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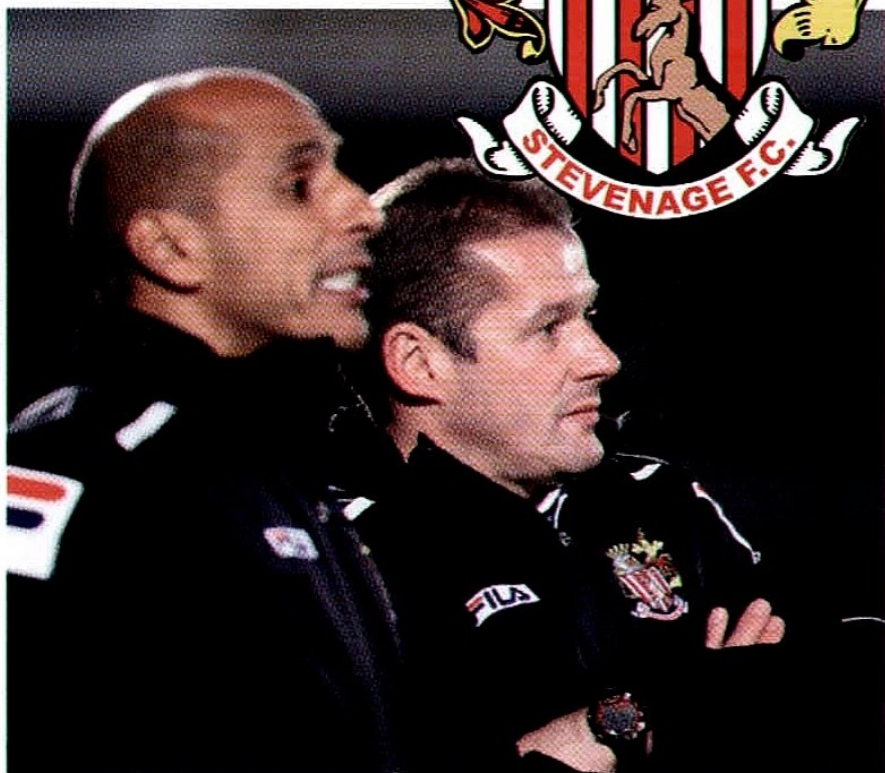
After a mid-season revival in which we won eight in 12, our form and results have nose-dived. Yes, we knocked out Doncaster in the cup, but in many respects that makes things worse. It suggests that we are better than we are consistently producing when we really want to be. The issue is clearly one of consistent desire which hurts me to say.

Let's be honest, our league form has been catastrophic. Tough situations call for decisive and intelligent action. So we will make brave and positive decisions to affect our position now.

We have 13 home league games to play, so it is here that our fate will be decided. We have made our home a fortress in the past and we need to do that more than ever before now. We need to play our pitch in the way that we know we can. We need the phenomenal Stevenage backing on the terraces to rise once more.

There is no time like the present to react incredibly well and to give our league campaign the kick-start that it desperately needs. I have not pulled any punches with the lads in making them aware of the effort that we all put in to achieve League One status; retaining that status is going to require a great fight-back now.

We have shown in beating Brentford and Orient here that



we have what it takes when we really want it badly and when we play the Stevenage way.

I expect a massive response and I am sure that we will see that response.

For us, the only way is up. In the past, we have stuck together furiously; we have out run opponents and outplayed opponents.

We never surrender our pride and we will fight with our lives to build our club's name.

The points are there for us to win and we simply have to go and win them.

Three points tonight is the type

of first step that we have taken so often when our spirit is right and our appetite is prompted. It is up to us all to dig deep into ourselves and find what has been missing.

Let's step up to the plate and eat this challenge alive.

I know that I am not a bottom of the table manager. And I know that the players are not bottom of the table players. But we are all where we are for a reason right now. Bad moments in time happen. This is one.

Let The Comeback Story begin.

Onwards.
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THE CHAIRMAN

Welcome to the game and a warm welcome to everyone from Swindon. I hope you have a safe journey home and enjoy your stay at the Lamex Stadium.

I seem to have gone from euphoria to despair – one week in football at Stevenage does that to you. The pride and elation I felt after winning away at Doncaster in the Third Round of the FA Cup was a truly great feeling. The people I spoke to after the game said we were outstanding from the first to the last minute and deserved to win the game even more comfortably.

Then, come Sunday, a home draw to one of the top Premier League sides – the mighty Everton coming to the Lamex – it doesn't get much better and my weekend was now truly great! Actually it did get better, as later in the week we were confirmed as one of the live TV games, with the financial boost that brings.

Nobody could therefore blame me for going into the game at Oldham – a vital game where we needed to get a result – in a positive, optimistic frame of mind. Well, by 5pm on Saturday that feeling had fallen apart and we were still rooted to the bottom of the table with a hill to climb to ensure our League One status. Cue another sleepless night and restless weekend.

So where do we go from here? Well, for a start, we should



always expect football to give us highs and lows because it will never fail to do that. It's learning to wring every moment of enjoyment out of the highs and digging deeper to improve when you experience the lows, that's the key to success over a season.

So here we are this evening facing a very good Swindon team just outside the play-offs who need the points as badly as we do. Now we see how deep we can dig on our home ground and whether we can start recording the run of wins we need to be in League One next season. I've worked with the gaffer for a long time and I know he's at his best when the chips are down, so it would be great to see our lads take his confidence into this evening's game and show our fans what

they're about.

Off the pitch we're very much in cup mode as we prepare for Everton. It's times like this when the backroom staff all pull together to cope with the added demands of hosting a Premiership side. There are a million things to do apart from sell tickets, but it's the work we all love best because entertaining top teams and being live on TV allows us to connect with the community and puts the town on the map, which is good for everyone.

Back to the match – a massive game for both clubs so let's hear you get behind the lads and create the Tuesday night atmosphere we love to be part of at the Lamex.

Enjoy the game!



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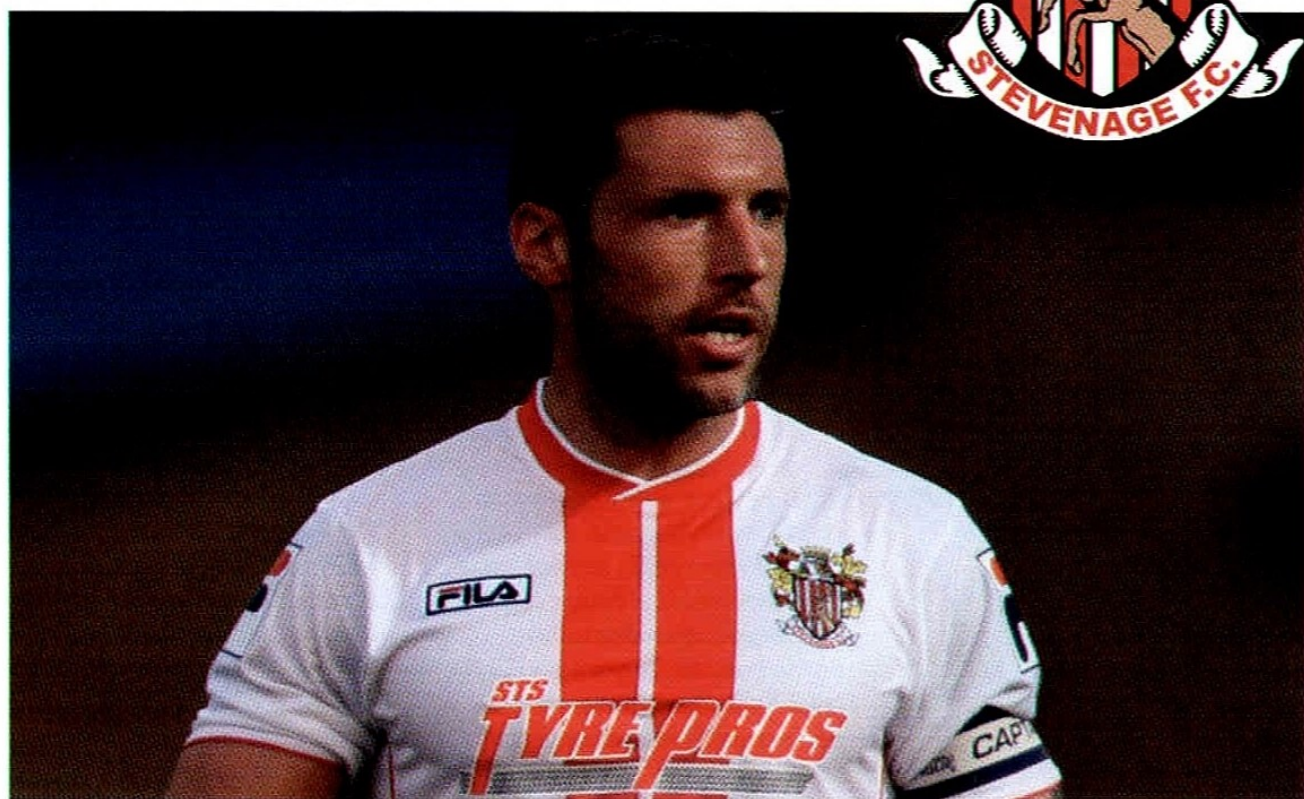
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THE CAPTAIN

Hello and welcome to this evening's Sky Bet League One fixture with Swindon Town at the Lamex Stadium.



Our start to the 2014 end of season hasn't quite gone according to plan so far. We had a bad run of form at the end of last year and we were hoping to get back to winning ways in the league last Saturday at Oldham. We had felt that a good win and a decent performance against Doncaster Rovers in the FA Cup had given us the confidence to take all three points at Boundary Park, but that wasn't to be. Although it wasn't a classic away Stevenage performance, I still feel that we deserved at least a draw out of the game.

Since the end of the match, our

attentions have turned to focus on tonight's encounter with Swindon. It has been a quick turnaround but we have used our time wisely and we know what we need to do to win the game. Physically and mentally we are ready to do business.

There is no denying that we are at the wrong end of the table but there is a long way to go until the end of the campaign and with Graham Westley at the helm this club has enjoyed some spectacular second halves of the season.

We have played against Swindon a couple of times

already this season so we know what they are all about, meaning we can fully focus on ourselves and doing whatever is needed to do to win. A lot of the memories that you will have from this season will so far be from cup games, but we need to take those performances into the league.

Desire, passion and winning is what it is all about from now.

Thank you for your continued, fantastic support.

Your captain,
Ash



STEVENAGE NEWS



EVERTON GENERAL SALE BEGINS TOMORROW

Tickets for our FA Cup Fourth Round tie against Everton on Saturday 25th January go on general sale tomorrow – Wednesday 15th – from 10am. Due to the high demand there are likely to only be terrace tickets available, which are priced at £25 for adults, £15 for under-15s and £5 for under-7s.

There is no limit to how many tickets can be bought on general sale and fans can buy in person from the club shop, online at www.borotickets.co.uk or by phone by ringing 01438 223223.

Various commercial packages are also available to purchase. For full details please contact Clive Abrey on 01438 223223, email clivea@stevenagefc.com or turn to the commercial page in this programme.

"This FA Cup tie against a top class Premier League team full of internationals is the talk of the town and the demand for tickets already reflects that," Barry Webber, Stevenage FC chief executive commented. "It's no secret that the income from this game is crucial to us and funds made will be invested

back into the club so we can continue to progress both on and off the pitch.

"We'd like to thank the Boro faithful for their continued and fantastic support this season, particularly at the Lamex where it acts like a vital twelfth man for the team. The fans have seen in the past how valuable funds from a successful FA Cup run can be, so they'll be backing Boro in their numbers against Roberto Martinez's men.

"The club has a great tradition in this competition and we know Graham Westley and his team will give it everything to reach the Fifth Round. We therefore look forward to a full house roaring the team on for what promises to be one of the most exciting fixtures in our history."

LOANS EXTENDED FOR RANGER'S DUO

Midfielders Michael Doughty and Bruno Andrade have both extended their loan spells at the club from QPR. Doughty has signed until the end of the season whilst Andrade will be with the club for another month.

Both players have impressed

during their time at the club so far. "I'm very happy to sign for the rest of the season as I've been enjoying the regular football that I've been getting here," Doughty said. "Whilst I've still got a lot to learn, the manager has been good to me and is helping me to understand the improvements that I need to make.

"I'm confident that the more games I play, the better player I'll become. The league position doesn't reflect the performances that we've been putting in



recently. For the remainder of the season I hope to continue improving and play a big part in helping the team climb the table."



SARLL PLEASED WITH FLORIDA TOURNAMENT

Head of youth, Darren Sarll, has expressed pride at his side's achievements during the recent IMG Cup in Florida.

The Stevenage U18 squad finished third in the Super Group out of eight teams after securing wins over Baltimore Celtic (2-1) and the IMG Academy U18 squad (2-0) and a 1-1 draw against the USA U17 national squad.

They also competed well against Brazilian outfit Cruzeiro before going down 3-1 in their opening fixture. "The interesting aspect socially was observing our players deal with a very different culture and players different behavioural traits," Sarll said at the time. "At times we were so focused in trying to remonstrate or redeem some order that we hindered our attacking and defending performance.

"Overall the boys worked very hard, showed desire and heart and competed for 70 minutes with Cruzeiro, a huge club. I

was also very pleased with the USA performance. We knew facing them would draw out other elements of our game but we were great from start to finish. We were very dominant physically as you would expect of an older side, but it was the aggressive nature tactically that made me most happy.

"We played on the front foot, engaged very high up the pitch and forced a very technical side to play long and high which again suited our physical advantage. Seven points from four games was a good return, especially with the company we kept during the tournament.

"As an organisation, a club and a team all our players can be very proud of their conduct and professionalism during the seven days. Their parents can be proud of the way they have carried themselves and their name as part of Stevenage FC. We look forward to bettering ourselves next year."

BORO BRIEFS

Our home league game against Gillingham has been rescheduled for Tuesday 4th February 2014. The match was originally due to take place on New Year's Day but fell foul of the wet weather which swept the country. Visit www.borotickets.co.uk to book your tickets today!

Make sure you visit the club's official YouTube page at www.youtube.com/stevenagefcofficial to watch match highlights and a whole host of different videos from around the club including interviews, features and behind the scenes footage. The page has had over 58,000 views and contains hours of entertainment for you to watch.

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PHYSIO

Good evening and welcome to our first home Sky Bet League One fixture of the New Year here at the Lamex against Swindon Town. Due to our postponement on New Year's Day, I didn't get the opportunity to wish you all a very Happy New Year - I hope 2014 can be a successful and healthy one for everybody associated with the club.

Plenty to report then, starting with Darius who made a return to action slightly ahead of schedule at Doncaster ten days ago, coming on for the final 15-20 minutes. The injection he had just before Christmas seems to have had the desired affect and played a significant role in accelerating him back into full contact training in the lead up to the game. We were fully aware that his fitness would be short of the mark, but his presence and experience was going to be valuable, and therefore he travelled with the squad.

He also completed 60 minutes in a training ground game the following week which was key in building further game time and fitness, and backed this up with another substitute appearance at Oldham on Saturday. The ankle is holding up well to the stresses and I'm sure it won't be long until he is pushing for a starting place.

Harts also resumed full training on the Monday before Doncaster following a hamstring strain, which culminated in a return to

play at the Keepmoat. He completed another 90 minutes on Saturday and although he got through both games with minimal problems, he will continue to work on the discrepancies in his control and strength around his gluteals in order to prevent any further overload to his hamstring.

Unfortunately, Lucas suffered another heavy contact to his toe in training last week which resulted in further bruising to the joint. We had a precautionary x-ray at this point to ensure there was no underlying bony damage and the results were clear. This kept him out of training for a few days last week but he returned in time to travel to Oldham on Friday, but he wasn't risked and was therefore left out of the squad. He is likely to return to contention for tonight's game.

Deano (Parrett) and Filipe picked up knee injuries on Saturday and were reassessed Sunday morning. Both appeared to be contact in nature, Deano had moderate swelling on his right knee and was unable to weight-bear without pain and was due to go for a precautionary scan yesterday. There was better news on Filipe, who improved significantly overnight and was able to get through a light session Sunday morning and therefore should be available.

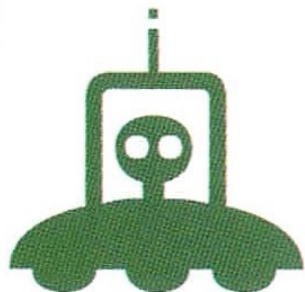
Steve Arnold will now undergo a course of injections (starting



this week) into his patella tendon in an effort to improve an ongoing problem which we have been managing for several months. The loan signing of Adam Smith has enabled us to move forward with Steve's treatment which is likely to see him sidelined for three to four weeks. Following the injections, we will step up his gym based regime before integrating functional training as his symptoms improve. We are hoping that this will prevent any reoccurrence of his pain.

For the first time in as long as I can remember, we had a full complement of players training and available for selection recently, which is almost as rare as a Jon Ashton goal. The last time I remember this happening was several years ago - and it only lasted two days!

Enjoy the game and good health to you all.
Paul



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After the scintillating performance at Doncaster seven days earlier it was a much more prosaic affair at Boundary Park where Stevenage failed to match the heights of their FA Cup exploits. Boro fell to a thirteenth minute header from James Wesolowski on an afternoon where, in truth, neither side deserved to collect the three-point haul.

Boro's afternoon was further blighted by the controversial red card handed to Ben Chorley close to the end of the match that will keep the influential defender side-lined this evening along with the forthcoming visits of Notts County and Everton.

The side at Boundary Park saw just one change from the previous outing with Sam Wedgbury taking a central midfield in place of Michael Doughty, who had spent the week back at his parent club prior to the extension of his loan deal.

MATCH ACTION

OLDHAM ATHLETIC 1 STEVENAGE 0



MANAGER'S VIEW – GRAHAM WESTLEY

"I didn't think there was a deserved winner in the game, but obviously they got the one goal that won it in the first half.

"If you look at the two goalkeepers, they were both dramatically under worked. They got their goal, we hit the post, that aside the two goals weren't really threatened.

"They were determined to hang onto their lead and sat quite deep with their defence and made it quite difficult for us.

"I didn't see the sending off. The footage isn't very clear of the incident; the players were adamant that the centre-forward had stamped. I can't comment, I don't know what went on."



LINE-UPS

STEVENAGE: Day - Jones (Sub: Andrade 80min), Ashton, Chorley, Hartley - Morais, Parrett, Wedgbury (Sub: Doughty 46), Freeman - Zoko, Haber (Sub: Charles 60).
Substitutes not used: A Smith, J Smith, Burrow, Tounkara

OLDHAM: Oxley, Kusunga, Tarkowski, Grounds, Mellor, Petrasso (Sub: Rooney 89), Smith, Wesolowski, Harkins, Clarke-Harris (Sub: MacDonald 89), Harkins (Sub: Dayton 73).
Substitutes not used: Brown, Rodgers, Lockwood, Rachubka

STATISTICS

	OLDHAM	STEVENAGE
Possession	54%	46%
Corners	4	4
Offsides	1	3
Shots	12	8
Shots on target	2	3
Fouls	6	15
Yellow cards	0	0
Red card	0	1





MATCH ACTION

DONCASTER ROVERS 2 STEVENAGE 3

Stevenage put their recent league travails behind them with a sparkling FA Cup performance that saw them cruise past Championship side Doncaster Rovers on the first weekend of the New Year.

After a goalless first half the game burst into life in the second period with five goals. Francois Zoko and Peter Hartley gave Boro a two-goal lead, but substitute Harry Forrester halved the advantage with a smart volley with 20 minutes remaining. Darius Charles restored Boro's two-goal lead in the final few minutes and despite a late fluke giving Rovers hope, Stevenage held on to record a famous win.



MANAGER'S VIEW – GRAHAM WESTLEY

"Coming into today I fancied us. I thought with the players we had coming back we had a chance of producing a defensive performance. With the players that we had in we had a chance of producing an attacking performance.

"If you can attack and defend you've got a chance. We came here with the right mentality; we came here to win the game. In the FA Cup there are no prizes really for getting the draw.

"We came here with the right spirit, we had players coming back and our best team is always going to produce results. There's no question about that.

"The spirit's there, the hunger's there – we've got to make sure we carry that forward into the league now and get points on the board before Round Four."



LINE-UPS

STEVENAGE: Day - Jones, Ashton, Chorley, Hartley - Morais (Sub: Andrade 75min), Parrett (Sub: Wedgbury 75), Freeman - Zoko, Haber (Sub: Charles 78).

Substitutes not used: Arnold, Burrow, Akins, Smith

DONCASTER: Turnbull, Wakefield, Stevens, Quinn, McCullough, Cotterill (Sub: Forrester 56), Syers, Furman (Sub: Paynter 56), Woods, Duffy, Brown (Sub: Bennett 73).

Substitutes not used: Maxted, Khumalo, De Val, Peterson



STATISTICS

	DONCASTER	STEVENAGE
Possession	41%	59%
Corners	1	4
Offsides	0	0
Shots	6	15
Shots on target	4	10
Fouls	15	11
Yellow cards	2	0
Red card	0	0





MATCH ACTION

BRISTOL CITY 4 STEVENAGE 1

Stevenage fell to a 4-1 defeat at Bristol City three days ago.

First half goals from Greg Cunningham and Sam Baldock were added to in the second half by two Jay Emmanuel-Thomas strikes as City took control. Francois Zoko pulled one back late on for Boro, who also rattled the woodwork twice and forced home 'keeper Elliott Parish into a string of fine saves during the 90 minutes.

Graham Westley responded to the defeat at Colchester by making five changes to his starting eleven. In came Sam Wedgbury, Jordan Burrow, Greg Tansey, David Gray and Roarie Deacon with Ben Chorley, Michael Doughty, Bruno Andrade and Simon Heslop dropping to the bench.



MANAGER'S VIEW – GRAHAM WESTLEY

"I saw a game today where the team showed a lot of fight, a lot of care, we had a lot of good possession; we took our game forward and created a lot of good moments. The scoreline could have been very different on a different day.

"They've scored four from their 10 attempts and we've scored one from our 19. I think the attempts on goal is a fair reflection of the afternoon.

"Obviously football is about scoring goals, but I was comfortable with the work ethic, and the care and desire of the team today."

LINE-UPS

STEVENAGE: Day - Gray, Ashton, Jones, Deacon - Smith (Sub: Akins 54min), Tansey (Sub: Doughty 70), Wedgbury (Sub: Heslop 82) - Freeman, Zoko, Burrow.

Substitutes not used: Arnold, Chorley, Haber, Andrade

BRISTOL CITY: Parish - Williams, Flint, Baldock (Sub: Burns 85), Emmanuel-Thomas - Wagstaff (Sub: Moloney 74), Reid, Cunningham, Elliott - Gillett (Sub: Carey 87), Osborne.

Substitutes not used: Fielding, Bryan, Wynter, Taylor



STATISTICS

	BRISTOL CITY	STEVENAGE
Possession	43%	57%
Corners	2	11
Offsides	0	0
Shots	10	20
Shots on target	4	8
Fouls	7	9
Yellow cards	3	2
Red card	0	0



ON THE SPOT WITH...

PETER HARTLEY

This week defender Peter Hartley is under the spotlight as he answers our questions

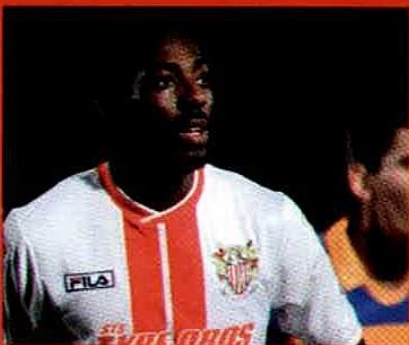


Q: WHICH TEAMMATE WOULD YOU NOMINATE TO GO ON X-FACTOR AND WHY?

Lucas Akins, he is always, always, always singing, I mean all the time!

Q: IF YOU WERE ASKED ONTO A REALITY SHOW WOULD YOU PICK STRICTLY COME DANCING OR I'M A CELEBRITY GET ME OUT OF HERE?

I'm a celebrity for sure, not into all that dancing stuff, got a bit of freestyle in my locker, but when it gets serious I put my dancing shoes away.



Q: WHICH OF YOUR TEAMMATES WOULD BENEFIT MOST FROM AN EXTREME MAKEOVER WITH GOK WAN?

Roarie Deacon, not only does he look like Marv out of Home Alone, but he also dresses like him. Loves a bit of black, Deacs could do with some advice!!

Q: WHAT IS THE FUNNIEST OR WEIRDEST THING A FAN OR SUPPORTER HAS EVER SAID TO YOU?

A Hartlepool fan named his son Hartley when he was born, which I thought was a pretty decent thing to do.

Q: IN THE CAR PARK YOU ACCIDENTALLY DENT ANOTHER PLAYER'S BRAND NEW CAR. WHAT DO YOU DO?

Get in my car ASAP and drive away as fast as possible. Innocent until proven guilty!!

Q: WHOSE WOULD YOU WANT IT TO BE?

I wouldn't do that intentionally.

Q: FAMILY GUY OR THE SIMPSONS?

Family Guy.



Q: What was the first football computer game you ever played?

Football Manager for my laptop. I still have a dabble now and then. I'd be a ledge manager!

Q: IF YOU WERE STUCK IN THE HOTEL LIFT WITH JUST ONE PLAYER WHO WOULD YOU CHOOSE TO BE WITH?

Sam Wedgbury, the guy's hilarious; he would make it the best time of my life! Lucky to live with the guy (haha!)

Q: WHAT IS YOUR BEST SOUVENIR YOU HAVE FROM YOUR TIME OF FOOTBALL?

I've got a few signed shirts, but I've got to say my first ever professional debut shirt. The feeling I had that day will live with me forever.

Q: IF THE TEAM WERE PUT IN A CAGE WHO WOULD BE THE LAST MAN STANDING?

Got to back myself, always. Although Greg Tansey could chew he's way out the cage with them teeth.

Q: YOUR CAR IS IN THE GARAGE. WHO IS THE LAST PLAYER YOU WOULD WANT TO GET A LIFT FROM?

James Dunne!



Q: WHO DO YOU ROOM WITH ON AWAY JOURNEYS AND WHAT IS THEIR MOST ANNOYING HABIT?

Simon Heslop, he's very heavy footed. He doesn't walk around the room, he stomps. And he loves being naked!

Q: YOU HAVE FORGOTTEN TO BRING LUNCH TO THE CLUB. YOU FIND A SANDWICH IN THE PLAYERS' FRIDGE - YOU KNOW IT ISN'T YOURS BUT YOU DECIDE TO EAT IT ANYWAY. WHOSE FOOD DO YOU HOPE IT IS?

Darius Charles. He loves making his own naughty breakfast and dinners, but it would be super healthy.



Q: WHAT'S YOUR FAVOURITE TAKEAWAY MEAL?

Indian.

Q: WHAT THREE CELEBRITIES WOULD MAKE YOUR DREAM DINNER PARTY AND WHAT WOULD YOU COOK?

Gazza, Kevin Hart and Micky Flanagan. What a line-up that would be but by the way I don't think I would need to cook anything just get the beers out!!



Q: WHAT IS THE BEST MATCH YOU HAVE EVER WATCHED EITHER LIVE ON TV OR AT THE GROUND?

I've got to say Germany v England when we won 5-1, best day ever. Michael Owen was unplayable that day.

Q: WHAT HAS BEEN YOUR BIGGEST DIY DISASTER?

DIY??? Ha ha

Q: WHO IS THE MOST FAMOUS PERSON YOU HAVE EVER MET?

Well I've had quite a few big managers and played with decent players like Roy Keane



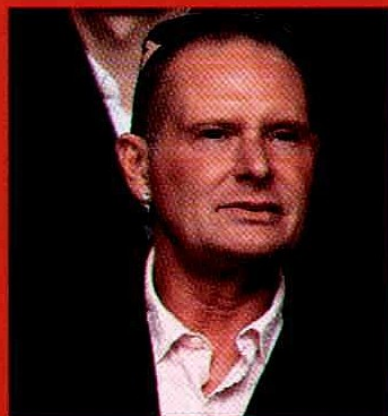
and Dwight Yorke. But I've got to say Tom Hardy the actor is the most famous, he's missus lives up next to me and seen him in Yarm a lot.

Q: WHAT FILM SCARED THE LIFE OUT OF YOU?

Exorcist, first ever one, Wow!

Q: IF YOUR LIFE WERE A MOVIE WHO WOULD PLAY YOU?

Tom Hardy, he's the dog's bollocks.



MY FAVOURITE GROUND

JON ASHTON



Each programme we ask one of the Stevenage players to name the favourite ground that he has played at – this week it is captain, Jon Ashton

Jon Ashton has enjoyed some memorable moments in a Boro shirt so it is no great surprise that amongst his favourite grounds are the scenes of our FA Trophy success and League Two play-off victory.

"When it comes to favourite grounds I have a few," he says. "Wembley because it's every player's dream to play there and I'm proud to say I have. Old Trafford because of the history it has with Manchester United and the fact we won there in the play-off final."

But it is another Premier League ground and an appearance with his first club Leicester City that still stands out for Ashton. Despite a 2-1 defeat at the hands of Sunderland as Leicester vainly attempted to hang on to their status in the top



flight, Ashton remembers the occasion fondly. "I remember it being full to capacity and not being able to hear myself shout. It was deafening from the first to last minute and I loved it."



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THE NUMB3RS GAME



1969

The year Swindon won the League Cup.

14,700

The capacity of the County Ground.

135

How many years ago Swindon were founded



1992

The year Swindon won promotion to the Premier League.

229

Number of goals record goalscorer Harry Morris has scored.

47

Swindon's rank as the most successful English club domestically.

889

The number of games John Trollope played for the club.



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WE'VE BEEN LOOKING BACK OVER 2013 AND ASKED YOU WHAT YOUR FAVOURITE MOMENTS, PERFORMANCES AND GOALS HAVE BEEN:

@michael_ives98: Has to be the 4-0 against Sheffield United, and Lopez's goal for the hat trick!

@Luke_skinner95: Best home game this year has to be the FA cup vs @officialpompey and Zoko's 2nd goal was class!

@_JackHoad: Brentford at home and Zoko's first goal!

Owen Beynon: Crewe 0 Stevenage 3 - shows what the current squad are able to do, which makes current form all the more frustrating!

Roo Hyuga: Got to be against Everton. We may have lost but made a Premier League side team work just as hard as we had to.

Lee Evans: P'Boro away, shows what they are capable of if spirit takes them.

Phil Tutton: I'll go for Peterborough away as well.

One of the best performances home or away this season, the only time I've seen genuine fighting spirit and unity among the players to get to the end and see the win through. It was fearless from our guys, and the atmosphere up in the stand was rocking!

Craig Atkinson: The excellent performance we put in against a strong Everton side. Not only great on the field but great atmosphere in the stands. Will live long in the memory.

Ray Cordell: I was right in line with Lucas Akins amazing goal at the away win in Peterborough, fantastic.

Kerryanne 'Kezz' O'Connor: Meeting the players < 3 made some friends for life!

WE WERE INUNDATED WITH MESSAGES AFTER DRAWING EVERTON IN THE FA CUP

@therealjoepb: What an awesome draw for @StevenageFC, the Lamex will be absolutely buzzing!! #StevenageFC

@TomFarr4: Battle of the beasts - DARIUS vs Lukaku!

@LouShepherd11: It's an awesome draw against Everton for @StevenageFC especially as it's at home this time. Capital One Cup replay! Bring it on!

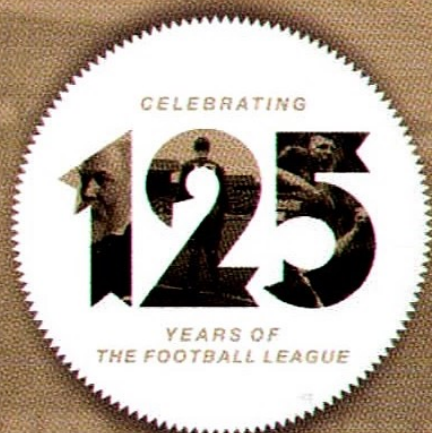
@FingersLily: Everton won't fancy that one bit. It's what they deserve for the brilliant performance yesterday. Bring them on!

@AndreRicho7: I don't think that @Everton should take their draw with @StevenageFC lightly. They were a formidable side at Goodison last time #COYB

@becki_diamant: Our atmosphere at Everton was amazing let's hope we go bigger & better! #fortress #boingboingboro #believe

@phil_woolger: Brilliant draw for @StevenageFC. As long as the atmosphere is the same as it was at Goodison Park, it's ours for the taking! #believe #FACup

@RayChinn: Looking forward to welcoming Everton to The Lamex. Always a great atmosphere for big cup games.



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BORO BEAR'S

JUNIOR BORO PAGE



GAME 1 - GUESS THE PLAYER

Clue 1: I'm an experienced central defender
 Clue 2: I've just returned from a long-term injury
 Clue 3: I wear the number 4 shirt

ANSWER _____

GAME 2 - WORDSEARCH

Can you find the following five players who played for both Stevenage and Gillingham during their careers in the grid below?

Nutter
 Fuller
 Lewis
 Julian
 Trott

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GAME 3 - QUICKFIRE QUIZ

1) What is the name of Gillingham's stadium?

a) Vicarfield b) Bishopfield c) Priestfield

2) The Gills play in what colour home shirt?

a) Blue b) Green c) Red

3) Who scored his first Boro goal at Gillingham in November?

a) Simon Heslop b) David Gray c) Bruno Andrade



SUPPORTERS ASSOCIATION

Today's SA mascot is Thomas Mansell from Barnet. The 10-year-old, who attends Church Hill School in Barnet loves Stevenage FC and his favourite player is Luke Freeman. We hope you have a great day out at the Lamex Stadium, Thomas!

Happy Birthday to Junior Boro fans Alyssa Butterfield (12 on 28th) and Tom Colbert (15 on Monday) who have both enjoyed birthdays in the past week. Happy Birthday also in advance to Adrian Smith (14), Nick White (15) and Joe Devereux (15) who will all to enjoying birthdays in the next seven days.



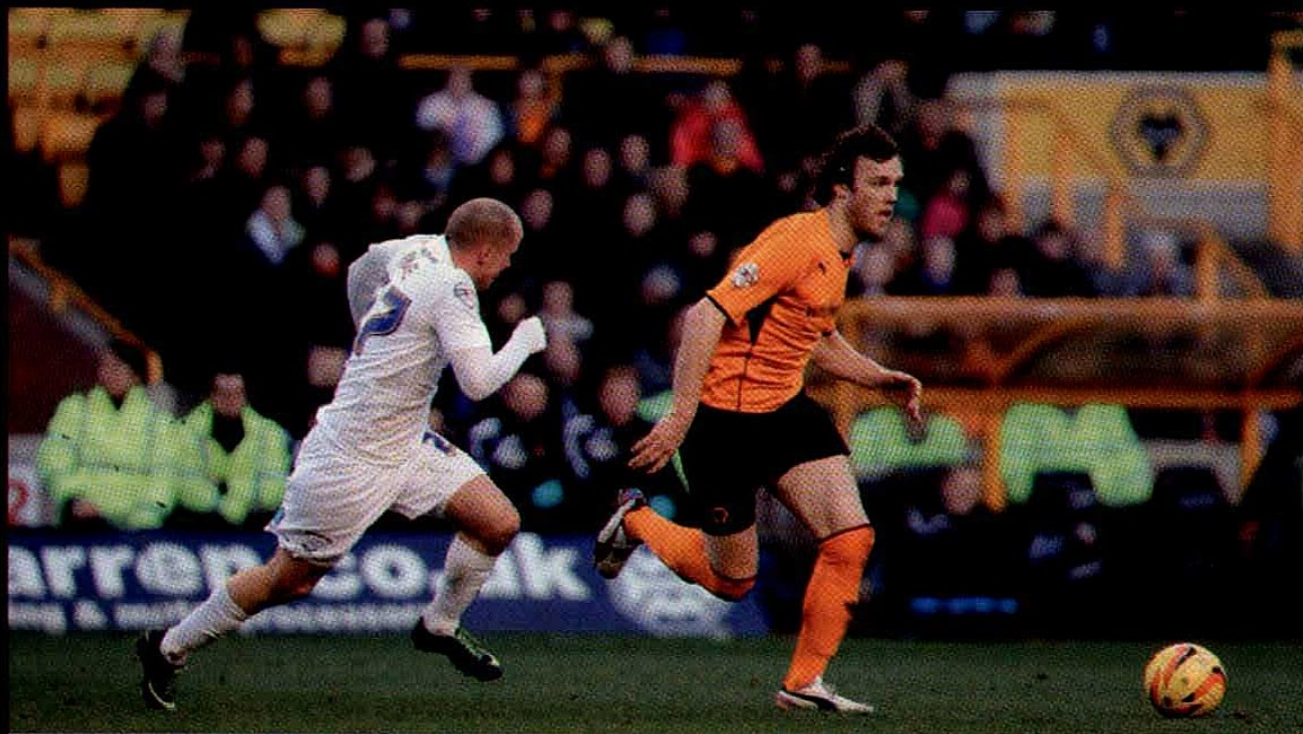
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AROUND THE LEAGUE

A look at the action from last weekend's programme in Sky Bet League One



Brentford continue to lead the way in League One after extending their winning run to eight. They overcame play-off hopefuls Port Vale with a goal either side of half time. The Bee's got the lead through Fulham loanee, Marcelo Trota, who celebrated extending his loan deal to the end of the season with a fierce strike from the edge of the box. Prolific scorer Clayton Donaldson thought he had doubled the home side's lead, but saw his effort ruled out for a foul on Vale keeper Chris Neil. Will Grigg finished off Vale, who had struggled to make an impact of any sorts

when he tapped home from close range.

Leyton Orient continued their pursuit of Brentford with a comfortable 4-0 victory against Carlisle, compliments of a thirteenth goal of the season from veteran striker Kevin Lisbie. Orient sustained pressure in the first half but had to wait 43 minutes to take the lead when Scott Cuthbert headed home Lloyd Jones' cross. Jamie Ness and Kevin Lisbie made the score comfortable in the second half before Shaquille Coulthirst rounded Carlisle keeper Gregg Fleming in injury time

to seal the thumping win, only four months after the O's thumped the Cumbrian's 5-1 in the reverse fixture.

Wolves overcame fellow promotion chasers Preston North End at Molineux with a thoroughly professional two-goal win. Dave Edwards slotted under keeper Declan Rudd to put the home team ahead, before teenager Lee Evans scored his first goal since August to seal the win.

Rotherham showed they are promotion contenders after twice coming from behind to win, depriving Crewe of

a much-needed win in a six-goal thriller. Bradden Inman struck first for Crewe after just twelve minutes, only for Kieran Agard to equalise on the half hour. Kelvin Mellor put Crewe in front on the hour, but Lee Frecklington composed himself to bring the Millers level from the spot seven minutes later. Harry Davis then missed a penalty at the other end before Alex Revell's header put Rotherham ahead. Frecklington then shot home to seal the points deep into extra time.

Peterborough's poor form continued after goals from Nile Ranger and Yaser Kasim were enough to hand Swindon all three points. The victory takes the Robins to within two points of the play-offs. Ranger headed the visitors in front before Kasim struck with a low drive from 20-yards. Peterborough dominated the second half and pulled one back thanks to Nathaniel Knight-Percival, but after Lee Tomlin was dismissed for Posh, the home side strolled to an important victory.

Cole Stockton rescued a point for Tranmere against Walsall, finding the bottom corner twelve minutes from time as the sides shared the spoils at Prenton Park. Walsall had taken the lead when Milan Lalkovic curled home a fine 25-yard strike past Rovers goalkeeper Owain Fon Williams.

Dean Bowditch scored what

proved to be the winning goal on his return from injury as MK Dons were on the right side of a 3-2 score-line against Shrewsbury. Dele Alli nodded the home side ahead within five minutes but Ryan Woods kept his composure to bundle home from close range to bring Shrewsbury level. Chris Long put the Don's in front again after turning in a rebound before Bowditch's superb strike gave the home side some breathing space. Joe Jacobson scored a well-taken late consolation, but MK Dons held on and moved within four points of the play-offs.

Colchester showed some real class to overcome Gillingham by three goals to nil in a dominant display. Ex-Arsenal prospect Sanchez Watt fired the home side into the lead five minutes after the break before goals from Clinton Morrison and Freddie Sears sealed the victory.

James Wesolowski scored what proved to be the only goal of the game, guiding Oldham to a first win in seven league games against struggling Stevenage. The game, which was scrappy at the best of times, was won when the midfielder nodded home from close range after thirteen minutes.

Struggling Bristol City managed to pick up a valuable point in their battle against relegation as they shared a goal apiece with

Bradford. James Hanson put the hosts ahead with less than a minute gone when he poked the ball past goalkeeper Elliot Parish. Nevertheless, Scott Wagstaff was on target ten minutes later to equalise, and despite both sides having chances to win it, the game fizzled out into a draw.

Mark Fotherington picked an ideal time to score his first goal in the black and white stripes of Notts County as he helped the strugglers to what could be a crucial victory over Sheffield United. The Blades had been in front when Liverpool loanee Conor Coady netted after just two minutes, but County clawed themselves level when experienced striker Enoch Showunmi turned the ball in from close range on the half hour. Fotherington then won the game, turning in the rebound after Blades keeper George Long fumbled his first effort to take County within a point of escaping the drop-zone.

Finally, Coventry failed to hang onto what seemed a convincing two goal lead when Crawley Town struck twice late on to grab a well-earned point. The reds fell behind just before half-time when Mat Sadler headed into his own net prior to Andy Webster making it 2-0 with nine minutes to go. Crawley then showed some real guts, scoring twice in the space of two minutes through substitute Jamie Proctor and Andy Drury to salvage a draw.

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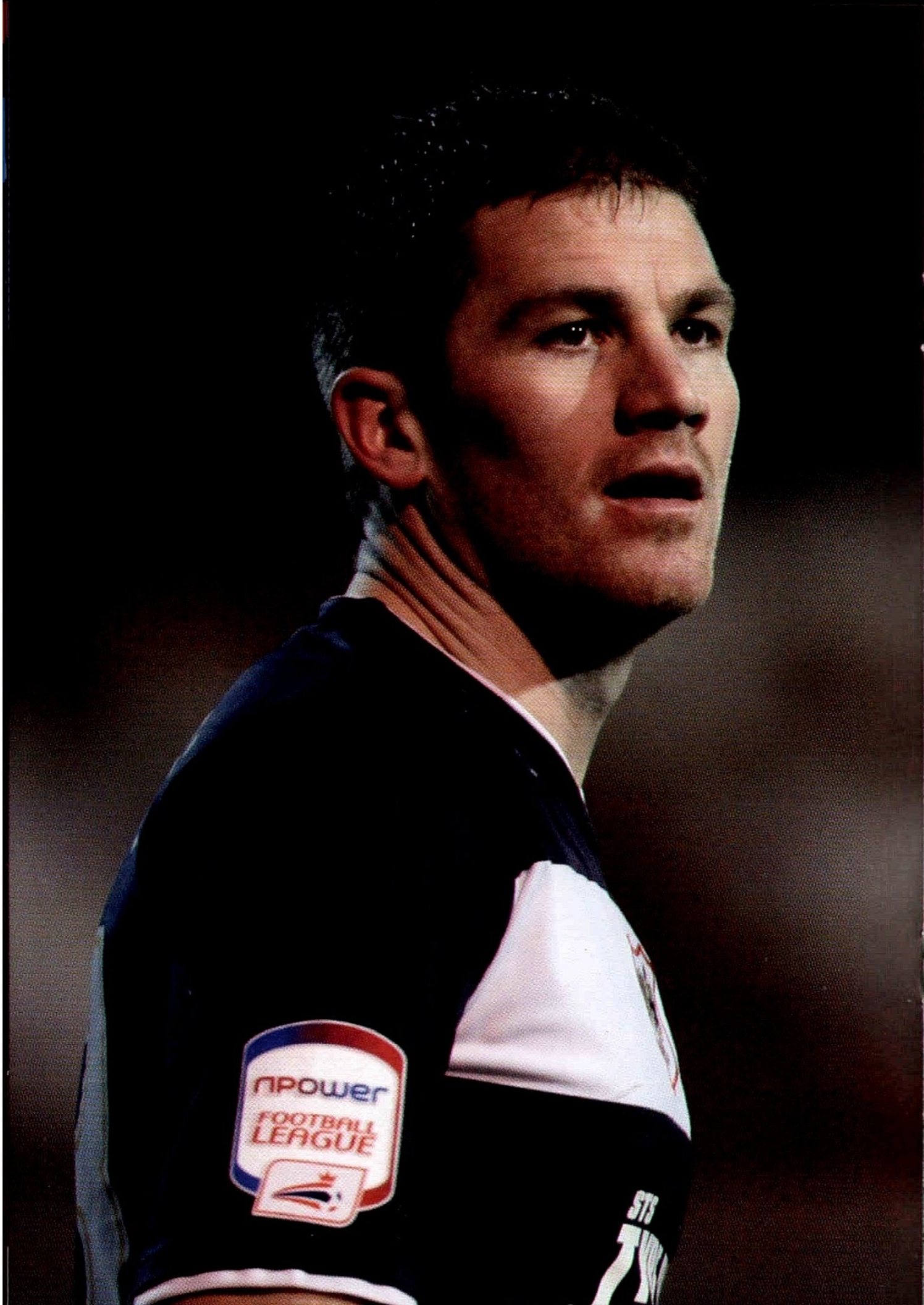
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SQUAD NUMB3RS

Throughout the season Steven John Smith will be taking a closer look at squad numbers and the players behind them. This week it is all about the men who have put on the number 4 shirt for the Boro.

Wearing it now...

BEN CHORLEY

AGE 31

JOINED IN 2013

BORO APPEARANCES 8

BORO GOALS 0

Previous clubs Arsenal, Brentford (loan), Wimbledon, MK Dons, Gillingham (loan), Tranmere Rovers, Leyton Orient.

Ex-Arsenal youngster Ben signed for Stevenage in January 2013 on a two and half year contract for an undisclosed fee from Leyton Orient. The move reunited the centre-half with his old boss, Gary Smith, who had coached him during his time with Wimbledon. He made his debut just two days after signing, against his former club Leyton Orient,

playing the whole match in a tight 1-0 defeat.

In March 2013, after making eight appearances for Stevenage, Chorley's Boro career stalled after he underwent a double hernia operation that would ultimately rule him out for the remainder of the 2012/13 campaign.

He has now completed his comeback after nine months out and is determined to help Boro climb up the Sky Bet League One table. There were fears the 31-year-old former Leyton Orient defender's career could be over and he visited the FA's state-of-the-art facility, the Georges Centre, before his return.

Pulled it on in the past...

EDDIE ODHIAMBO

JOINED 2008

LEFT 2010

APPEARANCES 34

GOALS 3

Also played for Southampton, Chester City (loan), Yeovil Town (loan), Tamworth (loan), Oxford United, Newport County, Gateshead, Brackley Town.

Tanzanian right-back Eddie Odhiambo failed to break into the first-team at Southampton, and signed for Oxford United on a free transfer in July 2006, but after impressing signed for Stevenage in 2008 on a free transfer.

He found it hard to hold down a first team place, making seventeen league appearances in his debut season at the club, scoring one goal. His last appearance of the season was coming on as 85th minute substitute in the FA Trophy final, where following a 2-0 triumph

over York, it was Boro leaving trophy in hand.

Odhiambo again struggled for first-team appearances, but eventually made his first start of the season on 31 August 2009, coming on as a substitute in a game against Histon; scoring the second goal in a 2-0 victory. Following this impressive performance he started playing on a much more regular basis; assisting goals in wins against Mansfield Town, Luton Town and Eastbourne Borough.

Odhiambo played a total of 21 times during the season, scoring twice as Stevenage won promotion to the Football League, before he was subsequently released by the club, but could look back on his time at the club with pride, having been part of some truly historic moments for the football club.

AROUND THE LEAGUE

Bradford

Not Assigned

Brentford

Adam Forshaw

Bristol City

Not Assigned

Carlisle

Chris Chantler

Colchester

Magnus Okuonghae

Coventry

Andy Webster

Crawley Town

Mark Connolly

Crewe

Harry Davis

Gillingham

Arnine Linganzi

Leyton Orient

Romain Vincelot

MK Dons

Tom Flanagan

Notts County

Garry Liddle

Oldham

James Wesolowski

Peterborough

Shaun Brisley

Port Vale

Chris Robertson

Preston

Paul Huntington

Rotherham

Kari Arnason

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A BOOT IN BOTH CAMPS

Steven John Smith looks at some of the names that have linked Stevenage and Gillingham over the years.

STEVE BERRY

**Stevenage 1995-1996,
1998-1999; Swindon Town
1987**

Steve Berry had a quite incredible career, taking the midfield for an incredible fifteen different clubs during his days in football. Berry signed for Swindon in 1987 for £15,000, playing three league and all the play-off games as the club gained promotion to the Second Division, before leaving to join Aldershot in October 1987 in part-exchange for Bobby Barnes.

Many years later, in 1995, he signed for Boro, returning from a spell playing in Hong Kong, and his debut season accumulated 37 appearances, scoring two goals. During this season he captained Boro as they won the Conference National title in 1995-96, but quickly moved on come the end of the season to Kettering Town to take up a player/manager role.

Nevertheless, his time at Boro was not over, and two years later Berry announced his resignation at Kettering following a substantial decrease in playing budget from the chairman before rejoining Stevenage as a player for the following campaign. In his second spell at the club he made 27 appearances, scoring one goal.

Berry has since hung up his boots, moved to Paris and is currently Global Director of Talent for Ipsos Mori, a leading market research agency headquartered in the French capital.

CHARLIE GRIFFIN

**Stevenage 2009-2011;
Swindon Town 1999-2000**

Griffin began his long, illustrious career with Swindon Town in February 1999, having signed from non-league neighbours Chippenham Town for £10,000. After only starting eight games for the Robins though, he made the decision to step down to the Conference with Woking in a bid to get some regular football.

After a successful spell at Salisbury during the club's 2008-09 campaign, Griffin earned himself a move to Stevenage on a free transfer in May 2009. Griffin helped the club earn promotion to the Football League in his first season at the club, where he scored an impressive 15 goals in 32 outings for the Boro. The following season Griffin struggled for goals, only finding the net three times in seventeen appearances.

After a loan spell at Newport County, Griffin left permanently to join his former employers Forest Green Rovers, but will never be forgotten for his part in

helping Stevenage to their first ever promotion to the Football League. The 34-year-old has however continued to play and now is part of the set up at Brackley Town.

OLIVER RISSE

**Stevenage 2012-2013;
Swindon Town 2011-2013**

In June 2011, Oliver Risse arrived in England for a one-week trial with English League Two side Swindon Town, and after three days, manager Paolo Di Canio announced that the Namibian international had been offered, and had accepted a two-year deal with the club.

The midfielder went on to make 40 appearances in his debut season; scoring three goals as the Robins were promoted to League One as Champions. The next season however, he fell out of favour to a host of new signings, and joined Stevenage in August 2012 on loan until January, with the move expected to be made permanent upon the completion of the loan.

The midfielder went on to make 13 appearances during the loan spell, scoring one goal. Stevenage made the decision to turn down the opportunity to make the move permanent and Risse returned to his parent club in January 2013. He now plays for KFC Oosterzonen Oosterwijk in Belgium.



WELCOME TO SWINDON TOWN

This evening we welcome the players, staff and fans of Swindon Town to the Lamex. Their manager, Mark Cooper, is well known in these parts for his time in charge of old adversaries of ours from non-league, Tamworth and Kettering.

The Robins current form has been good and they find themselves just outside of the play-off places in the league – poised to make a push for promotion in the last few months of the season. With three wins, two losses and a draw in their last six matches they have been keenly contesting each game. Town picked up a superb 2-1 win over Peterborough at the weekend and will be hoping to build on this tonight.

ROBINS NEWS

Swindon boss Mark Cooper was a relieved man on Saturday as he watched his talented striker Nile Ranger let his football make the headlines as opposed to off field problems. Ranger scored one and produced a man of the match performance in the win over Posh. The 22-year-old, who had been suspended by the club for persistently missing training sessions amid other personal issues, got his recall to the side after apologising to the rest of the players for his behaviour.

Cooper explained: "Nile came to me and wanted to apologise to the players. It was put to the players whether they wanted to give him another chance. In

football terms, they wanted him in the team. The rest of it, they feel very let down by him and let him know that. But they decided we are a better team with him in it. He did some terrific defensive work, as well as scoring a goal we'd worked on at training." Cooper added. "It was a result we ground out, though I'm not sure we deserved to. The back four and goalkeeper were immense. We had to dig deep. Peterborough pummelled us in the second half, but we held on."

Liverpool rookie Michael Ngoo is wanted by League One Swindon. The six foot six inch striker has struggled to establish himself at Liverpool since arriving as a 16-year-old in 2009. He impressed on loan

at Hearts last season, scoring five goals in 16 outings and is attracting interest from Celtic. He agreed to join Yeovil on loan for the season in the summer but the deal was cut short in October after he failed to break into the first-team. The 21-year-old looks set to leave Liverpool again during the window and Swindon boss Mark Cooper is hoping to seal a transfer.

Manager Mark Cooper expects there to be interest in Lee Cox during the January transfer window. Cox, who has played just eight times in two years with Swindon Town since joining from Inverness Caledonian Thistle, is surplus to requirements at the County Ground and has been placed on the club's transfer list during the January window. No approaches have as yet been forthcoming for the 23-year-old - as is the case with the rest of the Town squad, but Swindon manager Cooper thinks it is just a matter of time. He commented: "Money is tight in football and it'd take a lot of money to get any of our players. Coxy has been injured and it's difficult because people want to know that you're fit. I'm sure something will happen before the end of the window."

Troy Archibald-Henville's name is also understood to have been circulated around the Football League as being available for a loan move away from Wiltshire.

Cooper has admitted that Swindon are taking a risk in signing the relatively untried George Barker from Brighton. Barker, 22, has penned an 18-month contract at the County Ground after joining for an undisclosed fee from the Seagulls last week. A product of the Brighton youth development



system, the striker has yet to score a professional goal but has a big fan in Swindon assistant coach Luke Williams, who worked with Barker for a year at the Sussex club.

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Cooper confirmed that Williams' input into the deal was significant; saying his number two "swears by" his latest acquisition. "He fits into our bracket of what we're trying to do. He's one that nobody else would probably look at but he's technically very good. He's young, he is an intelligent footballer and he's another one we're going to try to develop and teach him how to play. Obviously Luke worked with him at Brighton for a year and he swears by him so that's good enough for me. We're taking a punt on the boy."





FIVE TO FOLLOW

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WES FODERINGHAM

The shot-stopper came through the ranks with Fulham's Academy before moving to Crystal Palace. Initially joined Swindon on loan in 2012 and enjoyed a prolific start to his Town career where he didn't concede a goal in his first five games.

A string of fine performances saw him earn a permanent contract in January 2012 and went on to help Town claim the League Two Championship at the end of the season in addition to making an appearance at Wembley in the Johnstone's Paint Trophy final. He was virtually ever-present as Swindon made the League One play-offs last term. Penned a new contract in the summer.



MASSIMO LUONGO

Luongo joined Swindon from Tottenham Hotspur on a season-long loan in the summer before completing a permanent move just before transfer deadline day. The midfielder is in his second spell at The County Ground, having spent time on loan at the club at the end of the 2012/13 season.

He scored the opening goal of Swindon's play-off campaign against Brentford and played in both legs as Town were knocked out at the semi-final stage. The stylish midfielder will be looking to push on in 2014 after netting six times in the first half of the campaign.



ALEX PRITCHARD

Pritchard joined Town on a season-long youth loan from Tottenham Hotspur in the summer. After a spell at Peterborough United towards the end of the 2012/13 campaign, the winger made his Swindon bow at London Road on the opening day of the 2013/14 season.

He notched his first Town goal in the Capital One Cup victory at QPR. Has international caps with England's Under-20s and represented his country at the recent Under-20 World Cup



YASER KASIM

A former player with Brighton and Hove Albion's Academy side, Kasim penned a permanent deal with the Town ahead of the 2013/14 campaign.

In his time at the Amex Stadium, the classy holding midfielder spent time on loan at Luton Town and Macclesfield Town.

Netted his first Swindon goal in the win over Coventry City in December.



DARREN WARD

As Swindon's Captain, Ward marshals the team from his position at centre-half. After joining initially on loan last summer from Millwall, the 33-year-old made his Town debut against local rivals Oxford United before penning a permanent deal in January 2012.

He started his career as a youngster at Watford making 67 appearances, including a number of Premiership games before then Millwall boss Mark McGhee brought him to The Den in 2001.

During his four years at the club, The Lions reached the FA Cup Final in 2004 and then had a taste of UEFA Cup action.

Ward moved to Crystal Palace in a £1.1m deal in the summer of 2005 where he racked up 69 appearances before switching to Wolves. He put pen to paper on a brand new contract this summer.

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WE'VE MET BEFORE

Steven John Smith looks at some of the previous meetings between Stevenage and Swindon Town

SWINDON TOWN 1 STEVENAGE 2 FA CUP, 4TH JANUARY 1998

Stevenage's first ever competitive meeting against Swindon has so far proved to be their only triumph over the Robins. Nevertheless, that one victory was a very special one. It came in the 1998 FA Cup 3rd Round, and the win proved to be the biggest upset of the round. The victory allowed Stevenage to progress to play Premiership giants Newcastle United in the fourth round, in which they earned a famous draw against the Magpies.

On the day, Giuliano Grazioli was the cup hero, securing an epic victory for the Vauxhaul Conference side in the 65th minute with a superb strike from all of 25 yards. This came after Mark Walters had put First Division Swindon ahead in the sixth minute, but when a chance presented itself, Jason Soloman obliged, equalising in the 23rd minute for Boro, before Grazioli's winner completed an incredibly historic day for the football club.

SWINDON TOWN 1 STEVENAGE 0 LEAGUE ONE, 10TH AUGUST 2013

Stevenage's latest league meeting with Swindon came last August, and it was the Robins who came out on top. Midfielder, Massimo Luongo, who is one of four Tottenham loanees currently on Swindon's books, scored the only goal of



the game in the first half with a 20-yard strike, which left the Boro goalkeeper, Steve Arnold, clutching at air after twenty-six minutes.

Boro improved dramatically after the break but could not find an equaliser, with Greg Tansley blazing over and Dani Lopez missing an easy header from four yards out. The goal gave Swindon their first league win of the season while the result left Stevenage, with two defeats in their opening two games, with a lot of early season creases to iron out.

SWINDON TOWN 1 STEVENAGE 1 (3-1 ON PENS), JPT, 11TH DECEMBER 2013

Boro's latest meeting with Swindon came in the quarter

final of the Johnstone's Paint Trophy last month. Boro had fallen behind to an early Nicky Ajose goal, before with just over 10 minutes of the match remaining, free-scoring Francois Zoko popped up at the near post to put a corner past Swindon stopper, Tyrrell Belford, to bring Stevenage Boro level.

At the full time the whistle the teams were in deadlock, sending the match to the much dreaded penalty shoot-out. However, with Belford pulling off two superb stops for Swindon, while another shot was fired high over the bar, Stevenage were heading out, while Swindon who, with a 3-1 victory on spot kicks found themselves looking forward to a tough semi-final test against Darren Ferguson's Peterborough.

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FROM THE ARCHIVES

JOHNNY BROOKS

Lloyd Briscoe digs into the archives to look at the history of football in Stevenage

Arguably, one of the greatest footballers to play in a Stevenage shirt was Johnny Brooks. He joined the club way back in 1964, but what do we know of this outstanding footballer? Johnny Brooks was born in Reading on December 23rd 1931. He started his footballing career with the Coley Boys Club and signed for Ted Drake's Reading FC at Elm Park in 1949. At inside-right he was an instant success and after 46 League appearances and five goals, Tottenham Hotspur registered their interest. He moved to White Hart Lane for a fee and two exchange players

Spurs were rebuilding their championship side and John held down a regular place amongst the remnants of Arthur Rowe's 'push and run' side.

His philosophy has always been to let the ball do the work, and he aptly displayed that talent three times in an England shirt. He was the 757th player to appear for England and played against Wales, Yugoslavia and in the World Cup qualifier against Denmark, scoring twice in three games. Sadly, injury and a loss of form brought his international career to a premature end.

He just missed out, too, on a place in Tottenham's great double side. After 166 league appearances and having scored 46 goals, a swap with Les Allen took him to Chelsea in 1960. It was at Stamford Bridge that he struck up a friendship with Jimmy Greaves.

46 appearances and six goals later, Johnny moved further across West London to Brentford, signing in September 1961 for a fee of £5000. Here he made another 83 league appearance and scored another 36 goals.

After a brief spell with Crystal Palace and (Malcolm Allison's) Toronto City, Johnny was lured to Stevenage by the Stripes' boss, George Curtis. He had been touted by Aldershot and Lincoln City but John preferred the attraction of the new town of Stevenage. Having previously lived in a small flat in Reading, the big new detached house in North Road (opposite the old St Nicholas School) was the perfect home to bring his wife Maureen, Kim (5) and Shaun (2) and raise their young family. It was December 1964 when the Brooks family moved to Stevenage and John settled down to be a first team regular at inside-left. John spent four years gracing the Broadhall Way stage until the Town club went into liquidation in 1968.

After that sad demise, manager Tommy Bickerstaff took John and several of the side to Cambridge City for a season. He spent the following five seasons as Knebworth's manager, during which time he took them to the County League title and the Aubrey Cup Final.

John then had spells with BAC, Walkern, Arlesey and Sunday sides, Twin Foxes and Stevenage College.

One of John's children, Shaun, was born on 9th October 1962 and attended the Barclay School. Following his father's footsteps, Shaun started off as an apprentice at Crystal Palace and became an England schoolboy before moving on to Leyton Orient. He then went to Bournemouth where between 1987 and 1993 he made almost 150



league appearances. Shaun too, tried his hand at football management and for a period during 2012 he teamed up with Paul Groves to manage the Goldsands Stadium outfit.

Shaun's son (John's grandson) is Callum Brooks. Callum, now 28, also went to the Barclay School and continued the family tradition by becoming an apprentice at Crystal Palace. Sadly, first team football never really materialised and so Callum concentrated on his coaching abilities. After experience with Poole Town in a coaching capacity, Callum is now the manager of New Milton Town FC, who ply their trade in Division 1 of the Wessex League. At the time of writing, they are in seventh place out of 17 competing clubs.

Johnny Brooks was afforded a testimonial match by Stevenage on August 7th 1983. Notaries such as John Hollins, Graham Roberts, Chris Hughton, Gary Mabbutt, Ron Henry, Clive Allen, Alan Brazil, Vince Hilaire, Glen Roeder and Colin Powell turned out to play the Stevenage Borough side of the day.

Although not in the best of health these days, Johnny Brooks (now 82-years-old) still lives in the Bournemouth area, near both Shaun and Callum.

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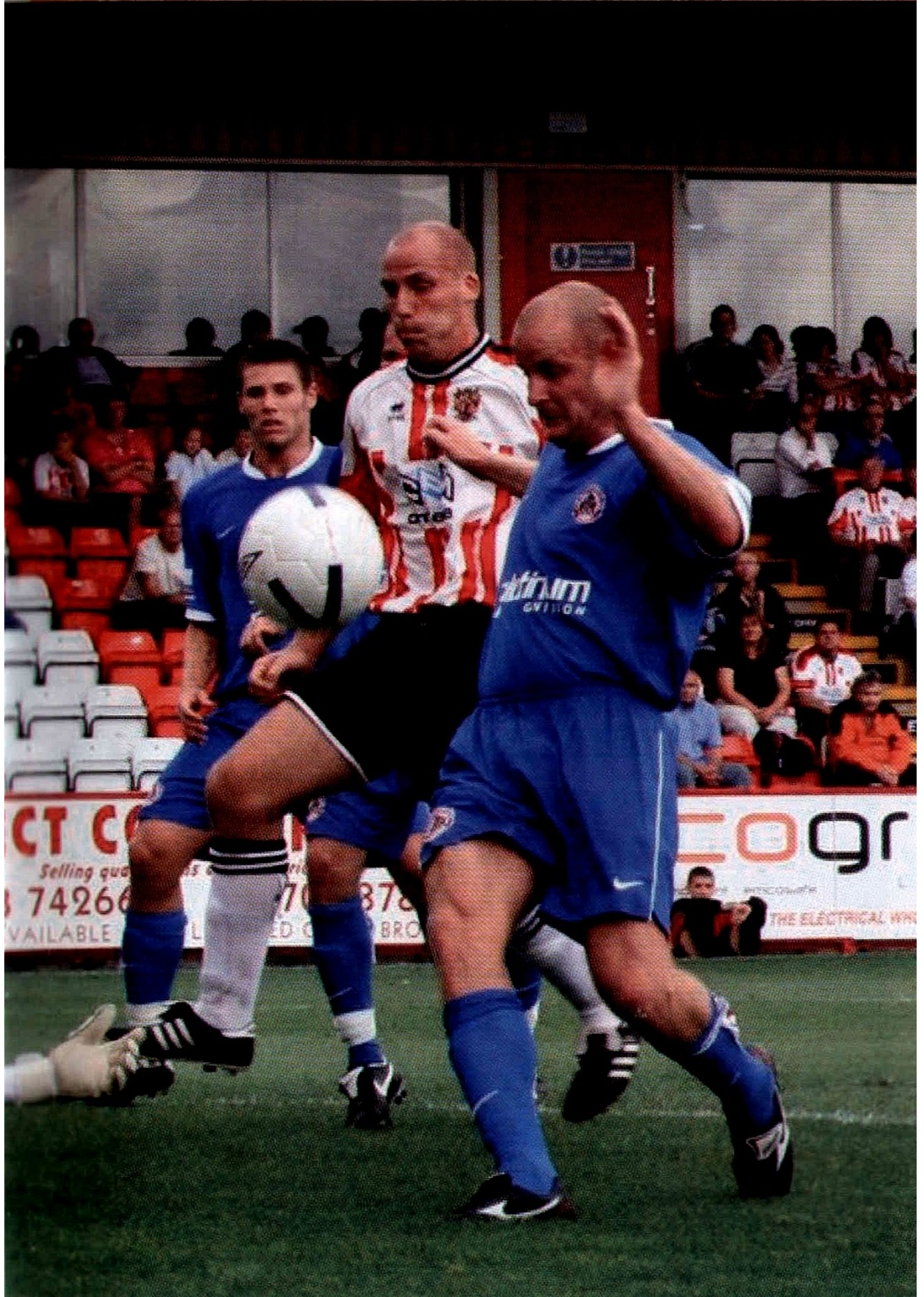
It was not the brightest start to a season that Stevenage had ever enjoyed. Following an opening day defeat at Altrincham and a home defeat against York City, Boro faced Crawley Town On Saturday 9th August 2006.

A small crowd of 1,751 were on hand and despite goals from Adam Miller and Steve Morison, Stevenage fell to their third successive defeat of the season. Their cause was not helped by the 64th minute dismissal of goalkeeper Danny Potter.

The Boro team that afternoon was: Danny Potter, Barry Fuller, Luke Oliver, Jason Goodliffe, John Nutter, Craig Dobson (Sub: Chris Sullivan, 81), Adam Miller, David Hicks, Steve Guppy (Sub: Alan Julian, 64min), George Boyd, Steve Morison (Sub: Jon Nurse, 62). Substitutes not used: Santos Gaia, Dannie Bulman.

The photo shows current Boro first team coach Jason Goodliffe in a foray forwards but do you recognise the youngster lurking behind him?





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FEATURED FAN

Today's featured fan is SA member and our supporters' team top goalscorer Jonni Wedge. Jonni has supported the Boro since 2004. His first fans' game was away to Mk Dons, and he has scored over ten goals so far this season. His most memorable Boro game was the League Two play-off final when we beat Torquay to gain promotion to League One.

QUIZ NIGHT

A quiz night will take place on Sat 22nd February in the Broadhall Suite, starting at 7.30pm. This event is open to everyone, but is also part of the Lamex Challenge. The Teams can consist of up to six participants. Entry by ticket will be £2 for SA members and £3 for non-members. Registration forms will be available from Mindy in the bar before the Notts County and Everton games, or from the club shop or SA points.

SA COACH TRAVEL

Due to our continued involvement in the FA Cup, our next away fixture isn't until 1st February when we visit Crawley. The coach will depart at 11.30am. The cost is £15 for members and £20 for non-members. On Saturday 15th we travel to Rotherham and will cost £20 for members and £25 for non-members. You can book your seats at the SA point on corner of the East/North Terrace, or at the North end of the Main Stand after today's game. You can also phone John Carroll our coach co-ordinator, after 6pm on 01438 814285. More travel information is on our website.

SA MASCOTS

Our mascot for this evening's



game is nine-year-old Matthew Gray from Stevenage. The SA now provide a mascot for each home game, but need some volunteers who can lead out the team on some of our forthcoming evening fixtures. For many of our junior members, attending evening games in term time is difficult. If you're an SA junior member and would like to volunteer, please contact us.

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1		CLARKE	15
2		BAMFORD	14
3		LOWE	14
4		WELLS	14
5		WILSON	14

ASSISTS

1		COX	9
2		PRINGLE	8
3		SAKO	7
4		BAKER	6
5		EMMANUEL-T...	6






SHOTS ON TARGET

1		BAMFORD	40
2		WILSON	39
3		CLARKE	36
4		WELLS	34
5		DONALDSON	32



MINUTES PER GOAL

1		GRAY	45
2		FOLEY	53
3		STOCKLEY	54
4		MAGUIRE	59
5		LASIMANT	69

% OF GOALS INVOLVED IN

1		EMMANUEL-T...	55
2		LOWE	54
3		WELLS	46
4		BAMFORD	44
5		BALDOCK	39

MINUTES PER CHANCE CREATED

1		MIKE WEST	24
2		MCFADZEAN	63
3		MCLAUGHLIN	63
4		LOZA	66
5		WESTLAKE	72

FOULS

1		HANSON	63
2		DAVIES	47
3		DONALDSON	44
4		LABADIE	44
5		EASTMOND	42

MINUTES PER GOAL CONCEDED

1		BONHAM	16
2		HOWARD	30
3		MCLAUGHLIN	35
4		MARTIN	37
5		FIELDING	38

LEAGUE ONE SPOTLIGHT

Stevenage have lost seven of their last 10 league games played on a Tuesday (W3).

LEAGUE ONE SPOTLIGHT

Walsall are unbeaten in seven league games played on a Tuesday, winning five, drawing two and conceding just twice overall.

*Data does not include games played on January 11-12

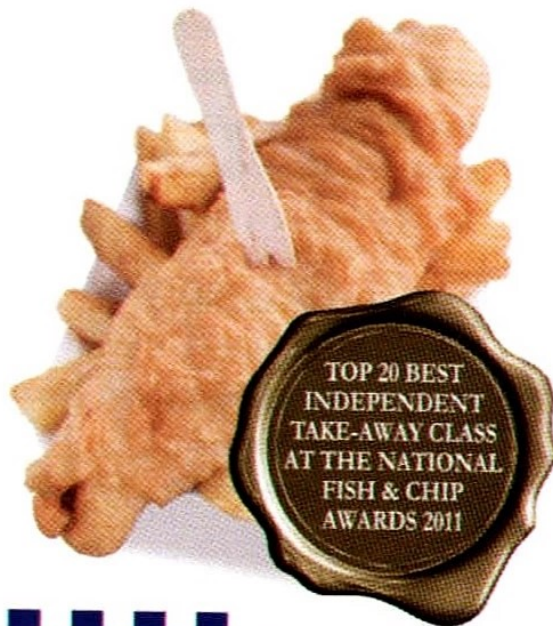
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HELLOS & GOODBYES

The Foundation has recently said goodbye to full time staff Sheralyn Miller and Rob Hewitt. Sheralyn, who has been with the charity since 2012 as a full time coach is moving to Turkey, whilst Rob Hewitt, who has been the scheme's NCS co-ordinator during 2013, is about to start work in the civil service. We would like to wish the pair of them the best of luck in their new ventures and welcome Ray Antcliff, a current casual coach, and Stephen Quinn from Watford FC, to the Foundation as their respective replacements.

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The scheme will be recruiting from Monday for its summer 2014 NCS programme which will be running for four weeks between Monday 21st July and Friday 15th August. The social engagement programme is open to all 16 and 17-year-olds within the local community and provides an action packed four weeks of outward bound activities, new skill workshops and the opportunities to volunteer within your community. To find out more email ncs@stevenagefc.com or call 01438 222222.

GAMBIA 2014

It was announced just before Christmas that the Foundation will be joining up again with nPower to take 14 Foundation and club based members of staff and volunteers to Gambia in April. The trip will see the volunteers coach, teach and undertake several building projects, with a planned open trip for supporters in 2015. Check out www.stevenagefc.com and [@BoroFoundation](https://twitter.com/BoroFoundation) throughout April to keep up with the volunteers' work and to find



out how you can apply to join the Foundation in Gambia in 2015.

SPORTS COACHING APPRENTICESHIPS

The Foundation will be beginning its Sports Coaching Apprenticeship recruitment during Easter. If you are aged 16-21 and would like to find out more about the Foundation's Coaching Apprenticeship programme please email community@stevenagefc.com for more details.

Enjoy the match!

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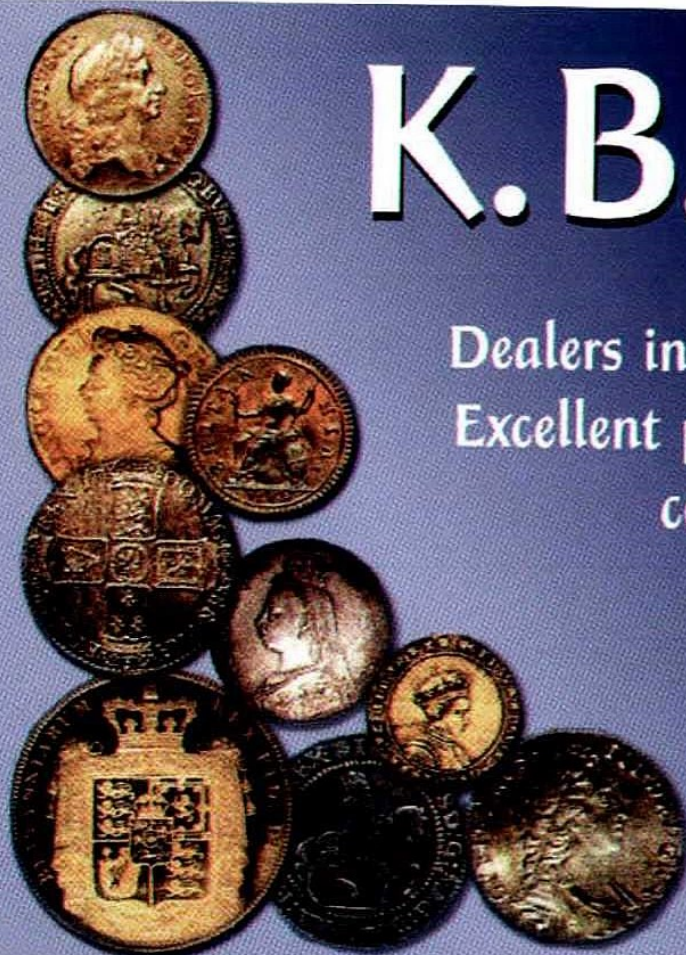
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Adrian Roberts takes his usual irreverent look at the world of football



For the supporter of any team it's difficult to imagine or even comprehend any drastic change at their club other than the managers and players coming and going. A change of ground to a new venue is a real gut-wrencher as it feels like you're leaving behind so much history and memories (not all good ones though). The only thing that helps console a fan in the transition of ground changing is the hope that it's the start of a 'new era', a fresh start and the possibility, which rarely transpires, of a sharp rise in the attendance figures as a consequence of the new ground and renewed optimism.

The ground move is something we can just about stomach and come to terms with. The changing of our clubs' colours and/or badge is another matter. Obviously, we can accept the change if it's a celebratory or centenary kit, which, if we're honest has seen some nasty kits over the years for some clubs!

Everton fans in the past have been at the sharp end of such change when the club decided to the new club crest. It provoked uproar from the fans because aspects of their club crest had been removed, namely the Latin wording which translated as

'nothing but the best is good enough'. This moved the fans to begin a petition against the changes and 22,000 fans signed it. The fans described the new crest as 'awful' and said they would refuse to buy merchandise bearing the 'new' crest which, ultimately, would cost the club fortune in lost revenue.

Everton did eventually apologise to the fans for not consulting them, however, if you look at the current crest, it remains Latin-less! Everton have changed their logo no less than 10 times during their existence. Obviously, we all like to see things updated and modernised but we also like to see the meaningful historical aspects too.

More recently than the Everton saga is that of Fleet Spurs FC from Hampshire, who have been forced to change their 'new' badge. A letter had arrived at the club from the lawyers of Tottenham Hotspur. The letter described how the Fleet Spurs badge was too similar to the Tottenham Hotspur badge. Fleet Spurs FC of the Wessex League Division One said the action by Spurs was "heavy-handed" and went on to suggest that changing their badge again would cost them in excess of £3,000.

Tottenham stressed that they had to protect the club's identity, hence the reason why they asked (demanded) that Fleet Spurs remove the 'Spurs cockerel' from their new badge.

The Fleet Spurs FC website has been adjusted accordingly but THFC have allowed Fleet Spurs to keep the new design until it can be replaced – how generous of them eh? It was a fans' competition that brought about the new design for Fleet Spurs but it now looks as though the winning entry will be defunct following the actions of Tottenham Hotspur.

Our football clubs are steeped in history and, as fans, we don't embrace change too well, unless it's replacing a poor performing manager or player. Well, we all want to see our team do well don't we? If changes need to be made to enhance and improve performance, then these changes we can take on board and adapt to. As far as changes to our kit, ground, badge or even our colours, we are less likely to accept these.

Today, we wear our colours with pride and look forward to a resounding victory!



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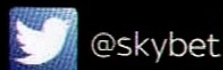
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STEVENAGE

V

SWINDON TOWN



MATCH FACTS

Stevenage are without a win in five against Swindon Town in all competitions, drawing one and losing four.



MATCH FACTS

The Robins have only conceded one goal over their last five meetings with Stevenage in all competitions, keeping four clean sheets in the process.



GOALS



AV. GOALS PER GAME



SHOTS (EX. BLOCKED)



% SHOTS ON TARGET



CLEAN SHEETS



% GOALS TO SHOTS



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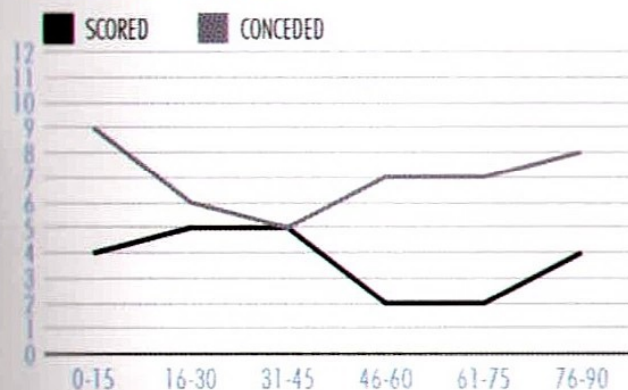


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GOAL TIMES



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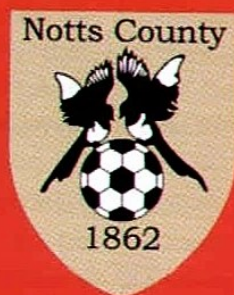
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Sat 3rd Aug	Oldham Ath	H	3pm	3-4	3,009	Day	Wedgbury	Jones
Tues 6th Aug	Ipswich Town	H	7.45pm	2-0	3,212	Arnold	Wedgbury	Ashton
Sat 10th Aug	Swindon Town	A	3pm	0-1	7,133	Arnold	Wedgbury	Ashton
Sat 17th Aug	Leyton Orient	H	3pm	0-1	3,262	Day	Smith	Ashton
Sat 24th Aug	Notts County	A	3pm	1-0	3,925	Day	Gray	Ashton
Wed 28th Aug	Everton CC2	A	7.45pm	1-2	22,730	Day	Gray	Ashton
Sat 31st Aug	Bradford City	H	3pm	1-1	3,242	Day	Gray	Ashton
Sat 7th Sept	Tranmere Rovers	A	3pm	0-0	4,156	Day	Gray	Ashton
Sat 14th Sept	Preston North End	A	3pm	0-3	8,855	Day	Gray	Ashton
Sat 21st Sept	Carlisle Utd	H	3pm	1-3	2,526	Day	Gray	Ashton
Sat 28th Sep	MK Dons	A	3pm	1-4	7,770	Day	Wedgbury	Ashton
Sat 5th Oct	Coventry City	H	3pm	0-1	3,325	Day	Smith	Ashton
Tues 7th Oct	MK Dons - JPT2	H	7.45pm	2-1	1,456	Day	Smith	Ashton
Sat 12th Oct	Brentford	H	3pm	2-1	3,225	Day	Gray	Jones
Sat 19th Oct	Walsall	A	3pm	1-2	3,720	Day	Gray	Jones
Tues 22nd Oct	Crewe	A	7.45pm	3-0	3,628	Day	Smith	Ashton
Sat 26th Oct	Crawley Town	H	3pm	2-0	2,804	Day	Smith	Jones
Sat 2nd Nov	Wolves	A	3pm	0-2	17,700	Day	Smith	Jones
Sat Nov 9	Portsmouth - FAC1	H	3pm	2-1	2,829	Day	Smith	Jones
Tues Nov 12th	Leyton Orient - JPT2	H	7.45pm	3-2	1,532	Day	Smith	Jones
Sat 16th Nov	Rotherham	H	3pm	0-3	2,814	Day	Smith	Jones
Sat 23rd Nov	Peterborough Utd	A	3pm	1-0	5,707	Day	Smith	Jones
Tues 26th Nov	Gillingham	A	7.45pm	2-3	4,951	Day	Gray	Ashton
Sat 30th Nov	Shrewsbury Town	H	3pm	1-3	2,675	Day	Smith	Jones
Sat 7th Dec	Stourbridge - FAC2	H	3pm	4-0	2,160	Day	Smith	Jones
Tue 10th Dec	Swindon Town JPTSF	A	7.45pm	1-1 (1-3 pen)	3,804	Day	Smith	Chorley
Sat 14th Dec	Port Vale	A	3pm	2-2	4,967	Day	Smith	Ashton
Sat 21st Dec	Sheffield Utd	H	3pm	0-0	3,004	Day	Smith	Ashton
Thurs 26th Dec	Colchester Utd	A	3pm	0-4	3,919	Day	Chorley	Ashton
Sun 29th Dec	Bristol City	A	3pm	1-4	12,036	Day	Gray	Ashton
Sat 4th Jan	Doncaster Rovers FAC3A	A	3pm	3-2	3,899	Day	Jones	Ashton
Sat 11th Jan	Oldham Ath	A	3pm	0-1	3,460	Day	Jones	Ashton
Wed 14th Jan	Swindon Town	H	7.45pm					
Sat 18th Jan	Notts County	H	3pm					
Sat 25th Jan	Everton FAC4	H	5.30pm					
Tues 28th Jan	Crewe	H	7.45pm					
Sat 1st Feb	Crawley Town	A	3pm					
Tues 4th Feb	Gillingham	H	7.45pm					
Sat 8th Feb	Wolves	H	3pm					
Sat 15th Feb	Rotherham	A	3pm					
Sat 22nd Feb	Peterborough Utd	H	3pm					
Sat 1st Mar	Bradford City	A	3pm					
Sat 8th Mar	Tranmere Rovers	H	3pm					
Tues 11th Mar	Preston North End	H	7.45pm					
Sat 15th Mar	Carlisle Utd	A	3pm					
Sat 22nd Mar	MK Dons	H	3pm					
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Sat 29th Mar	Port Vale	H	3pm					
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NEXT UP



NOTTS COUNTY
SKY BET LEAGUE ONE
SATURDAY 18TH JANUARY 2014
THE LAMEX STADIUM,
STEVENAGE
KICK OFF: 3PM

Notts County are facing a relegation battle this season. After axing former manager, Chris Kiwomya earlier in the season, Shaun Derry has been brought in to turn around the oldest Football League club in the world's fortunes.

RECENT FORM

It's not been a campaign to remember so far for the Magpies, although a renewed sense of optimism has been installed around the club. Three wins out of their last six games including a 4-0 win away at Colchester and a 3-0 win at home to Bradford shows the strides the team have made.

LAST TIME WE MET

Boro have a good recent record against the Magpies having won in

each of their last three meetings and Stevenage got the points in the last meeting between the two sides. James Dunne's last minute goal made for a memorable finale as Boro won their first game of the season at Meadow Lane. After a tight 90 minutes, Stevenage broke forward with Shroot and the attacker picked out Dunne who made it 1-0 with seconds to go.

KEY MAN

Despite being in the relegation zone and not having much to cheer about, Callum McGregor has been an absolute revelation since joining the Magpies on loan from Celtic. He joined the club having not played a single minute of professional, first time football but has taken like a duck to water as he's scored 11 goals in 22 games this season. At only 20 years of age, McGregor could have a big future in the game and County are certainly benefiting from his talents right now.

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Kit: White / Red

- 1 Steve **ARNOLD**
- 2 Sam **WEDGBURY**
- 4 Ben **CHORLEY**
- 5 Jon **ASHTON**
- 6 Luke **JONES**
- 7 Filipe **MORAIS**
- 8 James **DUNNE**
- 9 Darius **CHARLES**
- 10 Jordan **BURROW**
- 11 Lucas **AKINS**
- 12 Francois **ZOKO**
- 14 Simon **HESLOP**
- 15 Luke **FREEMAN**
- 16 Chris **DAY**
- 17 Greg **TANSEY**
- 20 Jimmy **SMITH**
- 21 Oumare **TOUNKARA**
- 22 David **GRAY**
- 23 Michael **DOUGHTY**
- 25 Bruno **ANDRADE**
- 29 Peter **HARTLEY**
- 32 Robin **SHROOT**
- 34 Roarie **DEACON**

SWINDON TOWN FC

Manager: Mark COOPER
Kit: Blue/Black stripes



- 1 Wes **FODERINGHAM**
- 2 Nathan **THOMPSON**
- 3 Nathan **BYRNE**
- 4 Massimo **LUONGO**
- 5 Grant **HALL**
- 6 Tijane **FREITAS REIS**
- 7 Ryan **HARLEY**
- 8 Ryan **MASON**
- 9 Nile **RANGER**
- 11 Alex **PRITCHARD**
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- 15 Yaser **KASIM**
- 16 Mark **FRANCIS**
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- 20 Miles **STOREY**
- 21 Alex **SMITH**
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- 25 Tyrrell **BELFORD**
- 26 Aaron **OAKLEY**
- 27 Harry **AGOMBAR**
- 29 Raphael **BRANCO**
- 30 Leigh **BEDWELL**
- 34 Mohammed **ELGABAS**
- 35 Kayden **JACKSON**
- 39 Ben **GLADWIN**
- 41 Troy Archibald **HENVILLE**



NEXT UP



**SATURDAY 18TH
JANUARY, 3PM
NOTTS COUNTY
SKY BET LEAGUE 1**

MATCH OFFICIALS

REFEREE:

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