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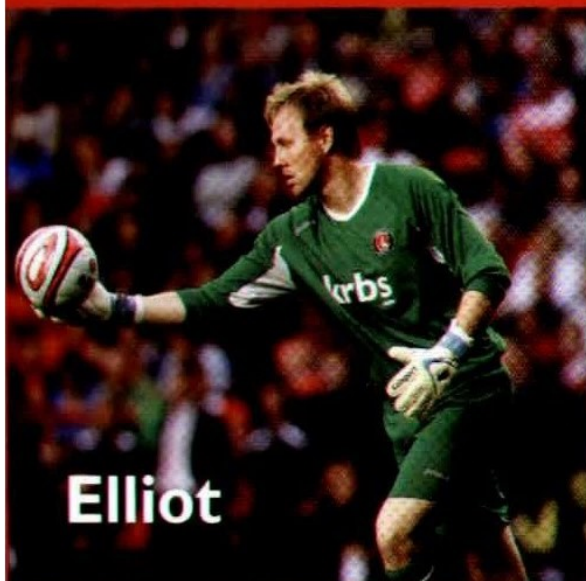


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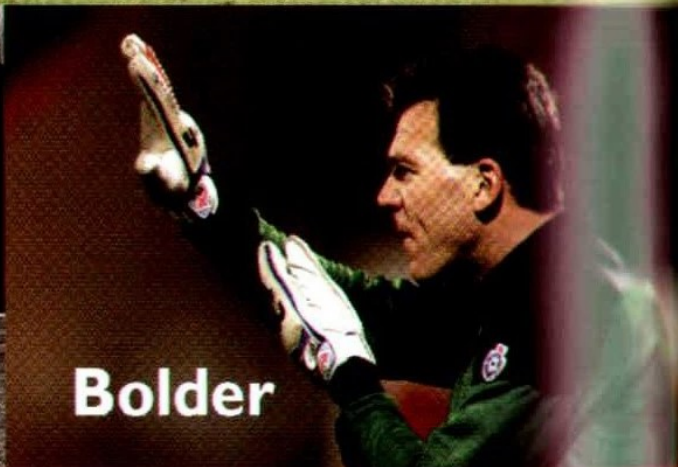
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# CLEAN SLATE FOR CHARLTON AS TAKEOVER GOES THROUGH

The Addicks ended 2010 with some major news as the club passed into new hands – but the long-term strategic plan involves a number of familiar faces. **MATT WRIGHT** reports

**I**t's a new year and a new era for Charlton after the acquisition of the club was completed three days ago.

The club announced on New Year's Eve that lawyer and businessman Michael Slater and international property developer Tony Jimenez had taken control of the Addicks.

And there are also some familiar faces on the new Charlton board in the shape of former chairman Richard Murray and Peter Varney, who represented the investor group throughout the takeover negotiations. Former Addicks chief executive Varney will become executive vice-chairman with responsibility for corporate strategy and planning.

Also on the board is Stephen Kavanagh, who becomes chief executive and will continue to be responsible for the day-to-day running of the club.

"We are delighted to have taken control of Charlton," said new chairman Slater. "The club has a long and proud history and an incredibly loyal fanbase.

"I'd like to pay tribute to Richard Murray, who took on a huge financial responsibility last summer when he saved the club from almost certain administration while

he sought new investment. I'm delighted that we'll continue to benefit from Richard's unique insight and relationship with the club and the supporters.

"As the new owners, we are both football fans and businessmen. The acquisition brings much-needed



Chairmen old and new: Richard Murray, left, hands the baton to Michael Slater

financial stability to the club, and our plan is to run the club on a sensible financial footing and develop a commercial plan to ensure we make progress on and off the pitch to meet the expectations of our fans.

"What we won't do is create unrealistic, pie-in-the-sky expectations. We will always live within our means, and, with a sound commercial approach and the run of the ball on the pitch, our aim, obviously, is to make steady upward progress and bring success to The Valley."

Slater, 44, is the financial controller of Swiss-based investment groups

the Rose Trust and Blue Star International Group, and chairman of Reflex Vehicle Solutions Limited, a successful vehicle rental business based in Stockton-on-Tees.

He added: "The fans have continued to support the club in large numbers over the past few difficult seasons; this was a big factor in our decision to invest and come here."

Murray, meanwhile, will continue his involvement with the club, which spans almost 20 years.

He said: "I have made no secret of the fact that the club has been actively seeking new investment, and it has taken me some time to find the appropriate new owners, but I believe I am now passing the club to the right people, who can secure its long-term future.

"I have been impressed by their enthusiasm and their plans and ideas for its future progression, and I am delighted that I will continue to be involved at board level with them to help rebuild the club both on and off the pitch."

● The acquisition was completed just before today's *Valley Review* went to press. More information can be found on [www.cafc.co.uk](http://www.cafc.co.uk), including a video interview with new chairman Slater on CAFC Player. ◀



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**H**appy new year, and welcome back to The Valley for our first match of 2011, and I extend that welcome to Danny Wilson and everyone connected with Swindon Town. We've had some eventful games over the past year or so, especially at The Valley, and after we were beaten in the play-offs last May, there is a healthy rivalry between the two clubs.

Unfortunately, I had to write these notes before the Colchester United game on New Year's Day, which came three days after we drew with Brighton & Hove Albion.

Before the game, we would have been pleased with a point, but obviously that changed when they went down to 10 men early on after we had taken the lead.

It's been shown numerous times that it's difficult to play against 10 men, but we still created some good chances when we passed the ball patiently, and I felt we had enough

opportunities to win the game.

The first eight minutes were certainly eventful. First there was the penalty, when Scott Wagstaff was incredibly unlucky for his 'goal' to be ruled out when he put the ball in the net after Joe Anyinsah had been fouled. Johnnie Jackson stuck the spot-kick away nicely, though.

After the referee awarded the penalty, I thought he had to send Marcos Painter off because he scythed him down just as he was about to score, and we felt doubly hard done by because Joe unfortunately picked up an injury.

I had a chat with Gus Poyet afterwards, and he was bemoaning his luck about Inigo Calderon being sent off – I told him he was lucky they didn't go down to nine men!

Brighton's main threat came from set pieces, although Radostin Kishishev had a late chance. Given he only scored twice in 200 games while with Charlton, we would have

felt hard done by if he'd scored, but Rob Elliot made a good save. All in all, it was a good performance.

I must also thank the fans who travelled and were in good voice. It was a misty old night, and I wouldn't be surprised if they couldn't even see the goal from where they were sitting.

After 15 days without a game, it was good to be back in action, especially after the Boxing Day postponement, which was a shame for everyone, especially the fans.

Both sets of players were itching to play, but all Nigel Adkins and I could do was give our opinion and ultimately the referee decided to call it off.

Things should be much smoother before kick-off this evening as we look to start 2011 with a good performance. Enjoy the game. ◀









# CHRISTIAN VALUES

Having had time to reflect during his lengthy suspension – compounded by the weather – one durable defender meets GARY HAINES to discuss winter breaks, prolonging his career, the Brighton draw and an extracurricular learning curve

**D**uring a festive season in which families and friends in Charlton and beyond eat, drink and be merry, Christian Dailly's glass will always be half full.

Of course, with the hectic Christmas and new-year period meaning match action aplenty, the stalwart Scottish defender only partook of non-alcoholic beverages.

And, back in the first-team fold after sitting out four games through suspension, he is relishing his expected return to the Valley pitch this evening.

The last time Dailly featured in SE7, almost six weeks ago on November 20th, he made an early departure following a straight red card for an alleged elbow on Yeovil Town's Sam Williams 19 minutes from time.

Having also been dismissed against Leyton Orient in August after receiving two yellow cards, Dailly faced a four-match ban, even though his opponent and Glovers boss Terry Skiverton both admitted that the challenge wasn't malicious and that Williams' injury was the result of a clash of heads.

"I actually saw the challenge as an opportunity to lift the crowd a bit – a chance to get a good challenge in and get everybody up," said Christian, who also missed a handful of games after sustaining a fractured eye socket against Dagenham & Redbridge in August.

"It kind of worked, albeit in the wrong way. Everybody defended brilliantly to get the team through to three points with 10 men, so it gave everyone a lift. I just wasn't on the park!

"There's no doubt I went in to win the ball and I didn't hold back," he added. "But I didn't go in to injure the guy in any way. And I didn't catch him with my arm; it was a head clash.

"Their manager said it, their player said it, I said it, but the club took some advice and was told that an appeal could have earned me an extra game, maybe two, or the FA could even double the suspension."

Fittingly, however, Dailly, whose ban lasted longer than expected when the match at Rochdale on December 4th was postponed, turned that notable negative into a positive.

"When I was sent off against Yeovil, I was really angry," admitted Christian, who finally returned to action as the Addicks made an agonising exit from the Johnstone's Paint Trophy in a penalty shootout against Brentford at Griffin Park on December 14th.

"I was angry for literally an hour, and then I started thinking. If you get a spell out of the team, I look at it as an opportunity to work on other things. When you are not playing, you can train a bit differently and do bits and bobs that will help you to prolong your career."

Dailly added: "It gave me an opportunity to get some extra running in, and some extra



strength work. It's important as you get older to keep that up, and I worked on my running technique.

"It just takes the effort to do it, but I'm probably quite fortunate because training, for me, is not really an effort; it's just enjoyable."

The 37-year-old continues to speak with enthusiasm and passion, demonstrating a real affection for the game which has sustained his career, which is entering its third decade in 2011.

"It's good to be back in with the boys," said Christian, for whom the final match of his suspension was the disappointing 1-0 defeat to Walsall last time out at The Valley.

"I get a little bit agitated watching the games. I always start off making the effort to try to look at things with a coach's head on, and trying to analyse the game, but I always get sucked into watching from a fan's perspective.

"I've played in hundreds of games like the Walsall one when the team has not played well, and it can be difficult to put your finger on why.

"Maybe it was a bit of fatigue after the run we'd been on, but you just have to regroup. And if we can get on a similar run again at any time this season, we will put ourselves in a great position."

Charlton's last sustained period of fine form was sparked by a 4-0 defeat to Brighton & Hove Albion, and Dailly admitted that the Addicks had had enough chances to win the game when the two sides met again and drew 1-1 five days ago.

"I think we probably could have kept the ball better in the second half, but I thought

we created enough opportunities to win," said Christian after Charlton were unable to capitalise on the Seagulls' having been reduced to 10 players after just eight minutes.

"It was a tough match, though."

After Dailly's return to action against Brentford coincided with the club's first clean sheet for

almost a month, the skipper and his teammates were also disappointed by the nature of Brighton's equaliser.

"It wasn't a free-kick for their goal," he said. "We got the penalty, when he should probably have been sent off because he was the last man. Then we scored and the goal wasn't given. Then we got a penalty and scored, and then their player was sent off.

"The crowd was getting irate and it definitely seemed to influence the referee. Free-kicks were going against us left, right and centre for what were just normal challenges. Gary Doherty won a header and he gave them a free-kick [from which Brighton scored], but you just have to get on with it."

Having shrugged off their Walsall woes with a solid display at Brentford, Charlton were frustrated when the following two games, at Hartlepool United and at home to Southampton, fell victim to the adverse conditions up and down the country.

For the durable Dailly, whose professional career kicked off with hometown club Dundee United in 1990, playing in arctic conditions is like, well, snow off an Eskimo's back.

But he admitted: "I've never seen conditions quite as snowy as they have been recently. It said minus six on my car at one point, which I've never seen either, especially living down here where it's a good five or six degrees warmer than





the north of Scotland.

"The conditions have made it really difficult to get a proper training session on. The groundsmen were brilliant, and separated little bits of grass for us to work on each day.

"There is nothing we can do about the weather, though. If you get a big backlog of games, you just have to play them, and it will be a good opportunity to get a whole load of points in a short period of time. So that might be a positive way to look at it."

There was little positive about the club's last scheduled fixture against Southampton, with the Boxing Day match controversially called off just an hour before kick-off.

"I thought the pitch was definitely playable," he said. "The linesman said an area was slippery for him, but I didn't feel it was like that.

"I just felt sorry for everyone who had got themselves up for the game; all the fans who based their Boxing Day around the match."

As a man who has seen pretty much everything in the game, the 67-cap ex-Scotland international is well placed to comment on the idea of a winter break during the season.

"There's probably an argument for

it, but I have some issues with it," said Christian. "First, when would you do it? You can say at the end of December, but the snow doesn't normally come in December; it's usually in January or February.

"I suppose if you were going to have one, the odd week to help teams regroup slightly might be a decent idea. It would give you a chance to train and do some preparation and fitness work that you just don't get the chance to do because of the number of games.

"It's a really difficult one, though. I've never had a winter break, so because I've never had one, I never miss it."

He added: "I'm hoping for a clean bill of health throughout the next few weeks because we have a lot of games coming up.

"It's a tough month, but that's fine. I don't think it matters who we play; we know that when we are all right and everybody is bang on, we can beat any team.

"At the same time, teams are quite evenly matched in this league, so if you are not right, then you are liable to lose, as the Walsall game showed. We've got to be sure we are as right as possible for every game." ◀

## OFFSIDE

"In addition to coaching athletics in my spare time, I've recently started studying for a sports science degree via Manchester University.

I love trying to work out why people can move in certain ways and how to help people to run better, and working on different physiological systems to help people improve.

Studying those mechanics is something I've always been interested in, and it not only helps me to prolong my career, it helps other people as well.

It's a four-year degree, and I strongly believe that it's important to keep your options open. I always feel that if I get myself qualified in a number of different areas, I could be a good help to any team and any person at any level of any sport, at any time."

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## "THE DECISION TO POSTPONE OUR GAME MADE A MOCKERY OF THE HUGE AMOUNT OF WORK UNDERTAKEN IN A BID TO GET THE MATCH PLAYED"



Faced with events beyond their control, Charlton staff did their best to deal with Boxing Day's late call-off, says managing director **STEPHEN KAVANAGH** – but the club is still counting the cost

It's difficult to put into words the anger, frustration and disappointment everyone at the club felt following the postponement of our match on Boxing Day.

Only one League One game was played on December 26th, but we firmly believe our fixture against Southampton should have gone ahead.

In many ways, we have to move on. The club has nothing to gain by continuing to protest about a decision that we believe wasn't correct, and one that made a mockery of the huge amount of work undertaken by staff and supporters in a bid to get the match played.

Equally, however, we have a duty to explain what happened. And it's hard to glibly forget such things when you know how much it will cost – an estimated £60,000-plus.

Even ignoring the fact that we believe the pitch was playable, and that we were sure any concerns referee Andy D'Urso had could easily have been addressed before kick-off, postponing the match so late in the day was the worst possible scenario for the club.

This is true financially, because we still have to pay all the policing, stewarding and staffing costs, the coach firms which had already

transported fans to the stadium and for the food which was wasted, but it also applies logistically.

The last thing we wanted – particularly on Boxing Day, given the lack of public transport – was for so many people to descend on the stadium without a game taking place.

And while some fans have criticised the delay before the decision to postpone the game was taken, this was out of our hands. We were doing our utmost to get the match played, and the longer the delay, the more it cost the club.

### LAST-DITCH INSPECTION

I've also been asked why we didn't announce earlier that a pitch inspection would take place, but the first we knew one would be needed was when the referee took a look just before 11am following his arrival at the ground, as he would do when he gets to the ground for any match.

The cost of the postponement is compounded by the fact that the game, against one of the most fancied sides in the division on a traditional holiday, should have been our most lucrative league match of the season.

Obviously, we won't now receive anything like the same income we

were expecting at the rescheduled game, and it's even worse than that because we've already budgeted for that revenue from Boxing Day.

That said, it's not all about money. We quickly announced that all of our fans who had booked hospitality packages would receive the same package at the rearranged game, with the news of the postponement coming as some supporters were tucking into their pre-match meal.

It's certainly been a busy Christmas, with discussions regarding the club's acquisition continuing on and after Christmas Eve, while events on Boxing Day meant that the following two bank holidays soon became working days, too, as we dealt with the fall-out.

But what most upsets me is that the people who have suffered most from the postponement are fans, the very people who volunteered their services and gave up their time to help us in advance of the match.

Their efforts made a huge difference, and regardless of how it all turned out, we're still immensely grateful.

Finally, I'd like to wish all staff and supporters a happy new year. Let's hope that all our hard work and efforts are rewarded properly this year. ◀



# D'URSO DELIVERS KNOCK-OUT BLOW IN BOXING DAY BOUT

The Addicks were left punch-drunk the day after Christmas – and it had nothing to do with festive over-indulgence. MATT WRIGHT looks at the circumstances of a controversially called-off game

**E**ight days after Charlton's Boxing Day match against Southampton, club officials were still coming to terms with the decision by referee Andy D'Urso to postpone the clash an hour before kick-off.

And given estimates that the cancellation will cost the Addicks in excess of £60,000, even before match ticket refunds are taken into account, the ramifications will be felt for some time yet.

"In 20 years of being at The Valley, it's the worst decision I've ever seen," said groundsman Colin 'Paddy' Powell. "If games are going to be called off when the pitch is as good as it was, you're never going to get any games played.

"I've been thinking about it since Boxing Day, and I reckon we've played around 10 games here when the pitch was in worse condition."

The story of the Boxing Day debacle begins the night before the night before Christmas, when



Fans help to clear snow and ice from around The Valley on December 23rd – three days before the planned match

dozens of supporters responded to an appeal by the club and volunteered their services to clear ice and snow from around The Valley.

The diligent fans spent many hours working alongside staff to shift the snow from the pitch, concourse areas and walkways around the ground, and then laid covers on the playing surface to protect against any overnight frost.

And what many find to be the most difficult consequence of

precaution at 10am on Christmas Eve, and shortly after Phil Crossley reported no concerns, the club

released a statement to that effect on its official website and to the media.

Charlton managing director Stephen Kavanagh added: "Of course, we're still in the hands of the weather to some degree, but we have done everything we can at this stage."

Powell inspected the pitch himself on Christmas Day to ensure nothing was amiss, and was at the ground by 7.30am on Boxing Day for the final preparations ahead of kick-off.

An overnight frost, caused by temperatures which dipped to minus four degrees, meant that several areas of the field of play were hard, but the groundstaff were confident that these wouldn't pose a problem by kick-off.

But after D'Urso arrived at the ground at around 10.30am, and took his first look at the pitch just before 11am, he expressed concern about two areas where his assistants would run the line, in front of the west stand at the Jimmy Seed Stand end and on the opposite diagonal.

This was the first suggestion that there was any doubt that the game

D'Urso's decision is that all those efforts were ultimately in vain.

In a bid to ensure that everything was being taken into account, Charlton asked The Football League to send a referee to the ground to inspect the pitch as a



Addicks supporters queue outside the commercial centre for refunds after the Southampton match was postponed



would go ahead, and, after rejecting the idea that his linesmen could run the opposite flanks because he was used to looking in a certain direction to see his assistants, D'Urso then told staff that he would officially inspect the pitch at 11.30am.

This information was immediately passed on to the media and broadcast to supporters via the club's own communication channels.

At 11.30am, D'Urso emerged and, at around 11.45am, told staff that he was unhappy with the section in the south-west corner where his assistant would run the line.

At this point, Charlton safety officer John Little suggested a delay of 15 minutes to the 1pm kick-off time to give staff further time to remedy the situation.

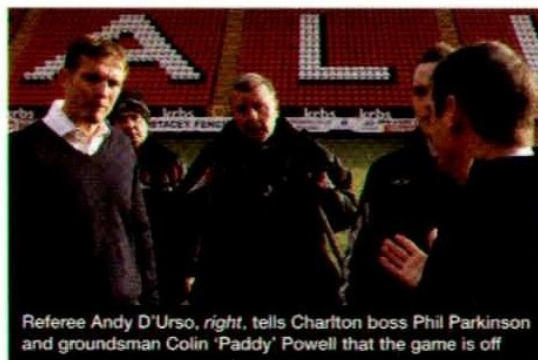
This was agreed and publicised by the club, and Little went on to point out that, with no trains running on Boxing Day, the kick-off could be delayed for as long as necessary to ensure the match went ahead.

With D'Urso having indicated that the area of concern was in the south-west corner, Addicks groundstaff concentrated their efforts on this particular section of the pitch. A heater was moved from the area opposite the tunnel to speed things up ahead of a second inspection at around 12pm, salt and sand were applied to soften the surface, and it

was clear to all that these measures were working and that the area would pass an inspection.

It was to everyone's general bemusement, therefore, that D'Urso completely ignored this area when he came out at midday, walked over to the north-east corner opposite the tunnel – which, he'd told staff, was being addressed satisfactorily – and promptly called the game off at around 12.05pm without any further conversations with officials.

This was over an hour before the planned delayed kick-off at 1.15pm,



Referee Andy D'Urso, right, tells Charlton boss Phil Parkinson and groundsman Colin 'Paddy' Powell that the game is off

with the sun shining on the pitch and plenty of time for groundstaff to address any further concerns.

D'Urso later told BBC LONDON: "The area opposite the tunnel was quite frozen in places, so my concern is for the safety of the players. I'm not prepared to take that risk.

"You also have assistants who are moving up and down the line, making quick movements. They have instant decisions to make in terms of offsides, and a slip by an assistant could not only mean he falls and hurts himself, but he may

also miss an incident."

Powell responded: "I just don't think he gave it a fair amount of time before he made his decision.

"There was still plenty of time before kick-off if he had any issues. The areas he identified would have been fine by kick-off, and I know that's true because I went out to check at kick-off time. And that's even after we stopped working on them when the game was called off."

The late postponement was the worst-case scenario for the club and supporters of both teams, the

vast majority of whom had arrived or were en route to the stadium, although the Addicks had yet to open the Valley turnstiles.

Charlton manager Phil Parkinson, his Southampton counterpart Nigel Adkins and both sets of players were

perfectly happy for the game to go ahead. Indeed, after the postponement was announced, Adkins asked if the Saints players could train on the surface.

Charlton officials, including Kavanagh, Parkinson and Powell, later queued up to reiterate that the game should have gone ahead, and Powell was so incensed that he rang talkSPORT on Sunday night to correct a number of callers who were criticising the club. ◀





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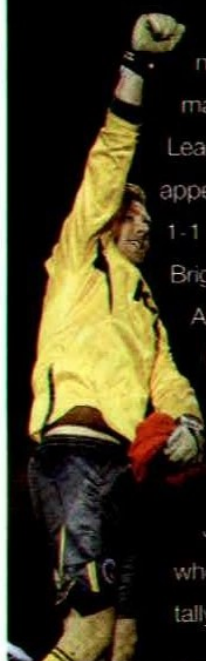
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# KEEPING UP WITH APPEARANCES

**R**ob Elliot and Pawel Abbott both reached personal career milestones just before the end of 2010 – and an Addicks landmark could be recorded this evening.



Charlton number one Elliot made his 100th League and cup appearance in the 1-1 draw against Brighton & Hove Albion on December 29th, while Abbott celebrated his 300th match. Johnnie Jackson, who took his goal tally for the season

to nine with an early penalty in East Sussex, recorded his 250th career appearance against Brentford on December 14th, when another of the left-sider's spot-kicks was saved during the penalty shootout as the Addicks exited the Johnstone's Paint Trophy at the southern semi-final stage.

Simon Francis played his 300th match in the FA Cup replay against Luton Town on December 9th, while Lee Martin and Kyel Reid both reached 100 career league and cup appearances against Bristol Rovers on November 23rd.

However, after suffering a shoulder injury against Walsall last time out at The Valley, Akpo Sodje may have to wait a while longer for

his 200th game. The striker has played 196 matches, but is currently sidelined, and Joe Anyinsah will also be absent this evening after being forced off with a groin problem following the early foul which earned Charlton's penalty against Brighton.

Charlton's victory over Luton in the second round means the Addicks will play a minimum of 56 matches this season, the highest number of games since 1995/96, when the club played 57 fixtures.

And the Addicks could reach a century of goals against Swindon Town this evening, having so far scored 99 times in league and cup games against the Robins. ◀

## WILL SWINDON SEE MATT FINISH? VAT VARIATIONS

**M**att Fry is due to play the final game of his loan spell with Charlton this evening, having last week revealed that no decision had been reached about whether he would stay at The Valley.

"I had a brief chat with the manager [Phil Parkinson] about it a few days ago, and he said he'd like to

keep me until the

end of the season," said the 20-year-old West Ham United defender, whose second stint in SE7 ends tomorrow.

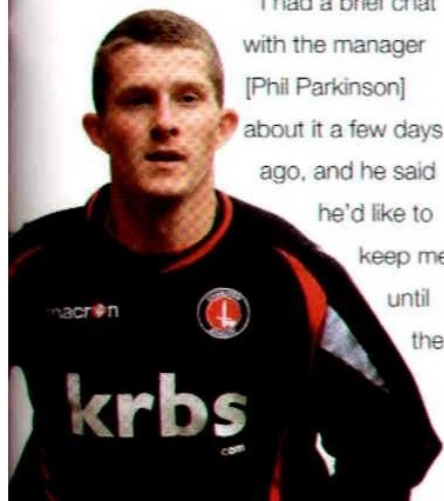
"I'd be happy to do that, but the final decision is with West Ham."

Meanwhile, today's match against Swindon Town is the final fixture for which Marcel Seip is eligible, after the defender was recruited on loan from Plymouth Argyle in November.

The loan of Seip, who had yet to make his Addicks debut prior to the new year, runs until Saturday. ◀

**T**he operating hours of the commercial centre and Valley Superstore will return to normal this week after the end of the festive period. But while the commercial centre will open as usual at 9am tomorrow, the Superstore will remain closed until 10am on January 6th.

The store will be shut tomorrow and on Wednesday to allow staff to carry out a number of changes following the VAT increase, more details of which can be found on page 18. ◀





## VALLEY GAMES CALLED OFF

Following a series of complaints from supporters, Charlton are asking parents to refrain from allowing their children to play football outside the lower west-stand concourse after matches.

A number of fans have been hurt, by accident, during the impromptu games which take

place near turnstiles 12-15.

Damage has also been caused, so, from today's match, stewards will start to take action to break up the small games.

Safety officer John Little said: "It's not our intention to be heavy-handed, and we're fully aware that it's a bit of fun for youngsters and

that no one is being hurt deliberately, but we can't ignore the injuries and damage being caused and the complaints we're receiving.

"Ultimately, the area outside the west stand isn't a football pitch, and we have a health and safety duty towards everyone who comes to The Valley." ◀

## HAMMER TIME ON FRIDAY

Charlton's U18s will take on West Ham United on Friday after going almost a month without a match.

The two sides will be in action at Sparrows Lane, after the postponed game on December 18th was



quickly rescheduled.

However, the U18s, last on duty in a 3-0 win against Arsenal (above) on December 11th, have another weekend off on January 15th because opponents Fulham have youth-cup commitments.

Meanwhile, the Charlton women's team is due to be in action on Sunday for the first time since November 9th. They travel to London and South East Regional Women's League side Denham United in the FA Cup second round. ◀

## FIXTURES AND FIT-INS FOR 2011

Charlton's home match against Carlisle United, which was scheduled this weekend but postponed because both clubs are in action in the FA Cup third round, will now take place on Tuesday, March 1st (7.45pm), while the Addicks will travel to Hartlepool United on



Hartlepool United boss Mick Wadsworth surveys the scene at Victoria Park: Charlton's away fixture on December 4th was postponed

Tuesday, February 15th (7.45pm).

However, the club's fixture list is likely to undergo further change soon when the club confirms new dates for games against Rochdale and Southampton.

The away match against Rochdale on December 4th was postponed due to a frozen pitch at Spotland, while the fixture against Southampton fell by the wayside on Boxing Day.

Supporters who purchased matchday hospitality for the

Southampton match will be entitled to the same package at the rearranged game against the Saints, or, if they are unable to attend, the same package at another league

game in 2010/11, subject to availability.

Unfortunately, the club is unable to refund or offer

replacement travel to Valley Express passengers on December 26th, but season-pass holders will again be transported to the rearranged game.

Match ticket refunds can be requested at the commercial centre, but tickets will remain valid for the rearranged date when published. Refunds will only be available up to 48 hours before the new date.

Any replay of Sunday's FA Cup tie against Tottenham Hotspur would be at The Valley on Wednesday, January 19th (7.45pm). ◀



## RICH PICKINGS AS DUO JOIN STAINES

Promising midfielder Freddie Warren was still hoping to make his first appearance in senior

football as 2010

ended after

Staines Town's

two festive

fixtures were

postponed.

The

18-year-old,

who was on

Charlton's

first-team



bench for the FA Cup clash with Luton Town at The Valley in late November, has joined Blue Square Bet South side Staines Town on work experience – and centre-back Yado Mambo has also rejoined the Middlesex club.

Both players will have been hoping to play against Hampton & Richmond Borough on New Year's Day, when Lewis Perkins was due to take on club colleague Ben Davisson as Cray Wanderers faced Hastings United in the

Ryman Premier League.

Perkins was unwell as Cray defeated Margate 2-0 on December 27th to climb to the club's highest position in its 150-year history.

Meanwhile, midfielder Alex Stavrinou suffered his first defeat on loan with Cambridge United the following day as the Blue Square Bet Premier U's were beaten 5-1 by Mansfield Town. Cambridge were due to host Histon on Saturday. ◀

## A KNOCKOUT PRIZE ON BOXING DAY

One supporter will start the new year in style this evening after the £5,000 grand prize draw is carried out at half-time.

The draw, due to be made at half-time on Boxing Day, was delayed until today when the Southampton game was called off.

Meanwhile, all Jackpot Tickets purchased before the fixture will be valid for the rearranged game. Supporters who purchased two tickets received an extra one for an additional draw with a top prize of £500, and both Jackpot Tickets draws will take place at the rescheduled match. ◀



## MEETINGS OFFER JANUARY JOY

There is something for all Addicks this month, with two big supporter events scheduled.

Richard Murray will be the special guest for the first meeting of Ashford & Shepway Addicks on Thursday, January 20th (7.30pm).

The event takes place at Ashford Hockey Club, Ball Lane, Ashford TN25 4EB. All Charlton followers are welcome and admission is free – call John on 01233 664459.

Fans can also book tickets for Keith Peacock's 1980s quiz on Thursday, January 27th, when he will be putting questions to a team of Charlton legends from that era and the Addicks Anoraks, as part of efforts to raise funds towards a new academy minibus. Tickets are on sale, priced £7.50 – see page 14. ◀

## VALLEY REVIEWED

Swindon Town were the first visitors to Selhurst Park in 1990/91, and Charlton's struggle with its identity was evident from the 'Valiants' News and Views page, which reported on numerous changes made to the SE25 stadium.

Just as important an event over the summer, however, was a special open day at Sparrows Lane, which featured the likes of Steve Gritt taking on the Lord's Taverners, including England and Tottenham Hotspur striker Gary Lineker, at cricket.

Indeed, Lineker drew out the winner of the first Valley Gold £20,000 grand draw, Deborah Morris, who was shocked when she was told the following week. ◀





# SKY SWITCH LIMITS CLUB'S VAT VOID

Changing the date of this evening's game for TV coverage helped Charlton avoid extra complications caused by the rise in VAT, says head of club development RICK EVERITT

**S**ky TV often gets the blame for inconvenience caused by fixture changes, but in the case of today's game, the company's intervention has done staff at The Valley a bit of a favour.

Although this match against Swindon Town was originally scheduled for this afternoon, it was quickly changed to tomorrow by agreement between managers Phil Parkinson and Danny Wilson, to allow more recovery time following the Saturday fixtures.

With VAT due to rise from 17.5 per cent to 20 per cent at midnight tonight, that would have created a bit of an accounting headache, with tickets for the game having to be sold at two different rates of the purchase tax, depending on when they were bought.

Thanks to Sky, the game reverted to this evening, however, and we didn't have any such problem.

However, tickets for our next home match against Plymouth Argyle on January 22nd, which are already being sold, will rise in price tomorrow, and all remaining home games will be charged at a higher rate.

As set out last summer when the VAT rise was announced, we are increasing the adult prices of £17,

£22 and £25, and the over 60s and U21s price of £17, by 50p, but the £13 concession price and the £5 U18 price will remain unchanged. If you buy a Plymouth ticket today, you will not pay the extra.

The aim is to ensure that the club achieves the same net revenue across all ticket prices as it would



Comfort and joy? Chancellor George Osborne's VAT rise, which takes effect at midnight, will affect most areas of the club

have done before the increase, but to avoid creating unnecessary issues with change.

Season-ticket holders are unaffected, of course, and we aren't increasing the price of any half-season tickets purchased after the VAT rise, as they will cover fewer games at that stage.

There are no changes to Valley Express or Valley Away coaches, or to the price of the *Valley Review*, as these items are zero-rated. Valley Gold is unaffected and we will absorb the increase into the

existing £20 Young Addicks membership fee.

Things get a bit more complicated in the hospitality and refreshment areas. We will absorb the VAT increase within the current prices at concourse kiosks, but there will be changes in Bartram's, Crossbars and other hospitality areas.

For example, after today, a pint of Foster's in the internal bars is rising from £3.30 to £3.40, which includes a small element of rounding to avoid creating issues around change.

A meal in Legends will rise from £24.95 to £25.50, but as other hospitality is normally advertised net of VAT, the quoted price for other areas will remain the same.

In the retail area, prices will generally rise to reflect the VAT increase, although the club will make no change on items below £3 and will also absorb the impact on some special offers, such as DVDs.

The price of an adult replica shirt will go up from £39.99 to £40.99, but children's sizes will remain at £29.99 because children's clothing is zero-rated for VAT.

If all this seems complicated, please spare a thought for those who have to implement it! ◀





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# 100 TO 1



WITH LEE MARTIN

One Charlton attacker is the latest to tackle the *Valley Review's* century of random questions, and he tells GARY HAINES about a frighteningly good Manchester United player, getting stick about his console of choice, and why he loves the penguins at the zoo

## 2. Who is the biggest joker in the Charlton squad?

Jonathan Fortune, because he always has some banter. He came up with my nickname of 'chicken'. I was with Forch at Stoke City and I used to have thin legs as a 19-year-old, so that's followed me down here. I might give a little cluck when I score! Therry Racon is funny, too, especially when he comes out with English phrases in his French accent.

## 6. If you were writing a school report about yourself, what would it say?

Easily distracted, loud, rude to the teachers and generally never does any of his work.

## 8. What's the best goal you have ever scored?

On tour in China with Manchester United, I scored a great one from 25 yards. It was the only match I played because I'd been injured.

## 10. Are you handy at any other sports?

I've just started playing golf,

although I never really thought I'd be the type of person who would walk round the course and relax.

A couple of mates have started and are half decent, so I got myself a set of clubs. Since then, I play any spare time I get, except now when it's too cold.

## 18. Which is your favourite away ground to play at, and why?

When I was at Plymouth Argyle, I always liked Home Park. It was quite squashed in and I had some good times there.

## 23. Where was your first date?

I remember when I was 14, my mate, a girl I was interested in, one of her mates and I went to Beckenham cinema – screen five, I think. We were in the middle row but it was pretty awkward. I can't remember what we saw, though.

## 27. Scalextric or Subbuteo?

When I was younger, I loved Subbuteo, but I don't think I ever got it from my mum and dad. I

remember going round to my mate's house to play it and being in awe of it, thinking 'this is unbelievable'.

## 31. What advice would you give to an aspiring young player?

It sounds so clichéd, but it would be just to work hard. When I was younger, I didn't work as hard as I could. When you are young and you have got the talent, sometimes you can rely on that too much, and you need the other side to get to where you want.

## 50. What is your favourite film of all time?

*Life* with Eddie Murphy and Martin Lawrence. I can sit there and watch it over and over again; it's so funny.

## 52. What is your computer game of choice?

At the moment, it's *Call of Duty: Black Ops*. But I've got an Xbox and everyone else around here has got a PlayStation 3, so I get a bit of stick and clearly need to upgrade. The lads all ask me for my tag name and I haven't got one, so I feel left out.





**55. What's the first animal you would go to see at the zoo?**

I like the funny ones like the chimps and the gorillas; they always give you a bit of entertainment when they do naughty stuff. I've always liked watching penguins as well, especially the way they waddle and dive in.

**58. Have you ever played in goal?**

I used to play a bit when I was younger, but never in a professional game. If something happened to Rob Elliot, I'd be ready with the gloves, but whether I got the nod would be up to the gaffer.

**60. Did you ever write a letter to Father Christmas? What did it say?**

Yes. Something along the lines of "can I have football boots, football boots and more football boots?"

**62. Do you have any tattoos?**

No, but I've been contemplating one since I was about 18. It's just a case of where to go and who to trust,

because it's on your body for the rest of your life. I want to get a full sleeve so it will have to be built up.

**64. Do you or your family keep a scrapbook detailing your career?**

My mum probably has. I've got lots of memorabilia, and I recently saw a magazine with a rascal [terrible] picture of me and my Sunday league team.

**75. When did you last get angry?**

That would be on Boxing Day, when the Southampton game was called off so late in the day. The pitch looked fine to me, and all the players were frustrated and perplexed by the referee's reasons.

**77. Who is your favourite comedian?**

Lee Evans. I went to see him recently and he's hilarious. He's all-action, and his movements and general all-round behaviour and facial impressions make you laugh.

**87. Which panel show would you most like to appear on?**

*A Question of Sport*, because I would struggle to know what I was talking about on the others. When I'm playing a pub quiz, everyone looks at me when a sport question comes up so the pressure is on.

**96. What can you remember about your debut in football?**

My debut was for Manchester United against Barnet – and I got stretchered off. We were 4-1 up and I got an assist and was doing all right. Then I got past the left-back and got a cross in, and he pushed me and I went sliding into the hoardings, which were surrounded by bricks. So I injured my back.

**98. Who is the best player you have played with?**

Paul Scholes or Roy Keane. Scholes could dictate anything on the pitch in training or a match. Keane was just phenomenal as a person. He commanded so much respect around the place and as a youngster you were almost scared to look at him. ◀





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# PAUSE FOR THAW-T AFTER FESTIVE PROGRAMME IS FROZEN OUT

Referee Andy D'Urso's late, late show in SE7 left the Boxing Day *Valley Review* in danger of being wasted, resulting in a rethink when producing today's edition. Editor MATT WRIGHT explains more

**T**here is nothing worse for a programme editor than a late postponement.

Not since New Year's Day 2003, when heavy rain led to a waterlogged pitch just an hour before the London derby against West Ham United, have Charlton had a home game called off with so little time until kick-off.

And it left the matchday programme produced for the Boxing Day visit of Southampton in a complicated position.

In contrast to that fixture against the Hammers almost eight years ago, the turnstiles were not opened ahead of the match eight days ago.

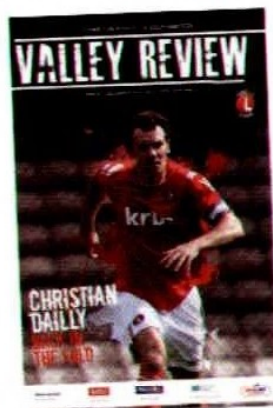
This meant that, although the *Valley Review* was on sale around the ground and in the Superstore, and distributed in the hospitality suites as normal, only around 360 issues were sold.

Even though the club can no longer boast Premier League riches, we quickly ruled out using the same edition whenever the game was rescheduled, not least because the number of games the club currently has outstanding means that it is likely to be some

time before the match takes place.

But we also faced an editorial dilemma regarding what to do with the content in the Southampton programme.

If we re-used the articles in future editions, such as today's match



against Swindon Town, then a minority of readers would see them twice. But equally, we didn't want fans to miss out on some interesting content from the Saints issue.

In the event, the hectic Christmas schedule, the problems caused by the bank holidays and printing deadlines, and the absence of content due to Sunday's postponement made the decision for us, so a number of articles have been repeated in this evening's issue.

As a result, there is a bit more duplication from the Southampton programme than we would have liked, but where possible, we have updated sections, such as the main Christian Daily interview and the 100 to One and First and Last features with Lee Martin and Dave Lockwood respectively. There is

even a new cover.

However, for the vast majority of supporters, this will be a completely new issue. So enjoy!

## PIECES IN A POD

Christmas may have passed, but there is still a present in the offing for fans, because the *Charlton Live* podcast is coming to iTunes.

A number of complicated technical hurdles have been overcome, and we hope that the edited highlights of each two-hour show, broadcast every Sunday on CAFC Player from 7-9pm, will soon be available to download.

Each free podcast will be around 25 minutes long, and will include match reaction, excerpts from interviews with special guests, fans' comments and the usual banter between the panel.

The intention is to offer a general round-up of each show rather than the whole 120-minute programme, partly because that doesn't suit the podcast format and partly because we also want to promote the live show on CAFC Player.

However, because we're trying something new, we will certainly be listening to the feedback we receive from supporters on the first few podcasts. ◀



# MAINE EVENT MAGAZINE REAPS RICH REWARDS

Defeat by the Red Devils in 1947 left most of the travelling Addicks fans feeling Blue – that is, until now... GARY HAINES also looks at Charlton's FA Cup record against their next opponents

Sixty-four years ago tomorrow, Charlton travelled to Maine Road for a First Division clash – but their Manchester opponents were not as obvious as you might expect.

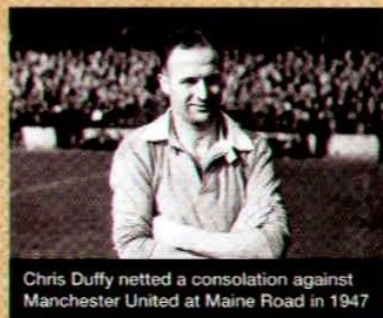
Manchester United moved in with their neighbours for eight years after their Old Trafford home was damaged by German bombs in March 1941, and the Red Devils were 4-1 winners in front of 43,658 fans, with Chris Duffy netting a late consolation for the Londoners.

It was a heavy defeat for Jimmy Seed's side, but any supporters who made the trip and purchased the matchday programme may find any lasting disappointment lessened by the news that they could make a potential resale profit of over 8,000 per cent, according to Charlton

historian Colin Cameron.

"Looking on eBay recently, I was interested to see that the winning bid for a programme for the match on January 4th, 1947 was £102, which represented 8,160 times its original cost – 3d in old money.

"Back in those days, £102



Chris Duffy netted a consolation against Manchester United at Maine Road in 1947

would nearly have paid the total wages of the 11 Charlton players, because the total weekly wage of the team, excluding win and draw bonuses, would have set the

Addicks back £114.

"The maximum wage for every club in the country that season was £12 in the winter and £10 in the summer."

## ONE VISION FOR SPURS

Although Phil Parkinson recently banned all talk of Tottenham Hotspur, Sunday's FA Cup tie means there is plenty to look forward to – and much to recall as well.

As Chas & Dave often chirp, 'it's lucky for Spurs when the year ends in one', and that's been the case for the North Londoners against the Addicks in English football's premier domestic cup competition.

On January 7th, 1961, Spurs beat Charlton 3-2 at White Hart Lane on their way to winning the



## The Dailly years

**Stalwart defender Christian Dailly has embarked on his 21st season as a professional – the *Valley Review* looks back through his career...**

June 10th, 1998: Scotland 1 Brazil 2. Dailly and Scotland kicked off the 1998 World Cup in the Stade de France by giving the reigning champions an almighty scare. In front of a crowd of 80,000, things looked bleak when Cesar Sampaio opened the scoring after just four minutes, but Scotland levelled through a John Collins penalty. Derby County's 24-year-old Dailly – who was playing in his first World Cup and had starred in the video for Del Amitri's official World Cup song, *Don't Come Home Too Soon* – had an effort saved, but Tom Boyd's own goal gave Brazil victory. Scotland finished bottom of their group after drawing with Norway and losing 3-0 to Morocco.



competition, when they became the first club to achieve the league and cup double in the 20th century.

The clubs met again at The Valley 40 years later, when an unlikely scorer was on target for the Addicks on February 7th.

Boyhood Tottenham fan Chris Powell put the home side ahead in a fourth-round tie – and was promptly booked for over-celebrating his first goal for the club.

Mathias Svensson doubled the lead four minutes after the break, but an own goal from Richard Rufus offered the visitors a route back into the game. By 63 minutes, Spurs, who included striker Gary Doherty in their line-up, led 3-2 and Sergei Rebrov added a late fourth.

Doherty netted against Tottenham's fierce rivals Arsenal in the semi-final at Old Trafford, but the Gunners won 2-1 to put the iconic anthem in mothballs until now.



Stuart Leary scores Charlton's first goal in a 3-2 FA Cup third-round defeat at White Hart Lane in January 1961

Tottenham and Charlton have been pitted together twice more in the FA Cup since 1961. On January 5th, 1985, Mark Azizlewood's 50th-minute strike – after his penalty and the follow-up from Steve Gritt were

saved by Ray Clemence – at White Hart Lane cancelled out an opener by Garth Crooks, who would join the Addicks two seasons later.

Spurs won the replay 2-1 on January 23rd thanks to goals from Tony Galvin and Mark Falco, with Ronnie Moore replying from the penalty spot.

That draw with Spurs was the only occasion on which Charlton have enjoyed a measure of success in the competition against London's so-called big four.

The Addicks have not managed a goal in two defeats apiece against Arsenal and Chelsea, while five FA Cup games against West Ham United have resulted in five losses. ◀



## Random Addick

**Now more likely to be found writing about the beautiful game than playing it, Lawrie Madden saw plenty of highs and lows in five seasons with Charlton.**

A former Arsenal youth star in the same crop as Liam Brady and David O'Leary, Madden joined Charlton in December 1977 and played 127 times for the club, scoring seven goals. The defender-cum-midfielder suffered relegation to the third tier in 1979/80 before helping the Addicks return to the Second Division a year later. Bethnal Green-born Madden, now 55, went on to enjoy the finest spell of his career for Sheffield Wednesday, and currently works as a freelance football journalist and helps to train aspiring writers.



## ACTION REPLAY ►

Wednesday, December 29th, 2010



### BRIGHTON & HOVE ALBION 1

(Murray 36)

Ankergræn; Calderon, Painter, Greer, El-Abdi; Bennett, Sparrow, Bridcutt, Dicker (Kishishev 86); Wood (Barnes 86), Murray, Subs (not used); Brezovan, Elphick, Holroyd, Sandaza, Smith.

**Bookings:** Bridcutt 42 (foul on Semedo), Bennett 74 (foul on Reid), Painter 76 (foul on Wagstaff).

**Sent off:** Calderon 8 (foul on Racon).



### CHARLTON ATHLETIC 1

(Jackson 2 (pen))

Elliott; Francis, Fry, Dailly, Doherty; Wagstaff (Abbott 81), Semedo (Reid 62), Racon, Jackson; Anyinsah (Martin 5), Benson, Subs (not used); Worner, Selp, Jenkinson, McCormack.

**Bookings:** Semedo 36 (dissent), Fry 72 (foul on Murray).

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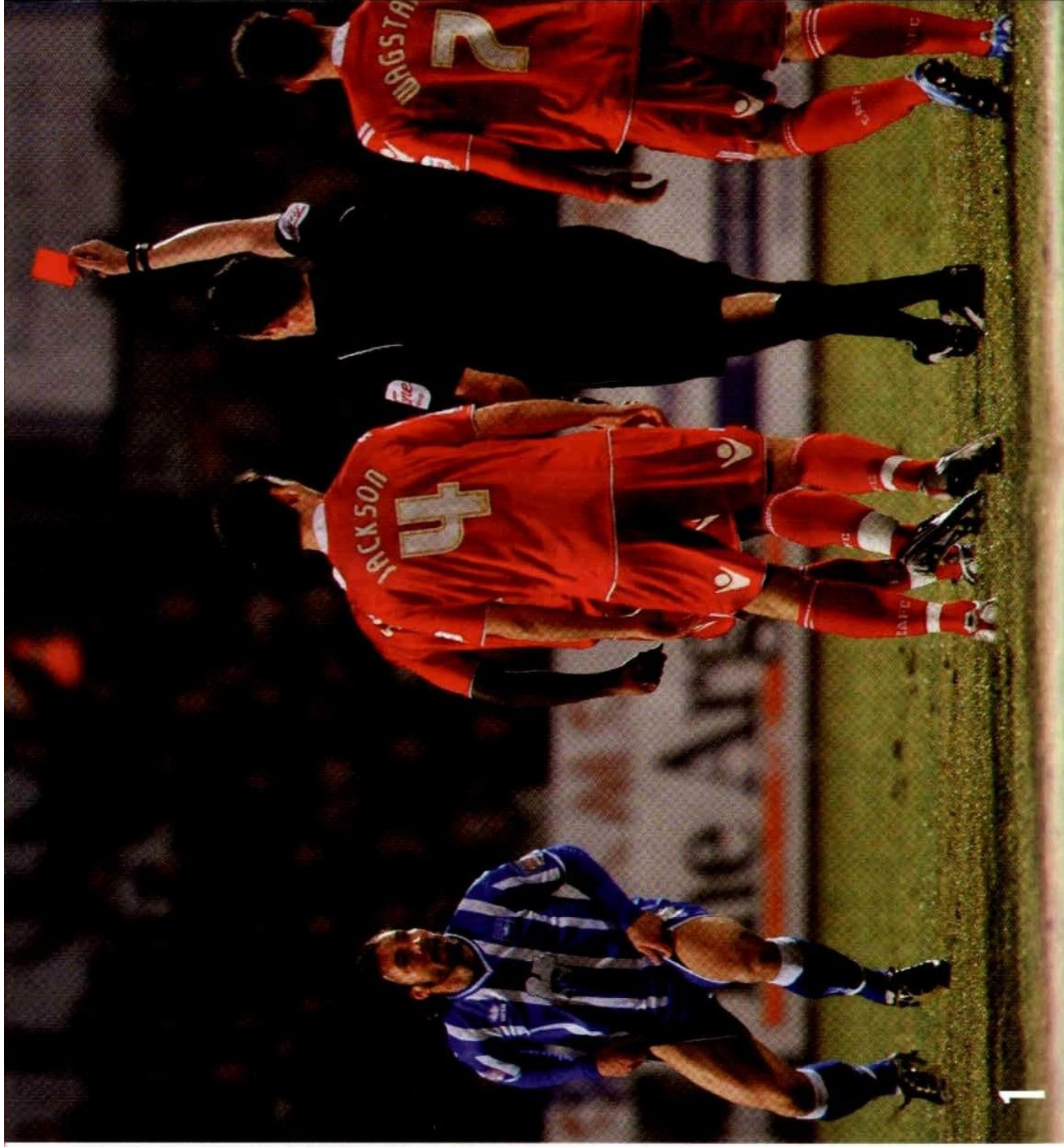
## GOOD NIGHT BAD NIGHT

**Good night:** Johnnie Jackson fired home his ninth goal of the season, from the penalty spot

**Bad night:** A red card left Inigo Calderon furious

**Any other business:** Gary Doherty, Paul Benson and Alan McCormack avoided incurring a suspension when they are next cautioned

**Numbers game:** 100 – Rob Elliot brought up a century of career League and cup appearances







# 90 MINUTES

02

JJ's flying start: Johnnie Jackson converts a penalty following Marcos Painter's foul on Joe Anyinsah 0-1

08

Inigo Calderon off: the hosts are reduced to 10 men when the referee shows Inigo Calderon a straight red for his challenge on Therry Racon

36

Glenn grabs lovelace: a free-kick is helped back across the box and Glenn Murray's improvised volley beats the outstretched arm of Rob Elliot 1-1

90

Late drama: Paul Benson's header is cleared off the line by Liam Bridcutt before Elliot stands tall to thwart former Addicks Radostin Kishishev

## CALDERON BOILS OVER

THE SUN

1. Shorts-lived appearance: Brighton & Hove Albion captain Inigo Calderon sees red after just eight minutes at the Withdean Stadium
2. Charlton's new goalkeeping coach, Ben Roberts, talks to Rob Elliot before kick-off. The former Middlesbrough stopper, who joined from Yeovil Town late last month, played one Addicks match in May 2003
3. Johnnie Jackson celebrates after converting an early penalty
4. Joe Anyinsah is fouled by Seagulls defender Marcos Painter to earn a spot-kick – but the striker was forced off following the challenge



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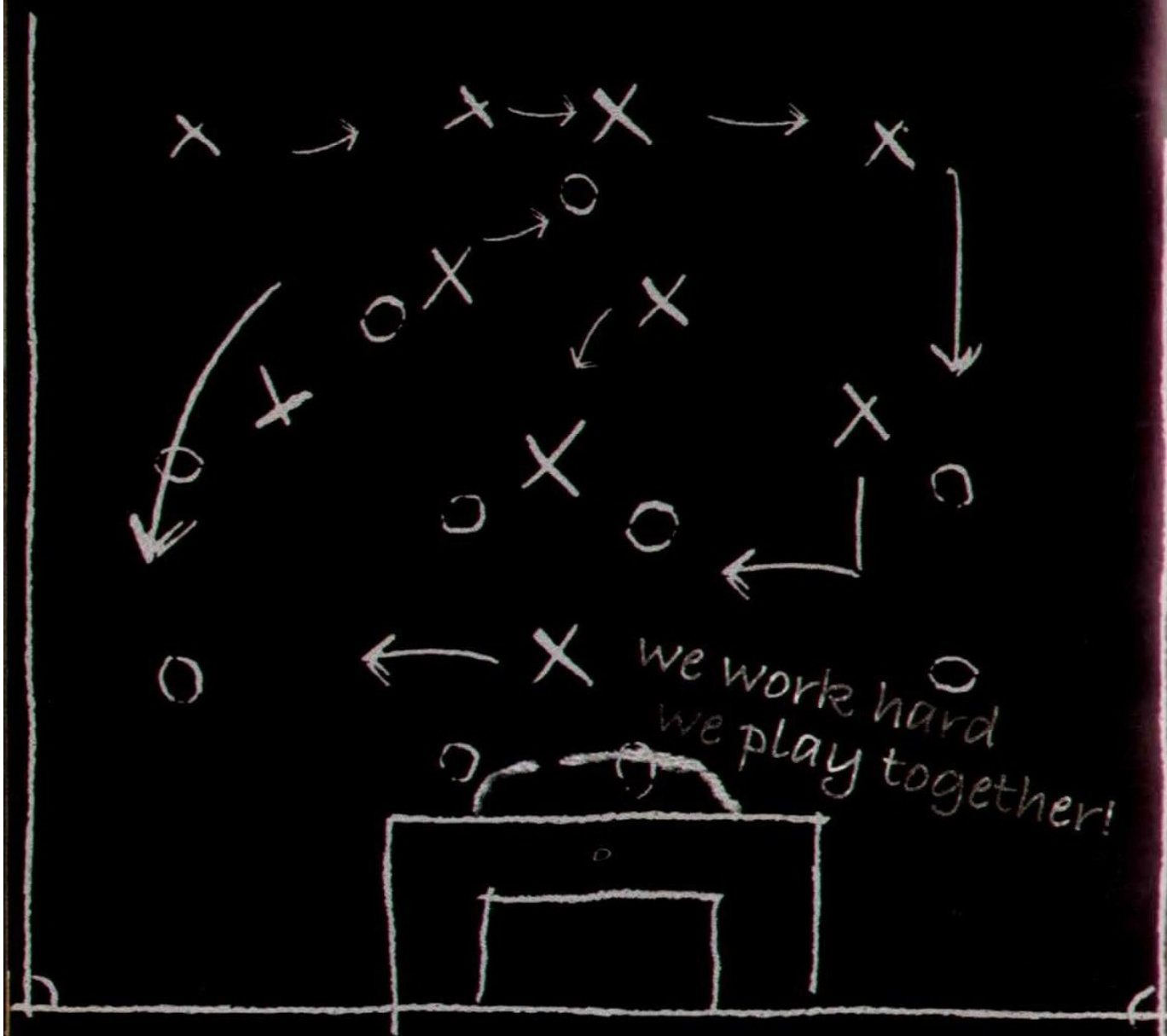
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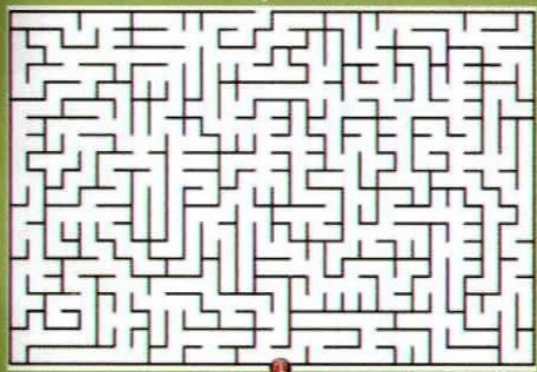


## TOP OF THE POPS



FOR THE  
KIDS

Today's Young Addicks mascot got lost -  
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## Believe it or not

A reserve game between Dundee United and Dunfermline at Arbroath in 1998 was abandoned after just 90 seconds because of high winds!



## MY CHARLTON, BY... JOE ANYINSAH

Carlisle United - I joined Charlton from the Cambrians in the summer  
Hatters - I netted against Luton Town in both FA Cup second-round ties

Anyinsoh is a Ghanaian name, and my dad was from the country  
Robins - Bristol City was my first club

Late hero - I came off the bench to score on my debut against Notts County on September 11th

Two goals - my first senior double came against Swindon Town for Charlton in December 2007

On November 2nd I scored against Swindon in a 3-0 away win

North End, Preston - I was at Deepdale for four and a half years

## WHEN THE YEAR ENDS IN ONE...

IT'S LUCKY FOR SPURS WHEN THE YEAR ENDS IN ONE, ACCORDING TO THE CHAS & DAVE CLASSIC, AND WITH THE TWO SIDES DUE TO CLASH IN THE THIRD ROUND OF THE FA CUP AT THE START OF 2011, DO YOU KNOW HOW CHARLTON FARED IN THEIR FIRST FIXTURE OF THESE NINE YEARS?

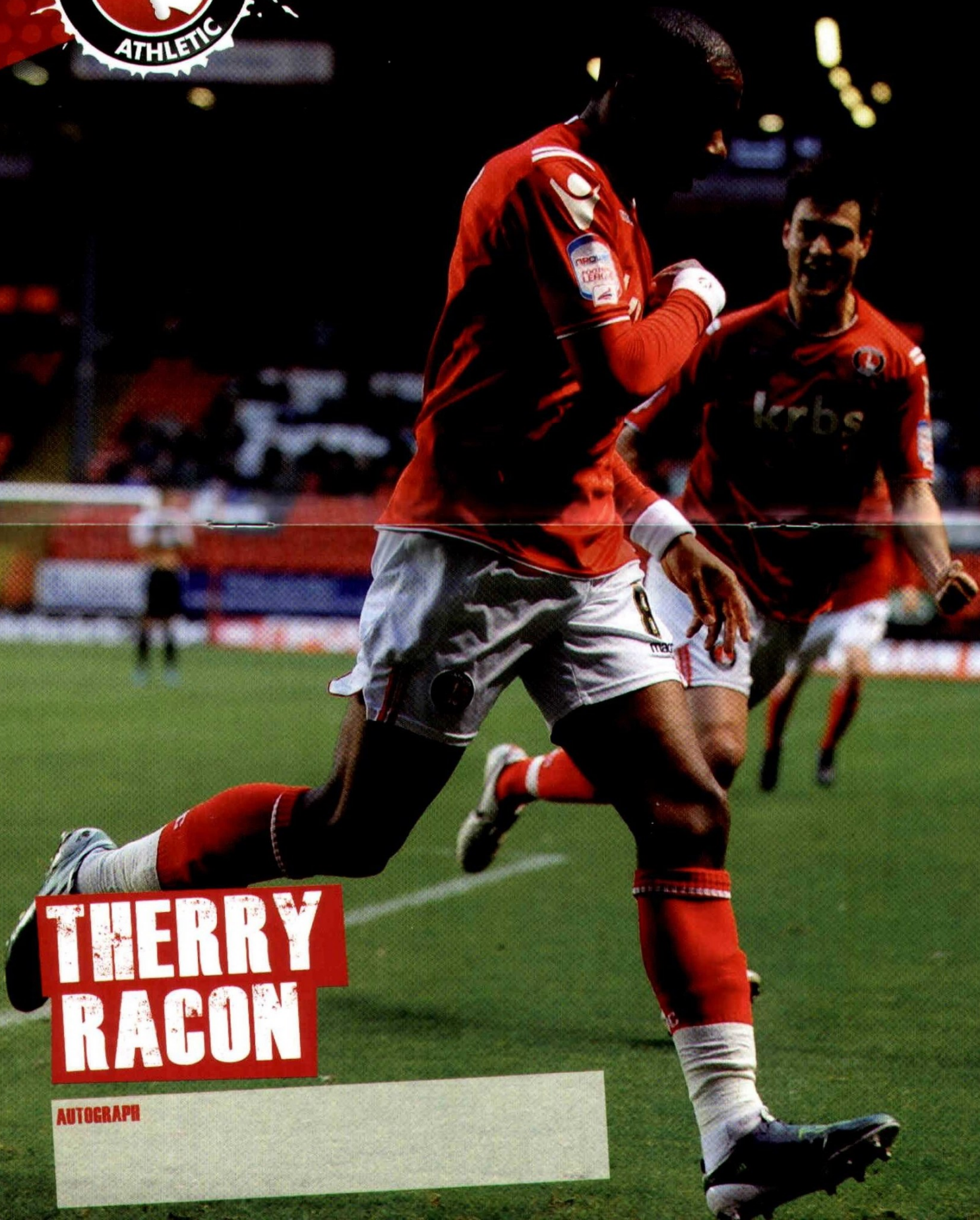
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1931	MILLWALL (A), JANUARY 3RD
1941	CHELSEA (H), AUGUST 30TH
1951	BLACKPOOL (H), JANUARY 6TH
1961	TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR (A), JANUARY 7TH
1971	HULL CITY (A), JANUARY 2ND
1981	PLYMOUTH ARGYLE (A), JANUARY 3RD
1991	BLACKBURN ROVERS (H), JANUARY 1ST
2001	ARSENAL (H), JANUARY 1ST

Answers: 1921 - won 2-0; 1931 - lost 3-2; 1941 - won 2-1; 1951 - drew 2-2; 1961 - lost 3-2; 1971 - lost 3-0; 1981 - won 2-1; 1991 - drew 0-0; 2001 - won 1-0





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# DRESSING ROOM DIARIES

After the players' Christmas party, Alan McCormack tells TOM HARVEY how a sumo wrestler's outfit demonstrated the Addicks' excellent team spirit...

**W**e had our Christmas party in Newcastle just over two weeks ago. We'd planned to go out there after the Hartlepool United game, but when that was postponed, we trained on Saturday morning instead and caught the train up afterwards.

It was a very good team bonding session, to say the least! We went out on Saturday night and then got everyone wearing fancy dress the following day.

I went as Super Mario, and we had Mr Incredible, Spider Man and a medieval knight. Johnnie Jackson went as Mel B from *Bo' Selecta!*, but Franno [Simon Francis] claimed the best outfit award purely because he provided the most amusement.

He went as a sumo wrestler. His costume had a little fan that kept it pumped up at all times, but the batteries only lasted a few hours, so by the end of the night he was walking through Newcastle in a deflated sumo wrestler outfit in minus three degree weather.

Tamer Tuna was the worst. He only came at the last minute and didn't have anything apart from a pair of Charlton shorts, a hoodie, a scarf and a curly wig. I'm not sure what he was supposed to be.

Some people can be a bit critical of these Christmas parties, but it's a

chance to let your hair down once a year among your teammates, and it was one of the best I've been to.

There were loads of other teams out that weekend as well – such as Derby County, Doncaster Rovers, Leeds United and Nottingham Forest – but they weren't having half as much fun as us. It was worth the slightly sore heads.

Back to football matters, and Charlton's season is going pretty well. We had a bit of a rocky start for the first eight or nine games, but the lads have really gelled and the team spirit we've got is great.

When you've got that togetherness, it makes you very hard to beat. We're on the home stretch now, and we've got a plan to get to Easter with a certain number of points and see where we are then.

There's definitely more to come from me in a Charlton shirt. The gaffer and coaching staff are working with me on my game and it's getting there. I want to improve as a player and I'm itching to get back into the team.

I won't be making any new-year resolutions – I'm not one for that kind of thing. If I had to make one, it would be to work that extra bit harder to get into the side, but that should come naturally anyway. ◀

## 5 QUICK QUESTIONS



**Q. Geography** – which Norwegian town hosted the 1994 Winter Olympics? **A.** No idea. **WRONG** (Lillehammer)

**Q. Charlton** – which Addicks player has committed the most fouls this season? **A.** Lee Martin or Jose Semedo. I'll go with Semedo. **CORRECT**

**Q. Sport** – who was named the 2010 BBC Sports Personality of the Year? **A.** Tony McCoy. **CORRECT**

**Q. Music** – who had this year's Christmas number one? **A.** Matt Cardle. **CORRECT** I liked him on *The X Factor*. Some of the songs he sang were incredible.

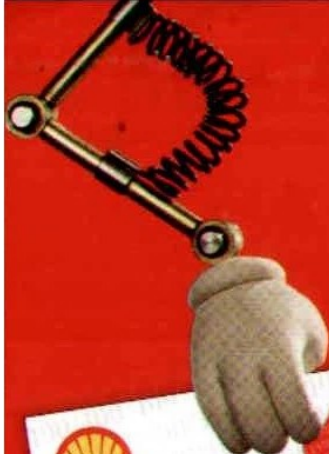
**Q. True or false** – Mel Gibson was born in Australia. **A.** True. **WRONG** (He was born in America)

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## 2010/11 LEADERBOARD

NAME	SCORE
1. BEN DAVISSON	4
= GARY DOHERTY	4
= ROB ELLIOT	4
= SIMON FRANCIS	4
= ALEX STAVRINOU	4





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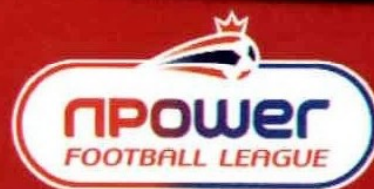
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# AUSTIN POWERS AS SWINDON HOPE FOR SWING IN FORTUNES

The Robins return to SE7 hoping to shrug off a hangover in the new year – and their talismanic young striker could be key to an improvement in form. GARY HAINES assesses the Wiltshire men



## SWINDON TOWN

**FORM: DLWDLD GAMES SINCE LAST AWAY LEAGUE WIN: FIVE**  
**IF THEY WERE A MUSIC ACT: SEMISONIC – IT'S ALL ABOUT CHEMISTRY FOR A**  
**GROUP LED BY DAN WILSON. SUCCESS AT CLOSING TIME IS TONIGHT'S AIM**

Wembley is no place for losers, as Swindon Town would testify following their League One play-off final defeat by Millwall last May.

Having been 90 minutes away from playing Championship football for the first time since 2000, the Robins remained in the third tier after their 1-0 loss at the home of football.

Perhaps nursing a hangover from last season, Danny Wilson's side has struggled to make inroads at the right end of the table in 2010/11 due to an erratic start to the campaign.

A run of five league games without a win left the Robins swimming against the tide, but their elusive first league victory, a 1-0 County Ground success courtesy of Charlie Austin, came against promotion favourites Southampton on September 11th.

Highly-rated Austin has continued his fine goalscoring form of last term, and took his tally for the first half of the season to 15 with a leveller against Peterborough United on December 28th.

The striker, who joined from Poole Town in October 2009 following some prolific scoring

exploits for the non-League club, forged a formidable partnership with Billy Paynter in 2009/10 as the Robins flew into the play-off picture.

And Paynter's departure to Leeds United in the summer seems to have had little impact, with Austin's 10th league strike earning a useful point against the Posh six days ago.

Town had been beaten by a last-gasp own goal when the sides met in a nine-goal thriller at London Road in October, a result all the more galling because they had fought back from 3-0 and 4-3 down.

And although Swindon have enjoyed knock-out success at Southampton and Plymouth Argyle, a 2-1 win at Walsall on September 18th remains their only league win on the road this season.

Wilson and his men also suffered the ignominy of a humbling home defeat by Blue Square Bet Premier side Crawley Town in an FA Cup second-round replay, and that was the Robins' last outing before the draw against Peterborough.

Swindon – who enjoyed two classic confrontations at The Valley last season, including a 2-2 draw

against nine-man Charlton on Boxing Day – beat the Addicks on spot-kicks to reach the play-off final. The Wiltshire club sat just five points outside the play-offs ahead of their home clash with AFC Bournemouth on New Year's Day.

But of more concern to Wilson would have been the fact that they were just three points above the relegation zone, so the Robins boss will be looking to make consistent forward strides in 2011, starting this evening. ◀

Jon-Paul McGovern





## MEET THE MANAGER



**NAME:** Danny Wilson

**BORN:** January 1st, 1960, in Wigan

**SHARES HIS BIRTHDAY WITH:**

Grandmaster Flash

**PLAYING DAYS:**

Wigan Athletic, Bury, Chesterfield, Nottingham Forest, Scunthorpe United (loan), Brighton & Hove Albion, Luton Town, Sheffield Wednesday, Barnsley

**MANAGEMENT YEARS:**

Barnsley, Sheffield Wednesday, Bristol City, Milton Keynes Dons, Hartlepool United, Swindon Town

**HE SAID:**

"Someone told me beforehand that it was my 800th game as a manager, and I'll remember it for a long time. It was very, very special" (May 2010, after Swindon defeated Charlton on penalties to reach the League One play-off final)

**INITIALLY SIMILAR:**

Denzel Washington

**IF HE WAS A TELEVISION STAR:**

Jools Holland – popular *Hootenanny* host leads the new-year celebrations and regularly deals with an eclectic group



**PHIL SMITH GOALKEEPER** Former England C international Smith, 31, has made just over 100 appearances since signing from Crawley Town in July 2006. The six-foot-one stopper, who has also spent time with Millwall and Margate, played 31 league games and claimed the fans' player of the year award as the Robins clinched automatic promotion from League Two in 2006/07. Smith featured just 10 times last term, but his final match – when he replaced the injured David Lucas after five minutes – proved vital as Swindon triumphed on penalties in the play-off semi-final second leg in SE7.



**MATT RITCHIE MIDFIELDER** Portsmouth academy graduate Ritchie, 21, is currently enjoying a second loan spell in Wiltshire. The left winger played alongside Paul Benson for loan club Dagenham & Redbridge in 2008/09, notching 12 goals, before experiencing an eventful 2009/10 campaign. The five-foot-eight midfielder netted three goals in 16 league games for eventual League Two champions Notts County, made four substitute appearances for Swindon and played his first Premier League match for Pompey, featuring in three different tiers of English football in just over 14 weeks.



**SEAN MORRISON DEFENDER** Centre-half Morrison, 19, started out with Plymouth Argyle before coming through the youth and reserve teams at The County Ground. The six-foot-one defender played 23 matches in 2008/09, and enjoyed a loan spell with Southend United last season, making eight league starts for both the Robins and the Shrimpers. Before Saturday, Morrison, now firmly established at the heart of Swindon's defence, had scored six goals since making his debut in April 2008, including four in 23 matches this season, and the Robins have never lost when he has found the net.



**CHARLIE AUSTIN FORWARD** Highly-rated Austin, 21, has garnered rave reviews since being plucked from non-League in October 2009. Having scored 46 goals in 46 matches for Poole Town in 2008/09, the six-foot-two hitman netted his 20th goal of the campaign as Swindon defeated Charlton in the League One play-off semi-finals last May. Despite the departure of strike partner Billy Paynter in June, Austin has struck 15 times in his first 21 games this season, including eight goals in the final nine matches of 2010, with the Addicks one of just six sides to prevent him finding the net.

## BEST OF THE REST

**P**roviding back-up in goal is former England U21 stopper **David Lucas**, 33, who played as Swindon defeated Charlton in last season's League One play-off semi-finals.

Poland U21 international **Jakub Jesionkowski**, 21, and former Aldershot Town stopper **Mark Scott**, 20 today, had yet to feature before the weekend.

Normally operating in central defence is Scotland B international

**Scott Cuthbert**, 23, who scored three goals in 39 league matches last term after joining from first club Celtic in July 2009.

Available at right-back is former Bristol City and Swansea City man **Kevin Amankwaah**, 28.

Celtic youth product **Paul Caddis**, 22, played against Spanish giants Barcelona in the last 16 of the 2007/08 Champions League, while homegrown **Nathan Thompson**, 19, made his senior bow in October.

Options on the opposite flank

include Haiti international **Léscinel Jean-Francois**, 24, who featured for Paris St Germain before switching to Wiltshire in January 2009, and former Leeds United and Republic of Ireland U21 defender **Alan Sheehan**, 24.

Alternatives are ex-Reading trainee **Callum Kennedy**, 21, and summer signing **Michael Rose**, 28, who made 12 appearances for 2009/10 League One champions Norwich City while on loan from Stockport County.

Former Nottingham Forest and



FANTASY 5-A-SIDE

FRASER DIGBY

COLIN CALDERWOOD

GLENN HODDLE

MICKY HAZARD

CHARLIE AUSTIN

**Digby:** Our best ever goalkeeper. Very consistent and can't remember him dropping any clangers

**Calderwood:** 'The Fridge' was a cool but tough defender, and went on to play for Tottenham Hotspur

**Hoddle:** Impossible to omit; it was great having a football superstar playing for us. He may have been a few years past his best, but he was a class act

**Hazard:** Part of the First Division play-off-winning side of 1992/93, the midfielder was a bubbly-haired football genius

**Austin:** We've had some fantastic strikers over the years, but this kid tops the lot! He hardly seems to miss when given a sniff of goal

**Robins fans Steve Mytton and Neil Walton**

## ON THE TERRACES AND IN PRINT

Monday, January 3rd, 2011

"I've had a bit of a soft spot for the Addicks since they paid for our youths to travel to Ireland for the Milk Cup a few years ago because we were skint at the time. It was a nice gesture and one that hasn't been forgotten" **Neil Walton**

"I often go to games thinking 'guaranteed three points', only to come away having lost or drawn. On other days, I expect us to struggle against the top sides –

and we totally dominate and win. That means I'm either a very poor pundit or we are a very inconsistent and frustrating team!"

**Steve Mytton**

"Swindon's season hasn't hit the heights that many would have hoped for after last term's Wembley appearance, but the

departures of Billy Paynter, Gordon Greer and, very importantly, Danny Ward left a big hole in the squad. Their hope is to get a run together

to challenge for the top six, but at the moment the team is looking over its shoulder at the bottom end.

Nobody wants that" **Vic Morgan (BBC Wiltshire)**



Rematch: Charlton triumphed 3-0 at The County Ground

Southampton man **David Prutton**, 29, who scored twice and was sent off twice this season up to the end of 2010, is available in central midfield.

And former Republic of Ireland U21 international **Michael Timlin**, 25, made 24 league appearances on loan from Fulham as the Robins clinched automatic promotion from League Two in 2006/07.

Ex-Scotland U19 **Simon Ferry**, 22, who joined permanently from Celtic in August, played 46 Robins matches on loan last term, but

captain and Republic of Ireland international **Jonathan Douglas**, 29, is suspended today.

Regularly operating on the wing is **Jon-Paul McGovern**, 30, who claimed 16 assists last season and has represented both Sheffield clubs, scoring as Wednesday defeated Hartlepool United 4-2 in the 2004/05 League One play-off final.

Republic of Ireland wideman **Alan O'Brien**, 25, made five top-flight appearances for first club Newcastle United, while Wales U21

left winger **Billy Bodin**, 18, made his Swindon debut in October.

Attacking options include former Juventus hitman **Vincent Pericard**, 28, who has represented both Portsmouth and Stoke City in the Premier League.

Manchester City loanee **David Ball**, 21, had netted three times this term before New Year's Day, as had **Thomas Dossevi**, 31, who played for Togo in the 2006 World Cup and arrived from Nantes in August. ◀

**Ria Hopkinson**



# FIRST AND LAST MEETINGS

## FIRST

**Saturday, April 29th, 1922**  
**at The County Ground (5,000)**

### Third Division (South)

Swindon Town 0 (0):  
 Nash; Coleburne, Maconnachie;  
 Rogers, Hawley, Wareing;  
 Phillipson, Fleming, Cooke,  
 Johnson, Turner.  
 Charlton Athletic 0 (0): Pleasant;  
 Burton, Goodman; Jewhurst,  
 Eggleton, Dowling; Castle, Whalley,  
 Filliston, Thomson, Wilson.

Note: In the return match at The Valley a week later, Swindon won 5-4, which, at the time, was the highest number of aggregate goals in a game involving Charlton.

## LAST

**Tuesday, November 2nd, 2010**  
**at The County Ground (7,939)**

### League One

Swindon Town 0 (0): Smith;  
 Thompson, Cuthbert, Morrison,  
 Rose; Caddis (O'Brien 59),  
 McGovern, Prutton, Ritchie  
 (Ball 71); Pericard (Dossevi 59),  
 Austin. Subs (not used): Lucas,

Kennedy, Bodin, Evans.

Charlton Athletic 3 (1) (Jackson  
 13, Anyinsah 51, Benson 73):  
 Elliot; Francis, Dailly, Doherty, Fry;  
 Wagstaff, Semedo, Racon,  
 Jackson; Anyinsah, Benson.  
 Subs (not used): Worner, Llera,  
 Fortune, McCormack, Reid,  
 Sodge, Abbott.  
 Ref: Russell Booth  
 (Nottinghamshire)

Note: Johnnie Jackson's opening goal was the 5,000th in Charlton's League history. It was also the Addicks' 100th League win.

## LEAGUE & CUP STATS

### TOP SCORERS:

Addicks – Ralph Allen (1934), five goals; Robins – Peter Noble (1969-72), five goals.  
 Hat-tricks: Addicks – Wilson Lennox (3) 30.4.28 (h), Ralph Allen (3) 25.12.34 (h); Robins – Peter Noble (3) 30.8.69 (a), Jan-Aage Fjortoft (3) League Cup 27.9.94 (h)

### LEAGUE DOUBLES:

Addicks 3 (1933/34, 1994/95, 1997/98); Robins none

### BIGGEST WINS:

Addicks – 6-0 at The Valley 25.12.34; Robins – 5-0 at The County Ground 30.8.69

### GOALLESS MATCHES (3):

The Valley 1 (1980/81); Upton Park 1 (1991/92); The County Ground 1 (1921/22)

### TOP CROWDS:

The Valley – 28,042 (FA Cup) 28.1.56; The County Ground – 20,454 (30.8.69)

### DISCIPLINARY:

Red cards: Addicks 4 – Colin Walsh 6.11.91 (h), Deon Burton and Sam Sodge 26.12.09 (h), Miguel Ulera 17.5.10 (h); Robins 1 – Gordon Greer 17.5.10 (h). Yellow cards – Addicks 28, Robins 24

### ADDICKS DEBUTS v ROBINS

Lee Bowyer (sub) League Cup 27.9.94 (h); Ford Currie 5.9.25 (a); Frank Davies 16.10.26 (h);  
 Chris Dickson (sub) League Cup 14.8.07 (a); Keith Jones 17.9.94 (h); Tom McKenna 17.9.27 (a);  
 John Minnock (sub) 30.8.69 (a); Albert Mitchell 6.5.22 (h), scoring once; Andy Petterson 17.9.94 (h);  
 Jim Scott 5.3.27 (a); Dean Sinclair (sub) 14.8.07 (a); Norman Smith 3.3.23 (a);  
 Andy Todd 23.11.99 (a); Simon Webster 25.8.90 (h)

## RECORD AGAINST SWINDON TOWN

P W D L F A

### LEAGUE

Home	25	15	7	3	54	26
Away	26	7	11	8	32	37

### PLAY-OFFS

Home	1	*1	0	0	2	1
Away	1	0	0	1	1	2

### CUPS

Home	3	2	0	1	5	6
Away	2	2	0	0	5	1

**TOTAL 58 27 18 13 99 73**

\* 3-3 aggregate score; Swindon won 5-4 on penalties



Clive Mendonca keeps tabs on Swindon Town's Sol Davis in November 1999

## CONNECTIONS

The comprehensive list of Charlton first-teamers connected with Swindon Town over the years is: Rob Bicknell (guest), Hameur Bouazza, Deon Burton, Tommy Dawson, Fred Ford (manager), Jimmy Gauld, Paul Gilchrist, Jimmy Giles (right), Nigel Gray, Baden Herod, Arthur Horsfield, Johnnie Jackson, Albert Lindon (scout), Mark McCammon, Alan McDonald, Garry Nelson, Gordon Pembery, Andy Petterson, Frank Peters, Dick Plumb, Peter Shirliff (asst manager), Roger Smart, Pat Terry, Carl Tiler, Andy Todd, Ray Treacy and Steve White. ■







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# FIRST & LAST

WITH DAVE LOCKWOOD

Manning the tannoy on matchdays is a dream for one Addicks supporter, and he tells GARY HAINES about relaunching *Charlton Live*, getting stick from the players and being called into a former manager's office to discuss his taste in pre-match music

## FIRST CONNECTION WITH CHARLTON?

In February 1974, during the three-day week [the result of miners' strikes], Charlton had to play their first Sunday match, against Shrewsbury Town, to avoid using floodlights. I went with my dad.

## LASTING MEMORIES OF YOUR VALLEY DEBUT?

I remember standing at the top of the East Terrace, and that we came in through the Bartram Gate. I was overwhelmed by how big it all was. I can't recall the game, but it ended 3-3 and I had some Monkey Nuts.

## FIRST KEY SKILL OF A MATCHDAY PITCH ANNOUNCER?

Stay calm, especially when Bob Bolder or Colin Walsh are nearby. Try not to speak too quickly and remain professional at all times.

## LAST MATCHDAY PREPARATIONS BEFORE GOING PITCHSIDE?

I meet up with the rest of the *Charlton Live* team to discuss our next show, and then I'll read the matchday itinerary to see what we are doing. I'll have a chat with the

communications team and, before I go pitchside, I'll get a couple of teamsheets and try to find out how to pronounce the names correctly.

## FIRST TIME YOU TOOK THE VALLEY MICROPHONE?

It was the first match of 1993/94 against Birmingham City, after I'd been making announcements and playing music at reserve games. I met [stadium manager] Roy King, who told me that because Bill Prosser, the PA man at Upton Park when we'd played there, wasn't available to do our games, I'd been given the job. We won 1-0, but there were no CDs in those days, just an old disco turntable.

## LAST HOME GAME YOU MISSED?

It has to be a league game about 20 years ago, although I've missed a couple of friendlies when I've been on honeymoon or holiday.

## FIRST TIME YOU WERE LOST FOR WORDS?

It was a few years ago when Alan Curbishley asked me to go to his office. He didn't like the build-up music I was playing, so he threw a

few ideas at me. I was like a little schoolboy in the headmaster's office. I think we decided on *Into The Valley*, but he wasn't a fan of *The Red, Red Robin*.

## LAST TIME YOU LISTENED TO ANOTHER PITCH ANNOUNCER?

I was watching a live game on TV the other week and the guy at Liverpool, George Sephton, was doing his stuff. He has to have the most distinctive voice of all; a really deep, gravelly, 40-fags-a-day voice.

## FIRST BANTER WITH PAUL BENSON?

He recently gave me some stick on Twitter after I announced that Kyel Reid had scored against Bristol Rovers. From our angle, it looked as if Reidy had scored, and, in my defence, I was at pitch level and the Rovers bench were in the way. Fair play to Benno, though. He could have been precious about it, but he's been content to mock me. I did call a goal wrongly last season, as well. Generally, we don't call own goals, but in the home play-off game against Swindon Town, the coaching staff told me that David





Mooney had scored our first, so that's what I announced, to the disbelief of the Sky floor manager.

### LAST THING YOU SAY BEFORE KICK-OFF?

"You know what you've got to do – you've got to back the boys and make some noise. Come on you Reds!" I'm just a fan with the best job at The Valley, and I want the fans to get behind the players as much as I do, so it's my little way of urging everyone to back the team.

### FIRST MEETING WITH YOUR WIFE?

I wouldn't have met my wife if I wasn't a Charlton fan. Her family are all fans, having been born in Woolwich as well. We met at a supporters' club meeting in Gravesend and we've been together for over 16 years. Both my sons are fans; they don't have a choice!

### LAST RELAUNCH OF CHARLTON LIVE?

There have been several relaunches of the radio show since its inception on Radio Thamesmead. We relaunched it on Time 106.8FM a

couple of years ago, but the station folded thanks to bad management. It left a really sour taste in my mouth and I was determined that it wasn't going to die. After many discussions with the club's communications department, we were eventually able to bring it back via CAFC Player. I know some people moan that they have to pay to listen to it, but no radio stations were interested in a specialist show, so this was our only route and I'd argue it's well worth it!

### FIRST TIME YOU CO-COMMENTATED?

The first – and possibly last – time was against Southend United for CAFC Player in the Johnstone's Paint Trophy this season. It's so difficult, keeping up with play and speaking. Unfortunately, the main BBC LONDON commentator called the wrong goalscorer [Jose Semedo instead of Therry Racon]. The first thing he said to me when we met was that if he got something wrong on air, I wasn't to correct him, so I had to go along with it.

### LAST POSTPONEMENT?

I'm still amazed the Southampton

game didn't go ahead. I stood by the pitch watching how hard staff were working, and you could see that the frozen bits weren't going to be a problem by kick-off. However, the match being called off meant we could record a longer segment for that night's special *Charlton Live*, and we sat and listened to all the press conferences afterwards.

### FIRST CAR?

My first car was a yellow Mini 850cc. I'm six-foot-three, so it was a bit of a squeeze.

### LAST TIME YOU SPOILED YOURSELF?

I love gadgets but had always been vehemently anti-Apple. Then I lost my phone. A colleague let me have a play with his iPhone and I realised that I'd been stupid! It's a brilliant piece of kit and it's really handy for *Charlton Live* because we record some material on it.

### FIRST FAVOURITE TELEVISION SHOW?

*Thunderbirds*. I loved the stories and all the machines – I wanted to be Virgil and fly Thunderbird 2. ◀



## GETTING DOWN WITH THE KIDS - 21/12/2010

Charlton may have lost three games to the weather in December, but at least one big Valley event got the go-ahead – albeit after it was forced to be rearranged.

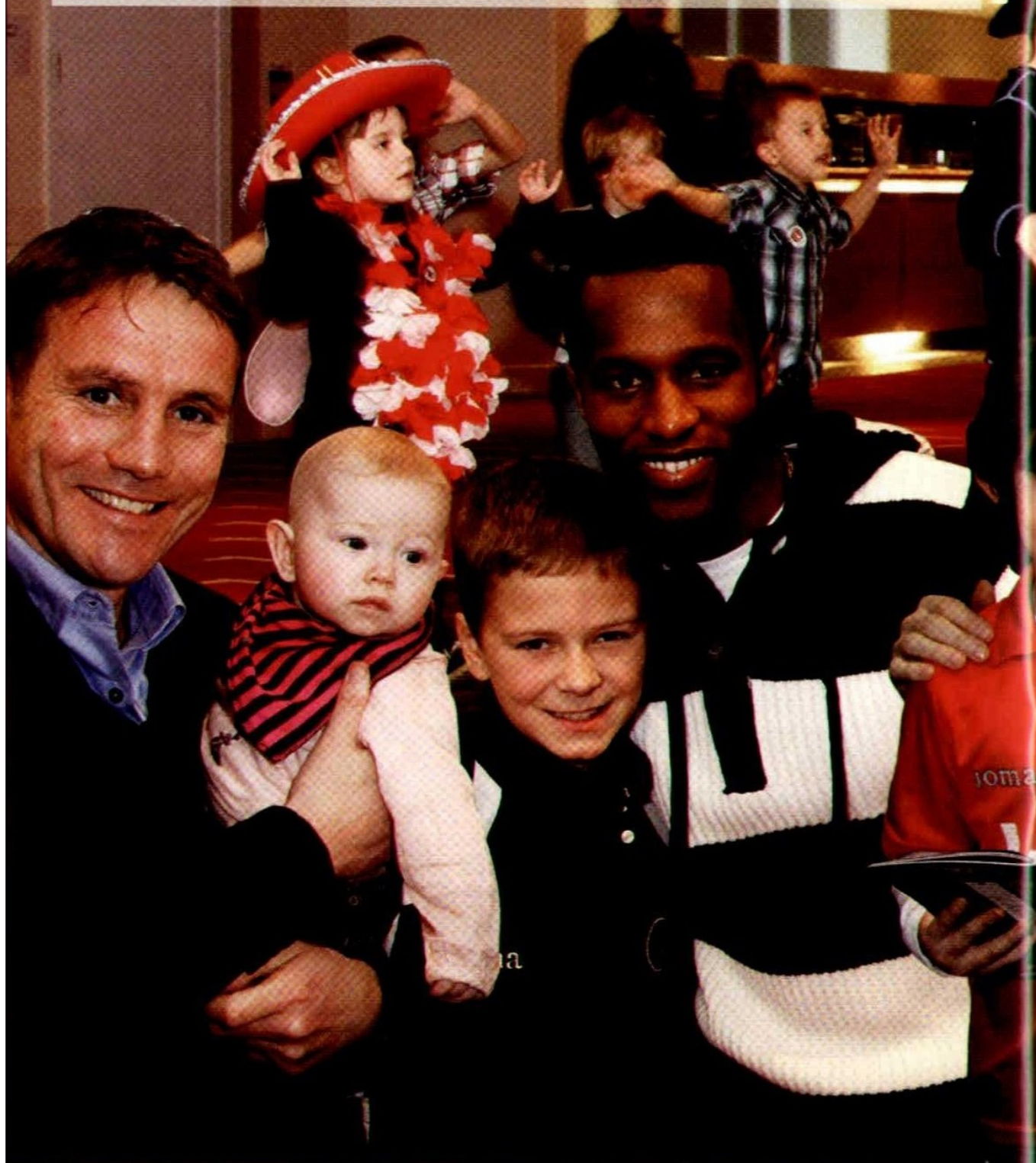
That the Young Addicks Christmas party with the players had to be rescheduled for December 21st was the last thought in the minds of the dozens of junior supporters who attended the festivities, however.

The date of the annual party had to be switched after Charlton's match against Walsall was put back 24 hours to the same day, December 12th, but with

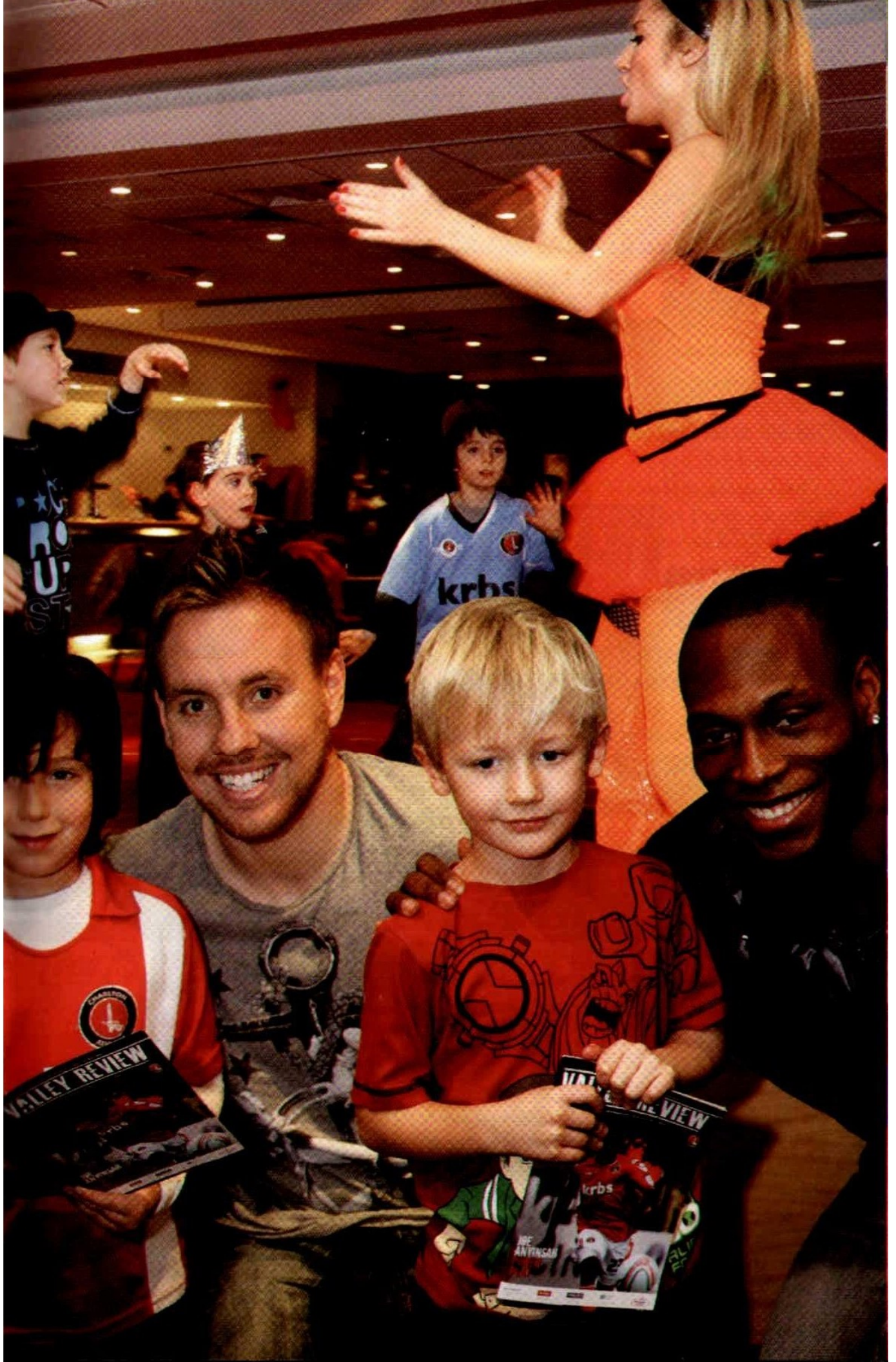
most Young Addicks having broken up from school in advance of Christmas, the party was still well attended.

Members of the first-team playing squad and management staff signed autographs, posed for photos and acted as goalkeepers in a penalty shootout, while the Funky Chicks were also on hand to provide music, fun and games.

• More details of Young Addicks membership are available via [www.cafc.co.uk](http://www.cafc.co.uk) or by calling 0871 226 1905. ◀









# ATTRACTIVE VALLEY RETAINS SIX APPEAL

Charlton made an impressive debut when Celebrity Soccer Six first came to SE7 – and the club will host the tournament again this year, says head of conference and banqueting PAUL ELLISON

**T**he 2010/11 football season will continue at The Valley until the end of May this year even if, as we hope, Charlton have already been automatically promoted to the Championship.

That's because we recently agreed to again host the Celebrity Soccer Six football tournament at the stadium on Bank Holiday Monday, May 30th.

The Valley was used for the six-a-side competition for the first time last year, and it was a terrific success.

More than 4,000 people flocked to the ground to watch a mix of singers, actors, comedians and others strut their stuff in the celebrity competition, and it was clear that everyone enjoyed it.

Indeed, we could also claim one of our own among the winners, with Bob Bolder representing the *X Factor* team which lifted the men's trophy – as he never tires of reminding us!

Talking to Celebrity Soccer Six chief executive Mark Abery afterwards, he told me that The Valley was the best-organised debut venue in the tournament's 16-year history.

Given that we only had around six weeks to put everything

together, that's quite a compliment, and with almost six months to plan things this year, we are hoping that



Last year's Celebrity Soccer Six winners, including Bob Bolder; inset, former *X Factor* contestant Stacey Solomon took part

the event will be bigger and better than ever.

In addition to the legendary Bolder, celebrities who were present last May included N-Dubz, *Soccer AM*, *The Sun*, Olly Murs and many more, and we've been promised an even more exciting array of talent from the worlds of music, sport, TV and film.

The names of those who will be appearing will start to be announced this month, and tickets for Celebrity Soccer Six will go on sale in person from the commercial centre and by calling 0871 226 1905 at 9am tomorrow. Admission is £12 adults and £8 U12s, and family tickets (two adults and three U12s) are £40.

With previous tournaments having been held at stadiums such as Anfield, Goodison Park,

Stamford Bridge and St James' Park, The Valley is in illustrious company, and we're looking forward to another great event.

● The latest news and celebrity announcements will be posted on [www.cafc.co.uk](http://www.cafc.co.uk) and [www.cup.uk.com](http://www.cup.uk.com).

Fans can also follow [twitter.com/SoccerSix](https://twitter.com/SoccerSix) and see Cup Soccer Six on Facebook for the chance to win exclusive prizes. ◀

## AN ADDICKS KIT-STORY



**Season:** 1988/89  
**Worn by:** Colin Pates, Andy Peake

This yellow outfit with red and black trim, used as the club's third strip, was markedly different, colour-wise, from the other two kits in 1988/89, despite having the same design. A shadow pattern was also used on the shorts of each of the three kits for the first time in the club's kit-story.

With thanks to John Devlin ([www.trasoburysfootballkits.com](http://www.trasoburysfootballkits.com))







# STAFF EARN THEIR SPURS AS FANS SNAP UP HOT TICKETS

Charlton's FA Cup draw at Tottenham Hotspur prompted huge demand for seats, but the club's staff passed a demanding test with flying colours, says head of club development RICK EVERITT

**W**hatever the outcome at White Hart Lane on Sunday, the Tottenham Hotspur game has already provided us with some cause for satisfaction.

That's not just because the club can expect to earn £250,000 from the fixture. It's the fact that the systems we designed to handle the sale of the club's allocation of 4,350 tickets worked well.

Why should that even be worthy of comment? Well, the reality is that there is no one-size-fits-all solution to allocating tickets in these situations.

Every match is different – in circumstances, location and number of places available.

But we aim to be consistent and fair in the principles we apply and to ensure that we meet our obligations to five-year season-ticket holders (VIPs) and Valley Gold members.

About 1,800 Spurs tickets went to VIPs and Valley Gold season-ticket holders, plus fans with a history of four previous away match purchases this season. That left roughly 2,500 for season-ticket holders and other Valley Gold members, which were sold on December 15th and in the first few hours the following morning.

Some supporters have proposed alternative priority structures, including preference for those who had been to earlier FA Cup rounds,

or a points system so that people who had attended any previous away games had greater eligibility.

Our view is that a points system would be a disproportionate response to the current situation, but even if it was appropriate, it is



An Addicks contingent of 4,350 will travel to a sold-out White Hart Lane next Sunday

not a practical option given our current ticketing set-up.

Nor is it clear why a fan who attended an earlier FA Cup game in London or Luton should suddenly have priority over another who had travelled to Carlisle United.

One person wanted to know why we only had four of the seven commercial-centre sales windows open on the Wednesday morning. In fact, we had another seven or eight staff answering the phones, which already involved calling in people from other departments who are trained for this purpose.

We set a limit of 20 people in the telephone queue at any one time, so that people could not run up big bills. This resulted in a large number of aborted calls in the first few hours, although by 11am on the first Friday

and 12pm on the Wednesday, that was no longer happening.

We also disappointed some fans by declining to look up other people's CON numbers so that they could buy on their behalf, but if we did this, it would obviously be open to abuse by a minority.

One problem we had was that ticket information for the game briefly disappeared from the website following the Luton Town replay due to a technical problem, although we had been publicising the potential arrangements since the Monday.

On reflection, the telephone message could also have been designed better, so that people did not have to listen to so much information before being told that their call had been aborted.

I think it should be acknowledged, however, that all the commercial-centre staff and their colleagues from other departments did a great job, as they usually do. ◀

## FAN INFORMATION

Fans can find contact information for the supporters' club branches and independent fan groups at [www.cafo.co.uk](http://www.cafo.co.uk)

Fans' forum  
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# Personals

## Birthdays

**To Katie** – happy 10th birthday and have a great day. Lots of love, hugs and kisses to a special girl from Mum, Dad and Nan

**Many happy returns** to lifelong fan Arthur Blackwell, who celebrated his 80th birthday on December 18th

## Messages



**Adam Riley** is certainly not missing the snowy weather in the UK. He is pictured, *left*, with an unknown Addick amid the Barmy Army at the Gabba, in Brisbane, Australia, where he has been supporting the England cricket team in the Ashes

**Happy 50th birthday** to lifelong Addick Mark Williams for December 14th

**Happy 35th birthday** to Julie for December 30th, with love and best wishes from Andy, Katie and Aaron

**Congratulations** to Tom Wallin, of Cambridge, who celebrated his 21st birthday on January 1st

**To Lew** – wishing you a very happy third wedding anniversary. With all my love always, Jo

## TODAY'S MASCOTS

Mascot packages are available throughout the 2010/11 campaign. Call 020-8333 4020 for details



### James Biss

James, who is eight years old and comes from Blackheath, goes to Eltham College and has been a mascot before. His favourite player is Rob Elliot



### George White

George, aged nine, lives in Welling in Kent. He trains at one of Charlton's advanced centres and his favourite players are Rob Elliot and Kyel Reid



### Cole Gordon

Cole, who will celebrate his ninth birthday next Monday, is from Bexley. He began the Charlton Challenge aged three, and his favourite player is Rob Elliot



### Ben Avis

Away mascot Ben, who lives in Tetbury in Gloucestershire, is 13 tomorrow. He is football mad and his favourite Robins player is Charlie Austin

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# COMMUNITY NEWS

**F**ormer Charlton defender Osei Sankofa was among a Charlton Community Trust delegation which recently returned from a two-week trip to South Africa and Ghana.

While in Africa, coaches enabled no fewer than 46 people to gain qualifications as part of a project, co-ordinated by Greenwich Council and funded by the Commonwealth Local Government Forum, to use sport as a way to increase local economic development.

The Charlton representatives operated in the townships of Durban, in South Africa, and Tema, in Ghana, and the team will return in March to run a further Football

Association Level One course and coach training sessions.

The trust will also be involved in business football tournaments, as part of efforts to build stronger relationships between the councils and the business



A trust delegation recently carried out football coaching in Africa

community while leaving a legacy to promote corporate social responsibility and support

grassroots community links.

Trust football development manager Sean Daly said: "We have strong links with South Africa, and the coaching programmes worked with more than 250 young people in Durban's KwaMashu township and through the SOS orphanage in Tema." ◀

## NEW PRESIDENT PAVES WAY FOR CHANGE

**S**ir Maurice Hatter was presented with a framed Charlton Community Trust shirt at last month's home match against Walsall after accepting an invitation to become the trust's honorary life president.

The appointment paves the way for some changes to the way the trust is governed, with a new board of eight trustees,

15 patrons and five ambassadors – including former Addicks defender



and three-time player of the year Richard Rufus – underneath Sir Maurice, who is pictured receiving the shirt from trust chairman Roger Godsiff MP (left).

Meanwhile, Lord Michael Grade has been named vice-president of the trust. ◀

## TRUST CONTACTS

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Website [www.cact.org.uk](http://www.cact.org.uk)

Life president Sir Maurice Hatter

Vice-president Lord Michael Grade

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**DATES**

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remember

**JANUARY 12TH**  
A new Extra Time course, offering a range of activities for over 55s in Greenwich, begins every Wednesday (from 10.30am-12pm)

**JANUARY 17TH**  
The Charlton women's team entertains Wingate & Finchley in the London Cup at Thamesmead Town's Bayliss Avenue (2pm)

**JANUARY 22ND**  
A new three-day Football Association Level One coaching course gets under way at Sparrows Lane



## ACTION REPLAY ►

Tuesday, December 14th, 2010



Lee; Wright, Woodman, Osborne, Legge; Bean (Wood 66); Diagouraga, O'Connor, Simpson (Spillane 80); Alexander, MacDonald, Subs (not used); Harner, Balkstein, Forster.

**Bookings:** Wright 3 (foul on Reid), Bean 50 (foul on Reid), O'Connor 59 (foul on Reid).



## CHARLTON ATHLETIC 0\*

Elliot; Jenkinson, Fry, Dailly, Doherty; Martin (Anyinsah 71), Semedo, McCormack (Jackson 71), Racon, Reid; Abbott (Benson 80). Subs (not used); Worner, Liera.

**Booking:** Abbott 33 (handball).

\*Brentford win 3-1 on penalties.

**Penalties:** Jackson (saved) 0-0; O'Connor 1-0; Racon (saved) 1-0; MacDonald 2-0; Reid (saved) 2-0; Spillane (saved) 2-0; Doherty 2-1; Alexander 3-1.

Att: 2,783

Ref: K Hill

## GOOD NIGHT BAD NIGHT

**Good night:** Inspired Brentford goalkeeper

Richard Lee saved three Charlton penalties

**Bad night:** Addicks fans' dreams of a trip to Wembley were shattered in the shootout

**Any other business:** Defender Carl Jenkinson

enjoyed an accomplished debut at right-back

**Numbers game:** 5 - number of penalty

shootouts involving Brentford this season; the

Bees have won four







# 90 MINUTES

## 34

Lee stands tall: Kyle Reid romps clear, but home goalkeeper Richard Lee stands firm and also blocks the winger's follow-up effort

## 86

Bar-Leigh Osborne: Craig Woodman's free-kick bounces to Karlleigh Osborne, and the defender smashes a shot against the crossbar

## 90

Last-gasp let-off: ex-Addicks striker Charlie MacDonald wastefully shoots wide of the right post with the goal at his mercy

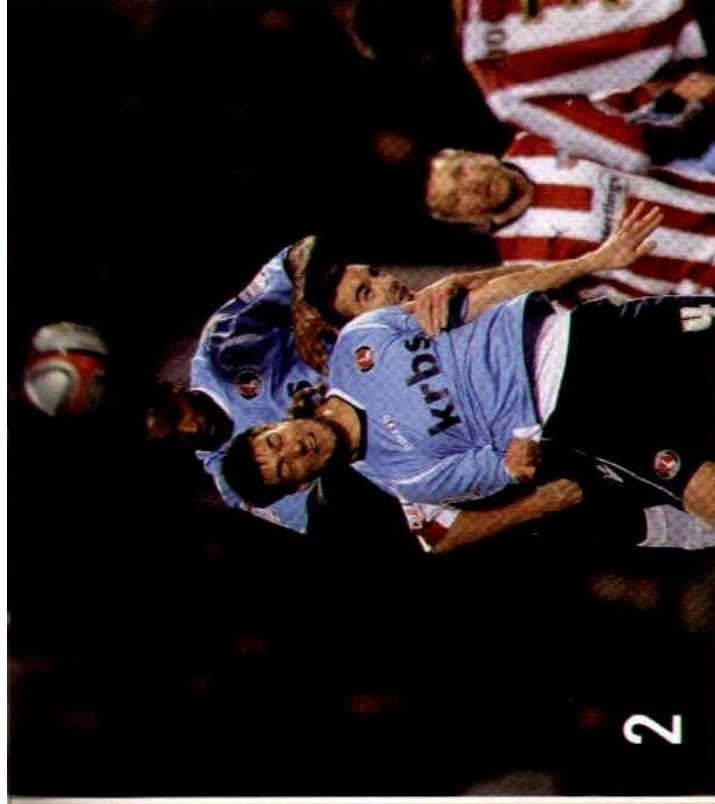
## 90

Rich pickings: Lee denies penalty-takers Johnnie Jackson, Thorry Racon and Reid, and although Rob Elliot saves one, Gary Alexander scores the clincher

### STOPPER LEE SPOT ON FOR BEES

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1. Goalkeeper Rob Elliot and Brentford counterpart Richard Lee, who saved Charlton's first three spot-kicks, exchange places during a tense penalty shootout at Griffin Park
2. Johnnie Jackson and Jose Semedo contest an aerial challenge
3. Teenage defender Carl Jenkinson made his Addicks bow in the southern semi-final, having returned from a loan spell with non-League outfit Eastbourne Borough just 24 hours earlier
4. The visitors look on as the penalty shootout gets under way



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## TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR

**DATE:** SUNDAY, JANUARY 9TH, 2011  
(1.30PM)

**COMPETITION:** FA CUP (R3)

**VENUE:** WHITE HART LANE, BILL  
NICHOLSON WAY, 748 HIGH ROAD,  
TOTTENHAM, LONDON N17 0AP

**CONTACT:** 0844 499 5000

**S**ome 4,350 Addicks will be at White Hart Lane, and it's no surprise that our tickets have sold out for the club's first match against a Premier League side since May 2007.

Away fans are in the two-tiered south stand, behind the goal, which isn't dissimilar to our own north stand, albeit a bit more cramped. The view isn't bad, but those in the lower tier should take note of the weather before travelling as it's partly exposed to the elements.

The facilities are OK, with a standard breeze-blocked concourse offering the usual food fare. There are numerous burger vans outside

the ground, plus every type of takeaway you could wish for.

Alcohol is available in the ground, although not at half-time on our last couple of visits, and the nearby pubs are pretty much home-only. Things improve towards Seven Sisters tube station, while the Haringey Irish Centre, opposite White Hart Lane train station, welcomes away fans, has a car park and serves lovely food and a decent pint.

Lots of residents' schemes make parking nearby a nightmare, so I suggest that all journeys are completed using public transport. ◀

**Ian Cartwright**

**Prices:** All tickets have sold out **Last visit:** 1-5 (9/12/06) **Nearest station:** White Hart Lane/Northumberland Park (Liverpool Street) or Seven Sisters tube (Victoria line) **Go for:** The drama of the FA Cup third round



## SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY

**DATE:** SATURDAY, JANUARY 15TH, 2011  
(3PM)

**COMPETITION:** LEAGUE ONE

**VENUE:** HILLSBOROUGH, SHEFFIELD  
S6 1SW

**CONTACT:** 0871 995 1867

**H**illsborough is an excellent ground steeped in history. It's also tinged with sadness, and there is a memorial to those who lost their lives in 1989.

Although it looks a little dated compared to newer stadia with similar capacities, it retains a special aura, and the view is not bad from our vantage point in the upper tier behind the goal, despite four posts near the front of the roof.

It's a bit of a climb, with the entrances to the seating halfway up the stand, and the scoreboard to the right disappears from view the closer to the back you sit. The

concourses are a little dark, but there is plenty of room, and there are TVs and a bookies. The kiosks aren't inviting, but the food is OK.

On our last visit, Wednesday did not sell alcohol, and there aren't many pub options nearby. Along the A61 near the old Wadsley Bridge railway station, the Wadsley Jack is homely, while the larger New Bridge Inn has satellite TV. Of course, the city centre has something for everyone, while The Howard is across the road from the station.

Some street parking is available for early arrivers, or use the unofficial car parks along the A61. ◀ **IC**

**Prices:** £21 adults, £12 over 65s and U18s (see opposite page regarding VAT increase); disabled £21 and £12 (helpers for wheelchair and ambulant disabled fans go free; 10 wheelchair spaces are available on 0871 995 1867\*) **Last visit:** 1-4 (17/1/09) **Nearest station:** Sheffield (St Pancras) **Go for:** Important away game against promotion rivals



## MATCH TICKETS

Matchday ticket prices at The Valley are £17, £22 and £25 adults, with over 60s and U21s paying £13 and £17, and all U18s £5 – but some of these prices will rise tomorrow. After today's game, the £17, £22 and £25 prices will all increase by 50p to cater for the rise in VAT to 20 per cent. The £5 and £13 prices will not change and season tickets are unaffected. Adult Valley Express places from across Kent and Sussex are £7 per head.

## TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR (A)

Although all match tickets have sold out (see opposite page), an extended Valley Away service (£10) will run to White Hart Lane on Sunday, January 9th (1.30pm), with coaches starting at Ramsgate, New Romney, Maidstone, Bexhill and Worthing. Full pick-up point and time details can be found at [www.cafc.co.uk](http://www.cafc.co.uk).

## SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY (A)

Tickets for Hillsborough on Saturday, January 15th (3pm) are available online and will be on sale from the ground on the day (see opposite page), but fans should note that the price will rise to £21.50 adults, and £12.50 over 65s and U18s, from tomorrow due to the VAT change. Ten wheelchair disabled places are available – call Wednesday direct on 0871 995 1867 and select option 0.

## PLYMOUTH ARGYLE (H)

Tickets are on general sale for the Pilgrims' visit to SE7 on Saturday, January 22nd (3pm), and can be purchased online. If bought before tomorrow, places are priced £17, £22 and £25 adults, £13 and £17 over 60s and U21s, and £5 U18s, but the price of all £17, £22 and £25 tickets will rise by 50p after close of business tonight.

## SOUTHAMPTON (A)

Charlton's initial 1,400 tickets are on general sale for the trip to St Mary's Stadium on Saturday, January 29th (3pm), priced £22 adults, £17 over 60s, U22s and students (with a valid NUS card), £10 U17s and £8 U13s.

Family tickets are available, priced £30 (one adult and one U17), £28 (one adult and one U13) and £22 (one adult and one U9), while wheelchair and ambulant disabled tickets are £22. Tickets are not available online, and although the Saints will sell tickets on the day, the price will rise by £2 in all categories.

An extra Valley Away (£16) route will run to Southampton via Ore (10.15am), Hastings (10.20am) and Bexhill (10.40am); Brighton (11.35am) and Worthing (12pm – both £12); and Fontwell (12.25pm) and Portchester (1.10pm – both £8).

## COLCHESTER UNITED (H)

Tickets for the Valley meeting with the U's on Tuesday, February 1st (7.45pm) will go on general sale at 9am on Wednesday, priced £17.50, £22.50 and £25.50 adults, £13 and £17.50 over 60s and U21s, and £5 U18s. Tickets will be available online.

## POSTPONED GAMES

Tickets and coach places purchased for the postponed matches against Rochdale (December 4th) and Hartlepool United (December 18th) will be refunded on request by the commercial centre or otherwise remain valid for the rearranged dates. Fans can also claim refunds on match tickets for the postponed Boxing Day match against

Southampton. Refunds will only be available up to 48 hours before the new date.

## AWAY TRAIN TRAVEL

For all enquiries concerning train times and sample return fares to away games outside Greater London, including local bus transportation, refer to the Group Rail Travel page within the tickets section of [www.cafc.co.uk](http://www.cafc.co.uk).

## VALLEY AWAY

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BEXLEYHEATH	8.30AM	10.45AM
ELTHAM WELL HALL	8.40AM	10.30AM
CHARLTON	9.00AM	10.15AM
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GODSTONE	–	11.30AM

VALLEY AWAY MATCHES FOR SHEFF WEDNESDAY AND SOUTHAMPTON WILL BE OPEN FOR BOOKING FROM 9AM ON WEDNESDAY. TICKETS WILL BE AVAILABLE FROM THE VALLEY COMMERCIAL CENTRE.

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5 SOUTHAMPTON	20	6	3	3	19	9	3	1	4	11	10	11	31
6 AFC BOURNEMOUTH	20	7	1	2	25	9	1	5	4	11	14	13	30
7 COLCHESTER UNITED	19	4	5	2	16	16	3	4	1	9	7	2	30
8 PETERBOROUGH UNITED	20	6	1	3	26	23	3	2	5	13	18	-2	30
9 OLDHAM ATHLETIC	18	4	5	0	15	8	3	3	3	12	13	6	29
10 EXETER CITY	20	5	3	1	20	13	3	2	6	12	21	-2	29
11 HARTLEPOOL UNITED	19	3	2	3	13	18	5	3	3	9	6	-2	29
12 MILTON KEYNES DONS	20	7	2	1	16	9	2	0	8	11	23	-5	29
13 BRENTFORD	19	3	2	4	9	13	5	2	3	14	8	2	28
14 CARLISLE UNITED	19	5	3	3	16	11	2	3	3	10	9	6	27
15 PLYMOUTH ARGYLE	20	5	3	4	17	17	2	2	4	9	13	-4	26
16 SWINDON TOWN	20	5	3	3	15	15	1	4	4	16	19	-3	25
17 LEYTON ORIENT	19	4	2	2	11	8	2	4	5	16	18	1	24
18 NOTTS COUNTY	19	6	0	4	14	11	1	2	6	10	18	-5	23
19 ROCHDALE	19	3	4	2	15	12	2	3	5	12	14	1	22
20 TRANMERE ROVERS	19	3	2	5	10	15	3	2	4	10	13	-8	22
21 BRISTOL ROVERS	19	3	2	3	7	12	2	5	4	16	22	-11	22
22 DAGENHAM & REDBRIDGE	19	2	4	2	9	10	2	2	7	12	22	-11	18
23 WALSALL	19	3	0	6	10	16	2	2	6	8	16	-14	17
24 YEOVIL TOWN	19	2	2	4	11	16	2	2	7	9	20	-16	16

## TODAY

(ALL FIXTURES 3PM UNLESS STATED)

AFC BOURNEMOUTH v  
BRENTFORD  
DAGENHAM & REDBRIDGE v  
SOUTHAMPTON  
EXETER CITY v BRIGHTON &  
HOVE ALBION  
HUDDERSFIELD TOWN v  
SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY  
(12.15PM)  
LEYTON ORIENT v  
COLCHESTER UNITED  
NOTTS COUNTY v HARTLEPOOL  
UNITED  
OLDHAM ATHLETIC v  
ROCHDALE  
PETERBOROUGH UNITED v  
WALSALL  
TRANMERE ROVERS v  
CARLISLE UNITED  
YEOVIL TOWN v MILTON  
KEYNES DONS

## TOMORROW

BRISTOL ROVERS v PLYMOUTH  
ARGYLE (7.45PM)

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	LGE APPS	LGE GLS	FA CUP APPS	FA CUP GLS	LGE CUP APPS	LGE CUP GLS	JPT APPS	JPT GLS	CAFC APPS	CAFC GLS		
PAWEL ABBOTT	8(3)	0	1(2)	0	1	2	3(1)	1	13(6)	3	3	0
JOE ANYINSAH	8(3)	3	3	2	0	0	0(1)	0	11(4)	5	0	0
PAUL BENSON	16	7	3(1)	0	0	0	1(2)	0	20(3)	7	4*	0
CHRISTIAN DAILLY	11	0	2	0	0	0	3(1)	0	65(1)	1	1	2
GARY DOHERTY	20	0	2(1)	0	0(1)	0	3	0	25(2)	0	4	0
ROB ELLIOT	16	0	4	0	0	0	3	0	84(1)	0	2	0
JONATHAN FORTUNE	6(1)	0	3	0	0	0	1(1)	0	176(31)	10	0	0
SIMON FRANCIS	17(2)	0	4	0	1	0	3	0	25(2)	0	3	0
MATT FRY	12(3)	1	3	0	0	0	2(1)	0	17(4)	1	6	0
JOHNNIE JACKSON	19(1)	8	4	1	0	0	2(1)	0	29(2)	9	2	0
CARL JENKINSON	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
MIGUEL LLERA	4(1)	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	32(3)	5	1	0
ALAN MCCORMACK	6(5)	1	2(1)	0	0	0	2(1)	0	10(7)	1	4	0
YADO MAMBO	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1(1)	0	0	0
LEE MARTIN	12(6)	2	0	0	1	1	4	0	17(6)	3	7	0
THERRY RACON	16(2)	2	4	1	1	0	4	2	86(7)	9	3	0
KYEL REID	9(8)	0	2(1)	1	0(1)	0	3(1)	0	26(17)	5	0	0
JOSE SEMEDO	18	0	2	0	0	0	4	0	107(19)	1	6	1
BALLY SMART	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
AKPO SODJE	1(12)	1	0(3)	0	0(1)	0	1	0	12(32)	7	1	0
CHRIS SOLLY	1(1)	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	6(9)	1	0	0
ALEX STAVRINOU	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2(1)	0	0	0
TAMER TUNA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1(3)	1	0	0
SCOTT WAGSTAFF	16(2)	5	4	1	1	0	2(1)	1	37(31)	12	3	0
ROSS WORNER	4	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	6	0	0	0
KELLY YOUNG	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	69(2)	1	0	0

\*Includes former and loan clubs



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Sat Aug 7	AFC Bournemouth	1-0	9th	16,236	1,537	G Hegley	Elliott	Solly	Jackson	Dailly	Doherty																																																												
Fri Aug 13	*Leyton Orient	3-1	1st	5,535	1,595	J Linington	Elliott	Francis	Jackson	Dailly	Doherty																																																												
Sat Aug 21	Oldham Athletic	1-1	3rd	14,842	535	R Shoebridge	Elliott	Francis	Jackson	Liera	Doherty																																																												
Sat Aug 28	Huddersfield Town	1-3	8th	13,858	405	G Salisbury	Worner	Francis	Jackson	Dailly	Doherty																																																												
Sat Sep 4	Exeter City	0-1	11th	5,743	635	D Phillips	Elliott	Francis	Fry	Liera	Doherty																																																												
Sat Sep 11	Notts County	1-0	9th	14,436	638	P Tierney	Elliott	Francis	Jackson	Fry	Doherty																																																												
Sat Sep 18	Tranmere Rovers	1-1	10th	4,735	404	P Gibbs	Worner	Francis	Jackson	Liera	Doherty																																																												
Sat Sep 25	Dagenham & Redbridge	2-2	11th	14,806	683	J Moss	Worner	Francis	Jackson	Liera	Doherty																																																												
Tue Sep 28	Milton Keynes Dons	1-0	7th	13,155	236	J Waugh	Worner	Francis	Fry	Fortune	Doherty																																																												
Sat Oct 2	Brentford	1-2	8th	6,342	1,698	A Penn	Elliott	Francis	Fry	Fortune	Doherty																																																												
Sat Oct 9	Plymouth Argyle	2-2	10th	7,738	567	C Sarginson	Elliott	Dailly	Jackson	Fortune	Doherty																																																												
Sat Oct 16	Brighton & Hove Albion	0-4	14th	16,949	3,394	N Swarbrick	Elliott	Dailly	Jackson	Fortune	Doherty																																																												
Sat Oct 23	Carlisle United	4-3	11th	5,624	313	S Mathieson	Elliott	Francis	Fry	Dailly	Doherty																																																												
Sat Oct 30	Sheffield Wednesday	1-0	6th	17,365	2,216	R East	Elliott	Francis	Fry	Dailly	Doherty																																																												
Tue Nov 2	Swindon Town	3-0	5th	7,939	429	R Booth	Elliott	Francis	Fry	Dailly	Doherty																																																												
Sat Nov 13	Peterborough United	5-1	2nd	7,477	1,358	D Foster	Elliott	Francis	Fry	Dailly	Doherty																																																												
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Tue Nov 23	Bristol Rovers	1-1	2nd	13,468	393	M Russell	Elliott	Francis	Fry	Fortune	Doherty																																																												
Sun Dec 12	Walsall	0-1	4th	14,938	114	C Pawson	Elliott	Francis	Fry	Fortune	Doherty																																																												
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Following a lengthy lay-off due to the severe winter weather, the Addicks returned to action – and claimed a valuable away point – in thick fog against promotion rivals Brighton & Hove Albion at the Withdean Stadium

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McCormack	Racon 1	Semedo	Reid	Martin	Abbott	Worner	Fry	Dailly	Wagstaff	Benson		
McCormack	Racon	Semedo	Reid	Martin	Abbott	Worner	Liera	Jackson	Anyinsah	Benson		
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**Charlton have a superstar DJ in their ranks, Paul Benson having been a regular in Ibiza and on the decks – and his eclectic taste extends to hip-hop, indie and pop, he tells TOM HARVEY**



## **1 Show Me Love – Robin S**

This is an iconic dance track that I first heard in Ibiza as a youngster. I went back the following year and it was still being played, which shows just how big a track it was. I was a regular in Ibiza, and I also tried Magaluf, Kos, Malia and Ayia Napa – I've done it all! This song was adopted by the Dagenham & Redbridge side as a tune we'd put on before a game. It reminds me of good times. It always got me in the right frame of mind before playing, and it gets people up on the dancefloor.



## **2 Juicy – The Notorious B.I.G.**

For its genre, I think this is one of the best hip-hop tracks I've ever heard. It's got a bit of everything. I can't remember the first time I heard it, but even now, when I listen to it, it's like I'm hearing it for the first time. It just doesn't grow old. When I signed for Charlton, I had to do an initiation song. I went for Elvis Presley's *Suspicious Minds*. Thankfully, nothing was thrown at me by the players.



## **3 Crazy Love – MJ Cole**

This was played regularly when I was out in Ayia Napa, and it's one of those tracks that sticks in your mind. I quite liked garage music when I was younger and I went to Ayia Napa three times on the bounce. I used to DJ a bit back in the day, and this was a track I'd always put into my set. I had to sell my decks when I moved in with my missus, though, because there wasn't enough room. I was gutted!



## **4 Mardy Bum – Arctic Monkeys**

Again, it's a song that doesn't age on me; I enjoy it every time I hear it. This type of music is probably the one I listen to least, but the Arctic Monkeys are a good band. I like a lot of their stuff, but this tune is my favourite of theirs. If I had to choose a player this song reminded me of, I'd say Alan McCormack, because he can be a bit of a mardy bum sometimes!



## **5 Man in the Mirror – Michael Jackson**

I'm a big fan of Michael Jackson. He's probably the greatest pop artist who's ever lived. I know a lot of the boys have chosen his tracks, but I don't think anyone's gone for this one and it's one of my personal favourites. It's just a great, great song. I dressed up as Jackson for the players' Christmas party, so I threw a few moonwalks in during the night. Pretty bad ones they were, too!

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**MANAGER**  
PHIL PARKINSON

**MANAGER**  
DANNY WILSON

## CHARLTON ATHLETIC

Rob Elliot (gk)	1
Simon Francis	2
Kelly Youga	3
Johnnie Jackson	4
Miguel Llera	5
Jose Semedo	6
Scott Wagstaff	7
Therry Racon	8
Pawel Abbott	9
Lee Martin	10
Kyel Reid	11
Gary Doherty	12
Akpo Sodje	14
Yado Mambo	15
Alan McCormack	16
Paul Benson	17
Alex Stavrinou	18
Matt Fry	19
Chris Solly	20
Joe Anyinsah	23
Jonathan Fortune	24
Ross Worner (gk)	25
Callum Harriott	26
Marcel Seip	28
Tamer Tuna	32
Carl Jenkinson	34
Christian Dailly	36

## NOTES

## SWINDON TOWN

1	David Lucas (gk)
2	Scott Cuthbert
3	Michael Rose
4	Jonathan Douglas
6	Paul Caddis
7	Jon-Paul McGovern
8	Simon Ferry
9	Vincent Pericard
10	David Prutton
11	Michael Timlin
12	Phil Smith (gk)
14	Sean Morrison
15	Kevin Amankwaah
16	David Ball
17	Callum Kennedy
18	Alan O'Brien
19	Lescinel Jean-Francois
20	Thomas Dossevi
21	Alan Sheehan
22	Matt Ritchie
23	Nathan Thompson
26	Jakub Jesionkowski (gk)
28	Mark Scott (gk)
31	Billy Bodin
32	Charlie Austin
34	Will Evans

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Saturday, January 22nd (3pm)



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K Woolmer



**Assistant referee**  
N Hair



**Assistant referee**  
J Hopkins



**Fourth official**  
I Williamson

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