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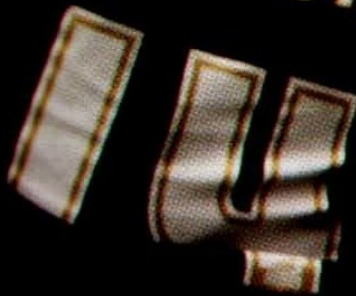
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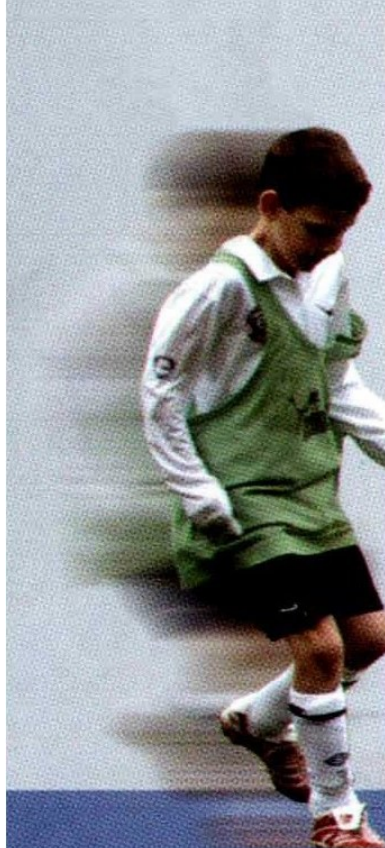


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## Manager's Notes

**W**elcome to tonight's **Johnstone's Paint Trophy match.** It is a competition which has in some cases not been treated with the respect it has deserved. Often clubs have fielded very young teams much to the displeasure of the Football League and sponsors Johnstone's Paint. In order to rectify the situation clubs are obliged to have at least six of the top eleven appears in the starting line-up as part of the competition rules.

Tonight we have made a number of changes from

Saturday's line-up and I'm sure that Swindon will have done likewise, however that does not mean a lack of respect for the competition. We are still searching for a winning formula here so the changes made tonight gives opportunity to players to lay claim to place in Sunday's starting line-up at Oldham.

The opportunity to play at Wembley is a great attraction therefore most clubs now realise what a good competition it can be especially as we set into the latter rounds. In order to get to



those we have to ensure we win tonight, therefore total application is required by the players and a performance in keeping with the substantial amount of experience we have in the starting line-up.

Enjoy the game

**Graham**

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## John's Journal

**A**lthough we didn't get the win we were hoping for against Walsall last Saturday and had to settle for a goalless draw, along with our victory over Crewe in September, it was the strongest performance we have given in League One. Those are the two matches in which we have kept clean sheets this season and they've yielded four points. We have to aim to increase our percentage of clean sheets for the rest of the season. If we do that we'll more than hold our own in this division.

In a number of games this season we've had our best spells in the latter stages of matches. But that's been when we've been chasing the game. The difference on Saturday was that we had much more control of the match from the start and Darren Randolph was never in the action to anywhere near the extent he was at Leeds the previous week.

Walsall came here with only two defeats in eight league games but I thought we more than matched them and on another day could have nicked all three points as we had a good goal disallowed. When Bradley Hudson-Odoi

got the ball in the net only for the referee to award them a free kick, seemingly for pushing. But, looking at the DVD afterwards, I couldn't see any evidence of an infringement by any of our players. There was, of course another close shave when they scrambled the ball off the line. Many people including some of the players felt the ball had crossed the goal line, but after watching the incident in slow motion I have to say the officials in this case were proved right when they waved play on. Andy Williams and Bradley also went close to breaking the deadlock with headers. We're not getting the best of fortune in front of goal at the moment.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank our supporters for the way they've got behind the team this season. Like the players and the club staff, there us obvious disappointment at being bottom of the table, something we are all working hard to rectify. But the support has been very positive and in the second half on Saturday the continuous vocal volume was particularly impressive. It's something the players do appreciate and it was a vital help in keeping them going



and finishing strongly.

Having received a first round bye, we start our challenge for the Johnstone's Paint Trophy with a quick return to Edgar Street for Swindon Town after the drawn league fixture here a few weeks ago. Of course, our top priority is to improve our league position but a decent run in the Trophy can be financially rewarding with the prize of a Wembley final. It's a competition we will be aiming to do well in and a win tonight would be a great confidence boost for our trip to Oldham on Sunday and Brighton the following Saturday.

John



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## Bulls in Action

United in action from last Saturday's home tie with Walsall.  
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## A Look Back

### Bulls and Saddlers Battle Out Stalemate

Jamie Griffiths reports...

**H**ereford United secured their 5th point of the campaign with a 0-0 draw against League 1 high-flyers Walsall at a wet and blustery Edgar Street.

United boss Graham Turner made three changes going into the game with Andy Williams, Moses Ashikodi and Kris Taylor returning to the starting eleven in place of Matt Done, Simon Johnson and Nick Chadwick. Also absent from the 16 man squad was Ben Smith who was missing due to illness.

Former Milan player, Bruno N'Gotty, made his home debut after a solid performance against Leeds following his arrival on loan from League 1 pace-setters, Leicester City.

It was a game that United were keen to get something out of after a string of four straight defeats had seen The Bulls slump to bottom place in the League standings. Conversely, Walsall came to Edgar Street on the back of three victories that saw them occupy a top six spot.

Showing faith in his side that defeated Carlisle the weekend previously, Saddlers boss Jimmy Mullen decided to go into the game unchanged, meaning former England international, Michael Ricketts started in attack, and former Bulls loanee, Chris Palmer started at right back.

It was a game that saw little to set the pulses racing, but United fans and staff will have gone home happy after ending their losing run.

In a slow start to the game, Nicholls was the only player to have any real effort on goal, however thankfully for The Bulls he sent a string of chances high or wide leaving Darren Randolph with far less to do than his heroics during The Bulls 1-0 defeat to Leeds.

In an opening half that saw neither team taking charge it would perhaps have been unjust had Micheal Ricketts' effort in the 40th minute, or either of Bradley Hudson-Odoi's efforts in the dying moments of the half, gone in.

In Walsall's best chance of the game, Ricketts found himself unmarked 12 yards from goal, but being slightly at an angle, failed to send his right footed shot in on target - with the ball whistling past the far left hand post, close - but not close enough - to his fellow strike partner, Jabo Ibehre.

Shortly afterwards and Bradley Hudson-Odoi sent a header from a deep left footed cross by Kris Taylor inches wide of the upright - the former Fulham man, who was looking to add to his three-goal tally so far this season, probably should have done better 8 yards from goal, but he was soon to have another attempt, latching on to an Andy Williams through-ball on the right to send a right footed shot in on Ince's goal.

The second half saw United enjoy far more of the possession, but The Bulls never looked convincing in their attempts to break down a stubborn Walsall defence.

In a similar move that saw Hudson-Odoi head wide in the first half, Taylor this time combined with Williams, but the result was the same, with the loanee sending his header from 12 yards out narrowly wide.

United were then denied by a goalline clearance from a goalbound Andy Williams effort. Shortly afterwards and United managed to get the ball into the back of the net, however, referee Mr. Mathieson had already blown for a push on Ince in the visitors goal to deny United an opener.

Another hard working display from The Bulls, who competed more than

admirably with their visitors. A greater level of concentration from The Bulls meant that Walsall were limited to few chances - and United will be happy to have ended a losing run.

**Hereford:** Randolph, Jackson, Broadhurst, N'Gotty, Rose, O'Leary, Diagouraga, Taylor, Hudson-Odoi, Ashikodi (Johnson 90), Williams.

**Subs Not Used:** Samson, Easton, Done, Beckwith.

**Walsall:** Ince, Palmer, Roberts, Gerrard, Boertien, Taundry, Hughes, Mattis, Nicholls (Demontagnac 71), Ibehre, Ricketts (Deeney 86).

**Subs Not Used:** Gilmartin, Smith, Reich.

**Booked:** Mattis.

**Att:** 3,900

**Ref:** Scott Mathieson.

#### What they said...

**Graham Turner:** "We showed a bit of grit and determination - we had a couple of good headed opportunities, one in either half. In the end, against a side that are going well in the League it was a decent performance, and a grinding out of a result."

"We've done alright there, their two front lads are a handful and I think generally we controlled things quite well. A clean sheet was important."

"I say it's like a cricket innings, you build it up and sometimes you have to take singles - we got a point today."

"There is obviously a concern that we're not putting the ball in the back of the net, and that's obviously a concern, I think we miss the presence of Steve Guinan, but Andy Williams is back with us, and I think we've got enough here to turn it around."

# Opponents Profile



## HASNEY ALJOFFREE

Solid centreback who joined the Club in August 2006 and will be looking to build on a solid first season in Wiltshire that saw him make an impressive 38 league starts. Hasney began his career with Bolton Wanderers and made 22 appearances for the Trotters at first team level.

A switch to Dundee United followed but after two seasons North of the Border, Hasney moved to Plymouth Argyle on a free transfer in the summer of 2002 and he went on to make well over 100 appearances for The Pilgrims, many of them as Captain.

## CHRIS ALLEN

Young midfielder who came to the fore during the 2007/08 campaign after being handed his full league debut at Southend United in December.

The Devizes-based middle-man made eight league appearances for The Robins last season and will be keen to impress during reserve outings this term in a bid to win a first team spot.

With excellent delivery from a set-piece situation and a keen eye for goal, Allen has a lot to offer the Town squad.

## KEVIN AMANKWAH

The first signing of the summer, Kevin is looking to nail down a regular starting slot after joining on a two-year deal from Coca-Cola Championship side Swansea City. At 6'1 he adds height to the backline and will be in competition with the established Jack Smith for the right-back berth. Made his debut off the bench at MK Dons on Saturday 30th August 2008 in a 2-1 win for The Robins.

## PETER BREZOVAN

Slovakian goalkeeper who joined Swindon in the summer of 2006 on a year-long loan from FC Brno. The stopper made an immediate impression, saving two penalties on his debut at Hartlepool United in August of the same year.

Brezovan's impressive performances saw him retain the number one spot until a broken arm against Grimsby Town in October 2006 brought his

season to a shuddering halt.

'Brez' returned to action at the start of the 2007/08 season although was made to wait for his chance with Phil Smith keeping him on the bench. Regained his place in the starting line-up at Port Vale in October and kept his place in the side.

## BARRY CORR

Sheffield Wednesday striker Barry joined Swindon Town in a permanent deal in the summer of 2007.

At 6'5 the striker certainly offers a physical presence in the front line. He started out in English football with Leeds United and gained youth honours for the Republic of Ireland during his time at Elland Road.

He then joined Sheffield Wednesday in April 2005 from after an initial trial spell with the Elland Road club. He made 17 league appearances for the Hillsborough club and also had a loan spell at Bristol City in October 2006.

Corr initially arrived at The County Ground on loan and made a goalscoring debut, hitting the second goal at Lincoln City in March 2007 to earn Swindon a valuable win. He then battled through a back injury to help secure promotion back into League One with some talismanic displays.

## SIMON COX

Striker Simon signed a permanent deal at The County Ground in January 2008 after enjoying successful loan spell with Swindon.

Cox initially arrived in August 2007 on a long-term loan and made the most of his temporary stint, scoring 10 goals before his loan spell was up, including a last minute penalty against Swansea City on New Year's Day to secure a point.

The front man then returned to Reading and made nine senior appearances for his hometown club. Cox had joined Reading at the age of nine and progressed up through the academy ranks before making his senior debut against Luton Town in the Carling Cup in September 2005.

## CRAIG EASTON

Craig arrived at The County Ground in June 2007 and added real experience to the central midfield area.

The former Scotland Under 21 International joined up at The County Ground with over 300 league appearances under his belt and has made a significant impression since signing for The Robins.

Easton, 28, started his career at Dundee United where he came up through the ranks to make 162 league starts before departing in the summer of 2004.

He then spent a year at Livingston before joining Leyton Orient in July 2005. In all he made 65 league starts in two seasons for Martin Ling's O's.

Easton was handed his first chance to impress in the home Carling Cup clash with Charlton Athletic in August 2006 and made 40 league starts for Town last term, scoring six goals along the way including a brace in the 3-2 win over Huddersfield Town.

## JEREL IFIL

Powerful defender Jerel joined Town permanently in June 2004 in a £70,000 switch after enjoying three loan spells with Town previously from 2002-04.

Jerel became a fan's favourite during his brief stays in Wiltshire and signed on a permanent basis in June 2004.

He benefitted from a partnership alongside the experience of Ady Williams in the middle of defence during the promotion season of 2006/07 season and scored a vital day on the last day of that season against Walsall.

'The Beast' as he is affectionately known to the Swindon faithful, has now played over 100 games in a Town shirt and signed a new three-year contract in May 2007.

## JACK SMITH

Town's number two for the last three seasons, Jack signed from Watford in the summer of 2005.

Due to the departure of Paul Robinson to West Bromwich Albion he was thrust into the first-team spotlight

at Watford and coped admirably. He made 38 league starts in his first season as a Swindon player – in a variety of positions including right back, left back and midfield.

The defender started the 2007-08 in solid form, despite pressure from summer signing Miguel Comminges. However, a dislocated shoulder halted his progress but he returned to action for the FA Cup win at Wycombe Wanderers and forced his way back into the starting line-up making a further fifteen first team appearances.

#### **BEN JOYCE**

Energetic striker who burst onto the first team scene towards the end of the 2007/08 campaign.

Came off the bench to score on his debut in the final minute of the 6-0 victory against Port Vale and enjoyed further action as a substitute against Gillingham and Millwall before the 2007/08 campaign came to a close.

Joyce arrived at The County Ground in the summer of 2007 after spells with Aston Villa and Plymouth Argyle. The striker has featured in both of Swindon's pre-season tours since arriving in Wiltshire, with trips to Austria in 2007 under Paul Sturrock and 2008 with Maurice Malpas in charge.

#### **PATRICK KANYUKA**

Physical centreback who joined Swindon Town in January 2008 following his release from Coca-Cola Championship side QPR.

Started out with Leyton Orient as a youngster and after impressing against QPR in a friendly, joined the Loftus Road side on a permanent basis.

He made his first appearance for QPR against Burnley in 2005 and went on to make 12 league appearances for The R's.

Made an immediate impression in his first appearances in a Town shirt, winning the Man of the Match award after a 1-0 win at Luton Town at the end of January.

However, a series of niggling injuries meant he made only three further appearances for The Robins before the season was out. A summer of rehabilitation saw the defender impress in pre-season in Austria, and he made his first League One appearance of the

season in the 3-1 home defeat to Colchester United on Saturday 23rd August 2008.

#### **CALLUM KENNEDY**

Former Reading defender who was granted a taste of first team action by former Town boss Paul Sturrock. The youngster made a surprise start in the 4-1 win over Brentford in the Johnstone's Paint Trophy in September 2007.

Comfortable at left-back, Kennedy was a regular for the Town reserves last term and was taken on the pre-season tour to Austria in the summer of 2008.

#### **JON-PAUL MCGOVERN**

Jon-Paul joined Swindon Town on Friday 31st August 2007, just hours before the close of the transfer window, signing a contract until the close of the 2009/10 season

A lively winger who can operate out wide or through the middle, McGovern's arrival was a major boost to then boss Paul Sturrock who had been chasing the player for some time.

The 26-year old was a key cog in Sturrock's Sheffield Wednesday side which won promotion to the Coca-Cola Championship and made over 60 appearances for The Owls during two seasons at Hillsborough.

McGovern began his career as a trainee at Celtic but after one season, he was released by the Scottish giants and subsequently signed for Livingston in July 2003 after a successful loan spell in England with Sheffield United. A promising season for 'Livi' saw Sheffield Wednesday come in for the midfielder who joined Paul Sturrock's squad in time for the start of the 2004/2005 season. He was an ever-present during the promotion winning campaign and scored the first goal at the Millennium Stadium to help secure promotion.

#### **ANTHONY MCNAMEE**

Anthony joined Swindon Town in January 2008 from Watford for an undisclosed fee.

McNamee enjoyed his best season in a Watford shirt in 2005/06, when he helped Aidy Boothroyd's side to an improbable promotion to the Barclays Premiership.

With a mixture of starts and

substitute appearances to his name the young winger took part in over 40 games, scoring just once.

McNamee spent time on loan at Crewe Alexandra during the 2006/07 Premiership campaign, but returned to play a part in Boothroyd's Championship squad.

The winger offered both pace and trickery down the flanks soon after signing and Town fans have already taken great delight at a number of Man of the Match performances.

A fans' favourite at The County Ground, 'Macca' is one of the trickiest customers in League One and is a real asset in the Town side.

#### **SEAN MORRISON**

Robust centreback who arrived in Wiltshire during the summer of 2007. After impressive displays for the youth and reserve sides, Morrison was handed a call up to the first team and made appearances against Gillingham and Millwall at the end of the season. The defender has benefited greatly from the advice passed on from defensive coach Ady Williams. Morrison made his first start of the season in the Carling Cup encounter against QPR where he lined up against the likes of Emmanuel Ledesma and Dexter Blackstock.

#### **LILIAN NALIS**

The Robins signed midfielder Lilian on a one-year deal at the end of July following his release from Plymouth Argyle at the end of the 2007/08 season.

36-year old Nalis has plenty of experience in the English game with spells at Leicester City, Sheffield United and The Pilgrims.

A French midfielder, Nalis began his career in his home country with the likes of Le Havre, Caen, Guingamp and Bastia. After three seasons with the Bastia, Nalis moved to Italian side Chievo before a move to England.

He joined Leicester City in 2003 and spent two years with The Foxes - one of which in the Premier League, before a switch to Sheffield United. A loan spell at Coventry City followed and after just six appearances at Bramall Lane - he joined Plymouth.

In total Nalis made over 100 league

appearances for The Pilgrims and signed for Swindon in July 2008.

#### BILLY PAYNTER

Striker who joined on deadline day in August 2007 and has hit 8 goals in 23 league starts for the club so far. Has League experience with the likes of Port Vale, Hull City and Southend United.

Paynter's preferred position is striker, but he has also played on the right wing for both City and Vale, as well as for a Football League Under-21 team (selected and managed by Peter Taylor) in a game against an Italian Serie B side, a match which took place at the KC Stadium in February 2006.

He hit a hat-trick for Swindon against Bournemouth in September 2007 and followed this up with a double against Gillingham in a 5-0 win in early October 2007.

#### LEE PEACOCK

Signed by former boss Iffy Onuora, 'Peacs' arrived midway through the 2005-06 season after turning down a move to Walsall.

Having previously been at the likes of Sheffield Wednesday and Manchester City, as well as local rivals Bristol City, Peacock came to Town an experienced and versatile player.

He scored off the bench in his first appearance as a Swindon player against AFC Bournemouth in January 2006 – a goal that wrapped up a 4-2 home win.

Always a favourite with the crowds, Peacock went under the knife at the end of Swindon relegation season but returned successfully and was the Town's top goalscorer by October, before being switched to a midfield role under Paul Sturrock. On April 24th 2007, Peacock was named the PFA's Fans' Player of the Year in League Two.

A hardworking player, Peacock has now returned to a striking role after a brief foray into the midfield last term. Has scored 119 goals in 319 career league starts and adds tremendous experience to the set-up.

#### PHIL SMITH

After being released by Millwall as a youngster, Smith spent time in non-league with Crawley and Margate before joining in the summer of 2006

and impressed during the promotion campaign after deputizing for the injured Peter Brezovan.

He picked up the PFA Fans' Player of the Month for December 2006 and was rewarded for his efforts, with a two year extension on his current contract, ensuring he had a future at the club until 2009.

His heroics between the sticks for the promotion season didn't go unnoticed by the fans, who named him their Player of the Season in May 2007.

Has now made over 50 appearances for The Robins and will battle it out for the number one shirt again this season.

#### MICHAEL POOK

A Swindon-born midfielder who has come up through the ranks, 'Pooky' made his first team debut at Boston United in September 2003.

Though he regularly appeared on the bench later that season, he didn't make it onto the pitch until the following September, coming on as an injury-time substitute in a Carling Cup match at Elland Road.

He was an integral part of the youth team that won the Youth Alliance South West Conference title. Without having started a match in the first team, manager Andy King offered him a professional contract, and he finally made his first start on in April with then boss Andy King looking to the future.

The midfielder marked his 50th senior appearance for the club with a goal in Swindon's 3-0 home victory against Grimsby Town. He signed a new one-year deal in the summer of 2008.

#### BLAIR STURROCK

The former manager's son made his Swindon debut in December 2006 after spells with Dundee United, Kidderminster Harriers, Plymouth Argyle and Rochdale. He joined Swindon Town after suffering an injury whilst playing for Rochdale. After reaching full fitness, the striker was then handed a chance to impress for the Town second string and his performances saw a short-term contract handed out. First team chances then came his way with a Town debut off the bench at Macclesfield Town in December 2007. He then made a further nineteen appearances, scoring three

goals as Town went on to win promotion from League Two.

The 2007/08 season saw the front man score six goals in twenty-seven first team appearances, including the winner in the FA Cup tie against Forest Green Rovers in December.

#### JAMIE VINCENT

Began his career at Crystal Palace before switching to AFC Bournemouth, where impressive performances for The Cherries brought about a £500,000 switch to Huddersfield Town.

It was a successful time at The McAlpine Stadium with the defender making over 60 appearances, games which drew the attentions of Portsmouth. An £800,000 move to Pompey followed in February 2001.

After three years with the Fratton Park club, further spells followed at Derby County and Yeovil Town before signing for Swindon under Dennis Wise in the summer of 2006.

Vincent's solid performances in defence for the Robins secured his place in the first team last season, although injuries have hindered his progress so far this campaign.

#### LLOYD MACKLIN

Lightening-quick winger who was joined by Ben Joyce and Callum Kennedy on the pre-season tour of Austria in the summer of 2007.

Became the youngest ever play to represent Swindon at first team level when coming on against Brentford in the Johnstone's Paint Trophy in September 2007.

He went on to feature prominently for the youth and reserve teams as the 2007/08 campaign was played out and will be hoping to press for first team involvement now the new season is under way.



## Bulls On The Road

Next Sunday we travel to table topping Oldham Athletic, kick off 2:00pm. The Latics are currently unbeaten at Boundary Park and last Friday they lost 3-1 at Stockport County.



We last visited Oldham back in March 1974 when both sides fought out a 1-1 draw. John Ritchie gave United the lead early in the first half, but the hosts equalised midway through the second half. The Latics finished the season as Division Three Champions.

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If you witness anti-social behaviour:

- Please feel free to ask for any assistance from the Club and/or any other matchday staff.  
- If you wish to report any incidents of anti-social behaviour please speak to any steward who will be pleased to help you in confidence. Alternatively you may wish to contact the Club: Hereford United FC, Edgar Street, Hereford, HR4 9JU. Please ensure to note the relevant row and seat numbers so that we can monitor the area you have pinpointed.  
Please note: CCTV is in use in and around the ground and the Club may use or pass to the Police or any Football Authority recordings for use in any proceedings.

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## Sponsorships 2008/2009

Many thanks to Hertel Services for sponsoring last Saturday's game. Their support was very much appreciated and they are pictured below after the match presenting Bradley Hudson-Odoi with his man of the match award.



Our thanks also to George Wallis-Smith for being our match mascot. Being match mascot was apart of his birthday celebrations and all who attended thoroughly enjoyed themselves. George is pictured below before the match with the captains and match officials.



Many thanks to all those who have already booked various sponsorships with us for the forthcoming season. We still have dates available for the various packages and details can be found below and the available dates opposite. For further information on all the packages, please contact the main office.

### MATCHDAY SPONSORSHIP

We have two matchday sponsorship packages available. Sponsoring the match is an ideal way to mix business with pleasure by inviting important clients to watch the game in style or to reward staff for exceptional performances. Alternatively it can be a very pleasant day out for a group of friends.

### PLATINUM SPONSORSHIP

The platinum sponsorship includes a two course hot meal served before the game, half-time refreshments and post match refreshments.

Also included with your directors box seat is a complimentary copy of our Matchday programme, credits in the programme with a mention over the PA system, acknowledgement on the electronic scoreboard, before the game and at half-time and a framed photograph of your group on the pitch as a memento of the occasion.

The cost is £45 plus VAT per person and we can accommodate a party of twenty or two individual groups of 10. **Please note that you must confirm the number of your party when booking and a non-returnable deposit of £50 is required.**

### SILVER SPONSORSHIP

The silver sponsorship includes pre-match hospitality with a cold buffet served before the game, half-time refreshments and post match refreshments.

Also included along with your Grandstand seat is a complimentary copy of our Matchday programme, credits in the programme with a mention over the PA system, acknowledgement on the electronic scoreboard, before the game and at half-time and a framed photograph of your group on the pitch as a memento of the occasion.

The cost is £40 plus VAT per person and we can accommodate a party between 15 and 30 people. **Please note that you must confirm the number of your party when booking and a non-returnable deposit of £50 is required.**

Please select the game of your choice and confirm with us at your earliest convenience to avoid disappointment.

### MATCHBALL SPONSORSHIP

Should you wish to sponsor the Match Ball at a game of your choice, your package will include full credits in the Matchday Programme, Public Announcements before the game and during half-time, two directors box tickets, two complimentary Match Programmes and a football, which will be autographed by all the Hereford United players and presented to you on the pitch prior to the game. You will also receive a photograph of the occasion.

**ALL THIS FOR ONLY £150.00 plus V.A.T.**

### MASCOT SPONSORSHIP

The mascot sponsorship is a chance for a young supporter to be famous for a day. Enable a child of your choice to sample all the excitement of League Football as he or she leads out "The Bulls" before the start of the game. An ideal birthday present for that special day. **Please note a £50 non-returnable deposit is required when making the booking.**

INCLUDED IN THE MASCOT PACKAGE:-

FRAMED PHOTOGRAPH

VIDEO OF THE DAY

CHANCE TO MEET THE PLAYERS

3 MATCHDAY TICKETS (INCLUDING MASCOT'S)

COMPLIMENTARY PROGRAMME

SHIRT, SHORTS & SOCKS

**ALL FOR ONLY £125.00 plus VAT**

We also have Perimeter Board spaces available around the ground.

Perimeter Board advertising enables companies to advertise nationally through the local and national media as well advertising to the supporters who watch the matches at Edgar Street. Our games are featured on various television channels and internet sites and over the past seasons we have had a number of live games at Edgar Street. The prices quoted are for the whole season and we can recommend a sign writing company who can produce and fix your board.

For further information advertising and sponsorship please contact the club on 0844 276 1939.



## Second Round

Kick Off 7:45pm (unless otherwise stated)

### Northern Section

Bury v Stockport

Chester v Morecambe 7:00pm

Darlington v Huddersfield Town

Rochdale v Carlisle United

Scunthorpe United v Grimsby Town 7:30pm

### Southern Section

Brighton & Hove Albion v Leyton Orient

Cheltenham Town v Walsall

Gillingham v Colchester United

**Hereford United v Swindon Town**

Luton Town v Brentford

Milton Keynes Dons v AFC Bournemouth

Peterborough United

v Dagenham & Redbridge 7:00pm

Wycombe Wanderers v Shrewsbury Town 7:00pm

## COCA-COLA LEAGUE ONE (Up to 7/10/08)

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	Pts
1	Leicester City	9	7	1	1	17	5	12	22
2	Scunthorpe United	9	6	1	2	18	9	9	19
3	Oldham Athletic	9	5	3	1	20	12	8	18
4	Leeds United	9	5	2	2	16	11	5	17
5	Walsall	9	5	2	2	15	10	5	17
6	Millwall	9	5	2	2	13	11	2	17
7	Southend United	9	5	1	3	15	14	1	16
8	MK Dons	9	5	0	4	16	9	7	15
9	Peterborough United	9	4	2	3	16	12	4	14
10	Stockport County	9	3	5	1	12	9	3	14
11	Carlisle United	9	4	1	4	16	14	2	13
12	Tranmere Rovers	9	4	1	4	16	16	0	13
13	Hartlepool United	9	3	2	4	16	15	1	11
14	Brighton & Hove Albion	9	2	5	2	12	13	-1	11
15	Bristol Rovers	10	2	4	4	20	19	1	10
16	Northampton Town	9	2	4	3	14	15	-1	10
17	Huddersfield Town	9	2	3	4	12	15	-3	9
18	<b>Swindon Town</b>	9	2	3	4	13	17	-4	9
19	Leyton Orient	9	2	3	4	7	15	-8	9
20	Colchester United	9	2	2	5	11	17	-6	8
21	Cheltenham Town	10	2	2	6	13	26	-13	8
22	Crewe Alexandra	9	2	1	6	13	21	-8	7
23	Yeovil Town	9	1	4	4	9	17	-8	7
24	<b>Hereford United</b>	9	1	2	6	7	15	-8	5

## Football in the Community

Welcome to tonight's Johnstone's Paint Trophy fixture.

The Community Scheme is continuing to grow with over 600 children across the County receiving quality coaching each week.

Saturday's launch of the matchday experience proved to be a great success with 25 young footballers providing the fans with their half time entertainment.

Bookings are now being received for the October Half Term please see below for all dates and venues:

Bookings can be downloaded from the HUFC website.

### HEREFORD - WHITECROSS HIGH SCHOOL

Mon 27th October 2008 - Tue 28th October 2008 - 10am -3pm

### ROSS-ON-WYE - JOHN KYRLE HIGH SCHOOL

Mon 27th October 2008 - Tue 28th October 2008 - 10am -3pm

### LEDBURY - LEDBURY LEISURE CENTRE

Thur 30th October 2008 - Fri 31st October 2008 - 10am -3pm

### LEOMINSTER - LEOMINSTER BRIDGE STREET

Thur 30th October 2008 - Fri 31st October 2008 - 10am -3pm

Enjoy the game **Jamie**

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## Junior Bulls

Good evening and welcome to tonight's game. I would like to especially welcome all those who have travelled down from Swindon and I hope you all have a safe journey back.

Everyone should have received a letter explaining a few of the opportunities we have coming up for our members. I hope as many of you as possible will take up the offer of free transport to Millwall and help to cheer the team on. The first 50 members will also be given free match tickets as well. Please encourage your families and friends to join you on the trip, we want to make this a family night out and create a good atmosphere. I would also like to remind members that all members must be accompanied by an adult and no alcohol will be allowed on the bus.

I also look forward to hearing from the members aged 10 and under who are interested in free tickets to see the pantomime at the Courtyard on the 27th December. It will be a nice treat for our younger members, especially those that haven't been given the chance to ballboy.

Finally I look forward to hearing all your questions you would like to ask Steve Guinan. On the 25th October two of our members will be invited to interview Steve for a video interview that will be shown on the official Hereford United website, [www.herefordunited.co.uk](http://www.herefordunited.co.uk), it will also be typed up to be used in the next newsletter.

If anyone who isn't a member would like to take advantage of any of these opportunities then please visit the website, email [juniorbulls@bullsonline.co.uk](mailto:juniorbulls@bullsonline.co.uk) or phone 01981 251762 for an application form.



For today's competition the prize is a signed Hereford United football, to stand a chance of winning just answer the following question:

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Who scored Hereford United's goal when we played Swindon here earlier in the season?

To enter telephone 01981 251762, or email [juniorbulls@bullsonline.co.uk](mailto:juniorbulls@bullsonline.co.uk). The closing date for entries is the 12th October.

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## Hereford United

- 1 Darren Randolph
- 2 Richard Rose
- 3 Robbie Threlfall
- 4 Toumani Diagouraga
- 5 Garry Breen
- 6 Kris Taylor
- 7 Moses Ashikodi
- 8 Ben Smith
- 9 Steve Guinan
- 10 Bradley Hudson-Odoi
- 11 Clint Easton
- 12 Sam Oji
- 14 Craig Samson
- 15 Sam Gwynne
- 16 Jack Macleod
- 17 Stephen O'Leary
- 18 Karl Broadhurst
- 19 Craig Jones
- 20 Andrew Williams
- 21 Richard Jackson
- 22 Matthew Done
- 23 Simon Johnson
- 24 Nick Chadwick
- 27 Bruno N'Gotty
- 28 Dean Beckwith

White Shirts, Black Shorts, White Socks

## Swindon Town

- 1 Phil Smith
- 2 Jack Smith
- 3 Jamie Vincent
- 4 Michael Timlin
- 5 Jerel Ifil
- 6 Hasney Aljofree
- 8 Craig Easton
- 9 Barry Corr
- 10 Jon-Paul McGovern
- 11 Anthony McNamee
- 12 Peter Brezovan
- 14 Patrick Kanyuka
- 15 Kevin Amankwaah
- 16 Yinka Casal
- 17 Lilian Nalis
- 18 Mark Marshall
- 19 Michael Pook
- 20 Billy Paynter
- 21 Blair Sturrock
- 23 Ben Joyce
- 24 Chris Allen
- 25 Sean Morrison
- 30 Callum Kennedy
- 31 Simon Cox
- 32 Lee Peacock

Red Shirts, Red Shorts, Red Socks

## Next Home Match



## Carlisle United

Tuesday 21st October  
2008

Kick Off 7:45pm

## Match Officials

Referee: Mr S Bratt • Assistant Referees: Mr K Johnson (red/yellow flag)  
Mr B Malone (yellow flag) • Fourth Official: Mr S Martin

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