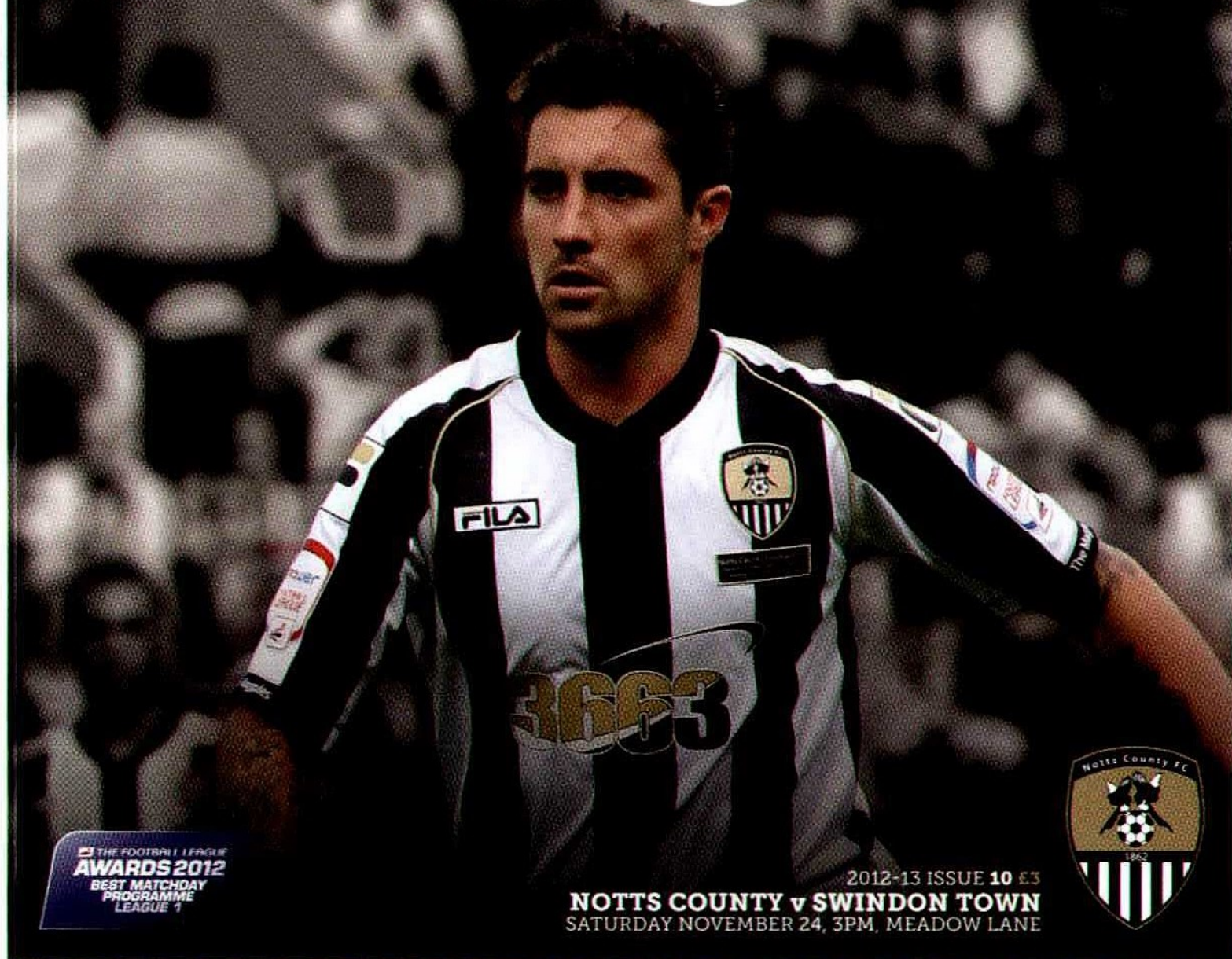


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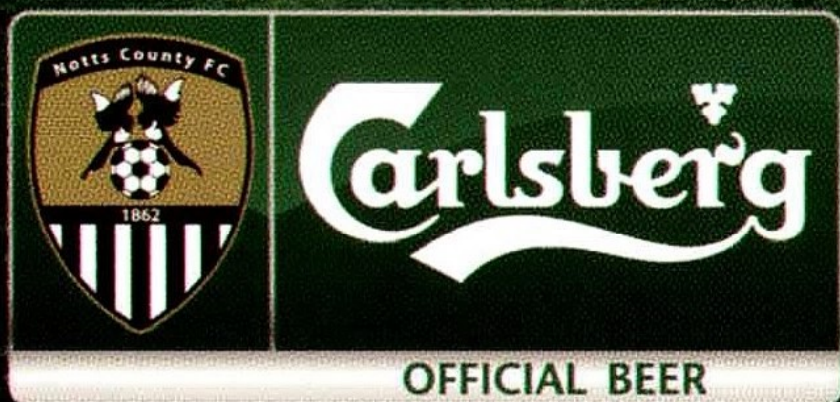
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#welcome

WELCOME TO MEADOW LANE FOR THIS AFTERNOON'S
NPOWER LEAGUE 1 FIXTURE AGAINST **SWINDON TOWN...**

Unbeaten away. Number 19 now.
The incredible unbeaten away
run continues but the club record was
given its toughest test yet in midweek
at Preston.

Flick through the pages to find
photos and reaction from fans and
players from our past two away draws,
while we also review the home draw
with Crawley.

Also in today's #themag we reflect
on the successful Legend's Day,
hear about a brilliant Youth Team
performance here at Meadow Lane
and former Swindon player Alan
Sheehan answers your questions.

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Don't forget next week the club will
be celebrating its 150th birthday with
the start of the Notts County Hall of
Fame. It's sure to be another fantastic
night so make sure you reserve your
place.

At Meadow Lane this afternoon the
first-team will be looking to turn draws
into wins, as if we hadn't dropped
home points we'd be top of the league!

That could all change today though
and each supporter needs to play
their part in generating a fantastic
atmosphere. Keep the noise going and
let's back the lads for a home three
points. #COYP

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#findthepie

It's an easy one this week! Remember all you have to do is find the pie, email media@nottscountyfc.co.uk the page number and your contact details and you can win the official teamsheets and two tickets for a league game here. Last time's winner was Chris Cotton who found the pie on page 24. Good luck! #findthepie



CHAIRMAN'S NOTES **RAY TREW**

#onwards and upwards

NOTTS COUNTY CHAIRMAN RAY TREW GIVES HIS VIEWS ON THE CLUB'S PROGRESS ON AND OFF THE FIELD AHEAD OF TODAY'S GAME...

Good afternoon everyone and welcome once again to Meadow Lane as we prepare for this npower League 1 match against fellow promotion hopefuls Swindon Town.

It's hard to believe that we're coming to the end of November already. The season has flown by with the games coming thick and

of the decisions that I took to replace a manager, so it is, I suppose, with some relief to see Keith bring some stability to the role through the job he is doing.

That is not to say that I will be afraid to make difficult decisions in the future, if I feel that they are in the best interests of the club. But suffice to say I have been

“ I have been delighted with the job that Keith has done thus far and look forward to a long and successful period with him at the helm ”

fast, but it's great to see the club challenging at the right end of the table ahead of the traditionally busy Christmas period.

At a time when chairmen tend to get itchy trigger fingers, and I have been guilty of this myself in the past, it is refreshing to be heading into December with a manager that has got us playing some excellent football and has instilled a belief in the team that is translating into results.

I have spoken in the past at my regret with at least one

delighted with the job Keith has done thus far and look forward to a long and successful period with him at the helm.

I would like to welcome the players, officials and supporters of Swindon Town to Meadow Lane this afternoon. I hope that they enjoy the hospitality available to them.

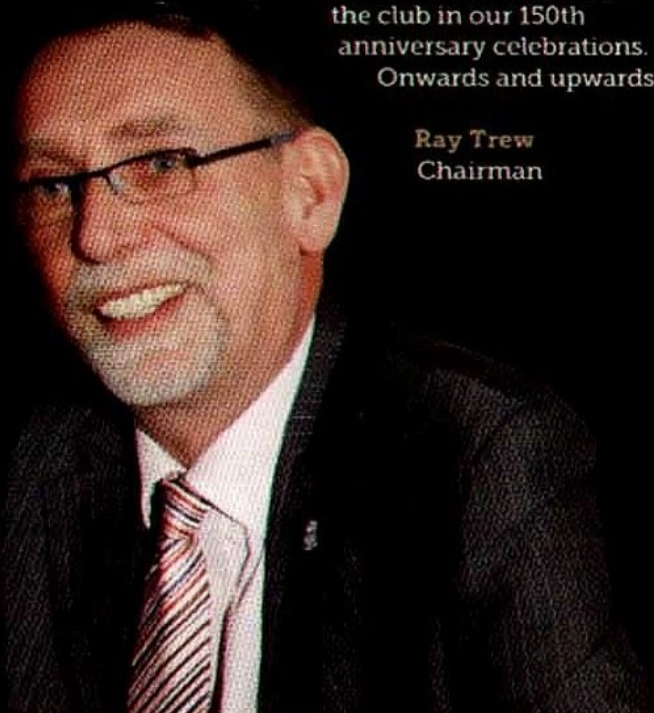
Finally, I would like to end my notes by thanking all of the staff that were involved in laying on the Legends Day here at the Lane last Sunday, particularly Les Bradd.

Unfortunately I couldn't be there myself, but by all accounts it was a fantastic day and one that will live long in the memory of those in attendance.

Thank you to all those supporters that came out to see some famous faces from the past and to help support the club in our 150th anniversary celebrations.

Onwards and upwards,

Ray Trew
Chairman





MANAGER'S NOTES **KEITH CURLE**

#express yourself

THE MAGPIES' MANAGER KEITH CURLE GIVES US AN INSIGHT INTO FIRST-TEAM AFFAIRS AND THE LATEST FROM THE DRESSING ROOM...

Good afternoon and welcome to Meadow Lane as we look to get that home win that we all crave.

Today's match will be another challenge and I would like to welcome Swindon manager Paolo Di Canio, his staff, players, directors and the Robins supporters to Nottingham.

The points we have taken from all of our last three matches has seen us extend our undefeated run to five and our away streak to a remarkable 19 games.

I am delighted with the work ethic and application from the players. They have continued to work their socks off and I'm confident that if they continue to compete then the rewards will follow.

The level of performance is a key indicator of what we work from. We dominated last Saturday, and previously against Crawley, but we didn't get the full rewards, however, the key performance indicators were achieved.

Looking back to the game at Deepdale on Tuesday, we knew it wasn't going to be a pretty spectacle. They asked us different questions and we

had to stand tall, be strong, be brave and at times go toe-to-toe with them.

We had to be mentally tough as well, after it started with their manager's comments about our style of play in the lead up to the game by outwardly criticising our players.

We, as a football club, keep our opinions in house regarding the opposition.

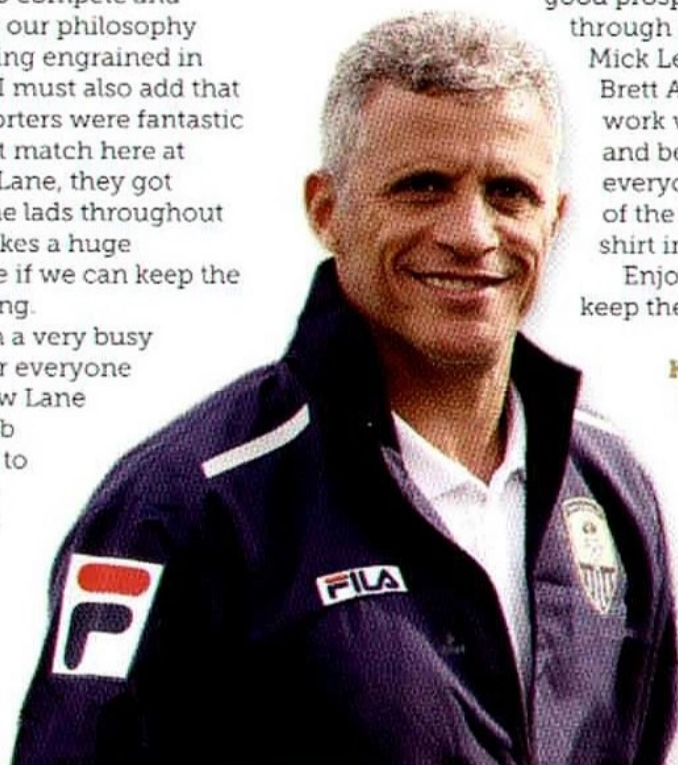
All I ask each game is for the lads to compete and adhere to our philosophy that is being engrained in our play. I must also add that the supporters were fantastic in our last match here at Meadow Lane, they got behind the lads throughout and it makes a huge difference if we can keep the noise going.

It's been a very busy week for everyone at Meadow Lane as the club get ready to celebrate our 150th birthday. It was fantastic to meet so many

supporters at the Legends Day, although I'm not sure Kevin Pilkington did himself any favours to get in front of Bartosz in the pecking order with his performance in the Legends Match!

The Youth Team also performed well under the floodlights in midweek too. I've seen the lads play a few times this season and like to keep a very close eye on them. There are some good prospects coming through and hopefully Mick Leonard and Brett Adams' hard work will continue and be beneficial for everyone when one of the lads keeps the shirt in the starting XI. Enjoy the match and keep the faith.

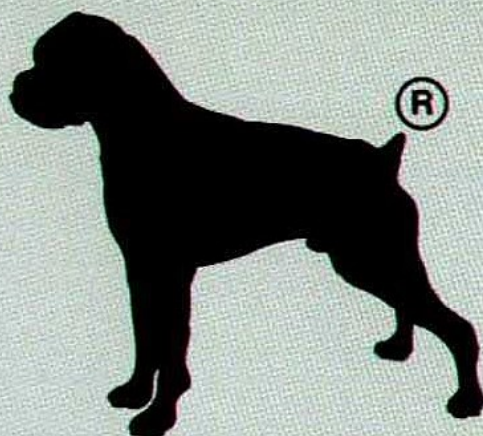
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CAPTAIN'S NOTES **NEAL BISHOP**

#the armband

INSPIRATIONAL CAPTAIN NEAL BISHOP @04NBISHO IS #themag's
INSIDE-MAN IN THE NOTTS COUNTY DRESSING ROOM...

Welcome back to Meadow Lane for this afternoon's encounter with Swindon Town. It's another exciting one for us, as only one point separates the teams in the League 1 table.

We're currently eighth but we can climb back into the top six if we take three points - something we know is long overdue on our own patch.

We've gained two very hard-fought points in the last two matches, away against Scunthorpe and Preston, and if we can show the kind of determination today, we're sure we'll get the rewards.

Midweek was our first goalless draw of the season and we showed a real resilience at the back. We dug deep for the clean sheet and we felt that the performance merited a point.

We tried our best to get forward but it was one of those days where it didn't come off for us on that front. We're going to experience days like that this season and it's important that we battle through, which we did, and

a point on the road is always a good point.

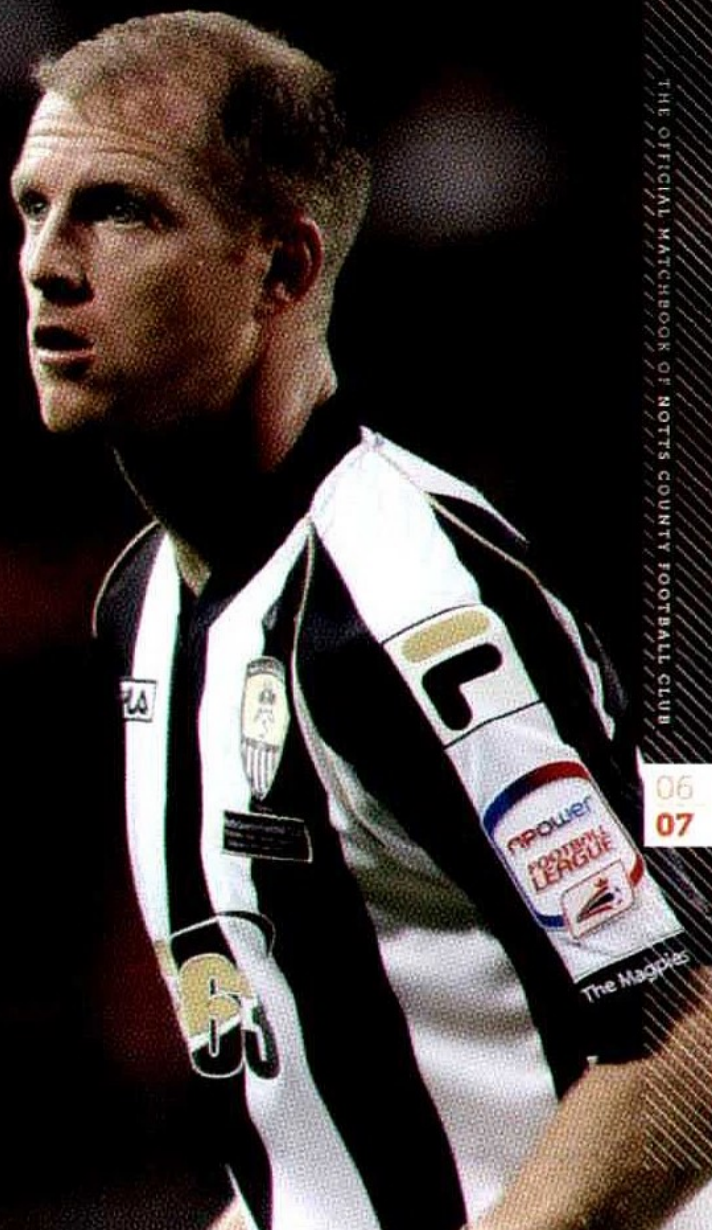
If we can defend like that and get our attacking players into the game more, we're going to do some damage to our opponents. We just hope that we can combine the two today in what is going to be a very difficult test for us.

Our last home fixture - a 1-1 draw with Crawley - should have resulted in maximum points for us and, looking back, we played some top stuff. The fans were in fine voice that day and it really does spur us on, at the same time as making it an intimidating place for teams to visit.

We're without a couple of key players this afternoon through suspension in Lee Hughes and Jamal Campbell-Ryce. However, we've already seen the strength in depth at the club and we know those players will come in and do an excellent job.

Keep up the support and let's hope we're back in the play-off places by 5pm this evening.

Bish





#news feed

DON'T MISS A SCRAP OF **NOTTS COUNTY** NEWS
WITH THE LATEST FROM MEADOW LANE...

HALF-SEASON TICKETS

Half-season tickets for the second part of the 2012-13 campaign are now on sale, offering discounted access to the final 11 home games of the season.

With Notts having made a great start to their npower League 1 campaign this year, the second half of the season promises to be an enthralling spectacle, as teams vie for position at the top of the table.

Adult half-season tickets start from just £185 in the Kop Stand and Haydn Green Family Stand, or £220 in the Derek Pavis Stand, while seniors can book their seat for just £130 in the Derek Pavis Stand, £125 in the Kop and £120 in the Family Stand.

Under-16s can get a half season ticket for £35 in any stand, whilst 16 to 21-year-old prices have been set at £100 in the Derek Pavis Stand or Kop and just £90 in the Family Stand.

To make sure that you see all of the action that unfolds here at Meadow Lane over the final 11 home games of the campaign, pick up your half season ticket from the Notts County ticket office or book online now at www.nottscountydirect.co.uk.



The half-season ticket will be valid from our first game of 2013, at home to Milton Keynes Dons on Tuesday January 1, and includes games against Sheffield United, Preston North End and our final match of the regular season against Coventry City.

As a half-season ticket holder you will also be eligible for prioritised booking on any cup games.

Reserve your place at Meadow Lane for the remaining 11 home fixtures with a half season ticket

NCDSA MEETING COMING UP

On October 25 the Notts County Disabled Support Association (NCDSA) held the first of its regular meetings in the Wheeler Suite.

Among the issues discussed were changes to stewarding procedures, so that supporters leaving the ground would not obscure the view of disabled fans and the association's plans for future meetings with the club to arrange sponsorship for a variety of activities.

Items discussed also included the restoration of a commentary service for the blind and a meeting with the club's Football in the Community scheme, so that FITC and the association could work in conjunction in areas of mutual interest.

The association also decided that its yearly subscription for membership will be £5 for one year, with careers able to become association members for free.

The next meeting for the Association for Disabled Supporters has been fixed for Thursday November 29 at 7pm in the Wheeler Suite. We look forward to seeing you all there.

HALF SEASON TICKET PRICES 2012-13

PRICE BAND	DEREK PAVIS STAND	KOP STAND	HAYDN GREEN FAMILY STAND
ADULT	£220	£185	£185
SENIOR	£130	£125	£120
16-21	£100	£100	£90
UNDER-16	£35	£35	£35

SELECTION BOX APPEAL 2012

Thoughtful Notts supporter Rob Bristol will be collecting selection boxes once again to give to the ill and unfortunate children at various hospitals around Nottingham this Christmas.

The deadline will be Tuesday, December 11, so please make sure you hand them in to the Club Shop as soon as possible.

The campaign started in 2006 and again Notts supporters, staff and players will

help Rob put a smile on young children's faces.

Rob told #themag: "Every year, Notts fans have shown their generosity with their donations and it makes me proud to be a fan of this club."

"I'm sure all the Notts fans will do a fantastic job; they always do. Let's get those unfortunate children who find themselves in hospital over the festive period smiling again."

For further information about adding to the collection, call 0115 9557 200.



Lee Hughes and Rob Bristol delivered the selection boxes last year.

TWITTER VERIFICATION

The Media Team and followers of our Twitter Page @Official_NCFC were delighted to hear that the club were given a blue tick to verify the account earlier this month.

Simon @Simon_Maggie

@Official_NCFC finally verified #AboutTime#BlueTick #Notts150

Matthew Cobb @Cobbo12

I have to say @Official_NCFC profile is looking pretty boss... especially with the blue tick#YP

James Wagstaff @james_waggy

@Official_NCFC blue tick! about time! #COYP



Andy, Michelle, Joel and Director Aileen Trew with the signed ball and shirt.

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IN MEMORY OF MADALINE

Notts supporter Andy Whitley will be taking part in a 24-hour football match in December to raise money for Kings Mill Hospital Neo Natal unit in memory of his daughter Madaline.

He explained to #themag: "It's a cause very close to my heart after the efforts of Kings Mill Hospital to save my little girl's life."

"My wife and I organised the annual money-raising event in memory of Madaline's life and we hope to raise as much as possible."

"We are also hugely grateful to Notts County Director Aileen Trew for donating a signed Notts shirt and ball, which we will be e-auctioning off to raise further funds for such a worthwhile cause. Look out for further details on the club's social networking sites."

The game takes place over the weekend of the 1st and 2nd December over two 12-hour halves, kicking-off from 9am to 9pm each day at Play Football, Arnold.

So far more than 100 players have signed up to play, including those young and old, male and female, but if you want to donate to the cause, or want information on how to bid for the signed shirt and ball, please email Andy at: 24game.neonatal@gmail.com.



#the match

#themag REFLECTS ON PAST ENCOUNTERS BETWEEN NOTTS COUNTY AND THIS AFTERNOON'S VISITORS, SWINDON TOWN...

ONE TO REMEMBER

Our last match against the Robins at the Country Ground recalls fantastic memories. On a glorious summer's day Notts fought back from an early goal from former Magpie Matt Ritchie.

Manager Martin Allen gambled and brought on Alan Judge and Lee Hughes, and the changes sparked Notts into life with both substitutes scoring in the closing stages to give the club three vital points, ultimately helping Notts avoid relegation.

Notts frontman Gavin Gordon celebrates his brace in the FA Cup victory over the Robins in 2004



HEAD-TO-HEAD

	NOTTS WINS	DRAWN	SWINDON WINS
League	19	10	21
FA Cup	2	1	3
League Cup	1	0	0
Total	22	11	24

Other games that fans may remember against this afternoon's opponents are the televised FA Cup win in 2004, where striker Gavin Gordon scored a brace, yet you have to delve deeper into the record books for our last emphatic win over the Robins.

In 1974 Notts thrashed Town 4-1 with Don Masson, Les Bradd, and two from Kevin Randall, on target.

Yet the biggest win came in the club's 100th year. In 1962 the Magpies won 5-0 in the League Cup with legendary striker Jeff Astle on target twice in front of 7,012 at Meadow Lane.

ONE TO FORGET

Notts may not have lost since 2004 to Town, but before that there were some stomach-churning hammerings, with 10-man Swindon overcoming Notts in

TODAY'S MASCOTS:

DAIKIN WAYMAN

Age: Six
From: Sneinton
School: Candleby Lane, Cotgrave.
Favourite footballer: Lee Hughes
Hobbies and interests: Karate, golf, rugby, football and bikes.
When I get older I want to be: An oil rigger like my dad.



August 2003, 4-0. There were four different goalscorers too with Matt Hewlett, Tommy Mooney, Sam Parkin and Sammy Igoe all scoring past Steve Mildenhall.

Igoe was later to see red, but they eased to the three points with 25-minutes remaining.

Things were equally red-faced for Notts earlier that year at the County Ground, with a 5-0 humbling. Again striker Parkin was amongst the goals, this time picking up the matchball. He netted his third in the final minute to complete the drubbing.

THE LINK

In both Notts and Swindon squads there are links, notably with Alan Sheehan facing his former employers this afternoon (read his thoughts

THE MAN IN THE MIDDLE

Keith Chapman introduces today's match referee.

Name: Robert Madley
Age: 26
Joined Football League list: 2010
Domestic Appointments: None.

Biography: Madley has been on the Football League list since the 2010-11 season. He refereed his first match between Bury and Port Vale in August 2010. He last refereed Notts County in April 2012 when The Magpies lost 4-2 at home to Bury.

Refereeing Stats: 2012-13:

Games: 13.

Yellow Cards: 32 (2.46 average per game).

Red Cards: 3 (0.23 average per game)

Last Notts County games officiated:

Date	Comp	H/A	Oppo	Score	Y	R
21.4.12	L1	H	Bury	2-4	3	1
27.8.11	L1	A	Preston	0-2	0	0
2.4.11	L1	H	Oldham	0-2	0	1



OPPOSITION: LAST TIME OUT

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SWINDON TOWN 2012-13 SEASON RECORD

Venue	Played	Won	Drawn	Lost	For	Against
Home	10	4 (40%)	3 (30%)	3 (30%)	15	7
Away	9	5 (56%)	2 (22%)	2 (22%)	14	9
Total	19	9 (47%)	5 (26%)	5 (26%)	29	16



Former Notts stopper Steve Mildenhall began his career at Swindon

Robins wideman Matt Ritchie spent a loan spell at Meadow Lane during the Magpies' League 2 Championship-winning season

from page 22), while Matt Ritchie will again face the Magpies after enjoying a short spell on loan at Meadow Lane in 2009, scoring three times in 19 appearances.

Another player who has served both was in action last weekend against Notts. Scunthorpe's on-loan shot-stopper Steve Mildenhall.

He started his career with the Robins and made over 30 appearances before Notts splashed out £150,000 for his services. Not quite making 100 starts for the club, he did score

a famous goal in the League Cup against Mansfield. Sorry Pilks!

Later representing Oldham and Yeovil before making the step up to Championship Millwall, he now plays for the Irons but couldn't do anything about Lee Hughes's brace last Saturday in the 2-2 draw.

Other names that have links between both of today's sides are former Magpie Ian McParland, right-back Stephen Darby and strikers Paul Rideout and Cristian Montano, the latter now with the Irons.



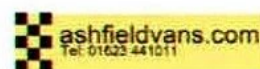
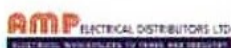


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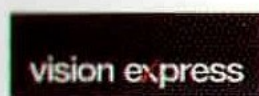
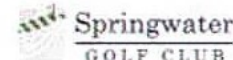
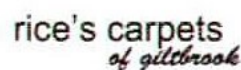
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OPPOSITION PROFILE:

#swindon town

KNOW YOUR ENEMY! HERE'S AN IN-DEPTH LOOK AT OUR VISITORS TO MEADOW LANE TODAY, SWINDON TOWN...



SWINDON EXCELLING WITH DI CANIO'S 'HANDS ON' APPROACH

The County Ground faithful have become accustomed to the touchline theatrics and over exuberance now trademarked by their passionate manager Paolo Di Canio.

So much so that even the most ardent of football traditionalists among the Robins' flock have turned a blind eye to such dug-out histrionics given the flair, swagger and flamboyance the Italian has manufactured into Swindon's play.



A formidable home record has been integral to their success, which saw them seal the League 2 title in style last April with a 5-0 mauling of Port Vale. Since Di Canio was installed in May 2011 only six teams have left Wilshire victorious in all competitions. At one stage they remained unbeaten on their own patch for more than a year.

The Robins have been equally unfazed by the step up this season. Only Leyton Orient and Colchester have escaped the County Ground with narrow victories, with a meagre seven conceded the second best in the division.

Maintaining the bulk of their title-winning class of 2011-12 has proved a masterstroke for Di Canio over the summer. League 2's Player of the Year Matt Ritchie is arguably Championship class, Simon Ferry and captain Alan McCormack are consistent performers and goalkeeper Wes Foderingham has coveted England attention recently.

Bolted on to that resolute core were eight new recruits before their transfer embargo

DID YOU KNOW?

Sir William Patey, Swindon's new chairman, worked as a British ambassador in Sudan, Saudi Arabia and Afghanistan before taking a non-executive director's role at HSBC in Dubai.

Former Notts loanee Matt Ritchie returns to Meadow Lane having helped the Magpies to promotion in 2010

for financial irregularities took effect. Fire-power was added in James Collins and Andy Williams - 12 goals between them this season - Tommy Miller, Alan Navarro and Gary Roberts provide some League 1 know-how, while the impressive Troy Archibald-Henville reinforced the rearguard.

Add a dash of pedigree loanees to the roll call, most recently in Chris Martin and Danny Hollands, and it's not difficult to fathom why Town are the bookmakers third favourites for promotion.

Flourishing under a efficient 4-4-2 formation, they moved into the top six in November following a 2-0 victory at Walsall. However, Di Canio was quick

FORMBOOK: AT A GLANCE

Tue Nov 20	Brentford	H	Lost 0-1
Sat Nov 17	Yeovil	H	Won 4-1
Scorers: Williams 24, Collins 28,90, Ward 43			
Sat Nov 10	Walsall	A	Won 2-0
Scorers: Ferry 1, Ritchie 62			
Tue Nov 6	Sheffield United	H	Drew 0-0
Sat Nov 3	Macclesfield (FAR1)	H	Lost 2-0

MANAGER FOCUS:

The Italian eccentric has proved he's more than just controversial outbursts and touchline antics. **PAOLO DI CANIO** galvanized Swindon to the League 2 title last season in his first management role, and his tactical astuteness, winning mentality and merciless training programmes are working wonders again for the Robins.

A cult hero as a player at Celtic, Sheffield Wednesday and West Ham, the suave 44-year-old was always blessed with ability. More than 530 career appearances, 127 goals, a Serie A title at AC Milan, a UEFA Cup at Juventus and a Goal of the Season scissor kick in 2000 anyone?

His ability in the dug-out doesn't seem too shabby either after being crowned League 2 Manager of the Year after his first campaign.



to pour cold water over any promotion talk.

"We have to be realistic," he downplayed to BBC Wiltshire. "We have done fantastically well. It is a miracle we are near the League 1 play-offs with eight

Former Blackburn and Barnsley full-back Jay McEveley is no stranger to the East Midlands having played in the Premier League with Derby County

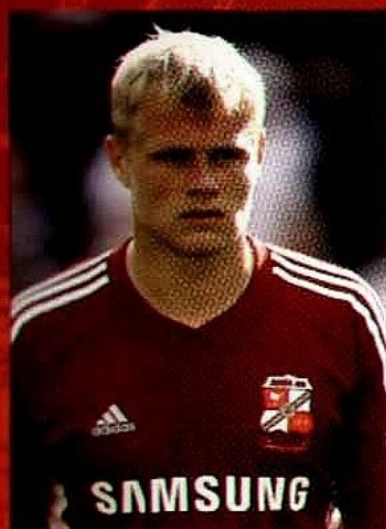
players out injured. We need to be established in League 1 and maybe next year try to go up."

Nevertheless, Town have continued to build on an impressive start which has seen them eliminate Brighton, Stoke and Burnley in domestic cups, yield 17 points from a possible 27 on the road and collect a fifth home victory over Yeovil last weekend.

Reaching third in the table last weekend has still not been enough to satisfy Di Canio though. The Italian labelled his side's goalless draw with Sheffield United "lacklustre", an FA Cup exit to Macclesfield "pathetic" and subsequently wanted a more clinical approach despite putting four past the Glovers.

DID YOU KNOW?:

Swindon were ranked the second most expensive team to watch in League 2 last season, with their lowest priced ticket £19 and their highest £25.



IN NUMBERS

57 seconds it took Simon Ferry to score at Walsall earlier this month

3 Premier League goals from a career total of 109, for Tommy Miller; all for Sunderland during 2005-06

9/1 to take the League 1 title according to bookmakers Coral last summer

19 games on loan for Notts County during 2009-10 for Swindon winger Matt Ritchie

16 years 295 days was the age of John Bostock on his debut for Tottenham in the UEFA Cup

58% winning ratio as manager of Swindon

93 points last season saw Town crowned as League 2 champions, five clear of runners-up Shrewsbury

6 goals conceded at the County Ground during 2011-12 was the best in the division

11th manager in the Robins' hot-seat in the last decade when Paolo Di Canio took the reigns in May 2011

January 2004 was the last time Swindon beat Notts County, seven meetings ago

"I think we need to be more nasty and ruthless because we had many more chances and four goals was not a reflection of the way we were on top for so long," he explained to Sky Sports.

It doesn't take too much to imagine which gesticulations Di Canio used to showcase his displeasure at his players in midweek following a home defeat to Brentford then!

1 WES FODERINGHAM GK

Collecting 10 clean sheets this season has seen the former Crystal Palace shot-stopper, League 2's Golden Glove winner for 2011-12, tipped as a future England Under-21.

2 TROY ARCHIBALD-HENVILLE CB

Uncompromising former Tottenham trainee, the 24-year-old penned a two-year deal with Town in June after more than 100 League outings for Exeter from 2009.

3 JAY McEVELEY LB

Three-time Scotland international with Premier League experience at Blackburn and Derby, the hard-hitting full-back made a loan spell from Barnsley permanent last summer.

4 ADEN FLINT CB

The blood-and-thunder style defender, who captained Alfreton from the Conference North, is available again after a four-match ban having been sent-off against Macclesfield.

5 JOE DEVERA RB/CB

Voted Barnet's Player of the Year during a six-year stint



at Underhill, Di Canio's first acquisition can always be relied upon to put his head in where it hurts.

6 ALAN NAVARRO CM

Promotions with MK Dons and Brighton were the zenith of the midfield fulcrum's career, being released from the Seagulls in June despite 39 Championship outings last season.

8 SIMON FERRY AM

Given freedom to roam, having been set a goals target of seven by Di Canio, the former Celtic midfield schemer and Town favourite took his tally to two at Walsall this month.

9 JAMES COLLINS STR

Republic of Ireland Under-21 who caught the eye with 14 goals in Shrewsbury's League 2 promotion, then impressed Robins' fans with an August hat-trick at Stoke and a brace past Yeovil last weekend.

Ex Former Liverpool trainee Alan Navarro made Swindon his ninth club since leaving Merseyside

Ex Pinxton-born Swindon centre-half Aden Flint began his career at Alfreton Town

OTHERS:

18 Tommy Miller,
19 Louis Thompson,
21 Federico Bessone,
25 Giles Coke,
31 Aaron Oakley,
32 Chris Smith

10 MATT RITCHIE RW

Crowned League 2's Player of the Year in 2011-12 the bustling wideman poses a high-level threat for any defence, the former Notts loanee hitting double figures last season and notching his seventh against Walsall this month.

11 GARY ROBERTS LW

A serial supply line from out wide, the former Huddersfield top scorer and Player of the Year signed off in style by reaching the Championship with the Terriers last season.

12 ALAN McCORMACK CB

Installed as captain after being Swindon's Player of the Year last season, the former Southend and Charlton defender operates with an air of authority at either centre-back or in shielding the back-four.

15 NATHAN THOMPSON RB

Orthodox right-back already on most Premier League scouts' radars, the Academy graduate continued his impressive development with selection in the League 1 Team of the Week a fortnight ago.

16 ANDY WILLIAMS STR

At his deadliest last season in front of goal, top scoring for Yeovil with 17, his Wiltshire move saw a fourth of the campaign arrive last weekend against his former employers.

20 MILES STOREY RW

An impressive October saw the 18-year-old tipped for a bright future after a first senior goal at Stevenage, a League Cup brace against Aston Villa and England Under-19 recognition.

22 DARREN WARD CB

Premier League know-how at Watford, Championship stops at Crystal Palace and

OPPO FAN VIEW:

Town fan **CRAIG KENDALL** talks to #themag about the campaign so far...

How is life under Paolo Di Canio? It's fantastic. He is such a breath of fresh air and he's obviously very charismatic. He is also true to his word and a very passionate man, as we all know! He is a massive asset to the club and I truly believe we could not have a better manager at this time.

What are your true expectations this season? I think mid-table or just inside the play-offs would be a decent season back in League 1. Although, back-to-back promotion would be amazing and we've started well this campaign.

Who should Notts fans be keeping a close eye on today? I'm sure Notts fans will know all about him, but lively winger Matt Ritchie has been outstanding this year. His work rate is second to none and has scored some 'worldies' as well.

Can we push you for a prediction? I've been to Meadow Lane twice before and always lost, so I'm hoping it will be third time lucky! I believe we could sneak it 1-0.



form which saw him total 23 goals in 2009-10 having fallen down the pecking order since August's Premier League outing v QPR.

26 DANNY HOLLANDS CM Midfield anchor on loan from Charlton this month, the former Chelsea trainee spent five years at Bournemouth before promotion to the second-tier with the Addicks.

28 ADAM ROONEY STR Clinical finisher who helped Stoke and Inverness reach their respective top-flights, before Europa League goals for Birmingham, the 24-year-old has registered three strikes while on a season-long loan.

30 LEIGH BEDWELL GK Teenage Academy graduate who enjoyed a first-team run-out last September after coming on as a substitute in a 4-1 defeat at Preston.

33 JOHN BOSTOCK AM Holds the record as the youngest player ever for Crystal Palace and Tottenham, making debuts aged 15 and 16 respectively, and now loaned to a fourth club until January.

Wolves and an FA Cup Final with Millwall have made the 34-year-old loanee's experience essential in Swindon's backline.

23 RAFFAELE DE VITA LW/STR Two elevations in three seasons with Livingston proved the springboard for the former Blackburn trainee to earn a two-year deal with Swindon; collecting a third career promotion last term.

24 CHRIS MARTIN STR Loaned from Norwich until January, the livewire 24-year-old is aiming to replicate the

Frontman Andy Williams arrived at the County Ground in the summer from fellow League 1 outfit Yeovil

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This season's top scorers (all competitions):



Swindon manager Paolo Di Canio's managerial record:



☐ Won: 38/65 = 58%
☐ Drawn: 11/65 = 17%
☐ Lost: 16/65 = 25%

Last five League Placings:

2011-12: 1st League 2 (P)
 2010-11: 24th League 1 (R)
 2009-10: 6th League 1
 2008-09: 16th League 1
 2007-08: 13th League 1

Biggest League wins at Meadow Lane:

December 21, 2001
 Notts County 3
 Swindon Town 1
 October 28, 1995
 Notts County 1
 Swindon Town 3

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BBC RADIO NOTTINGHAM COMMENTATOR, THE VOICE OF NOTTS COUNTY **COLIN SLATER**, TAKES A WALK DOWN MEMORY LANE...



This is an anniversary weekend like no other, even in this historic 150th year.

The best evidence of the date of the founding of this football club points to November 25 which, in 1862, fell on a Tuesday and now, in 2012, occurs tomorrow.

The Nottingham Guardian, a morning newspaper then published in the city, reported: "The opening of the Nottingham Football Club

Jimmy Sirrel, the club's most successful manager, will be the first personality to be inducted into the club's new Hall of Fame, which he will thereby inaugurate

commenced on Tuesday at Cremorne Gardens. A side was chosen by W. Arkwright and Chas Deakin. A very spirited game resulted."

How timely of the club to have arranged a 150th birthday party for next Wednesday (28th) when a cake will be cut and, I trust,



a glass raised to the world's oldest Football League club. There's a lot to remember and to celebrate and we shall no doubt be awash with our own personal memories.

Jimmy Sirrel, the club's most successful manager, will be the first personality to be inducted into the club's new Hall of Fame, which he will thereby inaugurate.

I feel greatly honoured to be invited to speak about Jimmy and it's hoped members of his family will be present to share a great occasion by joining this fitting tribute.

Tommy Lawton's debut for the club was over 65 years ago on November 22, 1947

On the night of the launch of the Lifeline scheme, September 15 1986, it was an unforgettable personal moment to introduce Jimmy from one side of the stage of the Astoria Ballroom and Tommy Lawton from the other - the only time, I believe, these two iconic figures appeared on the same platform.

This week also marked the 65th anniversary of Tommy's home debut for Notts - against Bristol Rovers on November 22 1947. I'm grateful to Dave Drinkwater, of Radcliffe-on-Trent, for kindly supplying me with a copy of the match programme.

It stated: "Lawton's capture [from Chelsea for £20,000] represented the biggest sensation in the history of football. It did much to improve the all-round display of our boys at Northampton. The goal he scored was well worth making the journey to see."

Records show Notts beat Rovers 4-2. Lawton and Jackie Sewell scoring two apiece in front of a crowd of 31,450 - yes, for a game at the League's third tier. Those were the days!



#legends day

NOTTS' GREAT AND GOOD PULLED ON THE **BLACK AND WHITE STRIPES** ONE LAST TIME FOR THE CLUB'S LEGENDS MATCH...

Fans enjoyed a brilliant day last Sunday as former greats and current heroes returned to Meadow Lane for Legends Day.

They were able to meet players such as Jackie Sewell, Tommy Johnson, Ian McParland, Michael Johnson, Brian Stubbs and Phil Turner, while the current first-team squad were also in attendance posing for pictures and signing autographs.

The Legends match was kicked off by former England international Sewell and finished 3-1 with a brace from Tommy Johnson and one from Dean Thomas, with Mark Stallard scoring at the other end. Playwright Billy Ivory blazed a penalty over!

Arguably the funniest highlight of the game was when legendary commentator Colin Slater popped up at the back post to interview goalkeeper Darren Ward during the game!

After the final whistle, a giant inflatable screen was constructed on the pitch as supporters stayed behind to watch a feature-length production named 'Notts County: The Movie'.

The club would like to thank the supporters for attending, all the legends and current players for taking time out to attend and a big thank you to record goalscorer Les Bradd for organising the event.

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Notts legends sign autographs for hundreds of fans

FAN REACTION

f Paul Donaldson Had a great day meeting the legends and the first-team in person! Match was a giggle and the movie was the business!

f Peter Caine The whole day was awesome. I'm man enough to admit I had a tear in my eye at the end of the movie! Thank you so much for making this day such a special one. When you remember so many faces from years ago and see some of them again it makes you realise what a truly fantastic club we have! Proud to be a MAGPIE.

f Neil Hallam Best bit was when Paul Gibbs took to the field to make his Notts County debut. Unfortunately, it will now take us three weeks to stop him bouncing!

f Richard Jarvo Wharmby What a great day. Thoroughly enjoyed it. Even though it got a little cold in the end. Well done to all involved. COYP!



Photography courtesy of Andy Stokes



FAN REACTION

f Dale Rose I had tears in my eyes at the end of the film, so much emotion on display. Wonderful memories of my life as a Magpie. Well done Les Bradd, Colin Slater and all involved in creating the film. And a special thanks to Stubby for having a photo with me. You Pies!

f Mark Nixon Nico Just shows what a great family club we are. There might not have been thousands of people there but a lot of people gave their time and effort to make it a great family day. Thanks to everyone at NCFC.

f Lisa Black Great day. Well done Notts. Good spirited match and a brilliant film.

f Andrew Martin It was fantastic from start to finish, we should definitely do it again.

f Dave Taylor Fantastic day full stop.





PLAYER FEATURE

Sheehan aiming to clip the Robins' wings

MAGPIES FULL-BACK **ALAN SHEEHAN** SPEAKS EXCLUSIVELY TO #themag ABOUT HIS STOP-START SEASON SO FAR AFTER RETURNING FROM INJURY, HIS CAREER ASPIRATIONS AND HIS BURGEONING 'TACHE GROWN IN SUPPORT OF MOVEMBER...

Alan Sheehan has just endured his most frustrating period as a Notts County player, but now he is back in action and aiming to pick up where he left off. The left-back enjoyed a fantastic pre-season and got off to a flying start, only for injuries and suspensions to keep him out of the side.

Sheehan has been a near ever-present in the County starting-XI since arriving at Meadow Lane from today's opponents Swindon Town. In 2011-12, he made 44 appearances, as the Magpies just missed out on the npower League 1 play-offs, and he started every match this season up until the home clash with Shrewsbury Town at the start of September.

The left-back was withdrawn with a hamstring injury against the Shrews and went on to miss nearly a month of action. Then, following an introduction from the bench against Stevenage, he was shown a red card for a deliberate handball.

A further set-back with his hamstring injury and the

form of new recruit, Jordan Stewart, saw him miss more game time. However, a return to full fitness has seen him play 90 minutes in Notts' last two games - draws with Scunthorpe United and Preston North End.

He tells #themag: "It's been frustrating, because I started off the season very well. I was very fit and flying.

“It's a strong squad and we've got more players coming back from injury, but no matter what club you go to, there's always going to be competition”

"Since then, it's been a bit stop-start and I missed a good few weeks. I was just really, really, really buzzing to get back.

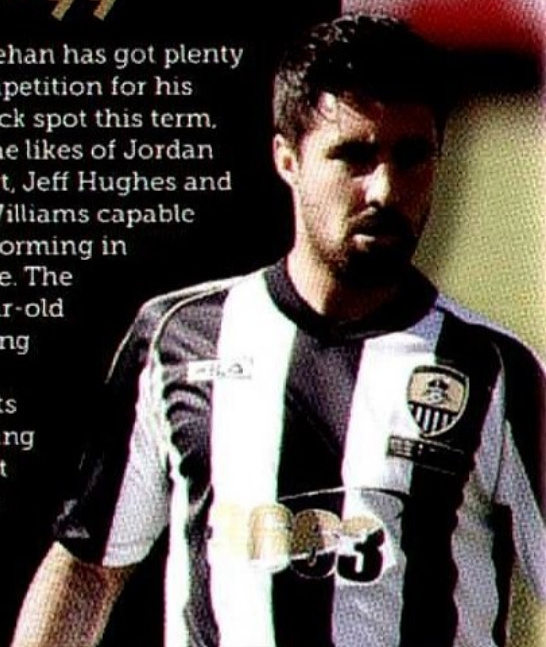
"I'm delighted to be back in, because it's been a frustrating six to eight weeks with injuries and things like that. I've been feeling good, because I've been doing a lot of work in the gym with Leon [Douglas-Martin] and he's kept me in shape.

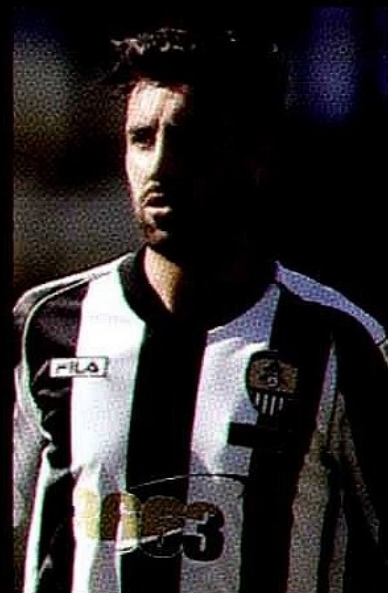
"You can be as fit as you want to be and people can make excuses that they've

had no games and things like that. I've been working really hard on my fitness, even when out injured.

"You've got to take it on the chin really because it's the first injury I've had since I've come here. It was a run of over 50 games I've had for Notts County so it was very frustrating, because I hate being injured."

Sheehan has got plenty of competition for his left-back spot this term, with the likes of Jordan Stewart, Jeff Hughes and Tom Williams capable of performing in the role. The 26-year-old is feeling the benefits of having to fight for his place, as he





knows that the manager will not hesitate in calling upon his team-mates if he does not carry out his role well enough.

He explains: "When I came back and Jordan was in the team, I'd be lying if I said that it wasn't tough watching on from the bench. You're seeing all the boys out there on the pitch and you want to be helping them out.

"You just have to keep doing your part and keep working hard in training. Then it's all about getting your chance as soon as possible.

"There's going to be serious competition for places, because in every position we've got at least one or two that can fill in there. It's going to be good and hopefully it will bring the best out of us.

"It's a strong squad and we've got more players coming back from injury, but no matter what club you go to, there's always going to be competition. We had it last year, we have it this year and there are battles for places all over the pitch.

"It's especially the case in my position. When there's one person doing well, you can't do anything."

Despite a series of injuries throughout the squad, Notts

“ Whatever it takes to get into the next division, I'm ready to do and after last year and the improvements we've made there's no reason why we can't do it ”

have started the campaign well. The Magpies are currently eighth in the table, just one point outside the play-offs.

"To have had these setbacks and still be doing how we are shows again how good the squad is," says Sheehan. "The manager is getting the best out of the players.

"It shows that we want to be up there. We just need to put a run together now to get right back in the mix."

The Irishman is aiming for the automatic promotion places this term but does not mind having to settle for the play-offs, as long as it ends in promotion. He has a score



to settle at Wembley, having missed out on promotion to the Championship on two occasions in the League 1 Play-off Final.

"I was there with Leeds and missed out to a set-piece against Doncaster," he recalls. "Then I was at Swindon and we lost 1-0 to a set-piece to Millwall.

"I've been one set-piece away from being in the Championship. It's frustrating because you get to the end of May and you're left gutted and disappointed the whole summer.

"You come back and play in a division that you feel you should be playing higher than. That's just how it is and

■ The left-back fires towards goal against Bradford City earlier in the season

■ Support Alan and the other Notts boys taking part in November



you've got to get your head around it. I'd prefer not to go to Wembley and just win enough games to get into the automatic promotion places. Whatever it takes to get into the next division, I'm ready to do and after last year and the improvements we've made there's no reason why we can't do it."

Plenty of work has been put in on the training ground but Sheehan has also been doing his bit for charity during November. The defender, along with team-mates Francois Zoko, Manny Smith, Enoch Showunmi and Joss Labadie, has been growing a moustache as part of Movember.

"There's a few of us doing it for Movember for Prostate Cancer," he says. "I'm a firm believer in all of that stuff so I'm just trying to do my little bit."

"It's okay and you don't take yourself too seriously but it's all for a good cause. The money is going to a good place and I would encourage supporters to get behind us."

To support Sheez and the rest of the Magpies' Movember team, visit: <http://uk.movember.com/nl/team/569621>



FANS' QUESTIONS:

Phil Clarke: Where were your tattoos done and what was your first and why? I got them done at a place called Body Craft in Nottingham. They've got a guy called Justin there and he's done all my tattoos. They're all quite religious and have a bit of meaning to me.

Elaine Gardner: If you could relive one day of your life which one would it be and why? It would probably be the day I got my first professional goal, for Leicester against Watford. We beat them 4-1 and I scored a free-kick at home. It was one of the best feelings ever.

jj @aliceeisbell: What's the best and worst ground you've played at and why? The best I've probably played at is Wembley, because it's Wembley and an amazing stadium. The worst ground off the top of my head is probably Accrington Stanley in the cup.

kimbo x @kwalster1862: Who do you room with on away games? And who's your best friend at Notts? (You can only pick one!) I room with Jeff Hughes but I probably couldn't pick a best friend at Notts, as we're such a close bunch of lads. I get on very well with my car school of Deano, Boucs, Jamal, there's too many to choose from.

Steve Charvill: If you could pick one player to play alongside, who would it be and why? Probably Roy Keane, because he's my hero. I looked up to him and it would be a dream to play with a player like him.

Dave Straw @DaveStraw: You've come back into the changing rooms after training and someone's nabbed your shoes. Who's prime suspect? Bish or Judgey, although Dean Leacock is trying to split up our car school so I can imagine him trying to stir something up.

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AFTER ZLATAN IBRAHIMOVIC'S STUNNER AGAINST ENGLAND EARLIER THIS MONTH, WE ASKED NOTTS FANS ON OUR SOCIAL NETWORK PAGES WHAT'S THE BEST NOTTS GOAL THEY'VE SEEN?

f Ben Shepherd Great question... O'Riordan v Spurs, Tommy Johnson v Brighton and Lee Hughes has scored some crackers, but I'm going for an unexpected piece of skill from Richard Liburd v Wigan.



Richard Liburd

f Alan Coulthard Ian Scanlon's solo goal against Oldham at Christmas 1975. He dribbled past three defenders in the penalty area before stroking the ball past the keeper. It was the fifth goal in a 5-1 drubbing!

t Simon Patrick @sjp_magpie Richard Liburd's volley against Wigan in FA Cup in 2000 was pretty special!

f David Worrall Don O'Riordan v Spurs FA Cup quarter-final 1991. A free-kick looked to be going out but took a wicked spin at the end to end up in top right hand corner. Classic! COYP

f Ian Gibbons My personal favourite has to be Neal Bishop's against Manchester City. It wasn't a wonder goal but to be 1-0 up against the world's richest team was brilliant. It's the most mental I've ever gone!

t Stefan Milek @stefanmilek A Mark Draper volley from a Dean Thomas cross v Sunderland when we had to win to stay up. Mick Walker, legend.

f Andy Burton Chris Short's against Newcastle I think. He ran down the wing from the halfway line then cut inside, past half the team, then bang!

t The Groundhopper @StickyPalms Gordon Mair's sublime effort away at Ipswich. Forget the year, maybe 1981. 3-1 #notts

f Alex West Anyone remember Mark Stallard's cheeky nutmeg through the keepers legs away at Cheltenham. I think we won 4-1. That goal summed him up. An elegant genius!

t Andrew Flanagan @andrewflan99 John Chiedozie against Boro FA Cup 1984 winning goal! What a run!

t Matthew Taylor @Matthew_Taylor Hughesy v Rochdale. Effectively a title-winning goal. Gave us the edge.



Mark's goal against City in the FA Cup



#match action

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NOTTS COUNTY CRAWLEY TOWN

Attendance: 5,685
(308 away supporters)

Notts were disappointed not to have taken maximum points from their npower League 1 meeting with promotion rivals Crawley Town a fortnight ago.

The Magpies dominated the vast majority of the 90 minutes but had to settle for a 1-1 draw.

Notts' first-half display included some of the team's best attacking football of the season and they fully deserved to take the lead when fine work by Jamal

1 Campbell-Ryce allowed Neal Bishop to net his fifth goal of the campaign - his second inside a week.

The Magpies continued to carve Crawley open but went into the break on level terms. Former Notts loanee Jonathan Forte popping up at close-range in the final minute of the half to restore parity.

In the second period, County struggled to dominate their opponents in the same manner as the first-half, but still created enough chances to win the game.

Lee Hughes came off the bench to go close with a stern



Andre Boucaud drives out of midfield

header and Yoann Arquin was denied by a tremendous save late on. Notts threw bodies forward in the closing stages but Crawley held on for a point.

Starting Line-up: Bialkowski, Liddle, Leacock, D Stewart, J Hughes, Bishop (c), Judge, Boucaud, Campbell-Ryce (Showunmi 88), Arquin, Zoko (L Hughes 72).

Unused subs: Mitchell, Sheehan, Mahon, Labadie, Williams.

FAN REACTION

Lee Scott @wombboy

Just wasn't our day today, can't fault the effort from all the lads though. Got to keep the faith, it'll come good! #COYP



Russell Smith Two points dropped but keep perspective. We are a good team, better than last season, keep backing the squad and manager!

PLAYER REACTION

Neal Bishop @04NBisho

Very hard to take, we should of been out of sight at half-time. It will come, supporters were great and stayed with us all the way, much appreciated.

Dean Leacock @DeanoLeacock

Hard to take a draw today. Played some nice stuff. Nuff love to the fans who stayed with us all the way.

SCUNTHORPE UTD 2 NOTTS COUNTY 2

Attendance: 4,553
(795 away supporters)

Notts' fine run of form away from home continued at Glanford Park last weekend, as Keith Curle's men claimed a battling point with Scunthorpe United in npower League 1.

The Iron piled on the early pressure and it was Mark Duffy who instigated the move that led to the home side's opener. Cutting in from the right, he found the overlapping run of Christian Ribeiro who charged into the box at an angle before finishing well across Bartoz Bialkowski's goal.

Notts responded on 34 minutes when Andre Boucaud delivered a sublime crossfield ball that Alan Judge did well to bring down before delivering a perfect cross for Lee Hughes.

The veteran striker making no mistake at the third time of asking, heading home to make it 1-1.

However, the hosts were in bouyant mood and another low delivery from the right found Damien Mozika in space on the edge of the six-yard box. Although Bialkowski did well to get a hand to the shot, he could only divert it across the face of goal and into the back of the net for Scunthorpe's second before half-time.

Notts were not prepared to give up their record-breaking unbeaten run without a fight though. Hughes found himself in the right place at the right time late on as Alan Sheehan's cross flashed across goal.

Hughes shaped his body well to lash home from close range to secure a hard-fought point while extending Notts' unbeaten away run to 18 games.

FAN REACTION

Ben Blyth @magpieben

My Man of the Match was @garyliddle4 by far! Quality tackles and an attacking mind helped get a decent result today! #Class

Matt Jesson @MattJesson94

Great achievement by @Official_NCFC to extend the unbeaten away record to 18. Entertaining game, shame we couldn't pinch it late on. #COYP

PLAYER REACTION

Gary Liddle @garyliddle4

Fans were great again today, stuck with us until the end. A little disappointing to come away with a draw after such a good performance...

Alan Judge @10judgey

Enjoyed the game today, unlucky not to win... great support by the fans as always!

Starting Line-up: Bialkowski, Sheehan, Leacock, D Stewart (Labadie 73), Liddle, Bishop, Judge, Boucaud, Campbell Ryce (Arquin 31), J Hughes (Zoko 83), L Hughes.

Unused subs: Mitchell, Mahon, Bencherif, Showunmi.

Lee Hughes lashes home to claim a point for the Magpies

Scunthorpe's Mark Duffy feels the force of Gary Liddle's tackle





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PRESTON NE NOTTS COUNTY

Attendance: 8,013
(212 away supporters)

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The Magpies made it 19 games unbeaten on the road with a hard-fought point at Deepdale, despite being reduced to 10-men.

Notts frustrated Preston North End with a resolute display and fully deserved a share of the spoils.

Preston dictated much of the opening 45, generating a number of good openings. Akpo Sodje should have scored with a 13th-minute header and Bartosz Bialkowski denied Nicky Wroe on numerous occasions.

A rare mistake by the County number one led to the home side's best opportunity of the half. However, a remarkable



headed clearance by Gary Liddle kept his side on even terms going into the break.

Notts enjoyed more possession in the second-half but were unable to seriously test Steve Simonsen in the home goal. Notts also managed to

FAN REACTION

f Gary Brown Great point! Alas all these draws are slowly dropping us down the table - come on Notts let's get that winning feeling back NOW! COYP

Simon Patrick @sjp_magpie Great away point for @Official_NCFC must have parked the bus!

PLAYER REACTION

Joss Labadie @josslabadie Decent enough point away from home. Hope Laird has a speedy recovery #COYP

Dean Leacock @DeanoLeacock Great support tonight. Nuff love to fans who travelled. Game ended not in a great way. Hope their player makes a speedy recovery. My boy jam would never mean to do stuff like that.

Jeff Hughes tackles Preston captain John Welsh

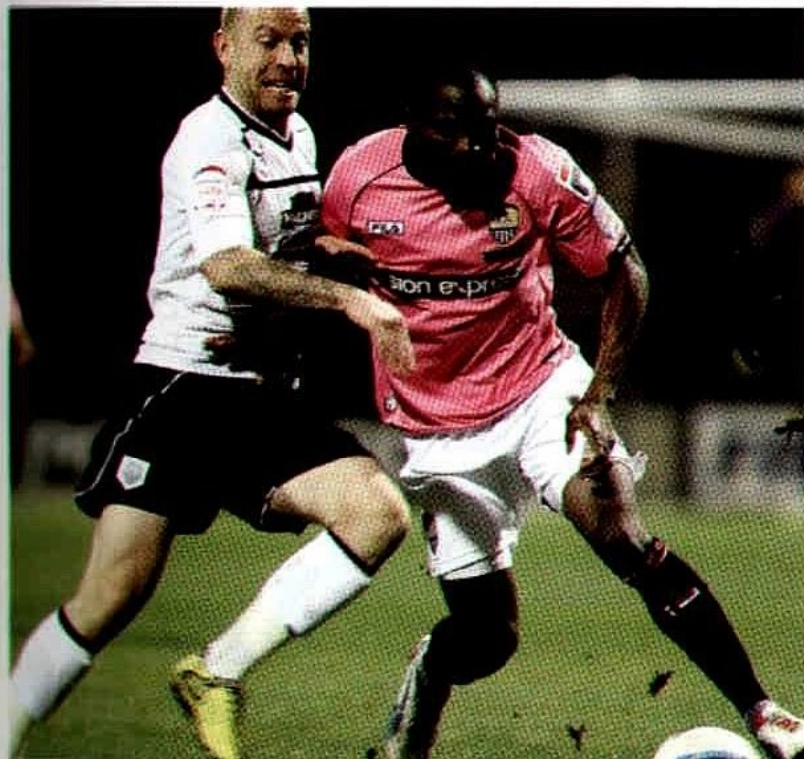
Francois Zoko takes on the Preston defence

Tempers flair between the two sides

restrict Preston's advances late on, despite Jamal Campbell-Ryce seeing red on 94minutes.

Starting Line-up: Bialkowski, Sheehan, Leacock, Regan, Bishop, Liddle, Judge (Labadie 87), J Hughes, Boucaud, Zoko (Campbell-Ryce 61), Arquin (L Hughes 61).

Unused subs: Mitchell, Kelly, Mahon, Showunmi.





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#getting to know...

JEFF HUGHES

IN THIS AFTERNOON'S EDITION WE GET UP CLOSE AND PERSONAL WITH THE MAGPIES' ULSTERMAN MIDFIELDER JEFF HUGHES...

TEAM YOU SUPPORTED AS A BOY?

Glasgow Rangers. It was either Rangers or Celtic where I lived. I also watched Kevin Pilkington at Manchester United. He was my hero!

WHAT'S CURRENTLY ON YOUR IPOD?

I don't really listen to music before games. I would say Deano's (Dean Leacock) music is awful, this Drake music he plays. I love the old school stuff, like Living Joy.

GOALS FOR THE SEASON?

Hopefully we get promoted. That's the aim. I also want to get in double figures in the scoring stakes, I'm currently on three.

WHAT WAS THE LAST FILM YOU WATCHED?

I saw the Immortals on Sky, that was alright. It passed a few hours.

GROWING UP, WHO WAS YOUR IDOL AND PERSON YOU LOOKED UP TO?

It's got to be George Best. Everyone back in Ireland was mad for him. Everyone loved him, he was everyone's hero. I've collected a few bits and pieces, including shirts and a bank-note with his face on. I've got two of them and there were only around a 1,000 produced.



George Best

WHO WAS YOUR TOUGHEST OPPONENT?

Adrian Mutu, the former Chelsea striker. It was one of my first games for Northern Ireland and he took the mick out of me a bit!

WHAT BOOTS DO YOU WEAR?

Last week was the first time I'd ever worn Nike boots. I've always had Predators previously but I don't like the light plastic ones so I've changed. The Nikes are a bit thicker, which I prefer.

BEST MATE IN FOOTBALL?

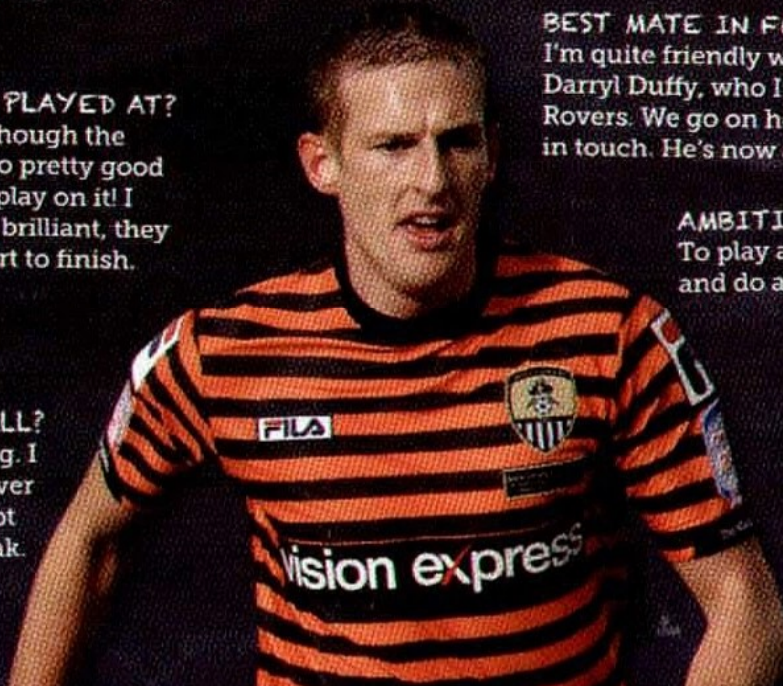
I'm quite friendly with a Scottish lad called Darryl Duffy, who I played with at Bristol Rovers. We go on holidays together and keep in touch. He's now at Cheltenham.

BEST GROUND YOU'VE PLAYED AT?

It's got to be Juventus', although the Amsterdam Arena was also pretty good although I didn't actually play on it! I just warmed up. Juve was brilliant, they treated us so well from start to finish.

WHAT ADVICE WOULD YOU GIVE A PLAYER LOOKING TO PLAY PROFESSIONAL FOOTBALL?

I would say just keep trying. I thought my chance was over when I turned 19, but I kept going and got a lucky break. Just keep trying.



AMBITION IN YOUR CAREER?

To play as many games as I can and do as well as I can.

BEST HOLIDAY DESTINATION?

I went to Portugal with the kids and my family. I really enjoyed it. It was the Algarve and it was so relaxing. A lovely villa where the kids could run about.

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#loan watch

WITH THE LOAN WINDOW CLOSING ON THURSDAY #THEMAG LOOKS INTO THE LATEST DEALINGS IN THE MARKET.

Defender Krystian Pearce continues to get plenty of game time at Barnet, making 15 appearances and scoring once.

Since re-locating to Underhill the centre-back has achieved five clean sheets, but the Bees are still rock bottom of the Football League.

Barnet FC Director of Football, Paul Fairclough, told the Bees' website: "Pearce has the qualities we're looking for to complement the players we already have here. I believe he's a player with enormous potential who'll go on to play at a really high level."

Other Notts youngsters learning their trade away from Meadow Lane are Greg Tempest and Curtis Thompson at Ilkeston FC, managed by former Magpie Kevin Wilson.

The former Northern Ireland international told their website: "Curtis offers us cover for a number of positions. It's no secret that I've been looking to strengthen our squad and hopefully he'll come in and make the same sort of impact that Greg has done."

The loan-window closed on Thursday, before going to print, so make sure you visit



www.nottscountyfc.co.uk to see if there was any late transfer activity.

Manager Keith Curle was tight-lipped earlier this week saying: "Everyone knows our search for players is ongoing."

"We're always on the lookout for any player we think we can bring into the club to improve us."

"But we need to free up a little bit of space in the budget, so there might be some movement in the other direction as well if we get the right offer. Squad-wise we're not bad, but we still need two, probably three, players."

Meanwhile, goalkeeper Liam Mitchell is back at Meadow Lane, Ashley Eastham has returned to

Krystian Pearce, Greg Tempest and Tyrell Waite are all playing regularly out at their respective loan clubs

Photo Credit: Robbie Stephenson (Greg Tempest) Action Images (Krystian Pearce) Dan Westwell (Tyrell Waite)

Blackpool after Ian Holloway's move to Crystal Palace recently and Tyrell Waite has had his loan extended at Nuneaton.

Midfielder Andre Boucaud will be hoping to make his Magpies loan from Luton permanent in the New Year.

PLAYERS' VIEWS

Greg Tempest @Gregtempest

Good to get 90 minutes today, really enjoyed it. Good draw, good set of lads and on to the next game!

Tyrell Waite @TWaite17

Great result for the boys and a great performance! #ITakeThat

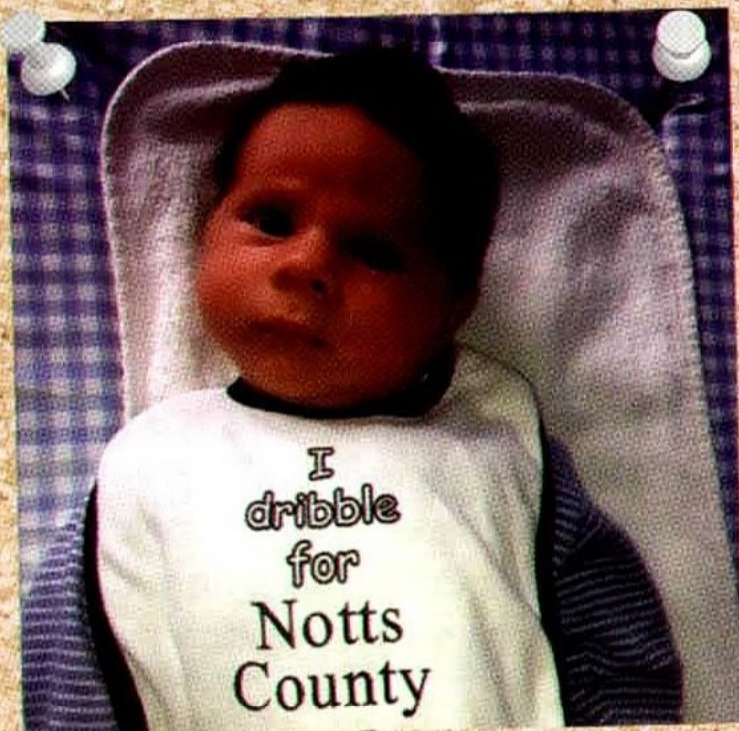


#direct messages

GOT SOMETHING YOU WANT TO SHARE? EACH WEEK WE WILL BE LOOKING TO **SEE YOUR PHOTOS AND HEAR YOUR STORIES**...

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HERE'S A SELECTION OF THE BEST MESSAGES WE'VE RECEIVED RECENTLY...



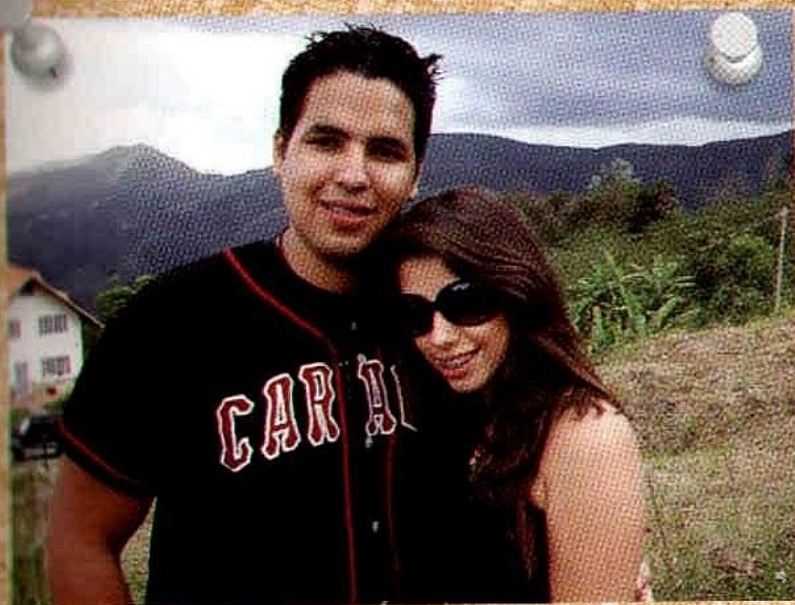
Thanks to @richyfoster who tweeted us a photo of his new-born son **Isaac Hudson Foster** before the Colchester game. Born on October 17 during our Johnstone's Paint Trophy defeat to Sheffield United young Hudson has kept Rich company whilst listening to every Notts game since! The proud dad told #themag: "He's really looking forward to his first game and he loves his Notts bib! C'mon you Pies!"



Thanks to Dad **Chris Cotton** for emailing this photo of his son, **Charlie**, who won tickets for a Forest game. He told #themag: "As much as I wanted to throw them straight into the bin, I thought it best to go along and hope that they would lose! Here he is pictured with his sister **Millie**, showing where their loyalties lie!"



Welcome to the world **Riley Jack Harris**. His proud parents emailed the Media Team to say: "Our young Magpie, seven-weeks old from Mummy Vikki and Daddy Adam from Loughborough."



Welcome to **Luis Mijares** who is attending his first ever English football match. The 26-year-old from Venezuela supports FC Carabobo, but is attending Meadow Lane today after hearing all about us from his auntie's husband **Tony Emslie**, who he is with today. Luis is looking forward to watching Lee Hughes and Neal Bishop in action after seeing footage of the game against Manchester City last season. We hope you have a fantastic day!



Thanks to father **Mike Black** who let us know that two of our season ticket holders have recently climbed Mount Snowdon to raise money for Nottingham Regional Society for Adults & Children with Autism. **Dan Black** and his Grandad **Neville Brown** raised between them £313, with a few thousand pounds expected to be raised in total from the trip as there were some 30 people on the climb. The club would like to congratulate the pair. COYP!



Thanks to **Martin Kaye** who is one of the Movember Magpies! He told #themag: "I decided to do Movember because it's an easy and funny thing to do to raise money for charity. I will shave it off, but only so I can grow it for next year's Movember!" If you are taking part this month we would love to hear from you!



Pictured is **Ciaran** who is Youth Team player **Jack Golding's** little brother. Andrew McNamara told the #themag: "Since Jack joined Notts from Everton, Ciaran has become a massive County fan! And he's looking forward to watching his brother one day playing in the first-team."



#massively proud of them all

THE MAGPIES' NEXT GENERATION TOOK TO THE FAMOUS MEADOW LANE TURF THIS WEEK TO FACE GRIMSBY IN THE MIDLAND YOUTH CUP...

The Notts Youth Team marched into the semi-finals of the Midland Youth Cup after topping the group and beating Grimsby Town 2-1 at Meadow Lane on Monday night.

After falling behind in the first-half, the team rallied round and scored twice in the second period from an own-goal and a long distance strike from Romello Nangle to take them into the next stage.

A delighted Youth Team Coach Brett Adams told #themag: "We stuck to the game plan in the second-half. We were poor in the first-half

and we asked them to press on high up the pitch, as it got us the ball back and helped us create chances.

"Some of the football in the second-half was as good as we've been this season. I am massively proud of all of them.

"The lads are celebrating like they've won the World Cup. It means a lot to them to win here at Meadow Lane, in front of the fans and the management team.

"They should enjoy it and have feelings like that. They've worked hard for it and good things happen when you work for it.

FAN REACTION

f James Spring A home win! Well played lads. Always watch their highlights on MP and there looks to be some great talent in the team.

f Richard Davies Well done Notts, great performance coyp

f Adrian Jukes Well done lads. You Pies!

PLAYER REACTION

MalachiLavelle-Moore @MalachiLM33 Big respect to all my boys and fans that came tonight! Buzzing @Official_NCFC

Harry Andrews @HarryAndrews96 Delighted to have won tonight, our season has turned right around! @Official_NCFC #YouthTeam #youpies



The two teams emerge onto the Meadow Lane pitch



Substitute James Randall in action

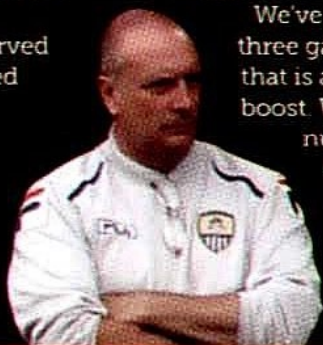


#we deserved it

HEAD OF YOUTH **MICK LEONARD** WAS PLEASED WITH THE PERFORMANCE. HE SPOKE TO **#THEMAG** AFTER THE FINAL WHISTLE...

It was great for the boys to come and play on the pitch. A great experience for them and they came away from the game with the right result.

I think we deserved it overall. We upped the tempo in the second-half with our passing and closed them down, they are a good side but we deserved it.



It was a great finish from Romello to win it and we got a little bit of luck with the equaliser, but we needed that to give us that boost.

We've won the last three games now and that is a big confidence boost. We've lost a number of games this season by the odd-goal, but we got the luck and the result.



NOTTS LINE-UP:

Andrews, Campbell, Simmones, Crust, McGowan, Geldenhuys, Kenlock (Lavelle-Moore), Hodge, Bange (Randle), Dixon (Guest), Nangle.
Subs: Clarke, Guy.

Substitute Malachi Lavelle-Moore's free-kick goes just wide in the closing stages

(Top) The management team - Colin West, Chris Kiwomya and Keith Curle - watch on

Kieran Geldenhuys makes a nuisance of himself at a corner

"It gave the team a chance to play in front of the supporters in a stadium environment and the squad was chuffed with the support they gave.

"I would also like to give a massive thanks to all the supporters, friends and families that have come down. We are so appreciative. It means so much to us. Hopefully they will see what we are doing with a very young team and push them in the Development Squad to continue their progression.

"I'm excited to see who we get in the semi-finals, hopefully we can get another home fixture here again at Meadow Lane. It was a hugely positive night."

The youth team have one more game before Christmas, as they make the short trip to Chesterfield on December 8 for an 11am kick-off.





#football in the community

NOTTS COUNTY'S AWARD-WINNING **FOOTBALL IN THE COMMUNITY** TEAM ARE ALWAYS ON THE ROAD, SEE WHAT THEY'VE BEEN UP TO THIS WEEK...

WORKING WITH THE FA'S PLAYER DEVELOPMENT CENTRE

Every Tuesday evening our coaches kit up to head to the Disability Player Development Centre (PDC) at Nottingham's Power League to provide footballers between the ages of 12 and 16 with high quality coaching to develop their skills, technique and to open pathways into regional squads.

The PDC programme works with 10 to 16-year-olds who

have a range of mental and physical disabilities including ADHD, visually impairment, special educational needs and Cerebral Palsy.

"The focus of the PDC is on individual player development and the development of technique in young players" to quote the FA.

We spoke to Lead Coach Tom Curson about what it's like to coach at the PDC:

Introduce yourself and what your role is when coaching at the PDC.

My name is Tom Curson and I'm a Lead Coach at FITC and at the Player Development Centre.

What experience do you have and how does this help you when coaching?

Over my 10 years of being at Notts County I've worked with a variety of participants with various issues. So this helps when any difficult situations arise. I'm Lead Coach on our two mental health projects, 'Goals for Life' and 'On the Ball', so I'm very experienced in working with individuals that may occasionally display challenging behaviour.

Tell us about the kind of difficulties the players at the PDC face, personally and in the footballing community.

Some players have no open or clear pathway so the PDC helps them find their pathway in terms of what level they should be playing at.

How do you think programmes like the PDC benefit the players there?

The benefits are fantastic for the players as it gives



Tom Curson - Lead Coach for Football in the Community



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them excellent coaching opportunities to help them improve their playing ability.

If you find a really talented player, how easy is it for them to get into a regional club and play in a league?

When talented players are in a position to take the next step they are passed through the regional squad and to the England Player Development Centre.

How does coaching at the PDC differ then from coaching on other FITC projects?

Coaching at the PDC differs from general day-to-day coaching because the players all have their own specific needs, which need to be respected, so that they can move forward not only on the football pitch but away from football as well.

What do you enjoy about coaching at the PDC?

The thing I enjoy most is seeing the participants grow in confidence, giving them the self-belief that they can achieve their goals.

How does it benefit you as a coach?

The benefits are simple; it puts a smile on my face.

For more information about the Disability Player Development Centre or about how to get involved please contact Kev Sanders on 0115 9837406. You can also visit www.nottinghamshirefa.com/more/player-development-centre



Tom instructs a young girl with Autism during our Launch Day in the Square

FC AFRICA

Support the Notts County FC Africa Education Programme - Buy a £1 Raffle Ticket at the Swindon Match.

There are two signed Notts County Footballs and 2013 Calendars up for grabs.

The students from Football in the Community's FC Africa need to raise £800 each to embark on a 3 month long trip that will benefit children living in Burkina Faso Africa who otherwise wouldn't receive any football training or sports coaching.

Raffle tickets will be on sale at the entrance of each stand and in the Meadow Lane Sports Bar from 1:30pm on Saturday 24th November.

The winning numbers will be picked out at Half Time by a Notts County Player.

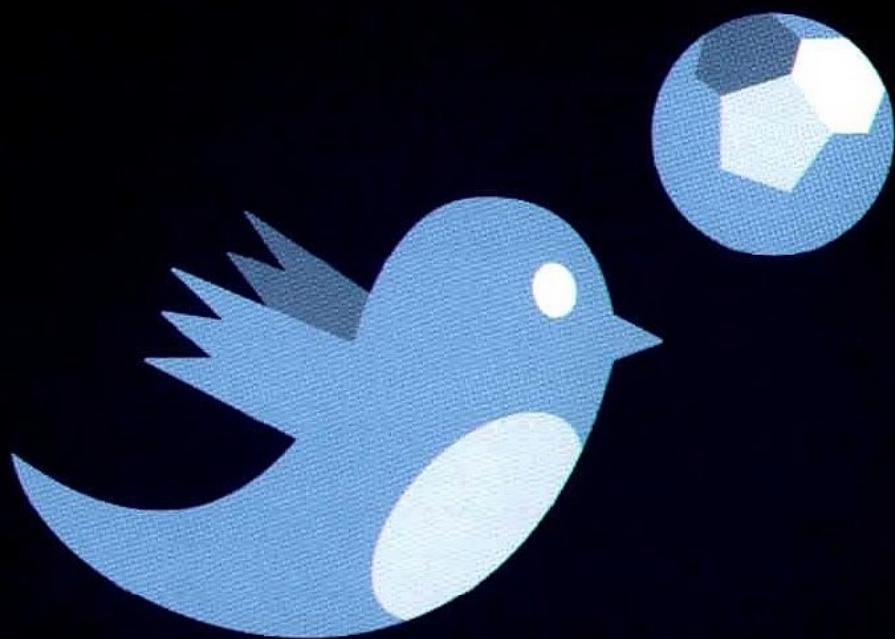
If anyone would like to make a donation there will be a bucket collection after the game.



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FUTSAL MATCH REPORT

NOTTS COUNTY 2 CREWE ALEXANDRA 3

The Futsal Pies lost their first game of the season 3-2 at the hands of Crewe despite taking an early lead.

The squad was threadbare, however they gained the lead in the third minute through some intricate passing and the ball was eventually drilled in to the bottom corner by Dillon Tideswell.

The majority of the first-half was scrappy with both sides taking few shots at goal. Yet Crewe managed to work an opening and force temporary keeper Sam Raynor into a great double save.

At the start of the second-half Notts made a change, as Sam Raynor went outfield switching with Dillon Tideswell. This seemed to have the desired effect as Sam went on a couple of charging runs through the centre, forcing the Crewe defence to block both shots.

Five minutes into the second-half Sam turned provider for Faizan Bukhari who put his shot over the bar.


However, Notts were made to pay for their missed chances as Crewe scored twice in as many minutes. Then eight minutes from time, a mistake from Kasmin Akhtar allowed the same Crewe player to bag his hat-trick.

Despite staring defeat in the face Notts responded well, scoring two minutes later as Kasmin redeemed himself, playing a through ball to Faizan who slotted home to make it 3-2.

It became frustrating for the Futsal Pies in the closing stages though as they continued to press for an equaliser. They came close after a great through ball from Aadam Ahmed put Sam one-on-one with the keeper, but he struck the post and Faizan fired the loose rebound agonisingly wide to end the game 3-2.

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Team B: Notts County v WBA

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Our two teams play in the Futsal league run by the TVS Education and Football League Trust.

We are now recruiting for next year's September 2013 Futsal programme. For more information contact Martin Carruthers on 0115 955 7215 or to see the Futsal league visit www.tvseducation.com/futsal



Education Manager Martin Carruthers hopes to lead the team to the top of the league



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This resulted in the ethos of the club being to provide healthy recreation for children and adults of all abilities.

The Riverside Royals Under-9s team perform on Saturday mornings in the Young Elizabethan League. They have been managed by Darren Tabbott for three seasons and this is their first season under competitive conditions. Currently the team have won seven of their eight games and are top of their division, with two games remaining.

The boys are very excited about the prospect of playing at Meadow Lane today and would like to thank Notts County FC for this fantastic opportunity.

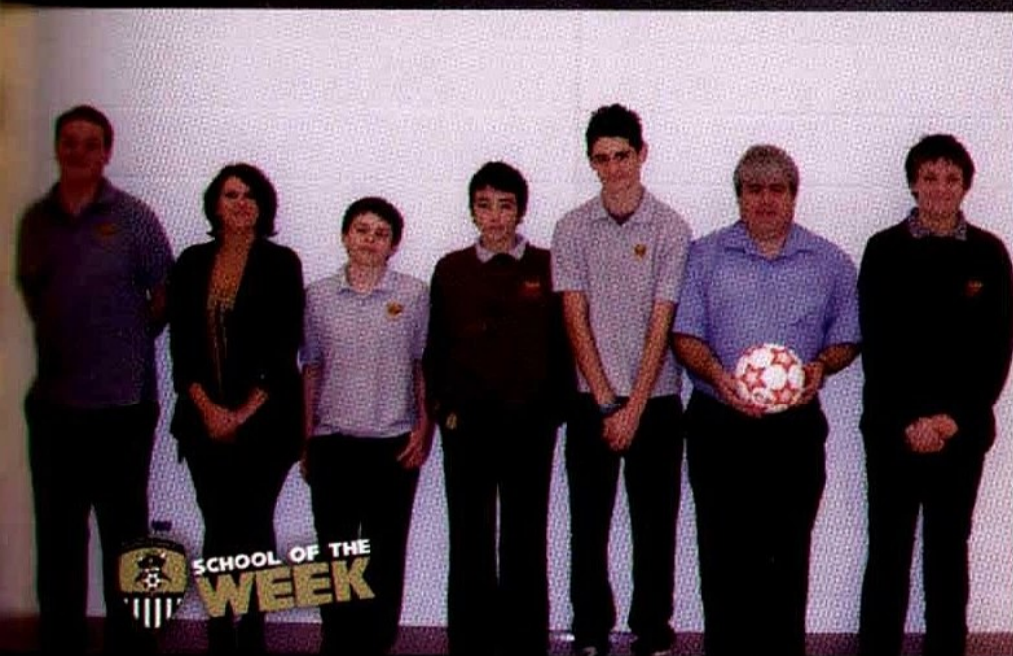
Riverside Royals Under-9s are just one of 29 teams in Riverside FC that cater for both



girls and boys, operating Under-5 teams up to adult sides.

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■ This week's half-time team, Riverside Football Club




SCHOOL OF THE WEEK

The Phoenix School from Grantham are this afternoon's 'School of the Week', led by Teacher Darren Taxis.

Darren said the school are delighted to be visiting Meadow Lane: "Our pupils are excited to be here to support Notts County for the first time, as part of an ongoing partnership with the Magpies. We come in great spirits for the day and plan to get right behind the team, with hopefully a good story to take back into school on Monday."

For full details, your school can contact matthew.lawson@nottscountyfc.co.uk

'School of the Week' is having a Winter 2012 Draw, watch closely for details

The background of the entire advertisement is a photograph of two large stadium floodlights at night. The lights are illuminated, creating a bright, starry pattern against a dark blue, cloudy sky. The floodlights are positioned on tall, dark metal towers. The overall mood is dramatic and anticipatory.

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A GAME OF TWO HALVES

There has been much hype about the 'Kick Racism out of Football' campaign which we actively support in our 'A Game of Two Halves' sessions.

Earlier in the year we were invited to the inaugural Football League meeting at Villa Park on equality, held by 'Kick It Out' and were one of the strong voices present. At Notts County we do not tolerate racism of any kind

and promote equality in a number of ways. We have won the Family Excellence award for the last two years running and actively support the 'Women in Sport' campaign.

Recently we were invited back to the second 'Kick It Out' meeting at Leicester City FC, which involved youngsters giving their views. Matt Lawson, Community Officer who attended on

behalf of the club, explained: "Notts County are a leader on this issue and we attend the meetings to put over our perspective and how we try to inspire local people in Nottingham."

"Issues of equality are still a huge problem in football today and if we can play a part in making a future fair for all then we should continue to do all we can."



School of the Week also promotes equality





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LIFELINE WINNERS: WEEK 9

You might notice one familiar face in the latest list of Lifeline winners. Director Aileen Trew being drawn out to collect £100!

She told supporters that you've of course got to be in it to win it! She also explained on Twitter, @poundpie, that she recently signed up for a second membership number.

If you wanted to double your chances simply visit Lifeline Co-ordinator Lynn Lawson in the Club Shop today. Far-away Magpie Alex Young was also among last

week's winners, and remember you can sign up to Lifeline even if you are overseas.

Sign up this afternoon to help the club and win yourself some cash.

NOT LONG UNTIL THE CHRISTMAS PARTY

We are now just three weeks away from the annual Lifeline Christmas Party. The evening is sold-out as members quickly snapped up tickets for the hugely popular event.

Supporters will be entertained by a disco and



■ Director Aileen Trew was amongst this week's Lifeline winners

■ (Top) Members are counting down the days until the annual Lifeline Christmas Party

highly-rated comedian John Martin, while enjoying a delicious three-course festive meal. The party will be held in the 1862 Suite with the event starting at 7pm.

LOOK OUT FOR ANOTHER LIFELINE AUCTION

As many of the Lifeline members who attended the Legends Day will have seen, the scheme gathered autographs on a retro Tommy Lawton shirt from the legends that attended.

The online auctions have proved popular this season with matchworn shirts and signed items fetching hundreds of pounds.

All proceeds from the latest offering to supporters go to Lifeline, so look out for details of the next auction on the Official Site very soon.

LIFELINE: HAVE YOU WON A GRAND?

HERE ARE THE LATEST LIFELINE WINNERS FOR WEEK 9

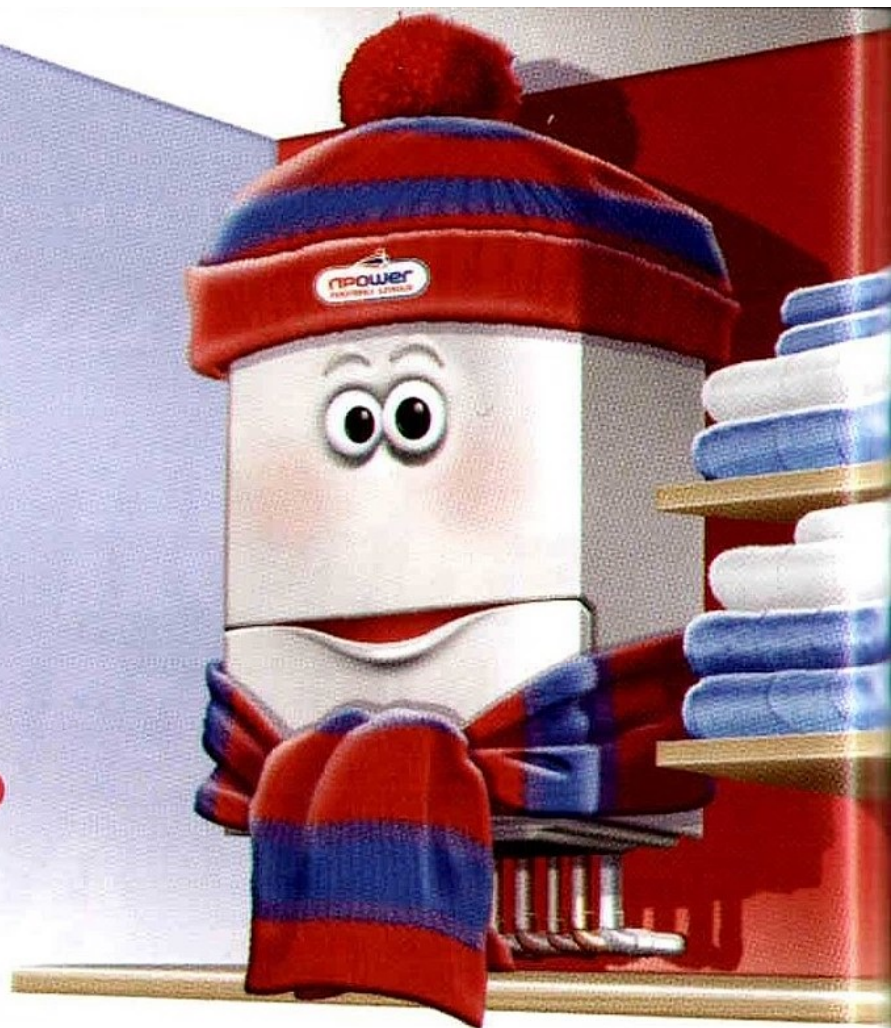
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#retail news

KITTING FANS OUT IN THE LATEST NOTTS COUNTY MERCHANDISE, DON'T MISS THE DEALS FROM **THE CLUB SHOP...**



WHAT SHALL WE CALL HIM?

One product that is proving a big hit this winter is the club's new Notts gnome!

Naming the mini ceramic Magpie has proved a sensation on the club's Facebook and Twitter pages, with many supporters coming up with names.

Simon Jarvis's suggestion of "Gnome Win!" has proved popular while David Raif Bailey's little poem posted on the club's official Facebook page put forward the name Morris Micklewhite.

David said: "The marvellous Magpie who kicks with his right, the opposition just shiver with fright, he's the best away or home, he's the best ever little gnome!"



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Christmas gifts galore can be found in this year's official Notts County catalogue, available to pick up in the Club Shop today.

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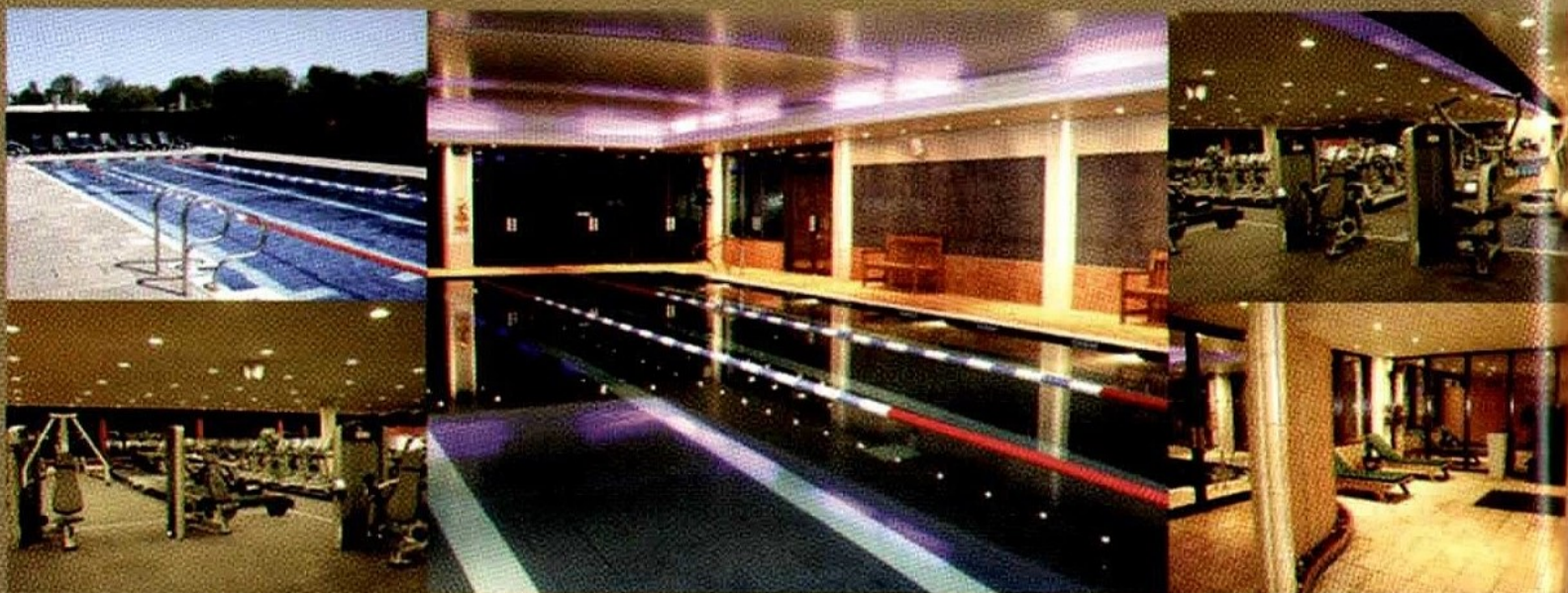


Twelve selected first-team players are pictured each month and would look perfect on your bedroom or office wall to help you count down the days until the next Notts fixture.

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GOOD AFTERNOON. AS THE DUST SETTLES ON THE BRILLIANT LONDON 2012 GAMES, WE WANT TO BRING YOU UP TO SPEED ON HOW NOTTS COUNTY WERE INVOLVED IN THE PARALYMPICS.

TEAM GB NUTRITION

After getting the honour of working with Paralympian weightlifter Natalie Blake, I can reflect on some of the work we did and raise awareness about disabled sport.

PARALYMPICS

The London 2012 Paralympics set two records last summer, with over 4,200 athletes from 160 countries taking part and an estimated 2.4million tickets sold, making it the highest spectator Paralympics on record.

DIETARY REQUIREMENTS

Nutrition for a Paralympic athlete needs to be highly individualised as the different classifications of disability are extensive, from athletes who are wheelchair bound, to those physically impaired and others with learning difficulties.



Calorie requirements each day can be challenging to implement as there is a limited evidence base of research. Able-bodied athletes are advised in grams per kilogram of body mass (g/kg/BM), but this may be inaccurate for certain disabled athletes, particularly those missing limbs.

NUTRITION SUPPORT

Consultations prior to competition help to develop specific competition plans for the athletes. Recovery strategies are key, ensuring the athletes replenish

carbohydrate and protein at a 3:1 ratio following training sessions.

In working with Natalie digestion is a major area, and my main task was to keep her weight within the stringent 48-52Kg boundary. This took a lot of work prior to the competition where they have a 'weigh in' similar to what boxers face before a fight.

LEGACY

The legacy of the games will become clear over the next few years, but the hearts and minds that were won over is likely to be the largest gain.

To conclude, I have never been as inspired as seeing the Paralympic athletes perform so amazingly in what was a very special games.

Enjoy the match.

■ Notts County were a part of the team offering Natalie nutrition and dietetic service

■ Food Halls - a key time for preparation



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WELCOME HOME

After two tough trips on the road, it's time to welcome the team back to Meadow Lane for today's visit of Swindon Town.

Once again, supporters travelled in large numbers to Scunthorpe last Saturday to see a superb 2-2 draw. Despite there being a few less making the trip up to Deepdale on Tuesday night, the ardent Notts supporters certainly made themselves heard.

Former Notts frontman Karl Hawley shows his appreciation to the Magpies faithful following Tuesday's game at Glanford Park



The atmosphere at Meadow Lane was also much better at our last home game against high-flying Crawley, which certainly helped the players put in an improved display.

More of the same today please from both the players and the fans!

There was a nice touch at the end of the Scunthorpe game when the two former Magpies in the Iron's line up, goalkeeper Steve Mildenhall and striker Karl Hawley, made a special effort to applaud the travelling Notts faithful.

Naturally, this was reciprocated by the Notts fans and perfectly illustrates the club as a family and well-respected football club.

LEGENDS DAY

The respect between Magpies supporters and former players was demonstrated further last Sunday with the appearance of so many ex-players at the Legends Day.

It was great to see so many familiar faces and some of our former stars proved that they have still got it!

Following the game, Notts County: The Movie was

shown on a giant inflatable screen on the pitch. This film demonstrated why we attend Meadow Lane as often as possible and brought back so many fond memories.

The Supporters' Club would like to pass on their congratulations to all involved in organising the special day.

COMMERCIAL CORNER

Supporters' Club committee member, Alan Higgott, would like to welcome his colleagues from Linsco Recruitment, who are sponsoring today's match, to Meadow Lane today.

The Supporters' Club encourages all fans to try and persuade their employers, customers or friends to take up some form of matchday package, which in turn brings more support to the club.

SPECIAL PRICE TO NEW YORK

The Supporters' Club is providing travel to the New York Stadium, the home of our FA Cup opponents Rotherham, for just £9.

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ROTHERHAM UNITED v NOTTS COUNTY

Competition:

FA Cup Second Round

Date: Saturday December 1

Kick-off: 3pm

Location:

The New York Stadium

Postcode: S60 1AH

Ticket status: On sale
(Pay on the day available)

Prices:

Adult	£18
Over-60	£10
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(With Valid NUS)	£10
Armed Forces	£10
Junior (8-15)	£6
Under-8	
(With Paying Adult)	FREE

Ticket information:

Ticket prices increase by £2 if purchased on the day of the game.

Should the game end in a draw, tickets for the replay, which will be staged at Meadow Lane on Tuesday December 11, have been set at £15 for adults, £10 for concessions and £5 for juniors in all areas of the ground.

Disabled supporter

information: There are seven pairs of wheelchair and carer tickets available. Disabled tickets are priced at the concession rate of £10, with a carer included free of charge.

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TICKET OFFICE CONTACT DETAILS

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YEovil TOWN v NOTTS COUNTY

Competition:

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League 1

Date: Saturday December 8

Kick-off: 3pm

Location: Huish Park

Postcode: BA22 8YF

Ticket status: On sale
(Pay on the day available)

Prices:

Adult	£17
Seniors (Over-65)	£13
16-21 years	£10
Junior (Under-16s)	£6
Ambulant Disabled	£13
Wheelchairs	£13
Carers	FREE

Ticket information: The above prices will increase by £2 on the matchday,

with exception of juniors. Fans will be sat in the Screwfix Community Stand.

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information: There are seven pairs of wheelchair and carer tickets available. Disabled tickets are priced at the concession rate of £10, with a carer included free of charge.

TICKETS:

Tickets can be purchased in person at Meadow Lane, online via www.nottscountydirect.co.uk, over the phone by calling 0115 9557 204 or email enquires.ticketoffice@nottscountyfc.co.uk



The Magpies make their first visit to Rotherham's New York Stadium in the FA Cup Second Round



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TEAM MAGPIES MATCH!

Our last home game saw hundreds of our Team Magpies members enjoy the game for free, while picking up a new pack containing some very special presents including badges, photos and the hugely popular TM masks!

We hope you enjoyed the day and we hope to see you all again at Meadow Lane very soon.

TEAM MAGPIES CHRISTMAS PARTY!

The annual TM Christmas Party will be on Tuesday December 4, 5.30pm-7pm in the MLSB. We've already had over 100 members book, so make sure you contact us to let us know your coming!

Contact details: teammagpies@nottscountyfc.org.uk or call 0115 955 7215.

Our Facebook page keeps growing and we are now over 200 likes! Here are some of the recent comments we noticed:

Leon Reeve: I have just been informed that my son (Alex)

received his Notts County birthday card with player hand-written messages! He was chuffed to bits! Well done Team Magpies!

Vicki Williamson Whyler: Thanks Team Magpies, Tia has been running round for the last half hour with a Magpies mask on! Lol!

And also thanks to Kelly Dutton who posted this fantastic photo of Maya in her Mrs Magpie mask at the last game! (photo left)

QUIZ TIME!

Think you know everything about the Magpies? Answer these...

1. Can you name the Notts County physio?

2. Notts have two more home games ahead of Christmas, who are they against?

3. Name one of the goalscorers in our 2-0 away win at Colchester.

MR MAGPIE NEW LOOK FOR MOVEMBER

Even Mr Magpie is getting on in the act of Movember, along with five of the first-teamers. What does everyone think to Mr Magpies compared to striker Francois Zoko's effort? Let us know!



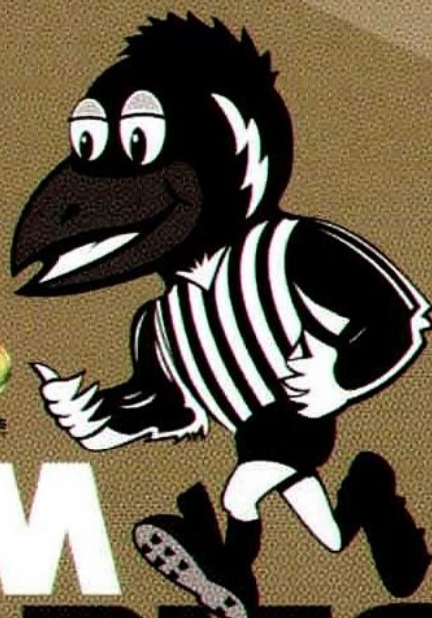
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This afternoon's highlights will be online at 12 noon tomorrow, so make sure you check back to the service.

YOUTH HIGHLIGHTS

Can't make it down to Highfields for the Youth Team matches? Don't

worry we upload all the highlights of the games onto Magpie Player.

Already this month we have uploaded footage of the victories against Hartlepool and Rotherham, which included some great goals from Malachi Moore, Romello Nangle, James Randall and Kyle Dixon.

Make sure you log on and watch!

EDITOR'S PICK

Manager Keith Curle allowed the Magpie Player cameras into the dressing room ahead of the Crawley Town game and we showed you exactly what the players do just before kick-off.

It gives you a real insight of what stretches the players do and how much work goes into a game from all the backroom staff. It also shows the dressing room 'feel good' factor before the pressure of a matchday.

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WHETHER IT'S SPONSORSHIP DEALS OR CONFERENCE AND BANQUETING EVENTS, DON'T MISS ANY IMPORTANT **DATES FOR THE DIARY...**

HAPPY BIRTHDAY NOTTS COUNTY FOOTBALL CLUB

Notts County will be continuing our 150th anniversary celebrations with a special Birthday Bash in the 1862 Suite here at Meadow Lane on Wednesday November 28. The evening will also include the official launch of the club's Hall of Fame.

Doors will open at 6:30pm on the night, which will see legendary manager Jimmy Sirrel officially confirmed as



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the first member of the Notts County Hall of Fame.

Tickets for the event, which will be hosted by BBC Radio Nottingham's Colin Slater, are £25 each and include a pie and pea supper, as well as entertainment from singer Drew Dennis and a question and answer session with manager Keith Curle and CEO Jim Rodwell.

The current first-team squad and coaching staff will be in attendance on the night, as we mark the club's 150th birthday in style in the month that we were founded.

As part of the club's 150th anniversary celebrations, we had always been keen to introduce a legacy that would help the club continue to celebrate its rich history for many years to come.

The Hall of Fame is seen as the ideal way to acknowledge those that have helped shape that illustrious history and there was nobody more fitting to be the first inductee than Jimmy Sirrel.

To book tickets for this event, or for more information, contact the commercial team on 0115 9557 241.

MAN OF THE MATCH

Congratulations to Jamal Campbell-Ryce and Alan Judge who were picked as the Men of the Match against Crawley Town. The pair have been in fine form in recent games and shone through in a lively game against the Red Devils. The club would again like to thank the Curry Lounge and Temprell Nottingham jewellers for their continued support this season.



Jimmy Sirrel will be the first inductee into Notts' Hall of Fame



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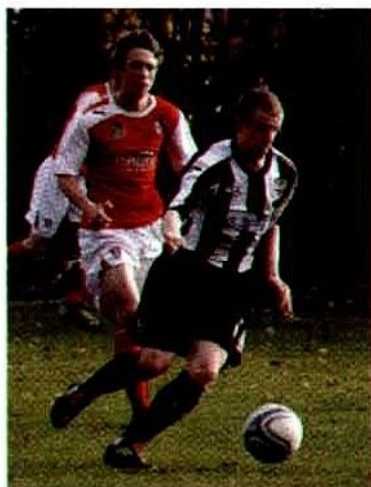
MONITOR THE PROGRESS OF NOTTS COUNTY'S NEXT GENERATION,
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NOTTS COUNTY 4 ROTHERHAM UNITED 2

Notts County's youth team claimed a convincing victory over Rotherham United at Highfields a fortnight ago.

The Magpies enjoyed a four-goal lead over the Millers, with Romello Nangle twice on target and Kyle Dixon and trialist Alex Kenlock also finding the net.

Nangle opened the scoring in the eighth minute before Dixon doubled Notts' lead on 15. Nangle then added his second on the stroke of



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half-time before Kenlock maintained the momentum two minutes after the restart with the club's fourth.

United staged a second-half fight back, pulling two goals back, but County fully deserved the three points.

Youth team coach Brett Adams had called for his players to prove they were worthy of a professional contract before the game and was pleased he got the desired reaction.

He told #themag: "We're delighted with the performance. We passed it well and played out from the back. The lads stuck to the gameplan and got their rewards."

"There's no reason why they shouldn't get noticed if they continue to play like that."

📸 Kyle Dixon on the ball against the Millers

📸 Striker Romello Nangle finds the net at Highfields



PLAYERS' VIEWS

Romello Nangle @Nangle14 🐦
Great win today boys! #YouPics

Kyle Dixon (Scholes) @KyleDixon32 🐦
Great win boys! 4-2 good to get on the score sheet! Three points for first-team now to top the weekend off! #COYP

Kieran Geldenhuys @kierangeldenhuys 🐦
What a win, 4-2 #notts #buzzing

LINCOLN CITY 1 NOTTS COUNTY 3

Notts County made it back-to-back victories with an impressive 3-1 triumph at Lincoln City last Saturday.

The hosts had beaten the young Magpies earlier in the season in the FA Youth Cup, but it was a brace from attacking midfielder Kyle Dixon which inspired Notts to victory.

Glodie Bange's goal, set up by Dixon in the 11th minute after a great run and cross from the wideman, opened the scoring.

Notts doubled their advantage through Dixon just after the half-hour mark, as marauding full-back Kameron Campbell turned provider.

With 15-minutes remaining it was Dixon again in the thick of the action, this time netting after striker James Randall had created the opening.

Youth Team Coach Brett Adams told #thernag: "I'm delighted for the lads. It was a fantastic result. We have established a bit of pride back after going out of the cup against them earlier in the season.

"All the goals were well taken and really well worked, right from the goalkeeper throwing it out, to the full-backs driving forwards and ending with a goal. We built the play up really well, so it was great to see something we have worked on in training come off.

"We kept the same side again and they've done fantastically well in the last two games. We've only featured four second-years, one Under-16 and the rest are first-years.

"That's why it's pleasing to get these results, because we are sending out a very young team and they are showing the right desire."

2012-13 YOUTH ALLIANCE NORTH EAST TABLE

	CLUB	P	W	D	L	F	A	+/−	PTS
1	Hull City	10	6	3	1	28	8	+20	21
2	Doncaster Rovers	10	6	3	1	18	8	+10	21
3	York City	10	6	3	1	15	11	+4	21
4	Scunthorpe United	11	5	3	3	24	19	+5	18
5	Rotherham United	11	5	1	5	24	19	+5	16
6	Bradford City	11	4	3	4	21	20	+1	15
7	Chesterfield	11	4	3	4	22	22	0	15
8	Grimsby Town	11	3	3	5	17	18	-1	12
9	Notts County	11	3	2	6	18	22	-4	11
10	Burton Albion	10	3	2	5	15	22	-7	11
11	Hartlepool United	11	3	0	8	14	26	-12	9
12	Lincoln City	11	1	4	6	12	33	-21	7

#fixtures

YOUTH ALLIANCE UNDER-18 NORTH EAST FIXTURES

Sat Aug 11	Hull City	A	0 0
Sat Aug 18	York City	H	1 3
Sat Aug 25	Bradford City	A	2 1
Sat Sep 01	Chesterfield	H	3 4
Sat Sep 08	Doncaster Rovers	A	1 2
Mon Sep 17	Mansfield (MYC)	A	1 0
Sat Sep 22	Grimsby Town	H	2 2
Sat Sep 29	Scunthorpe United	A	0 1
Sat Oct 13	Hartlepool United	H	3 1
Sat Oct 20	Burton Albion	A	0 4
Wed Oct 24	Lincoln City (KO 7pm)	A	2 3
Sat Nov 10	Rotherham United	H	4 2
Sat Nov 17	Lincoln City	A	3 1
Mon Nov 19	Grimsby (MYC) 7pm	H	2 1
Sat Nov 24	In service		■ ■
Sat Dec 01	Cup		■ ■
Sat Dec 08	Chesterfield	A	■ ■
Sat Jan 12	Doncaster Rovers	H	■ ■
Sat Jan 19	Cup		■ ■
Sat Jan 26	Grimsby Town	A	■ ■
Sat Feb 02	Scunthorpe United	H	■ ■
Sat Feb 09	Hartlepool United	A	■ ■
Sat Feb 16	Cup		■ ■
Sat Mar 02	Rotherham United	A	■ ■
Sat Mar 16	Lincoln City	H	■ ■
Sat Mar 23	Hull City	H	■ ■
Sat Apr 06	York City	A	■ ■
Sat Apr 13	Bradford City	H	■ ■

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Banks's Stadium	Walsall	9	29	3.22
The Lamex Stadium	Stevenage	9	29	3.22
Glanford Park	Scunthorpe	9	28	3.11
Dean Court	Bournemouth	9	27	3.00
Prenton Park	Tranmere	9	26	2.89
Meadow Lane	Notts County	9	25	2.78
Ricoh Arena	Coventry	9	25	2.78
Griffin Park	Brentford	9	25	2.78
Deepdale	Preston	9	23	2.56
WHC Stadium	Colchester	9	22	2.44
Huish Park	Yeovil	9	22	2.44
Victoria Park	Hartlepool	9	22	2.44
Bramall Lane	Sheffield Utd	9	22	2.44
County Ground	Swindon	9	21	2.33
Fratton Park	Portsmouth	9	20	2.22
Boundary Park	Oldham	9	20	2.22
Gigg Lane	Bury	9	20	2.22
Greenhous Meadow	Shrewsbury	9	20	2.22
Alexandra Stadium	Crewe	9	20	2.22
Keepmoat Stadium	Doncaster	8	17	2.12
Matchroom Stadium	Leyton Orient	9	17	1.89
stadium.mk	MK Dons	9	15	1.67

CARLISLE UNITED



Carlisle United's Brunton Park has witnessed 34 goals so far this season

2012-13 LEAGUE 1 RESULTS

0-0	9
0-1	25
0-2	10
0-3	4
0-4	3
0-5	1
1-0	24
1-1	32
1-2	20
1-3	5
1-4	4
1-5	-
2-0	12
2-1	14
2-2	16
2-3	1
2-4	1
2-5	1
3-0	4
3-1	11
3-2	5
3-3	1
3-4	-
3-5	-
4-0	2
4-1	6
4-2	1
4-3	-
4-4	-
4-5	-
5-0	1
5-1	1
5-2	-
5-3	1
5-4	-
5-5	-

GOAL COUNTER: 560

296 52.9%
RIGHT FOOT

135 24.1%
LEFT FOOT

117 20.9%
HEAD

Own goals 11 (2.0%), other body part 1 (0.1%)

QUICK-FIRE GOALS

From the start of a match

Nicky Wroe (Scunthorpe vs Preston) 0:28

By a substitute after coming on

Evan Horwood (Crewe vs Hartlepool) 0:39

PLAYER POWER Player with the most...

Shots 52 Clayton Donaldson (Brentford)

Shots on target 36 David McGoldrick (Coventry)

Shots off target 32 Clayton Donaldson (Brentford)

Crosses 81 Marc Pugh (Bournemouth)

Offsides 30 Izale McLeod (Portsmouth)



NPOWER LEAGUE 1 TEAM OF THE WEEK

AS OF NOVEMBER 17



2012-13 TOP FIVES:

TOP SCORERS

David McGoldrick	Coventry City	11
Leon Clarke	Scunthorpe	11
Jake Cassidy	Tranmere	10
Izale McLeod	Portsmouth	9
Clayton Donaldson	Brentford	8

*three other players with eight goals

TOP ASSISTS

Ryan Flynn	Sheffield Utd	6
Mark Duffy	Scunthorpe	6
Younis Arqun	Notts County	5
Alan Judge	Notts County	5
Nicky Adams	Crawley Town	5

*three other players with five assists

TOP SHOOTERS

		ON	OFF	HW
David McGoldrick	Coventry City	39	18	2
Clayton Donaldson	Brentford	21	32	0
Izale McLeod	Portsmouth	17	31	4
Jamie Paterson	Walsall	21	25	3
Nick Blackman	Sheffield Utd	24	20	1

*ON Target, OFF Target, Hit Woodwork

MOST FOULS

		F	Y	R	PC
Steve Howard	Hartlepool	41	3	0	0
Stuart Beavon	Preston	35	0	0	0
Marvin Morgan	Shrewsbury	34	2	1	0
Byron Webster	Yeovil Town	33	6	0	0
Izale McLeod	Portsmouth	32	2	0	0

*F Foul, Y Yellow, R Red, PC Penalties conceded

TOP ATTENDANCES

	HOME	AWAY	TOTAL
Sheffield Utd	18,946	15,744	17,754
Portsmouth	17,703	9,955	12,317
Coventry City	12,621	8,862	10,442
Preston	10,372	8,013	9,057
MK Dons	11,037	6,985	8,494

2012-13 NPOWER LEAGUE 1 TABLE

	CLUB	P	HOME					AWAY					GD	PTS
			W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A		
1	Tranmere	19	5	3	2	18	8	6	2	1	17	7	+20	38
2	Sheffield United	19	5	5	0	18	10	4	4	1	8	5	+11	36
3	MK Dons	19	6	2	1	11	4	3	4	3	12	9	+10	33
4	Doncaster	18	3	1	4	7	10	7	2	1	17	6	+8	33
5	Stevenage	19	3	4	2	13	16	6	2	2	13	10	0	33
6	Swindon	19	4	3	3	15	7	5	2	2	14	9	+13	32
7	Brentford	19	6	2	1	16	9	2	6	2	10	10	+7	32
8	Notts County	19	5	2	4	13	12	5	5	0	18	8	+11	31
9	Crawley	19	5	2	3	17	15	4	2	3	10	11	+1	31
10	Preston	19	3	5	2	15	8	4	2	3	16	14	+9	28
11	Bournemouth	19	4	5	1	18	11	3	2	4	14	19	+2	28
12	Yeovil	19	4	1	4	11	11	5	0	5	18	17	+1	28
13	Leyton Orient	19	4	0	5	8	9	4	1	5	12	14	-3	25
14	Crewe	19	4	2	3	10	10	2	4	4	12	17	-5	24
15	Coventry	19	2	3	4	12	13	4	2	4	15	13	+1	23
16	Colchester	19	4	3	3	14	12	2	2	5	8	14	-4	23
17	Walsall	19	2	2	5	11	18	3	4	3	10	11	-8	21
18	Oldham	18	2	3	4	10	10	3	2	4	9	13	-4	20
19	Carlisle	19	2	2	6	13	25	3	3	3	10	12	-14	20
20	Shrewsbury	19	4	3	3	13	11	0	3	6	8	15	-5	18
21	Portsmouth	19	3	1	6	12	13	2	2	5	12	17	-6	18
22	Bury	19	2	3	4	8	12	2	3	5	13	19	-10	18
23	Scunthorpe	19	1	3	6	10	21	3	2	4	10	12	-13	17
24	Hartlepool	19	1	3	6	8	17	0	2	7	6	19	-22	8

92

Number of goals you would have missed by leaving 10 minutes early

138

Number of shots Brentford have fired off-target this season

630

Yellow cards issued in League 1 this season at an average of 2.9 per game

4

Sheffield United have been awarded four penalties so far this term



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DATE	OPPOSITION	H/A	K-O/F-A	POS	ATT (AWAY)	REF	GOALSCORERS
Sat Aug 11	Bradford City (CO Cup R1)	H	L 0-1 AET	-	3,460 (856)	Deadman	Hannah (95)
Sat Aug 18	Crewe Alexandra	A	W 2-1	5th	5,718 (1,236)	Whitestone	Zoko (40), Arquin (58), Pogba (73)
Tue Aug 21	Hartlepool United	H	W 2-0	3rd	4,913 (158)	Attwell	Zoko (17), Bishop (86)
Sat Aug 25	Walsall	H	L 0-1	6th	5,851 (433)	Salisbury	Butler (80)
Sat Sep 1	Bury	A	W 2-0	3rd	2,725 (496)	Naylor	L. Hughes (2), Judge (90)
Tue Sep 4	Scunthorpe United (JPT R1)	A	W 2-1	-	1,153 (152)	Duncan	Duffy (11), Showunmi (41), Regan (58)
Sat Sep 8	Shrewsbury Town	H	W 3-2	1st	6,774 (734)	Madley	Zoko (57), J. Hughes (64), Richards (61 pen), Grandison (62), L. Hughes (87)
Sat Sep 15	Oldham Athletic	A	D 2-2	2nd	4,039 (539)	Sarginson	Labadie (46), Derbyshire (49), Campbell-Ryce (82), Baxter (85)
Tue Sep 18	MK Dons	A	D 1-1	3rd	7,121 (650)	Ilderton	Bishop (27), O'Shea (68)
Sat Sep 22	Portsmouth	H	W 3-0	2nd	6,834 (816)	Eltringham	Arquin (5, 57), Judge (47)
Sat Sep 29	Sheffield United	A	D 1-1	2nd	18,814 (1,712)	Swarbrick	Kitson (51), L. Hughes (76)
Tue Oct 2	Stevenage	H	L 1-2	4th	4,927 (176)	Drysdale	Campbell-Ryce (71 pen), Akins (83 pen), Shroot (90)
Sat Oct 6	Tranmere Rovers	H	L 0-1	7th	7,260 (955)	Bates	Thompson (22)
Sat Oct 13	Carlisle United	A	W 4-0	5th	4,731 (265)	Attwell	J. Hughes (11), Bishop (27), Zoko (54), Campbell-Ryce (57 pen)
Wed Oct 17	Sheffield United (JPT R2 - SKY)	H	L 1-4	-	2,082 (483)	Stroud	Miller (24, 52), Maguire (45, 54), Stewart (75)
Sat Oct 20	Coventry City	A	W 2-1	5th	11,882 (1,356)	Gibbs	Boucaud (39), Arquin (84), Wood (87)
Tue Oct 23	Bournemouth	H	D 3-3	5th	4,584 (208)	Lewis	J. Hughes (21), Arquin (32), McQuoid (51), Arter (60 pen), Campbell-Ryce (84 pen), Tubbs (85)
Sat Oct 27	Doncaster Rovers	H	L 0-2	6th	6,750 (1,195)	Tierney	Keegan (61), Brown (63)
Sat Nov 3	Portsmouth (FAC R1)	A	W 2-0	-	7,560 (287)	Sheldrake	Zoko (45), Arquin (56)
Tue Nov 6	Colchester United	A	W 2-0	5th	3,051 (195)	Berry	Bishop (17), Judge (44)
Sat Nov 10	Crawley Town	H	D 1-1	5th	5,685 (308)	Haines	Bishop (12), Forte (45)
Sat Nov 17	Scunthorpe United	A	D 2-2	7th	4,553 (795)	Ilderton	Riveiro (13), L. Hughes (34, 82), Mozika (45)
Tue Nov 20	Preston North End	A	D 0-0	8th	8,013 (212)	Harrington	-
Sat Nov 24	Swindon Town	H	3.00pm				
Sat Dec 1	Rotherham (FAC R2)	A	3.00pm				
Sat Dec 8	Yeovil Town	A	3.00pm				

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Apps (Subs)	23	9	9 (1)	21	1	21	22	3 (5)	18 (1)	19 (2)	-	18 (4)	2 (7)	17 (2)	5 (10)	- (2)	1 (3)	6 (11)	12 (3)	-	-	-	- (2)	-	-	10 (1)	18	5	2 (1)	- (4)	- (1)	3 (1)	-	4
Goals	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	1	3	3	-	5	-	6	1	-	-	5	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Bartosz Bialkowski	Julian Kelly	Alan Sheehan	Neal Bishop	Manney Smith	Dean Leacock	Gary Liddle	Enoch Showunmi	Alan Judge	Jeff Hughes	Liam Mitchell	Francois Zoko	Gavin Mahon	Younis Arquin	Jojo Labadie	Tyrell Walte	Hamza Bencherif	Lee Hughes	Jamal Campbell-Ryce	Curtis Thompson	Krystian Pearce	Fabian Spiess	Jake Wholey	Greg Tempest	Haydn Hollis	Carl Regan	Andre Boucaud	Jordan Stewart	Tom Williams	Romello Nangle	Ryle Dixon	Ashley Eastham	Kevin Pilkington	Darnell Stewart
1	OK	U	LB	CM	CB		U	RW	79		61	CM	LW	CM		40	S				U					RB	U		CB					
2	GK	RB	LB	CM		CB	CM		RW	CM	U	LW	89	S	13	U		64								U	U		CB					
3	GK	RB	LB	CM		CB	CB		RW	CM	U	LW	77		33	88	U	S				U				U	CM							
4	GK	RB	LB	CM		CB	CB	58	RM	CM	U		78		LM	89	U	S				U				U	CM							
5	GK	RB	LB	CM		CB	CB	U	AM	RM		LM	84		66		U	S				U				U	CM			90				
6	GK		LB			CB	CB	S				S		S	CM	U	CM					U	90				RB	CM		U	90			
7	GK	RB	LB	CM		CB	CB	U	RW	CM		LW		S	90		U	83				U	U			41	CM							
8	GK	RB		CM		CB	CB	71	CM			LW		RW	23		U	S	72			U	U			U	LB	CM						
9	GK	RB		CM		CB	CB	86	CM	64		LW		S	CM		U	77	RW			U	U			U	LB							
10	GK	RB		CM		CB	CB	U	AM	CM		S	U	S	CM		81	U	46			U	61				LB							
11	GK	RB		CM		CB	CB	U	AM	CM		LM	80	S	62		U	60	RM			U				U	LB							
12	GK		76	CM		CB	CB	S	CM	LB		LM	U	59	80		U	U	RM			U				RB	CM							
13	GK			CM		CB	CB	77	CM	LM		62	U	S			U	46	RM			U				RB	CM	LB				U		
14	GK		U	CM		CB	CB	U	LW	CM		35	U	S					RW			U				RB	CM	LB		77		68		
15	GK		LB			CB	S		CM		LW	CM	RW			CB	45	45									CM	RB		76	U		U	
16	GK		U	CM		CB	RB	U		CM		LW	87	S			U	78	RW								CM	LB		U		CB	U	
17	GK		U	CM		CB	RB	U		CM		LW	U	S			U	69	RW								CM	LB		U		CB	U	
18	GK		U	CM		CB	RB	U	62	CM		LW	U	S				45	RW								CM	LB		64		CB	U	
19	GK			CM		CB	RB	90	CM	LB		LW	U	S	81		U		RW								CM		90			U	U	CB
20	GK			CM		CB	RB	U	CM	LB	U	LW	89	S			83	77	RW								CM		U			U		CB
21	GK		U	CM		CB	RB	88	CM	LB	U	LW	U	S	U			72	RW								CM		U				CB	
22	GK		LB	CM		CB	RB	U	CM	LW	U	83	U	31	73		U	S	RW								CM						CB	
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Sat Dec 15	Brentford	H	3.00pm				
Sat Dec 22	Leyton Orient	H	3.00pm				
Wed Dec 26	Shrewsbury Town	A	3.00pm				
Sat Dec 29	Stevenage	A	3.00pm				
Tue Jan 1	MK Dons	H	3.00pm				
Sat Jan 5	Oldham Athletic (or FAC3)	H	3.00pm				
Sat Jan 12	Portsmouth	A	3.00pm				
Sat Jan 19	Sheffield United	H	3.00pm				
Sat Jan 26	Leyton Orient (or FAC4)	A	3.00pm				
Sat Feb 2	Hartlepool United	A	3.00pm				
Sat Feb 9	Crewe Alexandra	H	3.00pm				
Sat Feb 16	Walsall (or FAC5)	A	3.00pm				
Sat Feb 23	Bury	H	3.00pm				
Tue Feb 26	Tranmere Rovers	A	7.45pm				
Sat Mar 2	Carlisle United	H	3.00pm				
Sat Mar 9	Crawley Town (or FAC6)	A	3.00pm				
Tue Mar 12	Preston North End	H	7.45pm				
Sat Mar 16	Scunthorpe United	H	3.00pm				
Sat Mar 23	Swindon Town	A	3.00pm				
Fri Mar 29	Brentford	A	3.00pm				
Mon Apr 1	Yeovil Town	H	3.00pm				
Sat Apr 6	Bournemouth	A	3.00pm				
Sat Apr 13	Colchester United (or FAC SF)	H	3.00pm				
Sat Apr 20	Doncaster Rovers	A	3.00pm				
Sat Apr 27	Coventry City	H	3.00pm				
Sat May 11	FA Cup Final	-	-				

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Apps (Sub)

Goals

Bartosz Bialkowski	1	2	3	4	5	6	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	34	35	39
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#flashback

Who remembers this match back in the late 1980s? We certainly don't, in fact we couldn't even tell you the opposition! But we think we see a couple of recognisable faces in black and white stripes! If you stood in the Jimmy Sirrel Stand that day we'd love to hear from you.





#fan's view

NOTTINGHAM TRENT UNIVERSITY JOURNALIST STUDENT
@GEORGESOLOMON COMPARES BOTH MANAGER'S IN TODAY'S DUGOUTS...

When it was announced that Paolo Di Canio would be taking over at Swindon I think we all chuckled, looking forward to a couple of fun and tumultuous months. We assumed that he'd fail with his trademark fiery Italian flair and resign after becoming exacerbated

Slip ups have, of course, been rife. The infamous 20 minute substitution of his goalkeeper was perhaps a mistake, some press conferences have been conducted in such a hostile tone that journalists have been reaching for their tin hats, while Di Canio's spent

to do his talking, Di Canio is happy to take the limelight - two vastly different approaches, but just as effective as each other in their own right.

So in a dull moment today, I may just sit and watch Di Canio for a while - if, indeed, there ever really is a dull moment when he's around.

“The bond Di Canio appears to have formed with his players is admirable and enviable in equal measure and the relentless approach of his side, is something we'd love to emulate at Meadow Lane”

by his players' lack of ability or annoyance at Swindon's hierarchy.

Well, we got a couple of bits right. It's been fun and tumultuous, make no mistake. There's been plenty of fiery Italian flair too. But there's been no failure and no resignation.

The bond he appears to have formed with his players is admirable and enviable in equal measure and the relentless approach of his side, with late winners and a dominant home record - particularly in their promotion season - is something we'd love to emulate at Meadow Lane.

almost as much time in the stands as a Swindon season ticket holder.

His opposite number today takes a slightly different approach to the game.

Decked out in his trademark shirt and tie, Curle has gone about his business since he took over at Notts with much less flamboyance than Di Canio, but has been just as big a hit as the Italian.

Where our suave, sophisticated and slightly more subdued manager encourages his players to play with no fear, allowing his players' performances

Lee and Jeff Hughes celebrate last year's win against the Bees at the Lane

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- 2 Julian Kelly
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- 10 Alan Judge
- 11 Jeff Hughes
- 12 Liam Mitchell
- 13 Francois Zoko
- 14 Gavin Mahon
- 15 Yoann Arquin
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- 17 Tyrell Waite
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- 24 Jake Wholey
- 25 Greg Tempest
- 26 Haydn Hollis
- 27 Carl Regan
- 28 Andre Boucaud
- 29 Jordan Stewart
- 30 Tom Williams
- 31 Romello Nangle
- 32 Kyle Dixon
- 35 Kevin Pilkington
- 39 Damion Stewart

- 1 Wes Foderingham
- 2 Troy Archibald-Henville
- 3 Jay McEveley
- 4 Aden Flint
- 5 Joe Devera
- 6 Alan Navarro
- 8 Simon Ferry
- 9 James Collins
- 10 Matt Ritchie
- 11 Gary Roberts
- 12 Alan McCormack
- 15 Nathan Thompson
- 16 Andy Williams
- 18 Tommy Miller
- 19 Louis Thompson
- 20 Miles Storey
- 21 Federico Bessone
- 22 Darren Ward
- 23 Raffaele De Vita
- 24 Chris Martin
- 26 Danny Hollands
- 28 Adam Rooney
- 30 Leigh Bedwell
- 33 John Bostock

TODAY'S LEAGUE 1 FIXTURES:

Brentford v Sheffield Utd
Bury v Bournemouth
Coventry v Portsmouth
Crewe v Crawley
Doncaster v Scunthorpe
Leyton Orient v Preston
MK Dons v Colchester
Oldham v Shrewsbury
Stevenage v Tranmere
Walsall v Hartlepool
Yeovil v Carlisle



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Assistant: Neil Hair
Assistant: Joe Hull
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