



WELCOME

LUTON TOWN

F.A. Cup Third Round

Season 1978/79

Match No. 14

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MANAGER'S REVIEW

Good afternoon, today we welcome the Directors, Players, Staff and Supporters of Second Division Luton Town to Bootham Crescent for the third round of the F.A. Cup.

In our last home game against Hartlepool United, we managed only a point when we should have had two. We played some good football up to the penalty area and then failed to capitalise on the approach work. We have been working on this in training and I hope that we have sorted this problem out.

At Grimsby, on the Saturday before Christmas, we played some reasonable football, but for reasons already explained, the home team were

somewhat flattered by the result.

The Reserves Cup match at Doncaster Rovers has been fixed for Wednesday, 14th February (7.30 p.m.) it is important that we continue to do well in this competition, particularly after the good performance in the first round against Chesterfield.

The Intermediates have been without a game for six weeks due to the weather. During this time they have been keeping fit by training twice a week; today they were at home to Sunderland.

Finally, may I take this opportunity to wish everyone a belated Happy and successful New Year.

CHARLIE WRIGHT

CITY NEWS DESK

Replay Arrangements

If today's match ends in a draw, the replay will be held at Kenilworth Road, Luton on a date to be announced. Entrance into the ground will be by turnstile, the following admission prices apply: Ground (Uncovered) £1.10; Ground (Covered) £1.30; Enclosure £1.50; Wing Stand Seats £1.70; Bobbers Seating Stand £2.25; Main Stand Seats £2.50. The Travel Club will be running coaches to the game departing Bootham Crescent at 1.00 p.m. Fare £3.55. Bookings may be made after today's game.

Half Time Scoreboard

A: Newcastle v Torquay; **B:** Darlington v Colchester; **C:** Sheffield Utd. v Aldershot; **D:** Hartlepool v Leeds; **E:** Coventry v W.B.A.; **F:** Bristol City v Bolton; **G:** Charlton v Maidstone; **H:** Nottingham Forest v Aston Villa; **J:** Middlesbrough v Crystal Palace; **K:** Man. Utd. v Chelsea; **L:** Sunderland v Everton; **M:** Ipswich v Carlisle; **N:** Southend v Liverpool; **P:** Spurs v Altrincham; **R:** Sheffield Wednesday v Arsenal.

Travel Club

The Travel Club are running coaches to Northampton next Saturday, departing Bootham Crescent at 10 a.m. Fare £3.50.

Bookings are also being accepted for the Wimbledon/Wembley trip on 17th February. There are only a few places left on this trip, and we advise members to book early. The coach departs Bootham Crescent at 7 a.m. Fare £6.70 (including Wembley Tour).

If sufficient members are interested, the Travel Club will also be running coaches to the Football League Cup Final, to be held on Saturday, 17th March at Wembley Stadium. The cost of the trip will be £10 (including coach travel and standing ticket) or £14 (including coach travel and seat ticket). Bookings for the Football League Cup Final with full payment must be made at the Travel Club Office before Saturday, 13th January, 1979.

THE VISITORS

LUTON TOWN

After a bright start to the season, especially at home, our visitors have slipped a little recently and are currently in the bottom half of Division 2. Like ourselves, Town did a lot of recruiting during the close season. Manager David Pleat is likely to rely on the following line-up this afternoon:

Jake Findlay, a £100,000 signing from Villa, has recently taken over in goal from Milija Alekic who has joined Spurs. **Paul Price** is Town's longest serving player who has twice come back from broken legs. **David Carr** joined the Club from School in 1973 and won his 1st team place last season. **Chris Turner** signed from Peterborough in the close season for £95,000 after 9 years with United with whom he made over 300 appearances. **Mal Donaghy** joined Town from Irish Club Larne in the summer. A bright future is forecast for the N. Ireland under 21 International defender. Youngster **Mark Aizlewood** was signed from

Newport for £50,000 last April. Key midfield man is former England Under 23 International **Alan West** a £100,000 signing from Burnley in 1973. Talented **Ricky Hill** was in Town's league side when only 17 three years ago. The men who have been on the mark this term are **Brian Stein**, **Bob Hatton** and **Dave Moss**. Brian, born in South Africa, made his debut last season. Bob, signed from Blackpool in the close season, is one of the league's most experienced strikers with over 150 goals to his credit. His previous Clubs have included Birmingham and Carlisle. Dave was secured from Swindon last summer for £110,000 and made over 200 appearances with 60 goals for the Wiltshire Club.

Exactly 20 years ago (1958/9) Town made their one and only FA Cup Final appearance losing to Forest 1-2. This is our 1st meeting in the FA Cup but Town have made 3 league visits to Bootham Crescent, the last being in February 1976 when they won a 2nd Division game 3-2.

78/79 LEAGUE TABLES

Football League Division Two

Up to and including 4th January 1979

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Crystal Palace	23	10	10	3	34	18	30
Stoke	23	11	8	4	32	21	30
Brighton	23	13	3	7	43	24	29
West Ham	22	11	5	6	44	23	27
Fulham	22	10	5	7	31	25	25
Sunderland	22	9	7	6	32	27	25
Burnley	22	9	7	6	35	32	25
Newcastle	23	10	5	8	24	23	25
Notts. Co.	23	8	9	6	30	37	25
Charlton	23	8	7	8	38	36	23
Orient	23	9	5	9	27	26	23
Bristol Rovers	22	9	5	8	31	37	23
Wrexham	20	7	7	6	25	21	21
Preston	23	7	7	9	37	40	21
Cambridge	23	5	11	7	26	32	21
Leicester	22	5	10	7	20	22	20
LUTON TOWN	21	8	3	10	37	27	19
Oldham	22	6	7	9	28	39	19
Sheffield Utd.	21	6	5	10	28	33	17
YORK CITY	22	5	5	12	25	47	15
Blackburn	21	3	7	11	22	40	13
Millwall	22	4	4	14	19	38	12

Football League Division Four

Up to and including 4th January, 1979

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Wimbledon	22	13	6	3	39	26	32
Portsmouth	23	14	3	6	42	22	31
Reading	22	12	6	4	35	21	30
Barnsley	21	11	7	3	35	16	29
Aldershot	23	10	9	4	33	23	29
Grimsby	22	11	4	7	35	23	26
Wigan	22	11	4	7	26	21	26
Newport	23	8	7	8	30	30	23
Stockport	23	8	6	9	34	30	22
Hereford	22	8	6	8	31	27	22
Port Vale	22	8	6	8	33	33	22
Bradford City	21	10	2	9	29	32	22
Scunthorpe	23	8	6	9	27	31	22
Torquay	20	9	3	8	25	26	21
Hartlepool	21	6	9	6	24	29	21
Bournemouth	22	7	6	9	22	19	20
Huddersfield	22	7	6	9	23	24	20
Northampton	22	7	6	9	33	36	20
Millwall	23	1	5	17	15	42	7




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GRAHAM BROWN	1	JAKE FINDLAY
ROY KAY	2	PAUL PRICE
JIMMY WALSH	3	MARK AIZLEWOOD
DAVID PUGH	4	DAVID CARR
STEVE FAULKNER	5	CHRIS TURNER
ANDY CLEMENTS	6	MAL DONAGHY
GARY FORD	7	ALAN WEST
KEVIN RANDALL	8	RICKY HILL
BARRY WELLINGS	9	BRIAN STEIN
IAN McDONALD	10	BOB HATTON
GORDON STANIFORTH	11	DAVID MOSS
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