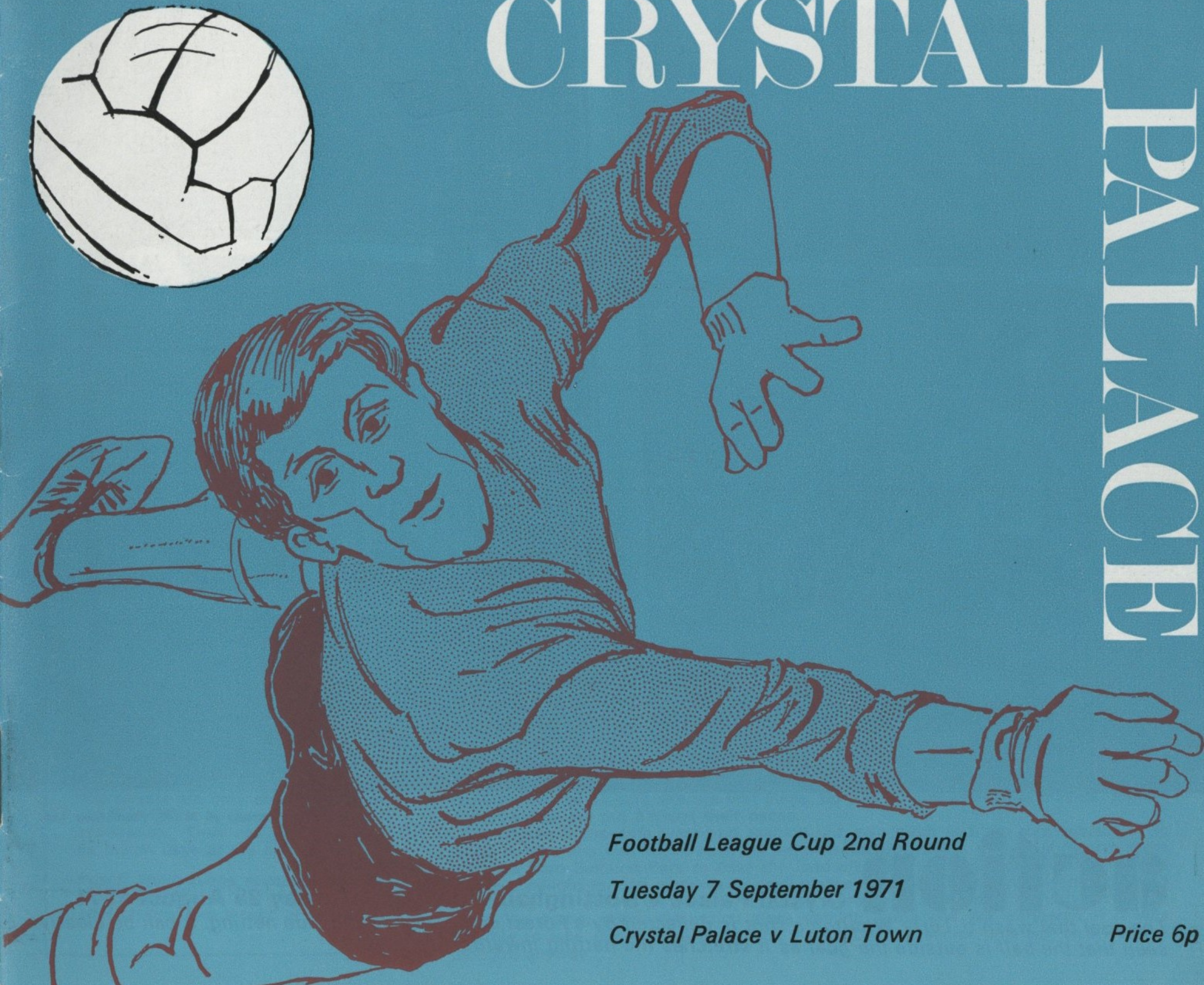


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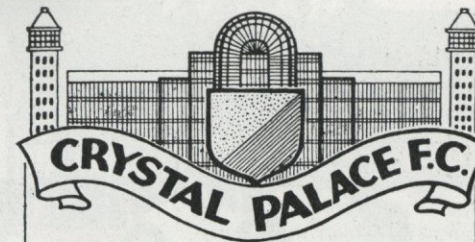


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action

Crystal Palace v Nottingham Forest / Saturday 28 August 1971

The goal that wasn't! Terry Wharton's shot is deflected by a Forest defender into the side netting. It can be clearly seen that the ball is outside the goal as it stretches the netting inwards.



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Soccer has quickly made the headlines this season with lists of bookings rising quicker than a war-time casualty list but there are other occasions that one will certainly remember more affectionately. At lunchtime last Thursday I was asked to hand over to our captain Steve Kember the "Evening Standard" player of the month award for August and I must say that it gave me a great deal of pleasure to do so. Steve has had the misfortune to have been booked twice this season as the referees have adopted their tougher line, but it has not stopped him turning in performances that have been fully recognised by the award. I am sure that his sporting attitude in the game against Nottingham Forest when he gave an honest opinion about the disputed goal must have stood him in good favour.

There was some talk in the newspapers that our chairman Mr. Arthur Wait was going to have a quiet word with Steve and remonstrate with him about his action. Let us get this matter straight once and for all. Mr. Wait, the rest of the board and all of us at Crystal Palace back our captain all the way. We know that the goal could have meant a lot to us as a club and to the players as individuals but Steve saw it clearly and reacted as we knew he would. There is always plenty of room in this game for honesty and I am certain that his action will not be forgotten.

I have been asked where we now do the bulk of our training and I can tell you that we are very happy in a new centre. A long search came to an end in the summer when we acquired the use of the Beckenham Rugby Club ground for our new training headquarters. From now on this is where our factory, so to speak, will be based. And it has been a long search I can assure you. As you must be aware, open spaces are not easily come by. Prices are astronomical.

So when our friends at Beckenham offered us their facilities at a fair rate we were delighted to accept. It is not too far away, there is the necessary privacy and facilities on the 11-acre site are first class. So this is now where the players, juniors and upwards, are put through their paces.

To a degree it prevents wear and tear on our own pitch and, on this subject, it is worth mentioning that we have toyed with the idea of taking away our reserve team matches from Selhurst Park to ease the load on the ground. On our summer travels it was a delight to play matches on well-grassed pitches. This can only be achieved by playing less games on them — in other words first team matches only. We have given the matter some discussion since coming home and we wondered if it was feasible to take our reserve games to a neighbouring senior amateur club. It is a thought, anyway.



our visitors Luton Town 1971-72

Back Row: (left to right) Graham Stewart, Terry Robinson, Gerald Jones, Peter Woods, Steve Baker, Paul Price, Michael Gilchrist, Jim Ryan, Don Shanks, Nick Sparks.
 Middle Row: Ken Whitfield (Asst. Coach), Roger Hoy, Alan Garner, Charlie Sorbie, Don Givens, Chris Nicholl, Tony Read, Robin Wainwright, Tony Castiello, Viv Busby, Peter Anderson, David Court, Reg Game (Physio.). Front Row: Harry Haslam (Chief Scout), John Moore, J. A. C. Bain (Director), John Ryan, Robert Keens (Chairman), T. Hodgson (President), L. S. Hawkins (Director), Alan Slough, Alec Stock (Manager), Ken Goodeve, Jimmy Andrews (Asst. Manager).

LUTON TOWN

WELCOME

By Tony Pullein

It became clear from opening results that Luton were missing their ace striker Malcolm MacDonald, sold to Newcastle for £180,000 this summer. They were held at home by Norwich (1-1) and Preston (1-1) and lost at Burnley (1-2). Meanwhile, MacDonald scored a hat-trick for Newcastle against Liverpool!

In his two seasons at Luton, MacDonald scored 58 goals and with so many First Division clubs showing interest in him it was inevitable — when Luton's own promotion bid failed — that he would move.

Luton's magnificent bid to clinch promotion for the second season in succession finally exploded at Easter when they lost two games in as many days. Until then there had been a distinct possibility they would regain the First Division place they lost in 1960.

The Luton club has had a varied history, sometimes hitting the highest spots, often sinking to the bottom of the pile. It was formed in 1885, playing friendly matches until being accepted by the Southern League nine years later. They maintained a good position, gathering sufficient support to gain admittance to the Second Division of the Football League in 1897.

Things didn't go well, though. Serious financial problems arose and, when they finished second from bottom in 1900, they didn't bother to apply for re-election. So it was back to the Southern League where they remained until the first division was taken over en bloc to form the Third Division (South) of the Football League in 1920.

They had to wait until 1937 before they regained Second Division status which they held until a fantastic finish to the 1954/55 campaign saw them scrape into the First Division on goal-average. Contrary to most people's expectations, Luton made a good impression in the highest sphere and by 1959 they were good enough to earn themselves a Wembley visit to meet Nottingham Forest in the F.A. Cup final. Unfortunately, they struck a completely off-day and, though Forest played most of the game with only ten men, Luton were still defeated by two goals to one.

Luton's fortunes took a dramatic turn from that day at Wembley. Twelve months later they were relegated to the Second Division, in 1963 they sunk into Division Three and two years later — disaster, disaster! — they plummeted into the Fourth Division.

But in 1968 they were walk-away champions of the Fourth Division. Oozing with confidence, they strode like a Colossus into the Third, only narrowly missing promotion in their first season.

In 1970, when they finished runners-up in Division Three, they became only the second club in Football League history to reach the 60-point mark for three consecutive seasons.



Club Officials

Chairman: Mr. T. R. Keens

Manager: Mr. A. W. A. Stock

Secretary: Mr. R. Readhead

Coach: Mr. Jimmy Andrews

Captain: Mike Keen

Ground: Kenilworth Road

Capacity: 27,000

Record Gate: 30,069 (F.A. Cup '59)

Average Gate 1970-71: 13,000

Seats: 3,600

Covered Terracing: 17,500

Nickname: The Hatters

Founded: 1885

F.A. Cup Finalists: 1959

Div 2 Runners-up: 1955

Div 3 Runners-up: 1970

Div 3 (S) Champions: 1937

Runners-up: 1936

Div 4 Champions: 1968

TONY READ

Tony Read didn't have much success as 'keeper for Sheffield Wednesday or Peterborough but made an immediate hit at Luton — as a striker! He replaced John O'Rourke in attack in September 1965 and in only his second League game in this position he scored the winning goal against Rochdale. Next time out he hit two into Barnsley's net. A few weeks later he scored a hat-trick against Notts County! His versatility came in useful in another way, too. When Luton's goalkeeper was injured in a match against Bradford City, Tony moved back into goal and was replaced by a field player as substitute. Eventually, his scoring touch seemed to disappear. He was dropped and went back to his old position in the reserves. In the May he was recalled for Luton's final six games—in goal. And that's where he's remained.



JOHN RYAN

John's first taste of League football was experienced with Fulham who blooded him in their First Division side in 1967/68. He enjoyed a long run, appearing in 24 games that season. He held his place the following term but, late in the campaign, the Cottagers agreed to release him to Luton. The following season he earned a permanent place in the Luton side which won promotion to the Second Division and, on the way to that goal, met Fulham who — as Luton themselves had done earlier — had crashed quickly down from Division 1. Naturally, his aim is to play in the First Division again and he almost succeeded in getting back this year with Luton. But their promotion hopes faded at Easter Time so he's hoping his side can overcome its early shortcomings and make another bid for a place at the top. John was ever-present last season.



ALAN SLOUGH

Alan came through the Luton junior teams during the reign of former manager Allan Brown who carefully eased him into the side during the 1965/66 campaign. Luton were pushing hard for promotion from the 4th Division then but they were to face many disappointments before they finally made it. When they did in 1968 Alan was in his second season as a regular first-teamer and he was among the select 11 players who won 4th Division championship medals. The following season he was ever-present when the Hatters so narrowly missed further promotion. Consistent Alan was absent for only one game when Luton took runners-up spot to gain promotion to the Second Division in 1970 and has missed only one game in past three seasons. Though he plays in defence, he has quite a good scoring record 22 goals in past five seasons.



DON GIVENS

Manchester United have a reputation for picking up most of the potential stars in Ireland but, in Don Givens' case, they allowed Luton to capitalise on their find. Don won two international caps before making his League debut for Manchester United two seasons ago. But he was unable to win a regular place in United's line-up so he agreed to sign for Luton in April 1970. Last season he played himself into Luton's senior team and held his place in the Republic of Ireland's national team. He finished the campaign with 13 goals — Luton's second-highest scorer. Since Luton sold Malcolm Macdonald to Newcastle for £180,000, Don has inherited his responsibilities as scorer-in-chief and he opened the new season in splendid form, scoring a point-saving goal against Norwich on the first day.



JOHN MOORE

When John was playing with Motherwell he often hoped he would be able to break into English football. But, as he was mostly in the reserves at Fir Park, he didn't expect the opportunity to come as soon as it did. But Luton's then-manager Allan Brown is a Scot with good contacts north of the border and when he was tipped off about John's form he moved in smartly for his signature. John won an immediate first-team place and missed only seven games in his first three seasons at Kenilworth Road. He was absent only once as Luton swept to the Fourth Division championship in 1968 though he was absent for half their games when they moved out of the Third two years later. An injury caused him to miss seven games last term. John completed 200 League games for Luton last season.



JIMMY RYAN

Jim developed in soccer's top academy at Manchester United and he made isolated appearances in their first-team. He scored in one of his early games in the 1965/66 season but, after five years hopefully waiting for the chance to get into the side on a regular basis, he decided he would have nothing to lose by starting afresh with a new club. Jim signed for Luton April 1970 and he appeared once as substitute in the Hatters' team before they completed their promotion season. Though he is now an accepted member of Luton's senior squad, things didn't go too well for him at first. He was dropped after two games last season and wore the number 12 shirt a few times before getting back again. Then he remained on duty for most of the season dropping out just at the end. Jim scored 3 goals last season.



VIVIAN BUSBY

A Luton discovery, Viv Busby signed professional for the Hatters in January 1970 and made a few appearances in their first-team before the end of that season. He looked a good prospect — his positional play was good, his distribution intelligent and he was difficult to knock off the ball — but Alec Stock didn't try to rush him. Viv opened last season in the first-team but for several weeks afterwards he was named substitute. The turning point for him came in March when he was called on during the game against Charlton and scored a vital equaliser. After that he held his place. He got a magnificent goal against Hull then he struck twice against Birmingham to end their magnificent unbeaten run of 14 games and, virtually, end their promotion hopes. He finished the season with eight goals.



PETER ANDERSON

If anyone had told Peter a year ago he'd be playing Second Division football this season he wouldn't have believed them. He was at the time quite content playing for Isthmian League side Hendon. Luton manager Alec Stock went along to watch them one day, Peter caught his attention and in February he decided to sign him. There was to be no warming-up period in the reserves, though. Mr. Stock put him straight into the Luton first-team against Watford a couple of days later. Peter didn't find any great difficulty adjusting to the faster pace but he didn't get his name on the scoring list until mid-April when he netted against Sheffield Wednesday. His second goal, hit this season, was also a vital one. It came very late in the home game with Preston and saved both a point and Luton's home record.



Manager Alec Stock



ALEC STOCK

Alec Stock, the manager, first hit the headlines in 1948 when he steered Southern League Yeovil Town to astonishing Cup victories over Bury and Sunderland.

In August 1949 he was appointed manager of Leyton Orient and built the side which won promotion to Division 2 in 1956. He moved to Arsenal as assistant manager in 1956 but he was greatly disillusioned by conditions on the coaching side at High-bury so he returned to Orient within a couple of months. The challenge of Italian soccer was laid before him and he took control of Roma F.C. but once again returned to Leyton Orient when they were in trouble.

Alec Stock finally severed his connections with Orient in March 1959 and three months later became manager of Queens Park Rangers, whose success under his able command was phenomenal. They won the League Cup and rose from the Third to the First Division.

He left Rangers in November 1968 and shortly afterwards took over at Luton.

MIKE KEEN

Queens Park Rangers spotted Mike playing for Bucks Boys Club and signed him on amateur forms in 1957. A year later he turned professional and, after spending another year in the reserves, he made his League debut at York in 1959/60. He soon attracted interest of bigger clubs with some outstanding displays at wing-half and, at one time, it seemed likely he might leave Rangers.

But he stayed to participate in the club's most successful season — 1966/67 when they won the Third Division championship by a record margin of points and beat West Bromwich 3-2 in the League Cup final at Wembley. The following year Rangers equalled Charlton's 32-year-old record by rising in successive seasons into Division One.

Soon afterwards things began to erupt at Shepherd's Bush. Manager Stock was shown the door but, within days, was appointed team chief at Luton. And one of his earliest signings was Mike Keen from his old club.

Captain Mike Keen



PALACE STARS

Series No. 4

DAVID PAYNE



Although Dave has spent most of his life in Croydon it was with Catford and Blackheath that he made his name as a Schoolboy player. He was also a very good cricketer and played for London Schools as an opening bat. One of our former players Ron Heckman first spotted Dave playing for Blackheath and invited him for a trial. Being one of our keenest supporters, having watched his favourites from the Whitehorse Lane for a number of years Dave jumped at the chance of joining us here and signed as an apprentice on leaving school in January 1964. After only 10 months he was stepped up to a full professional and made his first team debut at Leicester in a League Cup tie on 16th October 1964. His League debut followed shortly afterwards at Preston. From this point Dave established a regular place for himself in the first eleven and only injury has kept him out of the side.

In 1968 he gained an England Under-23 cap versus Wales at Swansea. Dave's greatest memory is of our promotion to the first division when we beat Fulham in the last match of the season and his ambition is to play at Wembley.

During his spare time Dave coaches a local boys team, Ashburton in the Shirley and District League. Last season as under 13's they won the Cup and were runners-up in the league. He also coaches a team from B.P. Oil at Sydenham on one evening each week.

Having recently become a 'DAD'—Dave's wife Karen produced a daughter Julia 11 weeks ago—he does not have a great deal of spare time but enjoys a game of squash and intends taking up cricket more seriously next year. He also enjoys listening to records, reading and dining out.





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action

Crystal Palace v Liverpool / Tuesday 24 August 1971

John Jackson our consistent and reliable goalkeeper makes two great saves from the Liverpool forwards. Jacko, now in his tenth season with us, made his debut in August 1964, and has appeared in 307 first eleven league and cup games. Since August 1967 he has been ever present in 207 matches.

Our League Cup Record

1963-64	2nd Round	BRISTOL ROVERS	Away	Lost	0-2
1964-65	2nd Round	TRANMERE ROVERS	Away	Won	2-0
	3rd Round	SOUTHAMPTON	Home	Won	2-0
	4th Round	LEICESTER CITY	Away	Draw	0-0
	Replay	LEICESTER CITY	Home	Lost	1-2
1965-66	2nd Round	GRIMSBY TOWN	Home	Lost	0-1
1966-67	2nd Round	FULHAM	Away	Lost	0-2
1967-68	2nd Round	BARROW	Away	Lost	0-1
1968-69	2nd Round	PRESTON NORTH END	Home	Won	3-1
	3rd Round	ORIENT	Away	Won	1-0
	4th Round	LEEDS UNITED	Home	Won	2-1
	5th Round	BURNLEY	Away	Lost	0-2
1969-70	2nd Round	CARDIFF CITY	Home	Won	3-1
	3rd Round	BLACKPOOL	Home	Draw	2-2
	Replay	BLACKPOOL	Away	Won	1-0
	4th Round	DERBY COUNTY	Home	Draw	1-1
	Replay	DERBY COUNTY	Away	Draw abd.	1-1
	Replay	DERBY COUNTY	Away	Lost	0-3
1970-71	2nd Round	ROCHDALE	Home	Draw	3-3
	Replay	ROCHDALE	Away	Won	3-1
	3rd Round	LINCOLN CITY	Home	Won	4-0
	4th Round	ARSENAL	Home	Draw	0-0
	Replay	ARSENAL	Away	Won	2-0
	5th Round	MANCHESTER UNITED	Away	Lost	2-4

Luton's League Cup Record

1963-64	2nd Round	COVENTRY CITY	Home	Lost	3-4
1964-65	1st Round	PORT VALE	Away	Won	1-0
	2nd Round	ASTON VILLA	Home	Lost	0-1
1965-66	1st Round	BRIGHTON & HOVE	Home	Draw	1-1
	Replay	BRIGHTON & HOVE	Away	Lost	0-2
1966-67	1st Round	ALDRSHOT	Away	Draw	2-2
	Replay	ALDRSHOT	Home	Lost	1-2
1967-68	1st Round	CHARLTON ATHLETIC	Home	Draw	1-1
	Replay	CHARLTON ATHLETIC	Away	Won	2-1
1968-69	2nd Round	LEEDS UNITED	Away	Lost	1-3
	1st Round	WATFORD	Home	Won	3-0
	2nd Round	BRIGHTON & HOVE	Away	Draw	1-1
	Replay	BRIGHTON & HOVE	Home	Won	4-2
	3rd Round	EVERTON	Away	Lost	1-5
1969-70	1st Round	PETERBOROUGH	Away	Draw	1-1
	Replay	PETERBOROUGH	Home	Won	5-2
	2nd Round	MILLWALL	Home	Draw	2-2
	Replay	MILLWALL	Away	Won	1-0
	3rd Round	SHEFFIELD UNITED	Away	Lost	0-3
1970-71	1st Round	GILLINGHAM	Away	Won	1-0
	2nd Round	WORKINGTON TOWN	Home	Won	3-0
	3rd Round	ARSENAL	Home	Lost	0-1

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FOOTBALL LEAGUE DIVISION ONE

Date	Opponents	Venue	Result 70/71	Result 71/72	Attendance 70/71	Attendance 71/72	Date	Opponents	Venue	Result
July 28	FEYENOORD (F)	Away	—	0-1	—	—	July 31	BROMLEY (F)	Away	3-0
Aug. 1	A.D.O. (F)	Away	—	0-0	—	—	Aug. 2	FALMOUTH TOWN (F)	Away	2-1
4	P.S.V. (F)	Away	—	3-2	—	—	3	PENZANCE (F)	Away	4-0
6	M. NATHANYA (F)	Home	—	4-1	—	—	6	BIDEFORD (F)	Away	0-1
14	NEWCASTLE UNITED	Home	1-0	2-0	27,287	25,158	9	DULWICH HAMLET (F)	Away	1-1
18	MANCHESTER CITY	Away	0-1	0-4	27,442	27,103	14	SOUTHAMPTON	Away	3-1
21	STOKE CITY	Away	0-0	1-3	13,421	17,561	21	PLYMOUTH ARGYLE	Home	5-2
24	LIVERPOOL	Home	1-0	0-1	28,253	28,488	31	ARSENAL	Away	0-1
28	NOTTINGHAM FOREST	Home	2-0	1-1	26,510	17,699	Sept. 4	CHELSEA	Home	—
31	WOLVERHAMPTON W.	Away	1-2	0-1	20,233	24,774	11	BIRMINGHAM	Away	—
Sept. 4	LEEDS UNITED	Away	1-2	—	31,871	—	15	TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR	Away	—
7	LUTON TOWN (L.C. 2nd Rd.)	Home	—	—	—	—	18	SWANSEA CITY	Home	—
11	MANCHESTER UNITED	Home	3-5	—	39,145	—	21	BRISTOL ROVERS	Away	—
18	TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR	Away	0-2	—	28,619	—	25	SWINDON TOWN	Away	—
25	EVERTON	Home	2-0	—	21,590	—	29	LEICESTER CITY	Home	—
Oct. 2	LEICESTER CITY	Away	—	—	—	—	Oct. 2	READING	Home	—
5	League Cup 3rd Round	—	—	—	—	—	9	PLYMOUTH ARGYLE	Away	—
9	WEST BROMWICH ALBION	Home	3-0	—	28,330	—	13	QUEENS PARK RANGERS	Home	—
16	NEWCASTLE UNITED	Away	0-2	—	21,779	—	16	BRISTOL ROVERS	Home	—
22	COVENTRY CITY	Away	1-2	—	23,074	—	23	IPSWICH TOWN	Home	—
30	WEST HAM UNITED	Home	1-1	—	41,396	—	30	BRISTOL CITY	Away	—
Nov. 6	DERBY COUNTY	Away	0-1	—	23,521	—	Nov. 6	CARDIFF CITY	Home	—
13	IPSWICH TOWN	Home	1-0	—	23,482	—	10	OXFORD UNITED	Away	—
20	CHELSEA	Home	0-0	—	40,489	—	24	TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR	Home	—
27	ARSENAL	Away	1-1	—	34,503	—	27	QUEENS PARK RANGERS	Away	—
Dec. 4	SHEFFIELD UNITED	Home	—	—	—	—	Dec. 8	NORWICH	Home	—
11	HUDDERSFIELD TOWN	Away	2-0	—	18,820	—	11	BOURNEMOUTH	Away	—
18	LEEDS UNITED	Home	1-1	—	37,963	—	13	LEICESTER CITY	Away	—
27	SOUTHAMPTON	Away	0-6	—	15,980	—	Jan. 1	CHELSEA	Away	—
Jan. 1	TOTTENHAM	Home	0-3	—	41,308	—	8	SOUTHAMPTON	Home	—
8	NOTTINGHAM FOREST	Away	1-3	—	16,507	—	29	ARSENAL	Home	—
15	F.A. Cup 3rd Round	—	—	—	—	—	Feb. 5	WEST HAM UNITED	Home	—
22	MANCHESTER CITY	Home	0-1	—	33,618	—	12	IPSWICH TOWN	Away	—
29	LIVERPOOL	Away	1-1	—	47,612	—	19	BRISTOL CITY	Home	—
Feb. 5	F.A. Cup 4th Round	—	—	—	—	—	Mar. 1	CARDIFF CITY	Away	—
12	COVENTRY CITY	Home	1-2	—	24,114	—	4	OXFORD UNITED	Home	—
19	WEST HAM UNITED	Away	0-0	—	26,157	—	11	BIRMINGHAM CITY	Home	—
26	DERBY COUNTY	Home	0-0	—	24,218	—	18	SWANSEA CITY	Away	—
Mar. 3	IPSWICH TOWN	Away	2-1	—	19,457	—	25	SWINDON TOWN	Home	—
11	WEST BROMWICH	Away	0-0	—	25,127	—	April 1	NORWICH CITY	Away	—
18	STOKE CITY	Home	3-2	—	16,963	—	8	FULHAM	Away	—
25	MANCHESTER UNITED	Away	1-0	—	41,800	—	12	READING	Away	—
28	EVERTON	Away	1-3	—	43,443	—	19	FULHAM	Home	—
April 1	SOUTHAMPTON	Home	3-1	—	26,663	—	22	WEST HAM UNITED	Away	—
3	LEICESTER CITY	Home	—	—	—	—	May 3	BOURNEMOUTH	Home	—
8	CHELSEA	Away	1-1	—	38,953	—				
15	ARSENAL	Home	0-1	—	35,002	—				
22	SHEFFIELD UNITED	Away	—	—	—	—				
25	WOLVERHAMPTON	Home	1-1	—	26,965	—				
29	HUDDERSFIELD TOWN	Home	0-3	—	16,646	—				
May 6	F.A. Cup Final	—	—	—	—	—				

S.E. COUNTIES

Date	Opponents	Result
DIVISION 1		
under 18		
Aug. 14	CHARLTON	Bromley 1-2
21	CHELSEA	Away 1-1
28	WATFORD	Bromley 1-1
Sept. 4	IPSWICH	Away
11	FULHAM LCI	Bromley
18	WEST HAM	Banstead
25	BRENTFORD	Away
Oct. 2	FULHAM	Banstead
9	ARSENAL	Bromley
16	League Cup 2	
23	FULHAM	Away
30	Q.P.R.	Bromley
Nov. 6	LUTON	Away
13	MILLWALL	Bromley
20	READING	Away
27	GILLINGHAM	Banstead
Dec. 4	MILLWALL	Away
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18	LUTON	Bromley
Jan. 1	ORIENT	Bromley
8	ARSENAL	Away
15	ORIENT	Away
22	READING	Bromley
29	CHARLTON	Away
Feb. 5	TOTTENHAM	Away
12	WEST HAM	Away
19	TOTTENHAM	Banstead
26	WATFORD	Away
DIVISION 2 Cup		
under 17		
Aug. 21	ORIENT	Banstead 1-2
Sept. 4	GILLINGHAM	Banstead
11	WEST HAM	Banstead
18	CHARLTON	Away
25	TOTTENHAM	Bromley
Oct. 2	CHELSEA	Away
9	GILLINGHAM	Away
23	CHARLTON	Banstead
30	WEST HAM	Away
Nov. 13	TOTTENHAM	Away
Dec. 4	CHELSEA	Banstead
18	ORIENT	Away
DIVISION 2		
under 17		
Nov. 20	WEST HAM	Banstead
Jan. 15	TOTTENHAM	Banstead
22	GILLINGHAM	Away
29	CHARLTON	Away
Feb. 5	ORIENT	Banstead
12	CHELSEA	Bromley
19	WEST HAM	Away

LEAGUE TABLES

up to and including 1st September 1971										
Football League Division One										
	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts			
Sheffield United	6	5	1	0	11	2	11			
Leeds United	6	3	2	1	9	5	8			
Derby County	6	2	4	0	10	6	8			
Manchester United	6	3	2	1	12	8	8			
Stoke City	6	3	2	1	9	6	8			
Liverpool	6	4	0	2	12	9	8			
Southampton	6	3	2	1	10	8	8			
Manchester City	6	3	1	2	12	5	7			
Wolverhampton W.	6	2	3	1	8	7	7			
Ipswich Town	6	1	4	1	3	3	6			
W.B.A.	6	2	2	2	5	5	6			
West Ham	6	2	1	3	5	4	5			
Tottenham Hotspur	5	1	3	1	7	8	5			
Everton	6	2	1	3	3	4	5			
Chelsea	6	2	1	3	7	11	5			
Coventry City	6	1	3	2	6	11	5			
Arsenal	5	2	0	3	5	5	4			
Nottingham Forest	6	1	2	3	6	9	4			
Newcastle United	6	1	2	3	4	10	4			
Leicester City	6	1	1	4	7	12	3			
CRYSTAL PALACE	6	1	1	4	4	10	3			
Huddersfield Town	6	0	2	4	5	12	2			
Football Combination										
Arsenal	5	4	0	1	10	3	8			
Leicester City	6	4	0	2	10	6	8			
Tottenham Hotspur	4	3	1	0	12	0	7			
Q.P.R.	5	3	1	1	13	3	7			
Birmingham City	4	3	1	0	8	4	7			
Chelsea	5	2	2	1	8	4	6			
Southampton	5	3	0	2	6	6	6			
Cardiff City	6	2	2	2	5	8	6			
Norwich City	6	3	0	3	8	10	6			
Ipswich Town	4	2	1	1	9	7	5			
West Ham	5	2	1	2	11	10	5			
Oxford United	5	1	3	1	6	6	5			
Swansea City	5	2	1	2	7	9	5			
Bristol City	4	2	0	2	11	5	4			
CRYSTAL PALACE	3	2	0	1	8	4	4			
Swindon Town	6	1	2	3	11	14	4			
Fulham	5	1	2	2	4	6	4			
Plymouth Argyle	4	1	0	3	6	12	2			
Bristol Rovers	5	0	1	4	3	10	1			
Reading	4	0	0	4	1	18	0			
Bournemouth	4	0	0	4	0	12	0			
SE Counties League Division One										
Millwall	3	2	1	0	5	1	5			
Tottenham Hotspur	3	2	1	0	5	1	5			
Chelsea	3	2	1	0	9	3	5			
Arsenal	3	2	0	1	6	1	4			
Q.P.R.	3	1	2	0	2	1	4			
Charlton Athletic	3	2	0	1	5	3	4			
Ipswich Town	3	1	1	1	7	4	3			
Gillingham	2	1	1	0	3	2	3			
West Ham	3	1	1	1	6	5	3			
Fulham	3	1	1	1	5	6	3			
CRYSTAL PALACE	3	0	2	1	3	4	2			
Brentford	3	1	0	2	3	6	2			
Watford	2	0	1	1	2	3	1			
Reading	3	0	1	2	2	6	1			
Luton Town	3	0	1	2	1	6	1			
Orient	3	0	0	3	1	11	0			

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action

Crystal Palace v Nottingham Forest / Saturday 28 August 1971

Alan Birchenall just fails in his bid for a goal against Forest. Goalkeeper Jim Barron comes out to collect the ball and halt our attack. Steve Kember and Tony Taylor wait anxiously in case of a slip.

SUPPORTERS CLUB NEWS



by David Carter

Good Evening folks and welcome to Selhurst for our first cup tie of the season. We also extend a very warm welcome to all Luton Town Supporters and hope they will take advantage of our invitation to them to visit the Social Hall (providing they have their membership cards with them). Inside the Hall we have a large bar in addition to the Snack Bar. Membership to the Supporters Club is still open — Adults 15p (OAP's and under 18's 10p). This fee also covers you for insurance purposes as well as for travel facilities.

Remember to buy your Jackpot tickets early. 2½p each or 5 for 10p. We also need more helpers to sell Jackpot tickets so if you would like to help please ask for Reg Cunningham in the Social Hall after the game.

Winners for 24th August v. Liverpool

1st: £16 BUFF A.8686 to be claimed.
2nd: £9 BUFF A.0162 M. Burford, 18 Dalton St., S.E.27.
3rd: £7 BUFF A.8085 J. Batchelor, YWCA, Croydon.

Winners for 28th August v. Nottingham Forest

1st: £20 PINK F.4378 L. Bethell, 10 Mirror Path, S.E.9.
2nd: £12 GREEN A.0362 A. Brown, 38 Riggindale Rd., S.W.16.
3rd: £8 BLUE F.0293 P. Shea, 21 Summersell House, S.E.27.

Our next away match is against Spurs and we are running our usual fleet of Coaches. Fare 40p (no reduction) Depart Selhurst at 1 p.m. We would advise booking as early as possible and Micky Pratt will be available at the Supporters Hall every Wednesday between 7.30 p.m. and 9 p.m. (except when we have a 1st XI match on the Tuesday and in this case bookings will be taken before and after the match). If however you are not able to book on Wednesday's at the ground Stan Whitby, 36 Firsby Ave, Shirley will be pleased to accept your personal booking between 6-7 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays or Thursdays, or of course, you may book by post enclosing the correct remittance plus a stamped addressed envelope for return of your coach ticket. Brian Simpson is busy keeping our Shops stocked up so pop along to see the lines we have available. The new Palace Shirts are available so get in quick while stocks last. Christmas is not so far away remember.

Mrs. Chris Smith is still on the lookout for new Dollies so drop her a line here at Selhurst Park. If you would like any information on the players Fan Clubs she is also the person to contact.

match summaries

Saturday 21st August 1971

Res XI v PLYMOUTH Res

Football Combination

at Selhurst Park at 15.00 hrs.

Result: Won 5-2 (half time 4-1)

Team: Hammond (Paul), Wooldridge, Roffey, Mann, Brown, Goldthorpe, Pain, Pinkney, Jenkins, Humphreys, Thomas. Substitute: Cannon not used. Scorers: Pain, Humphreys, Pinkney (3). Referee: J. Helps. Attendance: 1,030.

Junior under 18 XI v CHELSEA

South East Counties

League Division One

at Mitcham at 11.00 hrs.

Result: Draw 1-1 (half time 0-0)

Team: Wootton, McBride, Prince, McCarthy, Cannon, Parker, Hammond (Phil), Keith, Norris, Austin, Walley. Substitute: Chatterton not used Scorer: Hammond. Referee: K. Underwood

Junior under 17 XI v ORIENT

South East Counties

League Division Two Cup

at Banstead at 11.00 hrs.

Result: Lost 1-2 (half time 0-1)

Team: Smith, Lee, Ramsey, Bull, Frewing, Harrison, Maughan, Bennett, Hinshelwood (Paul), Cunningham, Bascombe. Substitute: Roberts for Bascombe after 30 minutes. Scorer: Roberts. Referee: B. P. Wright.

Tuesday 24th August 1971

1st XI v LIVERPOOL

Football League Division One

at Selhurst Park at 19.30 hrs.

Result: Lost 0-1 (half time 0-0)

Team: Jackson, Payne, Wall, Kember, Hoadley, Blyth, Scott, Tambling, Birchenall, Queen, Taylor. Substitute: Wharton not used. Referee: T. W. Dawes. Attendance: 28,488.

Saturday 28th August 1971

1st XI v NOTTINGHAM FOREST

Football League Division One

at Selhurst Park at 15.00 hrs.

Result: Draw 1-1 (half time 0-0)

Team: Jackson, Payne, Wall, Hoadley, McCormick, Blyth, Wharton, Kember, Birchenall, Tambling, Taylor. Substitute: Scott not used. Scorer: Birchenall. Referee: R. Judson. Attendance 17,699.

Football League Cup 2nd Round Tuesday 7 September, KO 7.30 pm.

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(2) **Crystal Palace v Luton Town** (0)

Shirts: White Claret Blue

Shorts: White

Socks: Blue Claret

Shirts: White

Shorts: Black

Socks: White

1 <	John Jackson	<	Tony Read
2 <	Phil Hoadley	<	John Ryan
3 <	Peter Wall	<	Donald Shanks
4 <	David Payne	<	Mike Keen
5 <	John McCormick	<	Chris Nicholl
6 <	Mel Blyth	<	John Moore
7 <	Terry Wharton SCOTT	<	Vivian Busby
8 <	Steve Kember	<	Alan Slough
* 9 <	Gerry Queen	<	Robin Wainwright
10 <	Bobby Tambling	<	Don Givens
* 11 <	Jim Scott TAYLOR	<	Peter Anderson
12 <	LOUGHLAN	<	Jimmy Ryan

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Cut out and keep this token. You will need it to enter the F.A. Cup Final Ticket Ballot.

Forthcoming Fixtures

Saturday 11th September at 3 p.m.

Football League Division One

MANCHESTER UNITED

Saturday 18th September at 3 p.m.

Football Combination

Swansea City Reserves

Saturday 25th September at 3 p.m.

Football League Division One

EVERTON

Referee M V Sinclair

Guildford

Began refereeing on the Isle of Wight in 1949. Graduated through the Hampshire League, Surrey Senior League and Football Combination. Appointed Football League Linesman 1963-64, promoted to Referees List 1966-67.

Officiated as Linesman in F.A. Cup semi-final in 1968, also 1970 Chelsea v. Watford. Refereed Amateur International England v. Ireland 1970. Refereed Anglo-Italian competition June 1971.

Married, with two daughters, he is a bricklayer.

Interested in Cricket and is Chairman of Guildford Referees Society.

Linesmen

M J Thorpe Tonbridge *Orange*

R L Weedon Reading *Cerise*