

Doncaster Rovers Football Club

# **OFFICIAL PROGRAMME**

Tuesday, 23rd November, 1965

## **Rovers v. Luton Town**

FOOTBALL LEAGUE — DIVISION IV.



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ROVERS

v

**HARTLEPOOLS RES.**

Saturday, November 27th

Kick-Off 2.15 p.m.

Sheffield & Hallamshire  
County Cup - Semi Final

ROVERS

v

**ROTHERHAM UTD.**

Tuesday, November 30th

Kick-Off 7.30 p.m.

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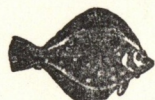
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### NOTES AND NEWS

The match against Port Vale on Friday last, although given a poor rating by the Press, was considered by several supporters on interview to be a marked improvement on recent games. The two new players, Gilfillan and Coleman, created a favourable impression and it is hoped that when they settle down they will be a valuable acquisition to the Club.

The Reserves lost by one goal to nil in a hard fought game at Rotherham in the North Regional League last Saturday and the young players in this team are showing consistent improvements.

Please note as a further reminder that the match with Colchester Utd. has been re-arranged for Saturday, 4th December, 1965, kick-off 3 p.m.

Welcome to our visitors Luton Town this evening. They were relegated from the Third Division last season but are now enjoying a successful run at the moment and are placed with the leaders of the Fourth Division. They have several well-known and experienced players and we give below pen pictures of the team playing to-night.

TINSLEY Colin (Goal). Joined Luton in 1963 from Exeter City. Previous Club Grimsby Town.

THOMSON Bobby (Right Back). Started his career with Partick Thistle, transferred to Liverpool for a large fee, signed for Luton in August, 1965.

EDWARDS Richard (left back). Signed Amateur forms in 1963 turning professional in 1964. A regular first team player.

REID John (right half). Previously played for Bradford and Northampton from where he was transferred to Luton for a large fee.

WOODS Matt (centre half). His first Club was Blackburn Rovers where he made 126 appearances out of a possible 128, including a Cup Final before going to Australia in 1963. Signed for Luton on his return to this country.

MOORE John (left half). Joined Luton from Motherwell in 1965.

HARBER Billy (outside right). Joined Luton from Swindon on a free transfer in September, 1964.

READ Tony (inside right). Joined Luton from Peterborough March this year. Previously with Sheffield Wednesday.

O'ROURKE John (centre forward). Previously with Arsenal and Chelsea from where he joined Luton on a free transfer in December last year. Has played for the London School Boys and the England Youth Teams.

FRENCH (inside left). Started career with Shrewsbury - transferred to Swindon and Watford for large fees - Youth International. Secured from Non-League Wellington F.C. this season.

WHITTAKER Ray (outside left). Joined Luton from Arsenal his only other League Club. Gained England Youth International Honours with O'Rourke in 1962 and 1963.

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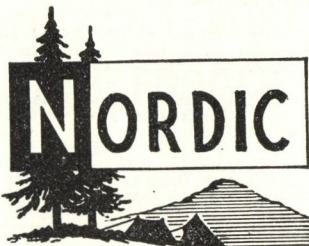
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	WYLIE 4	RIPLEY 5	RICKETTS 6	
WILSON 7	JEFFREY 8	OGDEN 9	GILFILLAN 10	COLEMAN 11

Rovers Substitute—  
ROBINSON

Kick-off 7-30 p.m.

Luton Substitute—

WHITTAKER 11	FRENCH 10	O'ROURKE 9	READ 8	HARBER 7
	MOORE 6	WOODS 5	REID 4	
	EDWARDS 3	TINSLEY	THOMSON 2	

Left

### LUTON TOWN

COLOURS: RED SHIRTS, WHITE SHORTS

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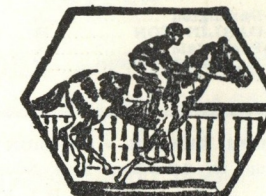
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1965 FOOTBALL LEAGUE		F.	A.	Pts.
Opponents	Venue			
Aug. 21—LINCOLN CITY	.....H	4		2
24—HARTLEPOOLS U.	.....H	4	0	2
28—Southport	.....A	1	2	0
Sept. 1—BARNLSLEY (FLC)	.....H	2	2	0
4—WREXHAM	.....H	2	0	2
8—Barnsley (FLC)	.....A	2	1	0
11—Bradford	.....A	1	0	2
13—Hartlepoons Utd.	.....A	0	2	0
17—ALDERSHOT	.....H	3	2	2
22—BURNLEY (FLC)	.....H	0	4	0
25—Newport County	.....A	0	4	0
Oct. 2—TORQUAY UTD.	.....H	0	1	0
7—Luton Town	.....A	3	4	0
5—STOCKPORT C.	.....H	1	0	2
15—Tranmere Rovers	.....A	0	1	0
22—COLCHESTER UTD	.....H	Abandoned		
29—Barnsley	.....A	5	1	2
Nov. 6—BRADFORD CITY	.....H	1	1	1
13—WIGAN ATH (F.A.C.)	.....H	2	2	0
17—Wigan Ath. (F.A.C.)	.....A	1	3	0
19—PORT VALE	.....H	1	0	2
23—LUTON TOWN	.....H			
26—Halifax Town	.....A			
30—ROTHERHAM (SCC)	.....H			
Dec. 4—COLCHESTER U.	.....H			
11—Notts County	.....A			
18—TRANMERE R.	.....H			
27—Barrow	.....A			
28—BARROW	.....H			
				(7.30 p.m. k.o.)
1966				
Jan. 1—Stockport County	.....A			
8—CREWE ALEX.	.....H			
15—Colchester Utd.	.....A			
22—(3)				
28—Lincoln City	.....A			
Feb. 5—SOUTHPORT	.....H			
12—(4) Rochdale	.....A			
19—Wrexham	.....A			
25—BRADFORD	.....H			
Mar. 4—(5) ROCHDALE	.....H			
12—Aldershot	.....A			
19—NEWPORT C.	.....H			
26—(6) Torquay Utd.	.....A			
April 2—Bradford City	.....A			
9—CHESTER	.....H			
				(7.30 p.m. k.o.)
11—Darlington	.....A			
12—DARLINGTON	.....H			
16—Port Vale	.....A			
22—HALIFAX TOWN	.....H			

1966	Opponents	Venue
25—	Chesterfield	.....A
30—	Chester	.....A
May 6—	NOTTS COUNTY	.....H
10—	CHESTERFIELD	.....H
14—	(F)	
20—	Crewe Alexandra	.....A
27—	BARNLSLEY	.....H

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FRIENDLIES			
Oct. 4—	NOTTINGHAM F.	.....H	1 6
Nov. 9—	WORMATIA WORMS	.....H	1 0

NORTH REGIONAL LEAGUE				
1965	Opponents	Venue	F. A.	Pts
Aug. 21—	Darlington	.....A	1	2
28—	YORK CITY	.....H	2	0
Sept. 4—	Bradford	.....A	1	1
11—				
18—	South Shields	.....A	1	2
25—	WORKINGTON	.....H	0	3
Oct. 2—	Sunderland	.....A	0	3
9—	Hull City	.....A	0	5
16—	OLDHAM A.	.....H	3	0
23—	Carlisle	.....A	0	1
30—	HALIFAX	.....H	5	2
Nov. 6—	Bradford City	.....A	0	1
13—	Middlesbrough	.....A	2	2
20—	Rotherham	.....A	0	1
27—	HARTLEPOOLS	.....H		
Dec. 4—	Halifax	.....A		
11—	GATESHEAD	.....H		
18—	Oldham	.....A		

1966	Opponents	Venue	F. A.	Pts
Jan. 1—	HULL CITY	.....H		
8—	Ashington	.....A		
15—	CARLISLE	.....H		
22—	Hartlepoons	.....A		
29—	DARLINGTON	.....H		
Feb. 5—	York City	.....A		
12—	MIDDLESBROUGH	.....H		
19—	BRADFORD	.....H		
Mar. 5—	Workington	.....A		
12—	SOUTH SHIELDS	.....H		
26—	SUNDERLAND	.....H		
April 2—	BRADFORD CITY	.....H		
16—	ROTHERHAM	.....H		
30—	ASHINGTON	.....H		
May 7—	Gateshead	.....A		

### FOOTBALL LEAGUE - DIVISION IV

(Results up to Saturday, 20th November.)

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Tranmere Rovers	19	10	6	3	34	22	26
Torquay United	18	11	3	4	29	19	25
Luton Town	16	10	1	5	36	26	21
Chester	17	9	3	5	37	28	19
Colchester Utd.	15	8	3	4	22	15	16
Barrow	16	7	5	4	33	25	19
Darlington	16	8	3	5	24	21	19
Notts County	16	7	5	4	21	21	19
Chesterfield	17	6	6	5	25	23	18
<b>Doncaster Rovers</b>	15	8	1	6	26	18	17
Bradford P.A.	17	7	3	7	37	28	17
Barnsley	16	7	3	6	29	33	17
Southport	16	4	8	4	20	25	16
Rochdale	16	7	1	8	26	25	15
Newport Co.	16	6	3	7	26	25	15
Aldershot	18	6	3	9	31	37	15
Stockport County	17	6	2	9	30	25	14
Lincoln City	16	5	4	7	19	28	14
Port Vale	16	5	3	8	20	28	13
Crewe Alexandra	17	5	3	9	20	28	13
Hartlepoons Utd.	16	5	2	9	23	30	12
Halifax Town	16	4	4	8	22	30	12
Wrexham	18	4	3	11	27	41	11
Bradford City	16	2	4	10	21	44	8

### THE NORTH REGIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Tables up to and including matches played 13th November, 1965.

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Hull City	13	11	1	1	41	12	23
Carlisle Utd.	11	8	2	1	26	16	18
Sunderland	14	8	1	5	37	32	17
Middlesbrough	11	7	2	2	31	16	16
Ashington	11	6	3	2	21	11	15
South Shields	12	6	2	4	24	18	14
Rotherham Utd.	12	6	2	4	18	14	14
Darlington	11	6	0	5	24	21	12
Gateshead	12	4	4	4	19	21	12
Workington	11	4	2	5	21	25	10
Oldham Ath.	11	4	1	6	13	22	9
<b>Doncaster Rovers.</b>	12	3	2	7	15	22	8
Bradford City	11	4	0	7	14	24	8
Halifax Town	11	3	1	7	14	26	7
Bradford Park Ave.	12	2	3	7	16	36	7
York City	12	2	1	9	23	34	5
Hartlepoons Utd.	13	1	3	9	16	33	5

## SUPPORTERS' CLUB NOTES

Will all members please support the Christmas Dance and Party organised by the Floodlight Committee to be held at the Top Rank Doncaster Suite, Friday, December 10th. 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Music will be provided by Reg Brookes and his Orchestra. There are Spot Prizes and Tombola and a Bar Extension has been applied for. Tickets are 5/- obtainable on the ground or at Top Rank.

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### FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Sheffield 8. Jeffrey 7. Broadbent 3.  
Ricketts 3. Robinson 1. Opponent 2 o.g.  
Ogden 1. Ripley 1.

### FRIENDLIES—Jeffrey 2

F.A. CUP—Ricketts 1, Kelly 1, Ogden 1.

### FOOTBALL LEAGUE CUP

Ogden 2. Broadbent 1. Robinson 1.

### NORTH REGIONAL LEAGUE

Allan 3. Watson 3. Welham 1. Wilson 1.  
Fairhurst 1. Williams 1. Lovell 2.—Grainger  
1. Ogden 3.

### NORTHERN INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE

Welch 4. Allan 2. Redfearn 2. Robinson (G)  
3. Leigh 2. Warboys 2. McCabe 3. Watson  
2. Welham 1. Sharpe 2. Lovell 1. Galloway  
1.

### F. A. YOUTH CUP

Warboys 1. Robinson 2. Leigh 1. Welch 1.

### DONCASTER SENIOR LEAGUE

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Righton 2. Smart 1. Shaw 1. Gosling 1.  
Wagstaffe 1. Galloway 1. Dawson 1.

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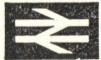
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