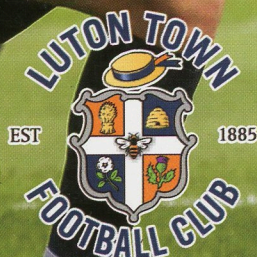
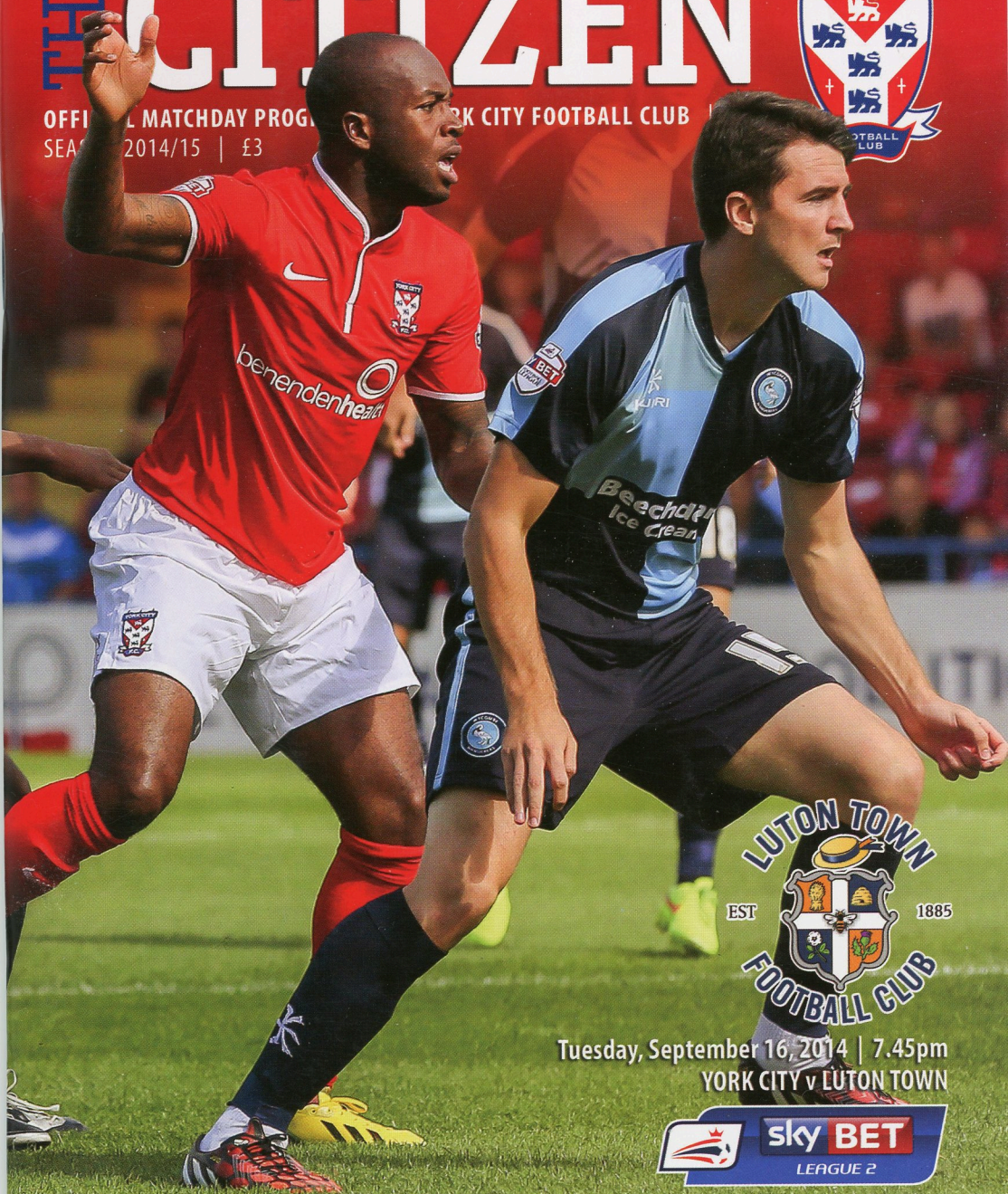


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AUGUST FAN OF THE MONTH **REECE BROWN**

Burton Albion fan Reece Brown has been named the Sky Bet League 2 Fan of the Month for August.

Reece, 19, has supported the Brewers for nine years and has now taken his support a step further by taking a role as a community coach for the Burton Albion Community Trust (BACT).

Reece said: "As a massive Brewers fan, I volunteered at the BACT for a year, before the Head of the Community Andy Taylor offered me some part-time work.

"To work for the club I love is a fantastic feeling and I want to push on further in this career in the future."

Burton Albion Chairman Ben Robinson said: "Reece has played a pivotal role in increasing the atmosphere home and away. His communication with the fans over the summer through fan engagement has led to the club and fans working closer together.

"Reece has introduced a drum into the terraces and this has encouraged the fans to help make the Pirelli Stadium a fortress come matchday."

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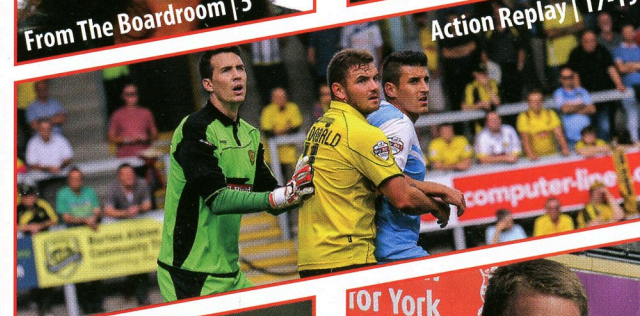
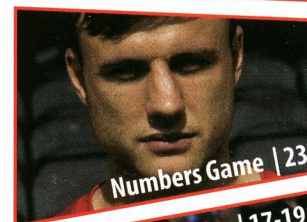
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FROM THE BOARDROOM: SOPHIE HICKS

Good evening and welcome to Bootham Crescent for tonight's Sky Bet League Two match against Luton Town.

Firstly, on behalf of the club, I would like to congratulate Luton on their return to the Football League. Having spent eight seasons in the Conference, we fully understand the challenges they have faced and the excitement when achieving promotion. We extend a warm welcome to the directors, management, staff, players and supporters from Luton Town and hope they have a safe journey home later this evening.

The focus of the board continues to be the new Community Stadium. On Monday, September 1, we hosted our first stadium open day, showing the plans for the scheme and were joined by representatives from City of York Council and Greenwich Leisure Limited. The turnout for the event was extremely good, with hundreds of supporters and local people visiting the display and asking questions and making suggestions about the plans and operations going forward. The response to the plans was incredibly positive and it was very useful to receive such constructive feedback from both our own fans and supporters of the York City Knights.

There was also considerable interest in the community leisure facilities adjacent to the stadium, which alone are very impressive. The facilities include a 25 metre, six lane swimming pool, a learning pool, a fun pool for toddlers, a sports hall with four badminton courts, a gym with 100 stations, a dance studio, a soft play area with

climbing facilities and three 3G football pitches. There is also a cinema planned for the site and the community hub, where key community services will be based including an Explore library and NHS out-patient facilities.

This impressive scheme will offer great benefits for the people of York and the surrounding area, and is something I

feel the city has needed for a long time. With the stadium as the driver and the flagship for the site, it is likely to become a leisure destination of regional importance. At long last, the project is becoming a reality with detailed planning approval scheduled for February 2015 and construction set to begin in March 2015. These certainly are exciting times as we move closer to a sustainable home that will give both professional football and rugby league in the city longevity and survival beyond this generation.

I was pleased to be able to discuss the Community Stadium plans further at the Fans Forum the club hosted on Tuesday, September 9. The Fans Forum is attended by representatives from all York City's various supporter groups and we try to meet several times per season in order to discuss key issues facing the club and listen to any suggestions for improvement. I was very pleased to introduce to the group our new general manager, John McGhee, and supporter liaison officer, Dave Stanford. Dave is already



This impressive scheme will offer great benefits for the people of York and surrounding area ...

proving to be a great contact for supporters and will be co-ordinating the feedback and suggestions we

receive regarding the new community stadium.

We read with interest this week the political changes taking place within City of York Council with the defection of councillor Helen Douglas from Labour to the Conservatives. The result of this is that the Labour group has lost overall control of the council, unless it wins the by-election in Westfield next month. We sincerely hope any changes will not affect the Community Stadium scheme with all its substantial benefits, not just for York City and Knights' fans, but for the wider York and area population. We hope the elected representatives put political differences aside and choose to work together for the good of the people of York. Surely the city cannot lose this great opportunity for progression and first-class leisure facilities for its local people? We watch with interest, as I'm sure our supporters will also be doing.

Finally, good luck to Nigel, Steve and all the team this evening. The commitment from everyone so far this season has been tremendous. Enjoy the game!

Sophie



York City manager, Nigel Worthington, is looking for his players to bounce back following Saturday's defeat at Burton.

THE GAFFER: NIGEL WORTHINGTON

GOOD evening and welcome back to Bootham Crescent. I would like to start by welcoming manager John Still, his backroom team, players, directors and supporters of Luton Town to York and I would also like to congratulate the club on their title-winning success last season.

I would also like to pay tribute to the hundreds of City supporters who made the journey to Burton on Saturday to get behind the team. The support was outstanding and the players and the coaching team really appreciated it.

Saturday's 2-0 defeat brought our 23-game unbeaten run in the League to an end. I thought the endeavour and energy of the players was very, very good and up until the first goal in the game there was nothing in it. It was nip and tuck and then we conceded the goal which rocked us a little and they started to show why they are top of the table.

While our endeavour was very good, there is no doubt our passing could have been better. We certainly didn't pass the ball as well as we can do, so that is something we must continue to work on and make happen.

I see the quality of our passing in training every day, but come game time we are a little indifferent in that area. That is

something I want to see us do better.

Obviously, we are disappointed to lose any game, but it is always going to happen at some point in the season and

If you want to make a mark in any league in any standard of football, your home form has to be very, very good.

it is how we bounce back that really matters. We are fortunate to have tonight's game coming so quickly on the back

of Saturday's defeat at Burton.

It is certainly a big game tonight, one we are really looking forward to, and it offers us a great test in terms of our resolve and how we bounce back from Saturday.

Tonight's game will be the first of two home games inside five days and home form is obviously key to any successful team.

If you want to make a mark in any league in any standard of football, your home form has to be very, very good while you pick up points away from home along the way. Having the two hand-in-hand makes for success, and that's what we need to be looking to do.

While Saturday's defeat brought our long unbeaten run in the League to an end, we have still another run to protect and defend; we have not lost at home since the end of January.

However, in that run we have had a few draws, so we need to

try and turn those draws into wins.

We will certainly be looking to get maximum points from these two home games. That is a lot easier said than done, of course. But we are at home and we have to go for it.

The good news is, apart from Josh Carson, we have no injuries and a full squad from which to select from tonight.

That said, we might have a look to the loan market in the coming days and weeks to add to the squad and to add competition to places. Obviously, it is all dependent on bringing in the right personnel and someone who is going to make a positive difference to us. We won't be panicked into doing something. We will do our homework and try and bring in the right people.

While we may look to bring some new faces in, it may be that if a suitable opportunity arises then Danny Parslow and Cameron Murray will go out on loan somewhere. If it suits them and it suits us as a football club then we will look at it because Pars is coming back from such a big injury, has not played a lot of games and it will do him good. Young Cameron has been in and around the group but has not had any game time so, again, it will be good for him to play on a regular basis.

Thank you for your continued support and enjoy the game.

Nigel

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RUSSELL PENN: CAPTAIN'S COLUMN

HELLO and welcome back to Bootham Crescent for tonight's game with Luton Town.

Deadlines dictate that I'm writing these ahead of our trip to Burton, one of my favourite teams to go up this year, but fingers' crossed we have made it two wins in a row and have stretched our unbeaten run in the league to 24 games.

With away trips to Barnsley, Stevenage and Saturday's trip to Burton since our last home game, it will be good to have two home games in a row and we will be going all out for maximum points tonight and Southend on Saturday.

It was certainly a relief to get our first win of the season under our belts at Stevenage. To be fair, the lads had been great all season and our performances had certainly merited more wins, but it is always good to get that first victory on the board, and particularly at a place like Stevenage, where there is no tougher place to go. All credit to the lads, the management and all the supporters who travelled down there, and to score three goals away from home is always a good achievement.

Before the game, some people chose to focus on the fact we hadn't won in our opening seven games of the season.

Then when we got the win it was noticeable how the focus shifted to the fact we had gone six League games unbeaten since the start of the season and had stretched our unbeaten run of League games to 23 games since the turn of the year.

I suppose it just proves you can read what you want into statistics, but our performances so far this season had told a different story. We had been a bit unfortunate not to win at

least a couple of those games we drew at the start of the season.

There was certainly no panic from the players prior to Stevenage and the gaffer kept telling us to just try and keep the unbeaten run going.

A point away from home is always good and it keeps you ticking over, but to get the three was particularly pleasing.

Prior to the Stevenage game, we played pretty well against Barnsley, a team that had been in the Championship last season, in the Johnstone's Paint Trophy.

We had plenty of possession, certainly in the first-half, but without converting that possession into goals.

We had another great following and I think we were a bit unfortunate to get knocked out, but at least it means we can now really focus on our 'bread and butter' and the league.

It's been a really hectic start to the season, but now, the FA Cup apart, we know we have 39 League games to concentrate and focus on. Being out of the cups means we will have more time to prepare for those games and also get more time to rest and recover between games.

Away from Bootham Crescent, I enjoyed watching England beat Switzerland last week. I love watching England, even though it was a very disappointing summer in Brazil. I must admit, I'm not a big fan of the friendly games, but we had all the lads round our house to watch the game against the Swiss and we cooked them tea. We were all supporting England, bar Josh Carson who was cheering on Switzerland, but it was a good win, a good performance and the best they've played in a long time. Hopefully, it is the start of a new era for England.

Finally, I am sure a number of the lads will have worn the rainbow laces at Burton on Saturday as part of the national campaign to tackle discrimination in football.

I am fully supportive of the campaign, but like a lot of footballers I'm a bit superstitious about my boots. I had the laces in my kitbag and will have chosen to tie them to my bag or my tracksuit to show my support and help raise the profile of this important issue.

Thanks for your support. Enjoy the game.





Russ

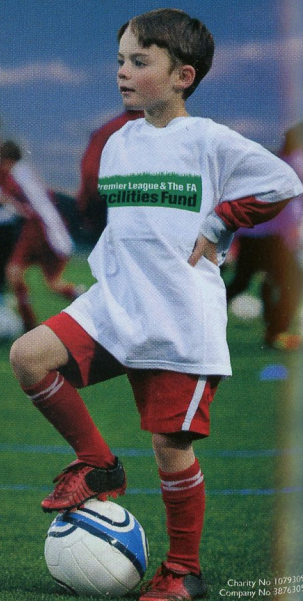


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BOOTHAM CRESCENT NEWS

MORE than 300 people attended the first public consultation event detailing plans for the new Community Stadium.

Hundreds of people, including both City fans and York City Knights supporters, flocked to Bootham Crescent to view the plans for the new arena and surrounding community facilities.

Club chairman Jason McGill, communications and community director Sophie Hicks and members of City of York Council's stadium project team were all on hand in the Pitchside Bar to answer questions.

Manager Nigel Worthington and his assistant, Steve Torpey, were also in attendance to chat to supporters, view display boards displaying images of the stadium and also hear more about the proposals.

Sophie said: "The Community Stadium event held at Bootham Crescent on Monday, September 1, was a great success.

"Supporters received the plans very positively and asked many constructive questions ranging from capacity queries to transport and parking proposals.

"Although many people expressed sadness to leave Bootham Crescent with all its wonderful history and memories, supporters understood the reasons behind the move and recognised

**the new opportunities the
community stadium will bring
to the club.**

"We were also very pleased to meet York City Knights fans at the event and hopefully we helped to answer some of their questions and concerns."

"We will continue to consult with fans during the coming months before construction commences and welcome any suggestions and recommendations."

Although there are plans to hold similar events in the future, should fans want to comment on the plans or have ideas and suggestions for the new facilities, they should email the club's supporter liaison officer, Dave Stanford, at dave.stanford@yorkcityfootballclub.co.uk, or visit Dave in the club's ticket office.

As reported in the previous edition of The Citizen, City of York Council last month announced the appointment of a consortium led by Greenwich Leisure Ltd (GLL) as the preferred bidder for the delivery of the community stadium and associated facilities.

It was later announced York City FC will be the company responsible for operating and managing the new stadium on behalf of GLL.

This will mean the football club will be in charge of the general maintenance of the 8,000-seater stadium, the

upkeep of the pitch, spectator safety, stewarding, ticketing and the new stadium's conferencing and hospitality offering for an initial contract period of 13 years.

Building work on the new stadium is expected to start next year, with City starting the 2016/17 season in their new home.

As well as providing a new home for City and the Knights, the Community Stadium will offer high-quality hospitality and conferencing facilities, a cinema, a new swimming pool, fitness and active play facilities as well as a new community hub providing health and well-being services for York residents and visitors.

THE popular York City programme shop at Bootham Crescent has moved but, fortunately for collectors, only a few feet from where it was previously located.

The programme shop has now moved to the Supporter Office next door to the Club Shop where it was previously housed. It is open on match days, selling that day's edition of *The Citizen*, plus back copies from the current season and other seasons past. It also stocks hundreds, if not thousands, of programmes from clubs across the country and matches going back decades.

THE CITIZEN INTERVIEW: **WES FLETCHER**

YORK CITY marksman Wes Fletcher has fired an ominous warning shot across the bows of League Two defences this season – 'I'm back and I can only get better'.

The Minstermen sharp shooter is firmly back on the goal trail after scoring twice in City's 3-2 win at Stevenage earlier this month.

It was his first league start since mid-February but Wes, who has now scored three goals this season from just two League starts, admits there is plenty more to come.

Last season's 13-goal top goalscorer had not completed a full 90 minutes for seven months prior to the Stevenage clash, and had missed much of pre-season as he recovered from medial ligament damage suffered in March.

Speaking to The Citizen ahead of tonight's visit of Luton Town to Bootham Crescent, the Minstermen goal ace said his impressive early season goal return had come despite a lack of match fitness.

"I didn't think before the Stevenage game I would be able to last 90 minutes, but the gaffer decided to keep me on.

"It was great to get the two goals and, more importantly the three points, but I don't think I'm as sharp as I could be, and I struggled a little bit.

"That will come with playing more games, and I feel I can definitely get a bit sharper and I just need that match fitness now. I am as fit as I can be in training now, but it's a different type of fitness to games."

Wes's two goal salvo saw him named in the Sky Bet League Two team of the week while Shoot Magazine named him as their Player Of The Weekend.

The 23-year-old admitted the personal accolades were always welcome, but helping City secure their first three-point haul of the season at Stevenage after five successive draws was more satisfying.

"As a striker, it's always nice to get goals and it's good to know people are noticing what you are doing.

"But the three points were a big three points and if we can get some more wins now then we will put

ourselves in a really good position.

"I think getting that first win lifted a little bit of pressure. Obviously, conceding those late goals at the start of the season (when City were in winning positions) was disappointing and we couldn't quite get that win.

"But those three points will be a big boost to the team and we can now carry it on into the rest of the season."

As for an end of season goal tally, Wes is adamant he doesn't set himself a definitive target.

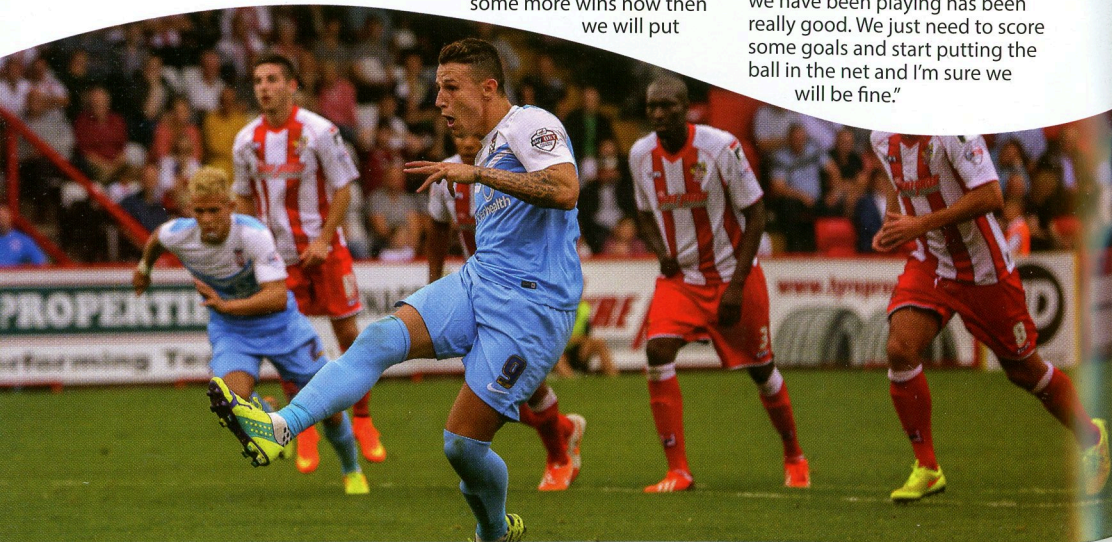
"I don't really put a number on it. But I would just like to score as many as I can and be around the top goalscorer mark come the end of the season."

Looking ahead to tonight's fixture, Wes admitted City were now intent on sealing their first three-point haul of the season at Bootham Crescent.

And with the visit of Southend to come on Saturday too, the Minstermen will be looking to make home advantage count and going all out for a six-point return from their two home games.

"It's very important to get a run going at home and to get the big crowd behind us," said Wes.

"Obviously, it's a massive help if the fans can get behind us and if they can do that then I'm sure we will be okay, because the football we have been playing has been really good. We just need to score some goals and start putting the ball in the net and I'm sure we will be fine."



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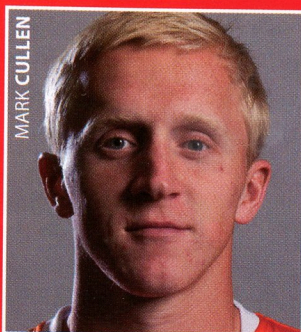
THIS SEASON SO FAR:

After storming to the Conference title last season, the Hatters have had a stuttering start to life back in the Football League. Saturday's 1-0 home win over Cheltenham was their first since the opening day of the season. They arrive at Bootham Crescent in 18th place.

MARK TYLER | Goalkeeper
Prior to his move to Kenilworth Road in 2009, Tyler made almost 400 appearances for Peterborough United. Played every match in Luton's 46-game title-winning campaign last time out, keeping clean sheets in 23 of those games and has now made 232 appearances in total for the Hatters.

ELIOT JUSTHAM | Goalkeeper
Up-and-coming goalkeeper signed from East Thurrock on a two-year deal in May 2013. The 6ft 3in stopper previously enjoyed trials at West Ham and Reading. He made his Town debut in an FA Cup tie at Woking, keeping a clean sheet in the process, and went onto feature in all of the Hatters' cup ties in 2013/14. Was an ever-present as substitute keeper for Mark Tyler during 2013/14.

FRASER FRANKS | Defender
Talented centre-half who signed for an undisclosed fee in January from



Welling United. Began his career as a youngster at Chelsea and then Brentford before moving to AFC Wimbledon, winning promotion in 2011. Left Kingsmeadow for Welling and helped the Wings secure the Conference South title in 2012/13.

MARK ONYEMAH | Defender
Teenage left-back who arrived at Kenilworth Road this summer having impressed on trial. Rose through the ranks with Thurrock and made his debut as a 16-year-old.

ALEX LACEY | Defender
Highly-rated centre-half who made his first team debut as a 17-year-old in the FA Trophy in 2009. He spent the 2012/13 season on loan at Conference South side Eastleigh but started 2013/14 pre-season as captain and went on to make 22 appearances as Town lifted the Conference title.

SCOTT GRIFFITHS | Defender
The experienced left back joined the Hatters in 2012 following his release from Peterborough. He won the Conference with Dagenham & Redbridge under Still in 2007 and lifted the League Two title with Chesterfield in 2011. Scott was an ever-present for Luton last season.

ANDY PARRY | Defender
A versatile player who can operate in the centre of defence, in midfield or at right back. Began his career as a youngster at Blackburn before joining Luton from Southport. Appeared 26 times for the Town, scoring four goals in his debut season.

CURTLEY WILLIAMS | Defender
A former Ipswich scholar whose primary position is right-back, he joined the Hatters this summer after spending time in Spain at the

Glenn Hoddle Academy and spells in non-league with Lowestoft.

PAUL CONNOLLY | Defender
Hugely experienced right-back who has enjoyed almost ten years' in the Championship with spells at Plymouth, Leeds, Derby and Millwall. More recently with Crawley he helped Plymouth win promotion twice before joining Derby, where he captained the Rams.

LUKE WILKINSON | Defender
Previously played under John Still while with Dagenham. The former Bristol City and Portsmouth defender was the Daggers' player of the year two seasons ago. Signed a one-year deal with Town in July.

JONATHAN SMITH | Midfielder
Combative central midfielder well-known to City fans after he joined the Hatters from Bootham Crescent in January 2013 for a reported £50,000 fee following a successful loan spell. After his first spell at York, Smith moved to Swindon where he helped the Robins win the League Two title in 2011/12 before returning to Bootham Crescent at the start of the following season. Smith enjoyed a terrific first half of 2013/14 at Kenilworth Road with a number of influential performances but his season looked to be over following a leg-breaking injury sustained on Boxing Day. However, four months to the day after the incident, he made an emotional comeback as a substitute in the final match of the title-winning campaign.

ALEX LAWLESS | Midfielder
Another influential and creative midfielder well known to the Minstermen faithful after signing for the Hatters from York in November 2010. Has now made more than 150 appearances for Luton, scoring six goals in last season's title-winning campaign and is the third-longest serving member of the squad. In 2010, he played in both legs of York's play-off semi-final victory over Luton and was a member of the City side that lost the Conference Premier play-off final 3-1 to Oxford.

ANDY DRURY | Midfielder
Creative midfield player who returned to Kenilworth Road in the summer from Crawley Town. First signed for the Hatters

from Stevenage in 2010, but his performances soon caught the eye of Ipswich Town, who signed him in January 2011. Became a regular at Portman Road in the Championship. Drury signed on-loan for Crawley before making that move last summer.

JAKE HOWELLS | Midfielder
The young winger, who can also play at left-back or in central midfield, came through the ranks at Kenilworth Road and made his first team debut in 2008, going on to be capped by England C and later Wales Under-21s. During the 2012/13 season he surpassed the 200-appearance mark for the club while still only 21 and last season broke the 275-game barrier in Town colours, netting eight goals as Town romped to the title.

KYNAN ISAAC | Midfielder
Young winger signed for the Hatters in August having spent last season with Banbury. Highly-rated by John Still, the attacker began his career at Reading and previously helped Oxford City to promotion.

LUKE ROONEY | Midfielder
Creative player signed a six-month deal in the summer having played in the final two months of Town's championship-winning season. Started his career at Gillingham before signing for Swindon in 2010 and helping the Robins win League Two.

PELLEY RUDDOCK MPANZU | Midfielder
Highly-rated midfielder who Luton signed on a permanent deal from West Ham in January. Scored his first goal for Town in a 7-0 win over Hereford and picked up a championship winners' medal after a string of impressive performances in central midfield.

SHAUN WHALLEY | Midfielder
Joined from Southport in 2013 after bagging ten goals and earning a string of end-of-season awards for the Sandgrounders. Was loaned to AFC Telford last season, helping them win the Conference North title.

LUKE GUTTRIDGE | Midfielder
Vastly experienced and influential midfielder with more than 450 senior appearances. Twice won promotion with Southend and also helped Northampton reach the

League Two play-off final in 2013. Enjoyed a fine debut season with the Hatters, scoring an impressive 13 goals in 33 matches last season.

MATT ROBINSON | Midfielder
Young central midfielder penned a new two-year contract in June 2013. Made 31 appearances for Luton in the title-winning campaign and scored twice – both vital goals against Chester and Grimsby.

JIM STEVENSON | Midfielder
Box-to-box midfielder signed in May 2013 on a two-year deal from Histon. Scored 11 goals for the Stutes in 2012/13 and ended the campaign as the top goalscorer. Made his full debut as a 17-year-old at Kenilworth Road for Histon in a game the Hatters won 5-1.

MARK CULLEN | Striker
Played in the Premiership for Hull City, scoring on his full debut for the Tigers in 2010 aged only 18. After loan spells at Bury and Stockport County, Cullen joined Luton in 2013 and netted an impressive ten goals in 36 matches, particularly given 17 of those appearances came after coming off the bench.

ROSS LAFAYETTE | Striker
Summer signing from Welling United, the strong and pacy frontman scored 39 goals in 90 matches with the Wings, who he helped to the Conference South title in 2012/13. A regular scorer further down the pyramid he also has experience of coaching in the United States. Joined the Town on a two-year deal.

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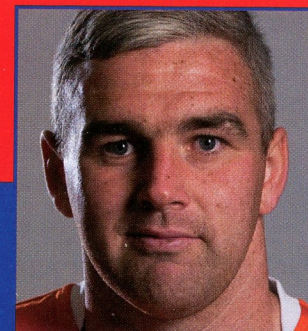
STEPHEN McNULTY | Defender

Looks can be deceiving. With his grey hair and stocky build, McNulty is an obvious target for opposition supporters. But after starting out as a trainee with Liverpool, the 30-year-old has achieved four promotions with three different clubs, captaining Barrow into the Conference Premier and Fleetwood Town both into the Conference Premier and then League Two. He joined Luton in 2013 and was an ever-present last season as the Hatters lifted the Conference title. He walked away with a whole host of end-of-season awards, including Player Of The Year and Goal Of The Season for a stunning 30-yard volley against Southport. A commanding presence, he has been hailed as "one of the best passers I've seen" by Luton boss John Still.

CHARLIE WALKER | Striker
Prolific striker who joined the Hatters after scoring 43 goals last season for Peacehaven and Telcombe as the club won promotion. Joined Town on trial this summer and scored twice in the friendly against AFC Dunstable, earning himself a permanent deal.

PAUL BENSON | Striker
Experienced striker who signed permanently this summer after a hugely successive season-long loan last time out. Benson shot to prominence with Dagenham & Redbridge under John Still, helping the Daggers to two promotions, scoring more than 75 goals. He signed for Charlton Athletic in 2010 before moving to Swindon Town in 2012 and helping the Robins win the League Two title. After loan spells at Portsmouth and Cheltenham, he was reunited with Still at Kenilworth Road at the start of last season, going on to score 18 goals in the Hatters' title-winning campaign.

ALEX WALL | Striker
Powerful striker who signed in the summer of 2013 having impressed while on-loan to the Hatters from Maidenhead United. Spent a successful period on loan at Dartford last season, and was credited with Luton's final goal in the Conference following his strike in a 1-0 win over Hyde.





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SKYBET LEAGUE TWO
Saturday, August 30, 2014 | Bootham Crescent

MATCH SUMMARY

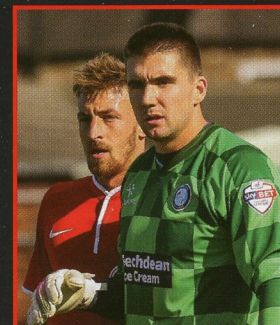
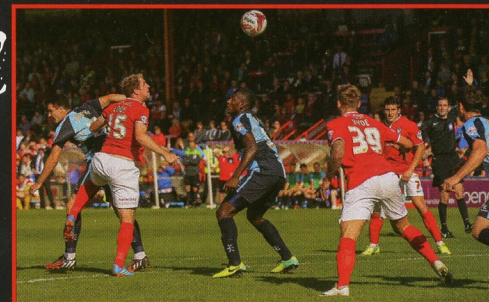
STUTTERING York City were still left waiting for their first win of the season after sharing the spoils for a fifth successive fixture.

City's best chance of the game came in the second-half and fell to Jake Hyde, but he could only prod wide from close range after the visitor's keeper, Matt Ingram, could only parry Michael Coulson's free-kick.

Wanderers could have snatched all the points late on when Paul Hayes had a clear sight of the City goal, but his weak shot from 12 yards was saved by the legs of Michael Ingham.

WHAT THE GAFFER SAID:

"We're not far away from getting that win. The word patience doesn't often go down well in football but I have got to be patient. We can't get disappointed or frustrated because once that sets in, players get a little bit shy of their jobs, so it's important to keep believing."



CITY: Ingham; McCoy, Lowe, McCombe, Ilesanmi; Meikle, Penn, Summerfield, Straker (Fletcher 65); Hyde (Hirst 75), Coulson. Subs not used: Mooney, Parslow, Jarvis, Montrose, Winfield.

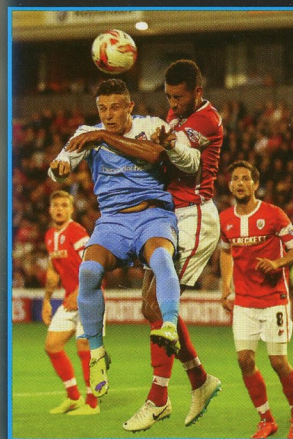
WYCOMBE: Ingram; Jombati, Mawson, Pierre, Jacobson; Cowan-Hall (Kretzschmar 80), Wood, Murphy, Rowe; Hayes (McClure 83), Craig (Holloway 75). Subs not used: Lewis, Bloomfield, Richardson, McClure, Walker.

REFEREE: Chris Kavanagh

ATTENDANCE: 3,209 (229 away)

MATCH STATS:

POSSESSION: York 55 per cent
Wycombe 45 per cent
SHOTS ON TARGET: York 6, Wycombe 2
SHOTS OFF TARGET: York 16, Wycombe 5
CORNERS: York 10, Wycombe 3
FOULS CONCEDED: York 16, Wycombe 13



CITY: Ingham, McCoy, McCombe, Lowe, Ilesanmi, Meikle, Summerfield, Penn (Montrose 75), Straker, Fletcher (Hyde 46), Coulson (Hirst 65). Subs not used: Mooney, Winfield

BARNSELEY: Davies, Brown, Cranie, Nyatanga, Dudgeon, Bree (Berry 82), Abbott, Hourihane, Jennings, Winnall (Hemmings 65), Cole. Subs not used: Turnbull, Mvoto, McHale



REFEREE: Peter Bankes
ATTENDANCE: 4,218 (521 away)

MATCH STATS:

POSSESSION: York 49 per cent
Barnsley 51 per cent
SHOTS ON TARGET: York 7, Barnsley 3
SHOTS OFF TARGET: York 2, Barnsley 7
CORNERS: York 2, Barnsley 6
FOULS CONCEDED: York 4, Barnsley 11



Barnsley 2

(Cole 63min, Hemmings 80min)

York City 0

JOHNSTONE'S PAINT TROPHY, ROUND ONE
Tuesday, September 2, 2014 | Oakwell

MATCH SUMMARY

YORK City were knocked out of the Johnstone Paint Trophy at the hands of League One Yorkshire rivals Barnsley.

Second-half goals from on-loan Manchester City striker Devante Cole – the son of former England striker Andy – and Kane Hemmings sealed City's fate.

But it was another promising performance from the Minstermen against a team who last season were playing their trade in the Championship.

City had the better of possession in the first half and created more scoring opportunities, but paid the price for not being clinical enough in the final third.

WHAT THE GAFFER SAID:

"We should have dealt with their first goal better but it was a good strike for their second. Otherwise, I thought our energy, commitment and quality, at times, was excellent. The way we knocked the ball about and took Barnsley on was very, very good."

Stevenage (Whelpdale 59min, Pett 64min) **2**

York City (Coulson 3min, Fletcher 15min, 75min (pen)) **3**

SKYBET LEAGUE TWO
Saturday, September 6, 2014 | The Lamex Stadium

CITY: Ingham, McCoy, McCombe, Lowe, Ilesanmi, Meikle (Jarvis 88), Summerfield, Penn, Straker (Hyde 71), Fletcher, Coulson. Subs not used: Mooney, Parslow, Montrose, Winfield, Hirst.

STEVENAGE: Beasant, Henry, Ashton (Zola 83), Charles, Okimo (Dembele 46), Whelpdale, Walton, Bond, Pett, Lee, Lancaster (Marriott 60). Subs not used: Day, Calcutt, Deacon.

REFEREE: Lee Collins (Surrey)

ATTENDANCE: 3,090 (away fans 443)

MATCH STATS:

POSSESSION: Stevenage 56 per cent
York 44 per cent

SHOTS ON TARGET: Stevenage 3, City 3

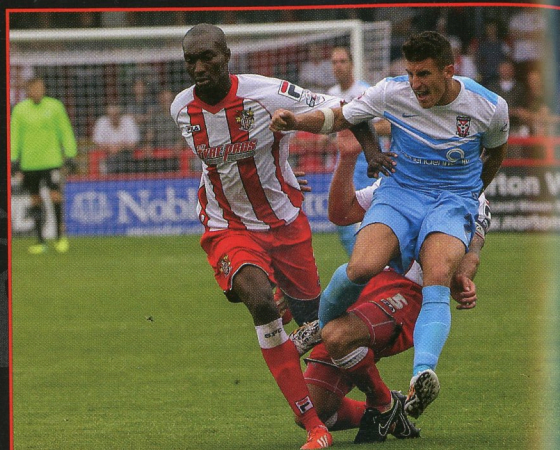
SHOTS OFF TARGET: Stevenage 7, City 4

CORNERS: Stevenage 4, City 4

FOULS CONCEDED: Stevenage 11, City 6



ACTION REPLAY



WHAT THE GAFFER SAID:

"It's very pleasing to get all three points at Stevenage because they are a tough side to play on any day. I'm just pleased for the players and supporters because there has been so many good things during our start to the season and we haven't been getting our just rewards. We want to kick on now and, if we all do our jobs as a unit and keep doing the right things, we can win a lot more games and go on a run."



MATCH SUMMARY

YORK City earned their first win of the season with a 3-2 win at Stevenage in an incident-packed game.

Michael Coulson gave City a dream start on three minutes with a smartly-taken free kick from 25 yards, before Wes Fletcher doubled the Minstermen's advantage 12 minutes later with an angled finish.

Stevenage's woes were compounded when Andy Bond received a red card for a lunge on Fletcher.

Despite being reduced to ten men the hosts staged a stirring second-half fightback and two goals in five second-half minutes from Chris Whelpdale and Tom Pett hauled Stevenage level.

But with less than 15 minutes left, full back Marvin McCoy was bundled over in the Stevenage penalty area and Fletcher stepped up to coolly slot home the resultant penalty.

Burton Albion (Atkins 55min, Mousinho 80min) **2**

York City **0**

SKYBET LEAGUE TWO
Saturday, September 13, 2014 | Pirelli Stadium

BURTON: McLaughlin, Edwards, Sharps, Cansdell-Sherriff, Taft, Akins, Weir, Mousinho, MacDonald (Harness, 82), McGurk (Palmer, 90), Beavon (Blyth, 78). Subs not used: Lyness, McFadzean, Knowles, Slade.

CITY: Ingham, McCoy, Lowe, McCombe, Ilesanmi, Meikle (Platt, 82), Penn, Summerfield, Straker (Hyde 63), Coulson, Fletcher. Subs not used: Mooney, Winfield, Montrose, Hirst, Jarvis.

REFEREE: Jeremy Simpson

ATTENDANCE: 2,890

MATCH STATS:

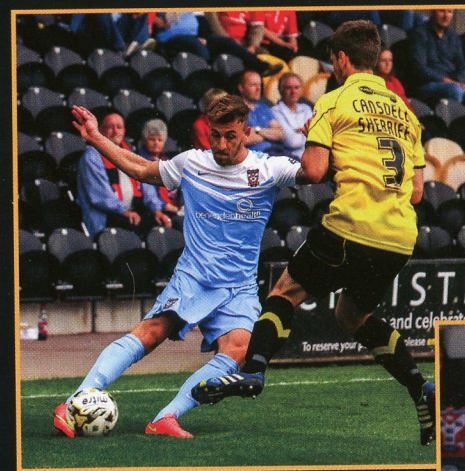
POSSESSION: Burton 54 per cent
York 46 per cent

SHOTS ON TARGET: Burton 6, City 6

SHOTS OFF TARGET: Burton 10, City 6

CORNERS: Burton 6, City 8

FOULS CONCEDED: Burton 11, City 16



WHAT THE GAFFER SAID:

"I couldn't fault the energy and effort but we surrendered the good run we have been on too easily and that displeases me the most. We didn't do the things we are good at. You have to give Burton credit. They have been building over the last two or three years, but I won't use that as an excuse, because I honestly believe we are a decent side."



MATCH SUMMARY

YORK City saw their 23-game unbeaten run in Sky Bet League Two come to an end with a 2-0 defeat at table-topping Burton Albion.

Second-half goals from Lucas Akins and John Mousinho tipped the result in Albion's favour and consigned City to their first league defeat on the road since January.

The first-half was an even contest, with Luke Summerfield forcing the best chance for the Minstermen with a 25-yard piledriver that brought a save from Burton shotstopper Jon McLaughlin.

The hosts took the lead early in the second half when Akins fired home from ten yards after Adam McGurk's initial effort was blocked by Keith Lowe.

Mousinho sealed the points ten minutes from time with a 30-yard effort that arrowed into Michael Ingham's bottom right-hand corner.



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Question Time

- FULL NAME: Cameron Lochiel Murray
- BIRTHPLACE: Halifax
- BIRTHDATE: March 21, 1995
- HEIGHT: 5ft 7ins
- WEIGHT: 62kg
- PREVIOUS CLUBS: Leeds United, Bradford City and VSI (Spain)
- POSITION: Centre midfield
- MARRIED: No
- CHILDREN: No
- PETS: Two dogs
- CAR: Vauxhall Adam
- FAVOURITE PLAYER: Lionel Messi
- FAVOURITE OTHER TEAM: Celtic FC
- MOST DIFFICULT OPPONENT: Adam Nagy
- BEST MOMENT IN FOOTBALL: Playing Sporting Lisbon while playing in Spain
- WORST MOMENT IN FOOTBALL: Breaking my collarbone
- FAVOURITE FOOD: Anything involving chicken and pasta
- FAVOURITE TV SHOW: Hannibal
- FAVOURITE FILM: Shawshank Redemption
- FAVOURITE MUSIC: Paul Weller, Ocean Colour Scene
- PET HATES: Untidiness and mess
- LIKES: Music and holidays
- BIGGEST INFLUENCE ON CAREER: Coaches Bobby Davidson and Antonio Gomez
- BIGGEST DRAG IN FOOTBALL: Waiting to recover from a broken collarbone
- PROFESSIONAL AMBITION: To go as high as possible in the game

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NUMBERS GAME: 4

SQUAD numbers were introduced in the Football League in 1999. This season, **DAN TAIT** recalls the men who have worn the 'numbers' for York City and picks his favourite Minstermen. This week the spotlight is turned on the men who wore the Number 4 shirt...

THE Number 4 was always linked to a midfielder's position and while in terms of squad number that sometimes rings true, it has not always been the case.

Scott Jordan was the first holder of the number in 1999, a player whose highlight was that ultimately decisive goal against Manchester United in the second leg of the Coca Cola Cup back in 1995 (though some will argue Paul Barnes got the final touch).

The 1999 season was arguably his best year in a City shirt, where his goals from midfield almost helped the club escape relegation.

By 2000 the number passed onto Barry Jones, the Welsh centre half and occasional full-back whose steady performances twice earned him the Player Of The Year award.



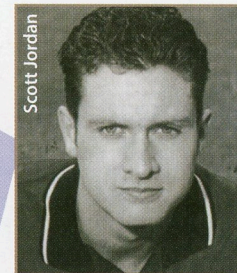
Jonathan Smith

Arriving from Nottingham Forest, Richard Cooper was next, a full blooded full-back turned midfielder who fans in the Longhurst used to call "headless" based on his technique.

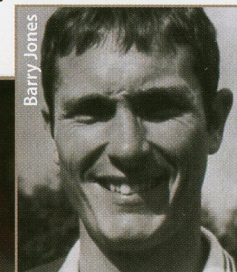
Kevin Donovan took a while to get going at York City but showed glimpses of class under Billy McEwan in 2005, though his career was winding down at that point.

Mark Hotte, Stuart Elliott and Darren Kelly all had stints in the Number Four shirt but in 2010 a combative midfielder named Jonathan Smith had a strong season under Gary Mills.

- 1999 – Scott Jordan
- 2000 – Barry Jones
- 2002 – Richard Cooper
- 2005 – Kevin Donovan
- 2006 – Mark Hotte
- 2007 – Stuart Elliott
- 2009 – Darren Kelly
- 2010 – **Jonathan Smith**
- 2011 – Chris Smith



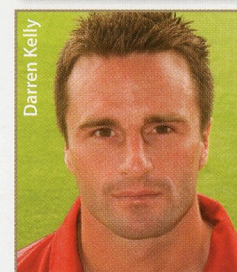
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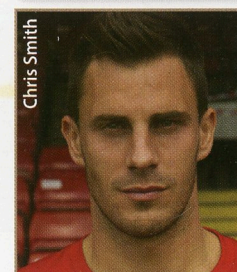
Barry Jones



Stuart Elliott



Darren Kelly



Chris Smith

Equally good at breaking up play and joining in attacks, Smith helped City drive towards the play-offs and to the FA Cup 3rd Round, with some excellent performances which didn't go unnoticed and earned Smith a £30,000 move to Swindon Town.

He played 38 times for Swindon en route to their promotion to League One. Told he wasn't good enough for that level of football, Mills brought him back to the Crescent in a move that didn't work out second time around.

Tonight's opponents, Luton Town, stepped in and got the best out of Smith where his midfield steel contributed to them joining us in climbing out of the Conference, although Smith suffered an horrific double leg fracture.

Former skipper Chris Smith preceded his namesake in the shirt for 2011 and onwards, but his place in the squad comes along later in this series, with Jonathan's first spell in a City shirt enough for him to claim the Number Four shirt.



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THIS season marks the 60th anniversary of York City's heroic march to the FA Cup semi-finals.

Only 13 players were used in that historic run – Tommy Forgan, Mick Granger, Ernie Phillips, George Howe, Gordon Brown, Alan Stewart, Ron Spence, Billy Hughes, Arthur Bottom, Norman Wilkinson, Sid Storey, Sam McNab and Billy Fenton.

Dubbed the Happy Wanderers by a nation bewitched by their exploits, City became the first Third Division club in history to reach a semi-final replay.

Although they missed out on a place in the final, the players have everlasting glory, immortalised as they are in City folklore.

Using a unique 1954-55 scrapbook donated to the club by historian David Batters shortly before his death, The Citizen will transport supporters back to that momentous FA Cup over the coming months, reliving the season through the press cuttings from the time.

PART FIVE York City Still Lack Scoring Touch

FOUR days after their defeat at home to Bradford, City were preparing to travel to Workington.

Following the resignation of the manager, Jimmy McCormick, and a run of poor results, the mood surrounding the club would have been lifted as The Yorkshire Evening Press revealed there were "strong hopes" Scottish winger Billy Hughes would be returning to the club.

The Press report said: "Hughes announced his intention last summer of not returning to England and was placed on City's transfer list at a fee of £1,000. The player has been in communication with the City club and is expected in York with a view to signing."

The paper also carried a report of the annual meeting of shareholders of "York City Association Football and Athletic Club Ltd".

Workington ... 2 York City ... 1

AFTER scoring in the eighth minute through Bottom, and holding out until six minutes from time, York City were beaten 2-1 at Workington last night in a keenly-fought encounter which did not, however, produce much good football.

Neither side was particularly strong in attack and there were few scoring movements from any note. A strong wind influenced the play a great deal. City had this at their backs in the first half when they played their best football.

A GOAL AT LAST!

The goal they scored was the first the team had obtained after a run of four successive matches. Bainbridge headed the ball out to Linaker who returned it to the centre forward and as Bainbridge headed forward Bottom nipped in to hook the ball over goalkeeper Newlands.

The defenders held such a mastery that for a long time it looked as if this goal might decide the issue. Newlands was not too happy in challenges by Bainbridge and Bottom, but the forward work of both teams lacked power and cohesion so that the threats to the goalkeepers were mainly the result of individual efforts.

Aitken, the Workington centre-half, was by no means the dominating figure he was in the first game at York, and Bainbridge often had him in difficulties.

THE EQUALISER

Workington's equaliser after 30 minutes came in an unfortunate way. Stewart put the ball back to Forgan when he was almost on top of the goalkeeper and with Dailey of the goalkeeper grabbed in close attendance Forgan grabbed at the ball and in the clash between three players the ball became loose for Dailey to tap it into an empty net.

City's nearest attempt at regaining the lead was when Phillips struck the post from a free kick.

Workington, with the wind behind them in the second half, had much the better of the play. City's one chance followed clever work by Linaker, but first Bainbridge missed the ball as it came across

and then McNab delayed his shot sufficiently to send the ball straight at the goalkeeper.

THE WINNING GOAL

There were only six minutes to go when Workington got the winning goal. A corner kick was ordered to be retaken because Linaker encroached near enough to impede the kicker.

From the second corner the ball struck Linaker for yet a third corner and this time Whittle put across an accurate one for Jones to head into the net.

Best features of City's play was the defensive work of Phillips who mastered Mitchell so well that the two Workington wingers changed places and even then the York captain was still on top. The forward work was still unsatisfactory and not improved by the change.

Attendance, 6,493; receipts, £522.



At the meeting, club chairman Hugh FW Kitchen said rumours of player discontent were "quite untrue".

"We have always been a happy club with contented players. We have not had the opportunity yet of considering the question of a successor to the manager, but it will be discussed in the near future."

A still managerless City extended their losing streak at Workington, going down 2-1, but at least City had scored after going four games without a goal. The result left City fourth from bottom of Division Three (North) with only two wins and two draws from their opening eight games.

City were on their travels again three days later to face Oldham.

The Press reported the Auxiliary Supporters' Club had organised "several" coaches to transport City fans to the game. "This is their first venture in that direction, and it looks as if it will be a big success. Certainly, the team needs all the encouragement it can get at the present time, with results so disappointing."

Despite the backing of the fans, City lost again, going down 3-2 after York had

held a 1-0 half-time advantage. City were seemingly in desperate trouble and were only one point ahead of bottom club Halifax.

There was a glimmer of hope with the news Billy Hughes had re-signed for York. The Press said the winger was back in training and would be available for selection "in a few days".

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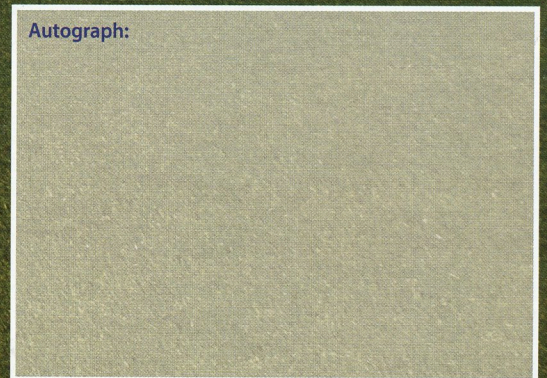
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BEHIND THE SCENES

GOOD evening everyone and welcome to Bootham Crescent.

In an earlier note, I talked about the ongoing work here at Bootham Crescent to try and make the supporters experience as good as we can, taking account of the age of the ground.

I thought today, following the wonderful news about the new stadium taking a huge step towards reality, I'd talk about the work we have done on the playing surface here at Bootham Crescent to keep it going until we move.

We have been blessed with a good pitch and we only lost one match to the weather, (the Fleetwood play-off game in May) during the whole of last season, and that was after absolutely unprecedented rainfall.

However, looks can be deceptive and we had a very serious issue that the grass roots in the pitch were very shallow, meaning that the pitch was running the risk of

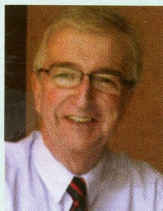
severe damage if we had a wet or very cold winter.

Nigel Worthington used his connections to organise a visit from Alan Ferguson, Head Groundsman at St George's, who gave lots of advice, particularly around strengthening the pitch and increasing the root depth.

With the strong likelihood of the rugby league club sharing the ground while the new stadium is developed, we knew that without some fairly radical changes, the pitch would not stand up to the extra wear and tear. Hence we have to make the pitch as robust and hard wearing as we can while keeping it among the best in the League.

A detailed programme of work was put together involving the ground staff, Nigel and others.

In the close season, we put over a mile and a half of drainage channels almost a metre under the pitch and also improved the irrigation system. That has taken time to bed in, particularly as the weather was very dry and warm



for the most part of the summer, but those channels are now almost invisible.

Following the Cambridge game we have spent a lot of time and effort on further

upgrading of the pitch with work that couldn't start until the drainage was established.

After that game we scarified the pitch, taking off several tons of dead grass "thatch". It was then verti-drained, which is a process of putting thousands of small nine inch deep holes all over the pitch. This improves the drainage still further and encourages the roots to go down deeper. The pitch was then re-seeded followed by a top-dressing of more than 90 tons of sand.

While there was still more sand on the top surface than we would have liked for the Wycombe game, with the care and effort of Chris Stirk, who has worked incredible hours and his team, the pitch now looks as good as ever and while I really hope we don't get the monsoon we got on that fateful May evening, the pitch is now ready for both what the weather and the oval ball game can throw at it.

John McGhee | General Manager

YORK CITY ACADEMY FOCUS

York City 1, Scunthorpe 2 FOOTBALL LEAGUE YOUTH ALLIANCE NORTH EAST

Saturday, August 23

YORK City's youth team were still left searching for their first league win of the season after losing narrowly at home to visitors Scunthorpe United.

The teenage Iron struck early, when City goalkeeper Danny Wright could only parry a shot into the path of a Scunthorpe striker, who swept the ball home from a tight angle.

After taking the lead, the visitors continued to press and they doubled their advantage when a diagonal ball played up to the centre forward was knocked down for the supporting striker, who was allowed time to take aim and strike the ball into the top corner.

City rallied after the break, and hauled themselves back into contention following a swift break from a Scunthorpe corner. A counter attack down the left saw the ball fed into Cameron Wilson, who composed himself to fire the ball into the bottom corner.

Wilson almost secured a point for City's young guns, but his header flashed across the goal with only minutes left on the clock.

York City 2, Fleetwood Town 1 YOUTH ALLIANCE CUP

Saturday, August 30

YORK City's young guns earned their first win of the season with a hard-fought victory over Fleetwood Town.

The City teenagers had to fight back from being a goal down, when the visitors took the lead from the penalty spot on 13 minutes.

A goal to the good, Fleetwood continued to press as a shell-shocked City reeled, although Adam Morley's effort on the stroke of half-time, which curled agonisingly wide of the target, underlined the fact the City teenagers were still very much in the game.



EVERYONE at York City Football Club was saddened to hear of the passing of former youth team player Michael Murr (above).

Michael, 36, from Pocklington, died on August 31 after suffering from Amyloidosis, a rare blood disorder.

Michael joined York City at the age of 12, progressing through the Bootham Crescent Academy and representing the Minstermen at youth team level.

Richard Cresswell, City's development consultant, was a former team mate of Michael as they both progressed through the Academy. They were also roommates for two years in the youth team's digs in Grovesnor Terrace.

Richard said: "Michael was a former team mate of mine from the age of 12 and went all the way through the academy. He was a great guy and a very good footballer with a fantastic left foot.

"Our thoughts go out to all his family and friends and we send them our sincere condolences."

Michael, son of Brian and Ann, brother to Andrew and dad to Marrison, went on to play football locally for Pocklington Town AFC and Punch Bowl Nestle in York.

George Wilson almost forced an equaliser with a low shot seven minutes after the restart, before a Ben Godfrey 25-yard piledriver – an early contender for goal of the season – restored parity.

City's fightback was complete when Cameron Wilson was brought down in the box and Callum Rzonca stepped up to coolly send the visiting 'keeper the wrong way and fire City into the second round.

Match reports: Luke Foulkes

Youth Team Fixtures 2014/15

The York City youth team compete in the Football League Youth Alliance League North East.

Home matches kick-off at 11am at the club's Wigginton Road training ground. For directions and other updates regarding fixtures please check the club website.

PRE-SEASON FRIENDLIES

	VERSUS
July 8 W 4-0	Pocklington T
July 11 L 0-3	Tadcaster Albion
July 15 W 5-4	RIASA
July 19 L 0-8	Leeds United
July 26 L 0-8	Middlesbrough
July 29 L 1-2	Rochdale

REGULAR FIXTURES

Aug 9 D 0-0	Grimsby
Aug 16 L 1-4	Chesterfield
Aug 23 L 1-2	Scunthorpe U
Aug 30 W 2-1	League Cup Fleetwood Town
Sept 6 L 0-5	Bradford City
Sept 27 H	Mansfield T
October 11 A	Hartlepool U
October 18 H	Notts County
October 25 A	Rotherham U
November 1 H	Hull City
November 8 A	Doncaster R
November 15 H	Lincoln City
November 22 A	Burton Albion
December 6 H	Grimsby Town
December 20 A	Chesterfield
January 3 A	Scunthorpe U
January 10 A	Bradford City
February 7 A	Mansfield T
February 14 H	Hartlepool Utd
February 21 A	Notts County
February 28 H	Rotherham U
March 14 A	Hull City
March 21 H	Doncaster R
April 4 H	Burton Albion
April 11 A	Lincoln City



DAVE HENDRY'S COMMERCIAL CORNER

GOOD evening everyone and a very warm welcome to tonight's match.



benendenhealth

Supporting tonight's match is shirt sponsor **benenden health** and they've brought some special guests along to the Benenden Suite for the evening. Guests include the Age UK York Branch, York Against Cancer, York CVS and Healthwatch York – all local health-related organisations in benenden's network of friends.

These organisations do some fantastic work in the local community and fully deserve to spend a relaxing evening cheering on York City. Let's hope the old rivalry with Luton makes for an exciting match. Come on York!

For more information on benenden health please see page 4.

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Staff from Play Football York before the York City v Wycombe Wanderers Match

Lindon Meikle – Man of the match after the York City v Wycombe Wanderers match seen here with hospitality guests



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Head of Retail Operations Waitrose Group J

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In a recent restructuring of senior management, James was given responsibility for another region of

branches that includes York, Leeds, Otley, Harrogate and Sheffield. He will be very much missed and all the branch managers from Waitrose Group J wish him well and the best of luck with his new role. They also promise not to mention ten-pin bowling all night and forgive him for smashing up his gnome!



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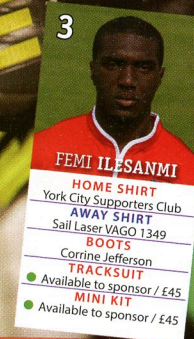
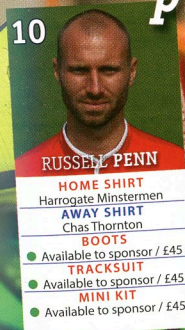
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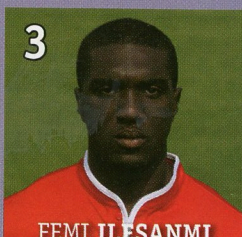
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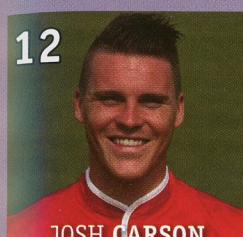
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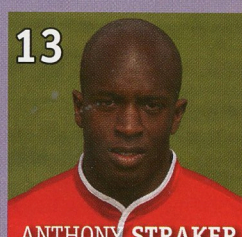
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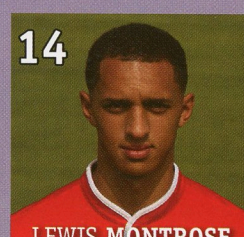
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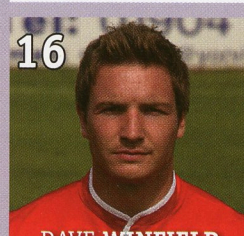
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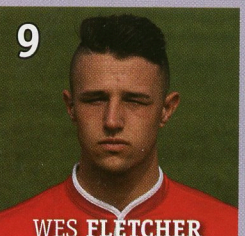
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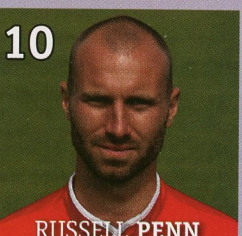
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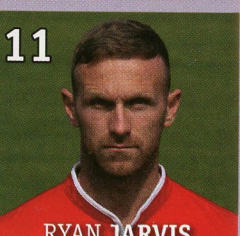
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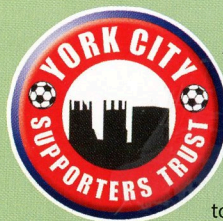
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AS SUPPORTERS will recall following the decision of the then directors of the football club to put the club and the ground up for sale, and the subsequent disastrous reign of Batchelor back in 2002/2003, York City Football Club was placed into administration. The Trust found a club that was in a financial mess with no ground. Following a successful Save City campaign, the fans via the Trust saved the football club but were unable to stave off relegation to the Conference.

When the Trust called the EGM in June 2006 to approve the transfer of 75% of the club to J M Packaging Ltd there were some dissenting voices despite the promise of future funding. While the fears of those people were understood it was obvious to those on the trust board that the existing structure could not continue and that further funding on an ongoing basis was required. As history now recalls a large majority approved the proposal and the transfer was completed with the trust retaining 25 per cent of the football club.

Under the astute guidance of JM Packaging and the McGill family, not only have we subsequently won the FA Trophy but also regained our League status via the play off final. The announcement on

MANY York City fans will have fond memories of Bootham Crescent. As we enter the countdown phase to the new stadium, I thought I should look to the past, present and future.

We can all remember the great games, teams and performances, but two come to my mind as much for the crowds as anything else.

In November 1948 we played Rotherham United in front of 19,216 fans and won 6-1, Alf Patrick netting five. Rotherham were a top team at that time and the ground was packed. Later that season, in April 1949, we played Hull City in front of an even bigger crowd of 21,010. I was in the middle of the Popular Stand and my feet never touched the floor. Hull were led by the legendary Raich Carter and while we were beaten he treated us to a great display of skills. These games are what memories are made of.

Considering the present day, we have a ground that is steeped in history, but it is like an old car; very treasured but very worn, not as efficient as it was and it costs a lot

to run. We have a team that had a tremendous run from January to May and did us proud, carrying on our unbeaten league run into the new season. Long may it continue.

What of the future? There will be ample car parking within throwing distance of the ground and without the angst of parking outside someone's front window. There will be no pillars blocking the view, easy access to better toilets, catering in improved surroundings with access to these facilities no longer proving a battle. The club will also benefit financially, with decent marketing and banqueting and conference facilities; things that are essential to the future well-being of the team.

The path to this final stage has been a rock-strewn process and has needed much perseverance. May I take my hat off to all those involved over those ten years. If you are of my generations you will know what a 'demob' calendar is. Forty League games to the end a new beginning!

Bob Horsfall | Vice President

August 26, 2014 by City of York Council of the winning consortium and the design details for the new 8,000 seated Community Stadium means that the future of York City Football Club looks much safer than it did a decade ago. Thanks for this achievement should go to both JM Packaging Ltd and City of York Council. We now await confirmation that the final planning is approved and the commencement of construction hopefully early next year.

The role of the trust has not ended however with the latest announcement about the ground. The trust has a part to play going forward and we hope to redefine the objectives in the near future.

Meanwhile, the next Trust AGM will take place at the Pitchside Bar Bootham Crescent on Thursday, November 13, 2014 at 7.30pm. All Trust members are welcome to attend and participate. Remember to take part in the AGM you will need to have renewed your membership by this date. Renewal notices have already been sent out in this respect. If anyone has not received a renewal notice please email the trust website with details to enquiries@ycst.org.uk.

Ian Hey | Chairman
York City Supporters Trust

YORK CITY VICE PRESIDENTS – '200 CLUB' / 2014-2015 season

Following the success of last year's '200 Club', when we were able to raise £2,750 for the club, we would like to increase the membership this season with your help. Our aim is to ask individuals to become members of the '200 Club'. The ideal number of members is 150. Membership payments will be split – two-thirds to York City and one-third in prizes.

FORMAT

- 1: Each member will pay £30 per season to join the '200 Club'. This is paid annually, if possible by standing order or direct to the York City Vice Presidents' account (Mandate available on request).
- 2: Each member is then allocated a number for the season
- 3: We would have a minimum of four prize draws during the season – if we achieve a membership over 130 an extra draw would be added.
- 4: Each draw would consist of four/ five prizes
- 5: The prizes depend on the membership - more members, bigger prizes.

Hopefully, with your support, we can increase the membership. The first draw will be in October. Membership will close at the end of September. Please contact Richard Adams on 07766 398073 or email richardl@btinternet.com

FANS FITNESS 5 FITNESS AND THE ENVIRONMENT



York St John
University

in association with

benendenhealth

WHAT would happen to the physical work capacity of the City squad if Bootham Crescent was moved to the top of K2? K2 is the second highest mountain in the world, standing at 8,611m. That is 141 times higher than York Minster (61m). Why ask? Well sometimes in sports science, to understand fitness we have to conduct 'thought experiments' which we can't actually do in the lab and because it's fun to play with strange ideas. The short answer to the question is that the squad would be able to do less physical work. They would be slower and have less endurance. This is because the partial pressure of air is less at altitude and so less oxygen gets to the working muscles. This negative effect could be reduced if the squad acclimatised to the lower pressure by ascending slowly over

a period of weeks. One way the body does this is to increase the number of red blood cells which carry oxygen. That explains why some athletes train at altitude and race at sea level.

While the squad's fitness may not be affected by altitude, it is affected by temperature. Both extreme heat and extreme cold affect sports performance. Sport scientists can help athletes adapt to these stressors using specialist training, drinks, clothing and psychological strategies. As we move through autumn toward

winter, so it is important that all those who exercise think about what kit to wear. As the old adage goes 'there is no such thing as bad weather, just the wrong clothing.' Perhaps the best advice about training outdoors in York in winter is to wear bright clothing so car drivers can see you.

If you want to learn more about fitness and the environment I would recommend the book *Life At The Extremes*, written by Frances Ashcroft.

Prof Andy Smith

If you want to study for a fitness and sport related qualification at York St John University why not visit us at one of our open days on Saturday, October 25, or Wednesday, October 29.

Find out more at www.yorks.ac.uk/opendays

To find out more about benenden health, log on to www.benenden.co.uk/ycfc

We've got your back

"WE'VE got your back". That's the powerful message from Prostate Cancer UK to York City FC this season.

The official logo of the pioneering charity will be worn more than 60,000 times on players' shirts in the Sky Bet Football League this season, following a unique agreement between The Football League and its Official Charity Partner.

Within each and every number will be the charity's iconic image, the Man of Men, symbolising men of all walks of life uniting against a common enemy.

So what's in a number?

- **8:** One in eight men get prostate cancer in the UK
- **4:** One in four African Caribbean will get prostate cancer in their lifetime
- **60:** Every 60 minutes a man dies of prostate cancer
- **250,000:** A quarter of a million men are living with the disease in the UK

Fighting back with big numbers:

- **187,000** people have signed for Men United – which would fill Bootham Crescent almost 24 times – pledging to give prostate cancer a real beating. Will you?
- **£210,000** the amount raised by Football League club representatives completing the London to Amsterdam Cycle Challenge in June 2014.

"Every time a player or a fan pulls on a Minstermen shirt with a squad number featuring our Man of Men they are helping to save lives" said Prostate Cancer UK's Director of Fundraising, Mark Bishop. "They are raising awareness of an issue that for far too long has been hidden away. Players and fans are supporting the 250,000 men living with prostate cancer in the UK and the 40,000 diagnosed with the disease each year."



PROSTATE
CANCER UK

To sign for Men United and give prostate cancer a real beating this season test your tactical know-how at prostatecanceruk.org/menunited

MINSTERMEN: GROUP NEWS



YORK MINSTERMEN AN EVENING WITH NIGEL WORTHINGTON

Thursday, September 18 | 7.30pm
Pitchside Bar

Come and join us for an evening with Nigel Worthington in the Pitchside Bar this Thursday evening at 7.30pm.

The bar will be open from 7pm, so come early and make sure you get a good seat.

From 7.30pm Nigel will be answering questions and sharing his thoughts on how the season has gone so far, and his hopes for the coming months.

Everyone is welcome, but under 18s must be accompanied by a responsible adult.

As usual, there'll be a fundraising raffle for the legendary York Minstermen navy's breakfast.

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE QUIZ Thursday, October 2

September's General Knowledge Quiz was very well-attended, meaning better than usual prizes for the winning teams.

Quizmaster Dave Potter returns for our October quiz on Thursday, October 2, when we hope to see another good turnout.

Doors open at 7pm and the quiz will start at 8.30pm. There'll be prizes for the best three teams.

Quiz entry is just £1.50 per person and there's a maximum of five people per team.

We'll be running a navy's breakfast raffle and the York Minstermen members' cash draw to give everyone more chances of being a lucky winner on the night.



HARROGATE MINSTERMEN

Good evening to one and all. To Luton Town, we offer our congratulations on winning the Conference last season.

I would like to say how brilliant our own fans are who travel the length and breadth of the country in great numbers and with terrific vocal support. It's a real pleasure being a City fan. Our HM minibus was full for the Barnsley trip and we took a dozen to Stevenage.

Well done to the youth team for beating Fleetwood Town in the Youth Alliance Cup and hopefully they have plenty of success this season. If you get the chance to, go and watch the boys.

The new ground plans are beginning to take shape now and after all the years of uncertainty we should look forward positively to moving to our new 'home'.

Our next meeting is on Monday, September 22, 7.30pm, at Harrogate Conservative Club, with special guests Femi Ilesanmi and Lindon Meikle. We have a raffle and free draw of £50. Everyone is made welcome for a good evening.

Let's get behind the lads to cheer them to a victory and have a safe journey home.

HM TRAVEL:

SOUTHEND UNITED (H)

Saturday, September 6 | Kick-off 3pm

Depart: Harrogate Odeon 12.40pm
Starbeck Prince of Wales 12.45pm
Knaresborough Boroughbridge Road Shops 12.55pm
Boroughbridge Market Square 1pm

Prices: Members £4, non-members £6, all Under-16s £2

DAGENHAM & REDBRIDGE (A)

Saturday, September 27 | Kick-off 3pm

Depart: Harrogate Odeon 8am
Starbeck Prince of Wales 8.05am
Knaresborough Marquis of Granby 8.15am
Wetherby Red Lion 8.30am
Boston Spa lay-by 8.35am
Ferrybridge Services/Escape 9am
Prices: Members £24, non-members £28, all Under-16s £12

PORTSMOUTH (H)

Saturday, October 4 | Kick-off 3pm

Depart: Harrogate Odeon 12.40pm
Starbeck Prince of Wales 12.45pm
Knaresborough Boroughbridge Road Shops 12.55pm
Boroughbridge Market Square 1pm
Prices: Members £4, non-members £6, all Under-16s £2

Please contact Marc Watson – Tel 07505936417 or email marcwatson64@live.co.uk.

Be sure to visit our website for all the latest at www.harrogateminstermen.com.

Also available on Twitter @harrogateminste, Facebook at 'Harrogate Minstermen Travel', or alternatively email harrogateminstermen@hotmail.com.



EAST RIDING MINSTERMEN

Good evening

First of all, a big thank you to everyone who travelled with us to Stevenage. We had a great day out with a satisfying result to round the day off nicely. A special thank you to our driver, Steve Cox, who dropped everyone off safely afterwards, and Monty Simpson who organised a football card for the journey.

We continue to provide transport through our hired minibus, with the long term aim of purchasing our own. Our membership continues to grow and it is always

nice to see some new faces on board.

Unfortunately, we had to cancel the latest branch meeting due to the sudden death of a Pocklington Town FC player. The East Riding Minstermen send their condolences.

The branch are also encouraging it's members to join the Vice Presidents' 200 club. This is a great way of supporting our club as well as giving you a chance to earn cash prizes from regular draws throughout the season. Entry is £30 for the season. Please contact myself for details.

Finally, we are hoping to run weekend trips to Plymouth and Portsmouth this season. Once again, please contact me on the number below for further details. Enjoy the game

John Uttley 07805 226342
www.eastridingminstermen.weebly.com



SOUTHERN CONNECTIONS

Next Social Evening
– Thursday, October
30 – ASK ASHLEY

York City South is delighted to announce our next social evening on Thursday, October 30, will be an evening with former York City striker and double-winner, Ashley



ASK ASHLEY...

AN EVENING WITH ASHLEY CHAMBERS



JOIN YORK CITY SOUTH FOR AN EVENING WITH FORMER YORK CITY STRIKER AND DOUBLE-WINNER, ASHLEY CHAMBERS.

WHEN: 7:30PM on Thursday, 30th October 2014

WHERE: The Perseverance, 63 Lamb's Conduit Street, London, WC1N 3NB (Nearest tubes: Russell Square, Chancery Lane, Holborn)

YCFCs@hotmail.co.uk www.yorkcitysouth.co.uk @YCFCSouth

Chambers. Chambers was part of the City team who won the FA Trophy and promotion back to the Football League in 2012 and we are thrilled to welcome him for a Q&A session at our new venue, The Perseverance, 63 Lamb's Conduit Street, London, WC1N 3NB. Nearest tubes are Russell Square, Holborn and Chancery Lane.

Some other dates for your diary:

30/10/2014 - Ask Ashley, An evening with Ashley Chambers
16/12/2014 - Christmas Party at Sheephaven Bay
06/02/2015 - Guest speaker (TBC)
06/03/2015 - Meet the manager (TBC)
07/03/2015 - Meet York City South before Wimbledon Game
27/03/2015 - York City South Darts Tournament at Sheephaven Bay
25/04/2015 - Sponsored Game v Newport County
28/05/2015 - AGM (Venue TBC)

York City South Membership 2014/15

It's that time again, time to join or renew your York City South membership for the 2014/15 season. Membership is only £10 for the year [and includes membership of York City AFC 1922 Supporters Club]; Juniors £5 for the year; £125 life membership. For more information on how to pay, please visit our website at www.yorkcitysouth.co.uk

Keep in touch – You can get in touch with York City South in the following ways:
Web: www.yorkcitysouth.co.uk

Email: YCFCs@hotmail.co.uk

Twitter: @YCFCSouth

Facebook: Search for 'York City South' – or come and find us at games, both home and away.

SUPPORTERS CLUB SCENE

Good evening everyone.

Congratulations to the Hatters on their return to the Football League.

The winner of our members complimentary draw tonight is David Stone of

Citizen Quiz

- 1: On this day in 2003, City drew a Division Three fixture with Darlington 1-1. With which club do Darlo currently groundshare?
- 2: Former City midfielder Patrick McLaughlin is currently with which club?
- 3: Why was the pitch at the Estadi Nacional in the news last week?
- 4: City midfielder Cameron Murray qualifies to play for Scotland, but was born in which West Yorkshire town?
- 5: On this day in 1995 City won 1-0 at Swansea. What ground did Swansea play at in those days?
- 6: City knocked in three goals past Stevenage's Joe Beasant recently, but for which club did his father Dave – also a keeper – famously play?
- 7: Tom Allan played nearly 20 games on loan for Harrogate Town but also made three starts with which other Conference Club?
- 8: Tickets for next year's FIFA women's World Cup went on sale last week. In which country will the tournament be held?
- 9: Name Bradford City's manager.
- 1: City visit Dagenham on September 27; what is the full name of their Victoria Road ground?

Questions by Frank Ormston
Answers: Page 49

Acomb, membership No. 195. The winner of our matchday raffle at the Wycombe Wanderers game was Alan Sage with ticket No. 316.

There are still places to fill in our "Buster" sweep. It costs just £4 for the entire season.

RAYMOND WYNN (01904-797578)

YORK City Ladies 1st XI have had a great start to the season, currently sitting top of the North East Regional Premier Division after four games and 12 points.

Within those 12 points are what could be six of the toughest points we will earn all season.

We have beaten local rivals Hull City twice in a week, 3-2 at home and 5-2 away. Both fixtures had an air about them, with both teams knowing how important the points were. Hull have a good set up and have strong backing from the men's Premiership side with the owner, Dr Assem Allam, attending their 5-2 loss at home.

Although we have had a fantastic start, we will not get carried away and will approach every game as if it will win us the league. We cannot afford any slip ups, we must keep our concentration. Consistency is key. Here are our results so far:

YCLFC 2, Scunthorpe and Bottesford 0
Goalscorers: Jasmine Whitwell and Louise Ross

YCLFC 3, Hull City 2
Goalscorers: Beth Clayton, Ruth Brazier and Jasmine Whitwell

Hull City 2, YCLFC 5
Goalscorers: Nikki Brown (2), Megan Bramham, Louise Ross and Jasmine Whitwell

Hessle 0, YCLFC 4
Goalscorers: Louise Ross (2), Ali Smith and Jasmine Whitwell

YORK CITY players supported the Rainbow Laces campaign at Burton Albion last Saturday as part of the football club's ongoing work against discrimination in the sport.

Ahead of the trip to the Pirelli Stadium, the players were supplied with rainbow coloured laces by Stonewall, a long-established group who campaign for equality for lesbian, gay and bisexual people.

York City Manager Nigel Worthington said: "As a club we are keen to help tackle homophobia



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Left to right – top: Hollie Smith, Ruth Brazier, Margot Widdup, Becca Dawson, Sammy Terry, Ashlee Brack, Amy Roberts, Beth Clayton. Middle: George Catling, Louise Ross, Georgia Marsden, Nikki Brown, Sophie Parrish, Chloe Precious, Sam Knight, Jenna Strain, Katie Duckworth, Rachel Harding, Josie Hewson, Amy Smith, Jonny Bruce. Bottom: Dan Barratt, Ali Smith, Lauren Coombs, Jess Barnes, Vicki Robinson, Sara Renfrew, Kayleigh Davis, Kira Robinson, Megan Bramham, Ellie Randall, Jazz Whitwell, Helen Dalby, Craig Daley.

UPCOMING 1ST TEAM FIXTURES:

September 21,
Whitley Bay v YCLFC - 2pm ko.
Venue: Hillheads Park

September 28, FA Cup,
Kader v YCLFC - 2pm ko.
Venue: tbc

Kayleigh Davies, manager

Hi I'm Jonny Bruce. Earlier in the season Kayleigh, the 1st XI manager, introduced me as the ladies' reserve team manager and I spoke about my pride in being with the club. I have very high hopes for this coming season. I've been asking them to adapt their game to a continental style 3-5-2 with the emphasis on high

pressing and a quick passing game. The squad have worked really hard in pre-season on this has paid dividends with a 1-0 away win at Guisborough in our first league game of the season, courtesy of a Sammy Terry goal. This squad has no limit on what it can do this season and I'm glad I'll be around to watch them develop.

UPCOMING RESERVE FIXTURES:

September 21: York St John v YCLFC Reserves - 2pm ko.
Venue: York St John University

September 28: YCLFC Reserves v Stokesley - 2pm ko. Venue: Hull Road Sports Pavillion, Hull Road



in the game and we believe that discrimination of any form is just not acceptable. We are happy to support the Rainbow Laces

campaign to raise the profile of this important issue."

York City communications and community director Sophie Hicks said: "As we demonstrate in our support of York Pride, Stonewall and the Football v Homophobia campaign, we are a club which embraces and celebrates diversity. It's important we play our part in challenging prejudice and discrimination in the game. Our players wore the rainbow laces with pride and we continue to maintain our strong position that football is for everyone."

WE'VE just witnessed the start of yet another qualifying campaign for the home nations.

England's disastrous World Cup has got many people asking if we really care about the national side or if we've given up on them? Well, we all know we live in a country where club always comes before country. Nothing wrong with that, but I'm sure we'd all love to see Roy Hodgson's men finally make us smile and give us something to get excited about.

So I was quite encouraged with the performance, and more importantly, the result against Switzerland. It was the boost we all needed as we've fallen out of love with our national team....at least that's what the newspapers keep telling us. That suggestion seemed to be backed up by all those empty seats at Wembley for the Norway friendly. Officially the attendance was just over 40,000, but only around 25,000 actually went through the turnstiles. With games to come against the likes of Lithuania,

Slovenia and San Marino, not exactly glamorous opposition, we'll walk this group, but how many people will be there to see it? UEFA have hardly helped either by expanding Euro 2016 to include 24 teams at the finals. It means the top two teams in each qualifying group qualify for the finals, almost guaranteeing all the big nations will be in France in two years' time. So for the next 14 months, we'll just have to settle with a host of unappetising and potentially one-sided matches, not that watching England perform has ever been so simple. However, following the win in Basle it's not beyond the imagination to say that the Three Lions could take maximum points from this group.

At least we know watching City will give us plenty of excitement and nail-biting moments this season. It was great to see Wes Fletcher make his comeback last week. We saw in the matches at Barnsley, and especially at Stevenage, just what we've been missing. I'm confident that if



he stays fit, he'll score over 20 goals this season – goals that will hopefully have us fighting it out for promotion at the end of the season. Lets hope he finds the back of the net tonight – if there's one match all of us were looking forward to when the fixtures came out, it was this one!

Thanks for all your thoughts and comments, please keep them coming and I'll read them all out. The easiest ways to get in touch are via text (81333, start your message with the word "York"), or tweeting @bbc yorksport.

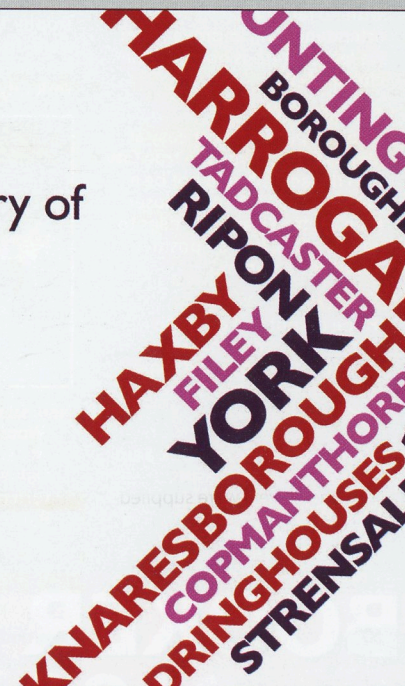
Here's to another three points!

David

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SOCIAL SCENE

By the York City Media Centre

NEW STADIUM PLANS ANNOUNCED

It feels like forever since we started talking about a new stadium for the club but, finally, everything is falling into place and dreams look like finally becoming reality. Understandably, the plans were the centre of hot debate on social media.

KEVIN CHARLSTON

'New stadium designs look mint and hopefully a great team playing in it when we get promoted - hope the capacity is higher than 6,000.'

JAKE ATTON

'Looks nice. Much more looking forward to taking the family there than current ground with no facilities. I'm sure the attendance will improve when we leave which is good for the club and city.'

PETER MOULTON

'You can park your car easy at Monks Cross, if you are true City fans distance should not be a problem, you'll be a lot closer than Exeter, I travel 10 miles to games at HS, let's be positive about the complex.'

IAN SMITH

'Hope it's not just going to be called "York Community Stadium" it sounds like something from a former Soviet Bloc'

However, not everyone took a sip of the elixir of enthusiasm ...

PAUL DARBYSHIRE

'Believe it when I see it.'

YORK CITY has developed a strong social media scene in recent years with you, the fans, taking an active role in discussions about a whole variety of club-related topics. Currently, we have just under 17,000 Twitter followers and nearly 22,000 'likes' on Facebook. Lots of things have been posted since our last home game against Wycombe, and here are some of the best bits we've seen.

CHARITY BIKE RIDE TO NORTHAMPTON

The news that a group of York City fans have decided to cycle to this season's away game at Northampton to raise funds for the British Heart Foundation, in memory of Cobblers fan David Henderson, went down particularly well with our internetters.

KARI MAWHOOD

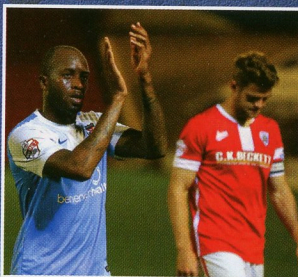
'Great idea and super cause!'

ANGELA ROWNTREE

'Good luck Guysmaking The City proud.'

CITY OUT OF PAINT POT

Despite a brave display, The Minstermen went down 2-0 at Barnsley in the Johnstone's Paint Trophy. While the City followers were disappointed, the Barnsley fans seemed quite impressed with York City both on and off the field.



NEIL GLEDHILL

'Would like to say to York city supporters who came to Oakwell, nice support decent turn out for your team from Barnsley fan. Hope u do well in this season.'

www.yorkcityfootballclub.co.uk
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MICHAEL SCOTT

@MichaelScott40 'Well played York City we need to start taking chances as we are been punished for not putting the ball into the back of the net.'

ADAM WATSON

@AdsWatson84 '@yorkcityfc fans were fantastic tonight! All the best for the rest of the season.'

BFC MATCHDAY DRINKER

@BFCDrinkers 'Fair play to @yorkcityfc that's best away support for sound and numbers all season.'

AND FINALLY ...

Our club photographer, Simon Davies, has very kindly been attending our away games as well as homes this season. This has not only meant being able to add more photo galleries on our Official Website, but has also meant we have been able to publish some of Simon's crowd shots. Clearly, his gallery from Barnsley didn't enthuse one of our Facebook fans.

LYNSEY O'DONNELL WARD

'Couldn't he have got a few more looking a little happier!?''

Fair comment Lynsey. Next time City are 2-0 down away from home and you see our photographer point his camera at you....just forget the score and smile!

Foundation Focus

WELCOME to tonight's game on behalf of York City FC Foundation and our community kit partners, Just Sport.

After a busy summer of holiday fun camps, kickabout and park sessions, we are settling into the new academic year working predominantly in schools offering subject leader cover, curriculum coaching and after-school clubs.

We have just started back at all of our young player development centres. We have 15 centres running this season for ages three to 12 years through our City Tots, City Kickers and City Development sessions. We also now have three City Girls development centres running for seven to 11, 11 to 14 and 14 to 18 year olds. We also have two disability development centres for 11 to 15 and 16 to 25 year olds. These run during the

school term throughout the season and are operated evenings and weekends across the York and Selby areas. For further information or to book a place, please contact the Foundation office.

We have been working hard to achieve new funding streams for this season and are delighted to confirm we have been successful in achieving funding from the Football League Trust to continue our female football development programme for a second year and from the Football Association to extend our inclusive health and disability programme for a second year. We have also been asked to deliver this season's Ability Counts





League on behalf of the North Riding County FA, which will be launched in October.


We recently applied a new Premier League fund for improving school sport, as has been publicised in the national media, and last week received notification of our success.


These are all fantastic achievements for us, and enable us to continue to work towards our strategic aim of making football more inclusive, by including young people with disabilities, vulnerable adults, women and girls. Our goal is to offer more activities to improve the numbers of participants, as well as the level of football played.

Enjoy the game.

Paula and the Foundation Team











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WELCOME to Yorkie Talkie, the section in our matchday programme dedicated to our younger fans. Here you will find puzzles and jokes and a regular column from our mascot, Yorkie The Lion.

We are happy to include birthday messages and City 'debut' - featuring young fans who are making their first appearances at Bootham Crescent.

What's yellow on the outside and green on the inside? A cucumber dressed as a banana.

If your birthday is coming up, or someone you know is celebrating a special occasion, success at school or on the sports field then please let us know. We'd love to hear from you and promote your achievements or big day right here in The Citizen.

We'd be delighted to publish your drawings of players, Yorkie or kit designs, or perhaps you might be a budding sports journalist and want to submit your very own match report.

We cannot guarantee to publish every letter, picture, match report, City debut or birthday message, but we will do our best.

Why is Cinderella no good at football? Because her coach is a pumpkin!

Please remember to send any birthday messages as far in advance of the big day as possible, and always include a contact telephone number in any correspondence.

Contributions should be sent to Dave Stanford, York City Football Club, Bootham Crescent, York YO30 7AQ, or email dave.stanford@yorkcityfootballclub.co.uk

Yorkie Talkie



SPOT THE DIFFERENCE



Can you spot the EIGHT differences between the two photographs above? Some, as you will see, are more obvious than others.

“ WELCOME once again to Yorkie Talkie and Bootham Crescent for today's visit of Luton Town. I hope all Hatter fans have had a safe journey north and also enjoy a carefree journey home.

It's been a really hectic start to the season for Nigel Worthington and our heroes in red - tonight's game will be our tenth inside 40 days.

With so many games, it's important I am able to switch off from the stresses and strains of being a match day mascot... I know it looks an easy job, but trust me prowling up and down that touchline, twirling my tail, is pretty exhausting.

And remember, most lions would be walking about on four legs, but I'm doing it on two, so it's twice as hard for me!

Just like the players, it's important I learn to switch off and rest in between games so that I am refreshed and raring to go on match days.

I must admit, I'm quite partial to a bit of pampering as a way of chillingaxing.

I quite often get Chris Stirk, the club's grounds manager, to give my claws a bit of a trim with his shears and a smooth down with some sand paper. He'll then maybe give my mane a trim with his strimmer.

Wordsearch

Can you find the names of the League Two rivals City have played so far, including tonight's opponents?: (Tranmere, Northampton, Cambridge, Exeter, Wycombe, Stevenage, Burton, Luton)

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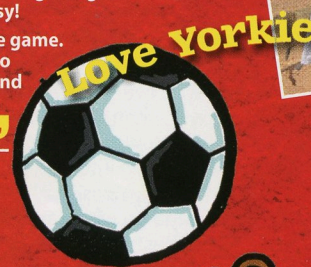
What did the frog order from the food kiosk at Bootham Crescent? French flies and diet croak

Next up I head over to the physio room for a rub down and massage from Jeff Miller, the club's physio. I really like a massage, but I get the impression Jeff's never too keen, mainly because my very, very, very hairy legs get clogged up by the ointment, making it very, very, very hard work.

Finally, I love to run a hot bath in the home dressing room and have a long hot soak with plenty of bubbles and my little yellow plastic duck for company.

When the new stadium gets built, I'm hoping I will get my own bath and private changing room. I think the players will be happy for me to have my own facilities - they're always complaining about my hairs clogging up the bath's plug hole and the fact I hog the hairdryer for hours on end but, as I explain to them, looking this good doesn't come easy!

Enjoy the game. Roar us to victory and keep the faith! ”



CITY DEBUTANTS

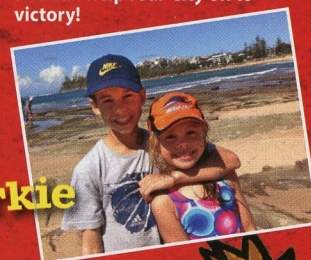
YORK City are delighted to welcome two new 'debutants' to Bootham Crescent tonight for this evening's encounter with Luton Town.

And it's a safe bet Matthew and Leila Johnson will have had the longest journey of any of the thousands of supporters here tonight.

Matthew, ten, and his sister, Leila, eight, are making their first visit to York City having travelled to England from Brisbane in Australia.

Matthew and Leila are holidaying in England with their parents, Marika Nearhos and Cameron Johnson, who used to live in York a number of years ago.

We hope Matthew and Leila enjoy their first taste of English football and can help roar City on to victory!



FANTASY FOOTBALL

Fenners from Sky Sports Fantasy Football Show pens a new and exclusive column for *The Citizen* and York City supporters

AFTER the disappointment of Brazil, it was encouraging to see England come away from Switzerland with the points and a performance.

An impossible job is how some people have described the England hot seat but, let's face it, we'd all fancy a crack wouldn't we? So the other night in the pub I sat down and decided I would select an England team from my time watching them as a fan under the watch of gaffers ranging from Ron Greenwood to Roy Hodgson. Here's my England #one2eleven, well actually my #one2five. I'll do my #six2eleven in my next

Fenners presents the Sky Sports Fantasy Football Show alongside Paul Merson.

If you fancy yourself as the next Fergie, you can join the fun by registering at www.fantasyfootball.skysports.com and then pick your Premier League best XI.

The new series offers a £30,000 top prize and a string of other goodies on offer throughout the season.

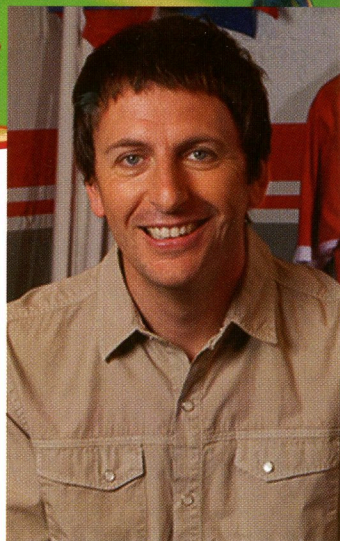


programme column. I've gone for a very on trend 4-1-3-1-1, but I'm confident when you throw my England XI on any pitch, in any era and they will win any tournament.

GK: Ray Clemence – Thanks to Ron Greenwood's novel idea, Ray had to share the yellow jersey, alternating with Peter Shilton. Peter was probably the better keeper but as a Liverpool fan I always preferred it when Ray was between the sticks. No offence, Peter.

RB: Gary Neville – I'm going for four at the back: By rights my right back should be Liverpool great Phil Neal. At club level he won everything there was to win – then won it all over again. However, I run the risk of bumping into Gary Neville on a weekly basis so I'll play it safe and go with Gary – but let's be honest, he's there on merit – massively underrated, the perfect foil for David Beckham making untold overlapping runs to create space for Becks to produce another centre forward's dream of a cross courtesy of that whippy shaft. A fierce competitor and a bad loser, which makes for a winner. England manager one day. I reckon.

CB: Tony Adams – My two centre halves can both play. Laughable to think some people referred to him as a "donkey". Gary Neville says he was the best motivator in the England dressing room without a doubt. I wouldn't have wanted to play



alongside him. Why? Well I used to play at the back and on average gave away one goal per game trying to Cruyff turn the oncoming striker. I think Tony would have given me a good "motivating" in the changing rooms if we'd shared the same pitch.

CB: Rio Ferdinand – Next to Tony is a Rolls Royce. Rio could play anywhere, better than most midfielders on the ball and made defending look easy. Reminiscent of Franz Beckenbauer but with some added London swagger, Rio Peckhambauer perhaps? Come on, that's decent ...

LB: Ashley Cole – England left backs tend to turn up and say "I like this international football malarkey, I'm gonna stick around for a season or 10". In my lifetime there have only really been three. Kenny Sansom, Stuart Pearce and Ashley Cole. All worthy of inclusion but in terms of defending one on one on his day Ashley was unbeatable.

● So that's the defence taken care of ... see Saturday's edition of *The Citizen* for the rest of Fenners's England #one2eleven.

To complement our exclusive column for *The Citizen* by Fenners, of Sky Sports Fantasy Football Show, we have asked York City players to come up with their own 'Dream Teams' and best XIs.

Every York City player has been asked pick their own Fantasy Football team, made up of their all-time favourite players, or the best players they have ever played alongside or played against, or a mixture of all three.

We are also happy to include supporters' own fantasy dream

teams, particularly fans' best ever York City XIs.

To see your York City Fantasy Team featured in *The Citizen*, send it to Dave Stanford, York City Football Club, Bootham Crescent, York YO30 7AQ, or email dave.stanford@yorkcityfootballclub.co.uk.

Please remember to give a short explanation as to each of your selections, to pick a captain and a formation.

Please remember to also include your contact details. We cannot guarantee your dream team will feature, but we will do our best.

Today, City skipper **RUSS PENN**, who lists his former clubs as Cheltenham, Burton Albion and Kidderminster Harriers, picks his all-time best XI, featuring players he has played with during his career.



FORMATION: 4-3-3

GOALKEEPER: SCOTT BROWN (Aberdeen)
Played with at Cheltenham. One of my best mates in football and deserved his big move to Scotland.

RIGHT BACK: JEFF KENNA (Retired, currently coaching in America)
Played with at Kidderminster. A Premier League winner with Blackburn and Republic of Ireland international. Need I say more?

CENTRE BACK: KEITH LOWE (York City)
Another top mate. Reads the game well and heading, both for and against, is a big strength.

CENTRE BACK: MARK CREIGHTON (assistant manager at Kidderminster Harriers)
Former skipper at Kidderminster, has a head as hard as concrete. Great leader and another top mate.

LEFT BACK: RYAN AUSTIN (Brackley Town)
A team mate at Burton Albion. Would still be playing League football if it wasn't for injury. Powerful player.

MIDFIELD: JACQUES MAGHOMA (Sheffield Wednesday)
Played with at Burton and was a class above the rest in League Two. Still has another move in him. Quick.

MIDFIELD: MARLON PACK (Bristol City)
The ball is his oyster. Great vision. I did his doggy work at Cheltenham, he got the move!

MIDFIELD: SCOTT MALONE (Millwall)
Played with at Burton where he played on loan. Left-sided full-back/winger, who is doing well in the Championship.

STRIKER: GREG PEARSON (Brackley Town)
Burton team-mate and a very intelligent player. Now works for the NHS as a physio

STRIKER: JAMES CONSTABLE (Eastleigh)
Played with at Kidderminster and a natural goalscorer. (Editor's note: Constable scored Oxford United's second goal as they beat City 3-1 in the 2010 Conference Premier play-off final at Wembley).

STRIKER: SHAUN HARRAD (Notts County)
Played with at Burton and at England C. Goals, goals and more goals. Backing in and turning is his strength.



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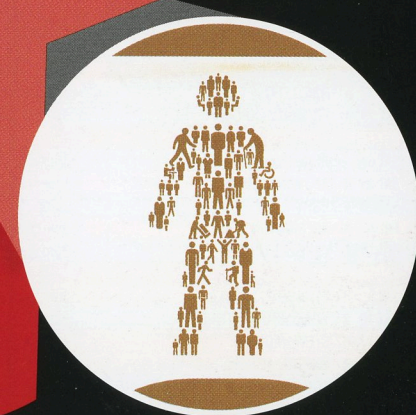
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AUGUST 2014

SAT 9	A	TRANMERE ROVERS	1-1	D	6,287	823	Mooney	McCoy	Ilesanmi	Penn	McCombe
TUE 12	H	DONCASTER ROVERS (<i>Capital One Cup 1</i>)	0-1	L	3,357	1,073	Mooney	McCoy	Ilesanmi	Penn	McCombe
SAT 16	H	NORTHAMPTON TOWN	1-1	D	3,448	581	Mooney	Ilesanmi	Lowe	McCombe	McCoy
TUE 19	H	CAMBRIDGE UNITED	2-2	D	3,176	291	Mooney	McCoy	McCombe	Lowe	Ilesanmi
SAT 23	A	EXETER CITY	1-1	D	2,741	141	Ingham	McCoy	Lowe	Ilesanmi	Winfield
SAT 30	H	WYCOMBE WANDERERS	0-0	D	3,209	229	Ingham	McCoy	Lowe	McCombe	Ilesanmi

SEPTEMBER

TUE 2	A	BARNSELEY (<i>Johnstone's Paint Trophy 1</i>)	0-2	L	4,218	521	Ingham	McCoy	McCombe	Lowe	Ilesanmi
SAT 6	A	STEVENAGE	3-2	W	3,090	443	Ingham	McCoy	McCombe	Lowe	Ilesanmi
SAT 13	A	BURTON ALBION	0-2	L	2,890		Ingham	Ilesanmi	Lowe	McCoy	McCombe
TUE 16	H	LUTON TOWN	7.45pm								
SAT 20	H	SOUTHEND UNITED	3pm								
SAT 27	A	DAGENHAM & REDBRIDGE	3pm								

OCTOBER

SAT 4	H	PORTSMOUTH	3pm								
SAT 11	A	NEWPORT COUNTY	3pm								
SAT 18	H	SHREWSBURY TOWN	3pm								
TUE 21	A	MORECAMBE	7.45pm								
SAT 25	H	MANSFIELD TOWN	3pm								

NOVEMBER

SAT 1	A	CHELTENHAM TOWN	3pm								
SAT 8		<i>FA Cup Round 1</i>	3pm								
SAT 15	H	OXFORD UNITED	3pm								
SAT 22	A	HARTLEPOOL UNITED	3pm								
SAT 29	A	PLYMOUTH ARGYLE	3pm								

DECEMBER

SAT 6		<i>FA Cup Round 2</i>	3pm								
SAT 13	H	AFC WIMBLEDON	3pm								
SAT 20	A	BURY	3pm								
FRI 26	H	ACCRINGTON STANLEY	3pm								
SUN 28	A	CARLISLE UNITED	3pm								

JANUARY 2015

SAT 3	H	PLYMOUTH ARGYLE	3pm								
SAT 10	A	WYCOMBE WANDERERS	3pm								
SAT 17	H	STEVENAGE	3pm								
SAT 24	H	BURTON ALBION	3pm								
SAT 31	A	SOUTHEND UNITED	3pm								

FEBRUARY

SAT 7	H	DAGENHAM & REDBRIDGE	3pm								
TUE 10	A	LUTON TOWN	7.45pm								
SAT 14	H	TRANMERE ROVERS	3pm								
SAT 21	A	NORTHAMPTON TOWN	3pm								
SAT 28	H	EXETER CITY	3pm								

MARCH

TUE 3	A	CAMBRIDGE UNITED	7.45pm								
SAT 7	A	AFC WIMBLEDON	3pm								
SAT 14	H	CARLISLE UNITED	3pm								
TUE 17	H	BURY	7.45pm								
SAT 21	A	ACCRINGTON STANLEY	3pm								
SAT 28	A	MANSFIELD TOWN	3pm								

APRIL

FRI 3	H	CHELTENHAM TOWN	3pm								
MON 6	A	OXFORD UNITED	3pm								
SAT 11	H	HARTLEPOOL UNITED	3pm								
TUE 14	H	MORECAMBE	7.45pm								
SAT 18	A	SHREWSBURY TOWN	3pm								
SAT 25	H	NEWPORT COUNTY	3pm								

MAY

SAT 2	A	PORTSMOUTH	3pm								
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League table 2014/15

	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1 BURTON ALBION	7	6	1	0	11	3	8	19
2 MORECAMBE	7	5	1	1	12	6	6	16
3 BURY	7	4	2	1	10	4	6	14
4 WYCOMBE WANDERERS	7	4	2	1	10	5	5	14
5 CHELTENHAM TOWN	7	4	2	1	7	4	3	14
6 CAMBRIDGE UNITED	7	3	2	2	14	9	5	11
7 SHREWSBURY TOWN	7	3	2	2	11	7	4	11
8 SOUTHEND UNITED	7	3	2	2	7	5	2	11
9 NORTHAMPTON TOWN	7	3	2	2	8	7	1	11
10 PLYMOUTH ARGYLE	7	3	1	3	9	6	3	10
11 PORTSMOUTH	7	3	1	3	6	7	-1	10
12 STEVENAGE	7	3	1	3	9	11	-2	10
13 MANSFIELD TOWN	7	3	0	4	7	9	-2	9
14 TRANMERE ROVERS	7	2	2	3	10	10	0	8
15 WIMBLEDON	7	2	2	3	11	12	-1	8
16 YORK CITY	7	1	5	1	8	9	-1	8
17 NEWPORT COUNTY	7	2	2	3	8	10	-2	8
18 LUTON TOWN	7	2	2	3	5	7	-2	8
19 DAGENHAM & REDBRIDGE	7	2	1	4	10	13	-3	7
20 HARTLEPOOL UNITED	7	2	1	4	4	7	-3	7
21 ACCRINGTON STANLEY	7	2	1	4	8	13	-5	7
22 OXFORD UNITED	7	0	3	4	6	10	-4	3
23 EXETER CITY	7	0	3	4	4	10	-6	3
24 CARLISLE UNITED	7	0	3	4	6	17	-11	3

GO WITH ROWE and AWAY DAYS with information about the next away fixture at Dagenham and Redbridge will feature in this Saturday's programme.

Answers to the quiz on page 37

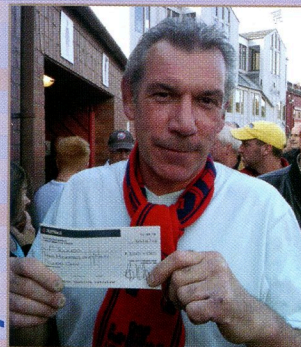
- 1: They play at Bishop Auckland's Heritage Park.
- 2: Grimsby Town.
- 3: It's the national stadium of Andorra, and was in the news for it's artificial surface being criticised by Welsh manager Chris Coleman and being invaded by Welsh fans.
- 4: Halifax.
- 5: The Vetch Field.
- 6: Wimbledon.
- 7: Halifax Town.
- 8: Canada.
- 9: Phil Parkinson.
- 10: The London Borough of Barking & Dagenham Stadium

SUBSTITUTES / SUBS NOT USED

Lowe	Meikle	Platt	Jarvis	Coulson	Straker	Hirst, Summerfield, Montrose / Parslow, Murray, Winfield, Ingham
Winfield	Meikle	Platt	Jarvis	Coulson	Straker	Hirst / Parslow, Summerfield, Montrose, Lowe, Murray, Ingham
Platt	Straker	Penn	Meikle	Coulson	Hyde	Fletcher / Parslow, Summerfield, Montrose, Winfield, Hirst, Ingham
Summerfield	Meikle	Straker	Penn	Hyde	Coulson	Ingham, Winfield, Fletcher
Summerfield	Platt	Penn	Straker	Coulson	Hyde	Meikle, Fletcher, Hirst / Mooney, McCombe, Parslow, Montrose
Meikle	Penn	Summerfield	Straker	Hyde	Coulson	Fletcher, Hirst / Mooney, Parslow, Jarvis, Montrose, Winfield
Meikle	Summerfield	Penn	Straker	Fletcher	Coulson	Hyde, Hirst, Montrose / Mooney, Winfield
Meikle	Summerfield	Penn	Straker	Fletcher	Coulson	Hyde, Jarvis / Mooney, Parslow, Montrose, Winfield, Hirst
Straker	Summerfield	Penn	Meikle	Fletcher	Coulson	Hyde, Platt / Mooney, Jarvis, Montrose, Winfield, Hirst

50/50 CASH DRAW NEWS

DAVE Potter, who was the quizmaster at York Minstermen's 10th Anniversary Quiz in a crowded Pitchside Bar earlier this month, drew the winning tickets at the Wycombe Wanderers game. Dave will return as quizmaster at the next quiz on Thursday, October 2.



The first prize of a £350 cheque, a voucher for a two hour domestic clean by SYNERGY CLEANING, worth £30, and a £25 travel voucher from POPPLETON EXECUTIVE TRAVEL was won by PHIL JILLINGS of South Bank (pictured), with ticket 006679.

The owner of ticket 006680 didn't claim their prize – £75

cash, a one hour 7-a-side pitch hire at PLAYFOOTBALL YORK and a £10 voucher for FRYING SQUAD fish and chips - after the game.

However, STEVE TINDALL, of Acomb Park, has since contacted me and exchanged his lucky ticket for his prize package.

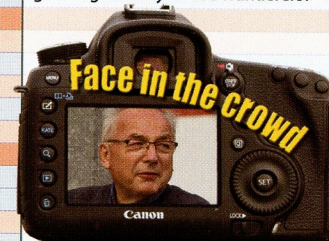
Both tickets mentioned above were sold by Vicky behind the David Longhurst Stand turnstiles.

KEITH SIMPSON, from Riccall, picked up the £50 cash, £15 worth of gift certificates for the RIVERSIDE FARM pub and £10 FRYING SQUAD voucher, with ticket 006385, which was bought from Frank, who was selling in the Pitchside Bar, hospitality and car park.

Finally, the £25 cash, £10 FLEETWAYS taxi voucher and £10 FRYING SQUAD voucher were claimed by ALLAN ATKINSON of Acomb. Allan bought ticket 007292 from me in the car park.

Tonight's winning tickets will be drawn by one of our 50/50 ticket sellers – Vicky Fenwick. She has recently completed The Great North Run and raised more than £1,300 for Cancer Research UK.

Was this you photographed at the game against Wycombe Wanderers?



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FINAL WORD

Do I Look Like I'm Bothered?

IS IT just me, or has anyone else noticed how early it's getting dark now?

I'm not keen on this time of year. I love the long, light nights and the warm weather, and when all that begins to fade, I tend to think it's all already gone! There is, I'm told, a medical condition that is to blame for some people feeling a bit down as summer fades and autumn follows. It accounts for them feeling down and brings with it that 'can't be bothered' attitude. I get that feeling; only briefly, but I get it.

There are some people, when things are not going too well or when things happen that make them feel a bit down, who stay

in that 'down' frame of mind for a good long time. I'm not one of those people; believe me, I don't like that feeling for the short time that I have it – I can't bear to think what it might be like to have it for days on end! You might be one of those people; you might struggle to 'snap out of it' when that sense comes along.

Whether you are or not, I think it's fair to say that it doesn't do anyone a great deal of good to mope around when it comes. You'll know people who do that, and let me be honest, it gets right up my nose when they refuse to do something to help them shake it off! Come on – you know exactly what I mean!

I'm glad, when I'm a bit down for that person who comes along and tries to help me see the

'bright side'. I'm pleased (eventually) that I have people around me who help lift me out of that 'down' place and remind me that there are actually some really good reasons to be 'up' about the world, our city, our football team, our family and friends. And they make me feel better, which has to be healthy. And (let's be honest again) if I feel better, they probably feel better too!

I intend to try to be the person who does something to help 'lift' others around me when they find themselves down about something. So, in case you find yourself a little 'down' now, let me tell you that today we're only 100 days away from Christmas Day! I hope that helps!

Enjoy the game. Keep your chin up. Keep the faith.

Paul Deo | Club Chaplain



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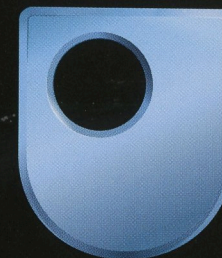
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MARVIN McCOY	2
FEMI ILESANMI	3
JOHN McCOMBE	5
DANIEL PARSLOW	6
MICHAEL COULSON	7
LUKE SUMMERFIELD	8
WES FLETCHER	9
RUSSELL PENN	10
RYAN JARVIS	11
JOSH CARSON	12
ANTHONY STRAKER	13
LEWIS MONTROSE	14
KEITH LOWE	15
DAVE WINFIELD	16
TOM PLATT	18
LINDON MEIKLE	20
BEN HIRST	21
CAMERON MURRAY	23
MICHAEL INGHAM (G)	24
JAKE HYDE	39

NEXT HOME MATCH

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2014 | 3pm
YORK CITY v SOUTHEND UNITED
SKY BET LEAGUE TWO

MATCH OFFICIALS

REFEREE | MARK BROWN
ASSISTANT REFEREE | ROBERT ATKIN
ASSISTANT REFEREE | MATTHEW DICICCO
FOURTH OFFICIAL | HELEN BYRNE



LUTON TOWN

MANAGER JOHN STILL

1 ■ MARK TYLER (G)
2 ■ FRASER FRANKS (G)
3 ■ DANNY FITZSIMONS
4 ■ JONATHAN SMITH
5 ■ STEPHEN McNULTY
6 ■ ALEX LACEY
7 ■ ALEX LAWLESS
8 ■ ANDY DRURY
9 ■ PAUL BENSON
10 ■ ALEX WALL
11 ■ JAKE HOWELLS
12 ■ SCOTT GRIFFITHS
13 ■ MARK CULLEN
14 ■ ANDY PARRY
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24 ■ CURTLEY WILLIAMS
28 ■ JIM STEVENSON
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30 ■ LUKE WILKINSON
32 ■ BRETT LONGDEN
33 ■ MARK ONYEMAH
34 ■ ZANE BANTON
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