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WELCOME TO KENILWORTH ROAD

There's no let up. Under a week since we were last in action at Anfield, we're back at it here at Kenilworth Road for what promises to be yet another memorable evening at home. Tests don't come much bigger than Manchester City, however, there won't be the familiar chaos of Premier League football tonight as we battle for a place in the quarter-finals against the cup holders. So bring the noise and get behind the boys. Come on Luton!



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ROB EDWARDS

Welcome back to what promises to be yet another exciting game under the lights here at Kenilworth Road.

I'd like to welcome Pep Guardiola and his players and staff. They are the treble winners and world champions, so it goes without saying really that tonight's game represents a great challenge for us. They lifted the FA Cup last season as part of their success 12 months ago, and therefore it is a title they will not want to relinquish. We know that from the stands you are going to be up for it – and we're going to need you to be!

In recent weeks we've had some difficulties in terms of results, but performances, in the main, have been good. In the Manchester United game I thought we were excellent. We lost Eli in the warm-up and then had a poor start, conceding two early goals, but the way we dealt with those setbacks to go and dominate the game was really encouraging. Sure, as we looked for an equaliser there were times when they looked dangerous on the counter attack, but I always felt we maintained a threat ourselves.

Liverpool last Wednesday at Anfield was tough – but there were plenty of positives despite the result. I expect many people who did not watch the game and only saw the result would have made their own judgements.

However, our first half display was brilliant. Ultimately though, after half-time we came up against a Liverpool performance which was up there with one of the best they've had according to what Jurgen Klopp said afterwards. He said the display and the way the crowd spurred them on was reminiscent of their famous Champions League night against Barcelona in 2019. If that's what it took to beat us, then you have to take a little bit of solace from that.

So after Man Utd and Liverpool it's Man City. We know it's a massive challenge and we go into the game one or two bodies missing. But while this might be the next game and the FA Cup is important to us, there's no getting away from the fact that remaining in the Premier League this season is our everything. That said, we're going to give it our all this evening and we need you to get behind us like you always do.

A huge thank you to the supporters who travelled to Anfield. If ever there was a game to highlight the importance of supporters encouraging their team, that was it. You have shown your passionate and loyal backing of us throughout this season – through good times and bad – so please keep it up this evening. We really appreciate it.

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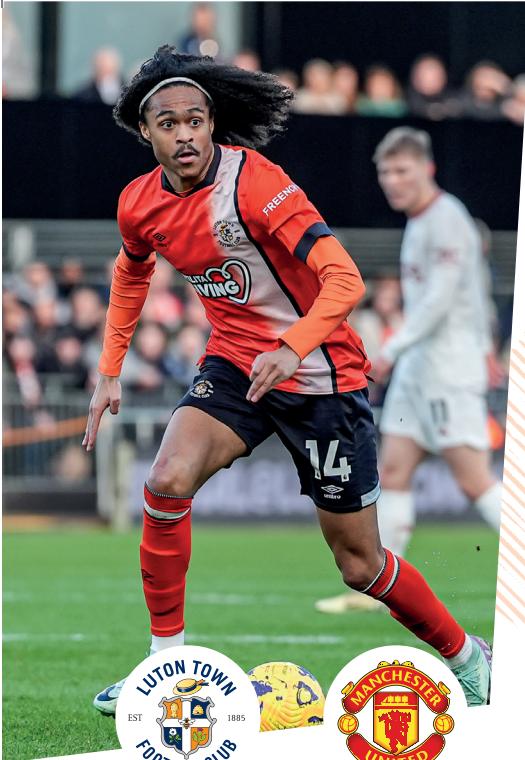


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Kenilworth Road – 18th February 2024

Town: Kaminski; Ogbene, Doughty (sub Berry 82), Mengi, Osho, Bell; Lokonga, Barkley; Chong (sub Clark 68) Woodrow (sub Townsend 68), Morris.

Subs not used: Krul, Potts, Kaboré, Burke, Mpanzu, Nelson.

Manchester United: Onana, Maguire (sub Evans 46), Fernandes, Rashford, Hojlund (sub Amrabat 86), Garnacho, Casemiro (sub McTominay 46), Varane, Dalot, Shaw (sub Lindelof 45+2), Mainoo.

Subs not used: Trusty, Larouci, Osula, Brooks, Amissah.

Subs not used: Bayindir, Eriksen, Diallo, Antony, Forson.

SCORERS

Town - Morris 14

United – Hojlund 1, 7



MATCH REPORT

HATTERS JUST FALL SHORT AGAINST RED DEVILS

The Hatters slipped to a second successive home defeat but ran Manchester United close in a fascinating spectacle at Kenilworth Road.

The Town made the worst possible start when Rasmus Hojlund put the visitors in front after just 37 seconds when racing through on goal following an error from Amari'i Bell.

And the Hatters' afternoon got worse just six minutes later when Hojlund doubled the lead and his tally when getting the final touch in the box after Alejandro Garnacho's mis-hit shot found him.

However the Town rallied and deservedly got back into it when Carlton Morris headed home from close range, bravely sticking his head where it hurt to nod beyond Andre Onana, to make it 2-1 with just 14 minutes on the clock.

What followed was a frantic, enthralling game that saw the Hatters dominate. On the half-hour Ross Barkley, gifted the ball by Harry Maguire, fed Cauley Woodrow but his shot was deflected behind for a corner.

With the majority inside Kenilworth Road on their feet, the Town came close to finding an equaliser again shortly before the break when Alfie Doughty shot wide with an effort from the edge of the box.

After the break the chances continued as they found the groove that helped them begin to boss the game in the first half.

As the Hatters pushed for a leveller, taking risks as they went, United knew there were chances on the break and only a strong arm from Thomas Kaminski denied the visitors a third when clawing away Marcus Rashford's drive.

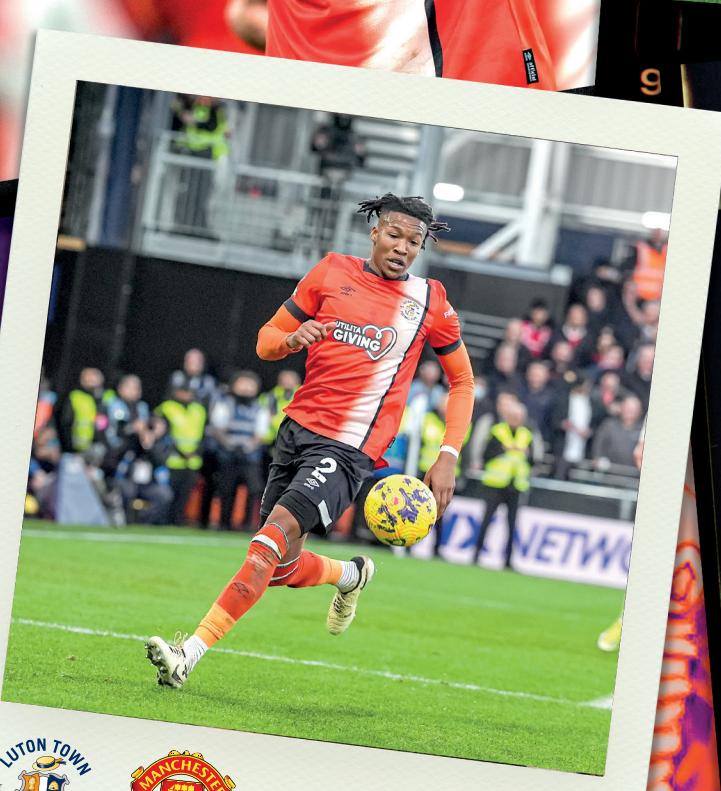
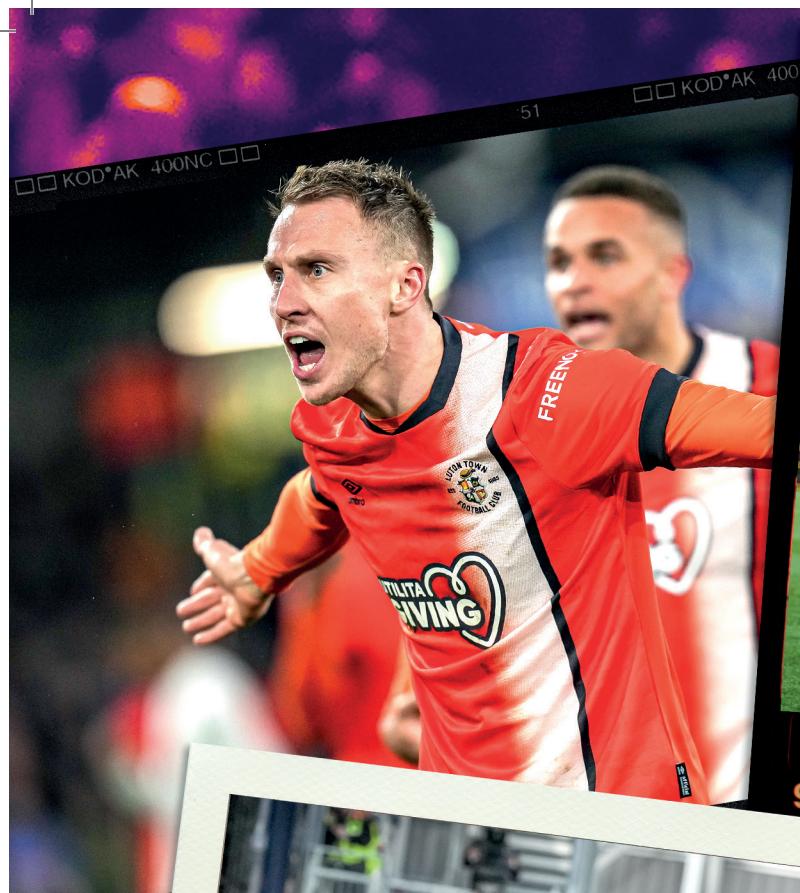
The visitors came even closer to extending the lead on the hour when captain Bruno Fernandes rounded Kaminski only for Sambi Lokonga to keep out the midfielder's shot.

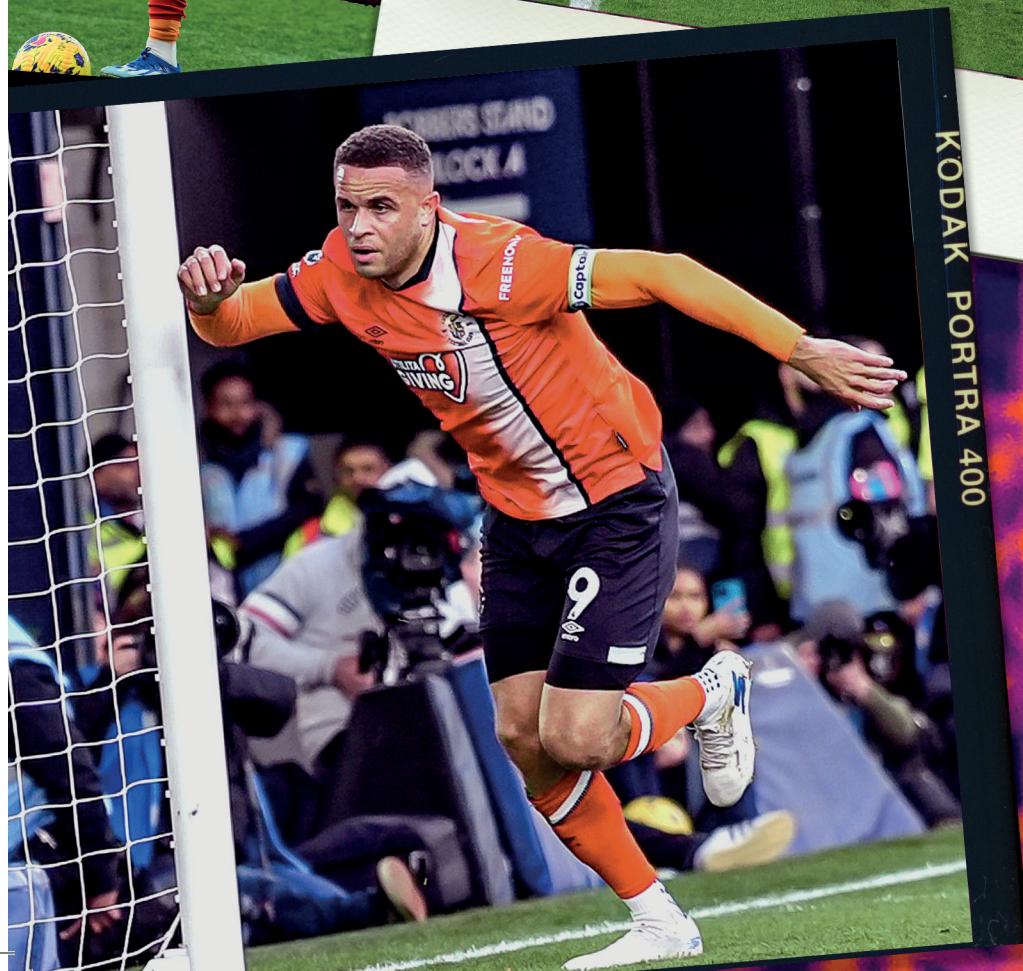
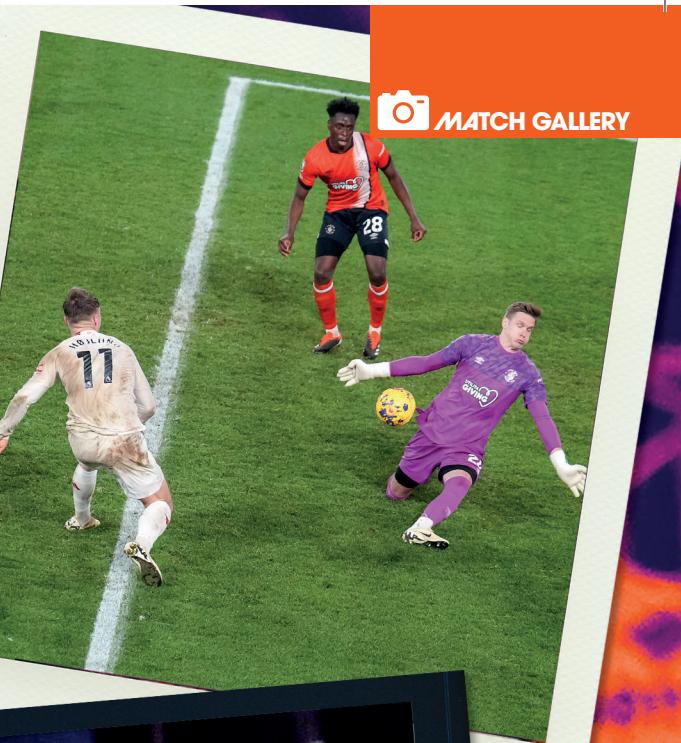
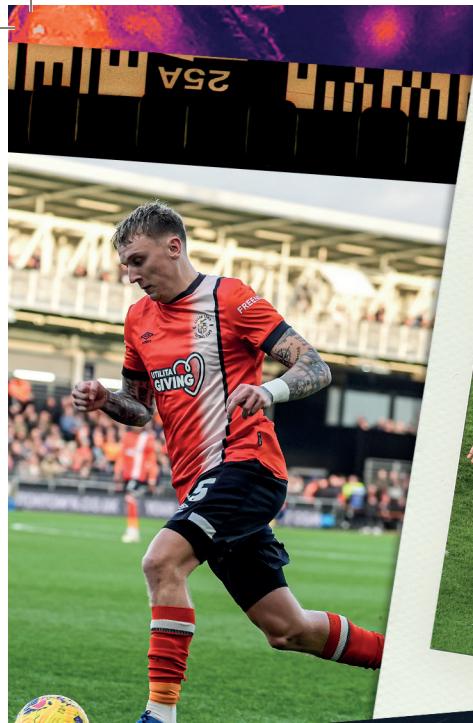
Half-chances fell for the Town at the other end with Onana not overly extended. But the Town survived another United break again on 67 minutes when Kaminski did well to get a hand on the ball after Garnacho looked to round him.

Kaminski then punched away a top-corner-bound free-kick from Rashford but as the game continued to swing from end to end, Gabe Osho failed to properly connect with a strike in the six-yard box with the goal at his mercy.

As the Town pushed for a late leveller, holes appeared in defence and Kaminski earned his stripes once more when denied Hojlund his hat-trick with a strong arm with 12 minutes to play.

As time ticked down the Hatters upped the ante but it wasn't until the final minute of four injury time minutes that they would come close to a late leveller when Barkley's header from Luke Berry's corner hit the top of the crossbar.





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LAST-MINUTE CALL-UP FOR CAULEY

Town striker Cauley Woodrow was pleased with his efforts after being a last-minute inclusion for the Hatters in the 2-1 defeat to Manchester United.

The 29-year-old was thrust into the team when Elijah Adebayo pulled up before kick-off with a hamstring injury.

Making his first Premier League start since May 2014 while with Fulham, the forward went close on a number of occasions on an afternoon in which the Hatters just fell short.

On making his first start in the top-flight with the Hatters, the academy graduate said: "It was no different, I played exactly the same role as Eli. We don't change the way we play, we play the same every game and instructions didn't change, I just went in for him and did my job.

"I don't wish an injury on anyone, Eli's been unbelievable this year, our top goalscorer, he's played really, really well, so hopefully he's not out for a long time.

"I don't really know the full extent of the injury, I got put into the team and played my part. I'd like to think I did my job for the lads, played well and if the gaffer picks me for the next game, then if he does, he does and if he doesn't, he doesn't. It's football, I've just got to keep working hard, keep my head down and look forward."

Despite going 2-0 down to two early goals from Rasmus Hojlund, the Town fought back and almost pinched a point in another heartening performance against one of the division's in-form sides.

"We've come away from the game disappointed as I think overall we dominated a

lot of the ball, dominated a lot of possession, but we started the game poorly which gave us a mountain to climb," said Woodrow.

"It's a really disappointing day for us, but in terms of our performance we showed good fight, showed good energy, dominated a lot of possession and we've just got to hopefully not start like that next game. It happens, it's no-one's fault, we're a team and we started poorly as a team. If we get rid of the poor start, I think it would have been a good day for us.

"I'd like to think we dominated, we had a lot of the ball, created a lot of chances, played exciting



football, played our way and the mistakes were the mistakes but in the future hopefully if we don't make them we give ourselves a good chance to win the game.

"For a team like Manchester United to come here and for us to be coming away disappointed is a massive complement to ourselves and how far we've come, but ultimately it's about three points, we've got to forget about that and move on." 

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TOWN'S ANFIELD DREAM ENDED BY RUTHLESS REDS

The Hatters wait for a win at Anfield goes on as Liverpool fought back to record a comfortable victory – but Rob Edwards's side can be proud of their performance on Merseyside.

This season has already been an adventure and Chiedozie Ogbene's opener was truly a moment to savour. Cauley Woodrow was fed by Alfie Doughty before Tahith Chong's shot was saved into the path of the Ogbene who headed home at the back post.

It was helter-skelter stuff as the Town then set about holding onto their lead. Yet the Hatters were looking good going forward as Ogbene saw a shot blocked and Woodrow came close to beating Kelleher on 21 minutes.

The chances for the hosts though began to come as half-time approached. Luis Diaz shot wide, Thomas Kaminski held a Ryan Gravenberch effort and Amari'i Bell produced a wonderful piece of defending to pinch the ball of Cody Gakpo as the host upped the ante.

However, the Town's task of holding onto their lead took a blow before the second half began when Sambi Lokonga was forced off with a hamstring injury and the hosts began to turn the screw.

It was hearts in mouths every time the home side attacked and you felt it was only a matter of time before the Town would succumb to the pressure. On 56 minutes the equaliser arrived. Kaminski turned a low Gakpo shot around the post but from the resultant corner swung in by Alexis Mac Allister, Virgil van Dijk powered an unstoppable header home.

All of a sudden the Town were well and truly on the ropes. Kaminski produced a heroic stop 90 seconds later to keep out Connor Bradley's low shot but the reprieve last less than 30 seconds when from a throw-in, Mac Allister hooked a cross into the box and Gakpo headed home to bring the house down.

Kaminski kept up heroics between the posts but was powerless to stop Jurgen Klopp's side from finding a third when Diaz finished smartly as the gaps began to open in the Town defence.

As time ticked down the Town, to their credit, continued to press for a way back into the game but Andros Townsend and Ross Barkley were off target in the closing stages.

However it was the Reds who had the final say in the final minute when Harvey Elliott lashed home to rubber stamp the three points.



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Anfield – 21st February 2024

Liverpool: Kelleher, Gomez, Endo, van Dijk, Diaz (sub Danks 89), Mac Allister (sub McConnell 89), Gakpo, Elliott, Gravenberch (sub Clark 78), Quansah, Bradley (sub Robertson 68).

Subs not used: Adrian, Konate, Tsimikas, Gordon, Nyoni.

Town: Kaminski; Ogbene, Doughty (sub Kaboré 74), Mengi, Osho, Bell; Lokonga (sub Mpanzu 46), Barkley; Chong (sub Clark 63), Morris, Woodrow (sub Townsend 58).

Subs not used: Krul, Potts, Berry, Burke, Nelson.

SCORERS

Liverpool - van Dijk 56, Gakpo 58, Diaz 71, Elliott 90

Town – Town - Ogbene 12

Attendance: 59,896, including 2,505 Hatters.







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WHEN CHIEO SILENCED THE KOP

Despite the Hatters' 4-1 reverse at Anfield, one man in particular had reason to be cheerful last Wednesday.

Chiedozie Ogbene's 12th-minute header had the Hatters in front and, for the life-long Liverpool fan, silencing the Kop was a moment in his career to remember.

"I've always been a Liverpool fan. We moved to Ireland in 2005, that's when I fell in love with the likes of Steven Gerrard and the time they won the Champions league," explained the winger.

"Most of my family are Liverpool fans, I've always grown up a Liverpool fan, so I'm delighted. I'm happy, scoring at Anfield is something special for me, it will live long with me going forward, but in terms of business, I'm devastated that we didn't get any result here.

"It's always good to score in the Premier League, not many can come here and score, but overall we're not happy that we conceded four in the second half, that was too many for the expectations that we put on ourselves."

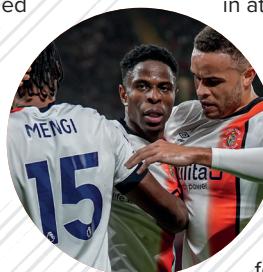
The Town led at the break but were blown away but the table-topping Reds in the second period, going down to a third straight defeat in the top-flight.

"Going in 1-0 up we were hoping in the second half we could absorb as much pressure, but to come here away

from home and when they talk about the atmosphere at Liverpool, I really experienced it first-hand.

"It's very difficult when they counter press and win it high, it's very difficult to change momentum and when the crowd is on their side. You just have to absorb as much pressure and try to turn it round, but we just never got that chance."

Ogbene was a threat all night down the Hatters' right and has been since slotting in at wing-back.



His goal at Anfield was his fourth of the season and second in his last five games after scoring in the 4-0 win over Brighton

"That's what the manager always tells me to do – get forward," he said. "As a winger playing wing-back you're a bit emotional because it's a lot of hard work, but hard work pays off."

"Most of the time I'm there, sometimes I'm not there and I just try to be there as much as possible as before that Alfie put a ball in, maybe a bit of laziness from me and I could have missed another opportunity."

"But that's why I make sure I'll be there every time I can. Fortunately the ball came to me and if I can score goals like that and we can win games or we can get results, it will help the team and myself massively." 



WELCOME MANCHESTER CITY

Tonight the Hatters face Manchester City at home in the FA Cup. Pep Guardiola's side look to replicate last season's feat where they completed the treble after winning the Premier League, Champions League and the FA Cup. City are the current holders of the competition but the Hatters will look to give them a real test this evening.

Last season City got a big draw in the third round and drew Chelsea at home. The Citizens swept them aside thanks to a Riyad Mahrez double as well as goals from Julian Alvarez and Phil Foden.

In the fourth round, City beat Arsenal 1-0 at the Etihad Stadium. A Nathan Ake goal was enough to get the win and advance to the fifth round. Having just played two games, Guardiola's side had already knocked out two big competitors for the cup.

In the fifth round, City drew Championship side Bristol City at Ashton Gate and swept them aside following a 3-0 victory with a Foden double and a Kevin de Bruyne goal.

In the quarter-finals, City faced local rivals Burnley at home. The Citizens thrashed the Clarets 6-0 after an Erling Haaland hat-trick together with a double from Julian Alvarez and a further goal from Cole Palmer sealing the deal.

In the semi-final, Manchester City played against Championship side Sheffield United for a spot in the final. Riyad Mahrez scored a hat-trick to bag City's place in the final.

It was all set for a Manchester derby in the final as City faced Manchester United in the final. An Ilkay Gundogan double – including a goal in the opening seconds – won the match for City and enabled them to win the FA Cup.

City arrive at Kenilworth Road just two points off the top of the Premier League table and will be aiming to make it back-to-back treble once more should they be able to navigate tonight's game.

Safe travels to all those associated with Manchester City making the journey today.

MEET THE CITIZENS

THE BOSS



PEP GUARDIOLA. Arguably one of the best and most successful coaches of the modern era, the Spaniard has won La Liga three times (with Barcelona), the Bundesliga three times (with Bayern Munich), the Premier League five times with City and the Champions League three times.

GOALKEEPER



EDERSON. Brazilian international keeper who joined City in 2017 from Benfica. Began his career with local club Sao Paulo before moving to Portugal aged 16 where he had spells with Riberirao and Rio Ave.

DEFENDERS



MANUEL AKANJI. Swiss international Manuel is capable of playing at centre-half or at full-back. Shot to prominence at Basel before joining Borussia Dortmund and after 119 Bundesliga appearances signed for City in 2022.



NATHAN AKE. Dutch international centre-back who arrived at the Etihad in 2020 for a reported £41m. Joined Chelsea's academy from Feyenoord in 2011 and had loan spells at Reading, Watford and Bournemouth.



JOSKO GVARDIOLO. Left-sided Croatian international Josko became the second most expensive defender in history after arriving from RB Leipzig for £77m in the summer. Started his career in Croatia with Dinamo Zagreb.



RICO LEWIS. Versatile and highly rated teenager who came through the ranks at the Etihad. Made his debut last season and was awarded with his first England cap earlier this season.



RUBEN DIAS. Portuguese international centre-back Ruben joined City in 2020 from Benfica. Has impressed at the heart of the City backline ever since.



KYLE WALKER. Experienced England international right-back Kyle signed for the Citizens in 2017 from Tottenham. Came through the ranks at hometown club Sheffield United and is nearing 600 senior appearances.



JOHN STONES. Defender who can also operate in central midfield, John joined City in 2016 from Everton. The England international was born in Barnsley and started his career at Oakwell.



PHIL FODEN. Gifted England international midfielder Phil came through the ranks at the Etihad. Made his City debut aged 17 years and 177 days when coming on as a substitute in the Champions League against Feyenoord in 2017.



JACK GREALISH. Became the most expensive British player ever at the time when he joined City from Aston Villa for £100m in 2021. The winger started his career at Villa Park and made his England debut in 2020.



MATEO KOVACIC. Despite being only 29, the Croatian international midfielder has a wealth of experience following spells with Inter Milan, Real Madrid and Chelsea.



RODRI. Defensive midfielder who has become an integral part of the side following his arrival from Atletico Madrid in 2019. The Spanish international started his career at Villarreal.



BERNARDO SILVA. Portuguese international attacking midfielder has made over 200 Premier League appearances since joining from Monaco in 2017. Another former Benfica man.

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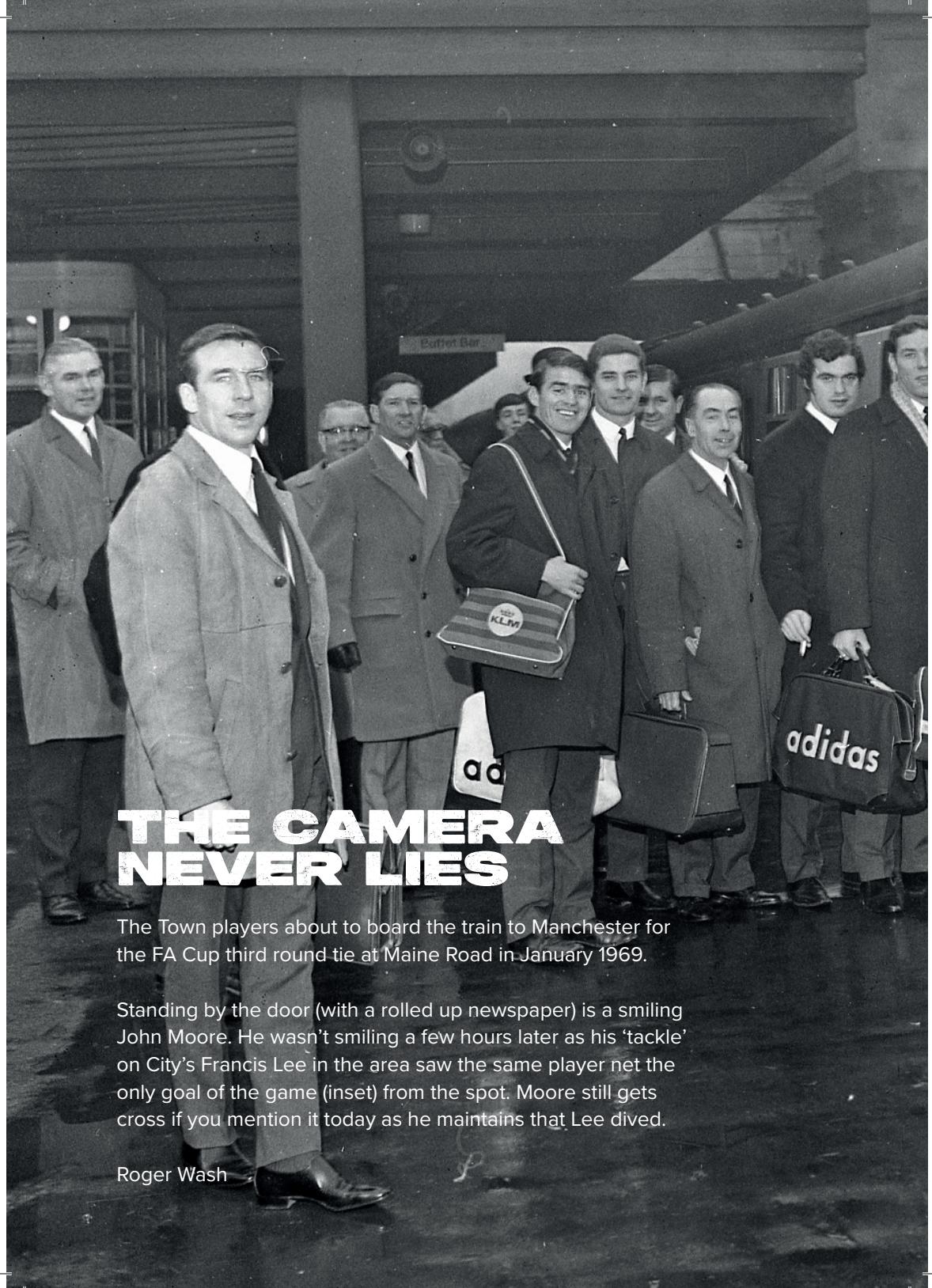
JULIAN ALVAREZ. Promising Argentinian forward who won the World Cup in 2022 to become the first ever player to win the World Cup and a continental treble in the same season. Signed for City in 2022 from River Plate.



JEREMY DOKU. Young winger who burst onto the scene having signing this summer from French club Rennes on a five-year deal. A Belgian international, he started his career at Anderlecht.



ERLING HAALAND. Goalscoring sensational Erling signed for City at the start of last season from Borussia Dortmund and has since scored 74 goals – 53 of which came last term. Started his career in his native Norway before joining RB Salzburg and then Dortmund.

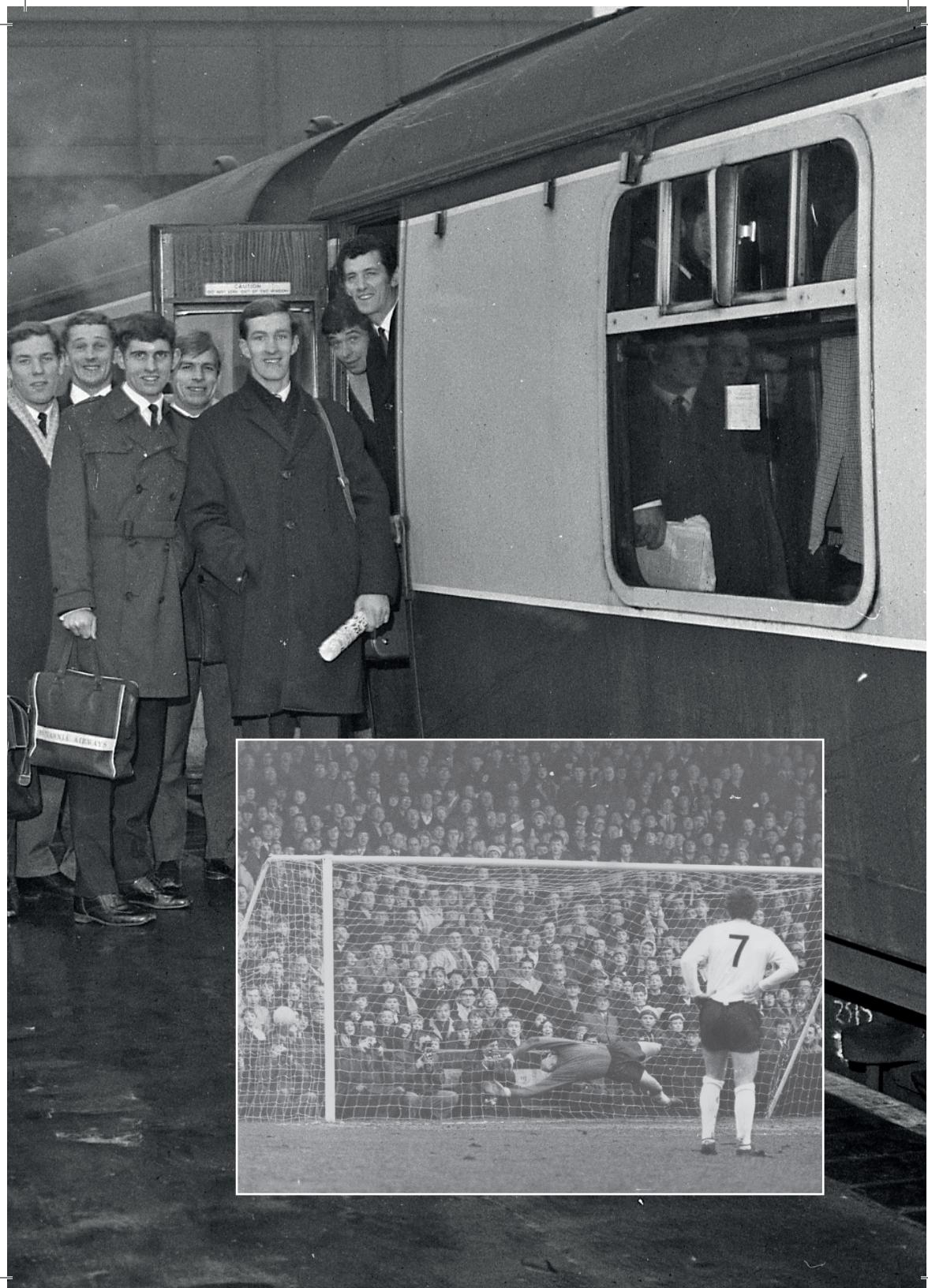


THE CAMERA NEVER LIES

The Town players about to board the train to Manchester for the FA Cup third round tie at Maine Road in January 1969.

Standing by the door (with a rolled up newspaper) is a smiling John Moore. He wasn't smiling a few hours later as his 'tackle' on City's Francis Lee in the area saw the same player net the only goal of the game (inset) from the spot. Moore still gets cross if you mention it today as he maintains that Lee dived.

Roger Wash



THE CAMERA NEVER LIES

George Stephenson rises highest during the FA Cup fifth round tie against City at Kenilworth Road in February 1938. The Town eventually went down 3-1 on this occasion.

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A scramble in the City penalty area

KENILWORTH ROAD CLASSICS LUTON TOWN 5-1 MANCHESTER CITY FA CUP ROUND FOUR REPLAY, 4TH FEBRUARY 1953

After a battle against relegation from Division Two (now the Championship) in 1950/51 the Town settled down with their long term policy of promoting home grown talent to the side finally bearing fruit.

In the following campaign they finished in eighth spot and went on a long FA Cup run which eventually saw them go out at the quarter-final stage to Arsenal at Kenilworth Road.

'You can't win anything with kids' has now become a cliché but the Town recognised that an older head in the side would perhaps help the youngsters. The signing of Jesse Pye from Wolves for £8,000 in the summer of 1952 proved a masterstroke – the former England International was only 32 so not yet classed as over the hill and had been a regular scorer in the top flight. He still had everything in his locker and also acted as mentor to future record scorer Gordon Turner as the Town looked to push for promotion.

The Town were progressing well in the league when the FA Cup run got off to a sensational start with young Irishman Arthur Taylor, on his debut, netting in the first minute in the third round tie

against Blackburn Rovers at Kenilworth Road.

Even more sensational was the fact that the Town were three goals to the good after 17 minutes with Pye and Taylor again on the scoresheet, but until another scoring burst of three in nine minutes, with two from Pye, towards the end of the game Rovers probably had more of the play but did not have their shooting boots on.

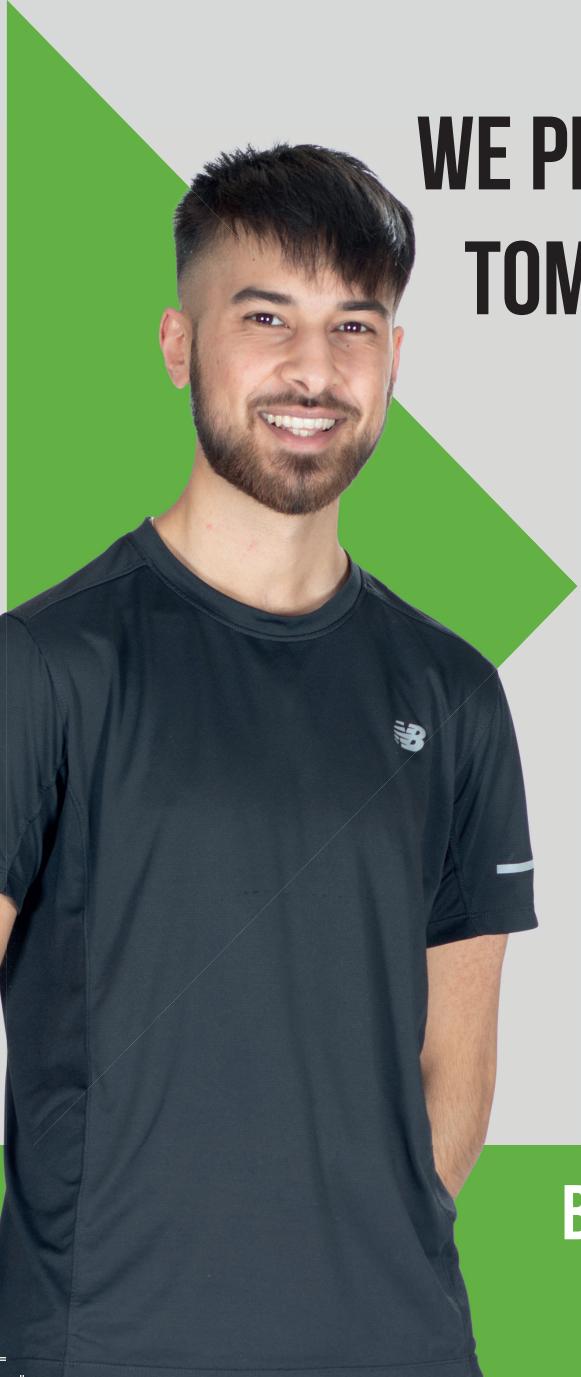
The final scoreline of 6-1 in the Town's favour was therefore rather flattering leaving Rovers with less than fond thoughts of Kenilworth Road having lost 0-6 in a League match two months earlier. Pye was not likely to be on their Christmas card list either, having netted a hat-trick in each game. □



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The reward was a trip to first division Manchester City and over 5,000 Luton supporters made the trip to Maine Road to swell the crowd to 38,411.

On a blustery day, the Town played with the wind in the first half and were disappointed to concede a goal after 20 minutes when Ivor Broadis fired in a left foot shot after Bob Morton could only half-clear a Don Revie free-kick. City went close a couple of times after that but just before the interval Pye was sent sprawling just outside the box and he hampered home the free-kick after Bernard Moore had dummied to take it.

The Town were expecting a City onslaught in the second half but it never really came and the Luton defence with Les Hall, deputising for the injured Syd Owen, in commanding form was able to take care of the City attacks with relative ease.

The replay took place at Kenilworth Road the following Wednesday afternoon and 21,991 reported sick for work and watched as the Town used the same blitz tactics that they had employed against Blackburn in the opening minutes. This time Pye set up Gordon Turner, back in the re-shuffled side following a bad injury sustained by Wally Shanks at Maine Road, who blazed the ball home in the second minute and then played a clever pass to Bert Mitchell whose cross was turned into his own goal by Roy Little shortly afterwards.

City pulled a goal back through Billy Spurdle after 11 minutes and threatened the Luton defence for a time but again Hall was at his controlling best.

The next goal was always going to be important and it fell to the Town when Pye set up Turner again, a minute from the interval, who scored from close range.

The result was put beyond doubt four minutes after the break when Mitchell took another pass from Pye in his stride and steered the ball past

Bert Trautmann in the City goal.

With the pressure off, the Town attacked at will and it was only the brilliance of the ex-German prisoner-of-war Trautmann that prevented a cricket score as his demoralised team mates threw in the towel. The Hatters did net a fifth just before the end when, for once, Pye was not involved leaving Bob Morton to set up Turner for his hat-trick goal.

Pye was at his imperious best that afternoon with the City players unable to get anywhere near him but it was reported afterwards that he had not felt well before the game and was packed off to bed with suspected 'flu straight after. City were probably relieved that they did not have to face a fit Pye!

Unfortunately, the cup run ended at the next stage with Bolton winning 1-0 in a tough contest at Kenilworth Road played on a terrible surface of slush and mud. The Trotters were to go on to the final that year where they lost to Stanley Matthews' Blackpool.

Town: Baynham, Jones, Aherne, Morton, Hall, Watkins, Cullen, Moore, Pye, Turner, Mitchell.

Manchester City: Trautmann, Branagan, Little, Revie, Ewing, Paul, Meadows, Spurdle, Williamson, Broadis, Cunliffe.







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KITS FROM THE PAST

1997/98 GOALKEEPER JERSEY

I can imagine the Pony design team discussing this shirt before the 1997/98 season. “Do you think it’s a bit too jazzy?” No, no I do not. What a shirt!

Where to start with this one? Well, firstly it was designed and manufactured by Pony and sponsored by the iconic, 90’s sponsor USA (Universal Salvage Auctions, not the country. Just to be clear).

It features an explosion of different shades of orange, a small bit of grey and black. To be honest, I’m not even going to try and put some rationale behind the pattern. Not a clue – there’s no symmetries or replication – it’s all just a bit crazy!

Back in the 90s, goalkeepers’ shirts had padding on the sleeves, and this is no different. Even the replica versions have the padding. I wonder what the thought was behind this, as modern-day keepers have no sleeve padding. Likelihood is the pitches are a bit softer and more forgiving to land on after a flying save!

I don’t want to break any illusions that this was a special shirt for us, as this was also used as the 1997/98 keeper’s shirt for Southampton who were also using Pony... Somehow, ours looks better, but I might be biased...

The 1997/98 season boasted a 21-year-old Kelvin Davis, the giant USA Ian Feuer and a young whippersnapper called Nathan Abbey in our goalkeeping ranks. Notable games from that Division Two (now League One) season include a 2-1 away win at Ful-

ham, a home 2-1 win against Brentford and a 3-0 home victory thanks to a Tony Thorpe hat-trick.

We ended the season seven points above the Division Two relegation zone, in 17th. So, while the performances on the pitch wasn’t “too jazzy”, our goalkeepers shirt certainly brightened the season up a bit!



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GREAT GAME TOWN 2-0 OLDHAM 27TH FEBRUARY 1982

The Town are on their way to the Division Two (Championship) title when fellow promotion chasers Oldham visit Kenilworth Road.

The third-placed Latics are made to look second best against a Town side which strolls to victory.

Ex-Hatter Paul Futcher pulls down Mark Stein and David Moss scores his ninth penalty of the season before doubling his tally later.

The Latics midfielder Darron McDonough, who would later go onto play for the Hatters, is sent off after a late tackle on Lil Fuccillo.

Town: Findlay, Stephens, Aizlewood, Horton, Goodyear, Donaghy, Hill, Stein, White, Fuccillo, Moss.

LAST TIME OUT

Elijah Adebayo capped a second-half rally with a late winner as the Town came from 2-0 down to beat Sheffield Wednesday at Kenilworth Road on this day in 2021.

Josh Windass' first-half double gave Wednesday a comfortable half-time lead, but the Hatters stormed back to ease any faint worries of relegation.

Kal Naismith flicked in Kiernan Dewsbury-Hall's corner to get the Town back in it before Adebayo's low cross was powered home by Ryan Tunnicliffe to bring Luton level.

Adebayo then completed the comeback, heading home Harry Cornick's cross at the far post to give the Hatters a deserved three points

ON THE ROAD

On this day in 2016 the Town ended a run of six matches without a win – or goal – at York as a stoppage-time winner from Olly Lee earned another 3-2 victory, this time in League Two.

After a goalless opening period Cameron McGeehan headed the Hatters in front, but Bradley Fewster levelled, rounding Mark Tyler.

Jack Marriott put the Town back in front when he backheeled Stephen O'Donnell's pass into the net, but with eight minutes left Fewster levelled for the second time.

However, not to be denied, Lee settled matters with a fine low 20-yard strike after a fine solo run in the dying moments.

It earned the Hatters their first win at Bootham Crescent since 2001 to put an end to a sequence of six successive goalless trips to face the Minstermen (D2, L4).

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	2023/24 SEASON								CAREER		
	LEAGUE		CUP		TOTAL		CARDS		TOTAL		
	APPS	G	APPS	G	APPS	G	Y	R	APPS	G	
Elijah Adebayo	13	(10)	9	3	(2)	0	16	(12)	9	1	0
Mads Andersen	4	(4)	1	2	(0)	0	6	(4)	1	1	0
Ross Barkley	18	(2)	3	3	(1)	0	21	(3)	3	4	0
Amari'i Bell	20	(0)	0	3	(2)	0	23	(2)	0	0	0
Luke Berry	0	(6)	0	2	(1)	0	2	(7)	0	1	0
Jacob Brown	12	(7)	2	1	(2)	1	13	(9)	3	5	0
Reece Burke	9	(2)	0	2	(1)	0	11	(3)	0	2	0
Tahith Chong	8	(12)	1	3	(1)	1	11	(13)	2	4	0
Jordan Clark	4	(7)	0	1	(1)	0	5	(8)	0	4	0
Alfie Doughty	21	(3)	1	5	(0)	1	26	(3)	2	4	0
Ryan Giles	5	(6)	0	2	(1)	0	7	(7)	0	0	0
Joe Johnson	0	(0)	0	1	(1)	0	1	(1)	0	0	0
Issa Kabore	13	(3)	0	0	(2)	0	13	(5)	0	5	0
Thomas Kaminski	25	(0)	0	0	(0)	0	25	(0)	0	3	0
Tim Krul	0	(0)	0	5	(0)	0	5	(0)	0	0	0
Tom Lockyer	14	(0)	1	1	(0)	0	15	(0)	1	4	0
Sambi Lokonga	11	(1)	0	2	(0)	0	13	(1)	0	2	0
Teden Mengi	16	(2)	1	4	(0)	0	20	(2)	1	3	0
Carlton Morris	19	(6)	7	3	(1)	0	22	(7)	7	2	0
Pelly-Ruddock Mpanzu	8	(11)	0	3	(1)	0	11	(12)	0	0	0
Marvelous Nakamba	13	(0)	0	0	(1)	0	13	(1)	0	5	0
Chiedozie Ogbene	16	(8)	3	4	(1)	1	20	(9)	4	0	0
Gabriel Osho	15	(0)	2	2	(0)	0	17	(0)	2	2	0
Dan Potts	0	(0)	0	0	(0)	0	0	(0)	0	0	0
James Shea	0	(0)	0	0	(0)	0	0	(0)	0	0	0
Andros Townsend	9	(7)	1	1	(2)	0	10	(9)	1	1	0
Cauley Woodrow	2	(11)	0	2	(2)	2	4	(13)	2	2	0



HEADS UP

Only Arsenal (13) have scored more headed goals in the Premier League this season than the Town's 12, with Chiedozie Ogbene the seventh different Hatters player to score a header in the league this term.



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Bobby Westrope

Age: 8

Hobbies: Football, Maths & Watching Luton Matchday Unmasked

Favourite Players: Ross Barkley, Chiedozie Ogbene, Carlton Morris



Archie Royle

Age: 11

Hobbies: Football, FIFA, Running

Favourite Player: Carlton Morris



Luc Cesbron

Age: 11

Hobbies: Playing football all the time, 5 days plus

Favourite Player: Chiedozie Ogbene



Rupert Cook

Age: 10

Hobbies: Football, Martial Arts, Guitar

Favourite Player: Carlton Morris



Maximus Bartholomew

Age: 9

Hobbies: Football

Favourite Player: Ross Barkley



Cruz Oliver

Age: 7

Hobbies: Football

Favourite Players: Ross Barkley, Carlton Morris



Michael Mapp

Age: 11

Hobbies: Football and computer games

Favourite Players: Kaminski, Barkley, Doughty



Zane Oliver

Age: 10

Hobbies: Football – Plays for Luton

Town U11 Pre-Academy

Favourite Players: Ross Barkley, Carlton Morris



Rocco Carvalho-Dunnington

Age: 7

Hobbies: Football

Favourite Player: Ross Barkley



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MASCOT:**

Shakeel Al-Balushi

Age: 9

Hobbies: Football

Favourite Player: Phil Foden



Teddy Timms

Age: 7

Hobbies: Loves playing football and cricket and travelling the country to watch Luton Town FC

Favourite Player: Elijah Adebayo



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LTDSA UPDATE

This is part two of a Q&A with new Luton Town Disabled Supporters' Association Chairman, Allan Drummond, who we sat down with to discuss the organisation and his role. Part one was in the Manchester United programme.

Do LTDSA only deal with issues affecting our own disabled fans?

Not at all, I was extremely proud this season when seeing disabled spaces for away supporters in the Oak Road end for the first time. Ultimately, my thanks go to Gary Sweet, as I had really pestered him to make this happen, and true to his word, he made it happen, so thank you Gary.

What are the LTDSA committee currently working on?

Firstly, it's fair to say that, like most things, COVID affected LTDSA activity. Now, like the football club itself, I feel we really are moving on to a new and exciting phase for the LTDSA.

We are looking at the production of a supporter's guide; working with Autism Bedfordshire to produce a guide for Autistic people and looking at collaborating more closely with local charities and disabled groups. We want to improve our already excellent working relationship with the club and improve how we share information with disabled supporters and provide up-to-date and informative content.

Other ways to contact the LTDSA.

You can email me directly at chair@ltdsa.co.uk

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On that, we're about to launch a new dedicated website, where we can bring together all the information you need. Ultimately, we want a space where we can showcase how we are advocating for challenging faced by disabled supporters, but more importantly, where things are improving.

What would the LTDSA like to achieve over the next few years?

Firstly, to ensure that the Kenny is as fit for disabled supporters as it can be. Secondly, to collaborate closely with the club to ensure that our new stadium at Power Court has disabled access and facilities that are second to none.



We also need to be aware that even ensuring great disabled access and facilities at Power Court, it can only be truly accessible if the transport infrastructure around it is also at the same high level. On that point, we need to focus our efforts on challenges including Luton railway station, that is horrendously lacking regarding disabled access.

How can supporters find out more about the LTDSA?

I would thoroughly recommend attending our AGM which will be held in the John Moore Lounge at 6.30pm to 8.30pm on Wednesday 6th March with Gary Sweet our guest speaker. If you would like to attend, please email us at rsvp@ltdsa.co.uk with your name and any access requirements you might have.

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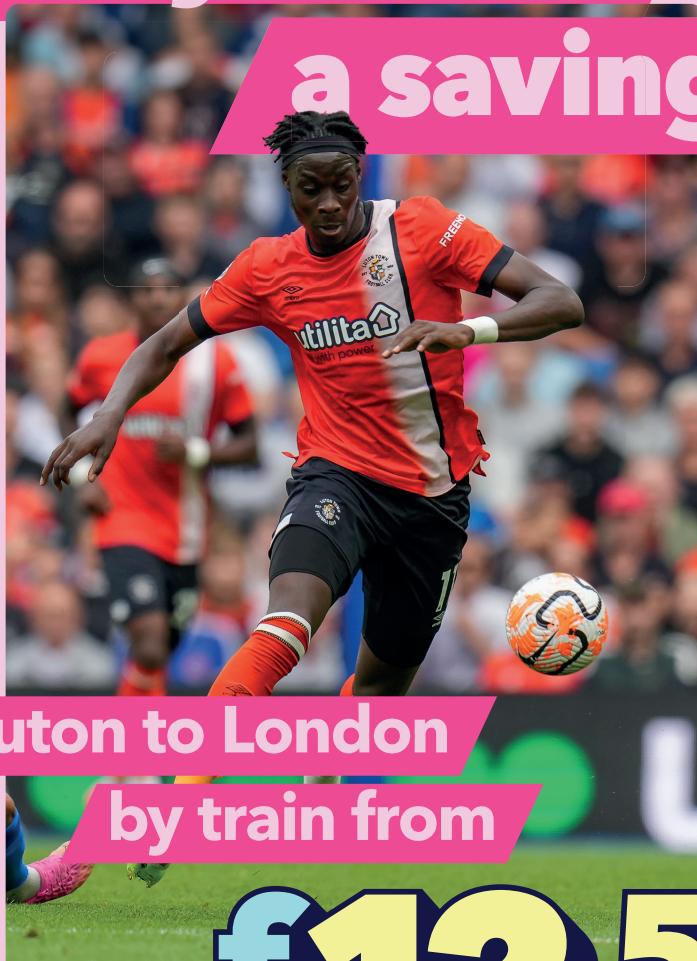
We also had the pleasure of hosting 11 home mascots for the game who enjoyed their experience at Kenilworth Road, who got to meet their favourite players pre-match before lining up with the captains and officials moments before kick-off.

Tonight we have the pleasure of welcoming match sponsor Turner Pope and matchball sponsor KLS Designs to Kenilworth Road. We also welcome ten home mascots as we take on Manchester City. We all hope you have an enjoyable afternoon with us.



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HATTERS IN THE COMMUNITY

MINI HATTERS & TALENT IDENTIFICATION PROGRAMME NOW OPEN FOR BOOKINGS

We are now taking bookings for the next cohort of our Mini Hatters sessions, starting on 9th March 2024.

Taking place on Saturday mornings, our Mini Hatters sessions offer 3-5 year-olds the opportunity to experience their first taste of playing football.

As well as learning the basic skills they need to get started in the game, these sessions are all about making sure our youngsters enjoy themselves and have the opportunity to build new friendships.

The sessions take place at Queen Elizabeth School in Luton in the sports hall. Our new indoor base means we are now able to run these sessions all year round. Each session is tailored specifically to the relevant age group, with individual sessions for 3, 4 and 5 year-olds delivered by Luton Town FC Community Trust staff.

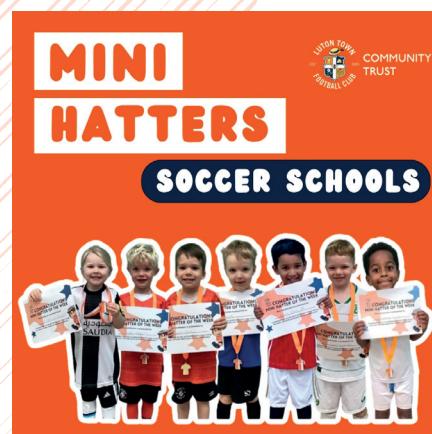
Community Trust Business Development Manager, Adam Woulds, said: "These sessions offer a great way for youngsters to start their football journey. We make sure these sessions are fun, light hearted and that everyone goes home with a smile

on their face, including the adults, who we encourage to get involved."

There is also the opportunity for our youngsters to win the 'Hatter of the Week' award, rewarding those that display a positive attitude. Whilst these sessions are very much focused on enjoyment for the youngsters, they do also offer a decent foundation to playing the game.

Many of our Mini Hatters move on to our Talent Identification Programme (TIPs) once they reach an age where they are too old for our Mini Hatters programme. This is our entry level weekly training and development sessions for young people in Year 1 to Year 7. These sessions take place in a variety of locations locally and are also now bookable for our next intake, starting this week.

To see a full list of our venues and to book either Mini Hatters or TIPs, please visit www.lutontowncommunity.co.uk. For further information please contact us community@lutontown.co.uk or call 01582 561622.



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YOUTH U18 FIXTURES AND RESULTS

OPPONENT	DATE	SCORE	STARTING XI	CHIGOZIE	HARVEY	MARTINS	BENAGR	ROUTH	EMERY
MILTON KEYNES	SAT 5/8/23	A W 6-0	HOCKEY	CHIGOZIE	HARVEY	MARTINS	BENAGR	ROUTH	EMERY
CAMBRIDGE UNITED	SAT 12/8/23	A W 4-1	THOMAS	GIWA	CHIGOZIE	EMERY	SCOTT	BENAGR	WARREN
NORTHAMPTON TOWN	SAT 26/8/23	H L 1-2	TRAILIST	KAYIBANDA	EMERY	SCOTT	BENAGR	MARTINS	GIWA
CAMBRIDGE UNITED	SAT 9/9/23	H L 3-4	THOMAS	GIWA	HARVEY	EMERY	KAYIBANDA	SCOTT	MARTINS
SUTTON UNITED	SAT 16/9/23	A W 1-0	HOCKEY	CHIGOZIE	BENAGR	KAYIBANDA	EMERY	ROUTH	HARVEY
STEVENAGE	SAT 23/9/23	H D 0-1	HOCKEY	CHIGOZIE	SCOTT	KAYIBANDA	EMERY	ROUTH	HARVEY
GILLINGHAM	SAT 30/9/23	H D 1-1	TRAILIST A	CHIGOZIE	BENAGR	STITT	EMERY	ROUTH	HARVEY
AFC WIMBLEDON	SAT 14/10/23	A W 2-1	HOCKEY	GIWA	BENAGR	KAYIBANDA	EMERY	CHIGOZIE	WARREN
BRENTFORD	SAT 28/10/23	A D 0-0	HOCKEY	CHIGOZIE	BENAGR	GREGORY	EMERY	ROUTH	HARVEY
LEYTON ORIENT	SAT 4/11/23	H W 1-0	PIPA	GIWA	BENAGR	STITT	EMERY	ROUTH	HARVEY
MILTON KEYNES	SAT 11/11/23	A W 3-1	HOCKEY	GIWA	HARVEY	MARTINS	KAYIBANDA	ROUTH	LORENTZEN-JONE
AFC WIMBLEDON	SAT 18/11/23	A W 4-0	HOCKEY	GIWA	HARVEY	MARTINS	CHIGOZIE	KAYIBANDA	LORENTZEN-JONE
STEVENAGE	SAT 9/12/23	A W 2-1	HOCKEY	HARVEY	BENAGR	STITT	CHIGOZIE	BATESON	LORENTZEN-JONE
SWINDON TOWN FAYC3	FRI 15/12/23	H L 0-2	HOCKEY	GIWA	JOHNSON	BENAGR	CHIGOZIE	KAYIBANDA	LORENTZEN-JONE
CAMBRIDGE UNITED	SAT 6/1/24	H W 2-1	HOCKEY	CHIGOZIE	SCOTT	MARTINS	EMERY	KAYIBANDA	TRUSTRAM
GILLINGHAM	FRI 12/1/24	A W 3-2	HOCKEY	HARVEY	SCOTT	STITT	EMERY	KAYIBANDA	WARREN
BRENTFORD	SAT 20/1/24	H W 5-0	HOCKEY	HARVEY	SCOTT	MARTINS	EMERY	KAYIBANDA	STITT
NORTHAMPTON TOWN	SAT 16/12/23	A L 2-3	HOCKEY	HARVEY	ROUTH	MARTINS	EMERY	KAYIBANDA	STITT
LEYTON ORIENT	SAT 3/2/24	A L 0-1	THOMAS	IOANNIDES	BENAGR	MARTINS	EMERY	KAYIBANDA	LORENTZEN-JONE
SUTTON UNITED	SAT 10/2/24	H W 4-2	BLACKLEDGE	HARVEY	BENAGR	MARTINS	EMERY	KAYIBANDA	LORENTZEN-JONE

DEVELOPMENT SQUAD U21 FIXTURES AND RESULTS

GILLINGHAM	TUE 22/8/23	A W 4-3	TRAILIST A	FRANCIS-CLARKE	KAYIBANDA	JOHNSON	PINNINGTON	LUKER	WATSON
BRENTFORD B	TUE 29/8/23	A W 2-1	HORLICK	PINNINGTON	FRANCIS-CLARKE	BATESON	GIWA	PIESOLD	BURGER
CHELSEA	TUE 19/9/23	A L 1-4	HORLICK	PINNINGTON	KAYIBANDA	PHILLIPS	BATESON	JOHNSON	PIESOLD
LEEDS UNITED	FRI 6/10/23	A L 1-4	HORLICK	PINNINGTON	PHILLIPS	JOHNSON	CHIGOZIE	KAYIBANDA	PIESOLD
NORTHAMPTON TOWN	TUE 17/10/23	H L 2-3	HORLICK	PINNINGTON	GIWA	PIESOLD	CHIGOZIE	KAYIBANDA	LUKER
KEMPSTON ROVERS (BSC)	TUE 31/10/23	H W 8-0	TRAILIST	CHIGOZIE	LUKER	PIESOLD	PIESOLD	PINNINGTON	KAYIBANDA
COLCHESTER UNITED	MON 13/11/23	A L 0-2	Shea	PINNINGTON	KAYIBANDA	CHIGOZIE	PHILLIPS	PIESOLD	BURGER
BEDFORD TOWN (BSC)	TUE 28/11/23	H W 2-0	HORLICK	PINNINGTON	BENAGR	PIESOLD	TOMPKINS	FRANCIS-CLARK	HERON
CHELSEA	TUE 12/12/23	H L 1-2	KRUL	PINNINGTON	JOHNSON	TOMPKINS	FRANCIS-CLARKE	ANDERSEN	PIESOLD
COLCHESTER UNITED	FRI 2/2/24	H L 0-2	CAMIS	PINNINGTON	JOHNSON	PIESOLD	FRANCIS-CLARKE	BATESON	HERON
LEEDS UNITED	MON 12/2/24	H L 0-2	CAMIS	PINNINGTON	JOHNSON	PIESOLD	FRANCIS-CLARKE	BATESON	HERON

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BURGER ⚪️	LYNCH	PHILLIPS	LORENTZ-JONES, THOMAS, MARTINS, KAYIBANDA, ODEGAH
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WITH MARYAN BROADBENT BOARD MEMBER, STRATEGY

Today is a reminder of what incredible progress our club has achieved: playing City, one of the richest, most successful clubs in the world, toe-to-toe as a Premier League club in the fifth round of one of football's greatest competitions. Coming from where we've been in our recent past, that's simply amazing. Wow.

We're all rightly proud of how Luton Town have gone about it too, fairly and honestly – and as a community club, part of the football family which has shown its wonderful side with the reaction to Tom Lockyer's condition. Especially AFC Bournemouth, their staff, the Cherries Trust and their fans. Do try to watch Tom's video. It's truly inspirational – and, as you'll see, whatever he decides about his footballing future, he's an absolute natural for TV!

Unfortunately, there's another side to football too, with huge wealth disparities and unsustainable ownership models pervading the sport. That's something the Fair Game initiative is challenging. I'm honoured to be on their board as well as the Trust's. We've been deeply involved since Fair Game's early days – we were the only Trust to present to Tracey Crouch, then Sports Minister, as she led the government review of the game – and we continue to battle alongside Fair Game to push for reform. There's still a long way to go – the football governance and independent regulator debates continue, as does the question of fair penalties for clubs. That's

something we certainly know all about, isn't it – '30 points' rings loud and true home and away!

ABOUT FAIR GAME

The Fair Game mission is: "Together we can help create a future that embeds financial responsibility, good governance, proper fan and community engagement and equality standards within our National Game". Pretty much what Luton Town are all about. We went through the mill of bad and misguided ownership to get to where we are now – and we're proof that the sustainable, inclusive model 2020 operates to can deliver success.

But for the 64 league clubs who've collapsed into administration since 1992, for those throughout the football pyramid in peril and for the towns who've lost their clubs, it's a different story. That's why Fair Game is so important. It's about the future of the game we love, and what it means to our communities. We've seen how football brings our whole wonderfully diverse town – and supporters near and far – together, with pride in our identity. Football can do that, and as a Trust, we strive to promote it. For everyone.

So, back to today. With the fighting spirit personified by Tom, we've already seen how well our team relishes the biggest challenges, especially against the top clubs – so come on you Hatters, let's do this!

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WITH TOWN SUPPORTER

MARK SUMMERFIELD

How long have you supported Luton for?

My first game was 3rd August 1974, my seventh birthday. A 1-1 draw at home against Southampton.

Where do you sit at home matches?

Main Stand block B.

Who is your all-time favourite player and why?

My all-time favourite player is Mal Donaghy. He was on top of his game for so many matches over a long period of time for us.

What does it mean to you to be a Luton fan?

Anybody that knows me, would say apart from family, it is the second most important thing in my life. I have a football family of 20-plus friends that enjoy that special time of the match day experience. Food and drink before the game, travelling away together and watching our fabulous team.

What are your favourite memories of being a Luton fan?

Bizarrely the 1985 FA cup semi-final defeat, the first real time we had really been featured in the national media and the first time I'd watched my club in front of 40,000 fans. And, of course, last May, the first time I've cried at a football match.

How has your support of Luton been seen by your friends (did they make fun of little old Luton etc)?

All my friends know how much of a bonkers Luton fan I am and in the main they have always respected me for that. I had a few younger friends that have dug me out when we were non-league, but strangely that has now mostly disappeared.

What were your feelings when you saw Luton walk out in the Premier League for the first time?

I was fortunate enough to be at Brighton for that game and I was with a lot of my football family, think we felt the emotion, but overall a big sense of pride.

How do the experiences of seeing Luton in the Premier League compare with the lower leagues?

I was looking forward to it initially, but that has soon worn off and I'm not a fan of the Premier League away experience at all. Home matches at the Kenny is still where it is best.

What are you most looking forward to for the rest of the season?

I have completed 71 current grounds with the Hatters and I have three more to add this season, Spurs, Arsenal and West Ham. But mostly I'm looking forward to keep shocking the mainstream media with our performances and maybe, just maybe, stay up. 





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WHO'S YOUR PREMIER LEAGUE TEAM?

Today as we host the current holders of the FA Cup and last season's treble winners, let's have a look back to the 2017/18 season. The Hatters were in League Two and went on to get promoted but in the FA Cup the Town were drawn away to Newcastle United away in the third round.

It was an exciting day for the Hatters fans who made the long journey to St James' Park for a big FA Cup tie for Nathan Jones' side. As usual, the Luton fans travelled in numbers as there were 7,000 up in the away end.

Newcastle named a strong side which involved the likes of Jamaal Lascelles, Matt Ritchie and Ayoze Perez as well as having future Real Madrid striker Joselu on the bench.

For Luton, Marek Stech started between the sticks with a centre back pairing of Johnny Mullins and Glen Rea. Jones was playing his usual diamond in midfield formation in preparation for the match.

For the first half hour, the Town were dealing with the Magpies pressure really well. The Luton defence was standing strong, however after about 30 minutes, Newcastle took the lead. The ball was bouncing around the box and was spilled by Stech for Perez to steal and poke home for 1-0.

Things got from bad to worse for Luton on 36 minutes as it was 2-0.

Some good work from Newcastle meant Stech was forced into making a quality save before Perez got the rebound and made it 2-0.

Three minutes later, it was 3-0. Newcastle were really finding their groove and a well worked move meant the ball got cut back to Jonjo Shelvey who finished well for 3-0.

The Hatters though got off to a brilliant start in the second half and soon got a goal back. A ball through from Rea found Danny Hylton in a great position and with the goalkeeper stranded, Super Dan fired in to get one back for Luton.

The Hatters could've had more by the end, but the bar denied Elliot Lee from a free-kick while Hylton saw a second goal harshly disallowed for offside. The Hatters lost 3-1 but it was a performance to be proud of. Just six years later, the Hatters would draw 4-4 at St James' Park with Newcastle in the Premier League. Mental!

Enjoy the game today!

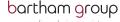




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TOWN TEASERS

Due to popular demand – put your football knowledge to the test and answer these Luton Town and football-related questions. Let us know how you do – you'll win no prizes, just our editor's utmost respect.

1. Which former Manchester City player scored six times against the Hatters in 1961 in an FA Cup tie, only for the game to be abandoned?
2. How many Premier League games in a row have the Hatters scored?
3. Which team play their home games at the Bescot Stadium?
4. The Hatters fought back to beat Sheffield Wednesday 3-2 on this day in 2021, who scored our goals?
5. Which team did Manchester City beat in the FIFA Club Cup final?
6. Name all seven Town players who have scored headers this season in the Premier League?
7. Which team are nicknamed the Brewers?
8. When was the last time the Hatters reached the final of the FA Cup?
9. How many red cards have the Town been shown this season?
10. Against which nation did Ross Barkley score his first England goal?

HOW DID YOU SCORE? TURN TO PAGE 81 FOR THE ANSWERS. NO CHEATING

8-10 SIMON PITTS. We'll have you co-commentating with Simon soon.

4-7 COURTNEY PITTS. Like a half-decent loan signing, not bad.

0-3 THE PITS. Either you're a Manchester City fan or you're new to this.





Emirates FA CUP



FA CUP PREVIEW

This week 16 teams will be aiming to make the quarter-finals of the world's most famous knockout competition.

Tonight's clash here is the result of the Town's late win at Everton and City's away victory at Spurs.

The biggest upset in the fourth round was arguably Maidstone United's 2-1 win at Ipswich Town. The National League South side shocked the football world by securing a wonderful win at the Championship promotion chasers. The Stones' prize for that victory was a tie away at Coventry, a tie that took place last night.

In the two other games this evening, it's Premier League versus Championship. Second tier leaders Leicester head to Bournemouth having seen off Birmingham in round four. Blackburn host Newcastle in tonight's other tie with Rovers having seen off League Two Wrexham in the last round.

Tomorrow sees four mouthwatering ties. Chelsea face an in-form Leeds at Stamford Bridge. The Championship side got past Plymouth after a replay in round four while Chelsea also needed a replay to overcome Aston Villa.

It's Forest versus Manchester United at the City Ground. United, last season's runners-up, overcame a tricky tie at League Two Newport, running out 4-2

winners at Rodney Parade while the Tricky Trees needed a penalty shootout to get past Bristol City.

Wolves beat Black Country rivals West Bromwich Albion in the last round to set-up a home tie against a Brighton side who ran riot at Sheffield United. Roberto De Zerbi's side turned on the style at Bramall Lane running out convincing 5-2 winners.

Liverpool hit five in another 5-2 victory, overcoming Championship side Norwich as Jurgen Klopp aims to win his second, and possibly last, FA Cup winners' medal. The Reds face an interesting test at home to another in-form second tier side, Southampton. The Saints needed a replay to get past Watford in round four.

Following the completion of this fifth round the quarter-finals are set to take place the weekend of the 16th March.

PLAYED YESTERDAY

COVENTRY v MAIDSTONE

TONIGHT'S TIES

BOURNEMOUTH v LEICESTER

BLACKBURN v NEWCASTLE

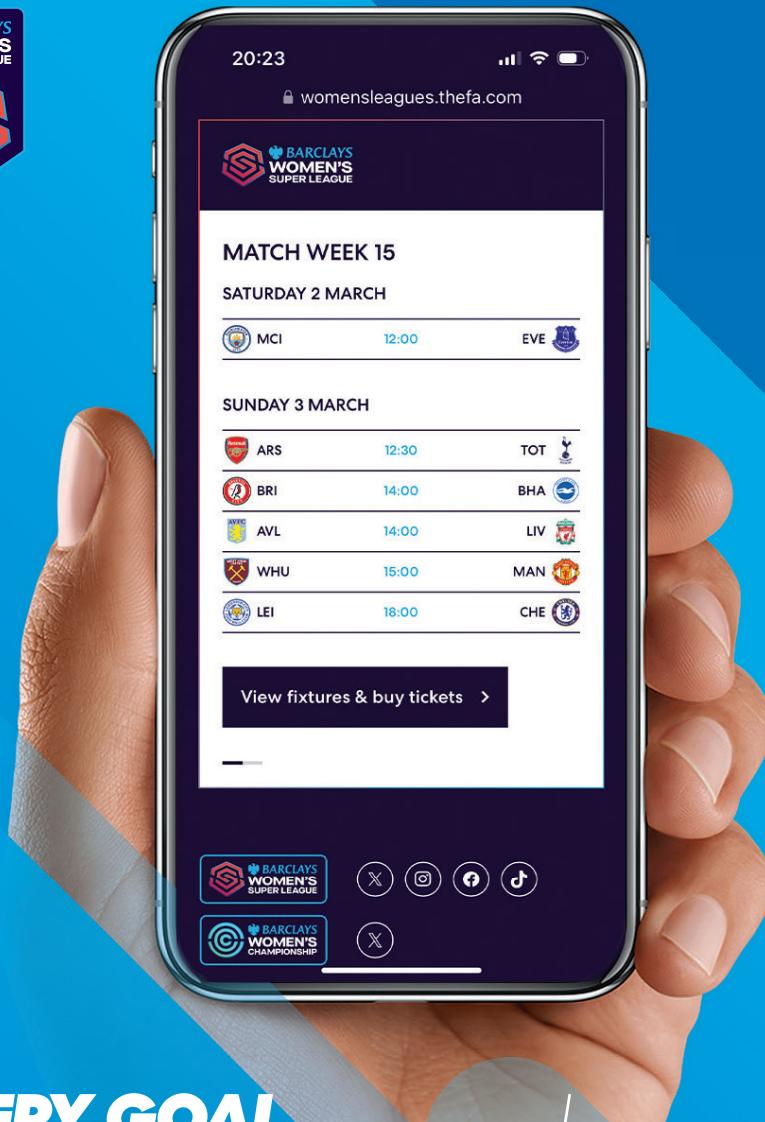
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CHELSEA v LEEDS

NOTTINGHAM FOREST v MAN UTD

WOLVES v BRIGHTON

LIVERPOOL v SOUTHAMPTON



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TICKET NEWS



**CRYSTAL PALACE
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Saturday 9th March
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Town supporters have been given an allocation of 2,687 tickets.

Diamond Season Card Holders

Tickets for this fixture went on sale on Thursday 22nd February at 10am, to Diamond and Executive Season Card Holders at one ticket per person. They will be available online, in person or via phone using your Client Reference numbers.

Season Card Holders (6 away games attended 22/23 last season)

On Monday 26th February at 10am, Season Card Holders who attended six away games or more during the 22/23 season will be able to purchase one ticket per person. They will be available online, in person or via phone using your Client Reference numbers.

All Season Card Holders

On Thursday 29th February at 10am, all Season Card Holders will be able to purchase one ticket per person. They will be available online, in person or via phone using your Client Reference numbers.

Two Year Members

Subject to availability, any two year member can book one ticket per person on Monday 4th March online, in person or by calling the ticket office.

Members with previous purchase history

Subject to availability, any member with previous purchase history (before 10th May 2023) can book one ticket per person on Tuesday 5th March online, in person or by calling the ticket office.

General Sale

Subject to availability, any supporter with a previous purchasing history can book tickets on Wednesday 6th March online, and on Thursday 7th March in person or by calling the ticket office.

Prices

Adults £30, Seniors (65 plus) £20, Student with ID £20, 18 to 21s £20, Under 18s £16.

Ambulant and wheelchair supporters will the relevant age-related price and are entitled to a personal assistant if in receipt of higher Disability Living Allowance, PIP or Attendance allowance.

Restricted view seats are reduced by £2 for Adults £1 for all other concessions than Juniors which remain the same.

Additional notice

Due to feedback received last season regarding allocated seats, we are assisting those supporters who cannot stand. If supporters are going to stand, please book tickets in the 'back' sections to allow those that need / prefer to sit when viewing the pitch.

2023/24 FIXTURES & RESULTS

DATE	OPPOSITION	KO	POS	SCORE	STARTING XI					
SAT AUG 12	BRIGHTON & HOVE ALBION	3PM	A 18	L1-4	KAMINSKI KABORÉ	GILES	ANDERSEN	LOCKYER	BELL	
FRI AUG 25	CHESLSEA	8PM	A 19	L0-3	KAMINSKI KABORÉ	GILES	BURKE	LOCKYER	BELL	
TUE AUG 29	GILLINGHAM (CC)	7.45PM	H	W3-2	KRUL DOUGHTY	GILES	ANDERSEN	LOCKYER	BELL	
FRI SEP 1	WEST HAM UNITED	8PM	H 19	L1-2	KAMINSKI DOUGHTY	GILES	BURKE	ANDERSEN	LOCKYER	BELL
SAT SEP 16	FULHAM	3PM	A 20	L0-1	KAMINSKI KABORÉ	BELL	BURKE	LOCKYER	ANDERSEN	
SAT SEP 23	WOLVERHAMPTON WANDERERS	3PM	H 18	D1-1	KAMINSKI KABORÉ	DOUGHTY	BURKE	LOCKYER	BELL	
TUE SEP 26	EXETER CITY (CC)	7.45PM	A	L0-1	KRUL DOUGHTY	GILES	MENGI	ANDERSEN	JOHNSON	
SAT SEP 30	EVERTON	3PM	A 17	W2-1	KAMINSKI KABORÉ	DOUGHTY	BURKE	LOCKYER	BELL	
SAT OCT 3	BURNLEY	7.30PM	H 17	L1-2	KAMINSKI KABORÉ	DOUGHTY	MENGI	LOCKYER	BELL	
SAT OCT 7	TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR	12.30PM	H 17	L0-1	KAMINSKI KABORÉ	DOUGHTY	ANDERSEN	LOCKYER	OGBENE	
SAT OCT 21	NOTTINGHAM FOREST	3PM	A 17	D2-2	KAMINSKI BURKE	DOUGHTY	MENGI	LOCKYER	OGBENE	
SUN OCT 29	ASTON VILLA	2PM	A 18	L1-3	KAMINSKI KABORÉ	DOUGHTY	MENGI	LOCKYER	OSHO	
SUN NOV 5	LIVERPOOL	4.30PM	H 17	D1-1	KAMINSKI KABORÉ	DOUGHTY	MENGI	LOCKYER	OSHO	
SAT NOV 11	MANCHESTER UNITED	3PM	A 18	L0-1	KAMINSKI KABORÉ	DOUGHTY	MENGI	LOCKYER	OSHO	
SAT NOV 25	CRYSTAL PALACE	3PM	H 17	W2-1	KAMINSKI DOUGHTY	BELL	MENGI	LOCKYER	OSHO	
SAT DEC 2	BRENTFORD	3PM	A 17	L1-3	KAMINSKI KABORÉ	BELL	MENGI	LOCKYER	OSHO	
TUE DEC 5	ARSENAL	8.15PM	H 17	L3-4	KAMINSKI KABORÉ	DOUGHTY	MENGI	BELL	OSHO	
SUN DEC 10	MANCHESTER CITY	2PM	H 18	L1-2	KAMINSKI DOUGHTY	GILES	MENGI	LOCKYER	BELL	
SAT DEC 23	NEWCASTLE UNITED	3PM	H 18	W1-0	KAMINSKI KABORÉ	DOUGHTY	MENGI	OSHO	BELL	
TUE DEC 26	SHEFFIELD UNITED	3PM	A 18	W3-2	KAMINSKI DOUGHTY	GILES	MENGI	OSHO	BELL	
SAT DEC 30	CHESLSEA	12.30PM	H 18	L2-3	KAMINSKI KABORÉ	DOUGHTY	MENGI	OSHO	BELL	
SUN JAN 7	BOLTON WANDERERS (FAC3)	2PM	H	D0-0	KRUL OGEBENE	DOUGHTY	MENGI	OSHO	BELL	
FRI JAN 12	BURNLEY	7.45PM	A 18	D1-1	KAMINSKI OGEBENE	DOUGHTY	MENGI	OSHO	BELL	
TUE JAN 16	BOLTON WANDERERS (FAC3R)	7.45PM	A	W2-1	KRUL OGEBENE	DOUGHTY	MENGI	OSHO	BURKE	
SAT JAN 27	EVERTON (FAC4)	3PM	A	W2-1	KRUL OGEBENE	DOUGHTY	MENGI	OSHO	BELL	
TUE JAN 30	BRIGHTON & HOVE ALBION	7.45PM	H 17	W4-0	KAMINSKI OGEBENE	DOUGHTY	BURKE	MENGI	BELL	
SAT FEB 3	NEWCASTLE UNITED	3PM	A 17	D4-4	KAMINSKI OGEBENE	DOUGHTY	BURKE	MENGI	BELL	
SAT FEB 10	SHEFFIELD UNITED	3PM	H 17	L1-3	KAMINSKI OGEBENE	DOUGHTY	BURKE	MENGI	BELL	
SUN FEB 18	MANCHESTER UNITED	4.30PM	H 18	L1-2	KAMINSKI OGEBENE	DOUGHTY	OSHO	MENGI	BELL	
WED FEB 21	LIVERPOOL	7.30PM	A 18	L1-4	KAMINSKI OGEBENE	DOUGHTY	OSHO	MENGI	BELL	
TUE FEB 27	MANCHESTER CITY (FAC5)	8.00PM	H							
SAT MAR 2	ASTON VILLA	5.30PM	H							
SAT MAR 9	CRYSTAL PALACE	3PM	A							
WED MAR 13	AFC BOURNEMOUTH	7.30PM	A							
SAT MAR 16	NOTTINGHAM FOREST	3PM	H							
SAT MAR 30	TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR	3PM	A							
TUE APR 2	ARSENAL	7.45PM	A							
SAT APR 6	AFC BOURNEMOUTH	3PM	H							
SAT APR 13	MANCHESTER CITY	3PM	A							
SAT APR 20	BRENTFORD	3PM	H							
SAT APR 27	WOLVERHAMPTON WANDERERS	3PM	A							
SAT MAY 4	EVERTON	3PM	H							
SAT MAY 11	WEST HAM UNITED	3PM	A							
SUN MAY 19	FULHAM	4PM	H							



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NAKAMBA	CHONG	BARKLEY	MORRIS	DOUGHTY, ANDERSEN, RUDDOCK-MPANZU, OGBENE, BROWN, KRUL, BERRY, WOODROW, JOHNSON	39,893, 3,054
MPANZU	BERRY	WOODROW	OGBENE	SHEA, BURKE, JOHNSON, KABORE, BARKLEY, CHONG, NAKAMBA, ADEBAYO, MORRIS	9,468, 1,058
NAKAMBA	CHONG	BARKLEY	MORRIS	KRUL, BERRY, BROWN, FRANCIS-CLARKE, JOHNSON, KABORE, MPANZU, OGBENE, WOODROW	10,802, 1,151
NAKAMBA	CHONG	LOKONGA	MORRIS	KRUL, ADEBAYO, BERRY, DOUGHTY, GILES, MENGU, MPANZU, OGBENE, WOODROW	24,467, 2,701
NAKAMBA	LOKONGA	OGBENE	MORRIS ⚽	KRUL, ADEBAYO, ANDERSEN, BERRY, CHONG, GILES, MENGU, MPANZU, WOODROW	10,893, 1,091
MPANZU	CHONG	BERRY	WOODROW	SHEA, OGBENE, MORRIS, KABORE, BURKE, BROWN, BELL, BURGER, LUKER	7,360, 708
NAKAMBA	MPANZU	OGBENE	MORRIS ⚽	KRUL, ANDERSEN, BERRY, WOODROW, ADEBAYO, CHONG, MENGU, GILES, JOHNSON	39,289, 2,976
NAKAMBA	MPANZU	OGBENE	MORRIS	KRUL, ANDERSEN, BERRY, BURKE, WOODROW, ADEBAYO, CHONG, GILES, JOHNSON	10,918, 1,126
NAKAMBA	MPANZU	ADEBAYO	MORRIS	KRUL, BARKLEY, BERRY, WOODROW, KABORE, CHONG, MENGU, GILES, JOHNSON	10,929, 1,151
NAKAMBA	MPANZU	CHONG	MORRIS	KRUL, OSHO, BARKLEY, WOODROW, ADEBAYO, KABORE, GILES, TOWNSEND, LUKER	29,361, 2,893
NAKAMBA	BARKLEY	OGBENE	MORRIS	KRUL, WOODROW, ADEBAYO, CHONG, MPANZU, GILES, TOWNSEND, JOHNSON, LUKER	41,785, 3,005
NAKAMBA	BARKLEY	OGBENE	MORRIS	KRUL, ADEBAYO, CHONG, MPANZU, CLARK, BROWN, GILES, NELSON, LUKER	11,049, 1,151
NAKAMBA	BARKLEY	OGBENE	MORRIS	KRUL, ADEBAYO, BERRY, CHONG, MPANZU, CLARK, BROWN, GILES, NELSON	73,599, 3,008
MPANZU	BARKLEY	OGBENE	MORRIS	KRUL, BERRY, ADEBAYO, CHONG, CLARK, BROWN, GILES, NELSON, LUKER	11,029, 1,149
MPANZU	BARKLEY	OGBENE	MORRIS	KRUL, ADEBAYO, CLARK, BROWN, GILES, TOWNSEND, JOHNSON, NELSON	17,075, 1,725
NAKAMBA	BARKLEY	BROWN	ADEBAYO ⚽	KRUL, OGBENE, BERRY, MORRIS, CHONG, MPANZU, CLARK, JOHNSON, NELSON	11,112, 1,151
NAKAMBA	BARKLEY	BROWN	ADEBAYO	KRUL, ANDERSEN, BERRY, MORRIS, CHONG, MPANZU, CLARK, LOKONGA, JOHNSON	11,047, 1,151
LOKONGA	BARKLEY	BROWN	ADEBAYO	KRUL, ANDERSEN, OGBENE, MORRIS, WOODROW, CHONG, MPANZU, CLARK, GILES	11,042, 1,145
LOKONGA	BARKLEY	BROWN	ADEBAYO	KRUL, SHEA, ANDERSEN, OGBENE, BERRY, MORRIS, WOODROW, CHONG, MPANZU	31,041, 2,362
LOKONGA	BARKLEY	BROWN	ADEBAYO ⚽	KRUL, ANDERSEN, OGBENE, MORRIS, WOODROW, CHONG, MPANZU, CLARK, GILES	11,041, 1,151
LOKONGA	BARKLEY	CHONG	ADEBAYO	KAMINSKI, ANDERSEN, BERRY, WOODROW, KABORE, MPANZU, CLARK, TOWNSEND, GILES, TOWNSEND	10,739, 1,609
LOKONGA	BARKLEY	CLARK	ADEBAYO	KRUL, POTTS, BERRY, MORRIS, WOODROW, CHONG, BURKE, MPANZU, GILES	20,155, 1,432
BARKLEY	MPANZU	CLARK	MORRIS	KAMINSKI, POTTS, BERRY, WOODROW, ADEBAYO, BROWN, GILES, BELL, TOWNSEND	10,878, 751
LOKONGA	BARKLEY	CLARK	ADEBAYO	KAMINSKI, SHEA, POTTS, BERRY, WOODROW, CHONG, MPANZU, JOHNSON, NELSON	37,713, 1,699
LOKONGA	BARKLEY	CLARK	ADEBAYO ⚽	KRUL, POTTS, BERRY, WOODROW, CHONG, MPANZU, TOWNSEND, JOHNSON, NELSON	10,994, 1,044
LOKONGA	BARKLEY	CLARK	ADEBAYO	KRUL, BERRY, WOODROW, KABORE, CHONG, BURKE, MPANZU, BROWN, TOWNSEND	52,211, 3,145
LOKONGA	BARKLEY	CHONG	WOODROW	KRUL, BERRY, WOODROW, KABORE, CHONG, MENGU, MPANZU, BROWN, TOWNSEND	11,138, 1,350
LOKONGA	BARKLEY	CHONG	WOODROW	KRUL, POTTS, BERRY, KABORE, BURKE, MPANZU, CLARK, TOWNSEND, NELSON	11,438, 1,389
LOKONGA	BARKLEY	CHONG	WOODROW	KRUL, POTTS, BERRY, KABORE, MPANZU, BURKE, CLARK, TOWNSEND, NELSON	59,896, 2,505



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6. Adebayo, Andersen, Barkley, Osho, Ogbeme, Townsend, Morris, 7. Burton Albion, 8. 1959, 9. None, 10. San Marino

1. Belis Lw, 2. 13, 3. Walesia, 4. Elith Adebayo, James Tunnicliffe and Kal Naismith, 5. Fulminense.

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1. JAMES SHEA
2. GABE OSHO
3. DAN POTTS
4. TOM LOCKYER
5. MADS ANDERSEN
6. ROSS BARKLEY
7. CHIEDOZIE OGBENE
8. LUKE BERRY
9. CARLTON MORRIS
10. CAULEY WOODROW
11. ELIJAH ADEBAYO
12. ISSA KABORÉ
13. MARVELOUS NAKAMBA
14. TAHITH CHONG
15. TEDEN MENGI
16. REECE BURKE
17. PELLY RUDDOCK MPANZU
18. JORDAN CLARK
19. JACOB BROWN
23. TIM KRUL
24. THOMAS KAMINSKI
27. DAIKI HASHIOKA
28. ALBERT SAMBI LOKONGA
29. AMARI'I BELL
30. ANDROS TOWNSEND
38. JOE JOHNSON
45. ALFIE DOUGHTY



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3. RÚBEN DIAS
5. JOHN STONES
6. NATHAN AKÉ
8. MATEO KOVACIC
9. ERLING HAALAND
10. JACK GREALISH
11. JEREMY DOKU
16. RODRI
17. KEVIN DE BRUYNE
18. STEFAN ORTEGA MORENO
19. JULIAN ALVAREZ
20. BERNARDO SILVA
21. SERGIO GÓMEZ
24. JOŠKO Gvardiol
25. MANUEL AKANJI
27. MATHEUS NUNES
31. EDERSON
33. SCOTT CARSON
47. PHIL FODEN
52. OSCAR BOBB
82. RICO LEWIS

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- ASSISTANT REFEREE - SHAUN HUDSON
- FOURTH OFFICIAL - SIMON HOOPER
- VIDEO ASSISTANT REFEREE - THOMAS BRAMALL
- VIDEO ASSISTANT REFEREE - ROBERT JONES
- ADDITIONAL VIDEO ASSISTANT REFEREE - MATTHEW WILKES