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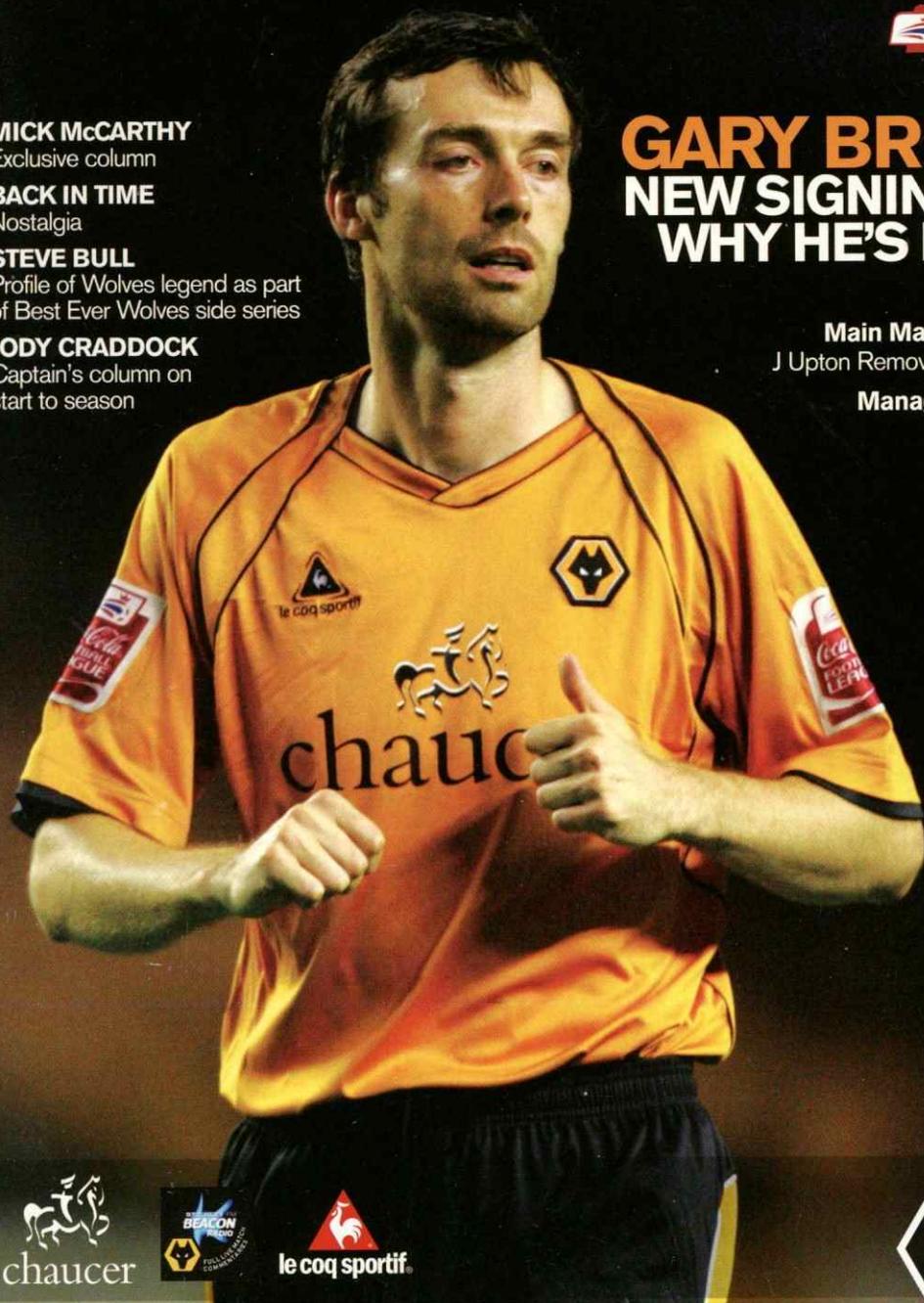
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Mick McCarthy

THE GAFFER

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WE kick off against Luton today after another good League result away from home for us.

I was really pleased with the 1-0 win at Burnley, which followed a 1-1 draw down at Plymouth on the opening day of the season. A win is always great, but the performance was also good against Burnley. It wasn't just a battle – it was more than that – and in the first half we deserved our lead. Then we had to defend that lead, and we did it well.

But the Carling Cup defeat against Chesterfield on Wednesday was obviously disappointing. We had a team out there that should have won but Chesterfield caused us

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more problems than we caused them and it went down to the lottery of penalties and we should have done better.

We had to use the squad at Chesterfield because we have not got that many players but people will see that we haven't got the strength in depth. It was a shame for Jody Craddock to miss the penalty because he had a great game, possibly man of the match.

Against Burnley, Jemal Johnson got his first goal for the club and I was really pleased for him because he had only

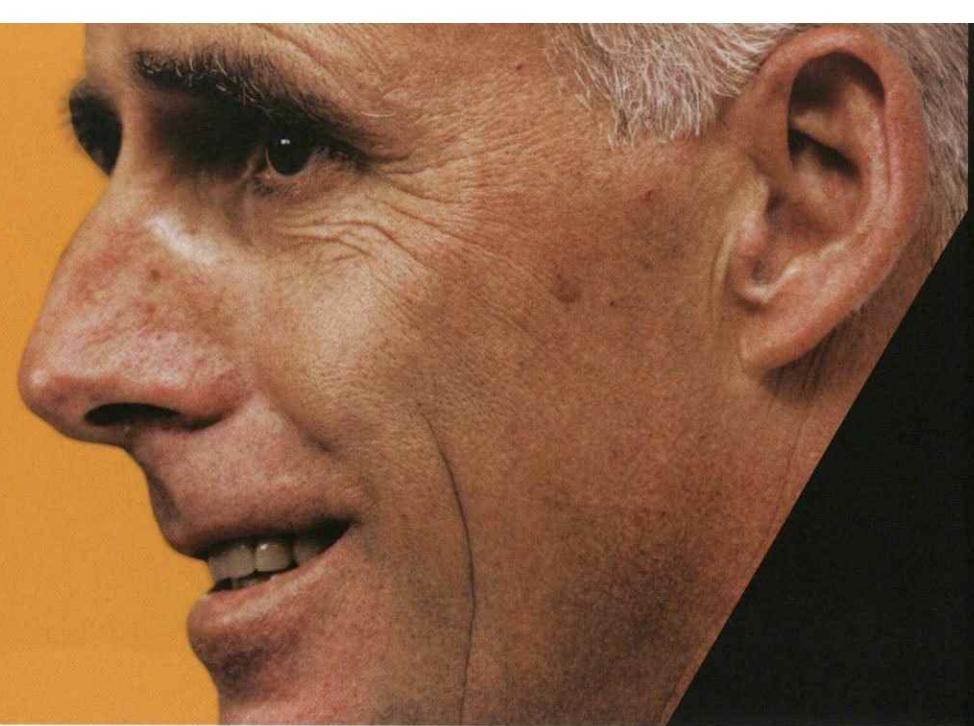
been at the club a short while. He looks like he can be a great addition to our squad. He's a goalscorer – and every club needs as many of them as they can. He has got good movement, good touch, an eye for goal and he's quick.

JJ's arrival here means we have got a few options in attack. We have got Carl Cort and Jay Bothroyd coming back from injury as well as Tomasz Frankowski and Leon Clarke, who has done well in the last two league games up front for us.

We have also signed Craig Davies from Verona and Darren Potter from Liverpool. Both are on loan and both add to our options in what is a bigger squad now than when I arrived a couple weeks before the start of the season.

It has been a busy time with the recruitment of new players and we need to be patient with them. Jemal and Jay didn't take long to score, but generally it's important to allow new players time to settle in.

The Burnley win has helped to keep everyone happy but since we had the result expectations are going up again, which is understandable. The older players should be able to handle it, but there are a lot of young lads in the team – like Daniel Jones who had an excellent game at Burnley – and it's not easy for them to remain consistent at this stage of their careers every game.



JJ celebrates scoring the only goal of the game at Turf Moor.



It's early days still in the season, and the league table is not an accurate picture of how it will look come Christmas. Our local rivals Birmingham and West Brom are top and fourth respectively and you would expect them to be there with the resources they have got. But we will learn more after ten games.

We have got seven points from four games – which is a decent start. But when we got beat there was a lot of doom and gloom about the place which is nonsense. It suddenly changes when we beat Burnley, who equally

were talking about going top if they beat us.

We will do our own chances of being further up the table some good by beating Luton, whose manager Mike Newell has done a terrific job there with limited resources. He did a good job at Hartlepool too and Luton have again started the season well. It will not be easy against them, we can be sure of that.

Enjoy the game and get behind the lads.



Jez Moxey

CHIEF EXECUTIVE

DO YOU HAVE A QUESTION YOU WOULD LIKE JEZ TO ADDRESS IN THE PROGRAMME? IF SO, SEND THEM FOR CONSIDERATION TO WEBMASTER@WOLVES.CO.UK

Being a Wolves fan is anything but dull! In my six years at the Club I have only had one other period where we have experienced such an intense period of transfer activity as the past month and now with the season underway the games are coming thick and fast.

Already it is proving to be the proverbial "rollercoaster ride"! Good results against Ipswich and Burnley have been tempered by the Preston and Chesterfield games, but this is still a new, young team and I don't think anyone can fault the effort and commitment of the players so far.

I walked amongst the travel club coaches after the Burnley game and spoke to supporters, most of whom

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were very positive about Mick McCarthy, the team and its new found passion and fight. I was also encouraged by the level of support for our 'cultural' change towards younger players with something to prove. Most understood our new reality and felt we were moving in the right direction. Such support is crucial and I thank those who made the trips to Burnley and then Chesterfield in such poor weather – we all felt for you standing firm and singing away in that torrential and continuous downpour! I'm just disappointed you didn't leave Saltergate with a victory to go along with the inevitable pneumonia many will (hopefully not!) attract as a result of the lack of modern day football stadium facilities.

Chesterfield have plans for a new stadium; boy do they need it! Nevertheless the lottery of penalties is well documented but in all honesty, we feel it shouldn't have got to that stage to find a winner.

One piece of transfer activity I didn't predict close season was Lee Naylor's move to Celtic. However, once the Glasgow club had lodged a second bid, Lee made it very clear that he wanted to leave Wolves despite us having agreed to his demands on terms for a new 4-year contract. Lee joined the Club as an 11-year old back in 1991 and once he developed as a product of our Academy he enjoyed a nine year professional career at Molineux during

which he played 300 times. Even though he had the chance of establishing himself as one of the longest serving players in the Club's history, along with a new contract and a planned

testimonial year, he decided he wanted to leave for a new life in Glasgow and the prospect of Champion's League football with Celtic. We wish him well.

This transfer, like so many, was not without its difficulties. However, having told Celtic that we would only accept their second cash offer if they also transferred one of three Celtic players Mick was interested in, we played the usual game of "transfer poker" for a long weekend. Eventually, having played our hand, Celtic agreed to send 20-year old Charlie Mulgrew to Molineux on a free transfer and, following a medical, he signed a 3-year contract with us. Charlie is a Scottish U21 international with real potential; he is versatile

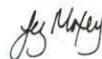
in that he can play left back, left centre back or left sided midfield and we welcome him to Wolves.

As the transfer deadline approaches, I think Mick McCarthy has done a very good job in identifying new players for the Club to sign. Whilst it will take time for the new players to settle, I believe we will see a return to the pride and style of football historically associated with our famous Club.

Off the field, we have just launched our new merchandising catalogue. As use of the internet grows, we have invested in producing an e-brochure as well as the printed version which is available from Wolves stores. To download the e-brochure, log on to www.wolves.co.uk.

Finally, we can't avoid the fact that the attendance for the first two home games has been lower than we would have liked. Whilst I understand the feelings of fans, we do need your support and we plan to launch a number of initiatives aimed at bringing new fans to Molineux. The first initiative is 'Ladies Day' for the Derby fixture. This is your chance to bring your wife, mother, daughter or female friend to the game for just £5 – so why not give it a go? Call the Ticket Office for more information.

Here's to a good game.



YOUR QUESTIONS ANSWERED

Q: I just want to say how pleased I am with the appointment of Mick McCarthy! He is an excellent manager and I feel he is the best man to guide Wolves back in to the Premiership. Just look at the players he's persuaded to

come to Wolves and he isn't afraid to play young players - in two home games I've witnessed the best football we've played for two seasons!!! Is Mick McCarthy planning on bringing any more players in? Matt Hawker

A: We are pleased, Matt, that you and other fans feel so positively about the appointment of Mick McCarthy and the signings that have been made so far. We moved as quickly as we could to appoint Mick and have signed nine new players in less than a month. To answer your question, yes we may yet bring in another player before the transfer window closes.

Q: I am a season ticket holder in the Jack Harris stand and have rarely been able to hear what is said over the PA system. Surely if a security announcement has to be read out, not enough people will be able to hear it. Many grounds I have been to on away trips don't have this problem so why does it continue here at Molineux, even though it has been brought to the club's attention on numerous occasions? Dan Pearson

A: The PA system was checked by an independent specialist during the close season. It passes all the safety tests required for its use at matches and other events. However, there have been complaints so there are people at today's game who are purely there to report on the sound system. We think the problem is simply that the volume has been turned up too high which may have led to distortion of the messages.



Action Replay

Wolves 1 Preston 3

Friday 11th August, Kick Off 7.45pm. Molineux

Wolves suffered their first defeat of the campaign after a double from Preston's David Nugent and a late goal from Simon Whaley cancelled out Jay Bothroyd's excellent opener.

Mick McCarthy made just one change to the starting line-up with Craig Davies making his first start in place of the suspended Carl Cort.

Wolves moved into the lead in the 13th minute with a great individual effort from Bothroyd who took a pass from Mark Clyde wide on the right.

The striker outpaced Liam Chilvers and cut into the box before wrongfooting Kelvin Wilson and hitting an angled shot that Carlo Nash got a hand to but couldn't keep out.

Preston were back on level terms nine minutes later. Danny Pugh's corner wasn't properly cleared and although Sean St Ledger mis-hit his shot, the ball fell into the path of Nugent who volleyed into the top corner of the net.

Craig Davies had a chance when he dispossessed Whaley in the centre circle and raced towards goal but his 25-yard shot hit a defender and bounced safely to Nash.

Half-Time: Wolves 1 Preston 1

From the restart Nugent won a corner when his drive was deflected wide and from Pugh's flag-kick Wilson's powerful header drew a fine save from Matt Murray who pushed the ball over.

Two corners in succession from Rohan Ricketts came to nothing and then, after Whaley had been booked for holding back Lee Naylor, Wolves made a double switch with Seyi Olofinjana replacing Ricketts and Leon Clarke coming on for Davies.

With 65 minutes gone Preston took the lead after Karl Henry had lost control 30-yards out from his own goal. Nugent raced onto the loose ball and advanced to the edge of the box before burying a low shot past Murray. Lee Naylor's long throw-in caused problems for the Preston defence and the ball was scrambled clear to Jamie Clapham whose 20-yard drive went straight to Nash. Nash was booked for time wasting and Jody Craddock for a foul on Nugent as the clock ticked down.

But deep into stoppage time Whaley sealed Preston's victory. With Wolves pushing forward he had the time and space to pick his spot leaving Murray with no chance after collecting a misplaced header from Craddock.

SQUAD
MURRAY
CLYDE (EDWARDS 60)
NAYLOR
BREEN
CRADDOCK **C**
HENRY
C.DAVIES (CLARKE 54)
BOTHROYD **1**
CLAPHAM
RICKETTS (OLOFINJANA 54)
O'CONNOR

SUBS NOT USED:
JONES
OAKES

THE STRIKER [JAY BOTHROYD] OUTPACED LIAM CHILVERS AND CUT INTO THE BOX BEFORE WRONGFOOTING KELVIN WILSON AND HITTING AN ANGLED SHOT THAT CARLO NASH GOT A HAND TO BUT COULDN'T KEEP OUT.



Action Replay

Burnley 0 Wolves 1

Saturday 19th August, Kick Off 3.00pm. Turf Moor

Jemal Johnson celebrated his debut by scoring the winning goal at Turf Moor as Wolves bounced back from the previous week's home defeat to Preston.

Keeper Matt Murray was rarely troubled at Turf Moor and Academy graduate Daniel Jones was desperately unfortunate not to get the goal his enterprising play deserved. Twice in the opening two minutes Burnley won free-kicks in the Wolves half. Alan Mahon took both kicks which were cleared without a great degree of difficulty.

Johnson, who was reminded of his Blackburn connection by the home supporters every time he touched the ball, pounced on a mistake by Frank Sinclair but his close range shot was deflected over for a corner.

But Johnson wasn't to be denied and he opened the scoring in the 19th after a mistake by Wayne Thomas who had failed to cut out Gary Breen's long defensive clearance. Johnson raced clear from inside the centre circle to the edge of the box before he calmly chipped the ball past Brian Jensen.

Seven minutes before the break Johnson's powerful header flew just wide after Jones had fired in a centre from the left and then, in stoppage time, Jody Craddock was perilously close to his own goal as he turned behind, with his knee, Michael Duff's header into the six-yard box following a Wade Elliott centre.

Half-Time: Burnley 0 Wolves 1

Darren Potter was introduced for Rohan Ricketts for the start of the new half which was seconds old when Wolves were awarded a free-kick wide on the left. Jones fired the ball into the box but it skidded behind off a defender.

With the game just past the hour mark, Jones was literally an inch away from doubling Wolves' advantage after Johnson had been fouled by Duff just outside the Burnley 'D'.

Jones' curling free-kick cleared the wall and hit the inside of Jensen's right-hand post and bounced out to Duff who booted clear.

James O'Connor managed to turn behind a low, driven cross from Jones after a fine ball from Karl Henry had left the Burnley defence flatfooted.

Then, in stoppage time, Jones was tripped by O'Connor and his free-kick, taken from virtually the same spot as his earlier effort, forced a tip over save from Jensen.

SQUAD

MURRAY
EDWARDS
CLAPHAM
BREEN
CRADDOCK C
HENRY
RICKETTS (POTTER 45)
JOHNSON 1 (DAVIES 74)
CLARKE
OLOFINJANA
D.JONES

SUBS NOT USED:
ROSA
LITTLE
IKEME

JONES' CURLING FREE-KICK CLEARED THE WALL AND HIT THE INSIDE OF BRIAN JENSEN'S RIGHT-HAND POST AND BOUNCED OUT TO DUFF WHO BOOTED CLEAR.



Action Replay

Chesterfield 0 Wolves 0 AET

Chesterfield win penalty shoot-out 6-5

Wednesday 23rd August, Kick Off 7.30pm. Recreation Ground

Wolves bowed out of the Carling Cup when they lost a penalty shoot-out after 120 goalless minutes against League One Chesterfield.

The shoot-out went to sudden death then, at 6-5, skipper Jody Craddock lofted his spot kick over the bar and it was the East Midlands side that went through to the second round.

Earlier, a fine through ball from Denes Rosa presented Tomasz Frankowski with a shooting opportunity but the Pole's shot was parried by the keeper and Craig Davies' follow-up was deflected wide for an unproductive corner. On the half-hour Darren Potter's free-kick into the Chesterfield box was deflected narrowly wide by a defender's knee whilst Hall had the home fans applauding his 25-yard drive that flew past Carl Ikeme's left-hand post.

Half-Time: Chesterfield 0 Wolves 0

Ikeme had to be at his best when he blocked a Hall shot with his legs after a low centre from Colin Larkin. It was the first direct save from either of the keepers. Rohan Ricketts opened up the home defence when he beat Alan O'Hare on the right before cutting in along the by-line but Roche was in position at the near post to turn behind the midfielder's driven cross.

Substitute Jemal Johnson soon made his presence felt and a heavy spell of Wolves pressure ended with a Jamie Clapham volley that was both high and wide. Ikeme made a great save from Derek Niven's header in the 72nd minute. The keeper, who was making only his second senior appearance, dived full length and got a hand to the ball after Larkin had supplied the cross for Niven.

90 minutes: Chesterfield 0 Wolves 0

Niven was booked for tripping Johnson whilst the only on target shot in the first period came from Larkin whose low shot almost slipped from Ikeme's grasp on the saturated surface. The referee waved away penalty appeals eight minutes from time after an O'Hare challenge on Johnson who had raced on to Ricketts' through ball.

Three minutes from the end Johnson must have thought he had won it for Wolves when he beat the keeper and a defender to Potter's cross wide on the left. But the ball rolled along the goal-line and past the far post before being cleared.

SQUAD

IKEME
EDWARDS ■
CLAPHAM
CRADDOCK
LITTLE
RICKETTS
POTTER
OLOFINJANA ■
ROSA (HENRY 87)
C.DAVIES (CLARKE 45)
FRANKOWSKI (JOHNSON 65)

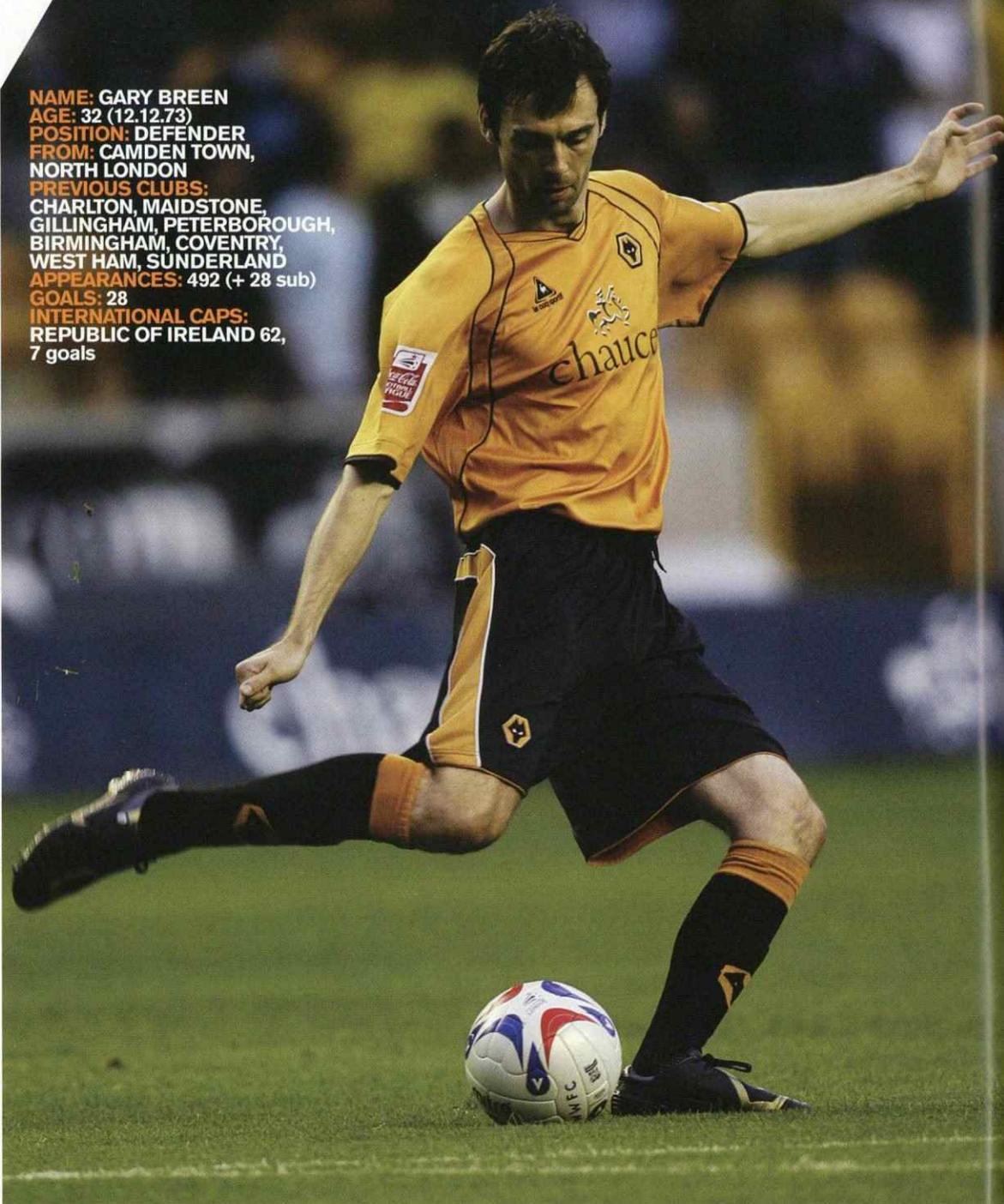
SUBS NOT USED:
MURRAY
JONES *

PENALTY SHOOT-OUT

HURST - SCORES 1-0
JOHNSON - SCORES 1-1
PICKEN - SCORES 2-1
RICKETTS - 2-2
BAILEY - KEEPER SAVES 2-2
POTTER - SCORES 2-3
ALLISON - SCORES 3-3
CLAPHAM - SCORES 3-4
NIVEN - SCORES 4-4
HENRY - KEEPER SAVES 4-4
FOLAN - SCORES 5-4
CLARKE - SCORES 5-5
ALLOTT - SCORES 6-5
CRADDOCK - MISSES 6-5



NAME: GARY BREEN
AGE: 32 (12.12.73)
POSITION: DEFENDER
FROM: CAMDEN TOWN,
 NORTH LONDON
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GOALS: 28
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 REPUBLIC OF IRELAND 62,
 7 goals




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If anyone knows the new boss, it is Gary Breen. The centre-back has started his tenth season with Mick McCarthy as his manager at Sunderland and the Republic of Ireland.

And the Londoner is convinced McCarthy is the man to lead Wolves back to the Premiership. Breen saw how McCarthy rebuilt the Republic of Ireland squad and then Sunderland. The 32-year-old knows what it takes to get promoted to the Premiership and chose to move to Wolves because he believes they have the potential to be playing in the top division. Breen quickly followed Mick to the Molineux, after admitting he was frustrated at how things were going at Sunderland after they got relegated from the Premiership last season.

GARY BREEN

"I decided I didn't want to continue at Sunderland under the owners there at the time," he said. "The owners have since changed but I had made my decision. If Niall Quinn [now manager after leading a takeover of the club last month] had come in earlier I may have stayed.

"I felt let down that all the hard work we had done to get into the Premiership was in vain because we didn't get the necessary support to stay in the Premiership.

"I had a few offers but I decided on Wolves because of what could be achieved here soon. It's a daunting prospect when a lot of experienced players leave and you have a lot of younger players, but Mick McCarthy has been in this situation before and he has done it before at Sunderland." →



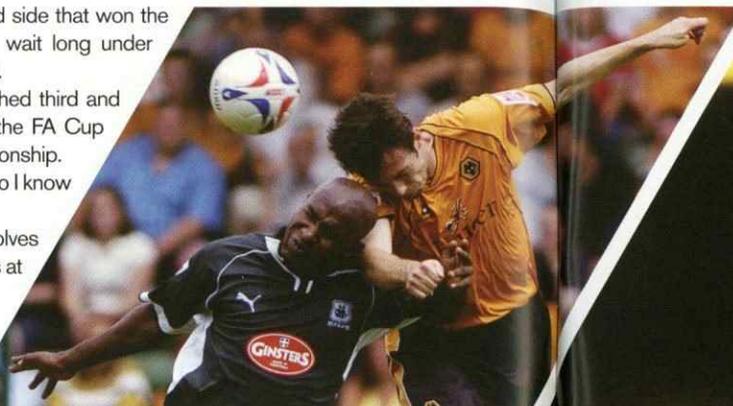
Breen was part of McCarthy's Sunderland side that won the Championship in 2005. He did not have to wait long under McCarthy before he was playing in the top flight.

He said: "The first season under Mick we finished third and got knocked out in the Play Offs, but also got to the FA Cup semi-final. In the second season, we won the Championship.

"This is my tenth season with Mick as my manager – so I know what he's like!"

The Republic of Ireland international, who made his Wolves debut in the 1-1 draw at Plymouth, hopes the younger players at Molineux will make a name for themselves this season.

"This is a great opportunity for all the younger players to stand up and be counted, to establish themselves," he said. "A lot of older players have left, so they have got a chance to fill that gap now.



"I HAD A FEW OFFERS BUT I DECIDED ON WOLVES BECAUSE OF WHAT COULD BE ACHIEVED HERE SOON."

"There's a massive rebuilding job here but Mick has done it before at Sunderland and Ireland. There wasn't a conveyor belt of players coming through in Ireland so he had to go out and source player and then give them their debuts.

"We went through the World Cup unbeaten and got into the last 16 after he introduced a lot of new players!"

Breen scored in the Republic of Ireland's first match of the 2002 World Cup against Saudi Arabia, in a 3-0 win. The Wolves defender has played an impressive 62 times for the Republic, after being handed his international debut by McCarthy in 1996.

Breen has faced some top performers in his time. The toughest, he says, is Arsenal and France striker Thierry Henry.

"Perhaps the best player I have played against is Thierry Henry," he said. "He is just sublime. He has pace, strength and technique. He is so skilful and is still 13 or 14 stone. I also remember playing against Alen Boksic a few years ago for Ireland against Croatia. He was good. He played in the Premiership for Middlesbrough, but he was past his best then."

But what about the Championship? Breen I unsure who will be contesting the promotion slots but remember the division can be wide open and that today's visitors Luton were early season leaders last year. →



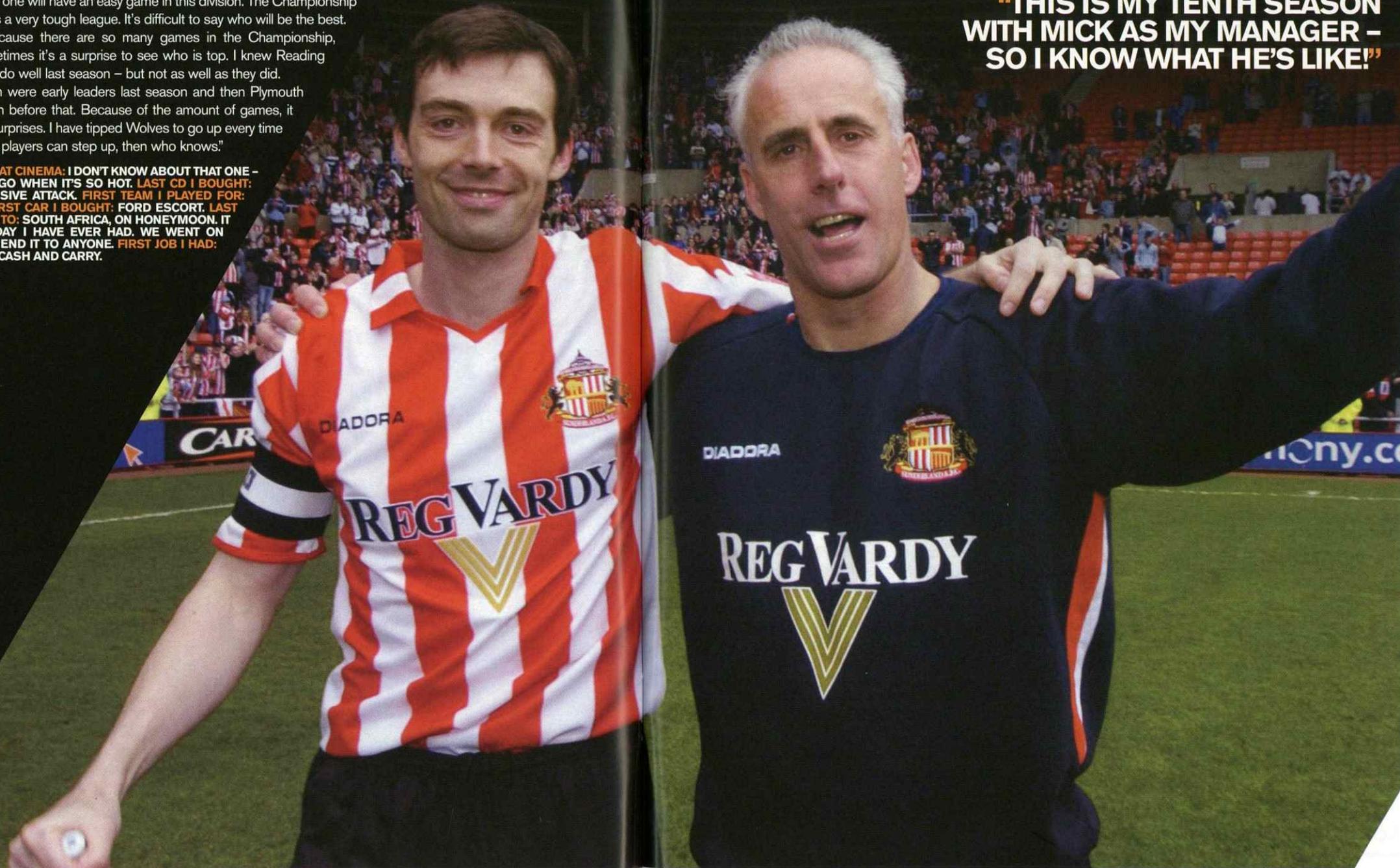
He said: "There are a lot of derbies for us this season, which will be good fun. A couple of clubs are spending loads, but no one will have an easy game in this division. The Championship is a very tough league. It's difficult to say who will be the best.

Because there are so many games in the Championship, sometimes it's a surprise to see who is top. I knew Reading would do well last season – but not as well as they did.

"Luton were early leaders last season and then Plymouth the season before that. Because of the amount of games, it throws up surprises. I have tipped Wolves to go up every time – if the young players can step up, then who knows."

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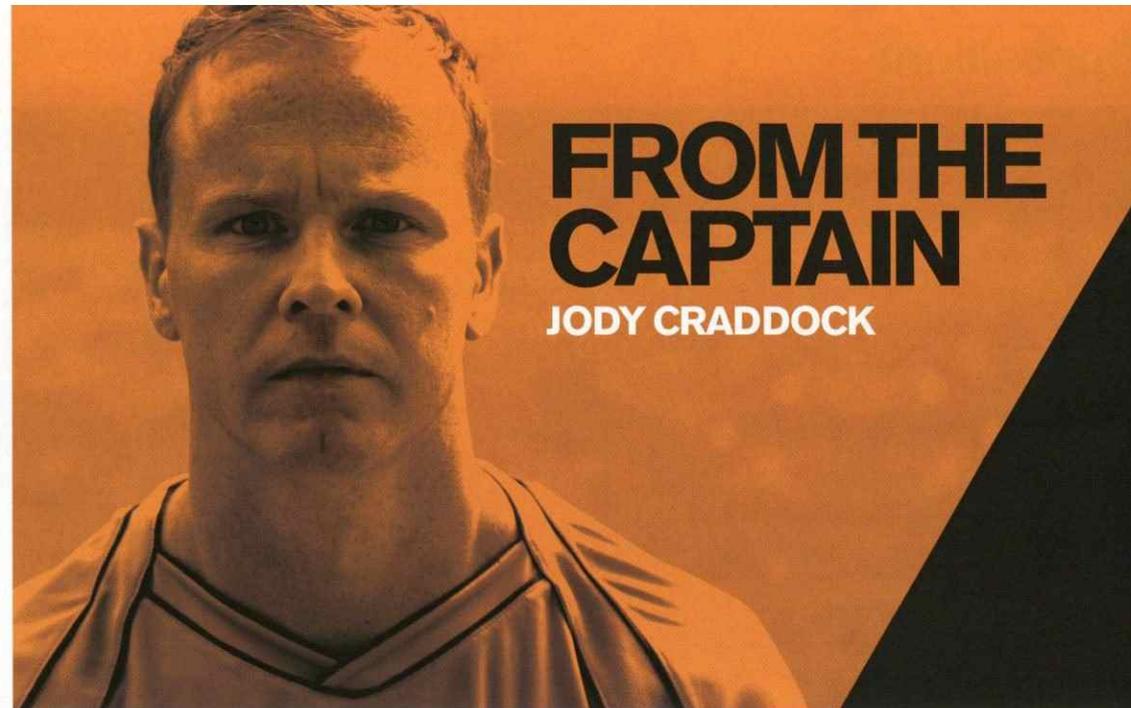
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FROM THE CAPTAIN

JODY CRADDOCK

We will be trying to maintain the form we showed to get last Saturday's 1-0 win at Burnley today against Luton in what has been a pleasing start to the season.

Beating Burnley has made it a good start for us, because they were doing well before we played them. We showed two sides of our game there – that we can play good football but also battle when needed.

In the first half we passed it around well, but in the second half we just had to scrap a bit to make sure we got the three points. They had a couple of big lads, but we showed we could deal with them.

Jemal Johnson scored the winner for us, which was great considering he had only been at the club a week. He played in a friendly earlier in the week and did well. It's hard sometimes for new players to settle into a new side quickly, but he has done fantastic.

We have got a few new players now, which is only good news for the club. We need competition in the team for places, and that is what we have got at the moment. The players have been working hard on the pitch and in training to try and impress the manager. Hopefully it is making it harder to pick the team, which is a good problem for the manager to have.

Today we face Luton, who like last season have started well. I didn't play them at their place last season but I know what to expect from Luton. They are a big strong, battling

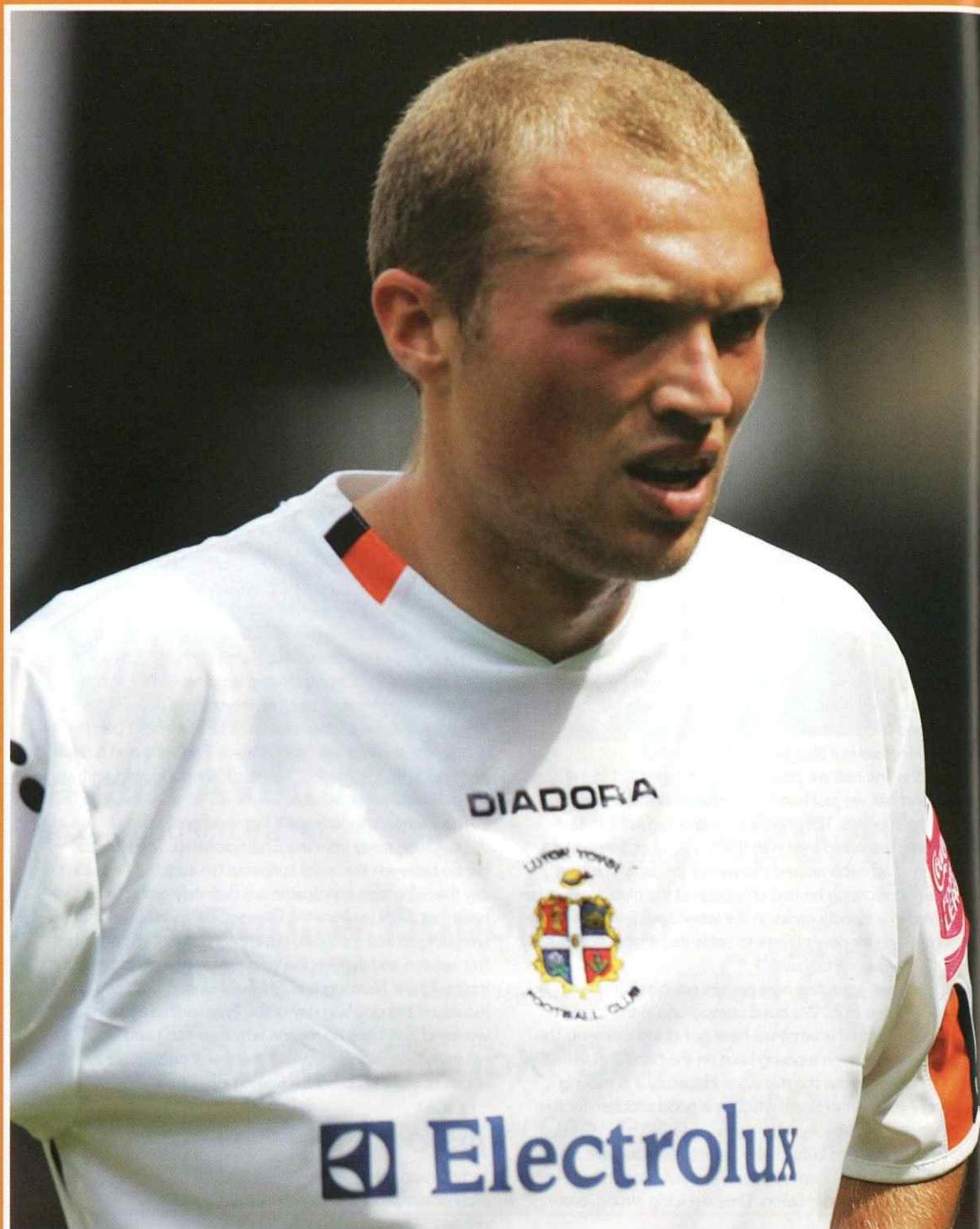
team. It will be a hard game, similar to the one against Burnley, but because we are at home we need to try and settle into our passing game as soon as possible. They will be trying to stop us doing that early on.

As for how the Championship is going so far, it's too early to say in terms of whether the table is going to be looking like it is in a couple of months. But I have been happy with the way we have started. Two wins and a draw isn't bad from the first four games. It's a good start and we should be pleased with it.

The Premiership kicked off last weekend, taking some of the attention away from the Championship. The title race will be between the usual suspects I'm sure but I wouldn't say the relegation candidates are definitely going to be the ones that went up from the Championship in May. Watford are going to find it difficult, but if they can just get past that first season and survive, the club will be in a good position for the future. Reading and Sheffield United both had good results on the opening day of the Premiership season last weekend and I see no reason why they can't stay up. They will have their work cut out for them and crucial to their hopes of staying up will be staying injury-free.

Jody Craddock
Wolverhampton Wanderers, Club Captain.





PULLING IT OUT THE HAT

Luton Town arrive to take on Wolves full of confidence after a promising start to their second season in the Championship.

Wins over Leicester City and Sheffield Wednesday were just what the doctor ordered after a pre-season which saw the high profile departures of captain Kevin Nicholls to Leeds for £750,000 and goal machine Steve Howard to Derby for £1million in the space of four days in July.

The signings of Richard Langley, Lewis Emanuel and the highly-rated Adam Boyd from Hartlepool for £500,000 will go some way to ease the worries of the Kenilworth Road faithful and boss Mike Newell will be looking for their backing as they aim to build on last season's 10th place finish.

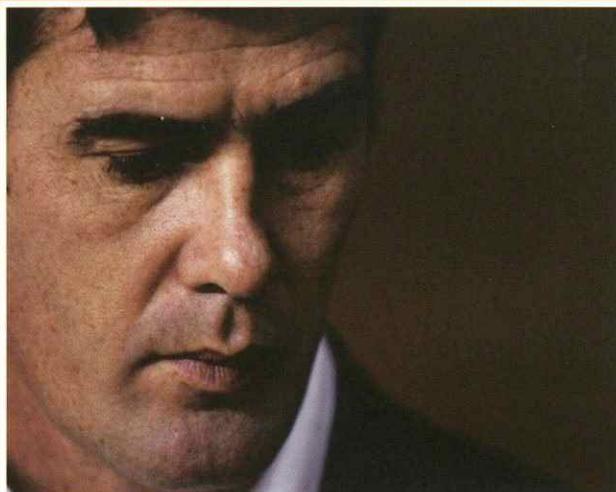
Despite the losses of both their captain and main striker, the Hatters are in good condition in terms of playing staff.

Marlon Beresford is a fine keeper with a wealth of experience, new captain Chris Coyne is another player being watched by the big clubs and strikers Rowan Vine and Northern Ireland international Warren Feeney will cause problems for a lot of Championship defences.

Howard and Nicholls may be gone, but Luton still have two gems in Ahmet Brkovic and Trinidad & Tobago World Cup hero Carlos Edwards who both have impressive technical ability.

If they can keep the current squad together and perhaps make a few more signings come January, Luton could be a dark horse for the play-offs. Last season they fell away after an excellent start to the season when they were early leaders.

A 2-1 defeat here for the Hatters in January will be extra incentive for them to continue their fine start to the current campaign.



MEET THE MANAGER LUTON TOWN'S MIKE NEWELL

Mike Newell is one of the most promising young managers today, after leading Luton to promotion to the Championship and then securing their safety last season with a brilliant start to the season. Luton fell away after being early leaders, but it was still an excellent first season back in the second tier and with limited resources.

Born on January 27 1965, Mike Newell was appointed as the manager of Luton Town in the summer of 2003. After leaving the post at Hartlepool, Newell returned to the club he had previously served as a player in the mid-eighties.

As a striker, Newell played under David Pleat after being transferred for £100,000 from Wigan Athletic in January 1986. His arrival back at Kenilworth Road was warmly welcomed by the Hatters fans and, despite Town being in administration for the majority of his first season, he managed to lead the club to a very respectable top 10 finish in his inaugural season in charge.

The season after saw second tier football return to Bedfordshire as Town won League One with a massive 98 points. After superb season back in the Championship, which saw Newell named as the division's Coca-Cola Manager of the Month for August, Town finished 10th in the table with a creditable 61 points.

This season, Newell has begun to face up to the harsh realities of football management with the loss of two of the club's major stars. The departures of Steve Howard and Kevin Nicholls will take the team time to adjust but Newell has made some shrewd acquisitions.

Mike made his debut in a team that included legends Harford, Preece, Foster, Stein, Hill and Donaghy and will be looking to take his current crop of players to that level in the near future.

MARLON BERESFORD, 2/9/69, Goalkeeper

Marlon Beresford signed for Luton from League One rivals Barnsley at the beginning of July 2004. He is a vastly experienced goalkeeper with over 400 appearances under his belt and returned to Kenilworth Road on a two-year contract after impressing during a successful three-month spell with the Hatters last year. Beresford was selected as one of six members of the Luton squad who were names in the PFA League One team of the season during their Championship winning campaign.

DAVID BRILL, 02/12/85, Goalkeeper

Luton-born keeper David Brill is another young player of whom big things are expected. Having enjoyed a taste of first-team football last season he will, along with Zac Barrett, provide healthy competition for the goalkeeper's jersey and keep Marlon Beresford on his toes. Brill joined his hometown club at the age of nine and has progressed through the Centre of Excellence, representing Luton Schools and Bedfordshire County Schools at a variety of age groups. A tall, commanding goalkeeper standing at six foot three, Brill is a great organiser whose voice will always be heard throughout the game.

CHRIS COYNE, 20/12/78, Defender

Chris Coyne was playing for Perth Soccer Club when he was selected for the Australian Under-17 squad for the 1994 youth World Cup, and came to the notice of Harry Redknapp who took him to Upton Park. After spells at Brentford and Southend on loan he went north of the border to Dundee. He joined Luton for £50,000 in 2001 and became a firm favourite with the home fans and established himself as a formidable rock at the heart of the Hatters defence. He won a place on the PFA League One Team during their Championship winning season and his partnership with Markus Heikkinen, combined with his new status as Captain after the departure of Nicholls to Leeds United, means that the 06/07 season is again going to be a very busy season for the man from Brisbane.

LEWIS EMANUEL, 14/10/83, Defender

Lewis Emanuel arrived at Kenilworth Road in the summer of 2006 after deciding to leave his hometown club Bradford City, the place where the defender started his career. Lewis is a pacy full-back but can also play on the left side of midfield, a

position where he started on his league debut for the club. Lewis made over 150 appearances for Bradford in six-years at the club, scoring four goals.

SOL DAVIS, 4/9/79, Defender

It was a huge disappointment to Swindon Town, and a coup for Luton, when the highly rated defender decided to leave the County Ground after his contract expired at the end of the 2001/02 season. Swindon boss Andy King failed in attempts to persuade him to sign a new deal and Luton swooped for the tough tackling left back. Sol scored his first ever goal in professional football during the club's win over Wrexham in 2004.

KEVIN FOLEY, 1/11/84, Defender

Kevin Foley is a talented full-back who came through the junior ranks at Kenilworth Road. Kevin made his debut for the Hatters in October 2002 and has gone on to make over 100 appearances since then. Foley was a key member of the Luton side that won the League One Championship in the 2004/05 season and his performances for the club has reportedly attracted interest elsewhere. Foley is a Republic of Ireland Under-21 international and he scored his first-ever international goal in the summer of 2006 in a two-legged UEFA U-21 European Championship preliminary round match against Azerbaijan.

MARKUS HEIKKINEN, 13/10/78, Defender

Mike Newell pulled off a real coup with the signing of Aberdeen central defender Markus Heikkinen. Although born in Sweden he is a Finnish international and in August 2005 he partnered Liverpool's Sami Hyppia during their World Cup qualifying win over Macedonia. Heikkinen has made an impressive start to his stay at Kenilworth Road and has formed a formidable partnership with Chris Coyne at the back. Heikkinen joined on a two-year contract and can also play in midfield. Before his move to Aberdeen he enjoyed a short spell down at Fratton Park with Portsmouth.

AHMET BRKOVIC, 23/9/74, Midfield

Ahmet Brkovic is a tidy and hardworking member of the squad who had an inspirational season during Luton's Championship winning season in League One when he scored 16 goals from midfield. He joined from Leyton Orient in 2001 and played a valuable role at his new club as Town

Lewis Emanuel



Richard Langley

returned to the Second Division at the first attempt. Brkovic is more suited to a right midfield role but is equally comfortable playing on the left, a position he filled on many occasions last season.

PETER HOLMES, 18/11/80, Midfield

A two-footed midfielder, Peter came to Luton as one of former boss Ricky Hill's first signings after impressing him whilst Hill was coaching at Sheffield Wednesday. Holmes has a good pedigree and is a product of the FA's School of Excellence, from the same year as Michael Owen. After initially being released in the summer of 2003, as a result of the club's financial situation, Holmes continued to train with the club and agreed a fresh deal to stay with the Hatters in November 2003. After playing a part in Luton's championship success he signed a new one-year contract prior to the start of the current campaign.

KEITH KEANE, 20/11/86, Midfield

Having made his debut as a 16-year-old in November 2003, Keith Keane went on to enjoy an extended run in the side from February onwards whilst Kevin Foley was out injured. Such was the contribution he made that the return of Foley didn't signal the end of his involvement at first-team level and he finished the season with 14 appearances under his belt. Another of the youth team who regularly appears for the Republic of Ireland at schoolboy level, Keane has featured most prominently on the right of midfield, bursting forward to great effect to provide many goals for himself and his teammates.

RICHARD LANGLEY, 27/12/79, Midfield

Richard Langley signed for Luton Town in July 2006



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after being released by former club QPR. A hard working midfielder, Langley started his career at Loftus Road after progressing through their youth ranks and went on to make nearly 150 appearances for the club. He became a firm favourite at QPR and in the 2002/03 season enjoyed a magical season scoring ten goals from midfield. It was this form that prompted Cardiff to splash out £200,000 for him and also led to international caps for Jamaica where he scored against Cuba and Paraguay. After a dip in form he rejoined the men from Loftus Road in August 2005.

WARREN FEENEY, 17/1/81, Striker

The Belfast-born striker started his career as a trainee at Leeds but failed to break into the first team before joining Bournemouth, 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 made over 80 appearances for the Cherries, scoring over 30 goals. Signed for Stockport in a £45,000 deal and despite the club struggling at the foot of League One, Feeney went on to score 17 goals in 32 appearances. Feeney, who is currently a Northern Ireland international, signed for Luton in a £150,000 deal on transfer deadline day on March 2005.

ROWAN VINE, 21/9/82, Striker

The Basingstoke-born striker initially joined Town on a three-month loan deal from Premiership Portsmouth on the eve of the new season but that arrangement was extended in September for the whole season after he had made an impressive start to life as a Hatter.

HEAD2HEAD

Overall League Meetings

Wolves 10 Wins, Luton Town 11, 5 Draws

Previous Ten

13/1/06	Wolves 2 Luton 1
23/9/95	Wolves 0 Luton 0
5/11/94	Wolves 2 Luton 3
23/4/94	Wolves 1 Luton 0
12/12/92	Wolves 1 Luton 2
21/1/84	Wolves 1 Luton 2
25/9/76	Wolves 1 Luton 2
31/3/75	Wolves 5 Luton 2
23/2/60	Wolves 3 Luton 2
18/4/59	Wolves 5 Luton 0

ADAM BOYD, 25/8/82, Striker

Luton splashed out £500,000 on Adam Boyd from Mike Newell's former club Hartlepool in July this year. He is a skilful striker who scored 60 goals in six years at the Victoria Ground and hopes are high that he can repeat those feats after signing a three-year contract at Kenilworth Road. Town boss Newell has been a keen admirer of Boyd after trying to secure his services for some considerable time. He was at his most lethal when his 29 goals helped Hartlepool reach the League One play-off final in the 2004/05 season. However his joy was short lived as Sheffield Wednesday beat them in the Cardiff final.

CALVIN ANDREW, 19/12/86, Striker

After scoring an incredible eight goals in three games for the Under-18 side, Calvin Andrew made his Luton debut in September 2004, making 11 appearances. A tall, powerful and direct front man, Calvin possesses a lightning turn of speed and the ability to score goals with his head and on the ground. In a bid to gain more first team experience, Andrew was sent out on loan to Grimsby and Bristol City last season, before scoring his first Luton goal against Plymouth, in the last minute, which sealed a 2-1 win.



Rowan Vine

DANGER MAN CARLOS EDWARDS MIDFIELDER

Midfielder Carlos Edwards signed for the Hatters at the start of this season from Wrexham on a free transfer having been admired by manager Mike Newell for some considerable time.

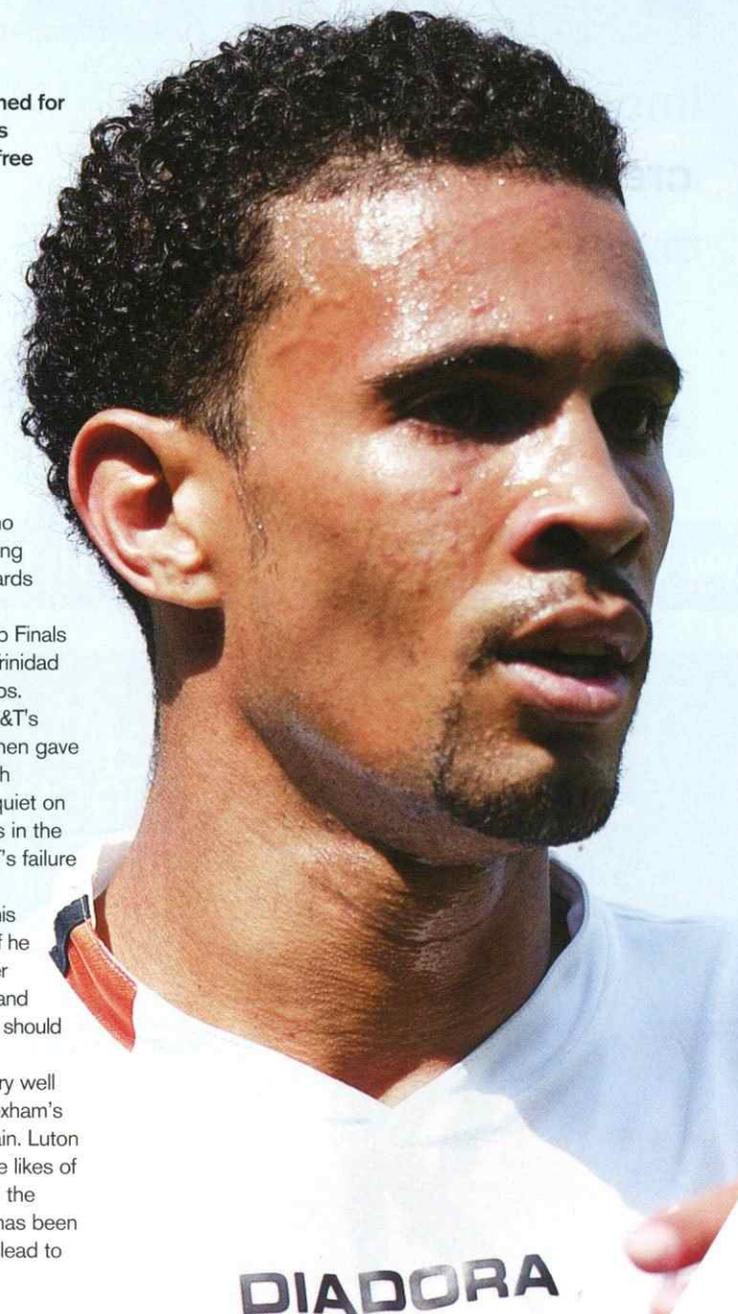
Newell tried to sign Edwards during his time as Hartlepool manager but his failure to do so has worked out in Luton's favour and he is an exciting prospect for the men from Kenilworth Road.

Edwards spent five seasons at Wrexham, helping them win the LDV Vans title in his last season against Southend, and is a pacy midfielder who is likely to give Newell plenty of attacking options. In the summer of 2006, Edwards became the first Luton Town player to represent his country in the World Cup Finals and his impressive performances for Trinidad & Tobago impressed a lot of other clubs.

Edwards was man of the match in T&T's opening game against Sweden and then gave a solid performance in their match with England, keeping Joe Cole relatively quiet on the left flank. Edwards's performances in the competition were a bright spot in T&T's failure to get past the group stages.

Edwards will be looking to continue his superb work from Germany 2006 and if he can keep the likes of the Chelsea winger quiet and cause the likes of Cole, Terry and Ferdinand problems, the Championship should watch out this season.

Newell's admiration of him could very well pay dividends for the Hatters and Wrexham's loss is most definitely Luton Town's gain. Luton will be hoping that he will be facing the likes of Cole and Rooney next season AND in the white shirts of his current club. 2006 has been a great year for Edwards, could 2007 lead to something even better?



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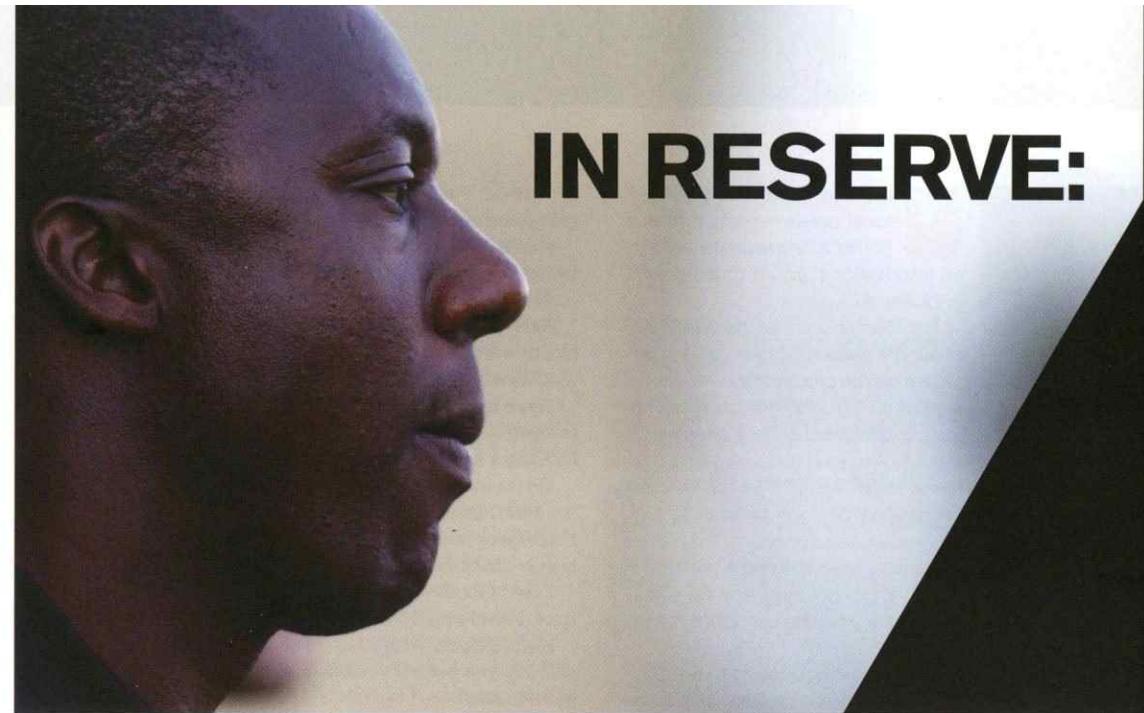
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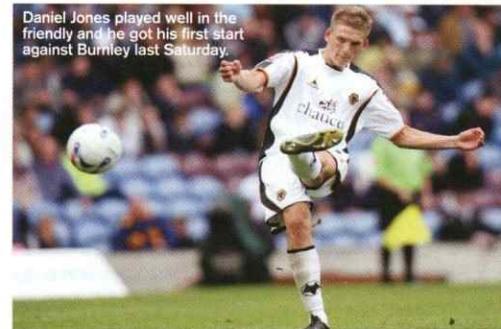
WITH TERRY CONNOR

O UR first friendly reserve game was a success both in the result and what the players got from it.

As previously explained in my notes here, there is to be no reserve side who competes in a league this season and instead we will organise friendlies when we can and when it suits.

The first of these friendlies since the Championship kicked off was two Tuesday ago, when we beat Northampton 2-0 at our Compton training base.

We used a lot of the senior players although we did have some players missing for international duty. They were: Stephen Gleeson, Rob Edwards, Craig Davies



Daniel Jones played well in the friendly and he got his first start against Burnley last Saturday.

and Tomasz Frankowski.

The lads that were left behind had the benefit of a game and the team was a mixture of senior players like Rohan Ricketts, Leon Clarke and Seyi George Olofinjana alongside side younger ones like Martin Riley, Mark Little and Daniel Jones.

It was a good performance and attitude from the players to a friendly game and it made for a positive 90 minutes of work.

Jemal Johnson showed up pretty well and convinced us that he was worth pursuing. Danny Sender also played after coming up to spend a few days with us, but we decided after the game not to take it any further.

Daniel Jones played well in the friendly and he got his first start against Burnley last Saturday which I was pleased for him for. DJ did well in the game and was unlucky not to score as he hit the post. The friendly gave him 90 minutes and the chance to sharpen his touch. As was the case with Jemal, I'm sure the friendly was good preparation for Saturday's game for DJ.

We have got another friendly against Coventry for September 5 behind closed doors.

The team against Northampton was: Carl Ikeme, Mark Little, Martin Riley, Gary Breen, Denes Rosa, Danny Sender, Daniel Jones, Seyi George Olofinjana, Rohan Ricketts, Jemal Johnson, Leon Clarke.



Academy Matters: With Chris Evans



You may have noted from local press reports that our youth team recently won an international youth tournament in Holland.

The tournament was the culmination of our pre-season programme and the players can be proud of their achievement.

John Perkins and his support staff of John Trollope, Rob Sharp and Dave Hart must be congratulated on their direction of the squad.

The whole exercise in the Hague was of fitness consolidation, and the players have achieved high levels of dynamic and aerobic capacities.

Rob and Dave, as clinicians, have ensured a virtual injury free pre season, which is complimentary by any standard and highlights the rewards of a 365 day conditioning and maintenance programme.

On the footballing side, it is always pleasing to win trophies, but I am far more excited and motivated by quality of performance from this new crop of youth players. There

is no doubt that there are future first team players in the group and such return will always be our greatest success.

I have been very encouraged to note the progress being made by several of our young professionals so early in the season.

Kevin O'Connor has grasped the opportunity given to him by the manager, and having had a taste of first team football will be hungry for more.

There is nothing to match playing at first team level and I'm sure Kevin will be keen to further impress Mick McCarthy at every opportunity.

Daniel Jones has also made a contribution and he has the attributes to establish himself in the team. At 6'2", good build, quick and left footed, he has qualities that can be hugely developed.

Lewis Goben has been unlucky with injury but all who know him are aware of his precocious talent.

I would dearly wish future to shine on him by allowing him an injury free period. I believe in him and know he has a lot more to offer.

Mark Little and Carl Ikeme have also been in the frame and can offer the manager options as we look to develop our squad. Carl has gathered good Football League experience and is still learning his trade. Mark has excellent potential and he is full of promise.

How refreshing it is for all concerned to see Mick keen to allow young players to challenge for first team places. Equally my gratitude as always goes out to our fans, home and away, for your undying support of the developing youngsters. I hope you realise how critical your positive backing is. It goes beyond reproach that your enthusiasm and motivation is a catalyst to their performance. You are part of our team and are truly appreciated.

May I wish Mick, Ian and the lads every success in the future.

UNDER 18 NOTES

We played our first pre-season match against Blackpool (away) and won 2-1 with Matthew Bailey and Mark Salmon scoring. Our second game was against Brighton and Hove Albion at home and we won this game by 3-1 with Liam Hughes scoring two and Joshua Ferran scoring our third. Our last pre season friendly before going to Holland for a tournament was against Premier League Reading. We won the game by 5-3 with Elliott Bennett and Matthew Bailey scoring two goals and Liam Hughes scoring one.

Then on Friday 11 August we departed to Holland for the 'Velo International Youth Tournament' unfortunately we got caught up in the airport security problems but our lads conducted themselves tremendously well in trying conditions.

When we eventually arrived in Holland a three day tournament had to be condensed into two days because of

torrential rain. That meant us playing three games on Friday and two on Sunday. Our first game was against GDA of Holland which we won 3-0 with Liam Hughes, Joshua Ferran and Alex Melbourne scoring. Our second game was against the hosts Velo which we lost 2-1 with Liam Hughes scoring our goal. So we went into our third game having to beat Trelleborg of Sweden to qualify for the semi final we won the game by 2-1 with Liam Hughes scoring both of our goals. On Sunday we played Premier League side Bolton Wanderers in the semi final and we went 1-0 up through James Askey. However, Bolton equalised with the last kick of the game so the tie went to penalties which we won by 4-3 with Bennett, Hughes, Askey and Salmon scoring to put us through to the final.

In front of a 2,000 plus crowd we played the Canadian national team. We won the game by 2-0 with Liam Hughes and Elliott Bennett scoring the goals. Lee Collins collected the winners trophy on behalf of the squad.

The players were a credit to the club both on and off the pitch, and I must thank the staff John Trollope, our under 16 coach and Rob Sharp Senior Academy Physiotherapist was well supported by Academy Physiotherapist Dave Hart. In any success achieved in football I firmly believe that your off the park team has also got to be a team and without doubt our staff was totally professional throughout, therefore giving our players the greatest opportunity of achieving their goals.

SEASON 2006/07 ACADEMY FIXTURES

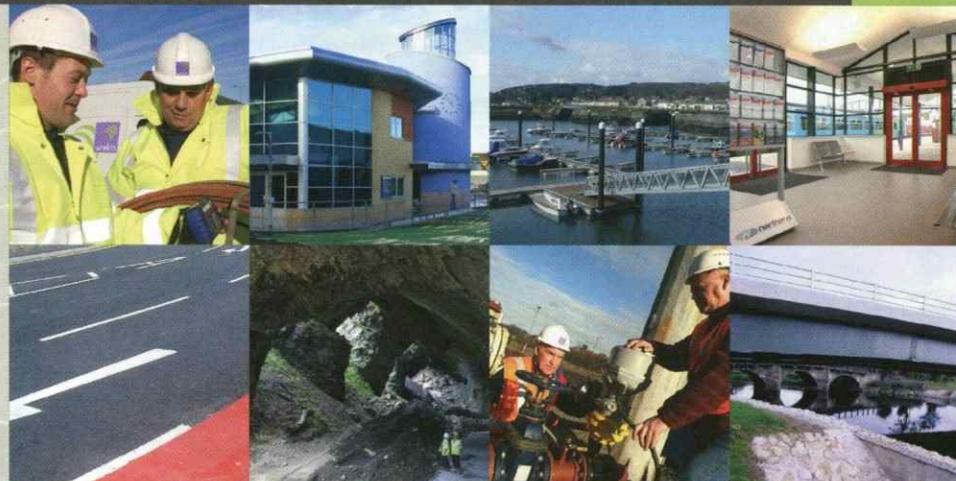
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SAT 30 SEP	LIVERPOOL	A	
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Championship Roundup:



I'm fired!

AS chairman as well as manager of Sunderland, Niall Quinn may have to consider sacking himself if his miserable start to life as boss of the North East club continues into September.

Sunderland have started life in the Championship with four successive defeats to leave their fans disgruntled after initial hope with Quinn's arrival as part of a summer takeover. First, Coventry beat them 2-1, then Birmingham won 1-0 at the Stadium of Light before Plymouth made one of the longest trips in English football and then embarrassed Sunderland by condemning them to a 3-2 home defeat. The fans booed and it was hardly the start Quinn would have wished for after leading a consortium in a takeover of the club he played for as a player earlier in the summer.

But things got worse for the winless Wearsiders last weekend when they lost 3-1 at minnows Southend, who were in League Two just two seasons ago. Two goals from centre-half Adam Barrett and a late strike from forward Lee Bradbury put paid to Sunderland, who only hit back in injury time through Jon Stead.

Former Republic of Ireland international Quinn is now considering major surgery to his squad. He said: "We realised today there are a percentage of players in the dressing room who are simply not good enough."

Another new manager to suffer early on in the season was Ipswich's Jim Magilton. The former Northern Ireland international suffered three defeats in a row which was hardly the start he would have wanted in his first manager's job. But Magilton's men picked up their first point of the season in the goalless draw with Hull on Saturday.



Plymouth are flying

Plymouth were surprise early season front-runners two seasons ago, but they missed out on going joint top last weekend after losing their first game of the season.

Paul Sturrock enjoyed a happy return to his former club when his side made a rousing comeback to win 2-1 thanks to Burton O'Brien's 82nd-minute winner. It was some achievement for Wednesday considering they had six strikers missing.

Argyle boss Ian Holloway has brought in Barry Hayles for £100,000 from Millwall and Sylvain Ebanks-Blake for £200,000 from Manchester United. But both strikers failed with late chances against Wednesday. Holloway said: "I can't ask for any more than what the players gave me. I threw my dice as well as I could and how I am not sat here with at least a draw I don't know."

Wednesday's victory came after a confident start by Argyle, winning two and drawing against Wolves on the opening day of the season.

Plymouth have been many people's tips to go down for the previous two seasons, and if they are to keep out of trouble for the rest of the season then crucial will be their away form. Britain's most southerly club has traditionally suffered on the road, unable to shake off the lethargy after such long journeys. Holloway is trying to combat the problem by getting his side to fly to away games.

One of his predecessors at Home Park, Sturrock, must be wondering what his side is capable of when it is back to full strength. Wednesday drew 0-0 against Burnley the previous week, but rattled the woodwork.



Blues top of the pile

Birmingham have made a promising start in their bid to stay in the Championship for the shortest time possible after being relegated from the Premiership last season.

The Blues knocked Crystal Palace off the top with a 2-1 win last weekend but captain Damien Johnson had to apologise to fans for throwing his armband and shirt to the turf after being substituted.

He said in a statement: "When the subs were read out there was a huge cheer from the fans which I took to mean the fans were glad I was being taken off - and after more than four years of service for the club, that really hurt."

"I've been told I misread the reaction of the crowd and if that's the case I'm sorry and I hope the supporters can appreciate that. I wholeheartedly apologise."

Birmingham boss Steve Bruce finally got his man when the Midlands club paid Coventry £4million for Gary McSheffrey, 24. The Blues succeeded with a fifth bid for the forward and Bruce admits he was close to giving up. He said: "We were coming to a point where we were thinking of drawing a line under it and looking elsewhere."

Coventry were then linked with moves for Sheffield United striker Sheffield United striker Ade Akinbiyi and Norwich's Leon McKenzie.

But Sky Blues manager Micky Adams has called on players from his own squad to fill the void left by McSheffrey's departure. He said: "I told the players that Gary has been a great player for us but we need a new hero and that we needed someone else to step up and be that man."



Colchester fighting

Championship newcomers Colchester are finding life hard in the Championship after a losing start for the Essex side.

Colchester crashed to their fourth successive defeat when West Brom beat them 2-1 last weekend.

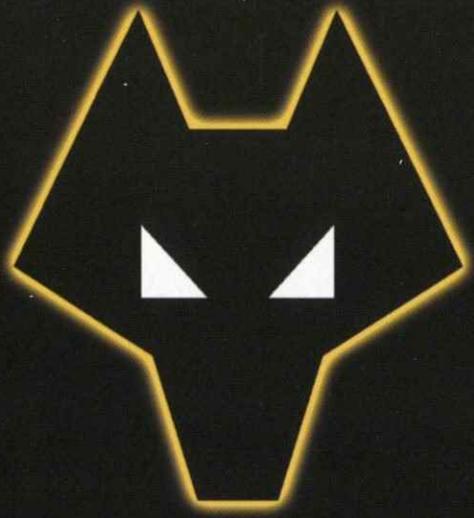
Colchester boss Geraint Williams insists his side can make a fight of it in the Championship - but admits his side were overawed by the occasion at The Hawthorns.

He said: "I felt in the first-half we let the surroundings get to us. We had come here to win the game and I thought we didn't really believe that in the first-half."

"Losing our first four games is disappointing but we can compete in this league. No-one has had an easy game against us."

Colchester's Essex neighbours and fellow Championship newcomers Southend have done better. First of all they managed to keep hold of striker Freddie Eastwood before the start of the season and then they won 1-0 on the opening day of the season before nailing Sunderland to the bottom with a 3-1 win last Saturday at Roots Hall. Shrimpers boss Steve Tilson said: "It doesn't matter if you are Sunderland, or if you are Colchester or Southend, it's tough when you are losing games to get out of a bad run."





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Welcome back to Molineux for this afternoon's meeting with Luton Town.

First up I'd like to take this opportunity to welcome Steve Clear and his guests from J Upton Removals and Storage as our match sponsors this afternoon. We also welcome back Richard Boulton and his guests from Carvers to Molineux as our manager's sponsor for today's game. A big thank you to both parties for their continued support.

For those of you who are unaware, our manager's sponsor package is a unique one here at Wolves. Not only do you enjoy a pre-match tour, drinks reception four course meal, VIP seating and gifts as part of the deal, your party also gets to meet and have a chat with Mick McCarthy in his office before kick-off! This an extremely popular package with our corporate clients, especially those who want to gain inside knowledge straight from the horse's mouth. For further information on this and other sponsorship packages please give our commercial team a call on 0870 442 0123.

On the subject of hospitality, are you looking for somewhere different to host a party for a friend, family member or a work colleague? Why not considering hiring a private executive box for a home match this season from as little as £459 plus VAT.



Jamie Clapham receives his Man of the Match Award for Preston from Match Sponsors Wickes.

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And finally former Liverpool and Denmark legend Jan Molby is here on Thursday 7th September for our first 1877 dinner of the new season. We still have a couple of tables left starting at just £500 (plus VAT) for ten people or £55 per person for individual prices. Jan will be joined by comedian Mike Kelly on the evening for what promises to another superb event. For further information call our commercial team.

We are in the process of finalising a number of new events for our 1877 calendar which we hope to be able to reveal over the next few weeks.

Enjoy the game

Cliff Egan, Commercial Manager



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Wolves Women got off to a winning start in their first game of the season as they entertained Manchester City under the new management team of Anne Blackham and Dave Ball.

The young team started nervously, but soon got into their stride, and on seven minutes Nicole Ledgister passed to Louise Roberts, who shot from just outside the penalty area and beat the keeper to get Wolves on the scoresheet. It was a fairytale start for Louise Roberts, playing her first game since sustaining a serious injury in the opening game of the 2004/05 season.

The goal instilled confidence in the side, and new signing Hannah Smith tested the keeper on several occasions, while Sarah Lambeth and Nicole Ledgister were both unfortunate not to tap the ball into the net as it ran across the goal line on 32 minutes.

However, on 38 minutes, Manchester City took advantage of a free kick from just past the halfway line, which was floated in to Lyndsey Savage, who slotted the ball home to make it 1-1. Both sides came out fighting in the second half, with Nicole Ledgister going close for Wolves on 12 minutes

NEW SEASON - NEW HOME

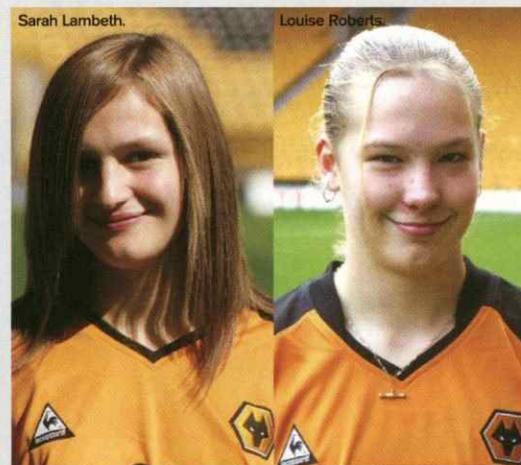
Wolves Women are pleased to announce a permanent move this season to Bilston Town FC. In a new sponsorship deal, the Queen Street club will be sponsoring all of the women's home games.

Chairperson Jenny Wilkes said: "We played some of our home games towards the end of last season at Bilston and were really welcome. Chairman Roger Williams and his ground staff have been working hard over the summer making even more improvements to the ground, and we're really looking forward to playing there. I'd like to say a big thank you to everyone at the club for all their help and support, and hope to see the locals coming along to support us on Sunday afternoons."

LOCAL DERBY

Tomorrow sees the first local derby of the season with Wolves travelling to Aston Villa in the League Cup. The game will be played at Sutton Town FC, Coles Lane in Sutton Coldfield, 2pm kick-off. Next Sunday sees them back in league action as they take on Stockport County at Bilston Town FC, also a 2pm kick-off. Admission is £2 and £1 concessions.

THE GOAL INSTILLED CONFIDENCE IN THE SIDE, AND NEW SIGNING HANNAH SMITH TESTED THE KEEPER ON SEVERAL OCCASIONS, WHILE SARAH LAMBETH AND NICOLE LEDGISTER WERE BOTH UNFORTUNATE NOT TO TAP THE BALL INTO THE NET AS IT RAN ACROSS THE GOAL LINE ON 32 MINUTES.



from a Hayley Everiss free kick, and then Manchester City putting the ball into the side netting. However, on 13 minutes, Manchester City's Kerry Jackson was sent off for foul and abusive language. Wolves were lucky not to concede immediately after the sending off, with keeper Natalie Hall making an excellent stop in a one-on-one challenge.

On 69 minutes, substitute Vicky Gutteridge, who'd been on the pitch just eight minutes, picked up a ball from Hannah Smith, and passed it neatly to Sarah Lambeth who was just in front of goal, and managed to tap it home to make it 2-1 to Wolves.

Manchester City pulled out all the stops to get an equaliser, shooting just over the bar on 83 minutes. As the final whistle approached they were through on goal again, but Wolves keeper Natalie Hall managed to push the ball away, only for it to come back in at pace, but she was quick to her feet, and stopped it again. Wolves battled hard to the end and deserved their first three points of the season.



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Almost two years ago we were approached by Guest Trucks, the local commercial vehicle suppliers. With a history of sponsorship and support of local football, Guest had recognised the significant work carried out by the Wolves in the Community department and wanted to assist. They subsequently agreed to provide the department with two coaching vehicles, enabling us to transport coaching staff and equipment to all our activities.

On Thursday of last week, we were pleased to take representatives of Guest Trucks to the Sir Jack Hayward training ground to meet Mick McCarthy, players and staff and to announce an extension to the partnership. They have provided the department with two brand new coaching

vehicles enabling us to continue and develop the all aspects of our community work.

Justin Smith, Marketing Manager of Guest Trucks said: "As a local business it is important for us to support some of the great work done by the Wolves community department. We have worked in partnership for nearly two years now and, following our commitment of new coaching vehicles, we are hoping they will continue to be of huge benefit."

Mick McCarthy added: "I understand the difference these vehicles make to our community department. The work the community staff and coaches undertake is really important, seeing kids and adults taking part their activities is great. It's vital for the club to maintain good relationships with it's local communities. I know we're all grateful for Guest's support."



Pictured: (left to right) Will Clowes, Justin Smith of Guest Trucks, Mick McCarthy, Carl Holland of Guest Trucks and Andy Morgan with the new coaching vehicles at the training ground.



ALL CHANGE

As the school summer holidays end draws ever closer we have to set our minds and efforts towards our activities that run during term time. During the six weeks of summer the staff are pretty much dedicated to coaching five or six full days per week. But the majority of them are not here just to coach. During term time we have many initiatives that run, which require a lot of administration and management to maintain our high standards. The Schools Programme, Social Inclusion Programme, Development Centres, Disability Programme, Saturday Soccer Sessions all start on the first week back of the new school term, so between now and then the staff have a lot of preparation to do whilst managing their daily coaching commitments. Following last weekend's encouraging away win, we all hope we can continue that form to take maximum points this afternoon. Good luck to Mick and the players.

DEVELOPMENT CENTRE

As we approach the end of the summer break, we are preparing for several different activities that run in school term time.

One of which is our development centres. Based at Goal Soccer Centre & Dell Stadium these centres provide progressive, advanced coaching to children who have attended any of the Wolves in the Community activities. They are

designed to help young players to improve their individual abilities in a fun footballing environment. The sessions run on Monday and Tuesday evening's at the two venues and have always proved extremely popular to our younger participants. The sessions start week commencing Monday 4th September, for more information contact Marc Campbell.

SUMMER SOCCER SCHOOLS

Why not round off a fantastic summer of football by attending a Wolves soccer school? We only have one week remaining of the school summer break and we still have places available on all our courses for next week.

Kids will learn new skills, in a fun and safe environment, through fun coaching sessions, games and matches. The courses also offer children the chance to get active, meet new friends as well as learning the importance of team work. All the children will be coached by official Wolves in the Community FA qualified coaches.

Throughout the summer we will be continuing the Wolves Soccer School giveaways. Each week we will ask a Wolves player to pick a name of a child who has attended a course that week and the lucky winner will receive a full new Wolves kit.

We will also be holding a grand prize draw at the end of the summer, again asking a player to pick one name from all the children who have attended courses. This time the winner will receive a amazing free Official Mascot place at a future home game.

The courses are open to boys and girls aged four -14 years. The Mini Kickers sessions, for four-six year olds, run from 10am -12 midday.

Junior Kickers, for children six -14 years, runs from 10am-3pm. Mini kickers cost £4 per day and junior kickers cost £8 per day. There are discounts available for Junior Wolves, junior season ticket holders and Golden Gate Members. Every child who attends the course will receive a Wolves goodie bag.

For details on all the venues and dates please call us on 0870 442 0123 or email community@wolves.co.uk

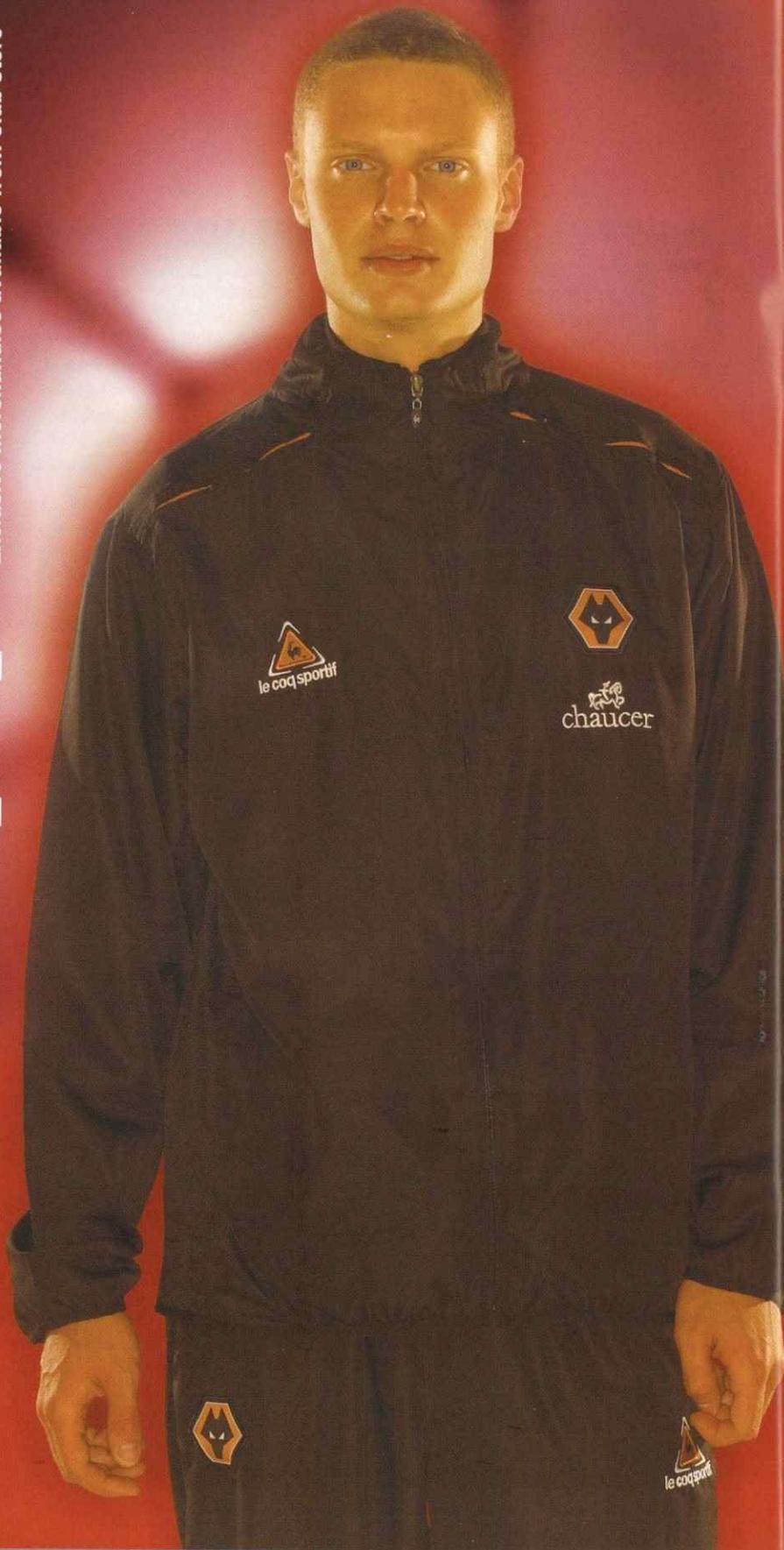
Some of the children from the Wolves Dome soccer school last week.



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L to R: Steve Thomas, Jason Leggett, Cliff Egan, Nikki Roeton, Gemma Hale, Laura Hennessey.

BEHIND THE SCENES: COMMERCIAL

While the football season stretches over nine and half months, one department that never sleeps throughout the year is Molineux's commercial office.

Headed by Wolves' commercial manager Cliff Egan, the commercial team consists of six full-time staff with a wide array of work experiences.

Cliff, who joined the club six years ago from Stoke City, also has dual responsibility for the club's lottery and promotions department.

And while the players are away sunning themselves on foreign shores during the summer months, Cliff admits this is the busiest period for his department.

"It's a popular misconception that the summer months are quiet at the club but that couldn't be any further from the truth," he says.

"Most of April through to June is spent wading through renewals for the following season. With around 1000 seasonal corporate members at the club, this is no small task in itself."

The mid-June release of the new fixtures for the forthcoming season brings about another avalanche of enquiries.

"I think most people were waiting to see when the home fixtures against West Bromwich Albion and Birmingham were going to be scheduled," Cliff adds.

"Even though those matches are still seven or eight months away, we have already sold out a quite a few of our matchday packages for these games."

Behind the scenes, the sales team is supported by Laura Hennessey and Gemma Hale. They ensure all matchday arrangements, from ticket allocation to catering requirements, run like clockwork.

Despite being the 'baby' of the department, Laura is the longest serving employee of the group having joined the club six years ago from college while Gemma managed The Littleton Arms pub in Cannock before joining the commercial team at the tail end of last year.

Day-to-day and seasonal corporate sales are managed by sales executives Steve Thomas, who joined the club from Kidderminster Harriers 13 months ago, and Nicki Roeton, who was assistant manager at the club's Dudley Street store before moving departments last year.

Nicki explains the modern day corporate hospitality isn't just geared towards what Roy Keane once affectionately referred to as 'the prawn sandwich brigade'.

"We cater for a wide range of tastes," Nicki says. "There are those who prefer a simple basket meal and a ticket for the match. Others enjoy the privacy of an executive box to celebrate a special occasion with friends and family whilst some opt for our top of the range VIP service in our Boardroom facility. We pride ourselves here on providing excellent customer service and I think that's a reason why we have so many repeat bookings."

It's not only matchday hospitality in which the club specialises. The club hosts a number of special events throughout the year varying from golf days to sporting dinners.

"We've had some tremendous events over the past 12 months," Steve says. "We played host to dinners with Steve Davis and Neil Ruddock earlier this year which were a resounding success whilst Jan Molby is here next month which I know will be just as good."

"We are working on adding some more 'names' to our calendar over the next few weeks as well as a number of 'new' events which I'm sure will generate a lot of interest."

Responsibility for the sale of the club's advertising falls solely into the lap of Jason Leggett. Jason, who arrived at Molineux 18 months ago following 12 years at Steel Giants Corus, says: "Stadium and programme advertising is an ideal way to promote your business to just under two million potential UK customers and supporting the club at the same time."

"Revenue from advertising brings in a vital source of income to the club and part of my role is to investigate new ways of increasing this stream, success is vital to Wolves both on and off the pitch."



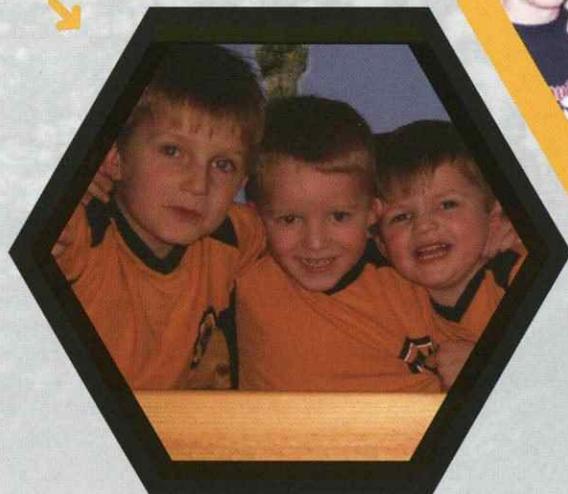
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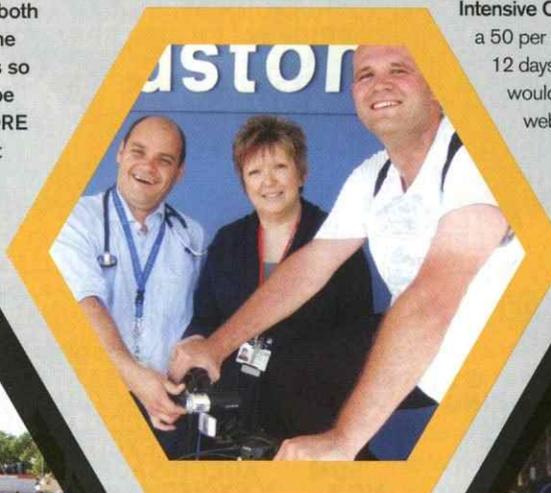
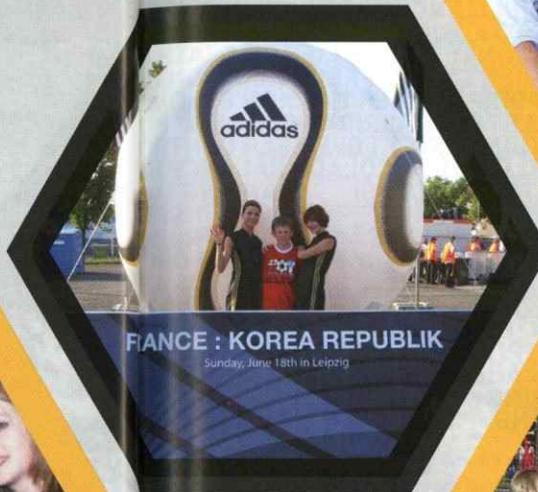
We would like to wish our Dad and Jill the best on their wedding day on 9 September. We wish them all the best and many more years of happiness together. There is no one we could be more thrilled to be happy and in love again after the loss of our Mum. Good luck for your wedding day Dad and Jill. Love Kat and Lizzi your two horrible children!

Lizzi Rallings has recently got her G.C.S.E results and should be celebrating making dad very poor. We are all very proud of Lizzi and send our congratulations! She is pictured here celebrating Halloween with Jack on her left and Sarah, Sarah and Laura on her right! Love Kat, Pete and the rest of the family.

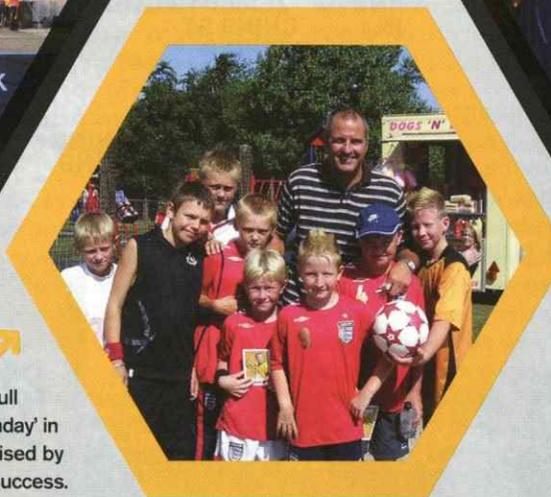
I thought my son Matt (middle) aged 4 and his cousins Alex aged 6 and Joe aged 3 were getting ready for bed but they had other ideas! Alex has already been to several games at the Molineux and plays for Penn Colts. Matt can't wait to join his Mum and Dad who have a season ticket in the Stan Cullis Stand. Sent in by Sally Woods from Finchfield.



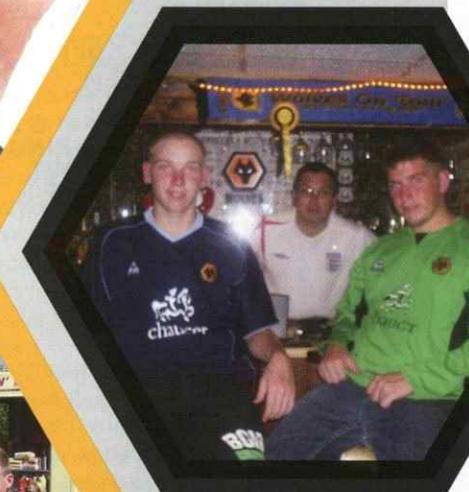
My son Samuel and I are both season ticket holders in the family stand at the Wolves so we were very pleased to be able to watch Seol (BEFORE HELEFT!!) playing against France in the World Cup.



Dave Sinfield arrives at Molineux at midday on September 18 as part of his 2,500 mile bike ride to 92 Football League clubs to raise money for Maidstone Hospital's Intensive Care Unit (ICU). Dave was given a 50 per cent chance of living and spent 12 days in the Intensive Care Unit. If you would like to support him visit his website www.92clubsonabike.co.uk



Wolves legend Steve Bull made sure a recent 'Funday' in the Quinton area organised by the local police was a success. The well attended event featured BMX and skating competitions, five-a-side football and a martial arts display.



Paul Everitt (middle) with his sons Paul Junior in the blue shirt and Martin are sitting in the Steve Bull Stand today as part of a trip to England.

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SHOUT from the crowd

by Mark Douglas, Express and Star



I'm sure you don't need reminding that next week the transfer window slams shut, and stays closed until we all finish singing *Auld Langs Syne* and toasting the end of another year.

But before all of us football watchers get too wrapped up in all the feverish transfer speculation maybe we should really be asking ourselves why we've let the window become such an accepted part of our beloved game.

To me it seems like the worst innovation in football since (forgive me Luton fans) the dreaded plastic pitches back in the eighties. And I'm not just saying that because the window creates more August work for us journalists who are constantly on call as the deadline draws near!

Ask managers up and down the country - most will agree that the transfer window has made their trade much harder.

Now in its fourth year, the transfer window was introduced by the FA under serious pressure from the European Commission who wanted to introduce "contractual stability".

The English league was the last to adopt the window and really only did so because the EC had threatened to rip up the rulebook when it came to players contracts' which would have destroyed the game as we know it.

Of course, what the window really does is stack the odds firmly in favour of the privileged Premiership few of which Wolves are no longer a part, unfortunately.

The advent of the transfer window has meant teams like Chelsea and Manchester United, who have open chequebooks, now have two first teams in their squad just in case any of their first team regulars get injured.

For the rest it puts an unbearable pressure on managers and chairmen to splash the cash in August and January.

The transfer window has certainly made Mick McCarthy's first two months in the job pretty eventful.

Faced with a threadbare squad which had to rely on

academy kids to get through pre-season, the tough-talking Tyke needed to bring players in fast.

And clearly the transfer window has made that task much more difficult. Teams no longer want to let their squad players go because they know they will need to sign replacements before the window shuts and that has been a big obstacle for McCarthy as he tries to get young Premiership stars in on loan.

I know the Wolves boss reckons that will become easier when autumn comes and out-of-favour Premiership players start to yearn for first team football, but the whole transfer window still seems like nonsense to me. Building a squad used to be like writing a great album, you developed as you went along, adding players when they were needed or to inject a bit of energy into a flagging promotion push or relegation battle.

Playing the transfer market right was what made or broke managers at all levels. Just ask Kevin Keegan, who sounded the death knell for Newcastle's title challenge back in 1996 when he signed Tino Asprilla and disrupted his entire squad.

Now the transfer window has been introduced building a squad is more like some kind of mad supermarket dash at closing time as clubs load up on players before August 31 just in case they have an injury crisis.

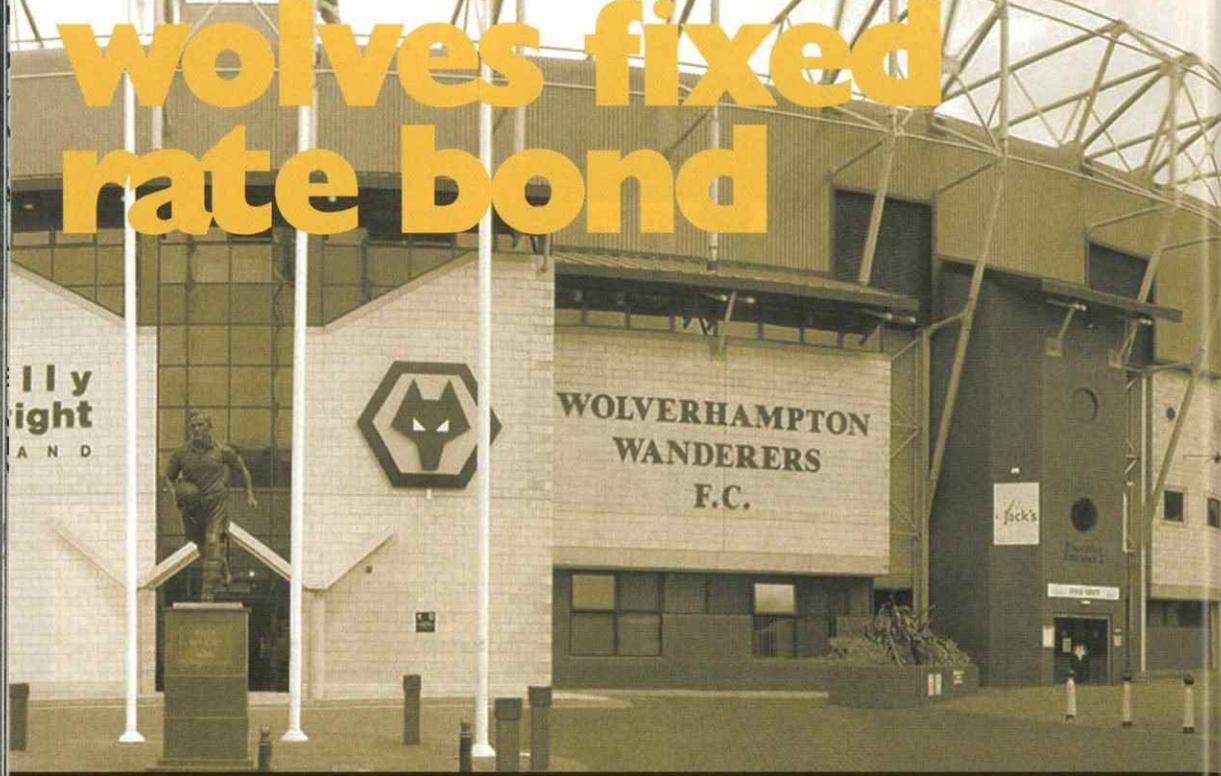
Luckily for Wolves, who will still be able to bring people in on loan after Thursday's deadline, McCarthy's record in the transfer market so far looks pretty good.

Jay Bothroyd and Gary Breen already look capable of playing a big part this season, and Karl Henry has been a revelation in the midfield holding role.

But there will be many clubs up and down the country who end up loading up their transfer trolley just for the sake of it - who end up repenting at leisure.

**Mark Douglas, Wolves correspondent
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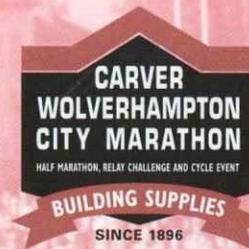
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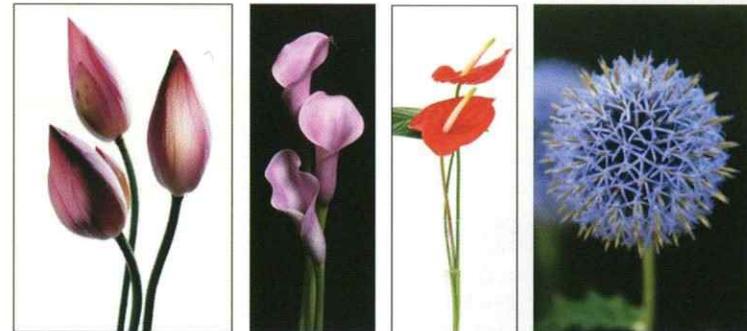
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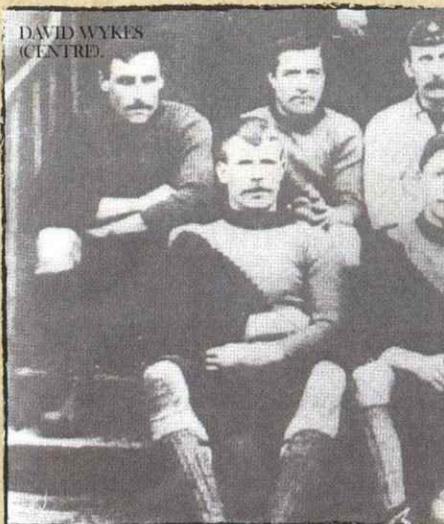


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THIS WEEK IN HISTORY



DAVID WYKES
(CENTRE)

1889

Wolves played their first game at their new home of Molineux against Aston Villa on September 2. Nearly 4,000 turned up to see the friendly against Wolves's near neighbours after the club chose to move from their home in Dudley Road. Wolves chose the grounds below the 18th century Molineux House, where cycle races, athletics and garden fetes had previously been held. A bandstand, iron bridge and trees were knocked down before work could be started on the ground. A lake also had to be drained on the site where Molineux is now. The players provided the perfect house-warming party by beating Villa 1-0 with David Wykes scoring the first goal at Molineux. Wolves finished fourth at the end of the season but could not repeat the previous season's feat of reaching the FA Cup Final as they were knocked out in the semi-finals by Blackburn Rovers.



JACK JONES

1906

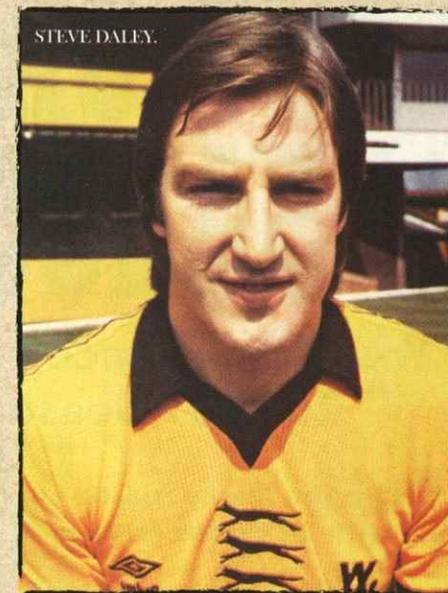
Wolves began their first season outside the top flight when they met Hull City at Molineux on a scorching hot day on September 1. Factories in Wolverhampton had to be closed it was so hot, reportedly over 90 degrees Fahrenheit. Wolves were left hot and bothered themselves after their first Second Division game, with Hull holding their hosts to a draw. Wolves could only finish fourth this season after being relegated from the First Division the previous campaign. They managed just four wins away from home as they continued with their policy to recruit all their players from local clubs such as Halesowen, Willenhall Pickwick, Wednesfield and Bridgetown Amateurs. Full-back Jack Jones, who made 334 appearances for Wolves from 1900 to the outbreak of the First World War in 1914, scored against Hull to spare the hosts' blushes.



ROY SWINBOURNE

1955

Wolves equalled the then highest away win record when they hammered Cardiff City 9-1 in the Welsh capital on September 3. Sunderland had beaten Newcastle by the same scoreline in 1908 before Wolves equalled their feat. Wolves had been in goalscoring form in their previous games, beating Manchester 7-2 and Portsmouth 3-1 at home. Jimmy Mullen helped create eight of the goals and scored one himself. Hancock and Swinbourne scored hat-tricks while Broadbent got a brace for Stan Cullis's great side, which had finished second the previous season and champions the campaign before that. Wolves smashed Huddersfield 4-0 a week later before finishing the season third.



STEVE DALEY

1979

Manchester City paid £1,437,500 plus VAT for Wolves midfielder Steve Daley on September 5. It was a British transfer record and the inflated fee stunned many people at the time - but it only lasted three days before it was broken by Wolves boss John Barnwell paying Aston Villa £1,469,000 for Scotland international striker Andy Gray. A week after signing, Gray scored in the 3-2 win over Everton at Goodison Park. The Daley transfer was a good bit of business by Wolves. Daley came through the ranks as an apprentice at Wolves, making his debut in 1971. He was ever-present in the 1976-77 season, scoring 13 goals. But Daley struggled after his move to Manchester City and, twenty months later, he was transferred to Seattle Sounders of the NASL for £300,000.

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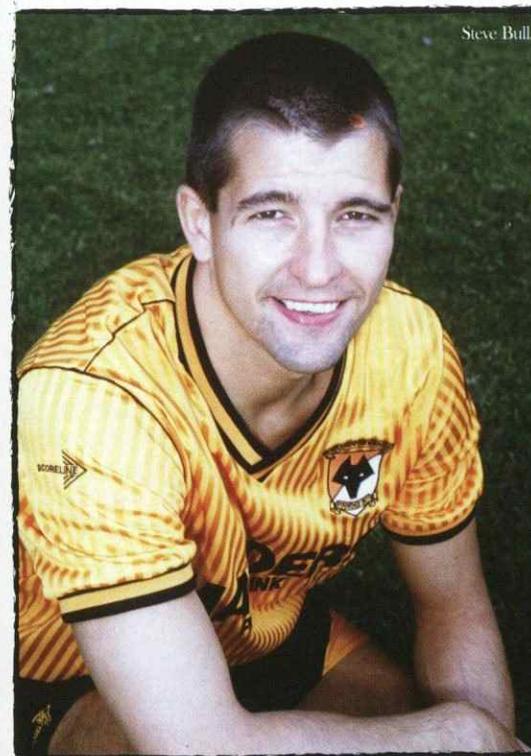
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Steve Bull

AS THE GREATEST scorer in the history of Wolves and one of the club's most popular players in recent years, Steve Bull will be many supporters' selection of their best ever Wanderers side.

After arriving from local rivals West Bromwich Albion in 1986, Bull scored an incredible 306 goals in 13 years. In two seasons (1987/88, 1988/89), Bull cracked in an incredible 105 goals and is the holder of many club records.

The striker has scored the most goals for Wolves (306), the most league goals (250) and the most goals in a season (52). His efforts helped Wolves win the Fourth and Third Division titles and win the Sherpa Van Trophy at Wembley.

Despite not playing in the top flight with the club, Bull has a strong case to be included in the best ever Wolves side. Derek Dougan was featured in this column in the last home matchday programme, but the Northern Ireland striker could not match the goalscoring feats of local lad Bull.

Bull's return of goals for Wolves earned him an England call-up in, even though he never played in the top flight. Bull's loyalty to Wolves, at a time of increasing wages and transfer fees, earned him the admiration and respect of not only the supporters at Molineux, but fans nationwide.

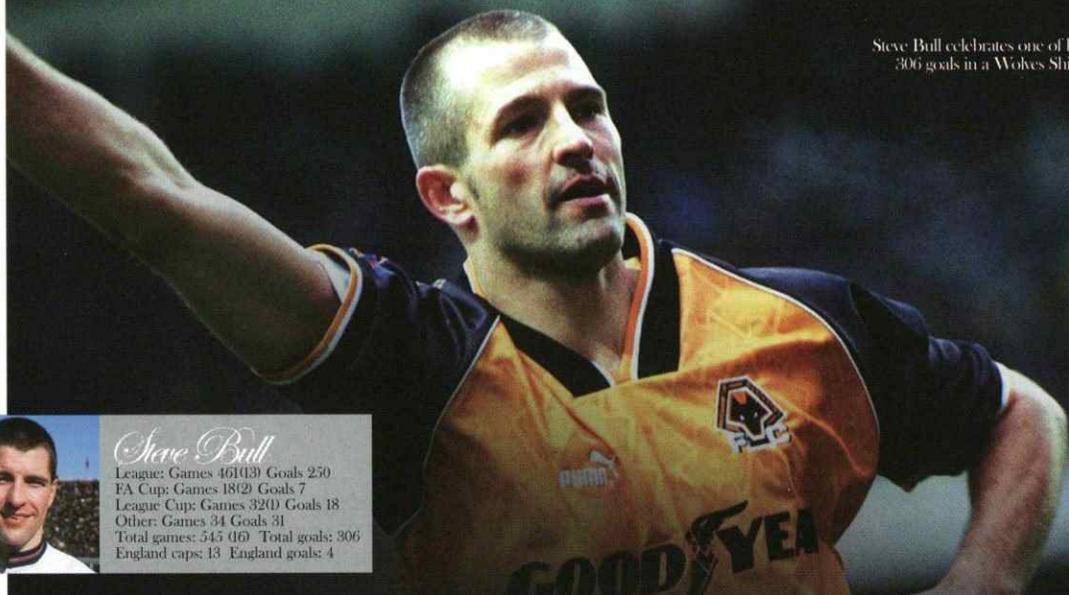
Bull showed he was able to have an England career without playing in the Premiership and that loyalty to his club was more important than perhaps earning a bigger salary elsewhere in the Premiership where the chances of

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Best Ever
Wolves Team

Steve Bull celebrates one of his 306 goals in a Wolves Shirt.



Steve Bull

League: Games 461(3) Goals 250
FA Cup: Games 18(2) Goals 7
League Cup: Games 32(1) Goals 18
Other: Games 34 Goals 31
Total games: 545 (6) Total goals: 306
England caps: 13 England goals: 4

winning trophies was greater. Bull would not compromise his loyalty to Wolves when it came to England, and it was a pity he just missed out on playing in the top flight with Wolves.

There was interest in Bull from Aston Villa, Coventry City, Newcastle United and Italian giants Juventus, but he remained loyal to Wolves in their pursuit to return to the top flight. Bull missed out on his dream, but came close to it in 1995 and 1997, when Wolves lost out in the Play-Offs.

Bull was born in Tipton on March 28, 1965 and joined Tipton Town after leaving school. He was first noticed by West Bromwich who snapped him up in August, 1985. He scored three goals in nine games for Albion before he moved to Wolves in a deal worth £65,000 with Andy Thompson in 1986.

Wolves had enjoyed far better days when Bull joined, but things were soon to improve under boss Graham Turner. Bull made his debut on November 22, 1986 against Wrexham in a Fourth Division game and in front of a crowd of just over 5,000 at Molineux. Wolves were beaten 3-0 and days later were sent crashing from the FA Cup by non-League Chorley.

Bull's first goal for Wolves came in December in a Freight Rover Trophy game at Cardiff and by the end of the season just missed out on promotion when they lost in the play-off final to Aldershot.

Bull helped Wolves to the Fourth Division title in 1988 with 34 league goals and in the same season they beat Burnley at Wembley to win the Sherpa Van Trophy. Bull's total haul for the season was 52 goals. His goals continue to

rain the following season when he notched a total of 50 in a campaign when Wolves cruised to the Third Division title. In two prolific seasons, Bull had scored an incredible 102 goals.

Bull, who scored 18 hat-tricks as a Wolves player, won 13 England caps after making his debut in a 2-0 win over Scotland in front of 63, 282 fans at Hampden Park on May 27, 1989. Bull was a 31st-minute substitute and justified his place in the squad by scoring in the 80th minute. Another substitute on the day was Paul Gascoigne, on his 22nd birthday. Bull was the last player from the old Third Division to be capped by England - although by the time of his international debut Wolves had just been promoted to the Second Division.

Against Czechoslovakia in 1990, Bull scored twice and was included in Bobby Robson's England squad for the 1990 World Cup finals. Bull played against Wolves boss Mick McCarthy in the group game against Republic of Ireland and against Holland, Egypt and Belgium. England went on to reach the semi-finals.

Bull's last England game was against Poland on 17 October 1990, when Gary Lineker and Peter Beardsley scored in a 2-0 win in front of 77,000 fans at Wembley. Bull came off on 57 minutes for Beardsley.

A knee injury failed forced Bull into retirement in July 1999, aged 35. He later made a few appearances for non-League Hereford United and was awarded the MBE in December.

Bull was made vice-president of the club at the start of the season and is still a very popular figure around Molineux today.



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SHARP SHOOTERS

Player	Team	Lge	Cup	Ttl
Grzegorz Rasiak	Southampton	3	0	3
Jon Parkin	Hull	3	0	3
Marc Richards	Barnsley	3	0	3
David Nugent	Preston	2	0	2
Freddy Eastwood	Southend	2	0	2
Jay Bothroyd	Wolverhampton	2	0	2
Paul Hayes	Barnsley	2	0	2
Nicklas Bendtner	Birmingham	2	0	2
Zoltan Gera	West Brom	1	0	1

WHERE TO SEE GOALS (By Ground)

Total number of goals scored on each ground - All competitions

Ground	Home Team	M	Gls	G/Mt
KC Stadium	Hull	2	8	4.00
Carrow Road	Norwich	2	7	3.50
Oakwell Stadium	Barnsley	2	7	3.50
Stadium of Light	Sunderland	2	6	3.00
Kenilworth Stadium	Luton	2	6	3.00
St Andrews Stadium	Birmingham	2	6	3.00
Loftus Road Stadium	QPR	2	6	3.00
Roots Hall	Southend	2	5	2.50
Molineux Stadium	Wolves	2	5	2.50
Selhurst Park	Crystal Pal	2	5	2.50
Home Park	Plymouth	2	5	2.50
The Hawthorns	West Brom	2	5	2.50
The Walkers Stadium	Leicester	2	5	2.50
Pride Park Stadium	Derby	2	4	2.00
Layer Road Ground	Colchester	2	4	2.00
Portman Road	Ipswich	2	3	1.50
Ninian Park	Cardiff	2	3	1.50
Turf Moor	Burnley	2	3	1.50
Hillsborough	Sheff Wed	2	3	1.50
Ricoh Arena	Coventry	2	3	1.50
Elland Road	Leeds	2	2	1.00
Deepdale	Preston	2	2	1.00
St. Mary's Stadium	Sthampton	2	2	1.00
Britannia Stadium	Stoke	2	2	1.00

TEAM LEADERS

Team with the most..
shots on target 31 Southampton. **shots off target** 35 Southampton. **corners** 32 West Brom. **hit** **woodwork** 3 Sheff Wed. **offsides** 25 Leicester. **fouls** 71 Plymouth. **yellow cards** 11 Leeds. **red cards** 1 Birmingham.

PLAYER POWER

Player with the most..
Shots 22 Robert Earnshaw (Norwich). **Shots on target** 9 Marc Richards (Barnsley). **Shots off target** 15 Robert Earnshaw (Norwich). **Assists** 2 Mark Gower (Southend). **Crosses** 27 Lee Croft (Norwich). **Offsides** 14 Matt Fryatt (Leicester). **Fouls** 18 Barry Hayles (Plymouth). **Free-kicks won** 13 Jon Harley (Burnley).

Coca-Cola CHAMPIONSHIP 2006/07 SEASON **actim STATS**

GOAL COUNTER 107



Own goals 2 (1.9%), Other body part 0 (0%)

QUICK-FIRE GOALS

From the start of a match	
Daryl Murphy (Sunderland vs Plymouth)	0:31
By a substitute after coming on	
J. O'Connor (Burnley vs Sheff Wed)	5:22

DISCIPLINARY



3.0 cards per match 0.1 cards per match

QUICK-FIRE BOOKINGS

From the start of a match	
Dexter Blackstock (QPR vs Southend)	0:15
By a substitute after coming on	
Bradley Wright-Phillips (Soton vs Derby)	2:43

SUB TOTALS

Subs used	253
Offsides	318
Corners	544
Shots Off Target	507

RESULTS

In the Coca Cola Championship this season there have been 521 shots on target, goals constitute 20.5% of all shots (doesn't include own goals). The woodwork has come to the rescue of the defending side on 27 occasions (the biggest beneficiaries being Leicester 5). There have been 16 penalties awarded this season and of those 13 have been scored (a success rate of 81.2%). Birmingham have been awarded most penalties - 2. Stoke have given most penalties away 3. The team to score the most penalties is Southampton 2. Barnsley missed penalties in the Coca Cola Championship this season.

How many times each result has occurred this season - home sides score shown first

0-0	6
1-0	5
2-0	7
3-0	-
4-0	-
5-0	-
0-1	6
0-2	-
0-3	-
0-4	-
0-5	-
1-1	4
2-1	4
3-1	3
4-1	-
5-1	-
6-1	-
1-2	5
1-3	1
1-4	-
1-5	-
2-2	4
3-2	1
4-2	-
5-2	-
2-3	2
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3-5	-
4-4	-
5-4	-
4-5	-
5-5	-

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MANAGERIAL RECORDS

Mick McCarthy	Mike Newell
Played 4 Won 2 Drawn 1 Lost 1 For 4 Against 4	Played 142 Won 65 Drawn 37 Lost 40 For 229 Against 186
Av Pts/game 1.75	Av Pts/game 1.63
Biggest Win(s) Won 1-0 on 2 occasions	Biggest Win(s) Luton 5 Bristol City 0 (05/03/2005). Biggest Loss(es) Sheff Utd 4 Luton 0 (01/11/2005).
Biggest Loss(es) Wolverhampton 1 Preston 3 (11/08/2006).	

MANAGER HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

Played ..0	Mick McCarthy	0	Mike Newell.....	0
Draws ..0	Goals 0		Goals 0	

Player with the most...
shots

Rohan Ricketts
6

shots on target

Jay Bothroyd 5

shots off target

Jemal Johnson 3

assists

Rohan Ricketts 1

crosses

Rohan Ricketts 8

fouls

Jody Craddock 7

free-kicks-won

Karl Henry 10



GAMES SINCE

0	a win	2
1	a home win	1
0	an away win	1
1	a defeat	1
0	a home defeat	2
5	an away defeat	0
3	a score draw	0
9	a no score draw	55
1	conceding a goal	0
0	scoring a goal	0
1	conceding > 1	0
5	scoring > 1	0
0	keeping a clean sheet	2
4	failing to score	29
10	back to back wins	2
16	back to back defeats	4
0	gaining a point	0
1	losing a point	0
5	win by > one	3
1	loss by > one	22

Player with the most...
shots

Rowan Vine 9

shots on target

Rowan Vine 4

shots off target

Richard Langley 6

assists

Lewis Emanuel 2

crosses

Carlos Edwards 18

fouls

Leon Barnett 9

free-kicks-won

Rowan Vine 8

SHARP SHOOTERS

Wolverhampton	CCFC Cup	Tot	Luton	CCFC Cup	Tot	
Jay Bothroyd	2	0	2	2	0	2
Jemal Johnson	1	0	1	1	0	1
Carl Cort	0	0	0	1	0	1

TEAM HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

Played	26	Wolverhampton wins.....	10	Luton wins	11
Draws	5	Goals 48 (1.8 per game)		Goals 47 (1.8 per game)	
0-0's	1	Times failed to score 4		Times failed to score 5	

Biggest League win at Wolverhampton for each team:

18/04/1959 Wolverhampton 5-0 Luton
05/11/1994 Wolverhampton 2-3 Luton

Stat Pack



2006/07 LEAGUE STATS

10	Position	5
4	Played	4
2	Won	2
1	Drawn	1
1	Lost	1
4	Goals For	7
4	Goals Against	5
7	Points	7

Record Against Top Half of Table							
W	D	L	RANK	W	D	L	RANK
1	1	0	2	0	0	1	17

Record Against Bottom Half of Table							
W	D	L	RANK	W	D	L	RANK
1	0	1	16	2	1	0	1

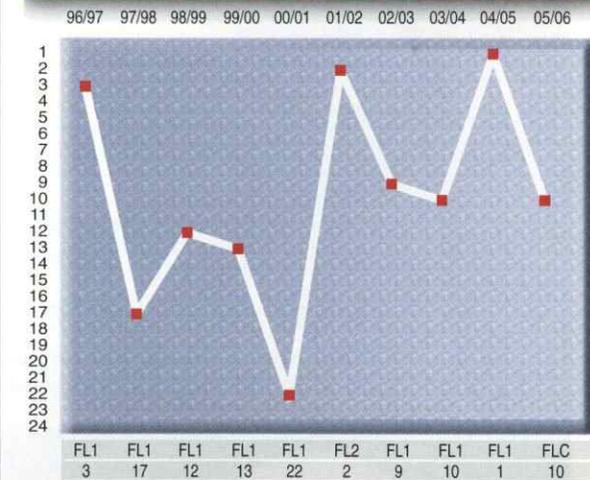
Record When Scoring First							
W	D	L	RANK	W	D	L	RANK
2	0	1	7	2	0	1	6

Record When Conceding First							
W	D	L	RANK	W	D	L	RANK
0	1	0	12	0	1	0	10

Match Scores

Wins: 1-0[2], Losses: 1-3[1], Wins: 1-0[1], 2-0[1], Losses: 2-3[1],
Draws: 1-1[1] Draw: 2-2[1]

LUTON - TEN SEASON RECORD



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£100	Mr L C Wagstaffe	U4816
£75	Teresa Lunn	E3063
£30	Janet Parr	C9586
£25	Mr S Gillhooley	A4103

The Birth date drawn this week was 25.09.06 - There were no winners this week, so the prize for Week 12 will be £300!

The Goalden Gate Weekly Draw is Wolves weekly Lottery. For just £1 each week you have ten chances of winning the jackpot prize of £1,000, together with other top prizes including three £100 prizes, and one prize of £75, £30 and £25 plus 12 prizes of £10 and 25 consolation prizes of £5.

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TOM'S TOURS

We've been keeping Tom extremely busy this month, he was in the Morrisons store in Pendeford on the 28 July, and then on Saturday the 29 July he was back in Asda at Wolverhampton.

The first picture shows Tom with Marina Musson the Administration Assistant from Morrisons in Pendeford. The second picture is Tom with Store Greeter John Downes from Asda, Wolverhampton.

Thank you ever so much to all the stores, and post offices in the area who give the Promotions Team a lot of support. If you do see Tom in the area, buy a Goalden Gate Weekly Draw

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Asda, Wolverhampton.



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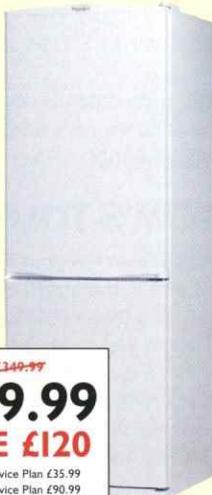
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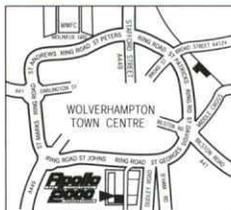


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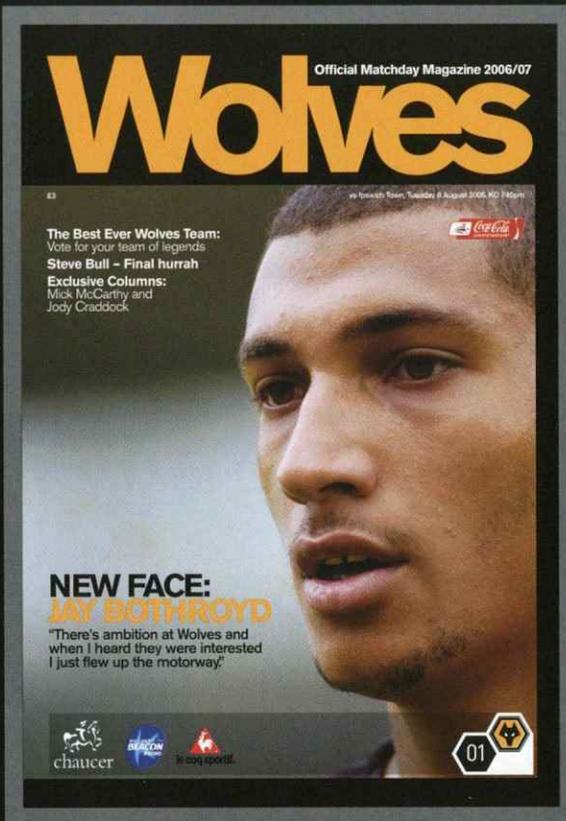
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We'll be on a roll,
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Cause we're the Wanderers!
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We're gonna take the game right to ya,
Nothing you can do,
So get back on your bus and go home,
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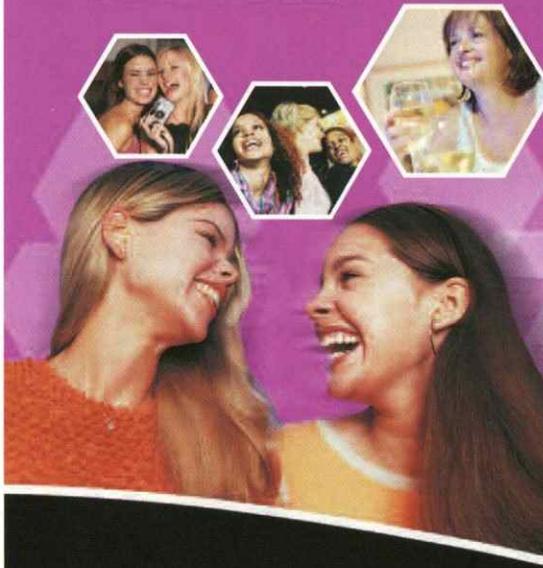
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Home Match Ticket Information

Wolves v Derby

Tuesday 12th September, KO 7.45pm

Tickets available online to web members:
Wednesday 16th August

Tickets sent to TPS members:
Friday 18th August

General sale:
Saturday 19th August

Away supporters location:
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Away Match Ticket Information

Leeds v Wolves

Sunday 10th September, KO 1.15pm

Allocation: 1700 seats

Price: £26 adults, £15 senior citizens (60 & over) and juniors (under 16)

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Available to ASTH's: Saturday 19th August to Tuesday 29th August
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Available to STH's: Saturday 19th August

General Sale: Wednesday 30th August



Wolves Match Day Ticket Prices 2006/07

	Adult	Concessions
Billy Wright Upper	£29	£17
Steve Bull Upper	£27	£14
Steve Bull Lower	£27	£14
Stan Cullis	£23	£13
Jack Harris	£23	£13
Family Enc. Twin Ticket	£32	(1 Adult/Senior & 1 Junior)
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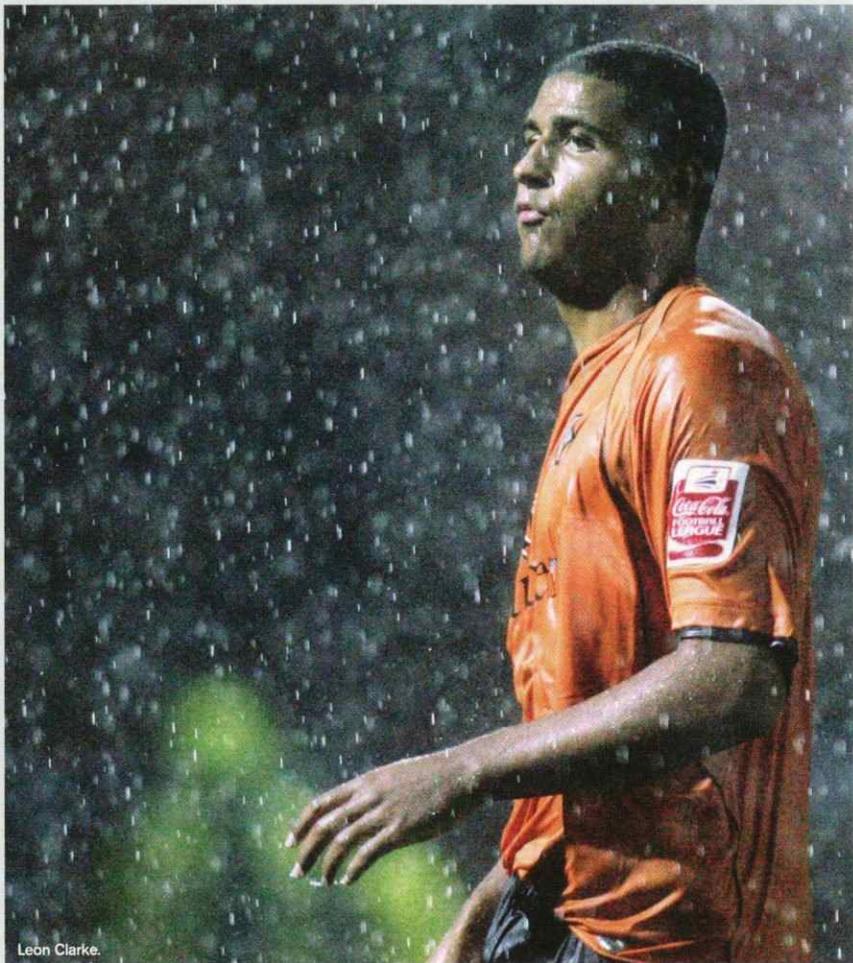
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2006/07



Fixture	Att	Res	Pos
Sat 05 Aug Plymouth	15,964	1-1	10
Tue 08 Aug Ipswich	19,199	1-0	08
Fri 11 Aug Preston	17,410	1-3	11
Sat 19 Aug Burnley	12,245	1-0	10
Wed 23 Aug Chesterfield CC1	4,136	0-0 (5-6 pen)	
Sat 26 Aug Luton			
Sun 10 Sep Leeds 1.15pm			
Tue 12 Sep Derby			
Sat 16 Sep Barnsley			
Sat 23 Sep Stoke			
Sat 30 Sep Cardiff			
Sat 14 Oct Colchester			
Tue 17 Oct Coventry			
Sun 22 Oct West Brom			
Sat 28 Oct Sheff Wed			
Wed 01 Nov Southampton			
Sat 04 Nov Southend			
Sat 11 Nov Hull			
Sat 18 Nov Birmingham			
Sat 25 Nov Sunderland			
Tue 28 Nov Crystal Palace			
Sat 02 Dec Southend			
Sat 09 Dec Leicester			
Sat 16 Dec QPR			
Sat 23 Dec Norwich			
Tue 26 Dec Derby			
Sat 30 Dec Colchester			
Mon 01 Jan Barnsley			
Sat 13 Jan Stoke			
Sat 20 Jan Cardiff			
Tue 30 Jan Norwich			
Sat 03 Feb Plymouth			
Sat 10 Feb Preston			
Sat 17 Feb Burnley			
Tue 20 Feb Ipswich			
Sat 24 Feb Leeds			
Sat 03 Mar Luton			
Sun 11 Mar West Brom			
Tue 13 Mar Coventry			
Sat 17 Mar Sheff Wed			
Sat 31 Mar Southampton			
Sat 07 Apr Sunderland			
Mon 09 Apr Hull			
Sat 14 Apr Crystal Palace			
Sat 21 Apr Birmingham			
Sat 28 Apr QPR			
Sun 06 May Leicester			

Player	Player	Player	Player	Player	Player	Player	Player	Player	Player	Player	Player	Player	Player	Player	Player	Player
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Leon Clarke.

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Coca-Cola Championship League Table 2006/07

	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	PTS	GD
01 Birmingham	4	3	1	0	5	2	10	+3
02 Cardiff	4	3	1	0	5	2	10	+3
03 C Palace	4	3	0	1	7	4	9	+3
04 West Brom	4	2	2	0	5	2	8	+3
05 Luton	4	2	1	1	7	5	7	+2
06 Norwich	4	2	1	1	5	3	7	+2
07 Burnley	4	2	1	1	4	2	7	+2
08 Barnsley	4	2	1	1	8	7	7	+1
09 Plymouth	4	2	1	1	6	5	7	+1
10 Wolves	4	2	1	1	4	4	7	0
11 Southampton	4	1	3	0	6	4	6	+2
12 Southend	4	2	0	2	5	6	6	-1
13 Stoke	4	1	2	1	4	3	5	+1
14 QPR	4	1	2	1	5	5	5	0
15 Preston	4	1	2	1	4	4	5	0
16 Sheff Wed	4	1	2	1	3	3	5	0
17 Derby	4	1	2	1	4	5	5	-1
18 Leeds	4	1	1	2	3	4	4	-1
19 Leicester	4	1	1	2	3	4	4	-1
20 Coventry	4	1	1	2	2	4	4	-2
21 Hull City	4	0	1	3	3	7	1	-4
22 Ipswich	4	0	1	3	2	6	1	-4
23 Colchester	4	0	0	4	3	7	0	-4
24 Sunderland	4	0	0	4	4	9	0	-5

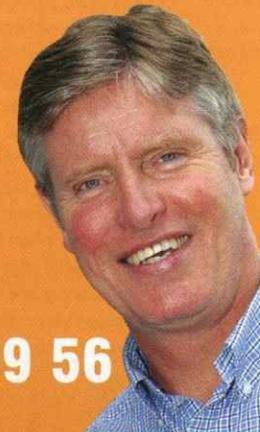
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Manager Billy Davies knows what it takes to get a side to the Play-Offs after managing it with a small budget at Preston. Now he has been given the funds at Derby he is expected to improve the East Midlands club's fortunes.

And after an aggressive recruitment policy, Derby should be in or around the top six places come May next year. But Davies has pleaded for patience from Derby's fans in their hopes for a promotion-challenging side after the Rams registered their first win in their third game of the campaign against Hull.

He said: "I know it's going to take an awful lot of time to get everything right but I'm prepared for it. We're not talking weeks - it may even be months - but we are ready for the challenge."

Derby had a disappointing season last term when they finished just above the drop zone, after reaching the play-off semi-finals two seasons ago under George Burley.

But Derby's hopes of being involved at the other end of the table this season have been helped by Davies's summer recruitment.

Davies has brought in striker Steve Howard, who was so prolific at Luton, and new captain Matt Oakley from Southampton. Howard is a big target man who was an excellent servant for Luton, helping them win promotion to the Championship and then secure their place in the second tier last season.

Another new signing is keeper Stephen Bywater from West Ham. Bywater, 25, followed the arrival of defenders Dean Leacock in a £375,000

deal from Fulham and Mo Camara from Celtic.

Centre-back Leacock, 22, has joined the Rams on a three-year contract after failing to make the breakthrough at Premiership side Fulham, while Camara arrived in the East Midlands with a glowing reference from Celtic boss Gordon Strachan.

Derby then signed Arsenal striker Arturo Lupoli on a season-long loan just before last weekend.

Davies spent the summer tracking the Italian and fended off competition from West Brom to secure the 19-year-old.

Derby have made a steady start to the season, with their only win coming away from home.

Victory over Hull followed an opening day 2-2 draw with Southampton and a 2-0 defeat at Stoke. Former Watford striker Tommy Smith, whose pace will be a threat to the Wolves defence, secured Derby's first win of the season with a second-half penalty in the 2-1 victory at Hull. Oakley had earlier put Derby ahead with a half-volley before Jon Parkin sent Stephen Bywater the wrong way from the penalty spot after Paul Boertien, making his first appearance since February 2005, upended Craig Fagan late in the first period.

Defender Michael Johnson believes Derby should at least finish in the top ten this season.

He said: "We've got a new manager in Billy Davies who's added to the players we've already got and there's enough quality here for us to make a good push up the table. I think to finish inside the top 10 is a realistic aim for us."



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 WOLVES v LUTON

FOOTBALL LEAGUE ONE

BLACKPOOL v GILLINGHAM
 BRADFORD v ROTHERHAM
 CHELTENHAM v MILLWALL
 CHESTERFIELD v TRANMERE
 DONCASTER v BOURNEMOUTH
 HUDDERSFIELD v NOTTM FOREST
 LEYTON ORIENT v SWANSEA
 SCUNTHORPE v BRENTFORD
 YEOVIL v PORT VALE

FOOTBALL LEAGUE TWO

ACCRINGTON v ROCHDALE
 BOSTON UTD v MILTON KEYNES
 BRISTOL R v SHREWSBURY
 BIURY v GRIMSBY
 HEREFORD v HARTLEPOOL
 MACCLESFIELD v WYCOMBE
 MANSFIELD v LINCOLN
 NOTTS CO v PETERBOROUGH
 SWINDON v STOCKPORT
 TORQUAY v CHESTER
 WALSALL v DARLINGTON
 WREXHAM v BARNET

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10 ■ JAY BOTHROYD

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12 ■ ROB EDWARDS

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