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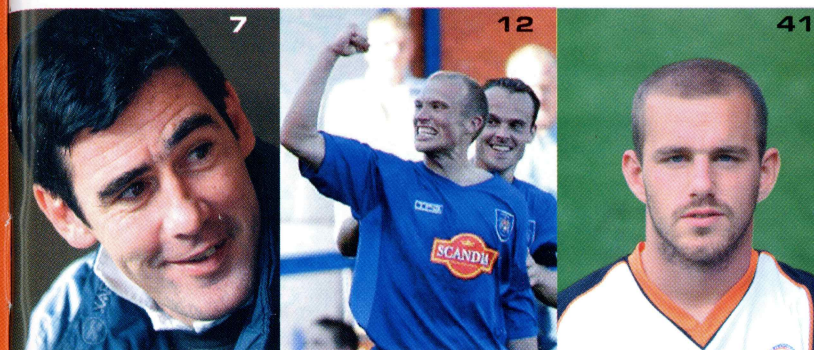
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# THE CHAIRMAN

WELCOME as always to our supporters and our visiting directors, management, players and their supporters from Stockport County.

We have to put behind us the disappointment of our F.A. Cup third round result against Brentford. However, as we all know, the F.A. Cup is always full of surprises. We have to move on, and we can now focus fully on our League ambitions for this Season.

The other media story affecting the Club this week was the departure of Mick Harford from Nottingham Forest, due to their appointment of Gary Megson as their new manager. I have received many calls and messages from supporters and the media regarding the possibility of Mick returning to the Club, due to his long association with us as a player, and recently as our Director of Football.

Everyone associated with the Club has always thought very well of Mick, professionally and personally. It was disappointing that he had such a short time in his new position, as I believe that he was doing a good job in a very difficult situation.

Mike Newell, our Manager, has appointed Brian Stein as the First Team Coach. That has also given Marvin Johnson, in addition to his important youth team responsibilities, a

chance to work at a higher level directly with Brian and our Reserve team. Mike Newell, the Board, and I did not want Mick to leave, and we did everything in our power to keep him here.

Mick has very strong principles, which I admire, which is why his departure from Forest was dealt with so amicably. I know that he understands completely that the Club has had to move on since he left us last November. Mick and I go back a long way as friends and as colleagues, and I am certain that his capability and experience will enable him to be back involved in football shortly.

In our last programme notes Mike Newell and I referred to our fixtures congestion over the festive season. The response from the poll on our website has been excellent, with a clear outcome from supporters for a reduced number of games. The Manager and I see it in the same way, and I will be raising the issue with the Football League and other clubs at League meetings to see whether they have similar views as us.

Enjoy the game.

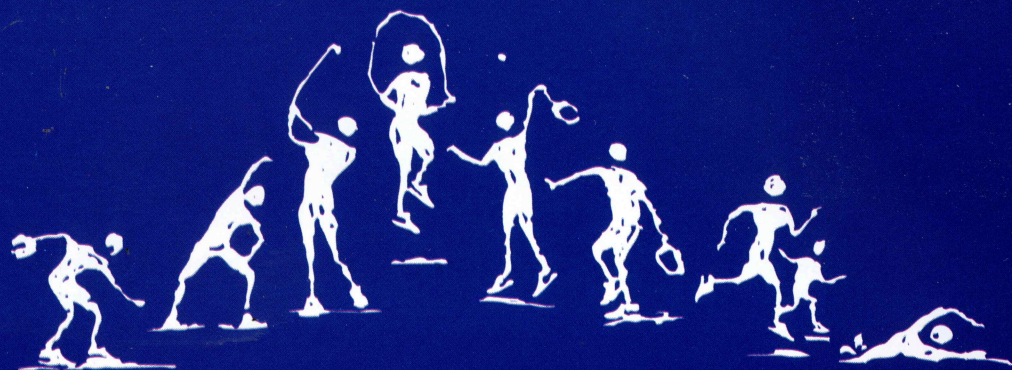
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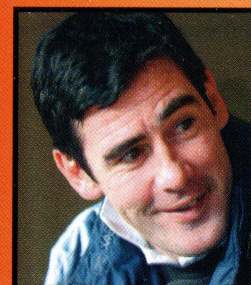
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# THE MANAGER

HELLO and welcome to Kenilworth Road for today's game against Stockport County. Welcome also to Chris Turner, his staff, players, directors and supporters from Edgeley Park. Stockport are in a precarious position and fighting for their lives but they can often be the most dangerous opponents, so we will have to be on our guard.

Last week's disappointment in the F.A. Cup may well turn out to be a blessing in disguise, although we certainly didn't view it like that at the time. Only by getting the right results will that be the case.

There are a number of players out of contract at the end of the season and some have already been offered new deals. It will be interesting to see how much influence the agents have in whether or not those players re-sign. There is nothing on the table for those agents and you can bet your bottom dollar that that will have some bearing on their advice. It will be much more profitable for them to take their player to a new club but if that is going to be the case, so be it.

In a week that has seen the fees paid to agents made public, I am pleased that the Chairman of the Football League, Sir Brian Mawhinney, is as concerned as I am about the amount of money leaving football. Five million pounds is quite unbelievable considering it is money going out of the game. Is it any wonder that so many clubs have had difficulties over the last few years? If an agent is acting for a player, then that player should take care of his fee, the same way you or I would pay an estate agent.

I spoke about this eighteen months ago and I find it incredible that nothing is ever done and I am also amazed that journalists and tabloid newspapers that have so much power and who will dig and dig for the most trivial of stories, cannot get to the bottom of where the money goes because you can be certain that if the figure published for league clubs is five million then in my opinion, it will at least be four times that for the Premiership.

I believe a stance needs to be made somewhere along the line, the same way it needs to be made against some players feigning injury. It is something that has crept into the game and the worry is that our own up and coming youngsters look up to the more senior stars. The game in this country has a reputation for being physical, competitive and more than anything honest and if we are not careful it will become like many other European leagues where the slightest contact, or even threat of contact, is penalised. Fortunately the best two players in the country at the moment are English - Steven Gerrard and Frank Lampard - and the example they set should be commended. Their ability is unquestionable but it is their attitude and honesty that is impressive, and it is those two examples that I hope our youngsters follow.

Enjoy the game and get behind the lads

*Mike Newell*

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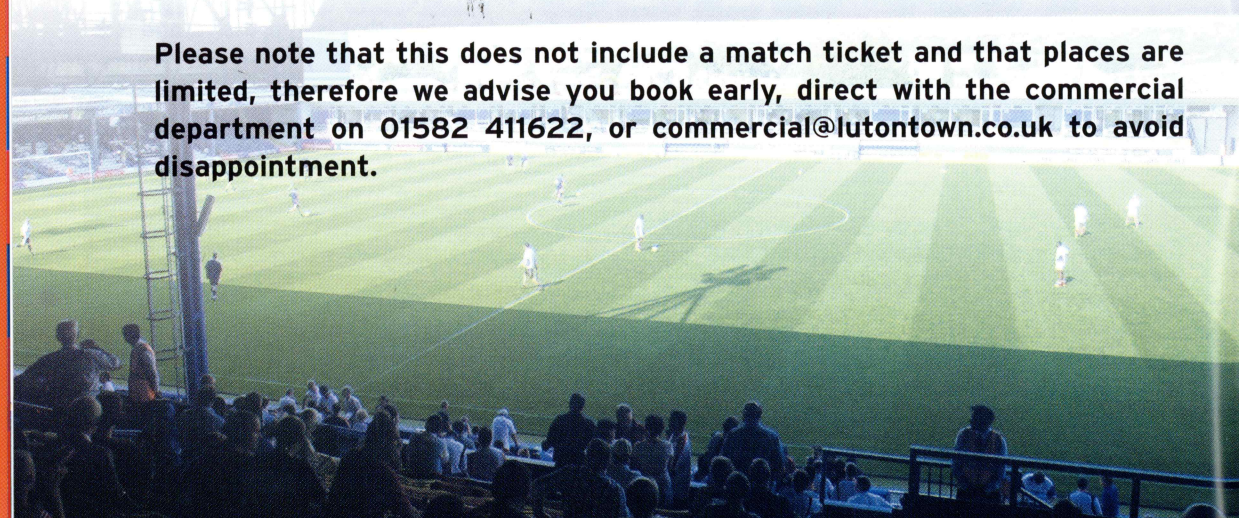
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## CLUB SECRETARY

GOOD AFTERNOON and welcome to everyone. Firstly, apologies to any supporters that were not aware of the change of date for our home Pontin's Holiday Combination reserve match with MK Dons this week. We did try to make everyone aware via our own public address system, scoreboard, web and local press. The reason for the change is that a Tuesday playing date fits into the weekly schedule better and therefore we are now looking to change all our home reserve fixtures to a Tuesday, still with a 2.00p.m. kick-off here at Kenilworth Stadium with Woking, Oxford and Stevenage all having agreed to bring their matches with us forward by 24 hours.

We are pleased to welcome today the 2nd Battalion Royal Anglian Regiment Drums Platoon, who will be playing for us before the match and at half-time, and also members of the cast from the television series "The Royal" who are here as guests of our sponsors Travel Extras.

Whilst everyone's attention has been drawn to the plight of the victims of the Asian Earthquake, there are still others in the world who need help and I was particularly pleased this week to be able to send some out of date kit to children and young people in Tanzania, via Peter Moss, one of our ardent supporters who helps with an organisation called Global Partners, whose mission statement is to help towards bringing an end to the persistence of hunger throughout the world, particularly the survival and development of children.

We have this week received a letter from The Football Association asking us to nominate local charities to benefit financially from the Charity Shield Fund, I am pleased to advise sup-

porters that we have nominated The Pasque Hospice, The Luton and Dunstable Hospital, Cancer Unit and Mencap.

We have also heard from Arfan Arif of Channel 4 who is working on a cultural diversity programme, which is part of Channel 4's commitment to reflect cultural multiplicity, both on screen and off. He would like to hear from all Asian football supporters and you are asked to contact him at [footballfan@12yard.com](mailto:footballfan@12yard.com)

Congratulations to Garry Brooks, who ran the New York Marathon in 5 hours and 44 minutes wearing his Luton kit and sweat bands. He raised £2,800 for the Alzheimers Society and Garry has commented to me: "If I can run the marathon, then Luton can certainly win the League!"

Richard Bird, our Head Groundsman, is looking for additional help replacing divots in the pitch after home matches, if you can assist please do make contact with Richard, either after the game today or by telephoning him here at the club, during the week on 01582 411622

Finally, I am sorry to advise supporters of the untimely passing of John Taylor from Welwyn Garden City, a long standing season ticket holder in the Main Stand. He will be missed by all his friends at Kenilworth Road.

Enjoy the game and get behind the team

*Cherry*

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# NEWS & DIARY

## NEWS

A round-up of events since we were last at home.

### JANUARY

- 11 The Reserves start the New Year with a win over Milton Keynes Dons at home.
- 8 The Town suffer only their second defeat in fourteen matches as Brentford knock the Hatters out of the F.A. Cup.

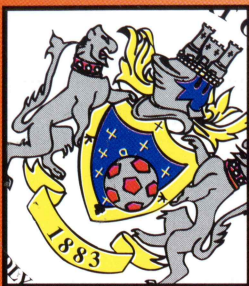
## DIARY

Find out what's happening before our next game at Kenilworth Road against Tranmere Rovers on Saturday 29th January.

### JANUARY

- 15 Stockport County are the visitors for the first-team and the Under-18's take on Northampton Town in their final home match of the first phase of the Youth Alliance season.
- 22 The Hatters travel to Colchester United (k.o. 3pm) to face the U's for the second time in a month and Marvin Johnson's side finish their league campaign with a top of the table trip to West Brom, 11am kick-off
- 26 The Reserves travel to Gillingham for a 2pm kick-off in the Pontin's Holiday Combination.





# TODAY'S OPPONENTS

## STOCKPORT IN BRIEF

**Nickname:** The Hatters  
**Ground:** Edgeley Park  
**Manager:** Chris Turner  
**Formed:** 1883  
**Last season:** 19th in Division Two

## LAST TIME WE MET

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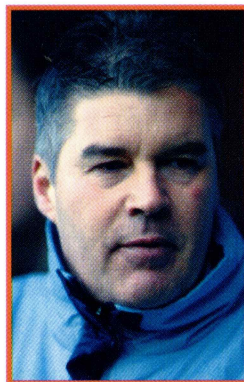
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Robinson 33  
Vine 35  
Brkovic 54

**Stockport:** Spencer; Geary, Williams, Griffin (sub Barlow 60), Adams; Feeney (sub Welsh 32), Lambert, Mair (sub Goodwin 45), Bridge-Wilkinson, Jackman; Beckett. Subs not used: Cutler, Cartwright.

**Hatters:** Beresford; Foley, Davies, Coyne, Davis; Brkovic (sub Keane 90), Robinson (sub Leary 74), Nicholls, Underwood; Howard, Vine (sub McSheffrey 74). Subs not used: Showunmi, Seremet.

## MANAGER

### CHRIS TURNER



**46-YEAR-OLD** Chris Turner took over as Stockport County manager last month, replacing Sammy McIlroy in the Hatters hot seat, after a two-year spell in charge of Sheffield Wednesday.

As a player he enjoyed a notable career as a goalkeeper, appearing for Manchester United,

Sunderland, Sheffield Wednesday, Lincoln and Leeds United before he kicked-off his managerial career as joint-manager of Leyton Orient in 1994.

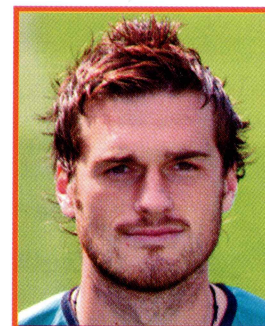
From Brisbane Road he moved to Wolverhampton Wanderers where he worked as Mark McGhee's youth team manager before progressing into his first full-time managerial post at Hartlepool United.

A strong finish to the 1998/99 season saw the Victoria Park outfit avoid relegation from Division Three and preserved their league status. From this platform he built a side that contested the play-off places for the next three seasons before leaving the club in November 2002 to return to his home town club, Sheffield Wednesday.

In nearly 200 matches in charge of the north-east side he led them to 82 victories and suffered just under fifty defeats, before he stepped up to manage at Hillsborough.

## GOALKEEPERS

### NEIL CUTLER



Neil joined County in the summer of 2004 from Stoke City. The Birmingham-born keeper was a trainee with West Brom but never signed professional forms with the club and later joined Crewe. His first regular run of games came at Chester and he fol-

lowed that with a move to Aston Villa where he made one substitute appearance. Neil made his County debut on the opening day of the 2004/05 season at home to Huddersfield Town.

### SAM McEWEN

Sam hails from Manchester and having been at Everton's Academy he joined our Centre of Excellence at the age of 11. At the age of just 14 he was an unused substitute at Watford in the FA Youth Cup Third Round tie back in December 2001.

### JAMES SPENCER

James joined our Centre of Excellence in 1999 and signed YT forms two years later. He was still just 16 when he became the club's youngest-ever goalkeeper when he was handed his First Division debut against Watford in April 2002 when his terrific save late in the game helped us beat the Hornets 2-1. He made 18 appearances last season, one of which came in our last away game at Bournemouth where his superb performance helped County secure a 0-0 draw and more importantly the point that ensured Second Division survival.

## DEFENDERS

### DANNY ADAMS

Danny joined us in March 2004 just in time to make his debut against high-flying Bristol City at Edgeley Park. The Hatters paid Cheshire neighbours Macclesfield Town a nominal fee for the tough-tackling defender who became a huge favourite at the Moss Rose after joining the Silkmen from Altrincham in a £25,000 deal in September 2000.

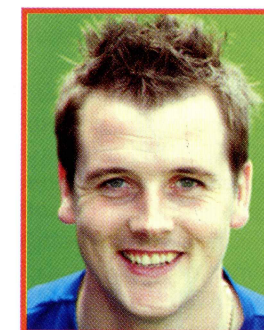
### LIAM BROWNHILL

Liam hails from Altrincham and joined our Centre of Excellence at the age of 11. As a youngster he represented both Trafford and Greater Manchester Schoolboys.

### JIM GOODWIN

Jim moved to Edgeley Park in May 2002 on a Bosman-free after rejecting a new contract at Celtic. The Waterford-born defender joined the Scottish giants as a 15-year-old but despite progressing to captain the Republic of Ireland Under-21 team he found opportunities limited at Park Head. Just one first-team appearance, against Dundee United in May 2000, prompted his decision to move south. Going into this season Jim had made 77 appearances, scoring 9 goals, including the 2002/03 Goal of the Season in the crucial 3-0 victory at Northampton when he scored direct from a fantastic free-kick.

### DANNY GRIFFIN



Danny became Sammy McIlroy's fourth permanent signing after he agreed to join us from Scottish

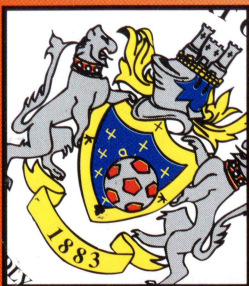
Premiership side Dundee United in January 2004. The Northern Ireland international can play anywhere across the back four and also in

midfield. Unfortunately, his season was ended prematurely at Blackpool in March after he tore his Achilles and he is still stuck on the sidelines.

### JOHN HARDIKER

John became the first player to join Morecambe's academy, in 1998, after failing to win a YTS contract at Bury. A regular in the Shrimpers' side since making his debut as a 16-year-old John made around 100 appearances for the Lancashire club. Morecambe's FA Cup run in 2000/01 brought him national acclaim and his consistent performances persuaded Carlton Palmer to make him the Conference's most-expensive defender when he paid £150,000 to bring him to Edgeley Park. A goal on his Football League debut at Rotherham, John became an





# STOCKPORT COUNTY

Edgeley Park hero by scoring twice in the final five, pulsating minutes when County came from behind to beat Manchester City in March 2002.

## DANNY JACKMAN



Danny joined us after a successful loan period when Aston Villa accepted our bid of £70,000. The full back, who came through the ranks at Villa Park, is equally home defending or attacking down the left touchline.

## DANNY MEADOWCROFT

Danny is a strong central defender who signed professional forms at the end of his YT spell. He played for Maine Road whilst at college before joining County in the summer of 2002. He captained our reserve side in 2003/04 and finished the campaign on work experience at Mossley where he made eight appearances.

## MICHAEL RAYNES

Michael is a centre half from Wythenshawe who joined our Centre of Excellence at the age of 11. He was captain of Manchester Boys and also represented Greater Manchester Schoolboys. Michael made his first team debut as a late substitute at Swansea City in the FA Cup in December 2004. His first start for the Hatters came on New Years Day 2005 when he produced a battling display during the 2-1 win at Torquay United.

## PHIL REILLY

Phil is a defender who signed for County in March 2004 after impressing during a short trial period. He started his career with the Belvedere

club in Ireland before joining Manchester City in July 2002.

## ASHLEY WILLIAMS

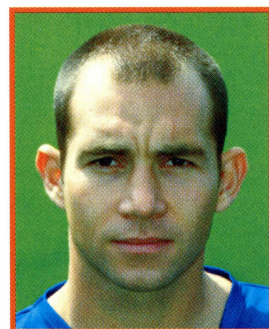
Ashley joined us in December 2003 from Dr Martens League side Hednesford Town. The young defender showed great potential and versatility by playing at right back and centre back for our reserve side before making his league debut in the 2-2 draw at Hartlepool in March 2004. He only made ten appearances but it was enough to walk away with the club's Young Player of the Year award at the end of the season.

## MIDFIELDERS

### DAMIEN ALLEN

Damien is a first year professional at Edgeley Park having progressed through the club's youth system since joining as a 13-year-old. He was captain of our Under-19 side in the 2003/04 season and is a lively midfield player.

### MARC BRIDGE-WILKINSON



Marc Bridge-Wilkinson started his career at Derby where he received a Young Player of the Year award during his time with the Rams, in which he made just one appearance at Liverpool in November 1998. The midfielder was

released by the Rams in May 2000 before signing for Port Vale and enjoying an impressive debut on the opening day of the season with two goals in a 3-0 win. He became out of contract at the end of the 2003/04 season and in

the summer he decided to leave Vale Park and join up with Sammy McIlroy who revealed he had been watching the talented midfield player for some time.

## LEE CARTWRIGHT

Lee joined Stockport in January 2004 on a free transfer from Preston North End. With almost 500 senior appearances for the Lilywhites, Lee, who can play central or right-side of midfield, is a Deepdale legend.

## RICKIE LAMBERT

Rickie moved to Edgeley Park in April 2002 from Macclesfield Town for £300,000, a record fee for our Cheshire neighbours. Lambert joined the Silkmen in the 2000/01 season after serving his traineeship at Blackpool and, after a slow start, emerged as a midfield player with enormous potential. The Liverpoolian also holds another Macclesfield record – the first player to score a hat-trick for the team since they won promotion to the Football League in 1997. Last season Rickie really showed his worth with 13 crucial goals including a number of Goal of the Season contenders from set pieces.

## MARK ROBERTSON

Sammy McIlroy was quick to snap up Mark when he became a victim of the cost-cutting exercise at Dundee. The Australian-born midfielder is a combative player with previous experience in England at Burnley and Swindon Town.

## STRIKERS

### MAT BAILEY

Mat comes from Crewe and is a 6' 4" striker. He came to the attention of County after scoring for Nantwich against our reserve side in the Cheshire Cup. Mat signed for the Hatters soon after for a nominal fee and he signed professional forms at the start of the 2003-04 season. He struggled early in the campaign after picking up an injury on tour in China and in March he joined Altrincham on loan where he managed to find the net three times.

## STUART BARLOW

Stuart joined us in the summer of 2003 on a Bosman-free from our Cheshire neighbours Tranmere Rovers. And at 35 years old, he soon showed that he's not lost any of his predatory

instincts and his enthusiasm and hard work ethic has quickly endeared him to the County faithful. Last season Stuart grabbed 12 goals from just 15 starts and 15 sub appearances.

## JON DALY

Jon joined County from Cherry Orchard in May 1998 and soon impressed everyone at Edgeley Park with his eye for goal. A prolific scorer at youth and reserve level he became the club's second-youngest player when he made his first-team debut at Walsall in October 1999. Jon has represented Ireland at every level up to under-21 and going into this season he has scored 13 goals in 83 appearances.

## WARREN FEENEY

Warren made the switch from Bournemouth to County in the summer of 2004. The Belfast-born striker started his career as a trainee at Leeds but failed to break into the first team before joining the Cherries, initially on loan, and then permanently after he was released from Elland Road. He was regarded as a real fans' favourite on the south coast and is also a full Northern Ireland international.

## ADAM LE FONDRE

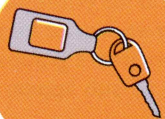
Adam is a Stockport-born striker who has been a prolific goalscorer for our youth team. The second year YT at Edgeley Park scored on his County debut in October - against Bury in the LDV Vans Trophy.

## CHRIS WILLIAMS

Chris, who has been at County since he was 12 years old, signed YT forms in July 2001. Later that month he travelled with the first team squad to Finland and scored against SC Kings after coming on as a substitute. He became the club's third youngest player to play in a first team game when he came off the bench at Watford on November 10, 2001. In March 2004 he came off the bench to score County's second in a 2-0 victory over Bristol City and he came off the bench to score again the following week at Brentford when he picked up the ball in his own half before running and curling the ball from 25 yards out, an effort that picked up the club's Goal of the Season award.



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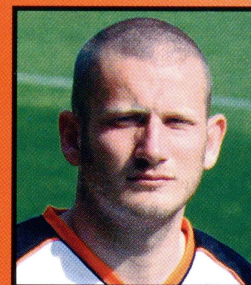
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## CLUB CAPTAIN

LAST Saturday was a disappointing day at the office. We played pretty well in the first half and we were unfortunate not to go ahead when Howie scored, what we thought was a decent goal but it was disallowed and if I am honest, we didn't look like scoring after that, we did not break Brentford down.

We were raring to go in the second half, but it didn't happen for us. Another mistake led to the first goal and after that we were chasing the game, the second goal finished us off but when you are in a cup match you have got to get back into the game and you take risks that you perhaps would not normally make for a league match.

In that sort of a situation it is either going to end up 2-0 as it did, or you get a goal back and from there, teams more often than not go on to get another after that and win the match. We pushed on but it wasn't meant to be and unfortunately we got knocked out of the cup.

The lads were in on Monday morning, back on the training pitch and have been working hard all week to put things right. We have been the top side this season, it is not nice to lose and get knocked out of any competition but it is down to the lads, the manager and the coaching staff can only do so

much – it is down to the team that the gaffer picks to stand up and be counted this Saturday. These might be harsh words from me but we have got to get back to winning ways if we want to win this league.

That begins this afternoon against Stockport. The eleven that start the game have got to put it right and play as we did at the start of the season. You can see from the Peterborough game that matches against the sides near the bottom will be tough, they won't always be great games to watch. They have got a new manager in and their aim will be to survive the season and stay in this division but all that matters to us is 'Luton Town'. That is what we have to do now, worry about ourselves and our performance as a team, and make sure we get three points back on the board.

We have to bounce back – that is all I can say. It is not nice losing, we have had defeats in the past and have always responded in the right manner and we will again. We have to put together another unbeaten run and try and go another ten or twelve games without a defeat.

*Kevin Nicholls*

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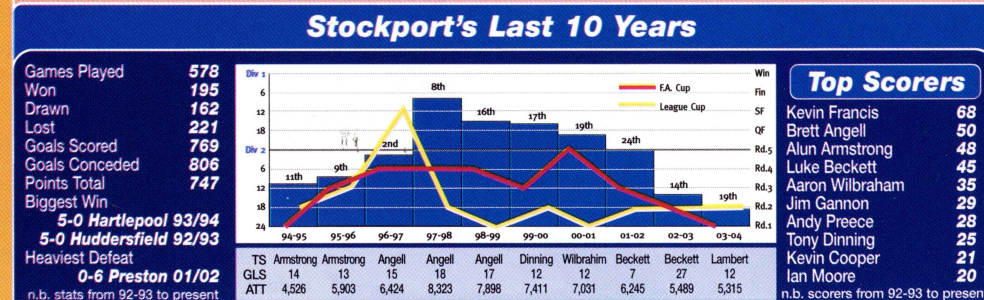
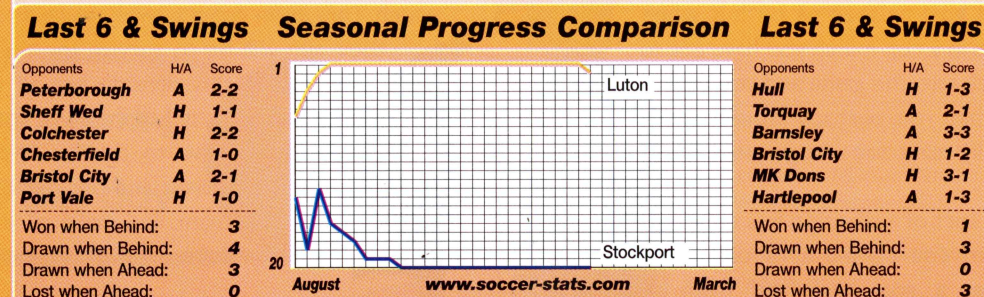




# Luton v Stockport



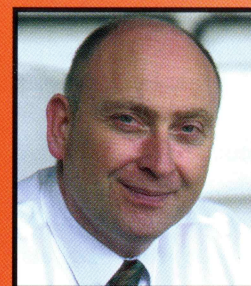
Discipline		Top Scorers in each Category		Discipline	
Red Cards	2	Howard	10	Headed goals	Feeney 3
Yellow Cards	42	Nicholls	3	Long range shots	Bridge-Wilkinson 2
Fouls Committed	378	Howard	9	Inside 6 yards	Lambert 2
Average per Game	14.54	Brkovic	5	Shots from 6-18 yards	Feeney 4
Conceded from Free Kick	5	Brkovic	2	Volleyed shots	4 players 1
Fouls Suffered	341	Nicholls	1	Penalties	Lambert 1
Average per Game	13.12	Nicholls	4	Scored 1st Goal in match	Daly 2
Scored from Free Kick	6	3 players	2	Most goals in last 10	Feeney, Lambert 2
Caught Offside	162	Howard	13.35	Points gained from goals	Lambert 3.33
Average per Game	6.23				



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## HATTERS HISTORY

AFTER the Town won promotion from the football basement in 2002 any new season optimism soon evaporated with four successive defeats. Peterborough and Barnsley both won at Kenilworth Road while on our travels we suffered a heavy battering at Blackpool as well as a, by now, customary defeat at Plymouth.

The Luton players refused to panic, however, and fought out a 0-0 draw at promotion favourites Cardiff before allowing the supporters to breath a sigh of relief following a 3-0 home thumping of Chesterfield. The season was now up and running!

By the time of the visit to Stockport in early October we had pushed up to 15th in the table after our disastrous start but would be missing the injured Kevin Nicholls and Russell Perrett with Alan Neilson and Ian Hillier deputising and would also be giving a debut to goalkeeper Cedric Berthelin, signed from Lens on a short term contract during the week.

The Town took the game to their opponents right from the start and it was no real surprise when Matthew Spring opened the scoring after

14 minutes. A deep cross from Emmerson Boyce was headed back across goal by Andrew Fotiadis to Spring who sidefooted home from eight yards. What was a surprise, though, was Stockport going in 2-1 ahead at the interval. Firstly, Hillier lost possession to County's Ali Gibb and his accurate cross was headed home by Luke Beckett and then just before the break Berthelin spilled Aaron Lescott's low drive leaving Jon Daly to tap in the loose ball.

No doubt acting manager Mick Harford, standing in for Joe Kinnear who had to stay at home to deal with a family illness, had words to say at half-time but he was probably just as shocked as the Luton supporters present, as there was no way that Stockport deserved to be in front.

The fans had to wait until the 71st minute for the equaliser but before that they had laid siege on the Stockport goal with Steve Robinson, Chris Coyne, Spring and Fotiadis all going close. It was the latter who netted the all-important goal when he took a Paul Hughes pass in his stride before hitting home an unstoppable shot from ten yards.

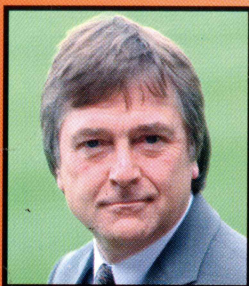
The winner came only three minutes later when Stockport player manager Carlton Palmer, in attempting to pass back to his goalkeeper, was robbed of possession by Spring whose shot from fifteen yards was helped into the roof of the net by defender Jim Goodwin. Stockport then tried to lay siege on the Town goal but it was the visitors who came closest to increasing their lead with Coyne and substitute Dean Crowe seeing efforts well saved as the Town recorded their first ever league win at Edgeley Park.



■ Andrew Fotiadis fires home at Stockport.

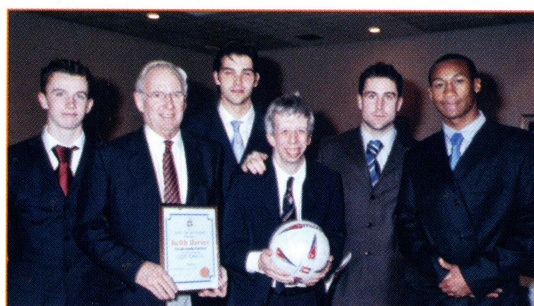
**ROGER WASH**





# COMMERCIAL UPDATE

FIRST and foremost may I take the opportunity of welcoming all of our commercial partners and sponsors to this afternoon's Coca-Cola League One game against Stockport County and hope that they have an enjoyable afternoon.



■ Matchball Sponsors Keith Harvey together with son David, receive their sponsorship mementos from squad members against Brentford



■ VIP guests enjoy the pre-match dressing room visit at our match against Brentford

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Ltd, who join us for the first time this season. The company was formed in 1975 and subsequently, have built a solid reputation for the quality of their work in office, factory, commercial and residential refurbishment. Gary Clark justifiably prides himself on providing a good old-fashioned service with the emphasis on honest straightforward advice, as well as expertise with a personal touch. Gary himself, is a long time committed Luton Town fan and we thank him for his support and hope that Gary and his guests have a great time with us today. Clark and Son Ltd can be contacted on 01582 483939 or by e-mail at [enquiries@clarkandsonltd.com](mailto:enquiries@clarkandsonltd.com)



■ Keith Harvey, Matchball sponsor, with his guests on the Kenilworth Road turf

## LOYAL LUTON

Although not officially sponsoring the match today, we could not let the moment pass by not saying good afternoon and welcome to the Loyal Luton Supporters Club, who have booked today, the whole of the Joe Payne Restaurant, which is a new dining facility for this season. Bob Bates, the Chairman of Loyal Luton plus, forty-one of the members will have their pre-match meal in the

restaurant before taking their regular seats for what we all hope will be a great afternoon of football and another three points for the Town.

As Bob has been quoted in saying, the Loyal Luton's aims have always been to encourage new supporters, as well as maintain the existing one's, through the good times as well as the tough. Fully committed to supporting all aspects of the team, including wherever possible, financially. They are very supportive of the Club and wish them every success. Loyal Luton's support is very much appreciated by all of us and we wish them a tremendous afternoon with us.



■ VIP guests from the Eric Morecambe sponsors lounge on their pre-match tour.

## HAPPY 40th TO DAVID QUINELL

It's with great pleasure, that the Club is privileged this afternoon to be part of the 40th birthday celebrations for avid and lifelong Luton Town supporter, David Quinell. David and his wife Jane, son Jamie, together with family and friends join us in the sponsors lounge today, as part of his birthday celebrations. Having had one of these myself, albeit more years ago than I care to admit, I am sure I speak for a lot of us when I say that your 40th is a pretty special milestone and certainly supports the proven statement in saying, that life begins at forty. Jane has made all the arrangements for David today and we thank her for giving us the opportunity of being part of their celebrations and hope that David has memorable afternoon.

Thank you for your support and have a great afternoon

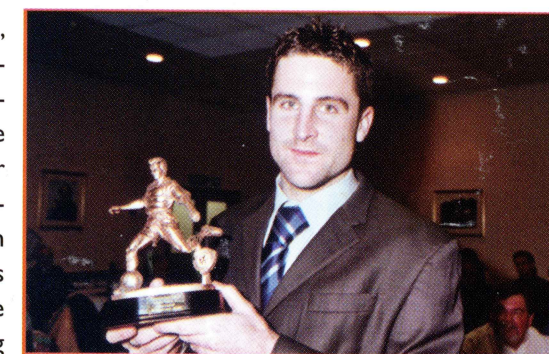
**PETER DAVIS**



■ Chris Beard presents Kevin Nicholls with the Player of the Month trophy for December

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■ Man of the Match for Brentford, Chris Coyne with his trophy





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# PREDICTION COMPETITION

THE magic of the F.A. Cup threatened competitors with potentially the toughest round of the Prediction Competition last weekend however BBC Three Counties Radio's Euan Duncan came through with flying colours. The Hatters commentator became the first person this season to score eight points and jumped to the top of the league.

Trish Johnson wasn't far behind for the Staff, becoming the fifth person to score seven points this season and her efforts allowed the Staff to join level with the Supporters in second place. The Players currently lead the way with 45 points, whilst the new individual leader helped to close the gap for the Press in fourth position.

## RESULTS

			PLAYERS	PRESS	STAFF	SUPPORTERS
			Stephen O'LEARY	Euan DUNCAN	Trish JOHNSON	Terry DOVE
Chelsea	3-1	Scunthorpe	3-0	3-0	4-1	3-0
Hartlepool	0-0	Boston Utd	2-0	2-0	2-1	0-0
Leicester	2-2	Blackpool	2-1	2-1	1-1	1-0
Notts Co	1-2	Middlesbro	1-3	1-2	0-2	0-2
Tottenham	2-1	Brighton	4-0	3-1	3-1	1-1
Yeading	0-2	Newcastle	1-3	0-2	0-2	1-3
			4 points	8 points	7 points	6 points

## PREDICTIONS

			PLAYERS	PRESS	STAFF	SUPPORTERS
			Marlon BERESFORD	Laura OAKLEY	Peter DAVIS	Steve WEBB
Bolton	v	Arsenal	1-3	1-3	1-2	1-2
Man City	v	C Palace	1-0	0-1	2-2	1-1
Rotherham	v	Wigan	0-2	0-4	0-2	0-2
Burnley	v	Reading	0-0	1-2	2-1	0-1
Bournemouth	v	Sheff Wed	1-1	2-2	1-1	2-2
Scunthorpe	v	Bury	3-0	1-0	2-0	3-1

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Saturday 8th January  
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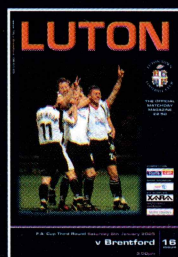
**Brentford** **2**

Hargreaves 71  
 Tabb 89

**Hatters:** Beresford; Foley, Coyne, Davies, Davis; Brkovic (sub Andrew 82), Robinson (sub Showunmi 88), Nicholls, Underwood; Howard, Vine. Subs not used: Perrett, Seremet, Holmes.

**Brentford:** Nelson; Lawrence (sub Tabb 82), Turner, Fitzgerald, Frampton; Rankin (sub Salako 90), Hutchinson, Talbot, Hargreaves, May; Burton. Subs not used: Myers, Lee, Julian.

	Hatters	Bees
Shots On	1	3
Shots Off	7	2
Offside	5	8
Corners	6	0
Free kicks	26	15





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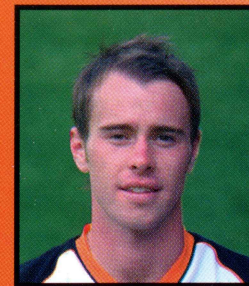
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## TWENTY QUESTIONS

### ON THE PITCH

### OFF THE PITCH

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Brko's overhead kick against Bradford

**What motivates you?**

My Family

**Who is the toughest opponent you've ever faced?**

Dennis Bergkamp

**Who is your best friend in football?**

Lee Mansell

**What do you most want to improve about your game?**

To be more consistent

**Who is the worst dresser at the club?**

Marlon 'Bad Gear' Beresford

**Do you have any superstitions?**

No

**What is your best quality?**

I am patient

**What was your first pair of boots?**

I think it was a pair of Reeboks

**What's your favourite TV programme?**

Sopranos

**Have you got a tip for youngsters?**

Work hard and enjoy what you do

**Who is the last person**

**you'd want to upset?**

My Girlfriend

**What is your favourite ground?**

White Hart Lane

**What was the last item you bought you've hardly/never used?**

I don't buy anything I don't need!

**Who signed you as a pro?**

George Graham

**If your life story was featured in a film who would play you?**

Rhys Ifans

**Who do you support?**

Liverpool

**Have you ever been mistaken for someone else?**

Unbelievably, Keith Keane - What a bad shout that was!

**Who'll play at a higher level?**

Curtis Davies

**What don't we know about you?**

I don't look anything like Keith Keane!

**IAN HILLIER**

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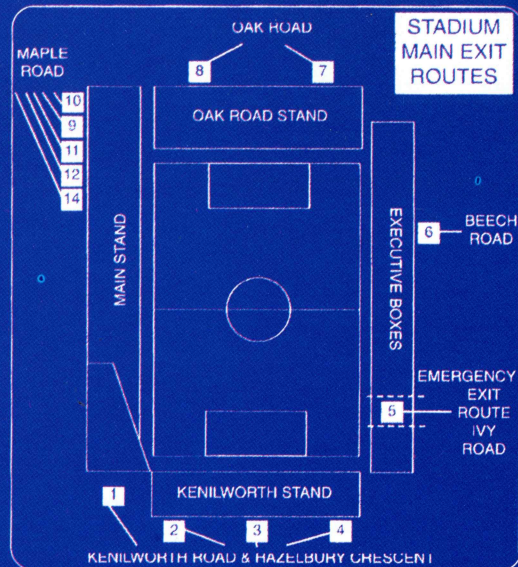


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# FANTASY FOOTBALL XI

THE latest player to pen their dream team of current and former team-mates, is the man dubbed the 'Croatian Sensation', Ahmet Brkovic. Having began his career at HNK Dubrovnik, he arrived in Luton via a two-year spell with Leyton Orient.

The 30-year-old moved to England in the autumn of 1999 and after eighty appearances at Brisbane Road he joined the Hatters, where he is currently enjoying his fourth and most prolific season with the Club.

His team - based on a 4-4-2 formation - has a continental flare to it, just as you would expect. The side is made up of Croatians and English players he has shared a pitch with during his career and taking their lead from the manager, would be sure to entertain.



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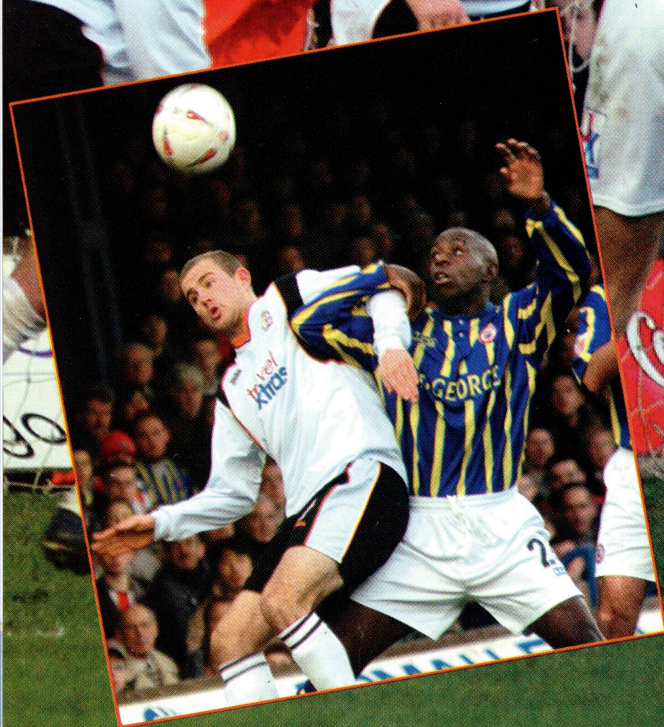
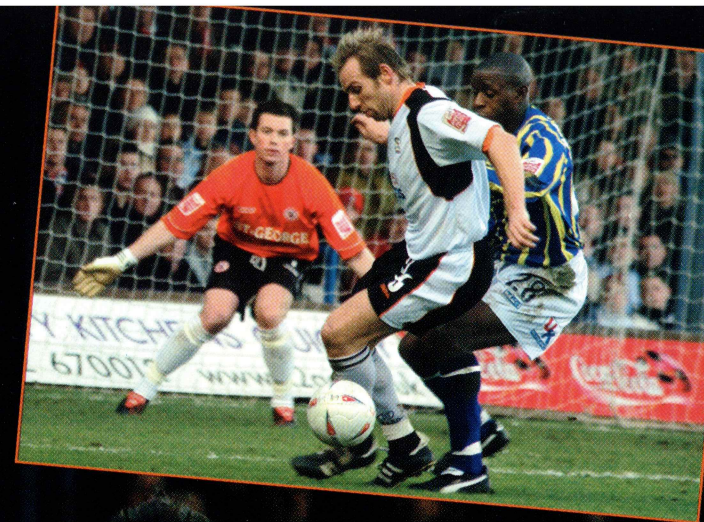
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## FOOTBALL IN THE COMMUNITY



GOOD AFTERNOON and welcome to this afternoon's game. In the last matchday magazine I provided you with the dates of holiday courses for the first half of 2005 and the opportunity to pre-book. Today I have illustrated below the remainder of the dates for this year.

I would like to say a thank you to 'Kelloggs' for their continued sponsorship. February's half-term courses are being run, once again, in partnership with Kellogg's Frosties.

Across the country nearly 30,000 children took part in Football in the Community Holiday Courses during

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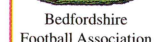
**STUART SMITH**

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	Alameda Middle	8th – 12th Aug	£45.00
	To Be Confirmed	15th – 19th Aug	
	Barnfield College	22nd – 26th Aug	£45.00
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	Barnfield College	24th Oct – 26th Oct	£30.00
	Farley Junior	27th – 28th Oct	£20.00
	Alameda Middle	27th – 28th Oct	£20.00
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	Farley Junior	28th – 30th Dec	£30.00
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## JUNIOR HATTERS

### HUDDERSFIELD TRIP

The Junior Hatters next trip is to the Galpharm Stadium to see Luton play Huddersfield Town on Saturday 5th February.

Coaches will leave Maple Road at 10am and prices (inclusive of match ticket) are £16.00 for Junior Hatters, £22.00 for adult guests and £18.00 for concession guests.

Please call the Junior Hatters Headquarters on 01582 391927 to book your place.

### AWAY MASCOT

Welcome to the Junior Supporters from Stockport County who are joining us for lunch and football prior to this afternoon's game.

Their mascot today, is nine-year-old Craig Porter, whose favourite players are Danny Griffin and Rickie Lambert.

We hope you have an enjoyable trip to Kenilworth Road.

### BALL BOYS

Today's ball boys are Ryan Lawson of Wheatfield Road, Luton and Daniel McLeod of Harcourt Street, Luton.

Their favourite players are Kevin Foley and Steve Howard respectively.

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### JUNIOR HATTERS MASCOT

**Name:**

Jamie Connolly

**Age:**

7

**Favourite Player:**

Kevin Nicholls

**School attended:**

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**Hobbies:**

Football, Golf and Swimming



### BIRTHDAYS

The following Junior Hatters are celebrating birthdays before our next home game:

**CATHAL DOHERTY**

**PETER O'CONNELL**

**CHRIS KELLY**

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**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU ALL**

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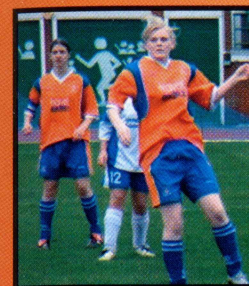
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## FIRST TEAM

The fortunes of the male and female sections of Luton Town have shaped up with almost remarkable parity this season. Earlier this season, the Ladies were eliminated from the F.A. Cup by Brentford and now both the Belles first-team and reserve side have dropped to second, from the top spots in their league that they have held almost all season.

The Belles were not at their best against mid-table Slough and looked to have secured a goalless draw, only to concede a very questionable late penalty to lose their first league match of the season. It might all have been so different had the laws been applied correctly when Rebecca Kane was hauled down from behind with only the keeper to beat but no action was taken.

The Reserves were held up for three hours on the M25 and arrived very late in Kent before going down 1-0 to a late Holmesdale goal in a match they were expected to have won.

## YOUTH

There was some cheer in the youth section as the Under 15's 4-1 trailed to Tottenham Hotspur at the break but the Town stormed back showing great character in the second half to fight back to reduce the arrears to 5-3 with five minutes left.

And then with one last effort they scored twice and may even have won as they pinned back Spurs to grab a well-deserved point. Ann Folan and Nina Hale both scored twice but the goal of the game was scored by Emma Wells who floated her shot over the keeper from wide on the right wing.

The Under 14's reached their first cup final but it was not easy as they fought back from 2-1 down to win 3-2. Micky Taylor, Nicky Shepherd and Aimee Masterson were the scorers.

Yasmin Hickling and Jasmine Hall were on target as the Under 13's beat Enfield Town 2-1 to reach the quarter-finals.

An excellent showing against our rivals down the M1 went unrewarded for the Under-12's. Town took the lead through Megan Willmott but eventually succumbed to a 2-1 defeat and were eliminated from the competition.

The Under-11's stormed to victory over Hatfield Legion scoring eleven without reply. Katie Davis led the way with seven, Maisie Wyatt netted a hat-trick and Bethany Smith completed the scoring.

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# STADIUM TELEVISION

EARLIER this week it was announced that Sports TV had reached a five-year agreement to become the official supplier of in-stadia television programmes to the Football League. Just before Christmas, Luton Town were the first club in League One to sign up to the pioneering service and go live with their own in-stadia television channel, which is broadcast for five hours on a matchday.

This agreement with the Football League will allow supporters to watch exclusive television programmes about their clubs, at their home grounds for all the League's member clubs.

The programme is screened in corporate hospitality areas before kick-off, at half-time and at the end of games. Since Luton TV's launch at the game against Port Vale, the broadcast has continued to evolve, with further development planned for the future.

Before our game last weekend, Manager Mike Newell and captain Kevin Nicholls previewed the cup-tie with Brentford and we aim to bring you similar interviews, in the build-up to this afternoon's match with Stockport County so keep

your eye on the nearest television set to hear what the Town's Manager and a member of the playing staff have to say about the clash with our fellow Hatters.

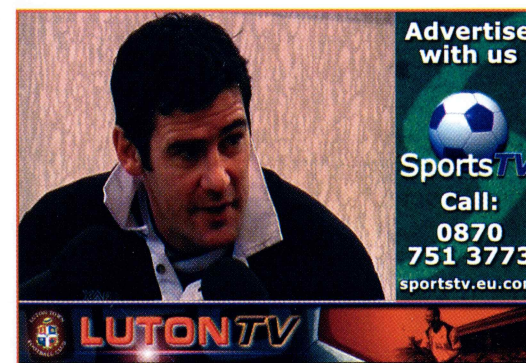
Sports TV will supply the clubs with cutting edge technology such as plasma screens and wide screen televisions and the agreement will see revenue generated from the sale of on-screen advertising.

The roll out programme for the scheme is well underway with the Hatters already ahead of some Championship clubs, who are expected to be showing club branded programming by the end of this season. It is anticipated that the scheme will also be operational in Leagues One and Two by the end of 2005.

Chairman of the Football League, Sir Brian Mawhinney, said: "This is an excellent agreement for supporters and our member clubs made possible by our major re-branding exercise. Supporters will see exclusive programming while clubs will receive additional revenue. It is a win-win situation."

"We are delighted to be joining forces with the Football League on a project that will enhance the matchday experience for supporters and give clubs and their sponsors a perfect opportunity to raise their profiles," stated David Mattock, Chief Executive of Sports TV. "Luton Town are one of several clubs who are already fully installed and operational with our in-stadia television programmes and we look forward to working with many others across the Football League."

Advertising opportunities on Luton TV are available from just £150 per game, with prices available on application for the whole season. If you are interested in further details please visit contact Commercial Manager Peter Davis at the Club on 01582 411622.



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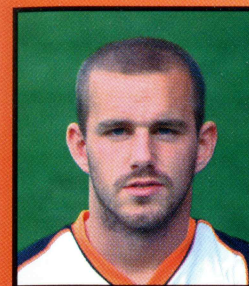
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# ROWAN VINE

STRIKER Rowan Vine believes that the Hatters cup exit may prove to be a blessing in disguise in respect of the Club's main objective this year. The forward who is on a season long loan from Premiership Portsmouth, was part of the Colchester United squad that reached the fifth round last season, only to see their play-off aspirations suffer as a consequence.

"Last year I had a good run in the F.A. Cup," commented Vine. "And I was hoping to have another good one this year, we were confident that we could progress playing at home but it didn't go to plan.

"We had a blip earlier in the year when we lost three in a week, when you are top of the league something like that gets highlighted but we bounced back from that and went on a run where Brentford have been the only club who have beaten us since we lost at Hull in October.

"The Cup can be a distraction and it will affect other teams in division who get involved in a big cup tie. That is not an excuse we can use, we have got the league to fully concentrate on now and the players are capable of doing that.

"We are strong enough to put together another run of games without defeat and hopefully we can get back to winning ways this afternoon. There are a couple of big home games coming up in January and we believe we are

good enough to do the business."

The Basingstoke-born front runner's half-term report, by his own admission, is a case of 'so far, so good but could do better' and that is exactly what he intends to build on in 2005.

The 22-year-old explained: "It has been brilliant to play in a team that is flying high. I am happy with my form, although I would like to be on the scoresheet more regularly. That has not happened as much as I would have liked so far; it is always my aim at the start of the season to score more goals than I did the previous year.

"Every year I am feeling stronger and I believe I am improving as a player, at Colchester I played out of position a lot of the time so that affected my progress as a front man but I scored goals from the left wing which did help my overall game develop and I am enjoying the benefit of that now.

"The squad here is the strongest I have played with in this division and it has been brilliant to pick up so much experience, that can only put me in good stead for the future.

"I have been happy with my all round play and it would be an added bonus for me to reach my personal target but as long as we are winning games then everyone at the club will be happy. The only focus for the players at the moment is making sure that we stay at the top of the league and end the season with promotion."



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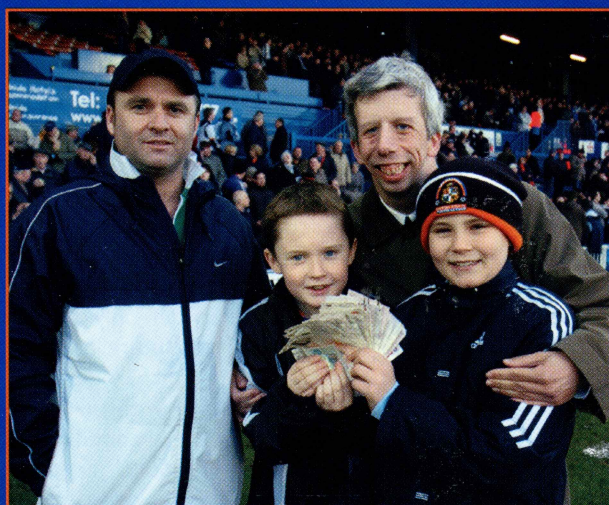
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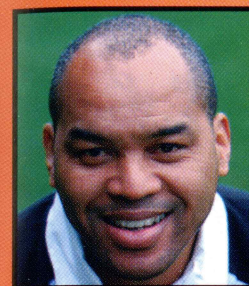
### COLCHESTER UNITED

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# HATTERS RESERVES

THE Reserves kicked-off the new year, just as they ended their last three matches in 2004, with a victory. An experienced Milton Keynes Dons side came to Kenilworth Road, including six of the sixteen that were on duty against the Hatters for the first-team meeting at the Hockley Stadium in November.

Calvin Andrew headed home the only goal of the game midway through the half when he converted Stephen O'Leary's right wing cross but coach Brian Stein felt that his side could have made the result easier for themselves.

He commented: "The players did okay, they put it in but once again, we should have finished the game more comfortably. Milton Keynes had chances at the end and could have come away with a point.

"They forced the issue in the last ten to fifteen minutes but we should have put the game well beyond them by then, we created a lot of chances. Michael Leary, Stephen O'Leary, Peter Holmes and Calvin Andrew all had good opportunities to score.

"Their goalkeeper made some good saves and that gives the opposition confidence. With it still being only 1-0 with ten minutes to go, you could see them think to themselves, 'this might be our day' and they came at us.

"We need to be more clinical in front of goal, you cannot score from every chance but you ought to take two or three out of every five you create and put games out of sight of the opposition.

"In the whole we played well, we dominated the first seventy-five minutes of the game and if we can build on that and kill teams off, we will only get better."

**Hatters:** Seremet; Keane, Perrett, Barnett, Neilson; O'Leary, Leary, Holmes, L. Mansell (sub Sinclair 30); Andrew, Showunmi. Subs not used: Beckwith, Howell, Mountford.

## BRIAN STEIN

### 2004/05 FIXTURES



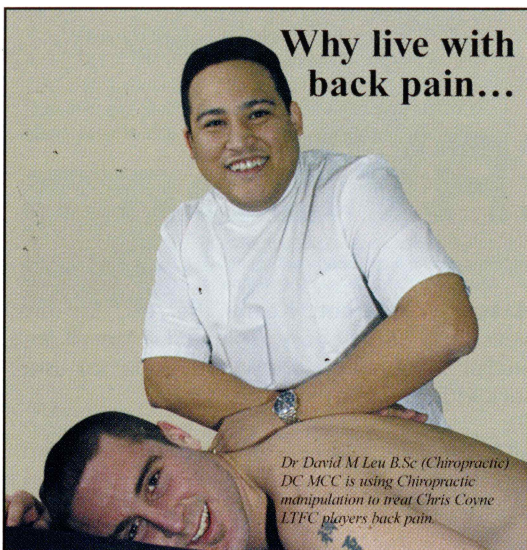
Date	Opponent	H/A	KO
<b>August</b>			
Tue 17	Peterborough Utd	A	D 1-1
<b>September</b>			
Wed 1	Millwall	H	L 1-2
Wed 8	Reading	A	W 2-0
<b>October</b>			
Tue 5	Northampton Town	A	W 3-0
Tue 12	Peterborough Utd (PHC)	A	W 3-0
<b>November</b>			
Wed 3	Colchester United	A	D 2-2
Wed 10	Brighton and Hove Albion	H	D 1-1
Tue 23	Southend United	A	W 1-0
<b>December</b>			
Wed 1	Colchester United (PHC)	H	W 3-0
Tue 21	Aldershot Town	H	W 3-0
<b>January</b>			
Wed 12	Milton Keynes Dons	H	W 1-0
Wed 26	Gillingham	A	2:00pm
<b>February</b>			
Tue 1	Queens Park Rangers	A	2:00pm
Wed 16	Woking	H	2:00pm
<b>March</b>			
Wed 9	Crawley Town	A	7:30pm
Wed 23	PHC(Semi-Final)	TBC	TBC
Wed 30	Stevenage Borough	H	2:00pm
<b>April</b>			
Wed 13	Oxford United	H	2:00pm
<b>May</b>			
Wed 4	PHC Final	TBC	TBC

Key: PHC Pontin's Holiday Cup

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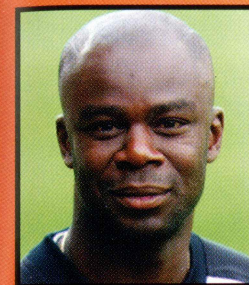
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# HATTERS YOUTH

THIS morning we played our first competitive match of 2005 against Northampton Town at the Rugby Club. It is our final home match of the regional league and with leaders West Bromwich Albion providing our opposition in a week's time we were hopeful of getting a result which would ensure our qualification to the top Merit League, knowing the players could then go to West Brom and enjoy a top of the table clash and possibly the chance of winning the league – depending on how the Baggies got on this morning.

With this in mind I arranged a friendly last weekend against Queens Park Rangers so that they players could get a game to sharpen them up after Christmas. Despite losing 4-2 I was pleased with the overall workout. QPR went into a comfortable 3-0 lead early in the first half but given the make up of their side I wasn't disappointed with that because they fielded a couple of third year scholars, whereas we started with four schoolboys and introduced had another five players in the second half.

I was impressed with quite a few of them, I spoke to them before the game and told them they were under no pressure, we would never judge anyone on one game alone. I wanted them to go out there, relax and enjoy themselves and they did that. Quite a few of them caught the eye and it was good to see that they weren't too overawed by the situation.

We will sit down and make a decision on the scholarship places by the start of February. To be

fair to the ones that we won't be taking on, we like to make the decision as early as possible so that they can look at what other prospects there might be for them elsewhere. It also allows those who are coming in to be part of things almost immediately and they will get the chance to compete in the Merit Division.

**MARVIN JOHNSON**

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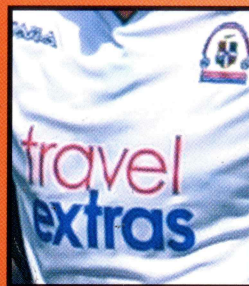


Date	Opponent	H/A	KO
<b>August</b>			
Sat 14	Cambridge U	H	W 2-0
Sat 21	Northampton T	A	W 4-1
<b>September</b>			
Sat 4	West Brom	H	D 1-1
Sat 11	Rushden	A	W 3-0
Sat 25	Oxford U	A	D 0-0
<b>October</b>			
Sat 2	Rushden (YAC1)	A	W 3-0
Sat 9	Walsall	H	W 5-2
Sat 16	Hereford U	A	W 3-0
Sat 23	Cirencester	H	L 0-2
Sat 30	Rushden	H	W 2-1
<b>November</b>			
Tue 2	Whitstable (FAYC1)	H	W 8-0
Sat 13	Oxford U	H	D 2-2
Wed 17	Cirencester (FAYC2)	H	W 2-0
Sat 20	Walsall	A	D 2-2
Sat 27	Swindon (YAC 2)	A	L 0-7
<b>December</b>			
Sat 4	Hereford U	H	W 3-1
Sat 11	Cirencester	A	W 2-0
Wed 15	Yeovil Town (FAYC 3)	A	L 2-0
Sat 18	Cambridge U	A	L 0-1
<b>January</b>			
Sat 15	Northampton T	H	11:00am
Sat 22	West Brom	A	11:00am

Key: YAC Youth Alliance Cup; FAYC FA Youth Cup

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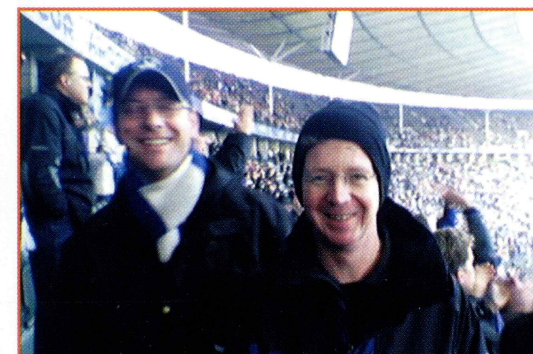
# SUPPORTERS PAGE

HATTERS supporter of many years standing, Robert Turner is attending this afternoon's match along with four guests from Germany. Whilst in the Arctic Circle last year he met Tini, Sascha, Soeren and Werner from Berlin and they found conversation in the common language of football.



In October, Robert visited Germany and took in their local side, Hertha Berlin's 3-0 victory over Bayer Leverkusen in the Olympic Stadium - the venue for the 2006 World Cup Final - and this weekend sees the return leg with Luton Town against Stockport County providing the top billing.

Robert just hopes that their visit here will also provide a similar home victory.



Former youth teamer Martin Wells is pictured at Real Madrid's impressive Bernabeu stadium at their final home game of last season.

After being released by the Hatters he moved down to Surrey and married in the summer, although he still remains a massive Town supporter.

The trip to Madrid formed part of his stag weekend, where he spent the day dressed in orange, proudly displaying his Luton kit around the Spanish City.



## SEND US YOUR ARTICLE

Already this season Luton supporters have shared with each other details of fundraising activities for charity from marathon runs to jumping off Bognor Pier dressed as a giant hat. We have had photographs from all over the world of supporters wearing their Town shirts with pride, details of fans bumping into Hatters stars, past and present, the stories of international friendships formed because of football and much more.

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Bournemouth	88,235	8,448	5,578	6,787	19	3	Hartlepool	4	2	0	15	3	14	12	WWWDDWW	
Bradford	111,032	13,717	6,732	8,541	46	4	Luton	3	3	0	9	6	12	3	WWWDDDD	
Brentford	73,255	6,722	4,643	5,635	37	4	Bristol City	3	2	1	8	5	11	3	LWDWDWW	
Bristol City	157,231	14,852	10,296	12,095	48	2	Bournemouth	3	2	1	10	8	11	2	WLWDWDW	
Chesterfield	65,259	7,158	4,028	5,020	38	3	Barnsley	2	4	0	11	6	10	5	WWDDDDD	
Colchester	42,565	4,046	2,866	3,547	32	2	Bradford	2	3	1	5	4	9	1	DWDDWWL	
Doncaster	92,079	10,161	5,209	6,577	35	4	Swindon	3	0	3	8	8	9	0	LWLWLWL	
Hartlepool	66,314	6,520	4,371	5,101	35	1	Brentford	3	0	3	7	10	9	-3	WWLLLLW	
Huddersfield	163,940	17,281	9,194	11,710	38	2	Doncaster	2	2	2	8	8	8	0	LWLDDWW	
Hull	229,684	24,117	14,317	17,668	26	3	Tranmere	2	2	2	10	11	8	-1	LDWDWLW	
Luton	100,526	9,500	6,634	7,733	42	2	Oldham	2	2	2	8	9	8	-1	WLLWDD	
MK Dons	57,978	7,620	3,015	4,460	39	1	Stockport	2	1	3	11	13	7	-2	LWLDDWL	
Oldham	77,067	8,389	5,066	5,928	44	1	MK Dons	2	1	3	8	13	7	-5	WLLDWLW	
Peterborough	64,492	7,662	3,048	4,607	37	1	Huddersfield	1	3	2	8	9	6	-1	LWDLDD	
Port Vale	69,882	8,671	3,872	5,376	32	3	Chesterfield	1	3	2	7	9	6	-2	WDLLDD	
Sheff Wed	324,113	28,701	19,203	23,151	33	1	Torquay	1	3	2	7	9	6	-2	WDLLDD	
Stockport	69,785	7,473	3,902	5,368	45	1	Port Vale	2	0	4	6	8	6	-2	WLLLLWL	
Swindon	76,866	6,972	4,828	5,913	36	4	Colchester	1	2	3	6	7	5	-1	LLLDWD	
Torquay	44,346	5,005	2,384	3,411	39	2	Walsall	1	2	3	7	10	5	-3	DWLLDL	
Tranmere	126,581	11,519	8,128	9,042	36	2	Wrexham	1	2	3	8	15	5	-7	LDWLLD	
Walsall	79,912	8,225	5,203	6,147	34	2	Blackpool	1	1	4	6	12	4	-6	DLLLWL	
Wrexham	61,413	7,833	3,009	4,724	38	3	Peterborough	0	2	4	5	14	2	-9	LLLLDD	























Attendance and Cards stats are ordered alphabetically

Form Guide stats are ordered by points gained over last 6 games

### Football League 1 top scorers

Scorer	Club	Lge	CC	FA LDV	Tot Gms	Ave	Scorer	Club	Lge	CC	FA LDV	Tot Gms	Ave		
Stuart Elliott	Hull	21	0	1	23	0.85	Steve MacLean	Sheff Wed	13	0	1	14	0.45		
Leroy Lita	Bristol City	14	2	1	19	0.56	Dean Windass	Bradford	12	1	0	13	0.57		
Steve Howard	Luton	13	0	4	0	17	0.65	Craig Fagan	Colchester	6	2	4	0	12	0.44
Pawel Abbott	Huddersfield	16	0	1	0	17	0.59	Sam Parkin	Swindon	11	0	0	1	12	0.31
Adam Boyd	Hartlepool	12	1	2	1	16	0.50	Chris Killen	Oldham	6	0	4	1	11	0.69
James Hayter	Bournemouth	11	3	0	0	14	0.58	Izale McLeod	MK Dons	9	2	0	0	11	0.37
Scott Taylor	Blackpool	12	1	1	0	14	0.50								

## Football League 1 results grid

Away Home																								
Bournemouth	1-3	29.1	2-0	3-2	2-2	0-0	1-3	5-0	7.4	2-2	19.3	9.4	12.2	23.4	4-0	15.1	2-1	2-1	22.2	26.2	2-2	28.3	1-0	
Barnsley	19.2	1-0	29.1	0-0	2-1	1-0	30.4	1-3	0-0	15.1	1-2	3-4	16.4	4-0	1-2	5.2	3-3	2-2	26.2	0-0	28.3	19.3	9.4	
Blackpool	3-3	7.4	22.2	12.2	1-1	23.4	1-1	19.3	28.3	1-1	0-2	1-3	tba	9.4	0-2	1-2	4-0	1-0	4-0	0-1	5.3	22.1	2-1	
Bradford	30.4	1-0	2-1	16.4	4-1	2-3	2-2	2-0	19.3	5.3	10.4	19.2	1-3	2-2	0-2	3-1	28.3	1-2	22.1	5.2	1-1	tba	2-1	
Brentford	2-1	tba	0-3	1-2	9.4	19.3	1-0	4-3	2-1	23.4	7.4	2-0	2-0	28.3	1-0	26.2	3-0	22.1	1-3	19.2	1-0	5.2	1-0	
Bristol City	26.3	12.3	26.2	15.1	4-1	2-2	29.1	0-0	30.4	0-0	3-3	3-1	1-2	22.2	2-0	2.4	1-4	5-0	1-2	1-1	4-0	12.2	4-1	
Chesterfield	16.4	2-2	1-0	2.4	3-1	2-2	2-1	0-0	5.2	12.3	tba	0-1	30.4	26.2	1-0	19.2	4-0	1-0	1-1	26.3	1-0	2-2	22.1	
Colchester	tba	0-2	5.2	23.4	5.3	19.2	28.3	4-1	9.4	0-0	1-2	22.1	0-0	2-1	2-1	1-3	3-2	0-1	7.4	1-2	tba	0-1	1-2	
Doncaster	1-1	22.2	2-0	26.3	12.3	1-1	12.2	1.4	23.4	2-1	22.1	7.4	1-1	2-1	2-0	0-4	3-1	26.2	2-2	0-0	3-1	3-0	0-0	
Hartlepool	3-2	1-1	1-1	2-1	22.2	22.1	3-2	2-1	2-1	26.3	2-0	tba	2-1	11.2	1-0	15.4	3-1	2.4	4-1	12.3	30.4	5-0	5.3	
Huddersfield	22.1	0-2	19.2	0-1	1-1	2-2	0-0	16.4	9.4	0-2	4-0	5.2	26.2	2-1	2-1	29.3	19.3	30.4	1-1	1-3	3-1	3-1	1-2	
Hull	1-0	2.4	2-1	0-1	2-0	5.2	1-0	26.2	2-1	29.1	2-1	3-0	2-0	15.1	26.3	30.4	0-0	16.4	12.3	6-1	3-1	3-2	19.2	
Luton	1-0	26.3	2.4	0-0	30.4	5.3	1-0	2-2	1-1	3-0	1-2	12.2	2-1	2-1	1-0	1-1	15.1	12.3	1-0	29.1	22.2	16.4	5-1	
Oldham	1-2	3-2	1-2	7.4	29.1	0-0	4-1	1-1	15.1	3-2	2-1	28.3	19.3	2-1	5.3	9.4	19.2	5.2	23.4	2-2	5-3	3-0	2-2	
Peterborough	0-1	5.3	0-0	12.3	3-0	0-1	1-2	26.3	19.2	3-0	2.4	2-3	2-2	22.1	4-0	1-1	5.2	0-2	1-1	1-0	16.4	30.4	2-3	
Port Vale	5.2	23.4	0-3	0-1	15.1	3-0	9.4	29.1	2-0	19.2	0-3	3-2	26.2	3-1	7.4	0-2	0-0	1-0	1-2	3-1	19.3	3-2	29.3	
Sheff Wed	0-1	1-0	12.3	12.2	1-2	7.4	2-2	0-3	6.3	2-0	1-0	2-4	0-0	1-1	23.2	22.1	23.4	2-0	26.3	2.4	3-2	1-1	4-0	
Stockport	tba	22.1	26.3	0-1	2.4	1-2	22.2	12.3	16.4	26.2	2-3	1-3	1-3	1-2	1-0	12.2	0-3	3-3	0-2	1-1	0-1	3-1	30.4	
Swindon	5.3	12.2	15.1	1-0	3-0	28.3	7.4	0-3	1-1	3-0	1-2	4-2	2-3	1-0	0-1	23.2	3-2	29.1	3-3	23.4	9.4	2-1	19.3	
Torquay	1-2	0-1	30.4	0-0	2-2	19.3	5.3	1-3	5.2	15.1	2-1	0-3	28.3	2-0	29.1	16.4	2-4	1-2	19.2	1-2	0-0	9.4	1-0	
Tranmere	2-0	1-1	16.4	4-5	1-0	0-1	1-0	12.2	28.3	2-1	22.2	5.3	1-1	2-0	18.3	29.4	4-2	8.4	2-1	4-1	22.1	2-0	5-1	
Walsall	12.3	2-2	3-2	26.2	0-1	1-2	15.1	2-1	1-1	2-1	29.1	23.4	2-0	26.3	2-1	3-2	1-1	7.4	3-2	2.4	0-2	19.2	5.2	
MK Dons	1-3	1-1	3-1	1-2	0-0	23.4	1-1	15.1	0-1	4-2	12.2	22.2	1.4	2.4	1-1	12.3	29.1	5.3	26.3	1-0	7.4	1-1	3-0	
Wrexham	2.4	2-1	1-2	1-0	26.3	1-3	3-1	22.1	0-0	1-5	7.4	2-2	23.4	12.3	1-1	1-1	0-3	2-1	12.2	15.1	1-1	26.2		



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# LEAGUE ONE ROUND-UP

WITH the F.A. Cup third round in full swing last week there were a limited amount of fixtures in League One.

And with the Hatters not in league action it gave the chance for a number of teams to close the gap on the automatic promotion places. Paul Sturrock's Sheffield Wednesday did just that as they continued their fine recent run with a comfortable home win over Swindon.

Joey O'Brien put the Owls ahead five minutes before the break, and on-loan star Kenwyne Jones made the game safe on 69 minutes with his seventh goal in six games since joining from Southampton. Wednesday stay fourth despite the 2-0 win, but have moved to within three points of Tranmere Rovers.

Doncaster saw off Port Vale by the same scoreline with Tim Ryan and Paul Green scoring at the end of each half to clinch the points.

Huddersfield and Torquay shared the spoils after a 1-1 draw at the Galpharm Stadium. Efe Sodje moved the hosts ahead on 24 minutes, but Kevin Hill struck eleven minutes after the interval to earn the Gulls a point.

Tranmere had the opportunity on Monday night to close the gap on Luton but slipped to a 1-0 defeat at home to Bristol City. Leroy Lita's fine strike ten minutes into the match sealed three vital points for the West Country club, who rode their luck at times in the second half to keep a clean sheet at Prenton Park.

Finally, Peterborough boss Barry Fry will be fuming after watching his side squander a two-goal lead at London Road to draw 2-2 with Wrexham on Tuesday night. The Posh were excellent in the early

exchanges and were ahead after just one minute, when Callum Willock dispatched a left footed drive from just outside the six-yard box.

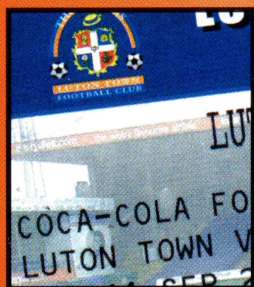
Within eleven minutes, the home side had doubled their advantage, as skipper Guy Branston used his considerable physique to ram home a close range header. Willock then struck the post before Spaniard Juan Ugarte handed Wrexham a lifeline as he dispatched from five yards on the stroke of half-time.

An entertaining contested ended as a stalemate when in the second period, Branston and Ugarte challenged for an Andy Holt delivery from the left and the ball was stabbed home off both players.

Of the League One sides who progressed to the fourth round of the F.A. Cup, Colchester United, Oldham and Bournemouth have the pick of the ties, with the U's away to either Cardiff City or Blackburn Rovers. The Latics, who knocked out Manchester City, have the chance to repeat the achievement of beating Premiership opposition with a home draw against Bolton Wanderers and Bournemouth could be off to Anfield, if Liverpool defeat Burnley when the sides play their originally postponed cup tie.

Peterborough United are away to Championship opposition in the shape of Nottingham Forest and depending on the outcome of replays, Hartlepool will be away to Brentford, if they beat Boston United. Blackpool will face a trip to either Reading or Swansea City if they overcome Leicester in their replay.





# TICKET NEWS



**Coca-Cola League One**  
**COLCHESTER UNITED V LUTON TOWN**  
**Saturday 22nd January 2005**  
**Kick-off 3.00pm**



## THIS MATCH IS ALL TICKET FOR LUTON SUPPORTERS

We have been allocated 416 seats and 650 terracing tickets for this match.

**Seating:** £16 Adults, £9 Concessions

**Terracing:** £13 Adults, £7 Concessions

## MEMBERS

Tickets for members went on sale on Thursday 13th January. Subject to availability, members will be able to claim ONE ticket on production of their membership card at the ticket office.

## GENERAL SALE

In the event that any tickets remain, they will go on sale on Wednesday 19th January at 10.00am

## Opening hours:

### Monday - Thursday:

10am - 5pm

### Friday before

home match:

10am - 6pm

### Saturday matchday:

9am - 3.00pm

4.45pm - 5.15pm

### Saturday

non-matchday

9am - 12pm

IN VIEW OF DEMAND FOR THIS GAME, SUPPORTERS ARE ADVISED TO PURCHASE TICKETS BEFORE THE DAY OF THE MATCH



**Coca-Cola League One**  
**LUTON TOWN V TRANMERE ROVERS**  
**Saturday 29th January 2005**  
**Kick-off 3.00pm**



Tickets are now on sale at match day prices.

Cash turnstiles will be open on the day subject to availability.

Remember there are no concessions available on cash turnstiles



**Coca-Cola League One**  
**HUDDERSFIELD TOWN V LUTON TOWN**  
**Saturday 5th February 2005**  
**Kick-off 3.00pm**



## THIS MATCH IS PAY ON THE DAY FOR LUTON SUPPORTERS

We have been allocated 4,000 seats for this match, priced at:

£16 Adults, £8 Senior Citizens, £5 Junior Under-16



**Coca-Cola League One**  
**LUTON TOWN V HULL CITY**  
**Saturday 12th February 2005**  
**Kick-off 3.00pm**



## THIS MATCH IS ALL TICKET FOR ALL SUPPORTERS

No tickets will be available to purchase on the day of the game.

Tickets are now on sale at match day prices.



**Coca-Cola League One**  
**BRADFORD CITY V LUTON TOWN**  
**Saturday 19th February 2005**  
**Kick-off 3.00pm**



You will be able to pre-purchase your tickets from the ticket office.

The tickets are priced at:

£18 Adults, £12 Senior Citizens and £10 Junior Under-16's



## 2004/2005 Appearances

2004/2005

Luton Town Career

	Start	Sub	Total	Goals	Apps	Goals
1 Marlon BERESFORD	19	0	19	0	36	0
2 Kevin FOLEY	21	0	21	0	63	3
3 Alan NEILSON	1	2	3	0	56	1
5 Russell PERRETT	2	3	5	0	75	7
6 Paul UNDERWOOD	26	0	26	4	27	4
7 Paul HUGHES	1	0	1	0	88	7
8 Kevin NICHOLLS	24	0	24	6	129	19
9 Rowan VINE	25	1	26	7	26	7
10 Gary McSHEFFREY	1	4	5	1	24	10
11 Steve ROBINSON	21	1	22	3	96	7
12 Chris COYNE	26	0	26	1	154	8
14 Michael LEARY	1	4	5	0	27	3
15 Stephen O'LEARY	12	3	15	1	21	2
16 Enoch SHOWUNMI	3	17	20	2	51	10
17 Lee MANSELL	2	0	2	0	61	10
18 Ahmet BRKOVIC	22	3	25	9	129	20
19 Steve HOWARD	25	0	25	17	164	83
20 Curtis DAVIES	26	0	26	0	33	0
21 Keith KEANE	6	3	9	0	26	1
22 David BAYLISS	1	0	1	0	40	1
23 Ian HILLIER	0	0	0	0	68	1
24 Sol DAVIS	27	0	27	1	110	1
25 Dino SEREMET	7	1	8	0	8	0
26 Matthew BLINKHORN	0	2	2	0	2	0
27 Peter HOLMES	4	3	7	0	82	7
28 Simon ROYCE	2	0	2	0	2	0
29 Calvin ANDREW	2	3	5	0	5	0
33 Dean BRILL	0	0	0	0	7	0
36 David DEENEY	0	0	0	0	2	0
45 Leon BARNETT	1	0	1	0	5	0
46 Max HOWELL	0	0	0	0	0	0
47 Rob BECKWITH	0	0	0	0	19	0



# TRAVEL INFO

## HOW TO GET TO COLCHESTER



**By Road:** Head south on M1 from Luton, then M25 east towards Dartford, leaving at junction 28 to take the A12. Leave the A12 at Stanway (signposted the A1124), and get into the right hand lane, turning right at the next roundabout. Take the exit into London Road (signposted Mersea/Stanway). Go over the mini-roundabout and travel one mile to a set of traffic lights. At the traffic lights, you need to be in the right hand lane (with MFI on the right). Turn right into Straight Road Follow that road right to the end (you should see the Leather Bottle public house on your left). At that roundabout, turn left and then take a sharp right into the right hand lane. Turn right into Gosbecks Road. Straight over the first roundabout and at the second roundabout turn left (Kent Blaxill factory on the left). You are now in Layer Road. The ground is on the left.

**By Rail:** Trains leave London to Colchester via Liverpool Street and take around 50 minutes to get to Colchester station. There are two rail stations in Colchester, but visiting supporters are advised to get off at Colchester (North) rather than Colchester Town station.

The rail station is on the other side of town to the football ground and supporters are advised to either walk into the Town Centre and catch the bus or get a taxi to the ground (10 minutes and about a £4 fare.)

**Car Parking:** From the Town Centre, supporters will need to catch the number 64 bus, which comes directly along Layer Road.

**By Bus:** The club does not have its own parking facilities and there is no street parking on the part of Layer Road surrounding the stadium. Nearby streets have limited street parking, but supporters should allow time to walk back to the ground if they arrive after 2pm!

**Around The Ground:** The ground is in the middle of a residential area, but there are a couple of pubs nearby. Along the Maldon Road, the Huntsman's Tavern is recommended for food, whilst nearer to the ground, the Dragoon is also popular.

The nearest pub to the ground is The Drury Arms, which welcomes most away supporters. For higher profile games, this can sometimes change, so it is best to check in advance. Otherwise, the Town Centre is about a ten to fifteen minute walk from the ground and there are plenty of pubs there.

**By Coach with Town on Tour:** Leaving Maple Road at 12:00pm. The fare for LTSC members is £12, £10 for junior and senior members and £14 for non-members. To book seats visit the supporters kiosk at the top of Kenilworth Road or phone the Town on Tour mobile 07960 567465. You can also book online by visiting the Fans section of [www.lutontown.co.uk](http://www.lutontown.co.uk)

**By Coach with Bobbers Travel:** Departs from Cranfield at 11.30am and Luton at 10.30am. Costs are £11 for Adults and £9 for Under-16's and OAP's. Please ring 01234 750996 for further information and to book your place.

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




































Sat 7	Oldham Athletic	2-1	6,663	697	7	BERESFORD	FOLEY	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	O'LEARY <sup>2</sup>	NICHOLLS	ROBINSON	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD	VINE <sup>1</sup>	SEREMET	NEILSON	SHOWUNMI <sup>1</sup>	BRKOVIC <sup>2</sup>	BLINKHORN
Wed 11	Swindon Town	3-2	6,286	675	3	BERESFORD	FOLEY <sup>1</sup>	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	O'LEARY <sup>2</sup>	NICHOLLS (P)	ROBINSON	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD	VINE <sup>3</sup>	SEREMET	NEILSON <sup>1</sup>	LEARY	SHOWUNMI <sup>3</sup>	BRKOVIC <sup>2</sup>
Sat 14	Barnsley	4-3	10,057	619	2	BERESFORD	FOLEY <sup>1</sup>	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	O'LEARY <sup>2</sup>	NICHOLLS	ROBINSON	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD	VINE <sup>3</sup>	SEREMET	NEILSON <sup>1</sup>	LEARY	SHOWUNMI <sup>3</sup>	BRKOVIC <sup>2</sup>
Sat 21	Torquay United	1-0	6,664	260	1	BERESFORD	KEANE	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	BRKOVIC	NICHOLLS	ROBINSON	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD	VINE <sup>1</sup>	SEREMET	LEARY	SHOWUNMI <sup>1</sup>	BLINKHORN	BARNETT
Sat 28	Blackpool	3-1	5,793	1,154	1	BERESFORD	KEANE	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	BRKOVIC <sup>2</sup>	NICHOLLS	ROBINSON	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD	VINE	SEREMET	FOLEY	LEARY	SHOWUNMI	MANSELL
Mon 30	Bournemouth	1-0	7,404	628	1	BERESFORD	FOLEY	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	BRKOVIC	NICHOLLS	ROBINSON	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD	VINE <sup>1</sup>	SEREMET	LEARY	SHOWUNMI <sup>1</sup>	MANSELL	KEANE
Sat 4	Sheffield Wednesday	0-0	20,806	1,558	1	BERESFORD	KEANE	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	BRKOVIC	NICHOLLS	ROBINSON	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD	VINE	SEREMET	LEARY	O'LEARY	SHOWUNMI	BARNETT
Tue 7	Boston United (CC 1)	3-4 <sup>aet</sup>	2,631	508	-	BERESFORD	BRKOVIC	DAVIS <sup>1</sup>	COYNE	DAVIES	MANSELL	NICHOLLS (P)	ROBINSON	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD	VINE	SEREMET	LEARY	O'LEARY	SHOWUNMI	BLINKHORN <sup>2</sup>
Sat 11	Chesterfield	1-0	7,532	680	1	BERESFORD	FOLEY	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	BRKOVIC	NICHOLLS	ROBINSON	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD	VINE <sup>2</sup>	SEREMET	LEARY <sup>1</sup>	SHOWUNMI <sup>2</sup>	KEANE	BLINKHORN
Sat 18	Stockport County	3-1	5,128	808	1	BERESFORD	FOLEY	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	BRKOVIC <sup>3</sup>	NICHOLLS	ROBINSON	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD	VINE <sup>2</sup>	SEREMET	McSHEFFREY <sup>2</sup>	LEARY <sup>1</sup>	SHOWUNMI <sup>3</sup>	KEANE
Sat 25	Peterborough United	2-1	7,694	413	1	BERESFORD <sup>1</sup>	FOLEY	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	BRKOVIC	NICHOLLS	ROBINSON	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD	VINE <sup>2</sup>	SEREMET <sup>1</sup>	McSHEFFREY <sup>2</sup>	O'LEARY	SHOWUNMI	KEANE
Tue 28	Swansea City (LDV 1)	0-2	3,559	79	-	SEREMET	KEANE	BARNETT	BAYLISS <sup>1</sup>	NEILSON	MANSELL	HOLMES	HUGHES	O'LEARY	ANDREW	SHOWUNMI	BRILL	PERRETT <sup>1</sup>	LEARY	HILLIER	SINCLAIR
Sat 2	Tranmere Rovers	1-1	10,884	876	1	SEREMET	FOLEY	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	BRKOVIC	NICHOLLS	ROBINSON	UNDERWOOD	McSHEFFREY <sup>2</sup>	VINE	BRILL	LEARY	SHOWUNMI	KEANE	BLINKHORN
Fri 8	Hartlepool United	3-0	7,865	314	1	SEREMET	KEANE	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	BRKOVIC <sup>2</sup>	NICHOLLS	ROBINSON	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD <sup>3</sup>	VINE <sup>1</sup>	BECKWITH	McSHEFFREY <sup>1</sup>	LEARY	O'LEARY <sup>2</sup>	SHOWUNMI
Sat 16	Huddersfield Town	1-2	8,192	916	1	SEREMET	FOLEY <sup>2</sup>	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	BRKOVIC	NICHOLLS	LEARY	UNDERWOOD <sup>3</sup>	HOWARD	VINE	BECKWITH	PERRETT	McSHEFFREY <sup>1</sup>	O'LEARY <sup>3</sup>	SHOWUNMI <sup>2</sup>
Tue 19	Walsall	0-2	5,963	1,099	1	SEREMET	FOLEY	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	BRKOVIC <sup>2</sup>	NICHOLLS	ROBINSON	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD	VINE <sup>1</sup>	BECKWITH	PERRETT	O'LEARY <sup>2</sup>	SHOWUNMI <sup>1</sup>	BLINKHORN
Sat 23	Hull City	0-3	18,575	1,229	1	SEREMET	FOLEY	DAVIS <sup>1</sup>	COYNE	DAVIES	O'LEARY <sup>2</sup>	NICHOLLS	ROBINSON	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD <sup>3</sup>	VINE	BECKWITH	PERRETT	SHOWUNMI <sup>1</sup>	BLINKHORN <sup>3</sup>	HOLMES <sup>2</sup>
Sat 30	Bradford City	4-0	7,975	771	1	ROYCE	FOLEY	DAVIS	COYNE <sup>1</sup>	DAVIES	BRKOVIC <sup>2</sup>	O'LEARY	ROBINSON	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD	VINE <sup>2</sup>	BECKWITH	PERRETT <sup>1</sup>	SHOWUNMI	KEANE	BLINKHORN <sup>2</sup>
Sat 6	Wrexham	5-1	7,144	279	1	ROYCE	FOLEY	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	BRKOVIC	O'LEARY	ROBINSON	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD	VINE <sup>2</sup>	BECKWITH	PERRETT	LEARY <sup>1</sup>	SHOWUNMI <sup>2</sup>	KEANE
Fri 12	Southend United (FAC1)	3-0	6,683	551	-	SEREMET	FOLEY	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	BRKOVIC	O'LEARY	ROBINSON	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD <sup>2</sup>	VINE <sup>2</sup>	BECKWITH	LEARY <sup>1</sup>	SHOWUNMI <sup>2</sup>	KEANE	BAYLISS
Sat 20	MK Dons	4-1	7,620	3,184	1	BERESFORD	FOLEY	DAVIS <sup>2</sup>	COYNE	DAVIES	BRKOVIC <sup>2</sup>	NICHOLLS	O'LEARY	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD <sup>3</sup>	VINE	SEREMET	SHOWUNMI	KEANE <sup>1</sup>	BAYLISS	HOLMES <sup>2</sup>
Sat 27	Doncaster Rovers	1-1	8,142	1,062	1	BERESFORD	FOLEY	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	BRKOVIC <sup>3</sup>	NICHOLLS	O'LEARY	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD	VINE	SEREMET	SHOWUNMI <sup>3</sup>	KEANE <sup>2</sup>	BAYLISS	HOLMES
Sat 4	Wycombe (FAC2)	3-0	4,767	1,724	-	BERESFORD	KEANE	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	BRKOVIC <sup>1</sup>	NICHOLLS	O'LEARY	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD <sup>2</sup>	VINE <sup>2</sup>	SEREMET	SHOWUNMI <sup>1</sup>	BAYLISS	HOLMES	ANDREW <sup>2</sup>
Tue 7	Brentford	0-2	6,393	1,550	1	BERESFORD	KEANE	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	BRKOVIC <sup>1</sup>	NICHOLLS	O'LEARY	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD	VINE <sup>2</sup>	SEREMET	SHOWUNMI <sup>2</sup>	BAYLISS	HOLMES	ANDREW <sup>1</sup>
Sat 11	Port Vale	1-0	6,974	213	1	BERESFORD	FOLEY	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	BRKOVIC	NICHOLLS	O'LEARY	UNDERWOOD	ANDREW <sup>1</sup>	VINE	SEREMET	SHOWUNMI <sup>1</sup>	KEANE	BAYLISS	HOLMES
Sat 18	Bristol City	2-1	13,414	845	1	BERESFORD	FOLEY	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	BRKOVIC	NICHOLLS	HOLMES	UNDERWOOD	SHOWUNMI	VINE	SEREMET	PERRETT	LEARY	MANSELL	KEANE
Sun 26	Chesterfield	1-0	7,158	1,234	1	BERESFORD	FOLEY	DAVIS	COYNE	PERRETT	BRKOVIC	NICHOLLS	HOLMES	UNDERWOOD	ANDREW	SHOWUNMI	SEREMET	NEILSON	ROBINSON	KEANE	BARNETT
Tue 28	Colchester United	2-2	8,806	551	1	BERESFORD	FOLEY	DAVIS	COYNE <sup>1</sup>	DAVIES	BRKOVIC	NICHOLLS	ROBINSON	HOLMES <sup>2</sup>	HOWARD	VINE <sup>2</sup>	SEREMET	PERRETT <sup>1</sup>	SHOWUNMI <sup>2</sup>	KEANE	ANDREW
Sat 1	Sheffield Wednesday	1-1	9,500	1,800	1	BERESFORD	FOLEY	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	BRKOVIC	NICHOLLS	ROBINSON	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD	VINE	SEREMET	PERRETT	SHOWUNMI	KEANE	HOLMES
Mon 3	Peterborough United	2-2	7,662	3,590	2	BERESFORD	FOLEY	DAVIS	PERRETT	DAVIES	O'LEARY <sup>2</sup>	NICHOLLS	HOLMES <sup>3</sup>	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD	SHOWUNMI	SEREMET	NEILSON	VINE <sup>1</sup>	ROBINSON <sup>2</sup>	ANDREW <sup>3</sup>
Sat 8	Brentford (FAC3)	0-2	6,861	1,669	-	BERESFORD	FOLEY	DAVIS	COYNE	DAVIES	BRKOVIC <sup>1</sup>	NICHOLLS	ROBINSON <sup>2</sup>	UNDERWOOD	HOWARD	VINE	SEREMET	PERRETT	SHOWUNMI <sup>2</sup>	HOLMES	ANDREW <sup>1</sup>
Sat 15	Stockport County	3.00																			
Sat 22	Colchester United	3.00																			
Sat 29	Tranmere Rovers	3.00																			
Sat 5	Huddersfield Town	3.00																			
Sat 12	Hull City	3.00																			
Sat 19	Bradford City	3.00																			
Tue 22	Walsall	7.45																			
Sat 26	Port Vale	3.00																			
Sat 5	Bristol City	3.00																			
Sat 12	Swindon Town	3.00																			
Sat 19	Oldham Athletic	3.00																			
Sat 26	Barnsley	3.00																			
Mon 28	Torquay United	3.00																			
Sat 2	Blackpool	3.00																			
Sat 9	Bournemouth	3.00																			
Sat 16	MK Dons	3.00																			
Sat 23	Wrexham	3.00																			
Sat 30	Brentford	3.00																			
Sat 7	Doncaster Rovers	3.00																			

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## LEAGUE ONE TABLE

	HOME						AWAY						GD	Pts
	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A			
Hull	26	11	1	1	27	8	7	1	5	26	25	20	56	
Luton	26	9	3	1	25	9	7	3	3	23	19	20	54	
Tranmere	27	9	3	2	27	14	5	4	1	15	20	8	49	
Sheff Wed	27	6	4	4	20	16	7	3	3	30	17	17	46	
Bristol City	27	6	4	3	29	15	5	6	3	19	20	13	43	
Hartlepool	26	11	2	0	31	12	2	2	9	14	25	8	43	
Bournemouth	25	7	4	2	27	16	5	2	5	16	16	11	42	
Broad	26	5	4	4	22	19	7	1	5	14	16	1	41	
Brentford	26	10	0	3	21	13	2	4	7	10	23	-5	40	
Swindon	27	7	2	4	24	18	4	3	7	18	21	3	38	
Doncaster	27	7	6	1	22	13	2	4	7	13	25	-3	37	
Chesterfield	26	7	5	1	20	10	2	4	7	12	20	2	36	
Huddersfield	27	5	4	5	20	18	4	4	5	20	19	3	35	
Barnsley	26	4	5	4	19	17	4	5	4	18	15	5	34	
Oldham	26	7	3	3	29	20	2	3	8	10	20	-1	33	
Walsall	26	7	3	3	22	18	1	5	7	14	24	-6	32	
Port Vale	27	7	1	5	19	17	3	1	10	11	23	-10	32	
Colchester	25	4	2	6	14	15	4	5	4	21	15	5	31	
Torquay	27	3	3	7	13	20	3	6	5	18	25	-14	27	
Blackpool	26	2	5	6	15	22	4	2	7	16	17	-8	25	
Peterborough	27	4	5	5	20	15	1	3	9	11	23	-7	23	
Wrexham	27	5	4	4	18	22	3	4	7	13	25	-16	22	
MK Dons	26	4	5	4	18	17	1	2	10	12	34	-21	22	
Stockport	26	2	2	9	14	25	2	3	8	15	29	-25	17	

## TODAY'S LEAGUE ONE FIXTURES

**Barnsley v Huddersfield**  
**Bournemouth v Sheff Wed**  
**Bristol City v Bradford**  
**Hull City v Peterborough**  
**Luton v Stockport**  
**Milton Keynes v Colchester**  
**Oldham v Doncaster**  
**Port Vale v Brentford**  
**Swindon v Blackpool**  
**Torquay v Hartlepool**  
**Walsall v Chesterfield**  
**Wrexham v Tranmere**





# COMING NEXT

THE NEXT two matches could not be bigger for Luton, as firstly Tranmere Rovers become our next visitors to Kenilworth Road and then current leaders Hull City arrive in mid-February, both for top of the table clashes.

Rovers current sit in third position behind the Town and Brian Little will bring a squad of former Premiership and International players with him in a fortnight's time, as well as a crop of youngsters highly regarded to move onto a bright future in the game.

Tranmere have plenty of strength in depth throughout their squad which should be able to maintain their promotion push this season. Midfielder Iain Hume leads the way as the club's top goalscorer with ten goals this season whilst defender Ryan Taylor has bagged six goals this campaign.

Goals have been shared equally in the Tranmere squad this season and the threat of Eugene Dadi, who has scored 20 goals in 36 appearances for Rovers since his move from Livingston in 2003, will be a constant danger.

Other key players in Rovers' squad this season has been the consistency of former Jamaican international Paul Hall and the experience of ex-Sunderland midfielder Jason McAteer.



STEVEN DOVE

Jason McAteer

From their previous eight league encounters, the men from Prenton Park have won three, lost three and drawn two.

Included in that spell of results was a 6-1 loss to promotion hopefuls Hull City, in which Rovers were forced into playing Theodore Whitmore as a goalkeeper after injuries to John Achterberg and his first half replacement Russell Howarth

However, Tranmere's form on the road has been reasonably good with wins over Walsall, Blackpool, Colchester, Huddersfield and Torquay United.

The history books show that Luton hold an excellent record over Tranmere, although the last fixture at Kenilworth Road, Mike Newell's men were on the wrong end of a 1-0 scoreline to go out of the F.A. Cup in last season's fourth round.

The last league encounter between the two sides at Kenilworth Road brought a more positive result. Russell Perrett, Gary McSheffery and Adrian Forbes all scored for the Hatters in a 3-1 win in front of Sky's television cameras.

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## Referee:

 Mr D Drysdale (Lincs)

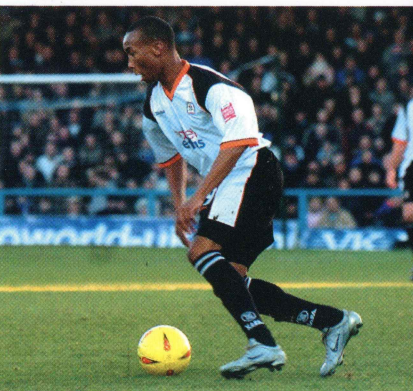
## Assistants:

 Mr J. Hayto (Essex)

 Mr T Mason (Kent)

## Fourth official:

 Mr M McPherson (Cambs)



# HATTERS BET

Calvin Andrew is 11/2 to net the first goal against County this afternoon

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# TEAMSHEET



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