume levels significantly and helped carry the three points away from Devon...

onto a magnificent FA Cup upset. Once again the twelfth man in the stands contributed greatly to the victory.

Of course with over 1,400 of you making the trip to Plainmoor last Saturday, I am sure that raised the volume levels significantly and helped carry the three points away from Devon, I think it's about time we got a dodgy Neville Brothers at Manchester United and I think it was their father that ran today's visitors. The second thing was witnessing an 8-0 victory over them here at the County Ground with Andy Rowland and Alan Mayes running riot in a game just before we were due to entertain Tottenham in an FA Cup Match (a game we lost in the replay with Bryan Hamilton making an error at White Hart Lane). It also featured former Manchester United Manager Wilf McGuiness as their physio; he threw sweets into the Town End after the faithful started singing about his polished head after treating one of his players.

Please keep your birthday announcements coming in and if you would like a particular piece of music played please give us a couple of weeks notice so that we can talk to our friends at HMV.

Rockin' Robin spoke to me during our FA Cup game about a competition he would like to run at the Bristol Rovers game on the 16th of December. He would like you to come to the Rovers game in Fancy Dress and pre-game he will pick the some winners who will come on the pitch and perform the HAKA with him before the game.

Enjoy today's game and remember MAKE PLENTY OF 'NOIZE FOR THE SWINDON BOYZ'.

Stuart & Gary



CLUB INFO

Ground Bescot Stadium

Capacity 11.300 (all seated)

Address

Walsall FC Bescot Stadium Bescot Crescent Walsall West Midlands WSI 4SA

Club Contacts

Tel: 0870 442 0442 Fax: 01922 613 202

Website

www.saddlers.co.uk

Coca-Cola League Two, 3pm

AWAY SUPPORTERS

Town supporters will be housed in the Healthland (William Sharp) Stand at one end of the ground, where around 2,000 fans can be accommodated. There are a few supporting pillars at the front which could impede your view. The good news though, is that even a small amount of away fans can really make some noise and make a good atmosphere. A trip to Walsall can be disappointing in terms of trying to get there and the stadium itself. but is more than countered by the relaxed atmosphere around the ground and the friendliness of the Walsall fans themselves.

GETTING THERE

In general getting to Walsall is pretty easy from Wiltshire. The ground is right next to the M6, in fact you can see it from the motorway just north of the RAC Control Centre. Unfortunately, this stretch of motorway normally has a large traffic jam on both Saturday lunchtimes, so allow 'extra-time'.

By Road: Leave the M6 at Junction 7 and take the A34 towards Walsall (beware of speed cameras on this stretch of dual carriageway). At the end of the dual carriageway turn left at the Bell Inn public house into Walstead Road (sign posted Bescot Stadium, Bescot Station Park & Ride). Continue straight on this road for two miles, passing another pub called the Tiger on your left. You will come to Bescot Stadium and entrance to the away end on your right.

Parking: There is a good-sized car park located at the ground (cost £3) and behind the away stand, which lends itself to a quick getaway after the match. Alternatively there is some

street parking to be had off Wallowes Lane.

By Rail: Note that if you go by train, Bescot Stadium has its own station, situated behind the away end only a few minutes walk from the turnstiles. Trains run there on a local line from Birmingham New Street and the journey time is around 20 minutes. There is a regular service on Saturdays along this line and you should not have too many problems getting away after the game.

AROUND THE GROUND

The King George V in Wallowes Lane is okay, but as the nearest pub to the ground it gets rather busy which can make it a bit difficult to get served quickly. It is about a 15-minute walk away, opposite the Morrisons Supermarket. If you are walking from the stadium, go out of the official car parks and down towards McDonalds. Go past McDonalds on your right and take a left hand turn into Wallowes Lane. At the end of the lane turn left onto the main road and the pub is just setback on the left. Away fans should avoid the Fulbrook pub near to the ground.



STFC BOX OFFICE

☎ 9870 443 1894



SWINDON TOWN vs MORECAMBE

FA Cup Second Round Saturday 2nd December 2006, KO: 3pm

Advanced ticket prices are as follows: NATIONWIDE/ARKELLS STAND: Adults £13, OAP/Student £8, Junior £5, Disabled £7*; TOWN END: Adults £10, OAP/Student £7, Junior £5, Disabled £7; FAMILY ENCLOSURE: Adults £13*, OAP/Student £8*, Junior £4*

Nationwide/Arkells stand prices increase by £2 on match day (*same price on match day). Season ticket holders have until 5pm on Wednesday 29th November to claim their season ticket seats.

PLEASE KEEP YOUR TICKET STUBS FROM THE BURY AND MORECAMBE GAMES FOR PRIORITY BOOKING SHOULD WE REACH THE 3RD ROUND OF FA CUP



MANSFIELD TOWN vs SWINDON TOWN

Coca-Cola League Two Tuesday 5th December 2006, KO: 7.45pm

Tickets are priced at **£16** for Adults, **£10** for OAP's and Students and **£7** for Juniors. All seated. All tickets are pay on the day. For disabled tickets please book in advance by calling 0870 7563160.

SAS Travel coach fare is **£16** for Adults and **£14** for Juniors. Supporters Club members get a £2 discount. Depart County Ground 2pm.



WALSALL vs SWINDON TOWN

Coca-Cola League Two Saturday 9th December 2006, KO: 3pm

There are 3,000 seats available for this match, priced at **£16** for Adults, **£10** for OAP's and Under 18's, and **£16** for Disabled (including helper). Prices will increase by £2 on the matchday. Advanced tickets are only available by calling 0870 4420111 (no sales at STFC).

SAS Travel coach fare is **£12** for Adults and **£10** for Juniors. Supporters Club members get a £1 discount. Depart Ermin Street 11am, West Swindon 11am, County Ground 11.15am.



SWINDON TOWN vs BRISTOL ROVERS

Coca-Cola League Two Saturday 16th December 2006, KO: 3pm

Tickets are now available from the STFC Box Office, please call 0870 443 1894 for details.



MACCLESFIELD TOWN vs SWINDON TOWN Coca-Cola League Two

Saturday 23rd December 2006, KO: 3pm

Ticket information not yet available. Please check Swindontownfc. co.uk and local press for future details.

BOOKING INFORMATION

OPENING HOURS

The Box Office is open from 900am to 5.00pm Menday to Friday Matchday Statu days from 900am to Half-Eine, and Foll-Time to 5.00pm Non-institutiday Saturdays from 910am to 1200pm Autowek satches from 900am to 8.00pm and full-time to 3200pm

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AWAY TRAVEL - 01793 536 757

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STFC PLAYER APPEARANCES & GOALS 2006/07

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SHAKES, Ricky	12(2)	1	1/0	3	0	1/0	15(2)	1	2/0		
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EVANS, Paul	77(3)	3	2/0	2	1	1/0	13(3)	4	3/0		
POOK, Michael	nest	10	5/0	(1)	0	0	1941	1	5/0		
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FIXTURES, STATS & APPEARANCES



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Sat Aug 26	STOCKPORT COUNTY	Н	2-0	6.868	211	lst	K.Friend
Fri Sep 1	Chester City	A	2-0	3.382	807	lst	D.Foster
Sat Sep 9	Wrexham	A	1-2	5,257	717	Ist	S.Mathies
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Sat Sep 16	PETERBOROUGH UNITED	Н	0-1	7,329	221	2nd	L.Probert
Sat Sep 23	Notts County	A	1-1	6,079	689	4th	M.Haywoo
Tue Sep 26	Wycombe Wanderers	A	1-1	6,090	1,596	4th	A.D'Urso
Sat Sep 30		Н	1-1	6,074	103	2nd	P.Taylor
Sat Oct 7	Accrington Stanley	A	1-1	3.083	880	4th	G.Sutton
Sat Oct 14	GRIMSBY TOWN	Н	3-0	5,719	228	3rd	N.Swarbrid
Tue Oct 17	Wycombe Wanderers (IPTI)	A	0-1	1,583	368	X	D.Deadman
Sat Oct 21	Shrewsbury Town	A	2-1	5.218	738	3rd	S.Bratt
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at Mar 24	Lincoln City	A					
at Mar 31	SHREWSBURY TOWN	н					
at Apr 7	Hereford United	Α					
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at Apr 21	MANSFIELD TOWN	Н					
at Apr 28	Bristol Rovers	A					
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* Brentford win 4-3 on penalties after extra time

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Swindon Town Football Club would like to wish Town fan Thomas Juggins (above) a very Happy Birthday!

TED BACHELOR

Swindon Town FC were saddened this week to learn of the passing of former player Ted Bachelor. Born in Rugby on 4th August 1930, he joined Swindon from Wolves in August 1950. He left Town in 1954 having made 96 appearances and scoring 2 goals.

BIRTHDAYS

If you would like a birthday message announced at The County Ground on a matchday then just send your message to enquiries@swindontownfc.co.uk

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The Grandstand are specialists in stadium betting, and will operate from two locations. They will be based in the Winners Lounge, whilst also operating from a purpose built booth based on the concourse of The Nationwide Stand. Fans will be able to place bets from 12.30 until 17.30 today.

LOG ON!

Remember there is only one place to visit post-match for the first reaction after today's game. Visit Swindontownfc.co.uk and you will find a full match report as well as the thoughts of Paul Sturrock and player reaction on the game.

CUP ROUND DATES

FA Cup

Sat Nov 11thCARLISat Dec 2ndMORESat Jan 6thThird ISat Jan 27thFourthSat Feb 17thFifth RSat Mar 10thQuarteSat Apr 14thSemi-fSat May 19thFINAL

CARLISLE UTD (H) Round 1 MORECAMBE (H) Round 2 Third Round Fourth Round Fifth Round Quarter-final Semi-final

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SUPERSTORE OPENING HOURS

Monday: 9am - Spm Tuesday: 9am - Spm Wednesday: 9am - Spm Thursday: 9am - Spm Friday: 9am - Spm Saturday (non-matchday): 9am - 12pm Sunday: Closed

Matchday Saturday/Tuesday. 9am -Kick-off and then for 30 minutes after the final whistle.



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1	0	Peter BREZOVAN	
2		Jack SMITH	
3		Jamie VINCENT	
4		Sofiane ZAABOUB	
5		Jerel IFIL	
		Ady WILLIAMS	
		Gareth WHALLEY	
8		Aaron BROWN	
		Christian ROBERTS	•
		Lee PEACOCK	
		Andy MONKHOUSE	
		Ricky SHAKES	
		Jon STEWART	
		Andy NICHOLAS	
		Fola ONIBUJE	
		Charlie COMYN-PLATT	
		Paul EVANS	
		Michael POOK	
		Royce BROWNLIE	
		Lukas JUTKIEWICZ	
		Andy LONERGAN	
		Curtis WESTON	
		Phil SMITH	
		Ben WELLS	
		Andrew CATON	
30		Leigh HENRY	

SQUADS

BURY

1		Alan FETTIS
2		Paul SCOTT
3		Thomas KENNEDY
4		John FITZGERALD
5		David CHALLINOR
6		Colin WOODTHORPE
8		Dwayne MATTIS
9		Matthew TIPTON
10		Tom YOUNGS
11		Brian BARRY-MURPHY
12		Andy BISHOP
14		Richie BAKER
15		Chris BRASS
16		Nicky ADAMS
17		David BUCHANAN
18		Marc PUGH
22		Matthew BLINKHORN
23		Andy PARRISH
24		Jake SPEIGHT
25	17	Kasper SCHMEICHEL

- 25
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- 26 Damian QUIGLEY
- 27 Stephen TURNBULL
- 28 Glynn HURST
- 29 David WORRALL
- 30
 Aaron GRUNDY

EMERGENCY PROCEDURE

In the event of an emergency at The County Ground you will hear a police message over the public address system. It will be preceded by a loud 'alarm' sound. Please remain where you are, listen to the message, and if it effects your area of the stadium, comply with the instructions immediatly. These will direct you to a safe area, through exit gates and doors into car parks, roads or the pitch area. If you are disabled or feel unsafe in a large crowd, please remain where you are until the stewards assist you to leave. Above all, REMAIN CALM and DO NOT MOVE unless the announcement concerns your area of the stadium.















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