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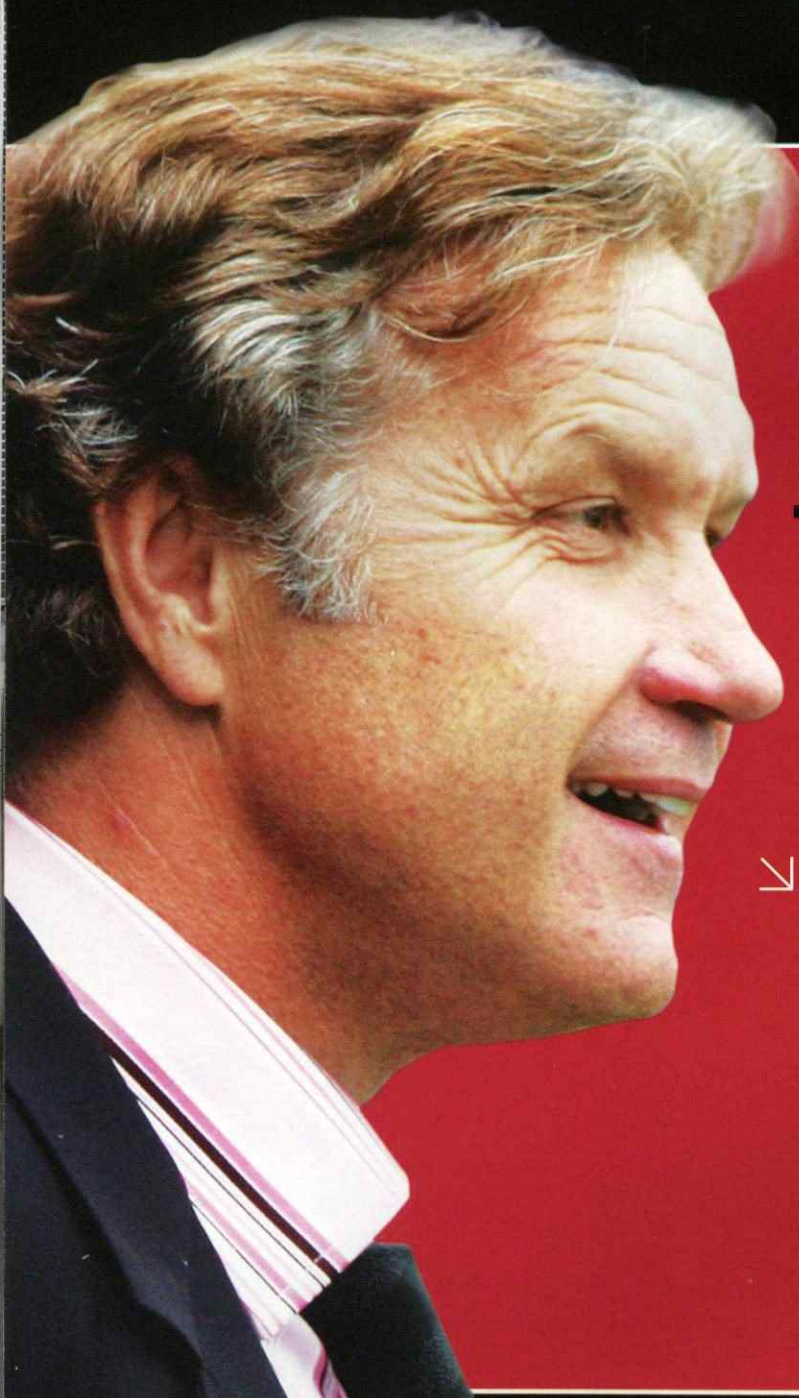
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THE NAME IS BOND KEVIN BOND

↙ **Good evening and welcome to The Fitness First Stadium for tonight's match against Luton Town.**

Luton Town have gone through a very difficult period and we could well be facing the same problems. If administration is what will happen here, then it will be a very difficult time. It has not been an easy time for Luton. They have had to suffer having points deducted and losing a number of players.



They do have a much bigger squad than us to be able to cope with losing players a little easier, something we could not cope with.

They have performed well under difficult circumstances and had two televised matches against Liverpool which raised their profile no end. As you all saw in those games, they are a very capable side with plenty of character about them.

Decisions were made for the long term future of Luton Town like decisions will be made for the long term future of AFC Bournemouth. We are the football people here, the money people here take the decisions off the field for the good of AFC Bournemouth.

What might not be good for me in the short term is irrelevant as we have to take care of the long term future of this football club, as the people at Luton have done for their club. They have had to ensure that in years to come, there is a Luton Town to support. Whatever we have to do, we have to ensure that AFC Bournemouth is still here to support.

I would like to welcome Mick Harford here who took over as manager of Luton Town last week initially until the end of the season, which he knows will not be an easy time. He is a good guy and he will be glad to get back on the training ground. He will be glad to be back in the game at a club he knows well and I wish him the very best of luck.

Saturday was a very disappointing day, particularly given that we had a host of chances, but only took one of them and conceded some awful goals. I expect better from the players, and I have made them fully aware of that. It is never easy when you go behind and in our position, confidence can be fragile. It can make a world of difference if you can get your noses in front and going behind certainly had the opposite effect on Saturday. Before Southend scored, we were well on top and started the game brightly and even after they had a two goal lead, we created some really good chances.

We caused our own problems with our decision making, but always felt we had goals in us.

We had so many good opportunities throughout the game and should, not could, have made more than one count. I felt when we got the early goal in the second half that we could give ourselves a chance. The penalty miss by them gave us another lift, but we gave away another poor goal and that was demoralising.

We cannot and won't use what is going on around the club as an excuse. We were all looking forward to the game on Saturday and felt it was one we could win. We brought the defeat upon ourselves and we gave ourselves an uphill battle and there can be no excuses.

I shared your disappointments on Saturday and am as frustrated as you are. I can understand your reactions. But in what is such a difficult time for everyone at AFC Bournemouth, please give the lads all your positive support tonight as they need it now more than ever.

Kevin Bond



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THE CHERRY ON TOP

I would like to extend a very warm welcome to the Fitness First Stadium to the Members of the New Consortium, Players, Staff and visiting Supporters of our guests this evening from Luton Town.

I am delighted for all those concerned with Luton Town, that following months of turmoil and uncertainty, a plan is now in place to take the football club forward, I wish everyone concerned with the club, every success for the future.

It is somewhat ironic, that we at AFCB currently find ourselves in a similar position. The decisions that are made during the next few weeks are crucial to the future of the football club. As this is football we are talking about, I am already aware from the relatively short time I have been associated with the club, that whatever decisions are made, it is going to be impossible to please everyone.

I would like to make it absolutely clear; that every decision, I have made, and every decision The Board is likely to make over the coming weeks, will be in the best interests of the football club going forward.

The financial position the club now finds itself in, was here long

before I arrived, I have done everything in my power to keep the club afloat financially with limited resources, by comparison, to the millions it required. It is interesting that many investors looked at the club before I arrived, with what I know now; it is not surprising that they all walked away.

It is my responsibility and that of the Board, to provide a solution going forward that allows the club every opportunity to avoid the financial crisis repeating itself the way it has done over the past decade. That and that alone is my prime objective in the discussions I continue to have with the interested parties.

This is a time for solidarity, with everyone getting behind the club, both on and off the pitch, in the hope of a better future.

Whilst I have enormous sympathy, with your disappointment at the teams display on Saturday, the players have to take responsibility for the performance on the pitch.

It does not do the teams morale or anyone's morale any good chanting your disapproval towards the manager. In my opinion, the only people to benefit from this are the opposition who will be inspired by the pressure being put on the team.

I would like to make it absolutely clear; that every decision, I have made, and every decision The Board is likely to make over the coming weeks, will be in the best interests of the football club going forward...

Please get behind the lads tonight; let's show our visitors tonight that we are all working together for the future of the Football Club. ■

With Best Wishes

Jeff Mostyn - Chairman

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THE ANDERTON ANGLE

>Welcome to tonight's match against Luton Town. You only have to look at the league table to see just how massive tonight's game is.

Saturday was a devastating result. After recent home performances, we really felt we could get the three points and in the cold light of day, if we had taken a couple of our many decent chances that we had and not given away such poor goals, then we could have got something from it. The key now is to remain positive as in the next four days we have two massive games against sides who are in trouble with us. Luton lost at Leyton Orient on Saturday and are three points above us and then on Saturday, we travel to Port Vale who are on the same points as we are.

The situation is not lost because we know we are capable of getting maximum points from these games and that would make such a difference. You only have to look at Cheltenham. We should have won there and gone above them, but totally against the run of play, they got the points and then won at Hartlepool and are now out of the bottom four. It shows the fine line there is in this league. We know we are capable of doing that and will remain positive.

Luton Town have had an awful time and it's a real shame to see that. They are a club that Russell Perrett knows a lot about. I've played against them a few times myself and they are a good football club who shouldn't be suffering the way

they have been. You never like to see any club in trouble, but hopefully, there seems to be light at the end of the tunnel at Luton as a deal seems to be sorted out which is great news for everyone not just at Luton, but in football. They had the massive boost of the games against Liverpool, not just financially, but it raised their profile. That was the sort of cup tie we could have done with!

At this time of the season, one of the major talking points in the game and one that sees rumours and speculation abound, is the January transfer window. I think it has its pros and cons. It's a good thing in some ways, because it means you can't go out and buy players willy nilly at any time you like. On the down side, if you have a horrific time with injuries, you can be stuck with a squad that is right down to the bare bones and it can make it very difficult. Not that we're not in the position to be going out and buying anyone anyway!

You look at the top end of the English game and there are some huge squads in the Premier League, but go down to our level, and there are some very small squads. I have mixed views on it really, mainly because teams can be desperate as the window is only open for a short period of time and are forced to pay big money for players.

For ourselves, we have a small squad and every time we seem to be getting players back and looking stronger, something happens and not only do we lose Neil Moss to a long term wrist injury, but then on Saturday, Gareth Stewart was forced off. Hopefully he will be OK for tonight, but it does seem to sum up our luck this season.

The key now is to remain positive as in the next four days we have two massive games against sides who are in trouble with us...

It is a very difficult time at the club at the moment with some big decisions to be made. For the players, all we can do is to concentrate on the next game and for us, that is tonight's massive game with Luton and that is all we can think about. All the lads know how frustrated you all are, I can assure you that we share your frustrations. We need to show togetherness now, management, staff, players and supporters because unity is so important. Enjoy the game tonight, be positive to the team and give the lads your usual superb support. ■

Darren Anderton
Club Captain

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TRAIN

The nearest railway station to Vale Park is Longport which is served by Stoke which is around two miles from the ground. It may be easier to get a train to Stoke and get a taxi from there to Burslem. The 06.45 from Bournemouth will get you to Longport at 13.23 and to return, the 17.28 from Longport arrives back in Bournemouth at 22.15. There is just one change, Stoke, for both these journeys.

FACILITIES FOR VISITING SUPPORTERS

The away end at Port Vale is all covered and seated. There are a few pubs around and a KFC in nearby Burslem.

DISABLED SUPPORTERS INFORMATION

Disabled supporters should contact Estelle Baggeley at Port Vale on 01782 655800

TICKETS

Tickets are now on sale from the AFC Bournemouth Ticket Office, you can also purchase on the day at Vale Park. Adults £19.00, Senior Citizens £12.00, 16-21 year olds £12.50 (proof of age required) Under 16 £8.00 (proof of age required)

Tuesday 29 January 2008 HUDDERSFIELD TOWN v AFC BOURNEMOUTH Coca Cola League 1



Kick-Off 7.45pm

Galpharm Stadium, Huddersfield HD1 6PX. Tel 0870 2222677 email info@htaftc.com
website www.htaftc.com

CHERRIES TRAVEL CLUB

The AFC Bournemouth Travel Club are departing from the Fitness First Stadium at 12.15pm. Cost is £26 Members and £35.50 Non Members and bookings are now being taken.

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TRAIN

Due to this being a night game, the train is not a viable option unless you are planning to stay overnight.

FACILITIES FOR VISITING SUPPORTERS

The away end at Huddersfield has good facilities and gives an excellent view of the game. It is around a 20 minute walk in to Huddersfield Town centre.

DISABLED SUPPORTERS INFORMATION

There are very good facilities at Huddersfield for visiting supporters, with parking next to the entrance and good access to the upper part of the away end. Tickets are available from the AFC Bournemouth Ticket Office priced at £11 each, with a helper going free of charge. Parking must be booked by calling 0870 4444552.

TICKETS

Tickets are now on sale for unreserved seating in the Pink Link Stand. Advance tickets are: Adults £16.50, Over 60's and Full Time Students £9, Under 16's £5 On the day: Adults £19, Over 60's and Full Time Students £10, Under 16's £7

Saturday 2 February 2008 AFC BOURNEMOUTH v NOTTINGHAM FOREST Coca Cola League 1



Kick-Off 3.00pm

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Telephone bookings for games at The Fitness First Stadium: 01202 726303. Telephone bookings cannot be taken by the Stadium Ticket Office on a matchday.

E-mail Enquiries: To send an e-mail to the Ticket Office please use the following address: tickets@afcb.co.uk.

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Credit/debit card bookings: can be made if you hold a Visa, MasterCard, Delta or Switch card. The minimum transaction amount on all cards is £10.00 and an administration fee of £2.00 is charged per booking. No booking fee at present if booked online.

All customers can opt to have their tickets posted out (£2.00 administration fee) or indeed collect them from the Fitness First Stadium before kick-off.



The move means that supporters can now book in a variety of ways.

IN PERSON: The AFCB Ticket Office: 9.00am to 5.00pm Monday-Friday, on home matchdays from 9.00am or after a home match (subject to demand)

BY TELEPHONE: 9.00am to 5.00pm (Mon-Fri) No telephone bookings on matchdays.

ON-LINE: Purchases can be made up to 3 hours prior to kick-off. Minimum purchase is £10.00. Student tickets and freestyle priority can not be posted out.

BY POST: AFC Bournemouth Ticket Office, The Fitness First Stadium at Dean Court, Bournemouth BH7 7AF



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MONDAY 14 JANUARY 2008



It was revealed that Neil Moss had fractured his wrist in the warm up at Cheltenham. The Cherries keeper has had a number of injuries this season and this latest one will set him back for up to a further three months.

TUESDAY 15 JANUARY 2008

The Cherries reserve game at Exeter was postponed due to a waterlogged pitch. On www.afcb.co.uk, the club issued the following statement, "The Directors of AFC Bournemouth have lodged a notice of intent to appoint an administrator. BDO Stoy Hayward is currently dealing with the Directors of AFC Bournemouth in an advisory capacity only. At this stage there has been no formal appointment of administrators.

The Chairman Jeff Mostyn commented that this action was taken to prevent our current negotiations being frustrated by

aggressive and unhelpful creditors.

We were professionally advised to serve a Notice of intention to appoint an Administrator which we have done. However, the Chairman stressed that the Club is not in administration and it is not a forgone conclusion that it will be."

SATURDAY 19 JANUARY 2008



It was a highly disappointing day for Bournemouth as Southend United cruised to a 4-1 win at The Fitness First Stadium.

The Cherries made a decent enough start to the game, but against the run of play, Southend scored with their first effort on goal.

It got worse as the visitors doubled their lead, but after that Bournemouth had enough chances to get back on level terms. It wasn't to be and just before the break, United scored their third of the half. At the start of the second half The Cherries were given hope when a Warren Cummings effort was put into his own net by Lewis Hunt.

Southend were then awarded a controversial penalty but they missed that to lift the home crowd even more. On 65 minutes though, any hopes of a comeback were dashed when Gary Hooper

scored United's fourth. Just as things seemed they couldn't be any worse, keeper Gareth Stewart was forced off due to injury and youngster Ryan Pryce, who had played in the morning for the youth team against Cheltenham, made his senior debut.

Max Gradel picked up his fifth booking for the season and will miss Saturday's game at Port Vale.

SUNDAY 20 JANUARY 2008



www.afcb.co.uk revealed that Gareth Stewart was substituted with 18 minutes remaining against Southend to give him a chance of being fit for the Luton Town game. Physio Steve Hard confirmed that it was a precautionary measure due to a tight hamstring. ■

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| Sat 23rd Feb | Cheltenham Town | B | SOLD | SOLD | SOLD | SOLD |
| Sat 1st Mar | Hartlepool United | B | SOLD | SOLD | SOLD | AVAILABLE |

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I hope you have an enjoyable evening at the Fitness First Stadium and I look forward to welcoming you back in the future. ■

Carl Wilson
Sales & Marketing Manager

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BKS Security Service were sponsors of Saturday's match against Southend United and they chose Max Gradel as their man of the match. Max is pictured here receiving his champagne from Brian Madden with Billy and Bradley.



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Matchball sponsors for the Southend game were BEC Group. Pictured here receiving their commemorative matchball from Ryan Garry are Ian Warner, Graham Blake and Geoff Elvey.



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To enter the chance to have your say in the AFC Bournemouth shirt, simply obtain the entry form either online at www.afcb.co.uk or from the Bourne Red Superstore. You will have a template to input your design and the shirt must be red and black and include the club crest, the Bourne Red Logo and have Focal Point in the middle.

Once the entries are in a panel of judges (participants to be confirmed) will select the top 3 entries. Then it's all up to YOU! The fans will be able to vote for their favourite shirt! These will then be on display on the website and in Bourne Red.

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WELCOME TO LUTON TOWN

It has been a traumatic time for Luton Town recently and their problems have been well documented.

After the ten point deduction for going in to administration put them in the relegation zone, they had the massive boost of two cup ties with Liverpool, both games generating revenue as they were shown live on TV. After the draw at home, a number of players were sold and then after the brave performance at Anfield, manager Kevin Blackwell left the club having previously handing in his notice and was initially due to leave the club after the match against The Cherries on 9 February.

Last Wednesday, it was announced that Mick Harford had taken charge of the team until the end of the season. Whilst all that was going on, a consortium which involved lifelong Luton supporter Nick Owen had been given the green light by the administrators to give light at the end of the tunnel.

Whilst all this has been going on, there has also been football to be played and despite having the ten point deduction and a number of key players being sold, Luton still have a very capable squad and one that can be confident still of climbing out

of the relegation zone to safety. Harford took charge on Saturday at Leyton Orient and despite a 2-1 defeat, saw enough to suggest that the side can get out of trouble. He took a lot of heart from a good performance and away from the scoreline, it gives him something to build on.

Luton do have a good chance of beating the drop mainly thanks to an excellent home record. In the league, they have beaten Hartlepool, Gillingham, Port Vale, Northampton, Nottingham Forest, Southend United, Tranmere and Yeovil. Away from home, they have recorded just one League win, a 2-1 success at Port Vale in the final away game of 2007.

In cup competitions, they have been mightily impressive. In the League Cup, they beat Dagenham & Redbridge before beating Premier League Sunderland 3-0 and then Championship side Charlton 3-1. They finally went out against Everton, but only to a goal in extra time. In the FA Cup, they won at Brentford in a replay before beating Nottingham Forest 1-0 to set up the tie with Liverpool. A terrific performance at Kenilworth Road

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earned a trip to Liverpool and despite the 5-0 scoreline, they came out of the game with a huge amount of credit. They have also won one game in the Johnstone's paint Trophy, beating Northampton 2-0 before going out of that competition against Gillingham in a seven goal thriller.

Mick Harford brings his side here tonight knowing that a win will go a long way to clawing their way to safety and with the Cherries desperate for the points, it is set to be an absorbing encounter.

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TODAY AT COURT

MANAGER



4 DON HUTCHINSON
Previous clubs as player: Lincoln City, Newcastle United, Bristol City, Birmingham City, Luton Town, Derby County, Chelsea, Sunderland, Coventry City, Wimbledon.
Previous clubs as coach/assistant manager: Wimbledon, Luton Town, Nottingham Forest, Swindon Town, Millwall, Colchester United, Queens Park Rangers.
Previous clubs as manager: Nottingham Forest (Caretaker), Rotherham United, Queens Park Rangers (Caretaker)
Appointed manager of Luton Town: January 2008

GOALKEEPERS



1 DEAN BRILL
Previous clubs: Gillingham (loan).
Signed for Luton Town: March 2005

DEFENDERS



3 ALAN GOODALL
Previous clubs: Bangor City, Rochdale.
Signed for Luton Town: June 2007



5 CHRIS PERRY
Previous clubs: Wimbledon, Tottenham Hotspur, Charlton Athletic, West Bromwich Albion.
Signed for Luton Town: July 2007

12 RICHARD JACKSON

Previous clubs: Scarborough, Derby County.
Signed for Luton Town: August 2007

24 PAUL UNDERWOOD

Previous clubs: Carshalton, Sutton United, Dorking, Molesey, Enfield, Rushden & Diamonds.
Signed for Luton Town: March 2003

26 SOL DAVIS

Previous clubs: Swindon Town, Peterborough United (loan).
Signed for Luton Town: August 2002

MIDFIELD

4 DON HUTCHINSON

Previous clubs: Hartlepool United, Liverpool, West Ham United, Sheffield United, Everton, Sunderland, Millwall, Coventry City.
Signed for Luton Town: July 2007



8 DAVID BELL
Previous clubs: Rushden & Diamonds.
Signed for Luton Town: June 2006



10 DARREN CURRIE
Previous clubs: West Ham United, Shrewsbury Town, Plymouth Argyle, Barnet, Wycombe Wanderers, Brighton & Hove Albion, Ipswich Town, Coventry City (loan), Derby County (loan).
Signed for Luton Town: July 2007

14 STEVE ROBINSON

Previous clubs: Tottenham Hotspur, AFC Bournemouth, Preston North End, Bristol City (loan).
Signed for Luton Town: July 2002

15 STEPHEN O'LEARY

Previous clubs: Tranmere Rovers (loan).
Signed professional for Luton Town: August 2004



21 KEITH KEANE
Previous clubs: None.
Signed professional for Luton Town: August 200

22 RICHARD LANGLEY

Previous clubs: Queens Park Rangers, Cardiff City.
Signed for Luton Town: July 2006

25 MATTHEW SPRING

Previous clubs: Luton Town, Leeds United, Watford.
Signed for Luton Town: January 2007

FORWARDS

9 SAM PARKIN

Previous clubs: Chelsea, Millwall (loan), Wycombe Wanderers (loan), Oldham Athletic (loan), Northampton Town (loan), Swindon Town, Ipswich Town.
Signed for Luton Town: August 2006

11 PAUL PESCHISOLIDO

Previous clubs: Toronto Blizzard, Birmingham City, Stoke City, West Bromwich Albion, Fulham, Queens Park Rangers (loan), Norwich City (loan), Sheffield United, Derby County.
Signed for Luton Town: July 2007

19 DREW TALBOT

Previous clubs: Dodworth MW, Sheffield Wednesday, Scunthorpe United (loan).
Signed for Luton Town: January 2007



20 CALVIN ANDREW
Previous clubs: Grimsby Town (loan), Bristol City (loan).
Signed professional for Luton Town: July 2004

28 PAUL MCVEIGH

Previous clubs: Tottenham Hotspur, Norwich City, Burnley (loan).
Signed for Luton Town: August 2007



29 PAUL FURLONG
Previous clubs: Enfield, Coventry City, Watford, Chelsea, Birmingham City, Sheffield United (loan), Queens Park Rangers.
Signed for Luton Town: June 2007

35 MARLON BERESFORD

Previous clubs: Sheffield Wednesday, Bury (loan), Northampton Town (loan), Burnley, Middlesbrough, Sheffield Wednesday (loan), Burnley, York City, Burnley, Bradford City, Luton Town, Barnsley, Luton Town, Oldham Athletic (loan).
Signed for Luton Town: July 2004



CHERRIES v THE HATTERS SCRAPBOOK

ROBBO



Tonight we welcome back to The Fitness First Stadium, one of the Bournemouth legends from the Great Escape season, Steve Robinson. 'Robbo' arrived at the club in October 1994 from Tottenham Hotspur on the same day as Neil Young and Steve Jones with the club in a pretty awful situation. He blossomed that season and grabbed a couple of the goals in that unforgettable match against Shrewsbury as a miracle was completed. For almost five years, he made himself a virtual ever present in the Bournemouth side, making 286 appearances for the club, scoring 60 goals and of course representing the club at Wembley.

He left Bournemouth for Preston in May 2000 and if anyone deserved the chance at a higher level, it was Steve. In two years at Deepdale though, he was given few opportunities and ended up at Bristol City on loan. He played for City at Bournemouth, the first time he faced his old club in March 2002 as the Cherries were battling against the drop. It was a real shame that he was booed by a section of the crowd for what? Taking the opportunity to play in a higher division after giving AFC Bournemouth such fantastic service? That summer he moved to Luton where he has given marvellous service and his form has earned him a recall to the Northern Ireland squad. He has of course worn the colours of AFC Bournemouth again since he left, playing for John Bailey's side in his testimonial. Like Neil Young who has remained here, 'Robbo' has enjoyed a long career in the game and has given people so much enjoyment, so welcome back Steve!

RUSS PERRETT



A much more recent link between the two clubs is Russ Perrett, who joined Bournemouth in the summer from Luton. Russ started out in the local Wessex League and played for Portsmouth and Cardiff City before arriving at Luton in 2001. Included in his 108 appearances for the Hatters was one at Bournemouth on Saturday 9 April 2005.

Bournemouth were battling for a place in the play-offs and Luton were closing in on winning the Division Two title and a then record crowd of 9,058 saw the game. In a tight game, James Hayter burst through on 22 minutes and was blocked by Perrett and referee Tony Parkes decided it was a goalscoring opportunity and showed Russ a straight red card! If anything, it galvanised Luton and six minutes from the end, they grabbed the three points through an Enoch Showumni goal and Luton had virtually ensured promotion.

It's obviously been a frustrating time for Russ since he joined Bournemouth, but it's good to see him fit and back in the side now.

GOALS GOALS GOALS



Wade Elliott scores the sixth goal in a remarkable night

Both the games in the 04-05 season ended 1-0 to Luton, but in the previous season, there was an amazing game at Dean Court. Bournemouth were fifth in the table having won their previous two games.

Bournemouth took the lead on seven minutes through Steve Fletcher before Luton equalised when Stephen Purches scored own goal, but the defender was to continue his record of Bournemouth winning every game that he found the net in! That was in the tenth minute and by half time it was 4-2! Luton took the lead on 25 minutes through Paul Hughes and then Brian Stock equalised on 34 minutes. In the three minutes before the break, the Cherries had a two goal advantage thanks to another goal from Fletch and one from Garreth O'Connor. After the break, Luton forced their way back in to the game thanks to an Adrian Forbes strike on the hour but two minutes later, Brian Stock restored the two goal lead. On 67 minutes, the scoring was completed when Wade Elliott scored to make it an amazing 6-3, the first of two times that season supporters at Dean Court witnessed six goals by Bournemouth! Bournemouth then travelled to Luton on 2 March in 8th place and Luton in 5th place and a big crowd assembled on a cold night to see such a crunch game.

Hundreds made the trip from Bournemouth and at 7.45, were in full voice and waiting for the teams to come out when the announcement was made that the game had been postponed! That was certainly frustrating to say the least and a second trip to Luton was made on 20 April with little at stake for both sides, although both had outside chances of a play-off place. Steve Howard gave Luton an early lead, but future Luton player Warren Feeney equalised for Bournemouth in the 75th minute in an entertaining game, but not quite as entertaining as the night at Dean Court! ■



THAT'S THE WAY IT WAS 1985-86

Bournemouth, under Harry Redknapp, were in Division Three. Luton were in Division One under the leadership of David Pleat.

AFC BOURNEMOUTH

AUGUST

The season started with a 3-0 thumping at Derby, but new striker Colin Clarke was soon catching the eye with a terrific goal at Reading in the league cup as Bournemouth won 3-1. Bournemouth completed the job with a 2-0 home win in the second leg, the only defeats for Reading in their record breaking start to the season. Clarke scored a hat trick on his home debut against Bristol City in a 5-0 win, but the inconsistency that was to blight the season saw the next two games lost 1-0.

SEPTEMBER

Bournemouth had two fantastic games against Everton in the League Cup, at one stage leading 2-0 at Goodison Park before eventually going out 5-2 on aggregate. In the league, Chesterfield and Darlington were beaten, but the side suffered heavy defeats against Blackpool and Wigan.

OCTOBER

The month summed up Bournemouth in 1985-86. In six games, three were won and three were lost. The biggest win came against Bristol Rovers, where Colin Clarke and Colin Russell both scored two in a 6-1 win. Russell scored in four consecutive games as the side finished the month in 14th place.

NOVEMBER

The Cherries again showed inconsistency. The only win in the league came against a hapless bottom of the table Wolves side, but they gave Bournemouth a big fright before finally going down 3-2. In the FA Cup, the side overcame a tricky tie by beating Dartford in a replay.

DECEMBER

Further progress was made in the cup with a comfortable 4-1 win over Dagenham at Dean Court. The only win in the league was fortuitous to say the least. Bournemouth won 3-1 at Bristol City in a match that The Robins dominated throughout, but a couple of wind assisted goals saw the Cherries take the points. That was the only highlight in the league in a disappointing month that saw the side slip to 17th place.

JANUARY

Any dreams of a big cup draw were dashed as Bournemouth travelled to Wigan, the home side winning 3-0 after a highly disappointing Cherries performance. A battling draw against leaders Derby was a highlight and the month finished with a thrilling 3-2 win over Chesterfield at Dean Court. In the Freight Rover Trophy, an abject performance saw Bournemouth lose 3-1 at Orient before Clarke scored four against Reading in the other group game, although the 5-0 win was not enough to see Bournemouth through in the group.

FEBRUARY

Just three league games were played in the month. It started well with a 2-0 win over York at Dean Court, but Wigan completed a treble of wins over Bournemouth with a 2-0 success at Dean Court and the side lost by the same scoreline at Gillingham.

MARCH

The Cherries drew three and lost one of the first four games of the month and started looking over their shoulders at the bottom four. Clarke though showed great goalscoring form as the side finally hit form with four straight wins over Bolton, Swansea, Reading and also Bristol Rovers in our last game at Eastville to complete a 'double' double over the Bristol clubs, with a total score of 17-3!

APRIL

The good form shown in March proved vital as the side slumped in April. The only win was gained at Wolves with a straightforward 3-0 success, with just over 3,000 in the famous old stadium. Apart from a 1-1 draw against Doncaster, that was as good as it got.

MAY

A 1-0 home defeat against Walsall ended the season watched by just 3,047. A very disappointing campaign for the Cherries, though Colin Clarke was called up for the Northern Ireland squad to travel to Mexico for the World Cup after his haul of 26 goals in the league.

LUTON TOWN

AUGUST

Mark Stein scored the first goal of the season against Nottingham Forest to help the side to a point and they also drew against Arsenal and Newcastle. Mick Harford scored a penalty to help the side to a 1-0 win at West Ham.

SEPTEMBER

Home form was good with a draw against Chelsea and a 2-0 win over QPR, but both away games in the league were lost at Everton and Sheffield Wednesday. In the League Cup, Sheffield United were beaten 5-2 on aggregate.

OCTOBER

Mark Stein grabbed a hat trick as Luton hit the headlines with a 7-0 win over Southampton at Kenilworth Road. Ipswich were beaten and draws gained against Manchester United and Oxford United and the only defeat came at Anfield as they went down 3-2. Interest was ended in the League Cup as they lost 2-0 at Norwich.

NOVEMBER

Luton kept climbing the table thanks to an excellent month. A 2-0 home win over Birmingham was followed by a 3-1 win at Tottenham. A 1-0 home defeat against Coventry was the only set back and they bounced back with a 2-1 win at Watford and a 2-1 home win over Manchester City.

DECEMBER

Luton moved up to 7th in the table with a 2-0 win over Newcastle, before losing by the same scoreline at Nottingham Forest. During the month they also beat West Bromwich Albion at home and drew against West Ham and Ipswich.

JANUARY

Progress was made in the FA Cup with wins over Crystal Palace and Bristol Rovers. In the league, they kept up the good form with wins over Leicester and Aston Villa at home, but lost at Chelsea.

FEBRUARY

In the FA Cup Fifth Round, Luton had a titanic tussle with Arsenal. After a 2-2 draw at Kenilworth Road, the sides drew 0-0 at Highbury. In a second replay at home, Luton put in a stunning performance to win 3-0. It was a busy month against The Gunners as Arsenal beat Luton 2-1 in the league, but Luton were 6th by the end of the month as they completed the double over Southampton and drew at QPR.

MARCH

In the FA Cup, the side went out at the sixth round stage. After a 2-2 home draw against Everton, The Toffee's won the replay 1-0. Some revenge was gained with a league win over Everton, and they also gained three points against Sheffield Wednesday.

APRIL

The month started superbly with a 3-0 home win over West Bromwich and a 2-0 success at Birmingham. After a 1-1 home draw against Spurs, champions elect Liverpool won 1-0 at Luton and they lost by the same scoreline at Coventry. The month finished on a high though with a 3-2 home win over Watford, Mick Harford scoring a hat trick.

MAY

A highly satisfactory season finished with a 1-1 draw at Manchester City. The successful campaign was to finish with some regret though as David Pleat left to take over as manager at Tottenham. ■

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JOURNEY

7/10

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CHELTENHAM

7/10

Cheltenham is certainly one of the more grand towns that we will visit this season. It is very genteel and quiet, but certainly a very interesting place to wander round.

FIRST IMPRESSIONS

6/10

The first impressions are of what a very nice and quiet place it is. You could be virtually next to the stadium and not know it's there. There is little to do round the ground, but a bit of searching does find some decent pubs.

STADIUM

6/10



From when we first visited Cheltenham in the FA Cup in the nineties, it has grown in to a compact and decent little stadium. As a club, they went up almost too quickly and the stadium took a while to catch up with progression on the field, but it is now absolutely ideal for a

club of their size. The Main Stand is all that remains of the ground when we first visited. A covered terrace is behind one goal while running down the side and behind the other goal are small and steep seated stands with excellent views from wherever you sit. It certainly looked very picturesque too with the snow covered hills as a backdrop!



CHERRIES SUPPORT

6/10

The side received excellent vocal support throughout and Cherries supporters should have been going home happy with three points! We would have been disappointed with one, so to get none was hard to take.

FACILITIES FOR AWAY

SUPPORTERS

8/10

Certainly no complaints here. The away end is new and modern and gives a good view from every seat. The catering was certainly good enough and the stewards couldn't have been more helpful.

THE GAME

6/10

We played even better than when we dominated last season, yet once again, lost to a last minute goal. The performance was good, but just lacked goals. Even the Cheltenham supporters

afterwards conceded that we were by far the better team and they didn't deserve to win.

ATMOSPHERE

8/10

Although Cheltenham attract some of the lowest crowds in the division, the stadium is designed in a way that the atmosphere can be excellent and it was certainly better than a lot of grounds have with far bigger crowds.

PROGRAMME

5/10

Cheltenham issue a 64 page programme for £2.50. It isn't too bad and is nicely up to date, though you do have to skip through a lot of pages to get something to read.



OVERALL

6/10

The result certainly overshadowed what is a decent trip from Bournemouth. It's a nice place, the ground is good enough, the performance was good, but that last second sickener for the second season running made the journey home a quiet one. ■

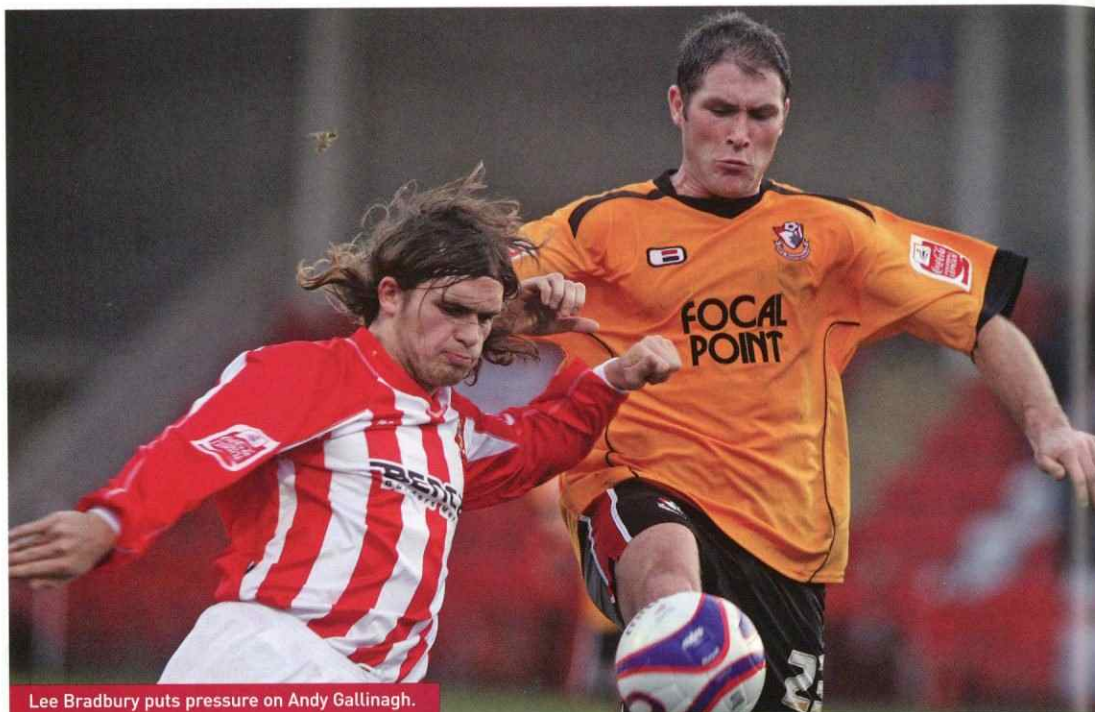
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Lee Bradbury puts pressure on Andy Gallinagh.



Brett Pitman tries a shot from distance

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Jo Tessem beats Steve Brooker to the ball on his Cherries debut.



Sam Vokes rises above two Robins defenders to get a header in on goal.

CHELTHENHAM REACTION



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CHELTENHAM TOWN 1
AFC BOURNEMOUTH 0

Attendance: 3,959
Visiting Supporters: 469
Referee: Mr. A. Penn

LINE UPS

CHELTENHAM TOWN:

Higgs, Lindegaard, Caines, Gallinagh, Wright, D Agostino, Bird, Russell, Vincent (Scott Brown 71), Gillespie, Brooker (Connor 64).

Unused subs: Scott P Brown, Connolly, Wylde.
Goal: Bird 90.

AFC BOURNEMOUTH:

Stewart, Young, Gowling, Perrett, Cummings, Tessem, Bradbury, Cooper, Hollands, Kuffour, Pitman (Vokes 81).

Unused subs: Moss, Pearce, Bartley, Partington.
Booked: Cummings

"It was heartbreaking, we were the better team throughout, but nothing dropped for us. It's hard to take because it happened for them in the last minute. I thought we played well, had the majority of the ball and were pressing them for the majority of the game. We created so much, but didn't make enough of those chances."

KEVIN BOND

"We did it again to Bournemouth and Kevin Bond will be bitterly



disappointed about the result. We've had situations ourselves when we have come away with nothing. You can play well in games like Bournemouth did and come away with nothing, that's the fine line in this league. We could be critical about the performance but we have a resilience, together with organisation and attitude. You make sure you don't lose the game, but we went on and won."

KEITH DOWNING

"We would have been disappointed with a point, so to lose was devastating. We had to deal with the corner whether it's in the first or the 90th minute and you have to put away the

chances you create and we had plenty. If you don't do that, you won't win games and we shot ourselves in the foot."

WARREN CUMMINGS

"We can take a lot out of it and the lads did really well, which is why we came off the park so disappointed with nothing. There were a lot of positives to be taken from the performance and we didn't look like a bottom of the table team."

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RUSSELL PERRETT STAY POSITIVE

✦ In these difficult times at AFC Bournemouth, there has been the good news of returning players, including Russell Perrett from a long term injury and he is looking forward to facing his old club tonight.

After a long time on the sidelines, he returned to the side at Cheltenham, but his first two games back have ended in bitter disappointment, "The Cheltenham game was my first game back for so long, but regardless of me as an individual, we conceded late again and it seems to have happened a few times to us now. We played well though and that was a positive that did come from it.

"It showed that there is something there that we can work and build on. We did that at the start of the Southend game when we had them on the back foot, but conceded two goals from their first two shots and it was an uphill battle from there. Again we had to take it on the chin and again we had to just pick ourselves up and get on with it and keep going."

Saturday's highly disappointing result against Southend has made Russ and his team mates even more determined to put things right here at Dean Court, "It's vitally important now that we have good home form. We need to make Dean Court a fortress and make sure we are solid here. We need to put Saturday behind us now, stay positive and pick up all the points we can here. Then we can try and get as many away from home. We're going to give it a great go from now until the end of the season. Everyone is giving it a great go, everyone is totally committed to the cause.

"No one here will give up, there is none of that attitude at all. We had yet another last minute set back the week before and that was hard to take. To be honest, if the game had ended 0-0 at Cheltenham, we would

have thought that at least we've played good football and done our jobs. We've had plenty of chances to score but we haven't. The least then you expect to get is a point. We would have been disappointed with that, so to lose was a gut wrencher. We had to start again, but it didn't go for us. We now have to pick ourselves up again and move forward and put things right."

Tonight's opponents Luton have endured a traumatic time of it this season and although Perrett has a great deal of sympathy for his former club, he knows where his priorities lie now, "When I left Luton, a new guy had come in and it seemed like he had lots of money. A whole new load of faces came in to the squad and they were my pick to go straight back up. Obviously things haven't gone well for them for whatever reason. They've no money, they have had points deducted and lost a number of players. It does seem that they are turning the corner now and the situation is getting better there. I don't know how they've managed to get into that situation because they have sold a lot of players in the past for a lot of money.

"It is a shame, but when the game starts, we can only think of ourselves and I will be looking to put one over on them for our cause. I spent a few years there and won a championship winning medal, but a lot of the players I was there with have now moved on, and it's just another opponent tonight and a game I want to win. I did have a good time at Luton and I'd like to thank Luton Town supporters for accepting me and I had a good rapport with them. Now though, it's



time for me to do it for AFC Bournemouth and try and get us away from the bottom of the table."

Despite the Cherries perilous League position, Russ is certainly not giving up hope for Bournemouth and can take positives from the last two games and still has a belief that the side can turn things round, "I do believe we have what it takes. I hadn't played since September 15th and coming back in against Cheltenham, I felt we were comfortable on the ball.

We need to put Saturday behind us now, stay positive and pick up all the points we can here and then get as many away from home...

"We looked composed, we tried to play football and everything we did I thought we did very well. Against Southend, we looked OK until we conceded. We can talk and talk but it's no good if you don't get any points. We have to go again and there are positives to be taken and lots of points left to play for. It is a difficult time for the club both on and off the pitch, and none of us like the situation we are in.

"We will remain positive and concentrate on winning the points which we firmly believe we are capable of getting." ■

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CHERRIES DREAM TEAM



By Sean Barker

➤ GK - IAN ANDREWS

Mr Reliable and a fantastic servant for the club. He was so important to us in the great escape season and I'm sure he helped the young Mossy develop. He was also a really great guy and was always my Mums favourite!

RB - NEIL YOUNG. THE 'HORSE'!

What can I say, AFCB legend and when in his prime could have easily played at a higher level. His link up with John Bailey on the right hand side was perfection and they were almost telepathic! I'm pretty confident that I was the only one in the old South Stand who wore his name and number on my shirt and I will never forget when he scored his first ever goal for us! I didn't care about the stewards, it was glory runs up and down the yellows!

LB - JAMIE VINCENT

It was an absolute shocker of a decision to sell Jamie when we were so close to the play offs and who knows what would have happened if we'd managed to hold onto him. Absolute legend at free-kicks from out wide, it was always the same type but so effective - He'd bend it towards the back post and it would either go straight in or someone would get on the end of it and put it in the other corner!



CB - MARK MORRIS

A no nonsense defender and a great leader. Wasn't the most cultured of players but you could always rely on him. Remember when he got played in central midfield for a few games and he suddenly started to try 30 yard through balls all over the park. Anderton he wasn't but a rock at the back! Team captain.

CB - IAN COX

A revelation when moved from midfield into defence and really established himself as one of the best centre backs in the league. A strong marker who was very comfortable on the ball and confident in the air. [Even if he did have a 50p head with the direction the ball would go!]



LM - JASON BRISSETT

Although most useful when we were ahead with a few minutes to go due to his flamboyance near

the corner flag, he was a great player to watch and was an important player for us when on form. Added some real flair and when fired up would always want the ball at every opportunity. Only weakness was his ability to jump for a header so early that his team mate hadn't even kicked the ball! I must also make a special mention for Tony Scully, he was amazing when he first joined us!

CM - MATTY HOLLAND

Legend! He could pass, he could tackle, he could head, he could captain, he had the lot! I was so proud when he got the chance with the Republic of Ireland when Keano stropped home and he proved during that tournament that he could perform at the top level. Also played fantastically as a sweeper when called upon and will also always be remembered for all he did during the 'Save The Cherries' campaign.



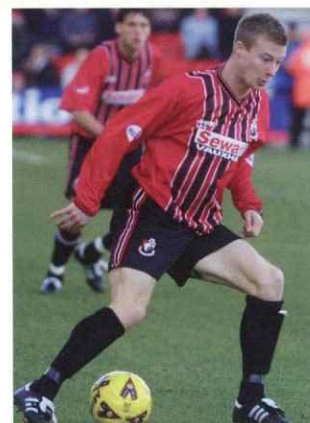
CM - JOHN SPICER

Slightly controversial choice I know but I thought Spicer was a great player for us and

you could see the class he had learnt while with Arsenal. I remember when he thought he'd scored the goal to put us 3-2 up away at Bradford after being 2-0 down.

I think he was the last person in the ground to realise it had been disallowed for offside! The vision he had was incredible and he made runs that other players couldn't see or even think about making. Yes, he left under a bit of a cloud but had we gone up that year I think he would have been a key player for us.

JOIN IN! Everyone has a different opinion on who would be in their Cherries dream team and it doesn't matter if you have been following the club for one or one hundred years, you can join in and send in your AFC Bournemouth dream team, the rules are up to you! Please send yours to mick.cunningham@aafb.co.uk, post it to the club address or hand it in to reception.



RM - WADE ELLIOTT

On his day, no one could stop him and the only thing I think that has hindered him playing in the top league is his final ball. [Although as we used to say, if he could deliver a ball onto the strikers head every time then he wouldn't have been playing for Bournemouth!] It was an absolute joy to watch a full back get substituted during the game after being given the run around by Wade! I just wish he'd stuck that penalty away in the last minute away at Reading!!

CF - JERMAIN DEFOE

What a player! He is the only player I've ever seen who has looked so far ahead of everyone else in terms of quality. He was like watching an 18 year old playing in an under 10's team! Every time he got the ball you genuinely believed that he was either going to score or the keeper was going to make a world class save! Special mention for my mate Rob Frank, now in Sydney who somehow managed to think in the stands that it was Jason Tindall and not Jermain who scored the wonder goal at Oxford ... I suppose they do look slightly similar????

CF - STEVE JONES

What can I say? Jonah was a real fans favourite and his goal away at Brentford in the Great Escape

season is one of those memories that will never, ever leave me!... He scored in front of the home end but ran all the way back to us behind the other goal to celebrate! A striker who was a great finisher and would always gamble on the defender missing a through ball. Yes, it very rarely worked but when it did who would usually stick the ball in the net. Also, there was no better sight than a 'Jonesy Lunge' on an opposition defender!

SUBS - 'BIG' STEVE FLETCHER

Another Bournemouth legend and a great player to bring off the bench and add some intensity and strength up front. Could and should have scored more goals but always a threat in the air at set plays and he would live and die for this football club. I hope to someday see him return!

NEIL MASTERS

Just for his free kicks if nothing else! Scored an absolute stonker once in the FA Cup against Brighton. Another in a line of Bournemouth players who I think could have played at the top level if injuries hadn't intervened.



DEREK HOLMES

I've taken a lot of stick over the years for being a Derek fan and I'm not sure if anyone else had his name on their

shirt but I always think he was underrated and thought I'd wind some of my mates up by including him! Another reason for picking him is because my wife Faith thought he was rubbish, so he's made the bench for her!!!

Unfortunately people seemed to class him as a replacement for Fletch when in reality he was the opposite - Rubbish in the air but good with his feet!!!! I don't think I've ever seen such a reception for

a former player as we did when he came here with Carlisle. Everyone appreciated that he always tried hard and him wiping tears from his eyes at Wrexham when we went down was an image of a player who gave his all for the club. Currently doing well for Rotherham and just scored his first ever hat trick - Good on him!

JAMES HAYTER

Another great player for us and immensely loyal to stay with us while others went elsewhere. Mr Dependable who could play in a number of positions although this was sometimes to his detriment as he would be moved around however the manager felt he could fill a gap. Should have always been played either up front or just behind the front two. He was wasted as a winger!



CHRISTER WARREN

He's purely made the bench for being able to hit Warren 'Sumo' Aspinall in the crown jewels

TWICE in five minutes!! That is still the funniest thing I have ever seen during a game of football. I was actually sitting on the stone steps of the South End as I was laughing so hard I couldn't stand up!

MANAGER - SEAN BARKER

It would have to be myself seeing as I have many years experience of playing Championship Manager on the PC. I got AFCB in to the Premier league once don't you know.

PITCHSIDE ANNOUNCER - GEOFF BARKER

It would obviously have to be the mighty Geoff Barker! ■

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SO MANY QUESTIONS NEIL YOUNG



IF

If you were manager and could buy any player, with money no object, who would it be?

Ronaldo from Manchester United, he gets better every year.

If you rule any country, which one would it be?

England, it needs sorting out.

If you could watch Bournemouth play from any part of the Fitness First Stadium, which stand would you go in?

I'd go in the North Stand.

If the keeper was injured and all the substitutes were used, would you be happy to play goalkeeper? As a one off yeah, but you have to have a certain kind of mentality to be a keeper.

If you could go back in time and play in any game that has ever been played, which one would it be?

Easy, the World Cup Final in 1966.

If you were on Deal or No Deal and the final boxes were £5,000 and £250,000 and the offer was £90,000, would you deal?

Deal all day!

If you found out that you could play for a minor international side, would you take the opportunity? Of course, any chance of playing international football anyone would take. It would be a chance to play against the best players in the world.

If you were in a band, would you want to play guitar, bass, keyboards, drums or sing?

Drums in a Keith Moon style.

If you could change or introduce any law in football, what would it be?

I'd change the offside rule as it is far too inconsistent.

If you could start your own business, what would you do?

A football coaching school.

If there was a penalty shoot out, would you be happy to step up and take one?

Not my game. I never have taken one and probably never will.

If you were on I'm a celebrity, get me out of here, what bush tucker trial would you most hate to get?

Eating bugs!

If you had the opportunity to go in to management, would you take it?

I think more of a coaching role would suit me better.

If you could change anything in your career, what would you change?

Being out injured for almost two seasons.

If the side were winning comfortably and in the last minute you got a goalscoring chance and a player on a hat trick was next to you, would you pass or score?

I'd pass because I'd probably miss!

If you could describe your ambitions as a footballer in one sentence, what would you say?

To play at the highest level for as long as I can and finish my career on a high.

If you could give advice to any young defender, what would it be?

Watch John Terry.

If you could be an animal for a day, which one would you be?

A badger.

If your house was on fire and all the occupants safe, which one possession would you save?

My watch.

THIS PERFECT DAY

What is the perfect morning for you?

Wake up around 10ish and get brought my breakfast in bed by my wife and kids!! Then off to play in the World Cup Final.

Afternoon?

Skipper England in the World Cup and score the winner.

Evening?

Go out for a meal, then a bar, then home to find out I've just won the lottery.

WHERE

Where is your favourite stadium?

Wembley.

Where is the stadium that you have your least favourite memories?

The Racecourse Ground, Wrexham. We got relegated there.

Where did you start your football career?

I started at a local club in Harlow called Spartak FC, who were the worst team in the league by a mile. I then played for PA Youth FC, but they were just as bad, probably because it was Spartak with a different name! I didn't play for a while after that before I joined Anglenzo, a team sponsored by Glenn Hoddle and I got spotted by Spurs and signed YTS for them in 1989.



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NEIL YOUNG NO.2



Where are the main differences between Conference and League 1 football?

Some stadiums and pitches aren't up to the same quality. I was impressed with the standard of football, but I feel League 1 has more pace and quality.

Where is your favourite holiday destination?
Rhodes.

Where do you see yourself in ten years time?
Who knows!

Do you believe in horoscopes?
Yeah read them all the time (not).

Do you read the Daily Echo on a Monday when the previous Saturday's game has been poor?
I've learnt not to.

Do you have an annoying ring tone?
No, I don't think so

Do you ever wonder what you would be doing now if you hadn't gone in to football?
I'd be a brickie now probably. I had a place in college before I got offered a YTS at Spurs.

Do you have any pre-match superstitions?
Out the tunnel first if I'm skipper, or second if not. I always wear a short sleeved shirt.

Do you enjoy travelling with the team to away games if you're not involved or on the bench?
Not at all.

Do you spend much time on the internet and would you read what people are saying about you on messageboards?
I've learnt not to do that either!

Do you watch League 1 games that are live on Sky to get any tips on the opposition?
Occasionally.

Do you have a favourite gadget?
My ipod.

FIRSTS

What is your first football memory?
Going to watch my dad play.

What were your first impressions of AFC Bournemouth in 1994?
I remember when they first contacted me about joining, I looked at the league table from the top and kept going down and down and down until I saw the name at the bottom! I was shown round the ground and the town and stayed in the Royal Bath so my first impressions were fantastic.

What do you consider your best goal in your career?

Ha Ha! So many to choose from. The one against Leicester in the pre season friendly was pretty good. It may have not been a competitive game, but I'm counting it! I was as shocked as anyone when it went in because it was the first time I'd tried anything like that in a game when it's been on target!

When was the first time you heard that you were coming back to AFC Bournemouth?

I'd just finished a training session 'game' on the Monday afternoon.

What is the first thing you do when you get to the ground for a game?
Sort out the comp tickets for the lads.

What is the most embarrassing moment in a game?
Making any kind of error or mistake.

You've been at Bournemouth for many years, what is it like when you come up against big clubs who drop down to this level?
They are the games you really look forward to playing in. Especially ones like going to Manchester City on a Tuesday night in front of 27,500, playing at Forest and we're looking forward to going to Leeds.

LASTS

What was the last CD you bought?
I just download on to my iPod!

What was the last gadget you bought?
A new 80gb iPod.

What was the last band you saw?
Paul Weller.

What was the last film you saw?
American Gangster.

What was the last game you played before rejoining Bournemouth?
Cambridge United away in the FA Cup Second Round.

WHO

Who is your footballing hero?
Gazza.

Who do you think should be managing England?
I think they have the right man at the moment.

Who did you support as a youngster?
Spurs.

Who are the best team you've played against?
Portsmouth in the last pre-season friendly.

Who is the best player you have played with?
Gazza.

Who do you think will win the Leagues this season?
Premier League:
Manchester United
Championship:
West Bromwich Albion
League 1: Leeds United
League 2: MK Dons

CHERRIES NEWS

HOWE ON HOPE FM



The AFC Bournemouth hour between 4.00 and 5.00 on next Sunday afternoon has Stadium MC Michael Botto chatting to Cherries legend and now coach Eddie Howe on Hope FM. Eddie will be answering your questions and as always, there will be plenty of chances to win Cherries tickets and merchandise. Have your say on your local club on your local station!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

A very happy birthday to Serena McClelland from everyone at AFC Bournemouth!

RON VIVIAN

AFC Bournemouth would like to acknowledge the support of one of its longest serving supporters, Ron Vivian, who sadly passed away on the 15th Dec 2007 aged 86.

He watched his first game at the age of five and, even after moving to Tenerife he retained his passion and enthusiasm for his club having the local paper sent to him weekly so he could stay up to date with all the Cherries news.

He will be greatly missed by all who knew him and we send our deepest condolences to his family and friends.

PLAYERSHARE FACTORY

Not only can supporters win prizes at the Playershare table, but thanks to the Playershare Factory, there are a large number of items on sale as well, with all the proceeds going to Playershare.

Items for sale include:

Coasters with action pictures of every 2007-8 squad player, club logo, Dean Court.

Key rings with portraits of every 2007-8 squad player and club logo.

Fridge Magnets with portraits of every 2007-8 squad player and action ones as well, any picture taken by the Club Photographer can be incorporated, club logo, Dean Court.

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Every sale directly helps AFC Bournemouth, so pop along at home games and have a look at what is on offer or visit the website at www.freewebs.com/playersharefactory



ONE VISION LEAGUE ONE REVIEW

Mark Mitchener



FOREST NEXT AT FITNESS FIRST



The next visitors to the Fitness First Stadium will be Nottingham Forest, who arrive in 11 days' time on Saturday, 2 February - for the reverse fixture from the opening day of the season. Boss Colin Calderwood has promised to strengthen his squad while the transfer window is open, but has had two bids for former Bournemouth loan player Leon Best knocked back by Coventry.

The 21-year-old striker began the 2006/07 season on loan with the Cherries from Southampton, but left Saints last summer for the Ricoh Arena - with a transfer tribunal ordering Coventry to pay an initial fee of £650,000, with more payable on appearances. Meanwhile, several players have left the City Ground on loan, with midfielder Felix Bastians moving several hundred yards across the River Trent to join neighbours Notts County on a month's loan, while defenders Brendan Moloney and Tom Sharpe have gone to Chesterfield and Halifax respectively for a month. Goalkeeping coach David Watson has joined Birmingham, and been replaced by Barry Richardson who had been keeper coach under Sean O'Driscoll at Doncaster.

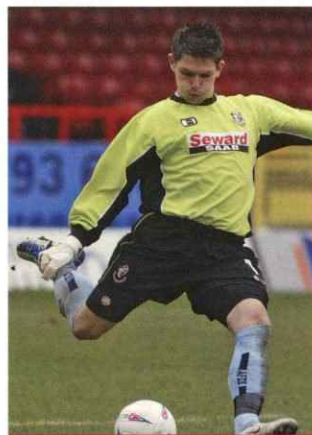
HARFORD REPLACES BLACKWELL AT LUTON

Today's visitors Luton have barely been out of the news in the last fortnight. Manager Kevin Blackwell had previously announced that he was giving a month's notice of resignation and would quit after their game with Bournemouth on 9 February, after the club's administrator authorised the sale of players without consulting him (see Southend programme for details).

It was then announced a week ago, prior to their FA Cup replay at Liverpool, that the administrator had agreed a deal in principle to sell the club to a consortium called Luton Town Football Club 2020 Limited, fronted by BBC TV presenter (and lifelong Luton supporter) Nick Owen. Owen's group have made an immediate loan to the cash-strapped Hatters, and have been given a period of exclusive bidder status with the administrator - while the Football League and FA would also have to approve any purchase. Luton were then beaten 5-0 at Anfield that night - and the following morning, Blackwell and his assistants Sam Ellis and John Carver were all sacked by the administrator. Later that day, Hatters legend Mick Harford was appointed as manager for the rest of the season, with ex-Portsmouth defender Warren Neill as his assistant.

HAWKS BEAT SWANSEA IN CUP THRILLER

Havant & Waterlooville wrote their names into FA Cup giant-killing history last Wednesday by beating League One leaders Swansea 4-2 at Westleigh Park in their third round replay. Former Bournemouth goalkeeper Kevin Scriven was one of the Hawks' heroes, saving a penalty from Leon Britton when they were leading 3-1 and the Swans - 83 league places above the hosts - were threatening a fightback. But the Welsh side's manager Roberto Martinez admitted: "We only have ourselves to blame. If you concede



Kevin Scriven - Hawks Hero

four goals out of five chances, you are not going to win a football game." The following day, Martinez signed teenage Manchester United striker Febian Brandy on loan for the rest of the season. Among the other League One sides still involved in the FA Cup, Tranmere bowed out at League Two side Hereford, losing their replay 1-0, while Millwall - who had beaten Bournemouth in round two - beat Walsall 2-1 in their replay.

Meanwhile, Bristol Rovers and Swindon will face Fulham and Barnet respectively tonight, after their replays last Tuesday fell victim to the weather. The other League One teams who made it through to Saturday's fourth round are Oldham and Huddersfield (who play each other) and Southend, who host Barnsley.

KIRK SWAPS COBBLERS FOR GLOVERS

Having lost the services of on-loan Charlton striker James Walker who has joined Southend, Yeovil bolstered their forward line last week by signing former Northern Ireland international striker Andy Kirk from fellow League One side Northampton. Glovers boss Russell Slade explained: "He is a proven

goalscorer - you only have to look at the stats, he scores goals regularly and at every single club he has been at. He's a poacher - he has scored most of his goals between the goal-line and the penalty spot." Another striker on the move in League One is Aston Villa's Swedish teenager Tobias Mikaelsson, who has joined Port Vale on a month's loan - becoming their sixth signing of the transfer window. However, less good news for boss Lee Sinnott was the announcement that midfielder Robin Hulbert is facing six weeks out with a broken collarbone.

BRIGHTON AND POOLS HANDED FA FINES

Hartlepool and Brighton have both been fined £500 by the Football Association in relation to their game at Victoria Park on 27 October, which Brighton won 3-1. Both sides had been charged with failing to ensure their players and/or officials conducted themselves in an orderly fashion. The two teams were also warned as to their future conduct, as was Pools goalkeeping coach George Wood, who had been handed a separate charge of improper conduct but was not fined himself. Back on the pitch, Brighton had lost the services of several players since Christmas, but boss Dean Wilkins last week signed Falkirk captain Steven Thomson for an undisclosed fee. The former Crystal Palace and Peterborough midfielder has signed a two-and-a-half-year contract at Withead. He has since been joined by Ipswich midfielder Matt Richards, who had a three-month loan spell with the Seagulls earlier this season and has now returned on loan for the rest of the campaign.

WARD TIES UP HORWOOD DEAL

Carlisle boss John Ward has strengthened his defence by signing Sheffield United defender Evan Horwood on a free transfer. Hartlepool-born Horwood, 21, came up through the youth ranks at Bramall Lane but only made one brief substitute appearance in the Carling Cup for the Blades - while spending time out on loan at Stockport, Scunthorpe, York, Chester and Darlington. He spent the first half of this season on loan at Scottish Premier League newcomers Gretna, but has now signed a two-and-a-half-



year contract at Brunton Park. He could soon be joined there by Scunthorpe winger Cleveland Taylor, for whom Ward has made a second, improved bid. Ward explained: "Taylor has got it all in his locker to do it at this level and help us to get where we would like to go."

SWINDON TAKEOVER FINALLY COMPLETED

As expected, the long-awaited takeover of Swindon Town by a consortium led by Wiltshire businessman Andrew Fitton was finally completed last Tuesday.

The deal had been first mooted in the autumn, looked to have fallen through in early December, but was finally agreed in late December, and has taken until last week to be finalised. Fitton will be the new chairman, backed by directors Jeremy Wray, Russell Backhouse and Nick Watkins, while Sir Martyn Arbib - who is worth an estimated £370m - is another of Fitton's backers but will not be joining the board.

Former Scotland defender Maurice Malpas has now been confirmed as manager (see Southend programme), while the Robins' transfer embargo has been "downgraded" by the Football League. The total embargo has been lifted, but a flexible embargo remains in place which means they can only sign players with the approval of the Football League. ■

FIXTURES

TONIGHT'S LEAGUE 1 MATCHES

AFC Bournemouth v Luton Town
Gillingham v Oldham Athletic
Hartlepool United v Southend United
Swansea City v Crewe Alexandra

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Millwall v Nottingham Forest

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| Cheltenham Town | 25 | 7 | 6 | 12 | 21 | 35 | 27 |
| Millwall | 25 | 7 | 5 | 13 | 26 | 37 | 26 |
| **Luton Town | 25 | 9 | 6 | 10 | 27 | 29 | 23 |
| Port Vale | 27 | 5 | 5 | 17 | 23 | 41 | 20 |
| AFC Bournemouth | 26 | 5 | 5 | 16 | 28 | 49 | 20 |

*Leeds United 15 point deduction
**Luton Town 10 points deducted



RESERVES

BOOST FOR EDDIE

With the size of the Cherries squad and the large number of injuries, Eddie Howe has been forced to field young and inexperienced sides since taking over as reserve team manager.

He was therefore delighted to be able to name a team of eleven professionals in the last game against Forest Green Rovers.

With the first team having no game on the Saturday, Eddie felt it was a good exercise and was delighted with the performance, "It was good and I thought the lads did excellently and showed a great attitude to the game. They didn't let going a goal down affect them and went on to play some excellent football and deserved to win by the scoreline that we did, and it

could have been more. It was by a mile the strongest side that I had to choose from and it was used as a training exercise leading up to Cheltenham. We felt it would benefit the first team lads to play together and it showed at Cheltenham because we did really well despite the scoreline, and you would like to think that was partly down to the work done here on the Tuesday before."

It took the pressure off the young players who have been making up the majority of the reserve side over the last year and Eddie believes it is so beneficial for them when they come on in games like this, "It is far more beneficial for them, because they get a good taste

for it. It is good for them to come in and play with people who have lots of experience. James Queree came on alongside Russell Perrett, Matt Finlay went alongside Josh Gowling and it is a big boost for them to do that.

From now though, and with postponements meaning we have a number of games coming up, we will be back to fielding mainly youth players as we are struggling to fill the bench with professionals. It is good for the lads progression though and they have had good experience this season and for some, they have had the taste in an experienced side and that will stand them in good stead." ■

Reserves Fixtures

| | | |
|--------------|-----------------------|--------|
| Tues 21 Aug | EXETER CITY H | 0 - 2 |
| Tues 11 Sept | Cheltenham Town A | 1 - 1 |
| Tues 25 Sept | BRISTOL CITY H | 1 - 7 |
| Tues 16 Oct | BRISTOL ROVERS H | 1 - 2 |
| Mon 22 Oct | Forest Green Rovers A | 0 - 3 |
| Weds 28 Nov | Andover New Street A | 5 - 1 |
| Tues 11 Dec | Farnborough A | 0 - 2 |
| Mon 17 Dec | Bristol Rovers H | 2 - 0 |
| Tues 8 Jan | FOREST GREEN ROVERS H | 4 - 1 |
| Weds 23 Jan | Yeovil Town A | 2.00pm |
| Tues 5 Feb | SWANSEA CITY H | 2.00pm |
| Tues 26 Feb | CHELTEHAM TOWN H | 2.00pm |
| Tues 4 Mar | YEOVIL TOWN H | 2.00pm |
| Tues 18 Mar | Bristol City A | 7.00pm |
| Tues 25 Mar | Plymouth Argyle A | 2.00pm |
| Tues 1 Apr | PLYMOUTH ARGYLE H | 2.00pm |
| Tues 22 Apr | SWINDON TOWN H | 2.00pm |
| TBA | Exeter City A | |

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JOE ROACH AFCB YOUTH TEAM NEWS

Saturday 19 January 2008
Puma Youth Alliance

AFC BOURNEMOUTH 2 CHELTENHAM TOWN 0

➤ The young Cherries side returned to action after over a month without a game, and came through a tough test with flying colours. Not only did the side have a physical Cheltenham side to contend with, but also a high wind that made playing football difficult.

It took both sides a while to adapt to the conditions, but with the wind in their faces, Bournemouth were coping better. It took until a quarter of an hour had passed before the first meaningful effort on goal when Jamie Davidson seized on some hesitant defending to send in a snap shot that went wide. Although Cheltenham did not use the wind to their advantage, they did strike the post on 25 minutes to give Bournemouth a warning.

Before the break, Jordan Rose found himself in acres of space, but headed the ball over and then George Webb found Elliott Copper with an incisive pass, but the ball went just past the post. At the other end, Ryan Pryce, who was to make his first team debut later in the day, had to be on his toes to acrobatically tip the ball over the bar.

With the wind now behind them, the Cherries quickly took advantage and took the lead three minutes in to the second half. A free kick found Rose in a crowded area, but he showed great composure



Jordan Rose gives Bournemouth the lead

to pass the ball in to the net under pressure.

From then on, there was only going to be one winner. Against a battling Robins side, Josh McQuoid went close on a couple of occasions and Rose came close to a second when his shot was blocked and went out for a corner. Rose was not to be denied a second though and two minutes from the end, he sent in a cross cum shot from fully 40 yards that caught the wind and flew in to the top corner of the net and ensured that Bournemouth gained a fully deserved three points.

Coach Joe Roach was delighted with the performance and the way the side applied themselves in difficult conditions, "We spoke before the game about how we would play in the conditions. We knew if we just tried to kick the ball up the pitch in the first half it would come straight back to us. From that point of view, they took what was asked of them on board.

"We got the ball out wide and I felt they did that well and we got six or seven good crosses in, which was



George Webb wins a battle in midfield

excellent in such difficult conditions. I was pleased with the attitude. We had a long break, too long to be honest without a game, and I had to fit people in and a few lads got left out.

I had a full compliment of players bar one today, which was nice from a coaches point of view. I was pleased all round for many different reasons.

"They gave good endeavour, they worked hard for each other and got rid of the 'attitude' and never got drawn in to any of the aspects of the game that Cheltenham are about. We tried to apply the same principals we showed against Yeovil before the break and it's something we can build on."

AFC Bournemouth: Pryce, Queree, Finlay, Rose, Franks, Partington (Reeve), Whittingham, Webb, McQuoid (Wilson), Davidson, Cooper (Newton).

PUMA YOUTH ALLIANCE - Fixtures 2007-08 U18 SOUTH WEST LEAGUE

| | | | |
|------------|-------------------|------------|---------|
| Sat Aug 18 | Exeter City | A | 4-1 |
| Sat Sep 1 | OXFORD UNITED | H | 4-3 |
| Sat Sep 8 | Swansea City | A | 1-1 |
| Sat Sep 15 | Barnet 12 | (AC 1) A | 1-1 |
| Sat Sep 22 | BRENTFORD | (AC 2) H | 1-1 |
| Sat Sep 29 | Luton Town | (AC 3) A | 1-2 |
| Sat Oct 6 | BRIGHTON & H | (AC 4) H | 0-1 |
| Sat Oct 13 | Swansea City | (AC 5) A | 1-0 |
| Sat Oct 20 | PLYMOUTH A | (AC 6) H | 0-3 |
| Sat Oct 27 | Queens P.R. | (AC 7) A | 0-1 |
| Wed Nov 7 | Oxford City | (FAYC 1) A | 1-2 |
| Sat Nov 10 | Cheltenham Town | A | 4-0 |
| Sat Nov 17 | PLYMOUTH ARGYLE | H | 2-3 |
| Sat Dec 1 | Swindon Town | A | 0-1 |
| Sat Dec 15 | YEovil TOWN | H | 1-1 |
| Sat Jan 19 | CHELTENHAM T | H | 2-0 |
| Sat Feb 2 | Plymouth Argyle A | | |
| Sat Feb 9 | SWINDON TOWN | H | |
| Sat Feb 16 | Hereford United | A | 12 noon |
| Sat Mar 1 | Yeovil Town | A | |
| Sat Mar 8 | HEREFORD UNITED | H | |
| Sat Mar 15 | BRISTOL ROVERS | H | |
| Sat Mar 22 | Bristol Rovers | A | |
| Sat Mar 29 | EXETER CITY | H | |
| Sat Apr 5 | Oxford United | A | |
| Sat Apr 19 | SWANSEA CITY H | | 12 noon |

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Whilst I hope we don't get taught any lessons on the pitch tonight, it may be that Luton Town could offer us some friendly advice about the pros and cons of administration. Luton recently went into administration and hopefully are now through the pain barrier, and starting to build a new future.

The 'pain' that they have been through has been quite public. Managers and players have left their club, and they have taken the hit of a ten point deduction. At the time of writing it looks as though they will have new owners.

That then gives us an indication of what our club might have to go through should administration be the best option. Certainly the administrator would be the key decision maker. From a supporters point of view we get to become familiar with terms such as 'pre-pack' agreements and insolvency.

Whilst administration may be the answer for AFC Bournemouth, as supporters we perhaps should give some thought to the clubs creditors who may now receive just a fraction of what they are owed. The irony being that top clubs today are signing footballers for 2-3 times our total debt whilst many smaller clubs struggle. The essence of football is competition. Despite the financial equalities, recent FA Cup matches involving Luton, Bury and Havant & Waterlooville

remind us why the game still holds such appeal.

Ownership of AFC Bournemouth has historically been fraught with difficulties. Private ownership by a succession of owners who repeatedly spent more than we could afford brought AFC Bournemouth to the brink in 1997. We emerged from that threat supposedly as 'Europe's first Community Club'. In reality, the ownership of the club remained an almost closed shop, we ended up with a huge debt, and on top of that, built a new stadium. Eventually the CM became a democratic organisation and was able to elect representatives to the Board.

Having been 'advised' for years that the 'Golden Share' was the key factor in preventing significant investment, the then Community Mutual relinquished the golden share, and Jeff and Steve took over.

Despite that freedom, there have been no new investors willing to take on the debt. Equally disappointing is that

some still choose to claim that the Trust is a barrier to investment.

It will then remain to be seen what, if any, Supporters Trust involvement will be following this very difficult period. Needless to say I believe that our two main Board representatives, Ernie Battey and David Musker, have provided invaluable support to the club Board, and have demonstrated that Trusts still have a role to play.

Whoever ends up running AFC Bournemouth, the supporters will still be here. And as long as they wish, the Supporters Trust will do what it can to see that your interests are still represented.

For now though, let's forget about club rivalries, and hope that both sets of supporters still have a team to follow. ■

Rob Trent

THE NUMBERS GAME

3 - The number of different divisions that goalkeeper Chic Brodie played in, in three consecutive matches in 1961. He made an appearance for Aldershot in Division Four and was then sold to Wolves. He made one appearance for Wolves in Division One and then moved to Northampton in Division Three! He was the Margate keeper when Bournemouth beat them 11-0 in the FA Cup in 1971.

4 - The number of years that Alec Stock was manager of Luton Town. He was in charge from 1968 to 1972. In 1979, he took over as manager of AFC Bournemouth before handing the reins over to David Webb in 1980.

6 - The number of goals Luton scored against Bournemouth in the first ever meeting between the two clubs. That came in Division Three (South) on Saturday 1 December 1923 at Luton with The Hatters winning 6-2. Seven days later they made the trip to Dean Court and won 3-2. Bournemouth may have taken their time, but gained revenge on that mauling in October 2003, winning 6-3 at Dean Court. In the late seventies, Luton won 6-1 at Bournemouth in a pre-season friendly.

6 - Luton were hit for six by Denis Law in 1961 as Luton faced Manchester United in the FA Cup Fourth Round. Law scored all six goals as United went 6-2 up, but the game was abandoned. In the rearranged game, Law was again on target, but Luton won 3-1!

7 - The position that Luton finished in the top flight in the 1986-87 season. That was their best ever position and also that season, Bournemouth finished in their highest ever League position at the time, first in Division Three.

10 - The amount of games played in Division Two on 18 October 1980. Seven were draws and three were

away wins. It was the first time in Football league history that so many games in one division had been played without a home win.

11 - The number of goals scored in three games by Walter Hunt for Carlisle in 1938. He scored four against Lincoln and Accrington and then three against Rochdale. All of the opponents were his former clubs.

55 - The number times that Bournemouth have met Luton in competitive matches. Bournemouth have won 21, Luton 20 and 14 have ended as draws. Luton completed the double in the first season we met, but Bournemouth turned the tables in the 1924-25 season, winning 2-1 at Dean Court and 2-0 at Kenilworth Road. The game at Luton on 3 January was the first away win for The Cherries that season.

58 - The number of Northern Ireland caps that Mal Donaghy won whilst a Luton Town player.



85 - The number of appearances made by Warren Feeney for Luton Town from March 2005 to March 2007. He left Luton last March to join Cardiff on loan, making the deal permanent in the summer and quickly joined Swansea on loan. Warren joined Bournemouth from Leeds on loan in March 2001, signing in the summer and after 125 appearances, joined Stockport in July 2004.

99 - The number of League appearances made by Russell Perrett for Luton Town. He played for The Hatters the last time they played at Bournemouth and was sent off.



124 - The number of miles from Kenilworth Road to Dean Court. Luton Town have played at Kenilworth Road for 103 years, having previously played at Dallow Lane and Dunstable Road.

152 - The number of appearances made by Richard Cooke in two spells at AFC Bournemouth. He signed from Tottenham in 1986 and then moved to Luton in 1988, before returning to Bournemouth in 1990. He was forced to retire from professional football in March 1993 because of a knee injury and joined Bashley.



286 - The number of appearances made by Steve Robinson for Bournemouth from 1994 to 2000.

30069 - The record attendance at Luton is 30,069, set in 1959 against Blackpool in an FA Cup Sixth Round replay. The current capacity is 10,260. ■

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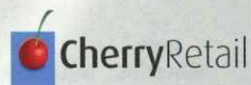
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JUNIOR CHERRIES

➤ HIYA!!!

Hiya everyone and welcome back to The Fitness First Stadium so soon after we were last here! Tonight we welcome Luton Town to Bournemouth and a warm welcome to all the young Hatters who have made the trip down.

Saturday was very disappointing for all of us, but if you look back at the game, we did have a lot of chances and while we keep getting chances, then there is always hope and I certainly still believe in us and think we're

good enough to get off the bottom! I hope you all believe that too because in what is a difficult time for the club, the players need all of us to be right behind them from the start to the finish!

We have a couple of away games after tonight before we have a huge game here against Nottingham Forest - so make sure you bring a friend and show everyone just what a great club AFC Bournemouth is!



TODAY'S MASCOTS

We have three mighty JC's leading the side out tonight.

Helena Wikeley is 11 and she attends Dumpton School. Her favourite player is Neil Moss.

13 year old Michael Solecki attends Oakmead school and his favourite player is Darren Anderton.

We also have 13 year old John Simons who goes to Kings High School and his favourite player is Lee Bradbury.

MASCOTS ON PARADE v SOUTHEND UNITED

We had five mascots leading the side out on Saturday.

Matthew Darby is pictured with Max Gradel.

Pictured with Warren Cummings is Jemma Pidgley.

Jamie Tilsed is pictured here with Neil Young.

Jack Webb is pictured with Lee Bradbury.

Finally, Mason McClelland is pictured here with Warren Cummings.



FESTIVE MASCOT!

We had a great festive mascot when Tommy McKay led the side out. Unfortunately, Tommy didn't appear in the next programme, so here he is with captain Neil Young.

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Danny Hollands gets a shot away under pressure.



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SOUTHEND REACTION



Saturday 19 January 2008
Coca Cola League 1
AFC BOURNEMOUTH 1
SOUTHEND UNITED 4

Attendance: 5,419
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Referee: Mr. P. Melin

LINE UPS

AFC BOURNEMOUTH: Stewart (Pryce 72), Young, Gowling, Perrett, Cummings, Gradel, Tessem (Bartley 62), Cooper (Pitman 90), Hollands, Vokes, Kuffour.

Subs Not Used: Pearce, Bradbury.

Booked: Gradel, Young.

Goal: Hunt o.g. 50.

SOUTHEND: Flahavan, Hunt, Clarke, Barrett, Hammell, Francis, McCormack, Bailey, Gower, Black, Hooper (Scannel 80).
Subs Not Used: Collis, Maher, Richards, Moussa.
Goals: Gower 18, Francis 23, Black 44, Hooper 65.

"Our defending was poor and it was a poor day for us and we are very disappointed with the goals. Southend scored with their first shot on goal and then scored with all three attempts by half time while we had eight and didn't put any away.

"We had so many unbelievably good chances and at the same time found ourselves goals behind and you just can't do



that. I always felt that throughout the game we looked capable of scoring and when we got the one back I had belief that we could get back in to it, but we gave away a really poor penalty. We had the break when they missed and then gave away another poor goal when we had just had a great opportunity at the other end.

"It is demoralising, but we have to pick ourselves up and go again."

KEVIN BOND

"It was a great result for us. It was one we needed and it was an excellent performance throughout the field from us.

"Bournemouth are never an easy side to beat, but we made a brilliant start by scoring early

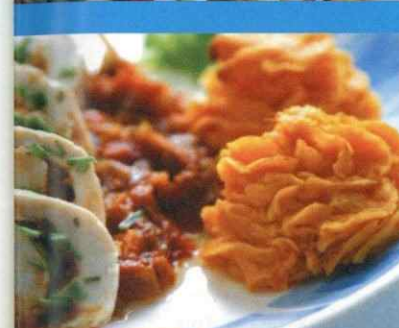
and it was a fantastic pick-me-up. We have scored a lot of goals from midfield and we've done that again. This result will hopefully get us going again."

STEVE TILSON

"We didn't make it easy for ourselves, but I thought we came up against a very good side in Southend. We made plenty of mistakes, and if you do that, you do not give yourself much of a chance.

"We started well and that made them change things round and they made it difficult for us to play and they forced us in to mistakes."

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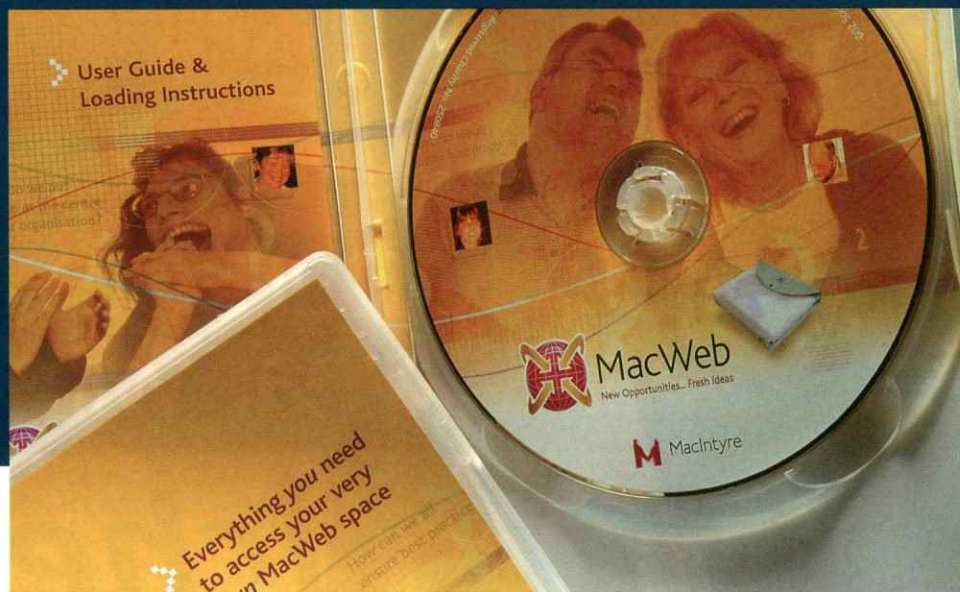
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SHARP SHOOTERS

| Player | Team | Lge | Cup | Ttl |
|-------------------|--------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Jermaine Beckford | Leeds | 16 | 0 | 16 |
| Jason Scotland | Swansea | 11 | 4 | 15 |
| Joe Garner | Carlisle | 12 | 0 | 12 |
| Nicky Forster | Brighton | 8 | 4 | 12 |
| Adam Boyd | L Orient | 8 | 3 | 11 |
| Richard Barker | Hartlepool | 8 | 3 | 11 |
| Richard Lambert | Bristol Rvs | 7 | 4 | 11 |
| Andy Kirk | Northampton | 8 | 3 | 11 |
| Junior Agogo | Nottm Forest | 10 | 0 | 10 |

WHERE TO SEE GOALS (By Ground)

| Ground | Home Team | M | Gls | G/Mt |
|-----------------------|--------------|----|-----|------|
| Withdean Stadium | Brighton | 11 | 32 | 2.91 |
| Elland Road | Leeds | 13 | 37 | 2.85 |
| The Memorial Stadium | Bristol Rvs | 10 | 28 | 2.80 |
| Fitness First Stadium | Bournemouth | 12 | 33 | 2.75 |
| The Den | Millwall | 12 | 33 | 2.75 |
| Brunton Park | Carlisle | 11 | 30 | 2.73 |
| Roots Hall | Southend | 13 | 35 | 2.69 |
| Priestfield Stadium | Gillingham | 12 | 32 | 2.67 |
| Victoria Park | Hartlepool | 12 | 32 | 2.67 |
| The Alexandra Stadium | Crewe | 13 | 34 | 2.62 |
| County Ground | Swindon | 12 | 31 | 2.58 |
| The Galpharm Stadium | Huddersfield | 13 | 33 | 2.54 |
| Sixfields Stadium | Northampton | 13 | 33 | 2.54 |
| Kenilworth Stadium | Luton | 12 | 30 | 2.50 |
| City Ground | Nottm Forest | 13 | 32 | 2.46 |
| Leyton Stadium | L Orient | 13 | 32 | 2.46 |
| Liberty Stadium | Swansea | 12 | 29 | 2.42 |
| Vale Park | Port Vale | 13 | 30 | 2.31 |
| Keepmoat Stadium | Doncaster | 13 | 30 | 2.31 |
| Huish Park | Yeovil | 13 | 29 | 2.23 |
| Bescot Stadium | Walsall | 13 | 29 | 2.23 |
| Prenon Park | Tranmere | 13 | 28 | 2.15 |
| Whaddon Road Ground | Cheltenham | 13 | 25 | 1.92 |
| Boundary Park | Oldham | 12 | 22 | 1.83 |

TEAM LEADERS

Team with the most...

shots on target 187 Bournemouth. **shots off target** 166 Leeds. **corners** 160 Northampton. **hit woodwork** 9 Leyton Orient. **offsides** 102 Port Vale. **fouls** 377 Yeovil. **yellow cards** 50 Northampton. **red cards** 6 Southend.

PLAYER POWER

Player with the most...

Shots 92 Jermaine Beckford (Leeds). **Shots on target** 42 Jermaine Beckford (Leeds). **Shots off target** 50 Jermaine Beckford (Leeds). **Assists** 7 Andy Holdsworth (Huddersfield). **Crosses** 84 Max-Alain Gradel (Bournemouth). **Offsides** 46 Luke Rodgers (Port Vale). **Fouls** 63 Craig Davies (Oldham). **Free-kicks won** 84 Joe Garner (Carlisle).



2007/08 SEASON

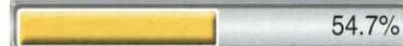


GOAL COUNTER

739

RIGHT FOOT

404 goals



LEFT FOOT

161 goals



HEADERS

162 goals



Own goals 11 (1.5%), Other body part 1 (0.1%)

QUICK-FIRE GOALS

From the start of a match

Richard Lambert (Luton vs Bristol Rovers) 1:47

By a substitute after coming on

Leon Constantine (Leeds vs Oldham) 0:12

DISCIPLINARY



2.6 cards per match 0.2 cards per match

QUICK-FIRE CARDS

From the start of a match

S Thornton (Leyton Orient vs Hartlepool) 0:53

By a substitute after coming on

Sofiene Zaaboub (Swindon vs Bristol Rvs) 3:06

SUB TOTALS

Subs used1420

Offsides1777

Corners3277

Shots Off Target3225

BEAT THE TRAFFIC

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

1 3 1

In the Coca Cola Football League One this season there have been **3280** shots on target, goals constitute **22.5%** of all shots (doesn't include own goals). The woodwork has come to the rescue of the defending side on **131** occasions (the biggest beneficiaries being Crewe 13). There have been **66** penalties awarded this season and of those **58** have been scored (a success rate of **87.9%**). Bristol Rvs have been awarded most penalties - **6**. Swansea have given most penalties away **5**. The team to score the most penalties is Bristol Rvs **6**. Swansea missed **2** penalties in the Coca Cola Football League One this season.

RESULTS

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

| | |
|-----|----|
| 0-0 | 20 |
| 0-1 | 26 |
| 0-2 | 14 |
| 0-3 | 6 |
| 0-4 | 1 |
| 0-5 | 1 |
| 1-0 | 31 |
| 1-1 | 44 |
| 1-2 | 21 |
| 1-3 | 7 |
| 1-4 | 2 |
| 1-5 | - |
| 2-0 | 22 |
| 2-1 | 29 |
| 2-2 | 13 |
| 2-3 | 5 |
| 2-4 | 1 |
| 2-5 | - |
| 3-0 | 17 |
| 3-1 | 12 |
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| 3-3 | - |
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| 4-0 | 5 |
| 4-1 | 8 |
| 4-2 | 3 |
| 4-3 | 1 |
| 4-4 | - |
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| 5-0 | 1 |
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| 5-5 | - |

*up to and including 16/01/2008

MANAGERIAL RECORDS

Kevin Bond

Played 58 Won 15 Drawn 11 Lost 32
For 63 Against 93
Av Pts/game 0.97

Biggest Win(s) Bournemouth 5 L Orient 0 (10/02/2007). **Biggest Loss(es)** Bournemouth 0 Port Vale 4 (09/12/2006).

Mick Harford

Played 0 Won 0 Drawn 0 Lost 0 For 0
Against 0

Biggest Win(s) No wins found **Biggest Loss(es)** No losses found

MANAGER HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

Played ..0 Kevin Bond0 Mick Harford0
Goals 0 Goals 0

Player with the most... shots

Jo Kuffour 36

shots on target

Lee Bradbury 27

shots off target

Sam Vokes 15

assists

Jo Kuffour 3

crosses

Max-Alain Gradel 84

fouls

Lee Bradbury 39

free-kicks-won

Jo Kuffour 30



GAMES SINCE

| | | |
|----|-----------------------|----|
| 3 | a win | 3 |
| 1 | a home win | 2 |
| 8 | an away win | 1 |
| 0 | a defeat | 0 |
| 3 | a home defeat | 0 |
| 0 | an away defeat | 0 |
| 2 | a score draw | 2 |
| 31 | a no score draw | 12 |
| 0 | conceding a goal | 0 |
| 1 | scoring a goal | 1 |
| 1 | conceding > 1 | 0 |
| 1 | scoring > 1 | 4 |
| 5 | keeping a clean sheet | 3 |
| 0 | failing to score | 0 |
| 19 | back to back wins | 3 |
| 0 | back to back defeats | 0 |
| 2 | gaining a point | 2 |
| 0 | losing a point | 0 |
| 3 | win by > one | 10 |
| 4 | loss by > one | 0 |

Player with the most... shots

David Edwards 47

shots on target

David Edwards 24

shots off target

David Edwards 23

assists

Darren Currie 6

crosses

Darren Currie 78

fouls

Paul Furlong 45

free-kicks-won

Paul Furlong 26

SHARP SHOOTERS

| Bournemouth | | | | Luton | | | |
|------------------|---|-----|---|----------------|---|-----|----|
| CCFL Cup | | Tot | | CCFL Cup | | Tot | |
| Jo Kuffour | 4 | 1 | 5 | Paul Furlong | 6 | 4 | 10 |
| Max-Alain Gradel | 4 | 1 | 5 | Matthew Spring | 5 | 3 | 8 |
| Lee Bradbury | 3 | 2 | 5 | David Edwards | 4 | 0 | 4 |

TEAM HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

Played22 Bournemouth wins10 Luton wins7
Draws5 Goals 31 (1.4 per game) Goals 24 (1.1 per game)
0-0's1 Times failed to score 8 Times failed to score 5

Biggest League win at Bournemouth for each team:

19/09/1964 Bournemouth 4-0 Luton
08/02/1969 Bournemouth 0-2 Luton



2007/08 LEAGUE STATS



| | | |
|----|---------------|----|
| 24 | Position | 22 |
| 25 | Played | 24 |
| 5 | Won | 9 |
| 5 | Drawn | 6 |
| 15 | Lost | 9 |
| 27 | Goals For | 26 |
| 45 | Goals Against | 27 |
| 20 | Points | 23 |



Record Against Top Half of Table

| W | D | L | RANK | W | D | L | RANK |
|---|---|---|------|---|---|---|------|
| 2 | 3 | 9 | 20 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 9 |

Record Against Bottom Half of Table

| W | D | L | RANK | W | D | L | RANK |
|---|---|---|------|---|---|---|------|
| 3 | 2 | 6 | 24 | 5 | 2 | 4 | 16 |

Record When Scoring First

| W | D | L | RANK | W | D | L | RANK |
|---|---|---|------|---|---|---|------|
| 4 | 3 | 0 | 23 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 9 |

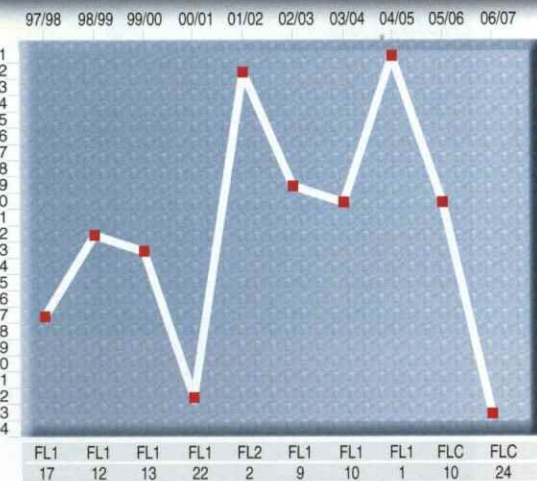
Record When Conceding First

| W | D | L | RANK | W | D | L | RANK |
|---|---|----|------|---|---|---|------|
| 1 | 1 | 15 | 23 | 0 | 3 | 8 | 24 |

Match Scores

Wins: 1-0[1], 2-0[1], 2-1[1], 3-1[1], 4-1[1], 4-1[1]. **Losses:** 0-1[4], 0-2[1], 0-3[1], 1-2[2], 1-3[3], 1-4[3], 2-3[1], **Draws:** 0-0[1], 1-1[3], 2-2[1].
Wins: 1-0[3], 2-1[4], 3-1[1], 4-1[1], **Losses:** 0-1[2], 0-2[2], 1-2[3], 1-3[2], **Draws:** 0-0[3], 1-1[3]

LUTON - TEN SEASON RECORD



*up to and including 16/01/2008





THE X FILES

SCRIVEN THE HERO



This page normally tells most people what former Cherries players are up to now, but everyone will know where keeper Kevin Scriven is now! Kevin

spent two years at Bournemouth as a youth player and was involved in the first team squad before being released in 2005. He signed for Farnborough and made 100 appearances for them. Kevin joined Conference South side Havant & Waterlooville in June this year and six days ago was part of the side who reached the FA Cup Fourth Round and a trip to Liverpool as they beat Swansea 4-2, with Scriven saving a penalty.

MURDOCH TURNS DOWN CANARIES



Cherries goalkeeping coach Stuart Murdoch has left Bournemouth. Stuart was appointed as manager of

Wimbledon in May 2002 and guided them to tenth place in what is now the Championship and was in charge during the difficult times when virtually the whole squad was sold and they moved to Milton Keynes. He remained in charge as Wimbledon changed their name after relegation, but was sacked in November 2004. In July 2005, he became goalkeeping coach at Bournemouth and in October 2006, alongside Joe Roach, he became caretaker manager. He left the club for a spell before returning as goalkeeping coach and initially left to take up that role at Norwich. However, after attending training at Norwich's Colney training ground last Monday and travelling with the squad to Bury a week ago, he has now reversed his decision due to family reasons.

'FORGOTTEN' MAN AT RUSHDEN



When recalling our 5-2 win at the Millennium Stadium in the 2003 Third Division Play Off Final, many people forget that Phil Gulliver played a major part in that success. He had signed on loan from Middlesbrough in March 2003 and before signing for Bournemouth, he had tasted first team action during loan spells at Blackpool and Carlisle. He played in the final six games of the 2002-03 season and all three play-off matches before returning to Middlesbrough.

Bournemouth had beaten Bury in the Play Off Semi Final's and Gulliver went to Gigg Lane to play for them for his next loan move and later that season he went to Scunthorpe on loan. He was released that summer by Middlesbrough before making a first team appearance and signed for Rushden & Diamonds.

After they went out of the league, he moved to Hereford United where he spent a season and in the summer, he returned to Rushden & Diamonds.

HAVERSON AT GRAYS



Centre half Jack Haverson, who was a non contact player at Bournemouth last season and was involved in pre-season this term, is now in the Conference at Grays Athletic.

Jack started his career at Ipswich and went through their academy. After his time at Bournemouth, he joined Grays Athletic in August and in November, joined Sutton United on loan. He made three appearances for Grays and has been a regular in the Sutton side and has scored twice.

STEIN AT BARNET



Former Cherries and Luton striker Mark Stein is now physio at League 2 club Barnet. Born in South Africa, he started his football career at Luton and went on to play for Aldershot, QPR, Oxford United, Stoke City, Ipswich Town AFC Bournemouth and Dagenham & Redbridge in his career.

Mark joined Bournemouth from Chelsea in 1998 initially on loan, and made the move permanent at the start of the 98-99 season. He made 91 League appearances for The Cherries, scoring 30 goals. ■



UNUSUAL TIMES

For the first time since the inception of Playershare, we are not helping to fund a single member of the squad! You might think, therefore, that we have gone past our sell-by date. Not a bit of it; the directors have no doubt that the need for players - especially loan players - will see us called upon before too long!

In any case, whilst the company is not supporting an individual player, Playershare has made significant contributions to the whole of the playing squad through the re-lending of our share of the proceeds from the James Hayter transfer. Taking the

season as a whole so far, we are well ahead in terms of loans when compared with any of the five previous seasons.

What is also worth remembering is the part Playershare has played in bringing some long-term stalwarts to the club. Without Playershare support during the loan periods, neither Neil Moss nor Warren Cummings would have been as likely to join the club on a full-time basis.

What Playershare has learned over the five and a half seasons that it has been in existence is that the

company needs to be flexible. Initially it was thought that the funding would go towards transfer fees, but the outcome has been that this has only been a small part of the support. The overwhelming majority of the funding has been used to bring in loan players, and this year to increase the squad budget over what had originally been budgeted.

There is one constant, though; all the loans have been used to improve the playing squad, and no money has been lent for any other purpose. ■

CHERRIES QUIZ

PREMIER LEAGUE

- 1 How much did Derby pay Blackburn Rovers for Robbie Savage?
- 2 Who signed Swiss striker Danijel Subotic from Basle?

CHAMPIONSHIP

- 1 Which is the only Championship club to have played in the Conference?
- 2 Who did QPR sign Rowan Vine from for a £1 million fee?

LEAGUE 1

- 1 Who is taking over as manager of Swindon?
- 2 At which club is Chaddy The Owl the mascot?

LEAGUE 2

- 1 Which MK Dons keeper was named as League 2 Player of the Month for December?
- 2 Who has Gordon Strachan's son, Gavin, signed for?

NON LEAGUE

- 1 Colin Walker has been named as manager of which Conference club?
- 2 Who are the Conference South leaders who play at The Dripping Pan?

WHO IS THIS?

Which former two times Cherries loan player is this?



WHICH GROUND IS THIS?



JO TESSEM PULL TOGETHER

It has been a difficult start to life at Bournemouth for new signing Jo Tessem. The experienced midfielder had the disappointment of a last second defeat at Cheltenham and then the blow of a 4-1 home reverse on Saturday and his experience will be vital as the Cherries look to turn things round.

Saturday was a massive blow, but Jo admitted that the opposition played well, also acknowledging that mistakes helped towards the Cherries downfall. "We played a good side and we didn't help ourselves with the mistakes we made. I think that after you are punished for mistakes, it can impact on the game and you make more mistakes, get more stressed and give yourselves less time on the ball. When we pulled the goal back, we thought we had a chance to get back into it. Of course it's not easy when the opponents have three in the bag, but you always have belief. We did have a lot of chances and we should have scored a few more, but I believe they won it because they were clever in the first half."

Jo has come in to Bournemouth with the side bottom of the table and he has urged his new team mates to have a belief that things can be turned round. "The situation that the club is in is never going to help. Whether the uncertainty surrounding the club has had an impact is difficult to say. The team is struggling and there are problems in other areas and that may be a factor, but the lads here now have to dig in and play football. Whatever happens at the club, we must all have the belief that we can get out of this. I have never played in this League before and from what I have seen, there are some very good clubs and the rest are very even. The football is good and the players here at Bournemouth are very good, good enough to compete. This is a very big game tonight and we need to take belief in to it."

As well as the on the pitch problems, there are plenty of well documented ones off it and Jo is confident that any

decisions that are made will be good for AFC Bournemouth. "It is a major decision for the club because if it goes in to administration, it will be difficult to overcome losing the points. Whatever decision is made, it will be for the good of the club and one that will enable it to move forward and start to get some stability. I believe the area needs a club and it should be at least League 1 and maybe it needs to take this big step to get stability and move forward in the future. It is a major decision and it is a difficult time for all the staff, players and supporters."

Jo last played in the Norwegian top division, that finished in November and I asked him what he felt was the main differences he has found since joining up with The Cherries? "It is difficult if you play in a different country. I played in England before, playing in the Premier League and the Championship, and there is a difference in the pace and at the higher level players seem to think quicker. I think the main difference I have noticed is the decisions that players make. In Norway, football is more tactical and the approach to games is very different to what it is here. There is a different attitude towards the game in England. I would say that the differences are all very small, but they can add up to a great deal of difference."

Despite all the problems here at Bournemouth, Jo believes that the quality is here to get out of the situation and urged the supporters to get on the teams side from the start. "There are some very good players here at Bournemouth. I thought the way we played at Cheltenham was really good and it surprised me just how good the



team is. On Saturday, I think we met a very good side. We now have to concentrate on tonight for what is a very big match, and I believe that the players here are good enough to win the game. Things have been going badly here, we all know that, but the players all need to pull together now. There are some very good young players here who can have a very good future in the game and as one of the experienced players in the squad, I will do my best to help them. I have things to learn from them as well, so it is difficult and the key is to all pull together.

Whatever decision is made, it will be for the good of the club and one that will enable it to move forward and start to get some stability...

"It is a cliché, but we need some positive results now and I believe we have what it takes here to achieve that. Of course there is a reason why we are at the bottom of the league and that is the results. In this situation we do need all the help we can get. It's a small squad with young players and they need the crowd on their side. I can understand why the supporters are disappointed, but we will go in to tonight's game and do our best and that is all we can ask from ourselves and for the supporters." ■

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RED ARMY

THE PAGE FOR CHERRIES SUPPORTERS - EVERYWHERE

Good evening and welcome to tonight's game against Luton Town.

A welcome to the Luton supporters who have travelled down and must be delighted that through all their problems, they look like they have a future in front of them now. They lost ten points, their manager, some top players, but the most important thing is that they still have their club to support.

We have similar problems here now, but despite that, I think all true Bournemouth supporters were very concerned about the plight of Luton Town and from a Red Army point of view, the supporters of The Hatters. Over the years, we have had some great games against Luton.

It can almost be considered by us to be a sort of local derby and there is always a cracking atmosphere when we go to Kenilworth Road. It must be quite easy to live in Luton and pop down to London to watch 'big' clubs and being close to the M1, easy to go and 'support' a successful Midland club.

But the loyal Luton supporters don't do that. They have stuck by their team falling a couple of divisions, going up a couple of divisions and now going through administration. Whether Luton get out of the relegation zone, I don't know. Without the points deduction they would be 14th now, so they obviously are a decent enough team. But whether they stay up or not, there is a Luton Town FC and that is so important, not just to them, but to all football.

We have sympathy of what Luton have gone through we are having similar problems ourselves now and no one is certain of what the future holds. We need our football club like Luton supporters need theirs. Whether you go to every home and away game or just enjoy the occasional match here, it is such a vital part of the town. No matter what people say about the relevance of AFC Bournemouth, where else in the town brings so many people together every other week for well over 100 years?

Keep sending in your pictures to me by email to mick.cunningham@afcb.co.uk, by post to **Mick Cunningham, AFC Bournemouth, Fitness First Stadium, Bournemouth, Dorset, BH7 7AF** or hand them in to reception.

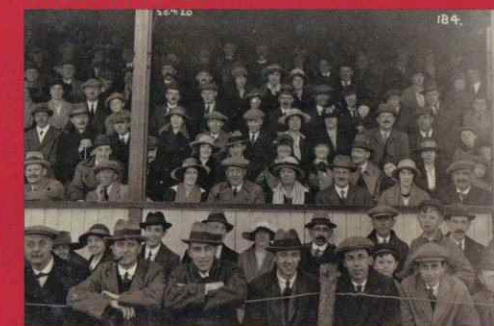
Clubs like AFC Bournemouth and Luton Town are what football is all about and long may it stay that way.

As supporters, let's get behind the people who are doing their absolute best to secure a decent future for our club. And yes, results have been disappointing and frustrating, but put aside those feelings and just get behind the team. If we go a goal behind, keep supporting them, keep urging them on and giving nothing but encouragement. ■

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THE WORLD OF FOOTBALL

➤ In Saturday's programme, we looked back at the last time that the Cherries played clubs that no longer exist. Tonight, we look back at the last time we played clubs who are no longer in the Football league and are now in Non League football.

BARROW

HOME 17-3-71

Bournemouth & Boscombe Athletic 0
Barrow 0 Division Four

AWAY 2-1-71

Barrow 1 Bournemouth & Boscombe Athletic 2 Division Four
Barrow are certainly a side we know all about after their excellent performances against Bournemouth this season in the FA Cup! The draw and the win against the Cumbrian side meant that The Cherries kept up their unbeaten record against them. In the League, Bournemouth met Barrow eight times, winning four and drawing four, whilst we have met three times in the FA Cup. Barrow joined the Football League in 1921 and we voted out in 1972 and now play in the Conference North.

BOSTON UNITED

HOME 10-8-02

Boston United 2 AFC Bournemouth 2
Division Three

AWAY 1-2-03

AFC Bournemouth 2 Boston United 1 Division Three
We met Boston last season in the FA Cup when they were a League 2 club, but a traumatic end to the season saw them go in to administration during their final game as a League Club and due to their financial problems, were relegated to the Conference North. They joined the league in 2002 and their first ever league match was against Bournemouth. Neil Young has the unenviable accolade of being the first ever goalscorer for Boston in a Football League match as he netted an own goal in the 2-2 draw at York Street!

EXETER CITY

HOME 22-2-03

AFC Bournemouth 2 Exeter City 0
Division Three

AWAY 7-9-02

Exeter City 0 AFC Bournemouth 3 Division Three
Exeter were regular opponents of the Cherries before they went out of the League in 2003. The two sides met 80 times in the Football League with the Cherries enjoying a good record against The Grecians, particularly at home where in 40 visits to Dean Court, City won on just four occasions. Bournemouth won 41 of the League meetings with Exeter winning 22.

HALIFAX TOWN

HOME 30-1-82

AFC Bournemouth 1 Halifax Town 1
Division Four

AWAY 19-9-81

Halifax Town 1 AFC Bournemouth 1
Division Four

Halifax Town joined The Football League in 1921 and stayed there until 1993 when they were relegated to the Conference. They regained their League status in 1998, but in 2002, suffered a second relegation in to the Conference. They reached the play-offs in 2006, losing to Hereford in the final. Bournemouth have met Halifax Town 32 times in The Football League, winning 12 and losing 12.

KIDDERMINSTER HARRIERS

HOME 13-8-02

AFC Bournemouth 0 Kidderminster Harriers 0 Division Three

AWAY 4-2-03

Kidderminster Harriers 1 AFC Bournemouth 0 Division Three
Kidderminster had a short spell in the Football League and in the two games against Bournemouth, gained four points and didn't concede a goal. Kidderminster won the Conference in 1994, but were denied entry to the League because their Aggborough ground was not up to the required standards. They did gain entry to the League in 2000 and stayed for five years. Since then they have rejoined the Conference and last season won the FA Trophy at Wembley.

OXFORD UNITED

HOME 27-8-02

AFC Bournemouth 1 Oxford United 1
Division Three

AWAY 26-12-02

Oxford United 3 AFC Bournemouth 0
Division Three

Easily the biggest club who have fallen out of the Football League. The former Division One club have by far the best stadium outside the League and are the best supported, but have struggled to come to terms with non league football as sides tend to raise their game against the former top flight club. Although United made it to the top flight, they didn't join the league until 1962. During this time, they met Bournemouth 24 times in League matches with United winning 11 and the Cherries 9.

RUSHDEN & DIAMONDS

HOME 20-9-03

AFC Bournemouth 2 Rushden & Diamonds 1 Division Two

AWAY 27-3-04

Rushden & Diamonds 0 AFC Bournemouth 3 Division Two
Rushden Town and Irthlingborough Diamonds were two small

Northamptonshire clubs when Max Griggs came in, amalgamated them in 1992, poured millions in and got them to Division Two by 2003. However, since he pulled his money out, they tumbled out of the league and are now an average Conference side. Bournemouth met Rushden four times in the League with the Cherries winning three of those games.

TORQUAY UNITED

HOME 22-2-05

AFC Bournemouth 3 Torquay United 0
Division Two

AWAY 19-10-04

Torquay United 1 AFC Bournemouth 2 Division Two
Relegated last season, Torquay are making a good attempt at gaining promotion at the first attempt and they are currently just behind Aldershot and attracting their best crowds for many years. We have met Torquay on 82 occasions in the League, with 31 victories.

WORKINGTON

HOME 24-8-76

AFC Bournemouth 1 Workington 1
Division Four

AWAY 9-3-77

Workington 1 AFC Bournemouth 1
Division Four

The small Cumbrian Town had a League club for many years, but since failing to win re-election in 1977, they struggled badly and their crumbling ground saw crowds of under 200 attend. Famously known for being replaced in the League by Wimbledon, they have enjoyed an upturn in fortunes recently and are in the Conference North and reached the play-offs last season. We have met Workington on 12 occasions, winning four and drawing five. The attendance for our last game at Workington was just 941.

YORK CITY

HOME 26-10-02

AFC Bournemouth 1 York City 0
Division Three

AWAY 15-3-03

York City 1 AFC Bournemouth 0
Division Three

York will always be remembered as the club that Bournemouth signed Ted MacDougall and Phil Boyer from. York were in the League from 1929 until relegation to the Conference in 2004. They reached the Conference play-offs last season, losing in the semi-finals against eventual winners Morecambe. We have met York City 42 times, winning 17 of them and City winning 15.

SEASON 2007/2008

PLAYER SPONSORSHIP & STATISTICS

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LEAGUE & CUP STATISTICS

| Date | Opponents | Score | Home | Away | Position |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Sat 11 Aug | Nottingham Forest | A 0-0 | 18,791 | 622 | - | Begovic | Pearce | Cummings | Garry | Gowling |
| Tue 14 Aug | West Brom (CC R1) | A 0-1 | 10,250 | 425 | - | Moss | Pearce | Cummings | Young | Gowling |
| Sat 18 Aug | Huddersfield Town | H 0-1 | 5,606 | 613 | 20 | Begovic | Pearce | Cummings | Garry | Gowling |
| Sat 25 Aug | Doncaster Rovers | A 2-1 | 6,476 | 301 | 11 | Begovic | Pearce | Cummings | Garry | Gowling |
| Sat 01 Sep | Port Vale | H 0-1 | 5,444 | 264 | 14 | Begovic | Cummings | Gowling | Garry | Pearce |
| Tue 04 Sep | Walsall (JPT) | H 2-0 | 2,206 | 63 | - | Begovic | Cummings | Gowling | Young | Perrett |
| Sat 08 Sep | Leyton Orient | A 0-1 | 4,996 | 529 | 17 | Begovic | Garry | Gowling | Young | Perrett |
| Sat 15 Sep | Northampton Town | H 1-1 | 5,009 | 649 | 18 | Begovic | Garry | Gowling | Young | Perrett |
| Sat 22 Sep | Swindon Town | A 1-4 | 6,668 | 697 | 21 | Begovic | Pearce | Wilson | Young | Cooper |
| Sat 29 Sep | Carlisle United | H 1-3 | 4,940 | 447 | 24 | Begovic | Pearce | Gowling | Wilson | Hollands |
| Tue 02 Oct | Brighton & Hove Albion | H 0-2 | 4,638 | 631 | 24 | Moss | Pearce | Gowling | Wilson | Hollands |
| Sat 06 Oct | Crewe Alexandra | A 4-1 | 4,799 | 141 | 23 | Moss | Pearce | Gowling | Wilson | Hollands |
| Tue 09 Oct | Bristol Rovers (JPT 2) | A 1-0 | 3,313 | 193 | - | Moss | Pearce | Cooper | Wilson | Hollands |
| Sun 14 Oct | Swansea City | H 1-4 | 5,843 | 1,360 | 24 | Moss | Pearce | Cooper | Wilson | Hollands |
| Sat 20 Oct | Millwall | A 1-2 | 7,805 | 348 | 24 | Moss | Pearce | Cooper | Wilson | Hollands |
| Sat 27 Oct | Walsall | H 1-1 | 5,414 | 449 | 24 | Moss | Telfer | Cooper | Wilson | Hollands |
| Sat 03 Nov | Bristol Rovers | A 2-0 | 6,405 | 407 | 21 | Moss | Telfer | A Pearce | Gowling | Hollands |
| Tue 06 Nov | Leeds United | H 1-3 | 9,632 | 2,167 | 22 | Moss | Telfer | A Pearce | Gowling | Hollands |
| Sat 10 Nov | Barrow (FAC1) | A 1-1 | 2,253 | 128 | - | Moss | Telfer | Golbourne | Gowling | Hollands |
| Tue 13 Nov | Milton Keynes Dons (JPTAOF) | H 0-2 | 3,247 | 177 | - | Moss | Telfer | Golbourne | Gowling | Hollands |
| Sun 18 Nov | Hartlepool United | A 1-1 | 3,496 | 99 | 20 | Stewart | Telfer | Golbourne | Gowling | Hollands |
| Tue 20 Nov | Barrow (FAC1R) | H 3-2 | 2,969 | 207 | - | Stewart | Telfer | Golbourne 1 | Gowling | Hollands 1 |
| Sat 24 Nov | Oldham Athletic | H 0-3 | 5,261 | 279 | 20 | Stewart | Telfer | Golbourne | Gowling | Henry |
| Sat 01 Dec | Millwall (FAC2) | A 1-2 | 4,495 | 388 | - | Stewart | Telfer | J. Pearce | Gowling | Hollands |
| Tue 04 Dec | Yeovil Town | A 1-2 | 5,321 | 585 | 23 | Stewart | Telfer | A Pearce | Henry | Hollands |
| Sat 08 Dec | Tranmere Rovers | A 1-3 | 5,043 | 132 | 24 | Stewart | Telfer | A Pearce | Henry | Hollands |
| Sat 15 Dec | Gillingham | H 1-0 | 4,746 | 431 | 23 | Stewart | Young | A Pearce | Henry | Hollands |
| Fri 21 Dec | Northampton Town | A 1-4 | 4,806 | 247 | 23 | Stewart | Young | A Pearce | Henry | Hollands |
| Wed 26 Dec | Leyton Orient | H 3-1 | 5,356 | 497 | 21 | Stewart | Young | A Pearce | Karacan | Hollands |
| Sat 29 Dec | Swindon Town | H 2-2 | 6,540 | 1,464 | 21 | Stewart | Young | A Pearce | Karacan | Hollands |
| Tue 01 Jan | Brighton & Hove Albion | A 2-3 | 5,963 | 230 | 22 | Stewart | Young | A Pearce | Karacan | Hollands |
| Sat 12 Jan | Cheltenham Town | A 0-1 | 3,959 | 469 | 24 | Stewart | Young | Gowling | Perrett | Hollands |
| Sat 19 Jan | Southend United | H 1-4* | 5,419 | 540 | 24 | Stewart | Young | Gowling | Perrett | Hollands |
| Tue 22 Jan | Luton Town | H | | | | | | | | |
| Sat 26 Jan | Port Vale | A | | | | | | | | |
| Tue 29 Jan | Huddersfield Town | A | | | | | | | | |
| Sat 02 Feb | Nottm Forest | H | | | | | | | | |
| Sat 09 Feb | Luton Town | A | | | | | | | | |
| Tue 12 Feb | Doncaster Rovers | H | | | | | | | | |
| Sat 16 Feb | Southend United | A | | | | | | | | |
| Sat 23 Feb | Cheltenham Town | H | | | | | | | | |
| Sat 01 Mar | Hartlepool United | H | | | | | | | | |
| Sat 08 Mar | Leeds United | A | | | | | | | | |
| Tue 11 Mar | Oldham Athletic | A | | | | | | | | |
| Sat 15 Mar | Yeovil Town | H | | | | | | | | |
| Sat 22 Mar | Gillingham | A | | | | | | | | |
| Mon 24 Mar | Tranmere Rovers | H | | | | | | | | |
| Sat 29 Mar | Millwall | H | | | | | | | | |
| Sat 05 Apr | Swansea City | A | | | | | | | | |
| Sat 12 Apr | Bristol Rovers | H | | | | | | | | |
| Sat 19 Apr | Walsall | A | | | | | | | | |
| Sat 26 Apr | Crewe Alexandra | H | | | | | | | | |
| Sat 03 May | Carlisle United | A | | | | | | | | |

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* Own Goal

| Date | Opponents | Score | Home | Away | Position |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Anderton | Christophe | O'Connor | Telfer | Pitman | Kuffour | Vokes | Gradel | Young | Cooper | Moss | | | | | | |
| Anderton | Christophe | O'Connor | Gradel 1 | Bradbury | Kuffour 1 | Vokes | Pitman | Young | Cooper | Moss | | | | | | |
| O'Connor | Anderton | Gradel | Christophe | Kuffour | Bradbury | Moss | Vokes | Pitman | Telfer | Cooper | | | | | | |
| O'Connor | Anderton | Gradel | Telfer | Kuffour | Bradbury 2 | Moss | Christophe | Pitman | Pearce | Hollands | | | | | | |
| Cummings | Anderton | Gradel | Telfer | Kuffour | Bradbury | Moss | Christophe | Pitman | Pearce | Hollands | | | | | | |
| Hollands | Anderton 1 | Gradel | Telfer | Kuffour | Bradbury | Moss | Christophe | Pitman | Vokes | Cummings | | | | | | |
| Hollands 1 | Anderton | Pitman | Telfer | Kuffour | Bradbury | Stewart | Christophe | Vokes | O'Connor | Franks | | | | | | |
| Cooper | Anderton | Gradel | Telfer | Kuffour 1 | Bradbury | Moss | Newman | Vokes | O'Connor | Pitman | | | | | | |
| O'Connor | Anderton | Gradel | Telfer | Kuffour | Bradbury | Begovic | Cooper | Partington | Vokes | Pitman | | | | | | |
| Vokes | Anderton 1 | Gradel 2 | Telfer | Kuffour | Bradbury 1 | Begovic | Cooper | Newman | O'Connor | Pitman | | | | | | |
| Vokes | Anderton | Lallana | Telfer | Kuffour 1 | Bradbury | Stewart | McQuoid | Newman | O'Connor | Pitman | | | | | | |
| Vokes | Anderton | Lallana | Telfer | Kuffour | Bradbury 1 | Stewart | Gowling | Perrett | Newman | McQuoid | | | | | | |
| Vokes | Anderton | Gowling | Telfer | Karacan | Bradbury | Stewart | Newman | McQuoid | Lallana | Kuffour | | | | | | |
| Lallana | Anderton | Gowling | Karacan | Kuffour 1 | Bradbury | Stewart | Vokes | Young | Pearce | Pitman | | | | | | |
| J. Pearce | Anderton | Henry 2 | Karacan | Kuffour | Bradbury | Stewart | Vokes | Partington | Pitman | Franks | | | | | | |
| Golbourne | Anderton | Karacan 1 | Henry | Kuffour | Bradbury | Stewart | Vokes | J. Pearce | Pitman | Lallana | | | | | | |
| J. Pearce | Cooper | Vokes | Karacan 1 | Kuffour | Pitman | Stewart | Partington | McQuoid | Newman | Bartley | | | | | | |
| A. Pearce | Cooper | Vokes | Karacan | Kuffour | Pitman | Stewart | Cummings | McQuoid | Newman | Bartley | | | | | | |
| A. Pearce | Cooper | Henry 1 | Karacan | Kuffour | Pitman | Pryce | J. Pearce | McQuoid | Cummings | Bartley | | | | | | |
| Cummings | Cooper | Gradel 1 | Karacan | Bradbury | Pitman | Pryce | J. Pearce | McQuoid | Bartley | Davidson | | | | | | |
| A Pearce | Cooper | Gradel | Karacan | Bradbury | Vokes | Pryce | Kuffour | Pitman | Bartley | J. Pearce | | | | | | |
| Cummings | Cooper 1 | Gradel | Karacan | Bradbury | Kuffour | Pryce | Shimmin | Pitman | Bartley | McQuoid | | | | | | |
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| Cummings | Cooper | J. Pearce | Gradel 1 | Vokes 1 | Pitman | Pryce | Bradbury | Kuffour | Henry 1 | Christophe | | | | | | |
| Cummings | Christophe | J. Pearce | Gradel | Vokes 1 | Pitman | Bradbury | Kuffour 1 | Henry | Perrett | Bartley | | | | | | |
| Cummings | Christophe 1 | J. Pearce | Gradel | Vokes | Kuffour | Bradbury | Pitman 1 | Henry | Perrett | Bartley | | | | | | |
| Cummings | Cooper | Tessem | Pitman | Bradbury | Kuffour | Moss | Partington | Pearce | Vokes | Bartley | | | | | | |
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TUESDAY 22 JANUARY 2008 KICK-OFF 7.45PM



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Colours Red and Black
Manager Kevin Bond

- 01 Neil Moss
- 02 Neil Young
- 03 Ryan Garry
- 05 Josh Gowling
- 06 Russ Perrett
- 07 Shaun Cooper
- 08 Darren Anderton
- 09 Sam Vokes
- 10 Jo Kuffour
- 11 Steven Foley
- 12 Gareth Stewart
- 13 Ryan Pryce
- 14 Danny Hollands
- 15 Jason Pearce
- 16 Marvin Bartley
- 17 Max-Alain Gradel
- 21 Josh McQuoid
- 22 Joe Partington
- 23 Lee Bradbury
- 24 Rob Newman
- 25 Jo Tessem
- 26 Brett Pitman
- 28 Warren Cummings
- 33 Jamie Davidson



LUTON TOWN

Colours White
Manager Mick Harford

- 01 Dean Brill
- 03 Alan Goodall
- 04 Don Hutchinson
- 05 Chris Perry
- 07 Dean Morgan
- 08 David Bell
- 09 Sam Parkin
- 10 Darren Currie
- 11 Paul Peschisolido
- 12 Richard Jackson
- 14 Steve Robinson
- 15 Stephen O'Leary
- 17 Lewis Emanuel
- 19 Drew Talbot
- 20 Calvin Andrew
- 21 Keith Keane
- 22 Richard Langley
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- 28 Paul McVeigh
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