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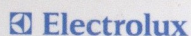


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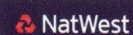
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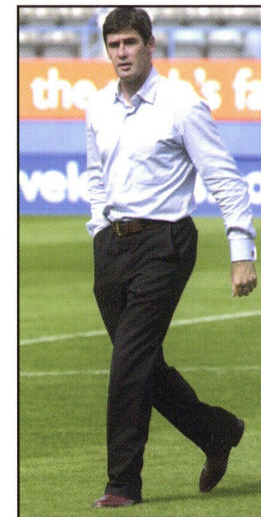
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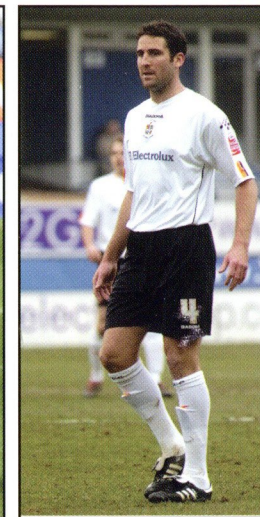
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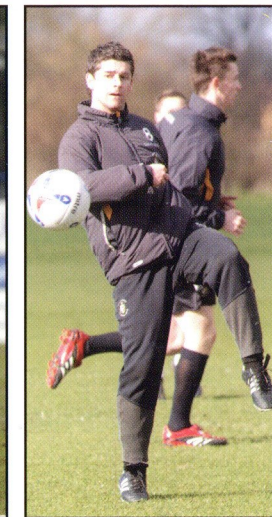
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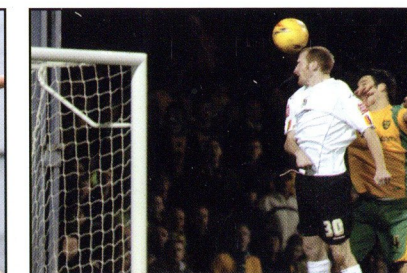
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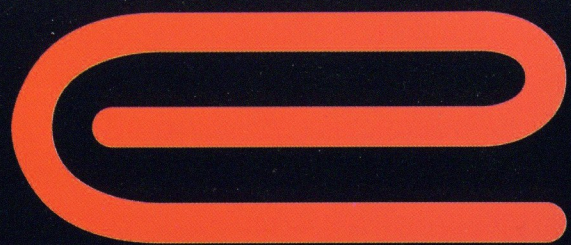
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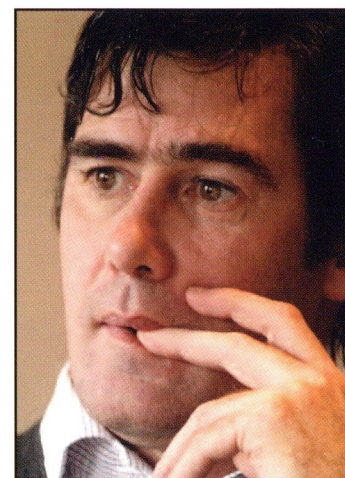
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*From the Manager*

**Mike Newell**



**Mike Newell  
Luton Town Manager**

**H**ello and welcome to Kenilworth Road for today's game against Norwich City. Welcome also to Mick McCarthy, his Staff, Players, Directors and Supporters from Molineux. Mick has done a good job there in a short time without spending fortunes and it will be another tough test for us.

I really felt for the lads on Tuesday night. I don't think even our harshest critics could say that we didn't deserve something from that game.

The outcome was a kick in the teeth but there are a few positives to take out of it. Some of our football was as good as we have played for a while and certain individuals will have done their confidence no harm at all.

We have re-signed Bjorn for another month as we think he is getting better as he gets more familiar. We are also hoping to bring in a couple more in the next week to see us through March.

As you will be aware I was recently fined £6500 by The F.A. for expressing an opinion. After consulting numerous very educated and professional people, I was faced with a couple of options: (1) appeal and take the matter to Court on the grounds of my human rights or (2) pay the money out of my family's pocket towards Sven's wages. The first option I seriously considered until I weighed up the potential costs and came to the conclusion that it

wasn't worth it. As a result my opinions in the future will have to remain in my head and this column will be even more boring than it is now. One thing that really amuses me is that I wasn't fined a penny for questioning the morality of certain officials and agents in the game or for basically stating that corruption and embezzlement has been going on for years.

To quote the agent's spokesman at the time "Mr Newell's comments are by implication defamatory". I am not an expert but a year has passed and as far as I am aware nobody can now sue me. As if I was worried.

Enjoy the game and get behind the lads.

Mike





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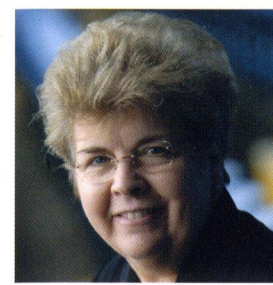
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## From the Club Secretary **Cherry Newbery**

**G**ood afternoon and welcome to today's match.

Firstly, an apology for the delay in opening the gates at last Tuesday's match, which was caused by an electrical fault in the Oak Stand and took some time to rectify, hence the delay in kick-off. Secondly, our thanks to everyone for their patience until we could give you access into the ground.

The end of February brings changes. We go back to playing with a white ball- which must mean better weather is ahead!

There is also the change in the disciplinary cautions procedure for players, which takes effect from March 1.

Last Tuesday we experienced problems with the consumption of alcohol within the stadium. Alcohol cannot be consumed in any area other than that designated as a licensed area, and in no circumstances can it be consumed in view of the pitch. Regrettably a few supporters took alcohol into the stands and were subsequently arrested. We are therefore with effect from today serving beer in plastic glasses only around the

ground.

We still don't have a date for our Pontin's Reserve match with Oxford United, but a reminder that the Under-18s play away to Stotfold FC on Thursday March 15 in The Beds FA Floodlit Cup, kick-off at 7.45 pm.

I am very sorry to inform supporters of the passing of two friends of Luton Town: Paul Coleman, who was assistant physiotherapist here at the Club from 2003 until 2005. Also Fred Woodhouse, who was not only a supporter, but also worked for the Club for many years.

Supporters will remember him from the ticket collection point in Kenilworth Road where Fred was still working until recently. He was also very well-known and respected in the local cricketing world. We send our condolences to both families.

We are delighted that Brian Swain, our former Programme Editor is able to join us today and hope that he enjoys his visit.

As always get behind the team

Cherry

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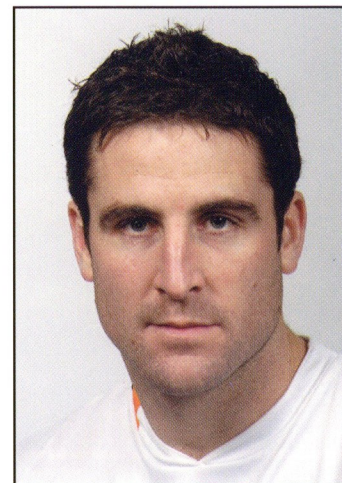


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From the Skipper

## Chris Coyne



**Chris Coyne**  
Luton Town Captain

**F**irst and foremost I'd like to express my delight at the acquisition of our new training ground at Woollam Playing Fields.

The level of facilities that professional footballers use for training may not seem like a big deal to some, but I can assure all our supporters that turning up for work five days a week at a first class complex like Woollam will make a huge difference to the way we prepare for matches.

As Club Captain it's been frustrating for me to sit on the sidelines at such a crucial stage of

the season, but the good news is that I'm now back in full training, although unfortunately today's game against Wolves has come too soon for me.

Our results have been up and down over the past couple of weeks. After picking up some useful away points at Stoke and Leicester we enjoyed a good home win over Sheffield Wednesday. It was a great game to watch and we played some good football.

Obviously the Crystal Palace match was disappointing and I thought we thoroughly deserved to win against Norwich. Conceding a late goal like that has been the story of our season. We must have dropped ten points this season from last minute goals. We can't put our finger on why it keeps happening, but we're determined to rectify the problem, and that will be done by even harder work out on the training field.

I know it's a cliché but there are always positives from every game, and it was good to see Warren Feeney back in action against Norwich the other night. Feeno was just hitting his straps and notching up a few goals before he got injured so he's been really unlucky.

It was pleasing to see Drew and Bjorn to come in and score a few goals in his absence, though, so we now have four fit forwards to choose from and we all know what they are capable of.

The injury problems at the Club are easing all over the pitch. The Gaffer now has the preferred problem of picking his team from 20-22 players rather than just 16. This creates a lot more competition for places and all of us players are driving each other on to put in the sort of performances that we need to push on.

We relish the visit of Wolves today. They are a very good side on a good run at the moment. It's a big game for both teams but we are up for the challenge and we felt we were very unlucky not to get something out of the game when we played them at Molineux earlier this season.

We must remember that our destiny is still in our own hands and will remain so regardless of today's result, so it's important that we all stay positive and get behind the lads.

Chris

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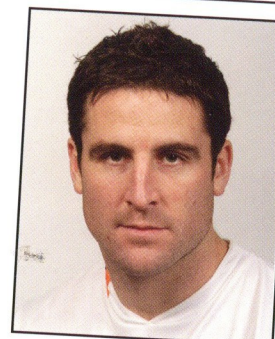




**“** The most important thing is that we have a flat surface to train on. It's a lovely place to come and train and hopefully it will help us on a matchday. **”**

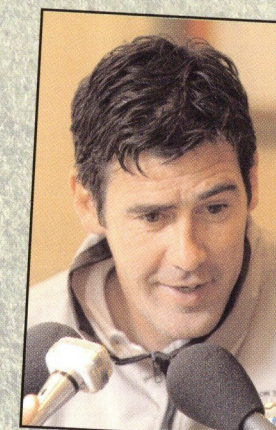


**“** The facilities are fantastic. It gives you that little bit of drive to train a bit harder. This is an important move for us and it is a step in the right direction **”**



❑ A look inside the modern Woollam training venue

**“** This is something that we have been after for a long time. We believe that the quality of the playing surfaces well be training on means that we will be able to get another 10 per cent out of players. **”**







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□ The lads go through the motions on their first day at their new training home

## WHAT IT MEANS TO....

**MIKE NEWELL (Manager) -**

"This is something that we have been after for a long time. We believe that the quality of the playing surfaces we'll be training on means that we will be able to get another 10 per cent out of players. It's very difficult to train and to try to play football on a surface that's not conducive to passing a ball. Good training facilities is something that a lot of clubs we play against will take for granted, and now it's something that all of our lads are looking forward to."

**JOHN MITCHELL (CEO) -** "We are very pleased to be able to provide Mike Newell and his team with these first class facilities. I am pleased that the Club has been able to secure a training ground that can only benefit the playing staff and this demonstrates our determination to do everything we can to move Luton Town Football Club forwards in the direction of our ambitions."

**CHRIS COYNE (Club Captain) -** "This is something we

have been asking for a long time and now that we have got it, it gives you the drive to train that bit harder. It's great to come to a nice work place every day. We work five days a week at the training ground and this is a move in the right direction for the Club."

**JON BOWDEN**

**(Physiotherapist) -** "It will make a big difference. The pitches are in fantastic condition and the facilities are really good. There is everything you need on site, such as a gym. It will make our job a lot easier. We will be only going to Kenilworth Road for matches really and if we need any medical equipment, but we will be working from the training ground from now on. We probably should have had it a few years ago, but finances dictate. I can only see it going one way now and that is forward. It has been a great progression really. The lads are already finding it great as well and everything is set up for them here."

**LEWIS EMANUEL (Player) -**

"The first impressions are very nice. It's good to have somewhere which has great facilities. The training ground is really flat, which makes a difference and the pitches are really nice. There is everything you could need here and I think it will help attract players to the Club."

**STEVE SEDGLEY (Youth Coach) -**

"The training ground is superb. The pitches look fantastic. The boys seem very happy and this is a great step in the right direction for the Club. It's a fantastic surface for the lads to train on and the facilities are first class facilities. It is what all the clubs seem to have nowadays and hopefully it will help to make other players want to stay here."

**DEREK TODD (Bursar of St Albans School) -**

"We are delighted to have Luton Town here. Clearly the grounds are to the Football Club's liking. We hope this is the start of a long and successful relationship."

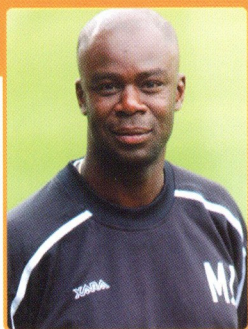


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# Championship Form Guide

The latest Championship form guide and a look at this weekend's other games

There are some mouth-watering fixtures in the Championship this afternoon with two relegation-threatened sides up against each other, while two of the most in-form teams in the division go head-to-head.

BARNLEY (19th) are somewhat on a roll following impressive wins over Hull and Stoke and will be hoping to push away from the drop zone with victory against NORWICH CITY (16th), who won their first Championship away game since mid-November at Luton on Tuesday evening.

At the top end of the Championship, WEST BROM (2nd) will be hoping to extend their unbeaten run at the Hawthorns to 11 Championship games against a

SUNDERLAND side (4th), who are eight unbeaten in all competitions.

HULL (21st) and QPR (22nd) both have tricky away ties against COVENTRY (15th) and IPSWICH (18th) respectively. Ipswich will be looking nervously over their shoulders and their alarming slip down the Championship table has coincided with run of six games without a goal.

PLYMOUTH (12th) can go three points behind STOKE CITY (9th) if they can continue their impressive home form this afternoon, while SOUTHEND (23rd) will be hoping to stop a run of three straight defeats against LEICESTER (13th) to close the gap on the teams directly above them.

If Southend fail to win, LEEDS (24th) have the chance to move off the bottom when they take on SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY (14th) in a Yorkshire derby. The Owls are without an away win in 2007.

BURNLEY (17th) are without a win in 15 games and Steve Cotterill's side face CRYSTAL PALACE (11th), who lost only one of their last six away league games.

Sunday's encounter has the makings of a classic with CARDIFF (6th) hoping to preserve their play-off position against league-leaders Birmingham City.

● Stats do not include last night's game between Derby County and Colchester United.

## TODAY'S CHAMPIONSHIP FIXTURES

Barnley v Norwich  
Burnley v C Palace  
Coventry v Hull City  
Ipswich v QPR  
Leeds v Sheff Wed  
Plymouth v Stoke  
Southend v Leicester  
West Brom v Sunderland

## TOMORROW'S CHAMPIONSHIP FIXTURE

Birmingham v Cardiff

## HOME FORM TABLE

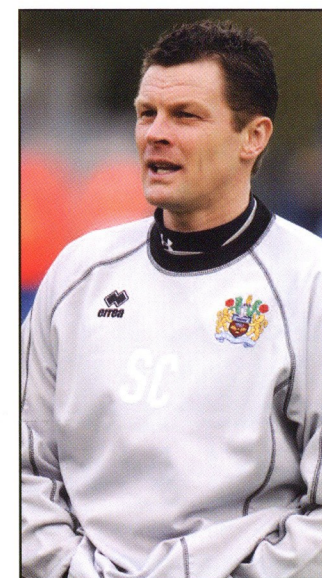
Last six league games

	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts
West Brom	5	1	0	13	6	7	16
Sunderland	4	1	1	9	2	7	13
Southampton	4	1	1	10	4	6	13
Cardiff	4	1	1	10	4	6	13
Preston	4	1	1	11	6	5	13
Crystal Palace	4	1	1	9	4	5	13
Plymouth	3	2	1	10	7	3	11
Wolves	3	2	1	10	7	3	11
Birmingham	3	2	1	8	7	1	11
QPR	3	1	2	6	5	1	10
Derby County	3	1	2	5	6	-1	10
Leicester	2	3	1	7	4	3	9
Southend	3	0	3	10	8	2	9
Hull City	3	0	3	8	6	2	9
Colchester	2	3	1	6	5	1	9
Barnley	3	0	3	6	7	-1	9
Ipswich	3	0	3	5	6	-1	9
Luton	2	2	2	8	8	0	8
Leeds	2	2	2	6	6	0	8
Coventry	2	2	2	9	10	-1	8
Norwich	2	2	2	5	6	-1	8
Stoke	1	4	1	5	4	1	7
Burnley	1	3	2	5	6	-1	6
Sheff Wed	1	1	4	10	17	-7	4

## AWAY FORM TABLE

Last six league games

	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts
Derby County	4	1	1	6	3	3	13
Sunderland	3	2	1	11	6	5	11
Wolves	3	2	1	7	4	3	11
West Brom	3	2	1	10	9	1	11
Birmingham	3	1	2	9	4	5	10
Leicester	3	1	2	8	7	1	10
Crystal Palace	2	3	1	7	5	2	9
Stoke	3	0	3	6	7	-1	9
Preston	3	0	3	8	10	-2	9
Southend	2	2	2	8	10	-2	8
Sheff Wed	2	1	3	9	8	1	7
Southampton	1	3	2	9	9	0	6
Plymouth	1	3	2	9	9	0	6
Colchester	2	0	4	8	9	-1	6
Hull City	1	3	2	5	8	-3	6
Cardiff	1	3	2	5	8	-3	6
Barnley	2	0	4	5	10	-5	6
Norwich	1	1	4	8	12	-4	4
Ipswich	1	1	4	2	7	-5	4
Luton	0	3	3	6	9	-3	3
Leeds	1	0	5	4	9	-5	3
Burnley	0	2	4	2	8	-6	2
Coventry	0	1	5	5	14	-9	1
QPR	0	1	5	2	12	-10	1



Steve Cotterill's Burnley side are without a win in 15 games

We would like to welcome today's visitors to Kenilworth Road



## SHARP SHOOTERS

Player	Team	Lge	Cup	Ttl
Michael Chopra	Cardiff	21	0	21
Diomansy Kamara	West Brom	19	2	21
Grzegorz Rasiak	Southampton	17	2	19
Robert Earnshaw	Norwich	17	0	17
Gary McSheffrey	Birmingham	13	3	16
Jamie Cureton	Colchester	14	1	15
Chris Iwelumo	Colchester	15	0	15
Freddy Eastwood	Southend	10	5	15
Kenwyne Jones	Southampton	12	2	14

## WHERE TO SEE GOALS (By Ground)

Ground	Home Team	M	Gls	G/Mt
Hillsborough	Sheff Wed	17	56	3.29
The Hawthorns	West Brom	17	53	3.12
Kenilworth Stadium	Luton	16	48	3.00
Layer Road Ground	Colchester	18	53	2.94
Roots Hall	Southend	17	49	2.88
Portman Road	Ipswich	17	48	2.82
Loftus Road Stadium	QPR	17	46	2.71
St Andrews	Birmingham	16	43	2.69
Home Park	Plymouth	17	45	2.65
The KC Stadium	Hull	17	44	2.59
Carrow Road	Norwich	17	43	2.53
Oakwell Stadium	Barnsley	17	43	2.53
Elland Road	Leeds	17	42	2.47
Turf Moor	Burnley	16	39	2.44
Deepdale	Preston	17	41	2.41
Molineux Stadium	Wolves	18	43	2.39
Ninian Park	Cardiff	18	43	2.39
Ricoh Arena	Coventry	17	39	2.29
Selhurst Park	Crystal Pal	18	41	2.28
The Walkers Stadium	Leicester	17	38	2.24
St Marys Stadium	Southampton	18	40	2.22
Stadium of Light	Sunderland	18	39	2.17
Pride Park Stadium	Derby	17	35	2.06
Britannia Stadium	Stoke	18	33	1.83

## TEAM LEADERS

Team with the most... shots on target 269 Southampton. shots off target 252 Southampton. corners 251 Plymouth. hit woodwork 13 West Brom. offsides 142 Colchester. fouls 547 Hull. yellow cards 76 West Brom. red cards 8 Cardiff.

## PLAYER POWER

Player with the most... Shots 110 Michael Chopra (Cardiff). Shots on target 58 Robert Earnshaw (Norwich). Shots off target 59 Michael Chopra (Cardiff). Assists 13 Gary McSheffrey (Birmingham). Crosses 163 Darren Huckerby (Norwich). Offsides 66 Jamie Cureton (Colchester). Fouls 110 Steve Howard (Derby). Free-kicks won 76 Patrick Kisnorbo (Leicester).



2006/07 SEASON

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STATS

## GOAL COUNTER 1044

RIGHT FOOT 547 goals

52.4%

LEFT FOOT 253 goals

24.2%

HEADERS 216 goals

20.7%

Own goals 26 (2.5%), Other body part 2 (0.2%)

## QUICK-FIRE GOALS

From the start of a match  
Diomansy Kamara (W Brom vs Coventry) 0:28

By a substitute after coming on  
Wayne Andrews (Coventry vs Barnsley) 0:47

## DISCIPLINARY



3.0 cards per match 0.2 cards per match

## QUICK-FIRE CARDS

From the start of a match  
Dexter Blackstock (QPR vs Southend) 0:15

By a substitute after coming on  
Andrew Surman (Southampton vs Ipswich) 1:30

## SUB TOTALS

Subs used .....2038

Offsides .....2726

Corners .....4598

Shots Off Target .....4539

## BEAT THE TRAFFIC

Total number of goals you would have missed by leaving every match ten minutes early

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\*up to and including 26/02/2007

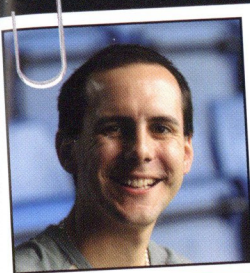
## RESULTS

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

0-0	30
0-1	44
0-2	14
0-3	6
0-4	2
0-5	-
1-0	53
1-1	43
1-2	28
1-3	7
1-4	2
1-5	1
2-0	34
2-1	38
2-2	22
2-3	8
2-4	3
2-5	-
3-0	15
3-1	19
3-2	15
3-3	5
3-4	-
3-5	-
4-0	3
4-1	6
4-2	4
4-3	2
4-4	-
4-5	-
5-0	4
5-1	3
5-2	1
5-3	-
5-4	-
5-5	-

In the Coca Cola Championship this season there have been 4676 shots on target, goals constitute 22.3% of all shots (doesn't include own goals). The woodwork has come to the rescue of the defending side on 205 occasions (the biggest beneficiaries being Southend 16). There have been 88 penalties awarded this season and of those 77 have been scored (a success rate of 87.5%). Ipswich have been awarded most penalties - 8. Derby have given most penalties away 7. The team to score the most penalties is Ipswich 7. Wolverhampton missed 2 penalties in the Coca Cola Championship this season.

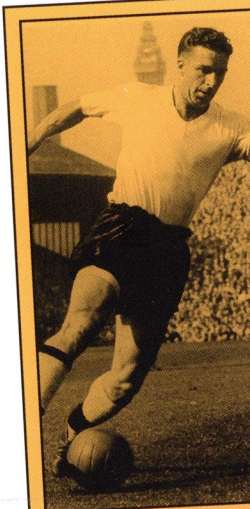
# Stat Attack



Simon Pitts on stats, players and previous meetings between today's two sides

Luton have entertained Wolves 13 times in the League at Kenilworth Road, with the Hatters winning six and drawing three. Luton have scored 26 goals while the visitors have netted 20. The sides have also met in the FA Cup twice, but Wolves progressed to the next round on both occasions.

Only three players have made the move to Wolves from Luton: Gordon Brice, Jack Taylor and Billy Kellock. Brice played during the 1946-47 season for the Hatters, and Kellock appeared only nine times, with two goals in the League Cup, in 1982-83. Jack Taylor is therefore the key player to have moved. Taylor scored on his debut in a 6-0 win against Lincoln City towards the end of the 1948-49 season. It was three years later when he really made a name for himself though, netting 24 times in all competitions, and earning an England "B" Cap. A transfer to Wolves followed but his career was prematurely ended by injury.

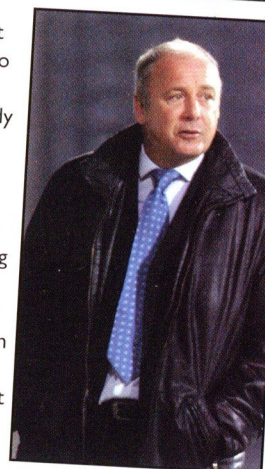


Luton played Wolves during the Hatters' first-ever season in the top flight, 1955-56. Despite Wolves finishing seven points, and seven places higher at the end of the season it was Luton who took maximum points from both games. Bob Morton (pictured) and Gordon Turner both scored twice in a 5-1 win at Kenilworth Road with Mick Cullen netting the other, in front of the largest attendance for this fixture, 27,911. Later in the season Ron Davies and Tony Gregory scored a 2-1

victory. Morton scored again the following season in a 1-0 home win, with another Turner brace and a goal from Cullen again, earning a 3-1 win in 1957-58.

And finally... Luton have never scored a penalty against Wolverhampton Wanderers.

Seven players have made the permanent move from Wolves to Luton, although the last of these was Andy King (pictured) in 1985,



however he only played three times in the 85-86 season. King had returned to his home town Club having previously played in the seventies. In his two spells King fell just short of fifty appearances for the Hatters, and scored nine goals before a transfer to Aldershot. Mark Burke joined Luton on loan in 1993-94, and made a substitute appearance in a 0-0 draw at West Ham in the FA Cup quarter-final. Two players made their first appearances in the 1935-36 season having moved from Wolves, Mark Crook and Jack Nelson. Crook only played a handful of times, whereas Nelson went on to make nearly 150 appearances. Arguably the most notable signing was England inside-forward Jesse Pye, in 1952. Pye scored an amazing 28 goals in 43 appearances during his first season, but unfortunately fractured his ankle in December 1953. Pye's last match for Luton was a goalscoring one against Derby County in October 1954, they were obviously impressed as a transfer to the Rams followed.

As well as the 1955-56 season Luton also achieved the double over Wolves in 1976-77, and 1983-84. Jimmy Husband scored in both games in 76-77, in a 2-1 away win and a 2-0 victory at Kenilworth Road, Dixie Deans and Lil Fuccillo were the other scorers. Paul Walsh repeated Husband's feat in 83-84 when he netted in a 4-0 home win, and scored a late overhead kick winner in a 2-1 victory at Molineux. Brian Stein, David Moss and Brian Horton scored at Kenilworth Road, while Gary Parker had opened the scoring early in the away game.



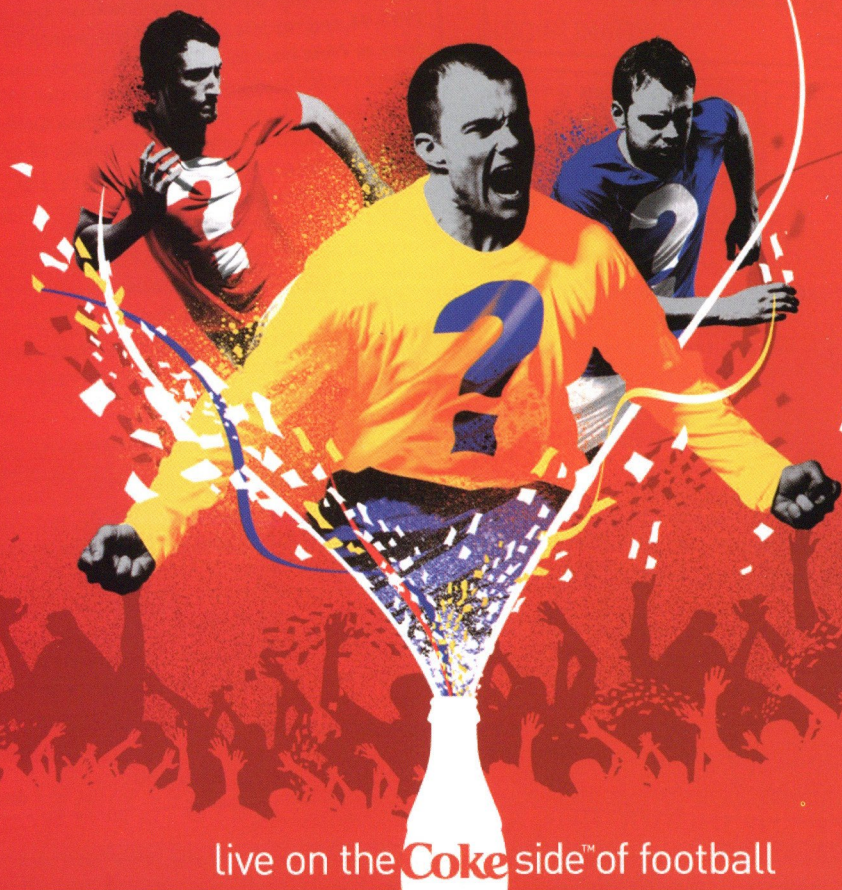
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# Five to Remember

**Roger Wash recalls five classic encounters between Luton Town and Wolves**

## November 5, 1955 Luton Town 5 Wolverhampton Wanderers 1 Attendance: 27,911

The Town made a reasonable start to their first ever season in the top flight but with the goals drying up, the decision was made to move Bob Morton into the forward line.

This move coincided with the visit of mighty Wolves, the glamour side of the day, and a record League crowd turned up to see Morton net after only four minutes. Wolves levelled through Johnny Hancocks but from then on it was all Luton as Morton gave centre-half Billy Wright, the England skipper, the runaround.

Two goals from Gordon Turner, and further strikes from Mike Cullen and Morton made it a day to remember and set up the season for some more memorable displays.



☐ The Hatters go close once more in front of their record League crowd in 1955

## August 26, 1956 Wolverhampton Wanderers 5 Luton Town 4 Attendance: 46,781

The Town had successfully survived their first season in Division One and by the time of the game at Wolves were sitting in top spot after three straight wins.

The absence of skipper Syd Owen did not seem to faze the players as Mike Cullen and Gordon Turner put the Town two-up in the first ten minutes. Wolves then levelled and by the interval were 5-3 in the lead after a half of pulsating entertainment. Turner narrowed the scoreline in the second half but despite laying siege to the Wolves goal the Hatters could not manage an equaliser.

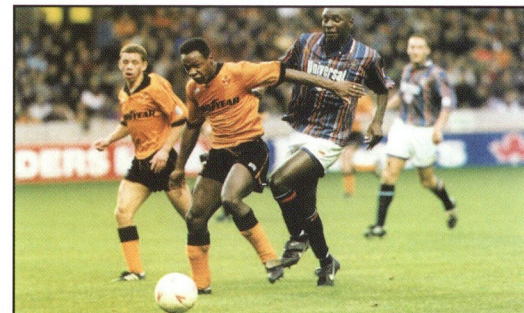
'The best game I have ever seen,' said Daily Express sports reporter Desmond Hackett afterwards.

## December 28, 1974 Luton Town 3 Wolverhampton Wanderers 2 Attendance: 19,642

The Hatters were rock bottom of the old Division One and the only glimmer of light was the late decision by manager Harry Haslam to introduce youngsters into the side. This had resulted in wins over future champions Derby and table toppers Ipswich over Christmas, and a holiday crowd turned

up to see if the Town could make it three in a row. Wolves crept into the lead in the 23rd minute but then the young Futchers took over with Paul finding Ron with amazing accuracy for him to level.

Ron headed number two from a John Aston cross but when Barry Powell equalised it only served for the Luton players to re-double their efforts, leading to Ron heading the winner with five minutes to go.



☐ Mitchell Thomas clashes with Mark Walters at Molineux in 1994

## March 5, 1977 Luton Town 2 Wolverhampton Wanderers 0 Attendance: 19,200

Following a defeat at Bristol Rovers on New Year's Day 1977, the Town were languishing in mid-table but then came an amazing run of seven straight victories. Looking back, there was no particular reason for such a run leading up to the visit of high-flying Wolves, but having a settled side did help.

Wolves, who had gone 12 League games undefeated, were in second spot while we were up to fifth, only four points behind and although the away side had most of the opening play it was the Hatters who made it a sensational half with two goals in a minute.

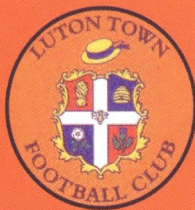
First Jim Husband fired in a close range shot quickly followed by a clever Lil Fuccillo lob. Although Wolves upped their game in the second period, they could not breach the Luton defence as we moved up to third spot.

## November 5, 1994 Wolverhampton Wanderers 2 Luton Town 3 Attendance: 26,749

The Town were in frustrating mode. Their away record, with four wins on their travels, was the best in the division while five defeats at home was the worst. This meant that they languished in mid-table. Wolves were top and unbeaten at home but the big crowd was shocked when the Hatters moved into a three-goal lead before an hour was up. Goals from David Preece, Dwight Marshall and Kerry Dixon cheered a large Luton contingent but two deflected Marvin Johnson own-goals in the closing minutes made a mockery of the scoreline and took some of the gloss off the performance.








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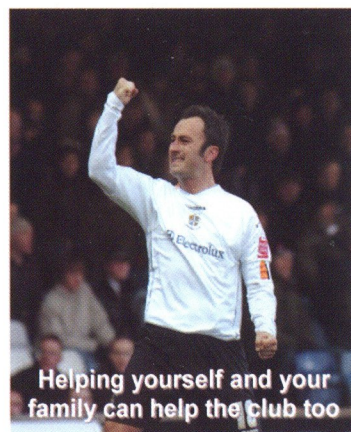
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## Welcome to Wolves

**Wolves are making a late surge for the play-offs and come to Kenilworth Road this afternoon in fine form. STEWART CURTIS looks at today's Championship visitors**

Wolves arrive at Kenilworth Road today as the league's most in-form side. Their superb current form has brought them nominations for both manager and player of the month awards, and this run has moved them up to 8th in the table, only out of a play-off spot on goal difference.

Wolves are a club heaped with footballing history, having won the FA Cup four times, and been crowned champions of England three times. They also have a European pedigree, reaching the UEFA Cup Final in 1972 only to be beaten 3-2 by Tottenham in a two-leg tie. Former Luton manager Joe Kinnear played both games for Spurs.

Recent years have seen Wolves consistently push for the Premiership, and they finally achieved promotion by beating Sheffield United 3-0 in the 2003 Play-Off Final. But supporters' hopes of a

glorious return to the top-flight did not last long as the club finished bottom of the table, returning to the Championship after just one season.

The last two campaigns have seen Wolves flirt with the play-offs, finishing 7th and then 9th. Premiership parachute payments, however, have finished this season, meaning less financial muscle in the transfer-market. The board felt that the side had drawn too many games and that it was time for a change of manager, so they replaced former England boss Glenn Hoddle with ex-Republic of Ireland manager Mick McCarthy in July 2006.

Only days into his appointment, Mick was feeling the fans' high expectations, telling reporters: "The initials MM on my top stand for Mick McCarthy, not Merlin the Magician." Mick did, however, begin to work his magic, bringing the likes of Jay

Bothroyd and Jamie Clapham to Molineux.

The summer arrivals didn't quite have the desired effect, and by the end of November, Wolves were already being sucked into mid-table, with another season in the Championship looking likely. With scoring goals seeming the likely problem, McCarthy invested in Andrew Keogh from Scunthorpe for £600,000 and Stephen Ward from Bohemians to help increase their firepower in front of goal. These astute signings have seen a dramatic improvement in form, with Wolves winning five of their last six fixtures.

Whereas scoring goals has been McCarthy's main problem this season, his defence has stood strong, keeping no fewer than 16 clean sheets, including one against the Hatters when Wolves narrowly won 1-0 at Molineux in August.



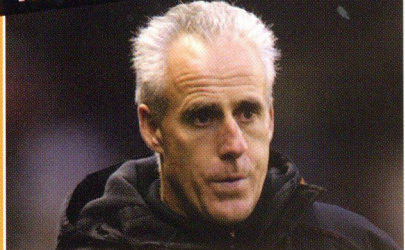




# The Opponents

Introducing the Wolves players

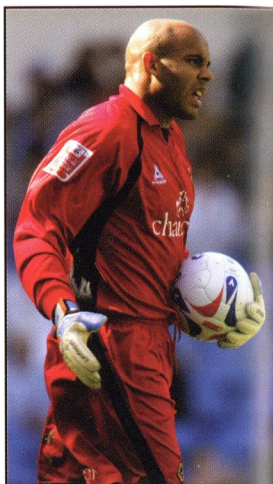
## The Manager



Mick McCarthy is famous for his no-nonsense approach that stems from his reputation as a tough centre-half in his playing days. Born in Barnsley, Mick had a decent playing career that saw him turn out for his hometown club, Manchester City, Celtic, Lyon and Millwall. Undoubtedly, he will be best remembered for his leadership qualities as captain of the Republic of Ireland, when he led them to a memorable World Cup Quarter-Final clash with the host country in Italia 90. It was his successful stint as player-manager at Millwall that led him to succeed Jack Charlton as Republic of Ireland manager in 1996, but it was six frustrating years before he finally took his country to a major tournament, when they qualified for the 2002 World Cup in Japan and South Korea. His infamous spat with Ireland captain Roy Keane ended with the Manchester United star being sent home without kicking a ball, but the media witch-hunt that followed slowly eroded McCarthy's resolve to continue managing his country. Mick resigned as Ireland manager in November 2002. However by the following March, he was back. In typically robust style, he took on the job of rejuvenating a Sunderland side spiralling out of the Premiership. Although he took up the reins too late to save the Black Cats from relegation, he performed a minor miracle by taking them to the play-offs the very next season, and won promotion back to the Premiership the year after that. His Wearside rollercoaster ride finally ground to a halt in March last year when he couldn't lift Sunderland off the bottom of the league, and after a short break from the game he succeeded Glenn Hoddle at Molineux.

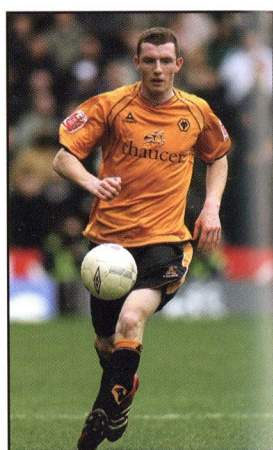
## The Goalkeepers

Wolves are blessed with two of the best goalkeepers in the Championship. **MATT MURRAY** (pictured) is current number one choice, and is enjoying his longest run in the side since the 2002-03 season, when he made 48 league and cup appearances. Murray has suffered more than his fair share of injuries, missing huge chunks of the previous three seasons with a crippling knee complaint that has blighted the 25-year-old's career so far. The highlight for him so far is a man of the match-winning performance in the Play-Off Final at the Millennium Stadium, which saw Wolves promoted to the top division for the first time in 19 years. While Murray's subsequent fitness problems ground his career to a halt, **MICHAEL OAKES** has generally had more luck. The ex-Villa goalkeeper chalked up 125 consecutive league appearances. Oakes is still only 33, and has made nearly 300 appearances in total for the two West Midlands clubs, including three UEFA Cup appearances.



## The Defenders

Mick McCarthy raided his former club Sunderland to sign Scottish defender **NEILL COLLINS** (pictured) in a £150,000 deal earlier this season. Collins, 23, had excelled in the Scottish lower leagues for Dumbarton and Queens Park before McCarthy took him to Wearside in August 2004. Collins spent time out on loan at Hartlepool and Sheffield United last season but has been playing regular Championship football for Wolves during this campaign. Former Celtic captain **JACKIE McNAMARA** arrived at Molineux in June 2005 after enjoying a Scottish Cup Final swan song for the Glasgow giants, beating Dundee United for his third winner's medal to add to an impressive collection of silverware accumulated in his ten years at Parkhead. However, both of his seasons at Molineux have been injury-affected. A hip complaint ruled him out of the first half of this campaign and knee problems restricted McNamara to just ten league outings last season. **ROB EDWARDS** is another player who has made the short trip across the West Midlands from Villa Park in search of regular first team football. Edwards grew up in Telford but his parentage allows him to play for Wales. He enjoyed a successful time under Glenn Hoddle last season, playing more than 40 games, and is now having another run in the team. **JAMIE CLAPHAM** brings yet more experience to the Wolves squad after joining from Birmingham City last August. A tractor boy at heart, Clapham played more than 200 games for Ipswich Town between 1998 and 2003 before signing for Blues for £1.3m. In his last season at St Andrews, however, he fell out of favour with Steve Bruce after their 7-0 home defeat against Liverpool. **GARY BREEN** is another experienced defender who has had a great career. The Republic of Ireland international recently announced his retirement from the national team so he could concentrate on club football. Breen was at Sunderland with McCarthy although his season so far has been held up with two red cards.



## Wolves' All Time Records

**Record Att:** 63,315: vs Liverpool 11-02-1939 FA Cup R5  
**Best league win:** 10 - 1: vs Leicester City 15-04-1938 Division 2  
**Worst league loss:** 1 - 10: vs Manchester Utd 15-10-1892 Division 1  
**Best cup win:** 14 - 0: vs Cresswell's Brewery 13-11-1886 FA Cup R2  
**Most capped player:** Billy Wright: 105 England  
**League appearances:** Derek Parkin: 501 1967-82

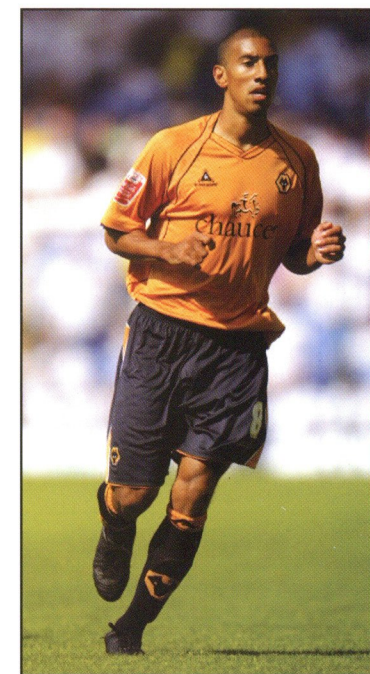
**League goals:** Steve Bull: 247 1986-98  
**Goals in a season:** Dennis Westcott: 38 1946-47 Division 1  
**Transfer fee received:** £6,000,000: Robbie Keane Coventry August 18, 1999  
**Transfer fee paid:** £3,250,000: Ade Akinbiyi Bristol City September 1999

who will be at Kenilworth Road today

## The Midfielders

**KARL HENRY** (pictured) will still be pinching himself this afternoon. A year ago he was languishing in Stoke City's reserve side, and now he's captain of his home town club. Wolves fans love him due to his energetic displays and hard work, and even if he has to hand back the captain's armband to Joey Craddock when he returns from injury, Henry will still retain his new-found cult hero status at Molineux. The signing of Nigerian international **SEYI OLOFINJANA** represented a major coup for Wolves, as they beat off competition from a host of other European clubs to capture his signature for £1.7m in July 2004. A huge goalscoring midfielder, Olofinjana had a fantastic first season at Molineux but was troubled with a back problem throughout the last campaign. This season has seen him return to form, scoring seven goals in 37 league and cup appearances. **MICHAEL McINDOE** returns to Kenilworth Road after signing for Wolves following a successful loan during the January transfer window. McIndoe spent two years at Luton between 1998 and

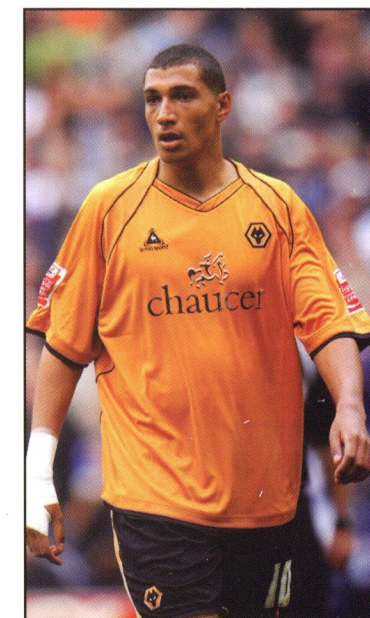
2000, making more than 40 appearances before moving on to Hereford United, Yeovil Town, Doncaster Rovers and Barnsley. A brief loan spell at Derby County at the end of last season alerted McCarthy to his talents and led to a £250,000 move. **DARREN POTTER** initially joined Wolves on a season-long loan from Liverpool in August last year, but impressed his manager enough to sign a permanent deal in the January transfer window. The 23-year-old scouser is suspended for today's game, but has made a major impact in the Wolves midfield this season with his recent form particularly impressive. **ROHAN RICKETTS** is a member of an elite group who have played for both Arsenal and Tottenham Hotspur, albeit just a solitary appearance in the league cup for the Gunners. Ricketts followed Glenn Hoddle to Wolves from Tottenham, initially on loan, before signing a permanent deal in May 2005. Sporadic spells in the first team have been punctuated by injury and loss of form, but he remains a bright prospect and could yet have an impact on Wolves' play-off aspirations.



## The Strikers

**ANDY KEOGH** is another one of Mick McCarthy's January transfer window signings. Yet to taste defeat in his six appearances since he joined in a £600,000 deal from promotion-chasing League One side Scunthorpe United, Keogh is awaiting his first Championship goal. A Republic of Ireland Under-21 international, Keogh learned his trade as a trainee at the Leeds Youth Academy before settling for Scunthorpe after successful loan spells at both Glanford Park and Bury. **STEPHEN WARD** could make up the other half of an all-Irish attack for Wolves this afternoon, following his January move from Bohemians. Ward has already notched up three goals since signing for his new club, including two vital winning goals in their last three games to help Wolves surge back into the promotion frame. **CARL CORT** will miss today's game as he recovers from knee surgery. Cort has rarely escaped the surgeon's knife during any of his ten seasons as a

professional. Once a £7m Newcastle forward, he was grabbed by Wolves for a cut-price £2m in January 2004. Despite the current injury nightmare that will keep him out for the rest of this season, Cort has been good value, scoring 32 league and cup goals in his 99 appearances. **JAY BOTHROYD** (pictured) has had a very interesting career so far. An ex-Arsenal trainee, Bothroyd came of age when he signed for Coventry City in July 2000. By the time he'd completed a three-year contract at Coventry, he was wanted by Italian side Perugia, and duly signed on a free transfer. Raised eyebrows were soon lowered when he scored five goals in Serie A for his new club, but he failed to adapt to a new lifestyle and soon headed back to England on a loan deal with Blackburn Rovers. Bothroyd didn't get much chance to shine at Ewood Park, and moved on to Charlton in August 2005. However, after failing to impress new manager Iain Dowie, he was soon on his way to Molineux, where he has scored four goals in 14 starts this season.





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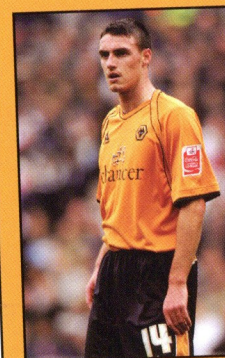


## View from the *Opposition*

**Wolves supporter Colin Hawkins gives a  
rundown on today's visitors.**

**What was behind Wolves' good run of  
form in February that leaves them handily  
placed to push for promotion in the final  
third of the season?**

Mick McCarthy has got the team playing good football, it's as simple as that. As a defensive unit, we look in far better shape and have only conceded three goals in the last six games. We seem to be playing with more confidence and if we can maintain this, I see no reason why we can't grab a play-off spot.



**How have Mick McCarthy's most recent signings, Darren Potter (pictured), Neill Collins, Michael McIndoe and Andy Keogh settled in at Molineux?**

Since his arrival from Scunthorpe, Andy Keogh has yet to get off the mark, but he looks a promising player and one for the future. Darren Potter has proved to be an excellent signing after a successful loan spell. Neill Collins has helped tighten up our defence while Michael McIndoe has been in good form since his arrival from Barnsley

**What are Wolves' aims for this season?**

We have to be looking for the play-offs this season. The expectation levels at Wolves have always been high, particularly since we were relegated from the Premiership. We are playing some good football at the moment and after getting ourselves in a decent position, I think many Wolves fans will be disappointed if we don't make a top six finish.



**Who should Luton fans look out for this afternoon in the Wolves' squad?**

Darren Potter has impressed me since his arrival from Liverpool. He can be creative and likes to venture forward. Seyi Olofinjana has been on fire since the turn of the year scoring five of his seven goals in 2007.

**Who do you think will get promoted to the Premiership this season?**

I would like to think we will be one of the three teams to achieve promotion to the Premiership. Derby and Birmingham still remain my firm favourites to seal the automatic promotion places, but I think everybody is looking over their shoulder at Sunderland's run of form.



# Action Replay

vs Crystal Palace,  
Saturday February  
24, 2007



**PALACE 2  
LUTON 1**

Attendance: 16,177  
Luton Scorer:  
Hudson (55 og)

**Picture: Keith  
Keane rises  
highest to beat  
Clinton Morrison  
to the ball. The  
Luton youngster  
put in another  
solid display for  
the Hatters in  
the centre of  
defence.**







**Luton:** Beresford, Foley, Spring, Robinson, Runstrom, Emanuel, Langley, Keane, Barnett, Bell, Talbot (Morgan 73).

**Subs not used:** O'Leary, Boyd, Asafu-Adjaye, Brill

**Bookings:** Langley (53 + 57)

**Sent-Off:** Langley (57)

**Goals:** Hudson (55 og)



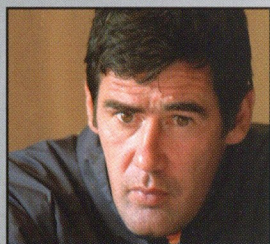
**Palace:** Kiraly, Lawrence (Martin 60), Hudson, Cort, Scowcroft, Freedman, Morrison, Kennedy (Butterfield 9), Borrowdale, Soares, Fletcher

**Subs not used:** Ward, Speroni, Grabban

**Bookings:** Scowcroft (90)

**Goals:** Morrison (45 + 68)

#### From the Manager



I was very disappointed to be behind at half-time. We conceded just at the death and I don't think we deserved that to be quite honest. I thought we played some good stuff and they never put us under any serious pressure. With exception for the chance that Morrison had when it went beside the post, I didn't think we were under any threat.



□ Mark Kennedy wins this header under a challenge from Keith Keane



□ Crystal Palace goalkeeper Gabor Kiraly manages to thwart David Bell's attempt at goal

## PALACE 2 LUTON 1

Luton suffered a narrow defeat to Crystal Palace thanks to a brace from striker Clinton Morrison.

In a first half bereft of an attacking spark, the Republic of Ireland international broke the deadlock with a quick turn and shot in stoppage time.

The Hatters had provided little as an attacking threat but were handed a gift of a goal when Mark Hudson comically put through his own net 10 minutes after the interval.

But the match found its turning point just moments later when Richard Langley was sent off after a challenge on Matthew Lawrence, who left the pitch on a stretcher.

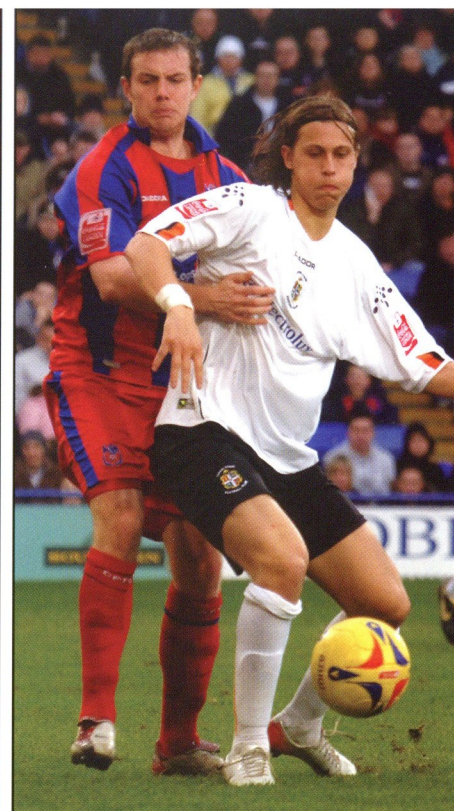
Peter Taylor's side made the most of their numerical advantage with Morrison scoring his second of the game in the 68th minute to ensure they ended a three-game losing sequence against the Hatters.

Luton finished the game the stronger side and Dean Morgan saw sight of goal on 78 minutes, but despite a mix-up between the Palace defence, the former Reading midfielder was unable to hit the target, firing a volley from 12 yards wide of Gabor Kiraly's goal.

Luton pushed more bodies forward, and almost snatched an equaliser on 84 minutes as Matthew Spring unleashed a shot from the edge of the area that Kiraly was equal to, making a neat save to the left.



□ Drew Talbot surges forward despite pressure from Palace's Carl Fletcher



□ Bjorn Runstrom brings the ball under control



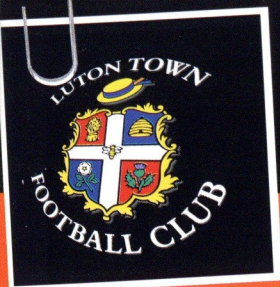
□ David Bell mounts an attack for the Hatters



□ Gabor Kiraly gathers under pressure from Leon Barnett







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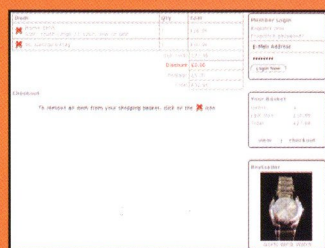


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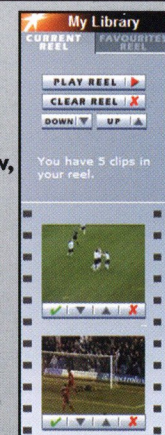
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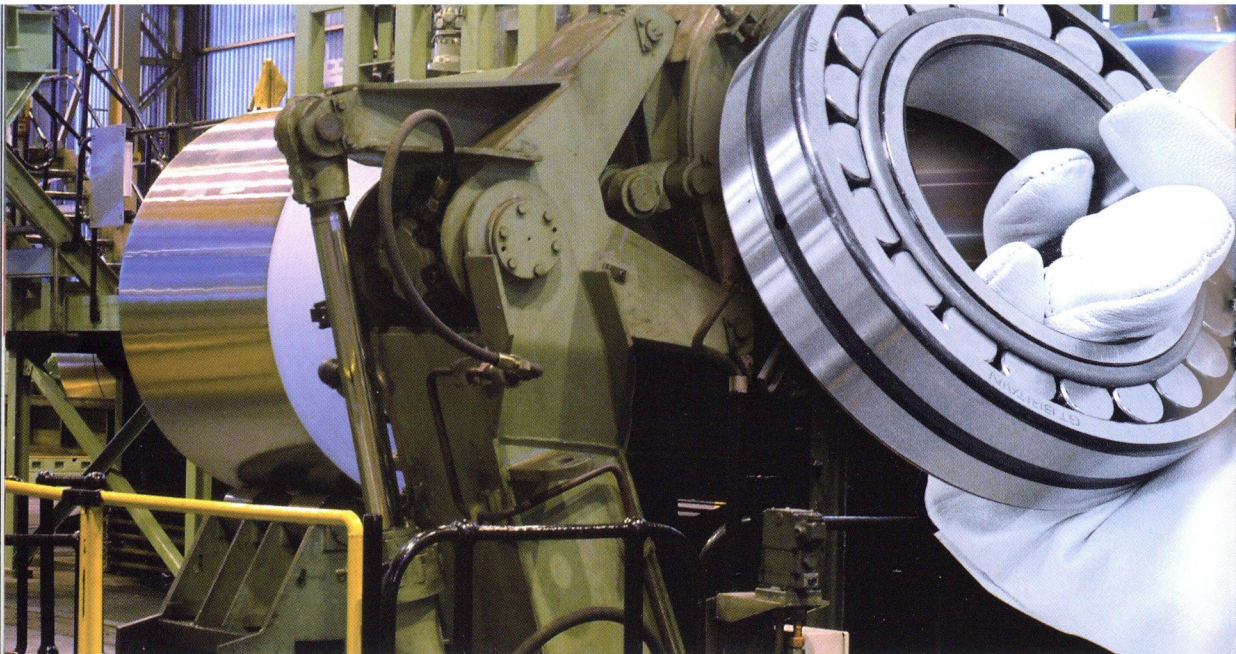
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# Why it HAS to be Junction 12

**Uncertainty must not jeopardise our future any longer**



**Junction 11A Press Statement**  
23 Feb 07

**"Due to Regional Funding Allocation the scheme is now not expected to start construction work until 2013/14 with the road open to traffic in 2015/16"**

## Stadium choice is Junction 10 option

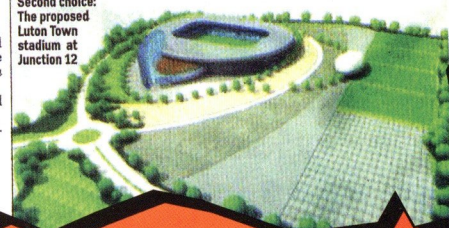
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LUTON Town fans have responded in huge numbers to the on-line poll run by Luton/Dunstable on Sunday last week.

We asked you where you would like the new stadium to be. Nearly 2,000 voted for their preference and the result is as follows:

Junction 10: 923 votes (53 per cent)  
Junction 12: 639 votes (36 per cent)  
Junction 11A: 146 votes (eight per cent)  
at Kenilworth Rd. A5 (three per cent)

**Second choice:**  
The proposed Luton Town stadium at Junction 12



**This is where the Town Hall stands**

from David Franks, leader of Luton Borough Council

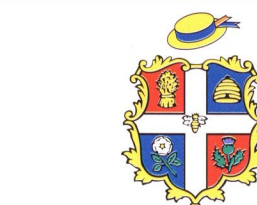
AFTER a number of letters in your newspaper over the past few weeks

THE DEBATE: Beds On Sunday survey (above) chose Junction 10 - but did they ask the right question? Luton Borough Council backed Junction 12 in the Luton News (left). Highway Agency confirms 11A will not be completed until 2015/16 (far left) in a press statement. To read this statement in its entirety, log onto the Highway Agency website, [www.highways.gov.uk](http://www.highways.gov.uk).

Everyone agrees that Luton Town Football Club urgently needs to move to a new stadium so that we can pursue our ambitions of pushing towards a place in the Premiership.

But where should that new home be? As most fans know this debate has gone on for far too many years without any real commitment being made. Hence we have had years of uncertainty as we watched other clubs who took bold decisions leapfrog ahead of us.

Clubs such as Reading and Bolton - who were both in similar positions to ourselves not so long ago - are now both in new homes and both reaping the rewards of top-flight football. This Club's



view is that the uncertainty had to stop and not be allowed to jeopardise our future any longer. We must have the ability to compete on a level basis with other clubs.

We know that some supporters have expressed preferences for a new home at Junction 10 or Junction 11A. We believe that for many reasons these options are

not viable. In the case of Junction 11A, for example, the Highways Agency revealed this week that construction work is not due to start on the A5-M1 Link Road until at least 2013 and that the road will not be open until 2015-16. We cannot wait that long.

### So we have made our decision.

The following two pages set out why Junction 12 is the only option that delivers all the requirements of Luton Town Football Club in a timescale that lets us move forward now and at a cost that leaves us in control of our own future.

And that is why Junction 12 is the right site for our new stadium.



# Why the stadium site was chosen

## The 10 key questions answered

No decision of this magnitude is straightforward. However in the case of a new stadium for Luton Town, the balance of benefits points heavily in one direction and one direction only. To Junction 12.

To help supporters appreciate how we have reached this decision and the commitment we have made to relocate to Junction 12, we set out below the key questions that needed to be addressed and give direct comparisons for each of the three sites.

The summary of comparisons is based on delivery against the following ten point criteria:

1	Is a commercial contract already in place that delivers against the Club's relocation ambitions?	No	No	Yes
2	Is a developer prepared to give £25 million towards the costs of the stadium?	No	No	Yes
3	Plans give the Club the freehold of the new stadium.	No	No	Yes
4	Relocation puts the Club on a sustainable financial footing.	No	Not known	Yes
5	Proposals allow the Club naming rights to the new stadium.	No	No	Yes
6	The site includes a prepared and serviced infrastructure.	No	Not known	Yes
7	Plans can deliver the stadium within an acceptable and realistic time frame.	2009/10 *	2015/16 * †	2009/10 *
8	Will the development ensure that the Club is once again in control of its future?	No	Not known	Yes
9	The site is easily accessible to the Club's supporters.	Yes	Yes	Yes
10	Will the developer ensure a high-quality fit out to give supporters the best possible experience?	Not known	Not known	Yes

### Junction 10

- \* Developer pledge unknown
- \* Club does **not** own freehold of site
- \* Stadium handover circa 2009-10
- \* Club **not** in control of its future

### Junction 11a

- \* Developer pledge unknown
- \* Club may **not** own freehold of site
- \* No stadium until at least 2015-16
- \* Club may **not** be in control of its future

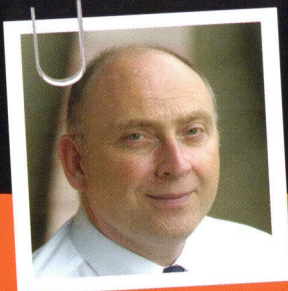
### Junction 12

- \* Developer pledges £25 million
- \* Club **does** own freehold of site
- \* Stadium handover by circa 2009-10
- \* Club **is** in control of its future

\* All three sites are subject to planning applications

† As advised by Highways Agency





# The A to Z of Luton Town

Roger Wash looks back on every post-war player to have appeared for Luton Town

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## Anthony (Tony) Patrick GREALISH

Although born in West London, Tony was proud of his Irish roots and went on to make 44 appearances as a dogged midfielder for Eire. Joining Orient from school, Tony had five years at Brisbane Road before moving to Luton in 1979 in one of the first transfer tribunals. The eventual fee of £150,000 was money well spent as he enjoyed two good seasons in the Luton midfield, making 78 League appearances and scoring two goals, including a blinder at Chelsea.

Surprisingly transferred to Brighton in an exchange deal involving Brian Horton, Tony skippered the Seagulls in the 1983 FA Cup Final before working his way down through the divisions. Tony worked in insurance for many years before becoming involved in a scrap metal business.

## Harry Rodney (Rodney) GREEN

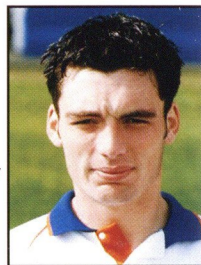
A prolific scorer wherever he went, Rodney first caught the eye with Bradford City in 1963, which led to a £9,000 move to Gillingham a year later. After falling out with the management, he was sold to Grimsby where he formed a productive partnership with future Hatter Matt Tees.

The pair were sold to Charlton for £23,000 but Rodney never settled and instead he jumped at the chance to join Allan Brown's revolution at Kenilworth Road as the Hatters were about to embark on a memorable 1967-68 campaign. After scoring on his Luton debut, Rodney injured his knee and, by the time he returned, the forward line had a settled look and he became a peripheral player and moved on to Watford before ending his career in South Africa. He now owns a business selling reproduction furniture near his home town of Halifax.

## David Michael GREENE

Luton-born David joined his local club from school before making his debut for the Hatters in a 3-1 defeat at Grimsby in March 1993 as a 19-year-old.

A reliable and tough centre-half, David seemed to have forced his way into a regular place in the side at the end of the following campaign in the absence of the injured Trevor Peake and starred in the FA Cup quarter-final draw at West Ham. Sadly, he was hit by injuries and was unable to force his way back into the side and instead reluctantly accepted a move to Colchester. David enjoyed four successful years at Layer Road before transferring in quick succession to Cardiff and then Cambridge after which he retired from the game.



## Anthony (Tony) Charles GREGORY

A pupil from Luton Grammar School, Tony was a teenage wonderkid playing for England schoolboys at Wembley as well as the successful Bedfordshire Youth side that won the national championship.

Not surprisingly he was snapped up by the Hatters in 1955 and such was his progress that he made his League debut less than a year later. But after this sensational start, he made only sporadic appearances over the next two years before winning a place on the left wing in the Town's FA Cup side in 1959, a side that was kept intact all the way through to the final.

A two-year stint in the National Service followed, as well as a move to Watford, which preceded a tour of the non-League sides in the south combined with a career in marketing.

## Augustine Ashley (Ashley) GRIMES

Manchester United invited Dubliner Ashley over for a trial in 1972 but rejected him only to pay Bohemians £20,000 for him five years later.

Although never a regular at Old Trafford, he did manage nearly 100 League appearances in six years before moving to Coventry in 1983 and then transferring to Luton a year later in a swap deal involving Kirk Stephens. At Kenilworth Road, Ashley added to his Eire international caps and put on many cultured displays at left back or left midfield. Totally left footed, Ashley provided the awkward cross from the right that enabled Brian Stein to score the winner in the 1988 Littlewoods Cup Final. After a spell in Spain, Ashley saw out his career with Stoke before joining old colleague Lou Macari at several clubs as coach. Ashley's son is now on the books at Manchester City.



## Ernest William (Bill) GRIPTON

Cool and commanding centre-half Bill signed on with his local side West Brom before the war and although he held the record for the most war-time appearances for the Baggies he could not hold a regular spot in the side once hostilities finished.

Instead, he moved to Luton for £3,000 in 1948 but could not displace Syd Owen or his deputy Les Hall at the heart of the Hatters' defence but had much more luck at his next club, Bournemouth.

Bill joined Worcester City in 1952 and became their groundsman. Motor Neurone disease forced his early retirement and he sadly died in 1980.

## John GROVES

Son of pre-War Derby star Arthur, who played alongside Luton manager Dally Duncan at the Baseball Ground, it was pre-ordained that young John should sign on for the Hatters just before his 16th birthday.

After National Service, John made his Luton debut as an inside forward before reverting to his favoured wing-half position and going on to make more than 250 appearances, with the highlight of his Hatters career coming in the 1959 FA Cup final.

A move to Bournemouth followed in 1963 but after two seasons he had to retire due to a back injury. He then settled back in his native Derby where he worked for Courtaulds for 30 years. Although now retired, he is still an occasional visitor to Kenilworth Road.

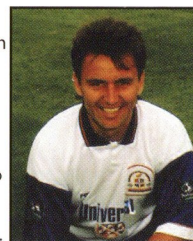


## Bontcho Lubomirov GUENTCHEV

Experienced, skilful, two-footed Bulgarian international Bontcho signed for Ipswich from Sporting Lisbon for £250,000 to a great fanfare in 1992. He became a cult hero at Portman Road due to his heroics in helping Bulgaria through to the 1994 World Cup semi-finals but often flattered to deceive in the blood and thunder of English football.

Moving to Terry Westley's Luton in 1995 he played in a side doomed to relegation and was often asked to turn out up front when his best position was out wide. He failed to make an impact in Division Two and was handed a free transfer in 1997.

After moving around the London non-League circuit Bontcho is now coach at Hendon.



## Alan Nicoll GUILD

Alan combined studying for an eventual first class honours degree in political economy at St Andrews University with appearances as an amateur for East Fife.

Once his studies were completed the giant centre-half accepted an offer to join Luton Town in 1969 but he found his chances limited to one League appearance, at home to Middlesbrough in 1970.

One of four Luton players to join Cambridge United over the summer of 1971, Alan had a better time at the Abbey and was a regular for three seasons before moving to Cambridge City and St Neots and then drifting back to Scotland.

## Robert (Bob) Edward HACKING

An amateur with Blackburn during the War, Bob was later in the RAF stationed in the south and guested for the Hatters, before signing professional forms in April 1945 at the age of 27.

He managed only one League appearance for the Town and was then recruited by Brighton for £500 in 1947 and then on to Southport a year later.

At Haigh Avenue he moved back to wing-half from inside-forward and quickly became a crowd favourite due to his clever ball skills. He managed to play on until 1954 before retiring from the game to become a market gardener. Bob continued to live in the Southport area until his death in 2001.

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# Action Replay

*vs Norwich City,  
Tuesday  
February 27,  
2007*



**LUTON 2  
NORWICH 3**

Attendance: 8,868  
Luton Scorers:  
Runstrom (11),  
Talbot (48)

**Picture: David  
Bell gave an  
inspirational  
performance for  
the Hatters in  
the defeat by  
Norwich, setting  
up both Luton  
goals.**







**Luton:** Beresford, Foley, Spring, Robinson, Runstrom (Feeney 85), Emanuel, Keane, Barnett, Heikkinen, Bell, Talbot

**Subs not used:** Morgan, O'Leary, Boyd, Brill

**Bookings:** None

**Goals:** Runstrom (11), Talbot (48)



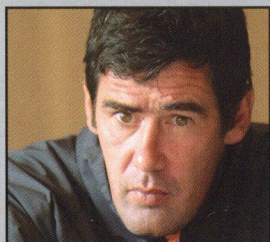
**Norwich:** Gallagher, Drury, Shackell, Huckerby, Croft, Safri, Hughes, Lappin, Etuhu (Fotheringham 64), Doherty, Martin

**Subs not used:** McVeigh, Colin, Eagle, Lewis

**Bookings:** Etuhu (60)

**Goals:** Martin (26), Shackell (73), Lappin (90)

#### From the Manager



"We're bitterly disappointed. We worked ever so hard and we played some good stuff on a pitch that's not conducive to good football. It's a killer blow, to be quite honest. We shot ourselves in the foot in the first half giving the ball away square, which let them back into the game. But I don't think we deserved that outcome."



GOAL - Bjorn Runstrom slots home Luton's opening goal of the evening.



GOAL - Drew Talbot restores Luton's advantage as he heads the ball into an empty net

## LUTON 2 NORWICH 3

Luton were denied a share of the spoils after Norwich midfielder Simon Lappin hit a brilliant injury-time free-kick in a five goal thriller at Kenilworth Road.

The match looked to be heading for a draw before Lappin curled home from 20 yards in the 93rd minute.

Earlier, Luton took the lead through Bjorn Runstrom's 11th minute strike after some great work from David Bell down the left flank.

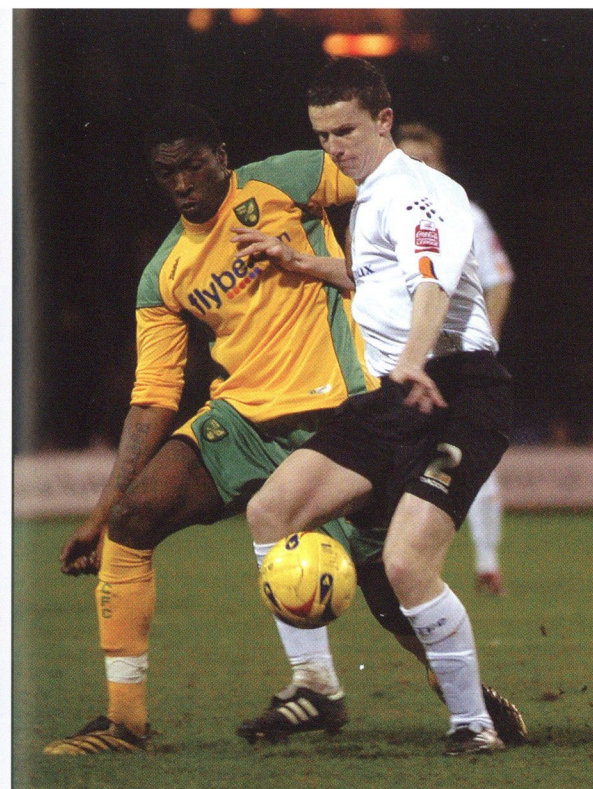
Norwich equalised through Chris Martin on 26 minutes, but the Hatters made the perfect start to the second half when Drew Talbot headed into an empty net after more good

work from Bell down the left.

Jason Shackell brought the visitors back on level terms once again on 73 minutes when Youssef Safri's inswinging free-kick from the left was headed in at the near post by the Canaries defender.

Norwich goalkeeper Paul Gallacher denied Matthew Spring with an acrobatic save in the final moments of the game, before the real drama unfolded.

Three minutes into stoppage time Spring fouled Lee Croft on the edge of the area and Lappin scored with a wonderfully taken free-kick.



Kevin Foley holds off a challenge from Dickson Etuhu



Bjorn Runstrom celebrates the opening goal of the evening



Matthew Spring fires a first half effort against the crossbar





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Stats for Adam Boyd, Lewis Emanuel, Richard Langley Sam Parkin and Matthew Spring are for their respective clubs last season

## Plus Facts and Figures



### 01 *Marlon* Beresford



Position: Goalkeeper  
Date Of Birth: 02-09-69  
Place Of Birth: Lincoln  
Date Signed: June 2004  
First Club: Sheffield Wed  
Previous Club: Barnsley  
2005/06 App: 43\*  
2005/06 Goals: 0\*



### 02 *Kevin* Foley



Position: Defender  
Date Of Birth: 01-11-84  
Place Of Birth: Luton  
Date Signed: Progressed from trainee in 2002  
2005/06 App: 39\*  
2005/06 Goals: 0\*



### 03 *Sol* Davis



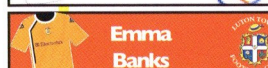
Position: Defender  
Date Of Birth: 04-09-79  
Place Of Birth: Chesham  
Date Signed: August 2002  
First Club: Swindon Town  
Last Club: Swindon Town  
2005/06 App: 23\*  
2005/06 Goals: 0\*



### 04 *Chris* Coyne



Position: Defender  
Date Of Birth: 28-12-78  
Place Of Birth: Brisbane  
Date Signed: Sept 01  
First Club: West Ham Utd  
Last Club: Dundee  
2005/06 App: 33\*  
2005/06 Goals: 3\*



### 05 *Russell* Perrett



Position: Defender  
Date Of Birth: 18-06-73  
Place Of Birth: Barton on Sea  
Date Signed: Aug 2001  
First Club: Leyington  
Last Club: Cardiff  
2005/06 App: 12\*  
2005/06 Goals: 0\*



### 06 *Paul* Underwood



Position: Defender/Midfielder  
Date Of Birth: 16-08-73  
Place Of Birth: Wimbledon  
Date Signed: March 2004  
First Club: Enfield  
Last Club: Rushden & Diam  
2005/06 App: 38\*  
2005/06 Goals: 0\*



### 07 *Matthew* Spring



Position: Midfielder  
Date Of Birth: 17-11-79  
Place Of Birth: Harlow  
Date Signed: Jan 2007  
First Club: Luton  
Last Club: Watford  
2005/06 App: 44\*  
2005/06 Goals: 9\*



### 08 *Steve* Robinson



Position: Midfielder  
Date Of Birth: 10-12-74  
Place Of Birth: Lismore  
Date Signed: June 2002  
First Club: Tottenham  
Last Club: Bristol City  
2005/06 App: 27\*  
2005/06 Goals: 3\*



### 10 *Warren* Feeney



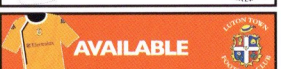
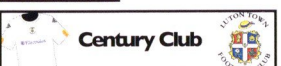
Position: Striker  
Date Of Birth: 17-01-81  
Place Of Birth: Belfast  
Date Signed: March 2005  
First Club: Bradford  
Last Club: Stockport  
2005/06 App: 45\*  
2005/06 Goals: 7\*



### 11 *Dean* Morgan



Position: Midfielder  
Date Of Birth: 03-10-83  
Place Of Birth: Enfield  
Date Signed: July 2005  
First Club: Colchester  
Last Club: Reading  
2005/06 App: 38\*  
2005/06 Goals: 6\*



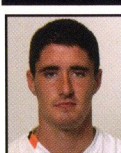
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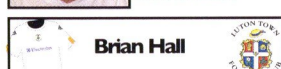
Position: Midfielder  
Date Of Birth: 17-04-83  
Place Of Birth: Ealing  
Date Signed: Progressed from Trainee in 2002  
Last Club: Walsall (loan)  
2005/06 App: 1\*  
2005/06 Goals: 0\*



### 15 *Stephen* O'Leary



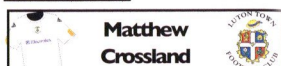
Position: Midfielder  
Date Of Birth: 02/02/85  
Place Of Birth: London  
Date Signed: Progressed from trainee in 2001  
Last Club: Aylesbury (loan)  
2005/06 App: 1\*  
2005/06 Goals: 0\*



### 16 *Lewis* Emanuel



Position: Defender  
Date Of Birth: 14-10-83  
Place Of Birth: Bradford  
Date Signed: July 2006  
First Club: HJK Helsinki  
Last Club: Bradford  
2005/06 App: 43  
2005/06 Goals: 2



### 17 *Richard* Langley



Position: Midfielder  
Date Of Birth: 27-12-79  
Place Of Birth: London  
Date Signed: July 2006  
First Club: QPR  
Last Club: QPR (Resigned)  
2005/06 App: 34\*  
2005/06 Goals: 3\*



### 18 *Armet* Brkovic



Position: Midfielder  
Date Of Birth: 23-09-74  
Place Of Birth: Dubrovnik  
Date Signed: October 2001  
First Club: HNK Dubrovnik  
Last Club: Leyton Orient  
2005/06 App: 44\*  
2005/06 Goals: 8\*



### 19 *Sam* Parkin



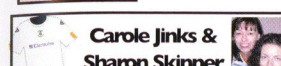
Position: Striker  
Date Of Birth: 14/03/81  
Place Of Birth: Roehampton  
Date Signed: Aug 2006  
Last Club: Ipswich Town  
2005/06 App: 20  
2005/06 Goals: 5



### 20 *Adam* Boyd



Position: Striker  
Date Of Birth: 25-08-82  
Place Of Birth: Hartlepool  
Date Signed: July 2006  
First Club: HJK Helsinki  
Last Club: Hartlepool  
2005/06 App: 22  
2005/06 Goals: 4



### 21 *Kith* Keane



Position: Defender  
Date Of Birth: 20-11-86  
Place Of Birth: Luton  
Date Signed: Progressed from trainee in 2003  
2005/06 App: 12\*  
2005/06 Goals: 1\*



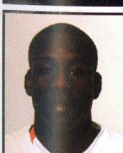
### 22 *Danny* Stevens



Position: Midfielder  
Date Of Birth: 26-11-86  
Place Of Birth: Enfield  
Date Signed: September 2005  
First Club: Tottenham  
Last Club: Tottenham  
2005/06 App: 9\*  
2005/06 Goals: 0\*



### 25 *Leon* Barnett



Position: Defender  
Date Of Birth: 30-11-85  
Place Of Birth: Luton  
Date Signed: Progressed from trainee in 2002  
Last Club: Bristol City (loan)  
2005/06 App: 22\*  
2005/06 Goals: 0\*



### 26 *Markus* Heikkinen



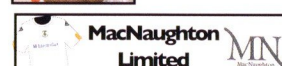
Position: Defender  
Date Of Birth: 13-10-78  
Place Of Birth: Katrineholm  
Date Signed: July 2005  
First Club: HJK Helsinki  
Last Club: Aberdeen  
2005/06 App: 40\*  
2005/06 Goals: 2\*



### 27 *Peter* Holmes



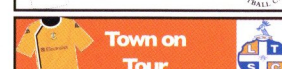
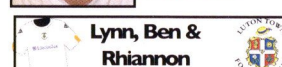
Position: Midfielder  
Date Of Birth: 18-11-80  
Place Of Birth: Bishop Auckland  
Date Signed: Aug 2000  
First Club: Sheffield Wed  
Last Club: Sheffield Wed  
2005/06 App: 25\*  
2005/06 Goals: 2\*



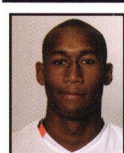
### 28 *David* Bell



Position: Midfielder  
Date Of Birth: 21-01-84  
Place Of Birth: Kettering  
Date Signed: January 2006  
First Club: Rushden & Diam  
Last Club: Rushden & Diam  
2005/06 App: 9\*  
2005/06 Goals: 0\*



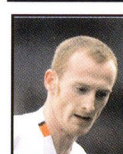
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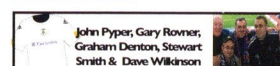
Position: Striker  
Date Of Birth: 19-12-86  
Place Of Birth: Luton  
Date Signed: Progressed from trainee in 2004  
Last Club: Bristol City (loan)  
2005/06 App: 1\*  
2005/06 Goals: 1\*



### 30 *Drew* Talbot



Position: Striker  
Date Of Birth: 19-10-86  
Place Of Birth: Barnsley  
Date Signed: Jan 2007  
First Club: Sheffield Wed  
Last Club: Sheffield Wed  
2005/06 App: 0  
2005/06 Goals: 0



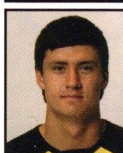
### 33 *Dean* Brill



Position: Goalkeeper  
Date Of Birth: 02-12-85  
Place Of Birth: Luton  
Date Signed: Progressed from trainee in 2002  
2005/06 App: 6\*  
2005/06 Goals: 0\*



### 34 *Zac* Barrett



Position: Goalkeeper  
Date Of Birth: 25-5-88  
Place Of Birth: Stevenage  
Date Signed: Progressed from trainee in 2006  
2005/06 App: 0\*  
2005/06 Goals: 0\*



### *Mike* Newell



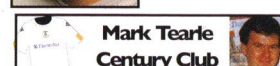
Position: Manager  
Place Of Birth: Liverpool  
Arrived: 2003  
Previous Manager: Hartlepool, Crewe, Wigan, Luton, Leicester, Everton, Blackburn, Birmingham, West Ham, Aberdeen, Bradford, Crewe, Doncaster and Blackpool



### *Brian* Stein



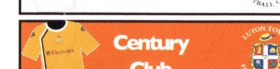
Position: First Team Coach  
Place Of Birth: Cape Town  
Playing Career: Barnet, Arney, Caen, Luton Town, Edgware Town



### *Marvin* Johnson



Position: Reserve/Youth Team Coach  
Place Of Birth: Wembley  
Playing Career: Luton Town



### *Steve* Sedgley



Position: Youth Team Coach  
Date Of Birth: 26-05-68  
Previous Manager: Kingscliff, Coventry, Tottenham, Ipswich and Wolverhampton Wanderers



### *Mark* Ridgway

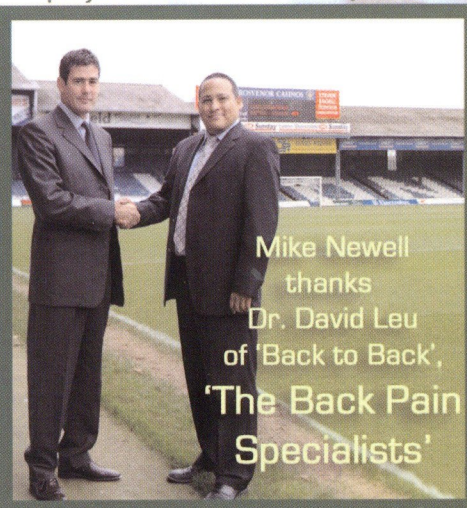


Position: Youth Development Officer  
Place Of Birth: London





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# Luton Reserves

**Coach Marvin Johnson talks about the season so far and the final seven games**

With the Reserves game at home to Oxford on Tuesday night postponed to make way for the re-arranged first team home game against Norwich, Coach Marvin Johnson had some time to reflect on the nature of Reserve team football.

"It's a strange team," he said. "Of course you want to win every game you play, but it's one of the few areas of football where individual performances can be far more important than a result.

"And it's a team made up of different sets of players. You have the pros who have not been involved in the first team, you have players coming back from injury who the Manager might want to have 20 minutes to get some match fitness, and you have some youth players stepping up a level and looking to impress the Manager."

The next Reserves game is at home to Norwich on Tuesday afternoon at Kenilworth Road (kick-off 2pm).

"It will be a tough game," said Marvin. "Norwich are a very good footballing side – the best we've played all season when they beat us comfortably 4-0 at their place in October.

"We don't know who will be available until after Saturday, but it's possible that Calvin Andrew could look to be involved. He's back in training and will be looking to get some games under his belt when the time is right.

"But it's good for youngsters to play against the best opposition possible. You're only going to improve if you're playing against better players than you're used to.

"We beat Milton Keynes Dons 8-0 earlier in the season, but you're not going to get much out of a game like that. You need to get stretched if

you're going to get a good performance out of players and if they're going to improve."

Marvin also thinks that young players at Luton are lucky in that they are not completely divorced from the senior squad.

"It's not Them and Us here. The players all know the youngsters here and are a lot more integrated than at some clubs. We have days when all the players train together and have five-a-sides. Our boys are very fortunate and can learn from the pros. It's great for the youngsters.

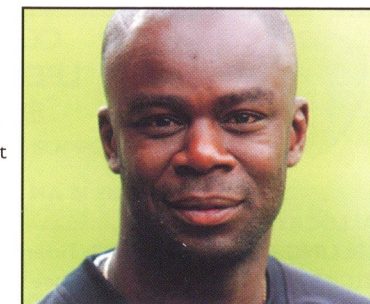
"I also often get the youth players to watch the senior players train when we've finished – see how the pros conduct themselves in training."

And the good news for the young Hatters is that they will still train at the same venue at the new training ground and can continue to absorb the professional approach and learn their trade.

With seven games of the season to go for the Reserves, including two postponed games that have yet to be re-arranged, there's still plenty to play for and plenty to think about for Marvin.

"So far I have to be honest it's been a disappointing season. Although the Club has had a lot of injuries and that affects the players who are available, I would still have expected us to have had a better season.

"The highlight for me was our recent trip to Oxford when in spite of us having eight or nine kids, we beat a very strong Oxford side and had some good individual performances. That's the sort of effort we're looking for now for the rest of the season."



## LTFC RESERVES

Date	Opponent	KO/Result
<b>August</b>		
<b>Tue 15</b>	<b>Leyton Orient</b>	<b>D 2-2</b>
<b>Tue 29</b>	<b>MK Dons</b>	<b>W 8-0</b>
<b>September</b>		
<b>Tue 19</b>	<b>Southend United</b>	<b>L 3-1</b>
<b>October</b>		
<b>Wed 18</b>	<b>Norwich City</b>	<b>L 0-4</b>
<b>November</b>		
<b>Tue 07</b>	<b>Stevenage Borough</b>	<b>W 3-1</b>
<b>Tue 14</b>	<b>Colchester</b>	<b>W 1-0</b>
<b>December</b>		
<b>Wed 13</b>	<b>Northampton Town</b>	<b>D 1-1</b>
<b>January</b>		
<b>Tue 9</b>	<b>Leyton Orient</b>	<b>L 1-3</b>
<b>Tues 23</b>	<b>Southend United</b>	<b>P</b>
<b>February</b>		
<b>Mon 5</b>	<b>Oxford United</b>	<b>W 1-0</b>
<b>Tues 13</b>	<b>Ipswich Town</b>	<b>L 0-1</b>
<b>Wed 21</b>	<b>Stevenage Borough</b>	<b>L 0-3</b>
<b>Tue 27</b>	<b>Oxford United</b>	<b>P</b>
<b>March</b>		
<b>Tue 6</b>	<b>Norwich City</b>	<b>2pm</b>
<b>Tue 20</b>	<b>MK Dons</b>	<b>2pm</b>
<b>April</b>		
<b>Tue 3</b>	<b>Northampton</b>	<b>2pm</b>
<b>Tue 10</b>	<b>Ipswich Town</b>	<b>2pm</b>
<b>Wed 25</b>	<b>Colchester United</b>	<b>2pm</b>

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Ipswich	11	10	0	1	31	8	30
Colchester	11	4	5	2	13	10	17
Southend	10	5	1	4	20	15	16
Leyton Orient	8	3	5	0	12	6	14
<b>LUTON</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>
Northampton	9	3	3	3	8	9	12
MK Dons	7	3	0	4	10	16	9
Norwich	9	2	3	4	12	18	9
Stevenage	10	1	3	6	8	17	6
Oxford	9	0	2	7	8	26	2





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**COCA-COLA CHAMPIONSHIP**  
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**ALLOCATION:** We have received an initial allocation of 1,708.

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**LUTON TOWN V IPSWICH TOWN**  
Saturday March 17, 2007  
Kick-Off 3pm



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Saturday March 31, 2007  
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**COCA-COLA CHAMPIONSHIP**  
**LUTON TOWN V SOUTHAMPTON**  
Saturday April 7, 2007  
Kick-Off 3pm



Tickets are now on sale at normal pre-matchday prices.

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**COCA-COLA CHAMPIONSHIP**  
**QPR V LUTON TOWN**  
Monday April 9, 2007  
Kick-Off 3pm



**THIS MATCH IS ALL TICKET FOR LUTON TOWN SUPPORTERS**

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**SELLING ARRANGEMENTS:** Tickets are on general sale now until close of business on Saturday April 7 (subject to availability.)

**TICKET PRICES:** Ticket prices prior to matchday is as follows:

Adult £24, Under 16s (with Adult) £5, Under 16s (unaccompanied) £8, U8s Free

Students (21 or under - ID required at turnstile) £14, Senior (Over 60) £14

Wheelchair Disabled and Visually Impaired £13 with a Carer free of charge

## TRAVEL GUIDE



**By Car:** Elland Road is an easy ground to locate as it's well signposted and is situated right by the M621. Take M1 northbound and then onto the M621. You will pass the ground on your left and then you need to take the next exit from the motorway and turn left onto the A6110 ring road. Take the next left onto Elland Road for the ground.

**Parking:** There are a couple of very large car parks near the ground although some do charge a large fee.

### SUPPORTERS CLUBS

**Town on Tour** will be leaving Maple Road at 10am with a stop at MK Coachway approximately 30 minutes later. The fare for LTSC members is £19, £17 concessions and £21 non-members. To book seats for this trip, visit the supporters kiosk or phone 07960 567465. You can book online by visiting the fans section of [www.lutontown.co.uk](http://www.lutontown.co.uk) or via [www.lutontownfc.co.uk](http://www.lutontownfc.co.uk)

**The Bobbers Travel Club** will depart from Cranfield at 8:30am and Luton at 9:30pm. Costs for this trip is £18.50 adults and £15 child and OAP. Supporters wishing to book their place for this trip should visit the Bobbers Travel Kiosk, at the back of the Kenilworth Road end of the ground, or telephone 01234 856542.



**By Car:** Burnley is yet another easy ground to get to on the road as it is not far off the M65. From Luton, take the M1 northbound, to join the M6. Leave the M6 at Junction 29 and onto the M65, turning off at Junction 10. When you exit the motorway, follow signs for Towneley Hall. This road eventually goes past the ground.

**Parking:** There is a car park available at the cricket ground, by Turf Moor, which costs £3. Otherwise, its street parking.

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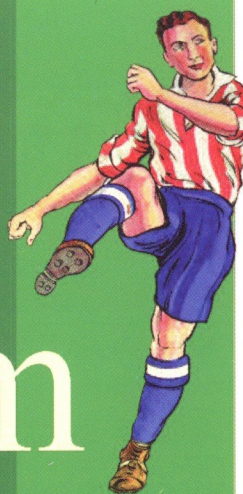
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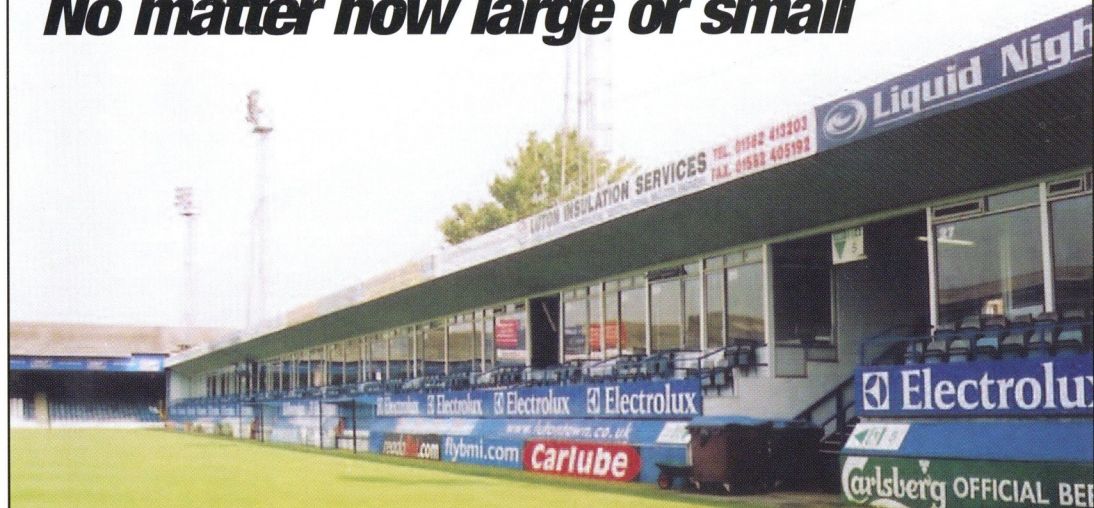
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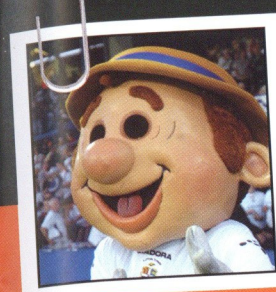
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Because he wanted to see time fly!

**What is a computer's favorite dance?**

Disk-o

**What did the pencil sharpener say to the pencil?**

Stop going round in circles and get to the point!

## Today's Mascots

Welcome to today's Mascots.

*Home Mascot*



**Name:**

Solomon Miller

**Age:** 13

**Favourite Player:**

Dean Morgan

**School Attended:**

Carlton-le-Willows,  
Nottingham

**Hobbies:**

Watching Luton Town and  
playing football

*Away Mascot*



**Name:**

Jamie Connolly

**Age:** 9

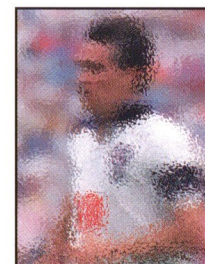
**Favourite Player:**

Jay Bothroyd

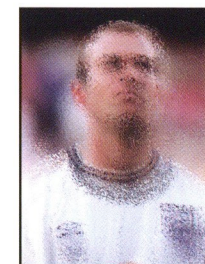
## Junior Hatters Quiz

Can you identify these former England international players?

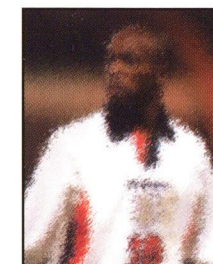
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ANSWERS - GUESS WHO: Garry Lineker, Alan Shearer and Ian Wright

*Away Mascot*

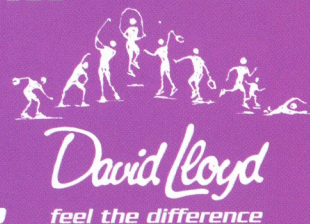
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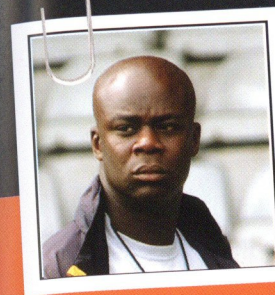
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## Luton Youths

Marvin Johnson on a spirited fight  
from a young Luton side

**Saturday February 24**  
**Football League Youth Alliance**  
**South East Division**  
**Luton Town Youth 2 (Ryan, Salapatras) v Wycombe Wanderers Youth 4**

Luton's youngsters were hit by two goals at the start of each half, but instead of their heads going down, they stuck at it, scored twice to make the game more respectable, but couldn't find another breakthrough.

"That was the most pleasing thing about the game," said Coach Marvin Johnson. "When we played QPR the week before, as soon as the first goal went in against us, players seemed to get deflated.

"On Saturday, even though we found ourselves 4-0 down 10 minutes into the second half, we kept going. We kept at it for the full 90 minutes."

Wycombe came out strongly and were two goals up in the first 20 minutes.

Firstly a cross from the right was fired in at the far post, then the young Hatters had a stroke of bad luck when keeper Ross Faulds came out for a cross and punched it off the head of a defender and into his own net.

"That was hard luck," said Marvin, "but we kept it to 2-0 at half time, although we only managed to create a couple of half chances for the remainder of the first half."

The second half then started just as badly as the first. A move down the left by Wycombe led to a free header at the far post. Then a free kick and another header made it four.

"It was bad marking and we hadn't played well up to that point. We were giving the ball away, not tracking back... but even at 4-0 down the boys didn't fold. The effort was still there."

Luton got back into the game with a sweet free kick by Ryan Charles from just outside the box, which the young

Hatters curled expertly into the top corner of the Wycombe net.

"We work on free kick routines in training and it's great to see one come off in a game."

That goal gave the boys a real lift and more was to come five minutes later.

Nikos Salapatras took a ball outside the box, turned and hit a shot into the roof of the net.

"At 4-2, I was thinking that if we could get another we might still make the last 15 minutes interesting.

"Unfortunately, although we made a couple of half chances, we couldn't add to what we had and give them a nervous few minutes.

"As I said to the boys afterwards, you're always going to struggle if you give the other side a start and you make it very difficult for yourselves if it's a four-goal start..."

Some good news for Luton was that two players making returns from injury came on as substitutes.

Jamie McGuinness played the last 19 minutes and Matthew Maitland came on for the last 12.

"It's good for them and they will probably be involved in our game at Northampton at the weekend.

"It's difficult to know what to expect from teams at this time of the year or how strong the opposition will be.

"Some clubs release the players they won't be keeping earlier than others, so we'll have to wait and see."

Luton beat the young Cobblers 4-0 at home back in November.

Luton team: R. Faulds, L. Ferrell, G. Beaven, D. Hamilton, R. Biggs, B. Strang, N. Salapatras, R. Sinclair, R. Charles, M. Kenneford, E. Osborne-Ricketts

Subs: J. McGuinness, J. Sillitoe, M. Maitland, S. Sinclair, J. Selby

### LTFC YOUTH

Date	Opponent	KO/Result
<b>August</b>		
Sat 12	Southend United	L 2-3
Sat 19	Colchester United	D 1-1
<b>September</b>		
Sat 2	Hereford United (PY)	W 7-0
Sat 9	Bristol Rovers (PY)	D 1-1
Sat 16	Leyton Orient (PY)	L 0-2
Sat 23	Leyton Orient	W 1-0
Sat 30	Portsmouth	W 2-1
<b>October</b>		
Sat 7	Rushden & D (PY)	L 0-4
Sat 21	QPR	W 3-1
Sat 28	Wycombe Wanderers	L 0-1
<b>November</b>		
Sat 4	Northampton Town	W 4-0
Sat 11	Cheltenham Town (PY)	W 2-1
Sat 18	Northampton Town (PY)	L 1-2
Sat 25	Gillingham	L 1-2
<b>December</b>		
Wed 6	Huddersfield (FAYC rd3)	W 1-0
Sat 9	Brighton & Hove Albion	P-P
Sat 16	Brentford	W 2-1
<b>January</b>		
Sat 6	Rushden & Diam	W 3-0
Wed 10	Burnley (FAYC rd4)	L 0-2
Sat 13	Southend United	L 1-4
Sat 20	Colchester United	P-P
<b>February</b>		
Sat 3	Leyton Orient	L 1-2
Sat 10	Portsmouth	P-P
Sat 17	QPR	L 0-5
Sat 24	Wycombe Wanderers	L 2-4
<b>March</b>		
Sat 03	Northampton Town	11am
Sat 17	Gillingham	11am
Sat 24	Brighton & Hove Albion	11am
Sat 31	Brentford	11am
<b>April</b>		
Sat 14	Rushden & Diamonds	11am

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Gillingham	16	10	3	3	38	24	33
QPR	15	10	2	3	37	19	32
Southend Utd	16	9	3	4	34	22	30
Colchester	14	7	5	2	29	18	26
Wycombe W	15	7	3	5	23	14	24
Rushden & D	17	6	3	8	20	33	21
Brighton	13	5	4	4	12	12	19
<b>Luton Town</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>19</b>
Brentford	17	5	4	8	17	20	19
Leyton Orient	16	5	1	10	15	28	16
Northampton	14	3	4	7	20	32	13
Portsmouth	15	1	1	13	10	31	4





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# Luton Town Ladies

**Dave Baker reports on the latest from the Luton Ladies side**

**T**he Ladies are in the middle of their best run ever at this level with their last league defeat as long ago as October 15. So it was important to keep the momentum going when we entertained Clevedon Town, who a rampant Ladies side had heavily defeated just three weeks earlier in the cup.

Great efforts were made to start the game even though there was standing water in some areas but the boggy conditions did not stop Luton getting off to a quick start. Rebecca Kane beat her marker to send a tempting cross into the far post which Micky Taylor headed just wide at a stretch.

The visitors were straight on the back foot and fell behind after six minutes when Kaylee Owen played a neat wall pass with Taylor and slid the ball past the onrushing

keeper to make it 1-0. The first 30 minutes were totally dominated by Luton and a number of chances went begging with the closest coming from Janine Daly who struck the post from a rebound when the overworked Clevedon keeper could only parry a Rebecca Kane shot.

It was no surprise when Luton extended their lead when a neat interchange on the left found Tanya Blacksley, whose shot sailed high over the keeper, dipping in at the far post.

Clevedon pushed hard for a goal to get them back in the game but were denied by some efficient defensive work and two excellent diving saves from stand-in keeper Amy Summerfield, who again did superbly.

Rather surprisingly Clevedon attempted to rely on an inefficient

offside trap after the interval and it was breached several times. Soon it was 3-0 as Kane turned on a through ball into the box to shoot home low into the net.

At that point Luton eased off and the Somerset side took full advantage to snatch a goal back. They then began pressing hard to pull back the two-goal deficit.

But Luton pressed forward in search of another goal and with some very clever play sprang the offside trap to let Kane beat the keeper with a rising short into the far corner. All credit to the visitors, who again pressed forward and snatched another goal back through a freak incident when the ball got stuck in a puddle and the Clevedon striker poked it home to make it 4-2, but that was the final score.

The Luton team was Amy Summerfield, Laura Massey, Lizzie Randall, Carly Cowell, Stacey Connell, Siobhan McCay, Kaylee Owen, Tanya Blacksley, Micky Taylor, Rebecca Kane, Janine Daly, Shelly Miller and Michelle Byrne.

Luton are now in a very respectable sixth place and looking to push into the top five after a slow start to the season when they were initially unable to cope with an early season injury crisis. The emergence of the young reserve squad has certainly been a major bonus with a number of players stepping up to compete at the higher level and coping well.



Siobhan McCay in action during the match against Clevedon Town last Sunday

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# Football in the Community

Stuart Smith brings us the latest news from the Community Department



Good afternoon and welcome to the game. Today thanks to the generosity of our Football Club we have 200 extra supporters cheering the team. To make use of these tickets the Department has invited all the boys from our Performance Centre to today's game.

This is a big day for the Performance Centre boys. They are to be rewarded for their success in achieving the higher level of our Development Programme by being given the chance to walk around the pitch before the game and to be introduced to the crowd. The Performance Centre opened in September 2006 and aims to feed players into the Club's Centre of Excellence. So far five players have been signed and six players are currently trialling with us.

On a personal basis I would like to thank the Club for providing the opportunity for these young people to attend the game. These boys and girls are our fans and players of the future and hopefully they will go onto bigger and better things at the Club.

Below I have listed the names of all the Performance Centre Boys who are attending today.

#### Under 9

CAMERON WESTROPE  
DAVID JOHNSON  
ELLIS MINOTT  
GEORGE BARNELL  
HARRY LANDER  
HARRY DUDMISH  
HARRY GENT  
JAKE BROWN  
JAMES KEMPTON  
JARRED WHITE  
KAIMON THOMPSON  
KAINE CAMPBELL  
KENAN EKOLI  
LOUIS-MICHEL YAMFAM  
NEEL SLATTER  
PATRICK MCAFFERTY  
REECE WILLIAMS  
SANTINO CILIBERTI  
THOMAS BATES

#### Under 10

ALEX ROBINSON-WELSH  
BRANDON NABARRO  
CALLUM SMITH  
CALLUM HORGAN  
CALLUM MASON  
CHARLIE BLACK  
CHRISTIAN FARUGIA  
CONNOR ROBERTSON  
DANIEL HARPUR  
DREW CARDINES

ETHAN SINCLAIR  
JASON HURLEY  
JOSHUA CUMMINS  
NICO PAOLINI  
OLIVER BATES  
REECE KING  
RHYS GARDINER  
RYAN MCLAUGHLIN  
RYAN BHATTI  
SEAD DAVTOVIC  
TOMMY STIMPSON

#### Under 11

ASHLEY DEAN  
BILLY WHEELER  
BOBBY LE FEVRE  
CALLUM DELPRATT  
CHARLIE CULLEN  
CHARLIE THURSTON  
CODY O'NEILL  
ELLIOTT REEDER  
GEORGE IRONTON  
IAN REES  
JACK VASEY  
JACK CROW  
JOEL KHALILI  
KAMRAN KHAN  
KANE FARRELL  
NICK CILIBERTI  
PIERRE-MARCEL YAMFAM  
TOM CALDON

#### Under 12

ADAM BOOTH  
BRADLEY TURNER  
BRANDON GRAHAM  
BRETT LONGDEN  
CONNOR DELANEY  
GEORGE NIVEN  
GEORGE KIELY  
GEORGE SANDERS  
GLENN TUXFORD  
HARRY CARR  
HARRY ELLIOTT  
JAKK PURSEY  
JORDAN DAVIS  
KEATON WASHINGTON  
KIT ELLAM  
MARTIN MCGARRELL  
PAUL MUNDY  
SAM WILLET  
SPENCER PARK  
THOMAS GORNALL

#### Under 13

AARON MURRAY  
ALEX SMITH  
BOBBY FRAME  
CHRIS FOSTER  
DANIEL CROWIE  
GEORGE HUMPHREYS  
JACK LAUDER  
JONATHAN MCNAMARA  
JORDAN BATCHELOR

JORDAN BORRIE  
JOSEPH TANDOH  
JOSH MCCLELLAND  
JOSHUA STURNOIO  
LUKE HALL  
MICHAEL SINCLAIR  
NATHAN LARRIER  
NEWMAN CARNEY  
OLIVER HAYWARD  
RYAN WILLIAMS  
SAUL WILLIAMS  
RYAN YULE  
STEVEN FROGLEY  
TYRONE MARSH

#### Under 14

ASHLEY BLOOMFIELD  
CHARLES QUIGLEY  
JAKE GILLINGWATER  
JAMIE GERRARD  
JOE LEE  
LEE CLOSE  
MICHAEL PORTER  
NATHAN BURROWS  
NATHAN RONAN  
PAUL BORELAND  
PETER BAMPTON  
SAM SLATTER  
SAMUEL EVANS  
SAMUEL ROSE  
STEPHEN COLMAN  
TOM FINCH

#### Under 15

AIDEN DENTON  
BEN RIGBY  
BENJAMINE TANDOH  
JACK BRIDGES  
JACK EMERSON  
JACK MAGILL  
JAMES MCNAMARA  
KERRY BUCKINGHAM  
LEWIS OSBORNE  
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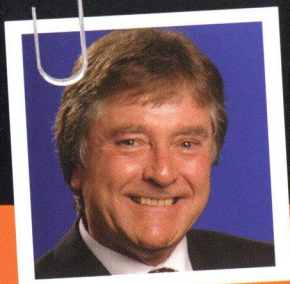
#### Under 16

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# Commercial news with **Peter Davis**

**Peter Davis welcomes this afternoon's sponsors to Kenilworth Road**

**G**ood afternoon and welcome to all our commercial partners and to this afternoon's match sponsors to our game against Wolverhampton Wanderers. Due to all of the unavoidable weather related problems and our Fourth Round FA Cup meeting with Blackburn Rovers, it is a great feeling to be able to play Championship football again on a Saturday afternoon with a traditional 3pm kick off. For for the statisticians among you, this is our first Saturday home game since January 20. With a full match sponsorship programme again today, we welcome back NatWest Bank who join us Associate Sponsors, plus for their first visit to Kenilworth Road Kuehne + Nagel as Match Ball Sponsors.

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□ Jane Clark of GMAC, presenting Man of the Match David Bell with his Trophy after the Norwich game



□ Guests of NatWest Bank in the home dressing room pre kick-off



□ Commercial Mascot Jessica Morris collecting her certificate from squad members

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## **Commercial Mascot:** **Callum Tompkins**

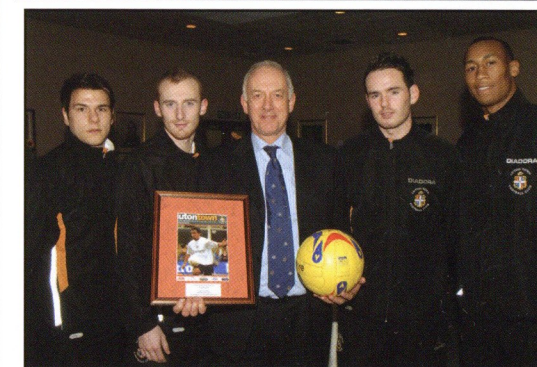


We welcome eleven-year-old Callum Tompkins – who has a birthday on March 25 – as this afternoon's commercial mascot. Living in Luton and attending Millvale Middle School, Callum enjoys playing golf as well football and is a regular visitor to Kenilworth Road with his

Dad, Uncles Alex and Marc, and his Grandad. Sol Davis is Callum's favourite Luton player and he will have an opportunity to meet his hero today as well as other members of the squad today. We all hope that Callum and his family have a memorable time with us here this afternoon.

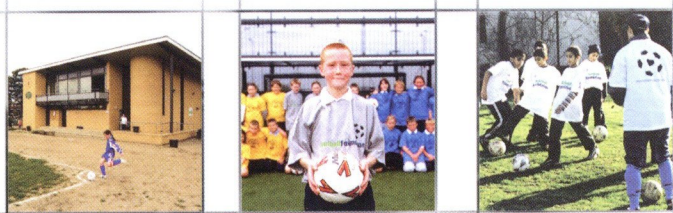


□ Match Sponsors GMAC receiving their certificate from squad members



□ David Eade collecting the NatWest Bank associate sponsors award





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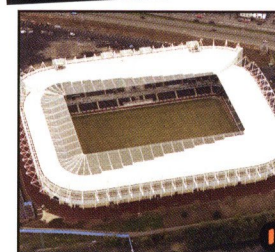
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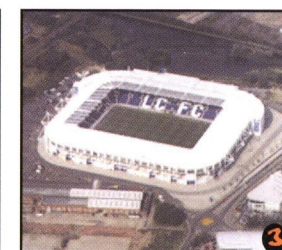
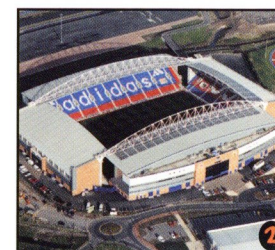
1. Who is current manager of Leicester City?
2. Who won the last European Cup Winners Cup, which was played in 1999?
3. Who were the first team to score nine goals in a Premiership game?
4. Which League Two team is known as The Pirates?
5. Which country won the 1970 World Cup?
6. Which country is current West Ham United goalkeeper Roy Carroll from?
7. At which club did England striker Ian Wright start his career?
8. Who did Ruud Van Nistelrooy play for before joining Manchester United?
9. Which Nationwide Conference team has the same stadium name as Newcastle United?
10. Who is the longest-serving manager in the Football League?

### Name that Ground



Name the teams who play at these three grounds

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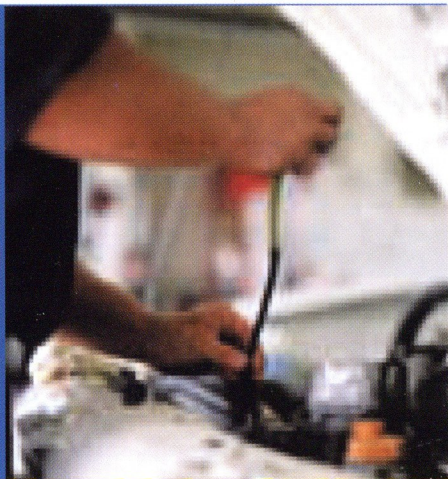
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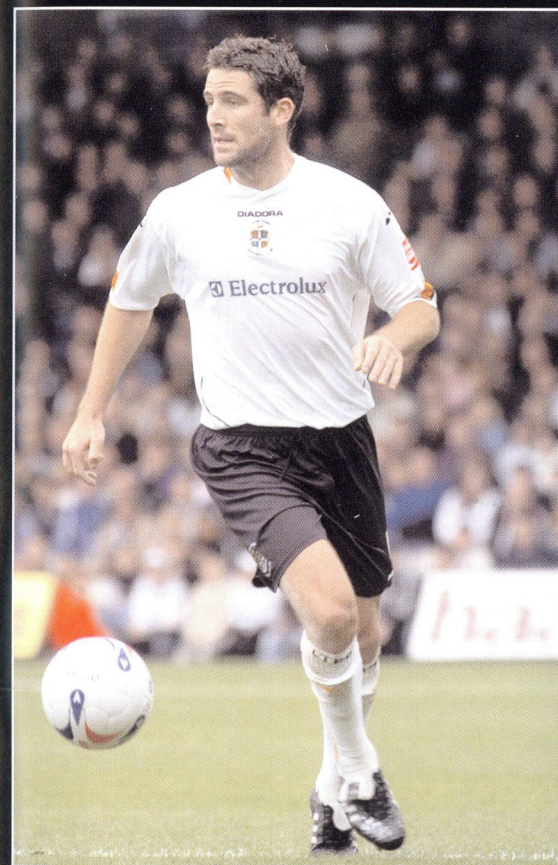


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**SUNDAY**  
**25**  
**FEBRUARY**

## WBA hope to keep Kamara

West Bromwich Albion manager Tony Mowbray has warned it will take "ridiculous money" for him to consider selling Senegal's

Diomansy Kamara.

Kamara has been linked with a move to Premiership side Middlesbrough.

Mowbray said: "I have always said everybody has a price and if someone wants to offer ridiculous money for any of our players it will be considered."

"He's desperate to win games for us. You can see his joy when we win. I've no fears about him being distracted."

Mowbray has made it clear he wants Kamara, who has more than three years left of his contract, to play a leading role if Albion regain their top-flight status.



**ALSO...** Huddersfield boss Peter Jackson signs Barnsley striker Paul Hayes..... Coventry midfielder Don Hutchison suffers a setback in his recovery from a broken ankle that could prolong his return to action by another six weeks.

**MONDAY**  
**26**  
**FEBRUARY**

## Cardiff begin Chopra talks

Cardiff City will this week begin negotiations to extend leading scorer Michael Chopra's two-year contract.

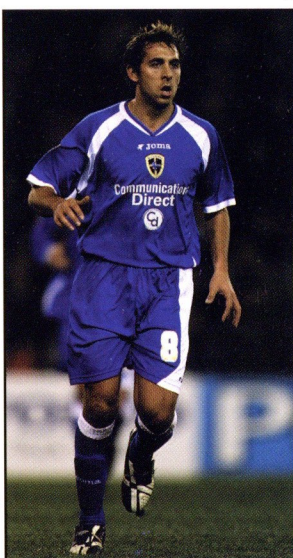
A clause in the 22-year-old striker's current deal has been activated because he has reached a 20-goal target and he is now entitled to improved terms.

Cardiff chairman Peter Ridsdale said: "When Michael Chopra's original contract was drawn up we felt 20 goals would be a tall order."

"But Michael has done exceptionally well for us."

Chopra now has 21 goals for the season.

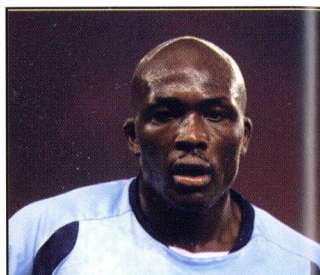
Meanwhile, Cardiff winger Luigi Glombard has returned to Ninian Park following a month-long loan spell with Championship rivals Leicester.



**ALSO...** Coventry City manager Iain Dowie appoints former Luton striker Frankie Bunn as his new first team coach..... Ipswich midfielder Darren Currie is handed a two-week trial with Los Angeles Galaxy

**TUESDAY**  
**27**  
**FEBRUARY**

## Nosworthy not fazed by new role



Sunderland's Nyron Nosworthy says his switch from full-back to central defence has helped to improve his game.

Nosworthy, 25, was converted to centre-back by manager Roy Keane at the turn of the year, and has put in a string of impressive performances.

"I have to concentrate a lot more now, and organise the people around me," he said.

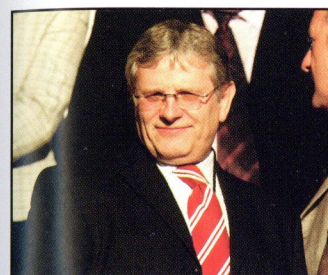
"I've taken to the position, and we are winning games. I'm enjoying it, and I think it's brought my game on a lot."

Brixton-born Nosworthy played 199 games for Gillingham, before signing for Sunderland on a free transfer in 2005.

**ALSO...** Preston's promotion is hit by a double injury blow with Simon Whaley set to miss the rest of the season and Paul McKenna possibly facing surgery..... Veteran Southampton goalkeeper Kevin Miller rejects the chance to stay on loan at Torquay for a second month

**WEDNESDAY**  
**28**  
**FEBRUARY**

## Saints chairman steps down



Michael Wilde has resigned as chairman of Southampton.

He has also stepped down as a director of the club, and as vice-chairman and a director of parent company Southampton Leisure Holdings plc (SLH).

Wilde, 54, replaced Rupert Lowe as Saints' club chairman in June 2006.

A statement read: "Michael led the initiative to secure new investment monies. He has been unsuccessful in those endeavours."

It added: "In consequence of this, the board reassigned the task of raising new funds to other directors of SLH."

**ALSO...** Sheffield Wednesday boss Brian Laws insists on-loan keeper Mark Crossley is still in his plans, despite the arrival of Iain Turner on loan from Everton..... Bradford City have extended on-loan striker Billy Paynter's stay from Southend until the end of the season.

**THURSDAY**  
**1**  
**MARCH**

## Hibbert sidelined for six weeks



Preston striker Dave Hibbert faces four to six weeks on the sidelines after discovering a persistent ankle injury is ruptured ligaments.

Hibbert is on loan at Bradford until 9 April - and may have played his last game for the Yorkshire club.

The 21-year-old is back at Deepdale for a full assessment of the injury.

"It has been a pain because I started the first four games of my loan spell at Bradford but it has been niggling me," Hibbert said

"I thought I had better get it sorted out but the scans have shown that it is quite bad."

**ALSO...** Sunderland boss Roy Keane is named as the Championship's manager of the month for February..... Former Plymouth striker Ian Stonebridge has been forced to retire from the game because of injury at the age of 25.

**FRIDAY**  
**2**  
**MARCH**

## U's consider Ipswich ground share

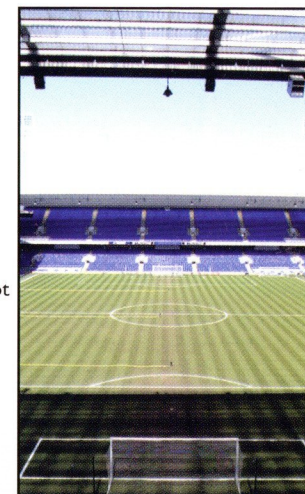
Colchester would consider a groundshare with rivals Ipswich next season if they win promotion to the Premiership.

The U's Layer Road Stadium falls short of Premier League ground criteria and a planned new home is not expected to be ready until the 2008/09 season.

They can still make the Championship play-offs and are thinking about how they would approach the top flight.

Chief executive Marie Partner told BBC Sport: "Looking at the alternatives it would have to be Portman Road."

**ALSO...** Defender Jonathan Fortune is recalled by Charlton from his loan spell at Championship side Stoke..... Wolverhampton Wanderers have awarded senior contracts to midfielders Elliot Bennett and Mark Salmon, central defender Lee Collins and forward Liam Hughes.







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## 2006/2007 Appearances

This Season										International App			Luton Town Career	
		League		Cup Competitions		Total		Disciplinary						
		App	Gls	App	Gls	App	Gls	Yel	Red	Nation	Caps	Gls	App	Gls
1	Marlon BERESFORD	22	0	5	0	27	0	1	1				129	0
2	Kevin FOLEY	31	0	3(2)	0	34(2)	0	0	0	Rep U21 (plus Rep 'B')	2	0	158	5
3	Sol DAVIS	17(3)	0	5	0	22(3)	0	4	1				180	2
4	Chris COYNE	5(5)	0	4	0	9(5)	0	1	0				219	15
5	Russell PERRETT	8(2)	1	3	0	11(2)	0	2	0				109	9
6	Paul UNDERWOOD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				72	5
7	Carlos EDWARDS	26	6	2(1)	0	28(1)	6	1	0	Trin & Tob	3	0	74	8
7	Matthew SPRING	6	0	0	0	6	0	0	0				295	30
8	Steve ROBINSON	29(1)	0	4	0	33(1)	0	3	0				169	11
9	Bjorn RUNSTROM	5	2	0	0	5	2	1	0				5	2
9	Rowan VINE	26	12	2(2)	2	28(2)	14	9	0				111	33
10	Warren FEENEY	14(11)	2	3	2	17(11)	4	1	0	N Ireland	(5)	0	79	11
11	Dean MORGAN	20(12)	4	4(2)	1	24(14)	5	3	0				77	11
14	Michael LEARY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				32	3
15	Stephen O'LEARY	2(1)	0	3(1)	0	4(2)	0	0	0				34	2
16	Lewis EMANUEL	29(1)	1	2	0	31(1)	1	2	1	Rep 'B'	1	0	32	1
17	Richard LANGLEY	17(5)	1	4	0	21(5)	1	3	1				26	1
18	Ahmet BRKOVIC	12(5)	3	4(1)	0	16(6)	3	2	0				216	38
19	Sam PARKIN	7(1)	1	0	0	7(1)	1	1	0				7	1
20	Adam BOYD	5(14)	1	4(1)	1	9(15)	2	0	0				26	2
21	Keith KEANE	8(2)	1	3(1)	0	11(3)	1	1	0				62	3
22	Danny STEVENS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				1	0
23	Dean KIELY	11	0	0	0	11	0	0	0				11	0
24	Shaun ROSS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0
25	Leon BARNETT	30	2	4	0	34	2	6	0				61	2
26	Markus HEIKKINEN	27	1	0	0	27	1	5	0	Finland	4	0	67	3
27	Peter HOLMES	3(2)	0	2	0	3(2)	0	2	0				127	12
28	David BELL	18(6)	2	5	0	23(4)	2	1	1				38	2
29	Calvin ANDREW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				12	1
30	Drew TALBOT	5	2	1	0	6	2	1	0				6	2
33	Dean BRILL	1(1)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				15	0
34	Zac BARRETT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0
35	Chris PENDLETON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0

(SUBSTITUTE APPEARANCES IN BRACKETS) (THIS SEASON AND INTERNATIONAL STATISTICS INCLUDE ALL COMPETITIVE FIXTURES FROM JULY 1)

## ALL THE GOALS

### HOW THEY WENT IN:

SHOTS:.....	34	HEADERS:.....	9
PENALTIES:.....	3	OWN GOALS:.....	3
FREE-KICKS:.....	1	TOTAL:.....	50

## A GAME OF TWO HALVES

### FIRST HALF RECORD:

PLAYED 36 - W 10 - D 16 - L 10 - F 21 - A 24 PTS 46

### SECOND HALF RECORD:

PLAYED 36 - W 10 - D 11 - L 15 - F 27 - A 37 PTS 41

## OTHER INTERESTING STATS

Luton Town score first goal:.....	15
Opponents score first goal:.....	19
No goals scored:.....	4
Luton Town score first and win:.....	9
Luton Town score first and draw:.....	3
Luton Town score first and lose:.....	3
Luton Town fail to score:.....	10
Opponents score first and win:.....	14
Opponents score first and draw:.....	3
Opponents score first and lose:.....	2
Opponents fail to score:.....	7
Luton goals at the Kenilworth Road End:.....	20
Luton goals at the Oak Road End:.....	10
Opponents goals at the Kenilworth Road End:.....	12
Opponents goals at the Oak Road End:.....	12



**THE KEY:** Scorer in **Bold** ■ Cautioned; □ Dismissed; \*Denotes own goal in Luton's favour \* Match to be shown on Sky Sports, CC = Carling Cup  
◆ Luton win on penalties → First Substitution → Second Substitution → Third Substitution

	DATE	FIXTURE	RES	ATT	AWAY	POS	Barnett																Edwards							
	Sat 5	LEICESTER CITY*	2-0	8,131	1,198	2	Beresford	Foley	Barnett	Heikkinen	Davis	Emanuel	Robinson	Langley	Edwards	Vine	Feeney	Barrett	Boyd	Brkovic	Morgan	Perrett								
AUG 06	Tues 8	Sheffield Wednesday	1-0	22,613	719	3	Beresford	Foley	Barnett	Heikkinen	Davis	Emanuel	Robinson	Langley	Edwards	Vine	Feeney	Brill	Boyd	Coyne	Morgan	Perrett								
	Sat 12	Norwich City	2-3	22,863	1,221	6	Beresford	Foley	Barnett	Heikkinen	Davis	Emanuel	Robinson	Langley	Edwards	Vine	Feeney	Brill	Boyd	Coyne	Morgan	Perrett								
	Sat 19	STOKE CITY	2-2	7,727	614	5	Beresford	Foley	Barnett	Coyne	Davis	Emanuel	Holmes	Langley	Edwards	Vine	Feeney	Brill	Boyd	Brkovic	Keane	Morgan								
	Tues 22	Bristol Rovers (CC1)	1-1	2,882	275	-	Beresford	Keane	Barnett	Coyne	Davis	Brkovic	Holmes	O'Leary	Bell	Boyd	Morgan	Brill	Edwards	Foley	Stevens	Vine								
	Sat 26	Wolves	0-1	19,378	1,069	10	Beresford	Foley	Barnett	Heikkinen	Davis	Emanuel	Robinson	Langley	Edwards	Vine	Feeney	Brill	Bell	Keane	Morgan	Parkin								
SEPT 06	Sat 9	CRYSTAL PALACE	2-1	9,187	1,800	6	Beresford	Foley	Barnett	Heikkinen	Davis	Emanuel	Robinson	Langley	Edwards	Vine	Parkin	Brill	Brkovic	Feeney	Keane	Morgan								
	Tues 12	COLCHESTER UNITED	1-1	7,609	429	7	Beresford	Foley	Barnett	Heikkinen	Davis	Emanuel	Robinson	Langley	Edwards	Vine	Parkin	Brill	Brkovic	Feeney	Keane	Morgan								
	Sat 16	Cardiff City	1-4	14,108	329	12	Beresford	Foley	Barnett	Heikkinen	Davis	Emanuel	Robinson	Langley	Edwards	Vine	Parkin	Brill	Brkovic	Coyne	Feeney	Morgan								
	Tues 19	Brentford (CC2)	3-0	3,005	598	-	Beresford	Edwards	Barnett	Keane	Holmes	Morgan	Bell	O'Leary	Brkovic	Boyd	Feeney	Brill	Foley	Langley	Stevens	Vine								
	Sat 23	WBA	2-2	9,332	1,737	12	Beresford	Foley	Barnett	Heikkinen	Emanuel	Morgan	Robinson	Langley	Edwards	Vine	Parkin	Brill	Brkovic	Feeney	Holmes	Keane								
	Sat 30	Barnsley	2-1	10,175	738	11	Beresford	Foley	Barnett	Heikkinen	Emanuel	Morgan	Robinson	Langley	Edwards	Vine	Parkin	Brill	Brkovic	Davis	Feeney	Keane								
OCT 06	Sat 14	BIRMINGHAM CITY	3-2	9,275	1,503	7	Beresford	Foley	Barnett	Heikkinen	Davis	Emanuel	Robinson	O'Leary	Edwards	Vine	Parkin	Brill	Bell	Feeney	Keane	Morgan								
	Tues 17	Hull City	0-0	14,895	232	7	Beresford	Foley	Barnett	Heikkinen	Davis	Morgan	Langley	O'Leary	Bell	Vine	Parkin	Brill	Boyd	Feeney	Holmes	Keane								
	Sat 21	LEEDS UNITED	5-1	10,260	1,800	5	Beresford	Foley	Barnett	Heikkinen	Davis	Morgan	Robinson	Bell	Edwards	Vine	Feeney	Brill	Boyd	Keane	Langley	O'Leary								
	Tues 24	Everton (CC3)	0-4	27,149	2,334	-	Beresford	Foley	Barnett	Keane	Davis	Morgan	Robinson	Bell	Edwards	Vine	Feeney	Brill	Boyd	Brkovic	Emanuel	O'Leary								
	Sun 29	Ipswich Town*	0-5	20,975	tbc	9	Beresford	Foley	Barnett	Keane	Emanuel	Morgan	Robinson	Bell	Edwards	Vine	Feeney	Brill	Boyd	Brkovic	O'Leary	Perrett								
NOV 06	Tues 31	BURNLEY	0-2	7,664	698	9	Beresford	Edwards	Barnett	Heikkinen	Holmes	Morgan	Robinson	Langley	Brkovic	Vine	Feeney	Brill	Bell	Boyd	O'Leary	Perrett								
	Sat 4	Preston North End	0-3	13,094	423	12	Beresford	Foley	Barnett	Heikkinen	Holmes	Morgan	Robinson	Langley	Edwards	Vine	Boyd	Brill	Bell	Brkovic	Feeney	Perrett								
	Sat 11	QPR	2-3	9,007	1,533	16	Brill	Foley	Barnett	Heikkinen	Emanuel	Brkovic	Robinson	Bell	Edwards	Vine	Boyd	Barrett	Feeney	Holmes	Morgan	Perrett								
DEC 06	Sat 18	DERBY COUNTY	0-2	9,708	1,753	18	Beresford	Foley	Barnett	Perrett	Emanuel	Brkovic	Robinson	Heikkinen	Edwards	Vine	Boyd	Brill	Bell	Feeney	Holmes	Morgan								
	Sat 25	Southampton	1-2	20,482	573	20	Kiely	Foley	Barnett	Perrett	Emanuel	Brkovic	Robinson	Heikkinen	Edwards	Feeney	Boyd	Beresford	Bell	Holmes	Langley	Morgan								
	Tues 28	Plymouth Argyle	0-1	9,965	186	20	Kiely	Foley	Barnett	Perrett	Emanuel	Brkovic	Robinson	Heikkinen	Edwards	Vine	Feeney	Beresford	Bell	Boyd	Coyne	Morgan								
	Sat 02	PRESTON NORTH END	2-0	7,665	809	18	Kiely	Foley	Barnett	Heikkinen	Emanuel	Brkovic	Robinson	Bell	Edwards	Vine	Morgan	Beresford	Boyd	Feeney	Langley	Perrett								
	Sat 09	Sunderland	1-2	30,445	543	19	Kiely	Foley	Barnett	Heikkinen	Emanuel	Brkovic	Robinson	Bell	Edwards	Vine	Morgan	Beresford	Boyd	Feeney	Langley	Perrett								
	Fri 15	SOUTHEND UNITED*	0-0	7,468	497	18	Kiely	Foley	Barnett	Heikkinen	Emanuel	Brkovic	Robinson	Bell	Edwards	Vine	Morgan	Beresford	Boyd	Coyne	Feeney	Langley								
	Sat 23	COVENTRY CITY	3-1	8,299	933	19	Kiely	Foley	Barnett	Heikkinen	Emanuel	Brkovic	Robinson	Bell	Edwards	Vine	Morgan	Beresford	Boyd	Coyne	Feeney	Langley								
	Tues 26	Colchester United	1-4	5,427	762	19	Kiely	Foley	Coyne	Heikkinen	Emanuel	Brkovic	Barnett	Bell	Edwards	Vine	Morgan	Beresford	Davis	Feeney	Holmes	Langley								
	Fri 29	Birmingham City*	2-2	24,642	485	19	Kiely	Foley	Coyne	Heikkinen	Emanuel	Morgan	Barnett	Langley	Edwards	Vine	Feeney	Beresford	Boyd	Davis	Holmes	O'Leary								
JAN 07	Mon 1	CARDIFF CITY	0-0	8,004	579	19	Kiely	Edwards	Barnett	Perrett	Davis	Morgan	Langley	Bell	Brkovic	Vine	Feeney	Beresford	Boyd	Holmes	O'Leary	Robinson								
	Sat 6	QPR (FA Cup 3rd Rd)	2-2	10,064	2,305	-	Beresford	Barnett	Coyne	Perrett	Davis	Morgan	Langley	Robinson	Brkovic	Vine	Feeney	Brill	Boyd	Keane	Holmes	O'Leary								
	Fri 12	WBA*	2-3	19,927	390	19	Kiely	Keane	Coyne	Perrett	Davis	Emanuel	Robinson	Bell	Brkovic	Feeney	Morgan	Beresford	Boyd	Langley	O'Leary	Stevens								
	Sat 20	BARNSLEY	0-2	7,441	382	20	Kiely	Keane	Barnett	Coyne	Davis	Emanuel	Robinson	Langley	Bell	Feeney	Morgan	Beresford	Boyd	Brkovic	Perrett	Spring								
	Tues 23	QPR (FA Cup 3rd Rd rep)	1-0	7,494	1,492	-	Brill	Foley	Coyne	Perrett	Davis	Emanuel	Robinson	Langley	Brkovic	Bell	Boyd	Barrett	Keane	Morgan	O'Leary	Stevens								
	Sat 27	BLACKBURN (FA Cup 4th Rd)	0-4	5,887	723	-	Beresford	Foley	Coyne	Perrett	Davis	Emanuel	Robinson	Langley	Bell	Boyd	Talbot	Brill	Keane	O'Leary	Morgan	Spring								
	Tues 30	Coventry City	0-1	18,781	591	21	Brill	Foley	Keane	Perrett	Davis	Emanuel	Robinson	Spring	Bell	Morgan	Talbot	Barrett	Asafu-Adjaye	Boyd	Langley	O'Leary								
FEB 07	Sat 3	Leicester City	1-1	20,410	683	20	Beresford	Foley	Keane	Perrett	Davis	Emanuel	Robinson	Spring	Bell	Runstrom	Talbot	Brill	Asafu-Adjaye	Boyd	Langley	Morgan								
	Sat 17	Stoke City	0-0	12,375	tbc	19	Beresford	Foley	Perrett	Heikkinen	Davis	Morgan	Robinson	Spring	Bell	Runstrom	Boyd	Brill	Emanuel	Keane	Langley	O'Leary								
	Tues 20	SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY 3-2*	8,011	1,191	19	Beresford	Foley	Keane	Heikkinen	Emanuel	Morgan	Robinson	Spring	Bell	Runstrom	Talbot	Brill	Barnett	Boyd	Langley	O'Leary									
	Sat 24	Crystal Palace	1-2	16,177	861	19	Beresford	Foley	Keane	Barnett	Emanuel	Bell	Robinson	Spring	Langley	Runstrom	Talbot	Brill	Asafu-Adjaye	Boyd	Morgan	O'Leary								
MAR 07	Tues 27	NORWICH CITY	2-3	8,868	1,194	20	Beresford	Keane	Barnett	Heikkinen	Emanuel	Bell	Robinson	Spring	Foley	Runstrom	Talbot	Brill	Boyd	Feeney	Morgan	O'Leary								
APR 07	Sat 3	WOLVES	15:00																											
	Sat 10	Leeds United	15:00																											
	Tues 13	HULL CITY	19:45																											
	Sat 17	IPSWICH TOWN	15:00																											
	Sat 31	Burnley	15:00																											
	Sat 7	SOUTHAMPTON	15:00																											
	Mon 9	QPR	15:00																											
	Sat 14	PLYMOUTH ARGYLE	15:00																											
	Sat 21	Derby County	15:00																											
	Sat 28	Southend United	15:00																											
	Sun 6	SUNDERLAND	13:00																											

## 2006/07 CHAMPIONSHIP TABLE

	HOME					AWAY					Pts	Cl
	P	W	D	L	F A	W	D	L	F A			
Birmingham	34	10	5	2	28 16	9	2	6	24 17	64	1	
West Brom	35	13	3	1	39 14	5	6	7	23 25	63	2	
Derby	34	9	4	4	20 15	10	2	5	23 19	63	9	
Sunderland	35	11	3	4	27 12	7	3	7	25 24	60	1	
Southampton	35	11	5	2	27 13	5	6	6	29 26	59	1	
Cardiff	35	10	6	2	30 13	6	5	6	20 23	59	1	
Preston	34	11	4	2	29 12	6	4	7	21 26	59	1	
Wolves	35	9	5	4	25 18	8	3	6	13 17	59	3	
Stoke	35	8	7	3	23 10	6	4	7	19 18	53	1	
Colchester	35	12	3	3	38 15	3	4	10	16 25	52	1	
C Palace	35	9	2	7	23 18	4	7	6	19 21	48	3	
Plymouth	34	6	7	4	25 20	5	7	5	21 24	47	2	
Leicester	34	6	6	5	20 18	5	5	7	17 22	44	-	
Sheff Wed	34	6	4	7	26 30	6	4	7	23 23	44	-	
Coventry	35	8	4	5	22 17	4	2	12	13 30	42	-	
Norwich	33	8	4	5	24 19	3	4	9	18 33	41	-	
Burnley	34	6	4	6	21 18	4	6	8	14 19	40	-	
Ipswich	34	8	2	7	25 23	3	4	10	15 23	39	-	
Barnsley	35	7	4	6	22 21	4	1	13	17 37	38	-	
LUTON	35	7	5	5	29 24	2	4	12	15 35	36	-	
Hull City	34	6	2	9	22 22	3	6	8	13 26	35	-	
QPR	34	6	4	7	23 23	3	4	10	16 31	35	-	
Southend	35	5	4	8	23 26	2	6	10	11 30	31	-	
Leeds	35	6	3	8	18 24	3	1	14	16 35	31	-	

## TODAY'S REFEREE

Luton Town would like to welcome today's match referee Paul Taylor and all the officials to Kenilworth Road this afternoon.

Taylor, from Hertfordshire, officiated in 39 games last season, producing 98 yellow cards and five red cards.

Today will be his fourth Championship match this season, and his most recent game was when he officiated in Yeovil's 2-0 win against Bournemouth a fortnight ago.

Taylor has officiated in 26 games so far this season, producing 82 yellow cards and seven reds.



## Luton's Matchday Programme

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# Coming Next

to Kenilworth Road



## Luton Town V Hull City

Tuesday March 13, 2007, Kick-Off 7:45pm

By Geoff Knox

There are a band of football clubs who are currently outside of the top flight whose fans will never accept that they are anything but Premier League clubs.

Wolverhampton Wanderers are one such club and, consequently, their expectant supporters provide a highly-charged atmosphere to any game – home or away – at any stage of the season.

The tradition at Molineux in recent years has been to have big name managers with broad shoulders and cool heads at the helm, and the present incumbent Mick McCarthy certainly fits that mould.

McCarthy has steered Wolves to within goal difference of the play-offs in his first season in charge, after being presented with the task of improving on Glenn Hoddle's much-publicised 'failure' last season when his side finished in seventh place in the Championship.

Hoddle's tactics frustrated Wolves fans with too many draws, and McCarthy has already won more league games so far this season than his predecessor managed in the whole of the last campaign.

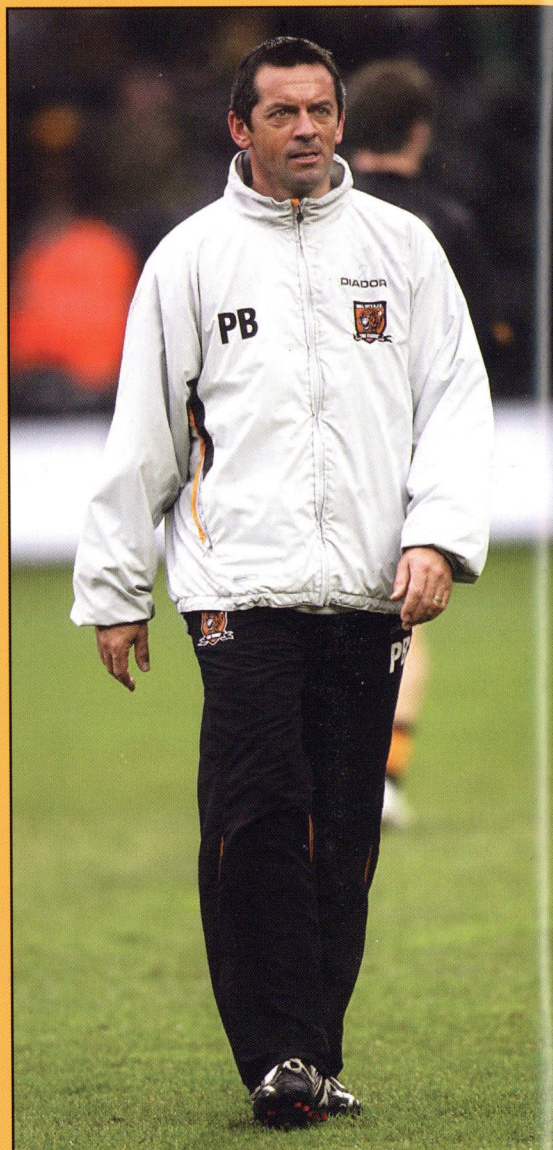
The former Republic of Ireland manager will not be allowed to rest on his laurels, however, as no matter how many of the remaining fixtures he wins this season, the fact that arch-rivals West Brom and Birmingham City are still above them in the table will make even a play-off position as inadequate.

Wolves' solo season in the top flight was the climax to a 13-year period of investment by lifelong fan and benefactor Sir Jack Hayward, who bought the club as a phoenix rising from the ashes just after they'd won promotion from the old Division Three in 1990.

Molineux hero Steve Bull had hit 50 goals for two seasons running while Hayward's cash was used to rebuild the stadium, but play-off heartache became a regular source of frustration to those who followed the old gold.

Dave Jones eventually took Wolves to the Premiership in 2003, finally allowing Hayward to realise his dream and hand the club over to his son, Rick, but they went straight back down, costing Jones his job, and they have not yet fully recovered.

Presently, in-form Wolves have just won four Championship matches in a row, but two 3-0 defeats to West Brom – one in the league, one in the FA Cup – and two recent league defeats to Dave Jones's promotion rivals Cardiff has caused discord in the board room and the terraces alike.



### Head 2 Head

	Luton	Draw	Wolves
League	16	8	13
FA Cup	0	0	1
League Cup	0	0	0
Total	16	8	14



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# teamsheet



## LUTON TOWN

Manager: Mike Newell

Flags	Score		
✓	●	MARLON BERESFORD	1
✓	●	KEVIN FOLEY	2
✓	●	SOL DAVIS	3
●	●	CHRIS COYNE	4
●	●	RUSSELL PERRETT	5
●	●	PAUL UNDERWOOD	6
✓	●	MATTHEW SPRING	7
✓	●	STEVE ROBINSON	8
✓	●	BJORN RUNSTROM	9
✓	●	WARREN FEENEY	10
●	●	DEAN MORGAN	11
●	●	MICHAEL LEARY	14
●	●	STEPHEN O'LEARY	15
✓	✓	LEWIS EMANUEL	16
●	●	RICHARD LANGLEY	17
●	●	AHMET BRKOVIC	18
●	●	SAM PARKIN	19
✓	●	ADAM BOYD	20
✓	●	KEITH KEANE	21
●	●	DANNY STEVENS	22
●	●	SHAUN ROSS	24
✓	✓	LEON BARNETT	25
✓	●	MARKUS HEIKKINEN	26
●	●	PETER HOLMES	27
✓	●	DAVID BELL	28
●	●	CALVIN ANDREW	29
✓	●	DREW TALBOT	30
✓	●	DEAN BRILL	33
●	●	ZAC BARRETT	34

## WOLVERHAMPTON WANDERERS

Manager: Mick McCarthy

Flags	Score		
●	●	1 MICHAEL OAKES	
●	●	2 MARK CLYDE	
✓	●	3 NEILL COLLINS	
✓	●	4 SEYI GEORGE OLOFINJANA	
✓	✓	5 GARY BREEN	
✓	●	6 JODY CRADDOCK	
✓	●	7 JACKIE McNAMARA	
✓	●	8 KARL HENRY	
✓	●	9 CARL CORT	
✓	●	10 JAY BOTHROYD	
✓	●	11 JAMIE CLAPHAM	
✓	●	12 ROB EDWARDS	
●	●	13 JEMAL JOHNSON	
●	●	14 DARREN POTTER	
●	●	15 DENES ROSA	
●	●	16 MARK DAVIES	
✓	●	17 STEPHEN WARD	
●	●	18 CRAIG DAVIES	
✓	●	20 MATT MURRAY	
●	●	22 LEWIS GOBERN	
●	●	23 KEITH LOWE	
●	●	24 GABOR GYEPES	
●	●	25 DANIEL JONES	
●	●	26 MARK LITTLE	
●	●	27 CHARLIE MULGREW	
●	●	28 ROHAN RICKETTS	
●	●	29 KEVIN O'CONNOR	
●	●	30 CARL IKEME	
●	●	31 WAYNE HENNESSEY	
✓	●	32 MICHAEL McINDOE	
●	●	33 MARTIN RILEY	
✓	●	34 STEPHEN GLEESON	
●	●	36 LEE COLLINS	
✓	●	37 MICHAEL KIGHTLY	
✓	●	39 ANDREW KEOGH	
✓	●	40 JAN BUDTZ	

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- Referee -

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J Farries  
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