

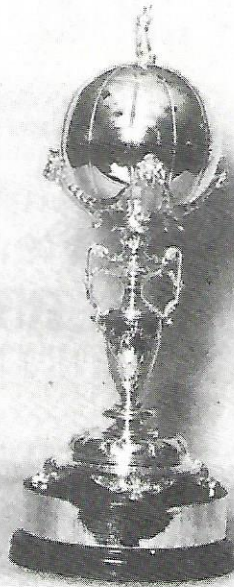
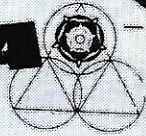


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# **ON THE BALL**

**with**  
**Brian Hall**

NATURALLY today, we expect a larger attendance than normal for such an important game, and therefore to all our guests and those "extras" we hope you enjoy the day at Wealdstone, and sincerely hope that you will return on a more regular basis! The hard core of our regular followers are unquestionably the best in the Gola League, especially when we play away from home. On Monday I saw the Nuneaton v. Altrincham game, and a Director from Altrincham commented on our spectators saying that he thought we were the best followed club in the league, and a credit to Wealdstone. So from the Directors Dressing Room may we say "Congratulations and Thanks".

That particular game (Nuneaton 4, Altrincham 1), and the defeat of Bath at Telford certainly gave us a boost in the championship race, and it looks as though the battle could continue to the very end. We will need all the support we can get, and so we are thinking of selling throat lozengers in the Club Shop starting from today.

It seems this year that in nearly every County where a Gola League Club is situated, then that Club or Clubs are involved in their respective County Senior Cup Finals, as in fact are Enfield and ourselves. I feel, therefore, that this indicates the strength of our league nation wide and that Gola Ltd. as our sponsors should be justly proud and congratulated. Likewise, I feel that our own County, the Middlesex F.A. should be shown appreciation for postponing our own County Cup Final until August, and I am sure that both Enfield and ourselves appreciate the initiative shown. I could not see many spectators attending four consecutive games between the same teams. It would have been like the North American Soccer League where, I understand, there are only two teams left!

For those of you who did not attend the players disco last Saturday, I am sorry to say that you missed a fabulous evening, and during the proceedings we displayed a beautiful canteen of cutlery valued at £685. It was presented to the players by Mr. Norman Bowles to whom we are extremely grateful, and it is up for raffle at £1.00 per ticket. It will be on show in the bar today and the draw will be on Middlesex Senior Cup Final Day, when we play - guess who?

Enjoy the game - buy a ticket - see you later.



## Poised for an Historic Double

by Colin Pope

A day like today makes it all worth while! Except for that brief spell when we got back into the Gola League one season after being relegated to the Southern League, we at Wealdstone have not had a lot to enthuse over in the past decade.

Indeed, seasons came and went with monotonous regularity when we appeared to be firmly anchored in the lower reaches and in fact, the first part of more than one New Year was spent wondering whether we could escape the dreaded drop! But through all those traumatic times, when one could be forgiven for believing that Wealdstone's lot was to be among the also-rans of Non-League football, we've had a hard-core of the most loyal supporters, who have never turned their backs on us, and who sustained their own spirits - and the Club's - throughout the darkest days.

How appropriate it is, therefore, to herald this red letter day in the Club's long and illustrious history, especially as we sit poised to complete an incredible double. While not wishing to tempt fate, of course, it has to be recorded in this programme for posterity that in the first fortnight of April, no Gola League side has had a better chance of achieving a feat against which bookmakers would offer gigantic odds! The FA Challenge Trophy and the Gola League title - a feat to make the pulse quicken and no mistake!

They say a team makes its own luck, but without a fair share of that divine intervention, success is rarely possible. Well, fortune has been kind to us in recent weeks inasmuch as that our strongest challengers for the championship pennant have, quite inexplicably in some instances, dropped points we had felt were theirs for the taking, and so have immeasurably improved our own position. Indeed, our opponents today have dropped points we felt were in their bag to such an effect that Bath City would now appear to offer the most serious threat.

When Brian Hall was more or less thrust into the deep end as manager on the departure of Alan Batsford, it was indeed a daunting task for the likeable police officer, for his function at that time with the Club had meant that his opportunities of even watching the team play were few and far between. Brian was coaching the squad, but had generally spent his Saturdays preparing a dossier on the opposition. Brian is not short of confidence, but even he could scarcely have envisaged that his first period of managership would be crowned with quite so much success... And so I am sure I speak for everyone at Lower Mead in paying this public tribute to him, for whatever today's result is, or those in the future weeks, he has done us proud.

It obviously has not escaped anyone's notice, either, that Wealdstone FC's improved fortunes in recent years coincided with the arrival on the scene of David Morrill, now Club Chairman. I know from personal experience that what this Club has lacked for many a long year was a dynamic businessman with the expertise of the entrepreneur (and with the tangible assets to back it up) at the helm and in David we have found just the man. How fortunate that he, too, is of the same opinion and that he had made Wealdstone his prime joy in life after the demands of his noted company Morrill Homes, and his wife Mimi and their three children.

With plans already on the drawing board (indeed some are already common knowledge) for a massive renovation programme for Lower Mead, we should continue to sail through placid waters.

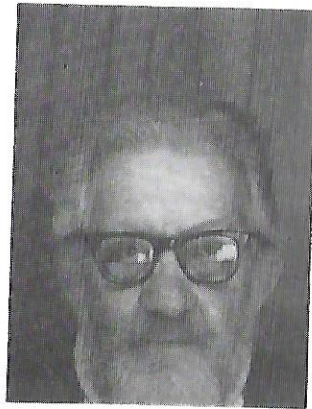
It is a real delight to welcome the illustrious Enfield outfit today, for they have done so very much over the years to raise the standard of Non-League football. Indeed they are perhaps synonymous with all that is best outside the Football League and even though we go into today's second leg of this FA Challenge Trophy semi-final with a 2-0 advantage after our visit last Saturday to Southbury Road, nothing can be taken for granted. As Trophy Committee chairman George Jones says elsewhere 'remember Harrow v Telford'!! Even so, it will rank as a major upset if we now do not achieve the ultimate accolade of going to Wembley Stadium to meet either Altrincham or Boston Utd on May 11th.

Just one thing mars today's splendid occasion, when we are delighted to welcome Harrow's leading citizen, Mayor Anthony Cocksedge and his Lady. And that is that we shall sorely miss our former General Secretary, and now the Club's Administration Director, Ken Wiltshire who suffered a second heart attack a fortnight ago. Happily Ken is out of hospital, and making splendid progress, but has to take things quietly for the next few weeks. Ken is 'Mr. Wealdstone' and has been here for nearly half a century. We look forward to his return among us...



# A MATTER OF CIVIC PRIDE

by Phil Sugden



NEARLY 20 years have passed since Wealdstone's colours were proudly worn at Wembley, in what was to prove one of the last of the F.A. Amateur Cup finals, and since then, apart from County Trophies and the Southern League Cup, successes in knock-out football have eluded the Lower Mead Club.

Today, a visit to the Twin Towers looms as a distinct possibility and, if it happens, there will doubtless be a huge exodus from the Harrow area in support of 'Stones.

Certainly I, despite have reached the age where Saturday afternoon soccer is little more than a memory, shall, God willing, be at Wembley, hoping for another page to be written in the history of the club for which I, and so many of my age, have such a great affection.

It was the thought of 'Stones possibility of reaching the Trophy final and consideration of the thousands from Harrow, Wealdstone and points east and west of North London, which set me wondering about support, supporters and the cost of providing Harrow and district with a first class semi-professional club, only hours before your Press Relations Officer, Colin Pope, telephoned me asking for this article for this very special occasion.

During the past couple of years much has been written and spoken on radio and television regarding the financial stability (or otherwise) of clubs all over the country. And finances of football clubs are, of course, very much the problem of everyone connected with the game from the youngest supporter through the boards of directors and up to the top men of the Football Association at Lancaster Gate.

Really and truly, I firmly believe that the strength and stability of all clubs is much more than just a matter for supporters and directors.

**IT IS A MATTER OF PRIDE - CIVIC PRIDE - THE PRIDE OF A TOWN OR CITY.**

Certainly, that has been proved where I now live, here on the South Coast, five miles from the seaside resort of Bognor Regis, a town with (out of holiday season) a population of only some 30,000.

Bognor Regis F.C. play in the Premier Division of the Isthmian League after - with the aid of its townsfolk only a few years ago - clawing its way from the Sussex County League.

Bognor (again out of the holiday season) is a small, sleepy little coast town where from the end of the first week in September through until the end of May, one can enjoy miles of beach where my wife and I walk our four dogs, hundreds of acres of rolling Sussex Downs and glorious wooded countryside.

But sleepy as the town may be it is a place of great pride and nothing illustrates this more than the support which is accorded to its football team.

Average home gates total no more than 500 or so, but the club runs a tight ship and everyone resident in Bognor is made very much aware that the Football Club is of paramount importance.

This season Bognor created a little bit of history by reaching the second round of the F.A. Club after drawing away to Swansea and then winning the replay at the tiny Nyewood Lane ground where a record attendance of 4,000 had the place bursting at the seams. In the next round Bognor went out, of course, losing at Reading but the backing of the TOWN, not just the regular supporters, was something to see, inhale and glow over.

Because the Rocks, as they are known for fairly obvious reasons, were representing the TOWN, the team took on the full time professionals with new track suits and strip: specially adapted vehicles conveyed wheel chair supporters to away games; team pictures were to be found in pubs and shop windows all over Bognor and district; there were special radio commentaries from away games to the local hospitals; schoolboys were encouraged to trot along to Nyewood Lane to watch the players preparing from the big occasion.

The local Press, which I would consider to normally be lukewarm when I compare the publicity accorded to Bognor F.C. compared say with the coverage of Wealdstone's affairs in the days when I was your humble sports editor, produced special editions with pages of pictures.

And when it was all over, as everyone knew it ultimately had to be, the local Council entertained players and officials to a civic reception. They had not won anything, but they had represented the TOWN. And they had done the Town proud. And Bognor Regis F.C. is very much a part of the seaside resort of Bognor. It belongs. It reflects credit. It is important to the people of the district.

Now I am well aware that the industrialists, businessmen and residents of the area from which Wealdstone draws its support, have many commitments, many calls on their money and that really and truly many have been kind and generous to 'Stones in the past.

But it Wealdstone go back to Wembley for the Trophy final wouldn't it be truly wonderful if the town really got behind the team and illustrated that as an entity it was PROUD of the club's achievements.

When little Bognor travelled to Swansea for their First round F.A. Cup match the team found over 100 telegrams awaiting them in the Welsh Club's dressing room.

Wouldn't it be nice if Wealdstone found 500 telegrams awaiting them at Wembley?

Bognor Council, as I have said, provided a Civic reception for a team that reached the SECOND ROUND of the F.A. Cup. A reception for 'Stones would surely be a fine gesture and reward for their efforts if they go no further than the semi-finals.

And surely local businessmen will want to show their association with and appreciation of the club by, say, offering new strip and track suits if the team get to the final.

I am sure there will be a big demand for tickets if 'Stones make it to the final. Wouldn't it be wonderful if half of all who would go to the final would become regular supporters next season.

Finally, of course, every one of you who reads these notes can help. Persuade a friend to accompany you for the next home match.

**BE PROUD of Wealdstone, for they have surely done you proud.**

I hope to see you all at Wembley.

*Editor's footnote: Phil Sugden was Sports Editor of the Harrow Observer for many years until his retirement some years ago, and gave the Club tremendous coverage.*





**WEALDSTONE F.C**

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*Back Row (left to right): Les Reed (Coach), Brian Hall (Manager), Amie Reed (Physiotherapist), Peter Braxton (Secretary. Middle Row: Robin Wainwright, Steve Perkins, Nigel Johnson, Bob Iles, Paul Cotter, Roy Daviás, Steve McCargo, Andy Graham. Front Row: Brian Greenaway, Vince Jones, Neil Cordice, Dennis Byatt, Paul Bowgett (Capt), Mark Graves, Gary Donnellan*

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## Introducing Enfield . . . .

**JOHN JACOBS (Goalkeeper):** John is in his second spell at the club after a two year break, during which time he played for Bishop's Stortford and Dagenham. Originally signed in 1980 after playing for Chelsea, Barking and Leytonstone. Returned to the first team in September 1984.

**KEITH BARRETT (Defender):** Another former Barking player who joined Enfield in 1980. Prior to his five years at Barking, he spent two years playing for Spurs Youth. 28 year old Keith is a regular member of the England non-league team and has also represented the F.A. and Middlesex Wanderers.

**KEITH HAYZELDEN (Defender):** Signed in 1983 from Isthmian League side Leytonstone/Ilford where he played for five seasons. Previously played for Fulham boys. Has captained an Isthmian League XI and represented Essex Wanderers. 30 years old.

**JOHN COOPER (Defender/Midfield):** Joined Enfield in 1983 from Swedish 2nd Division side Helsingborg I.F. 22 years old, he spent two years as a professional with Spurs and has made some first team appearances for Gillingham.

**DAVID HOWELL (Defender):** Cost Enfield a four figure fee when he moved from Harrow Borough in August 1984. Prior to his three years at Harrow, he played for Hillingdon, and Fulham's Combination side. Age 26.

**NICKY IRONTON (Defender/Midfield):** Another England non-league international, Nick was a regular member of QPR's Combination side for two years before joining Enfield from Barking in 1981. He was leading goalscorer from midfield in his first season.

**DAVE FLINT (Midfield/Striker):** Converted from striker to midfield this season. Dave aged 25, joined the club from Spartan League side Leyton County four years ago. He scored four goals on the Middlesex Wanderers tour of Indonesia.

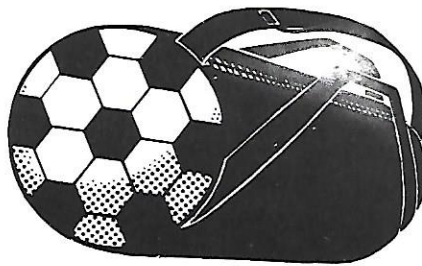
**PAUL TAYLOR (Midfield):** Played for Arsenal, Barking and Orient Youth before joining Enfield Youth in 1980. Graduated through the reserve team, of which he was captain, before securing a regular first team place. Toured Indonesia with the Middlesex Wanderers at the end of last season.

**NOEL ASHFORD (Striker and captain):** Joined Enfield in 1980 from Fulham, having previously played for Barking. Another regular England non-league international, he was player of the year in 1982-83 and was leading goalscorer last season.

**JOHN DOCKER (Midfield):** Signed from neighbours Barnet in January. Previously with Notts County and QPR. Was a member of the recent England squad.

**STEWART ATKINS (Striker):** Signed on a free transfer from Barnet in January, following his ex-clubmate John Docker. Previously spent several successful seasons with Kettering.

**DERMOT DRUMMY (Midfield):** A close season signing from Hendon, where he was captain. Spent three years at Arsenal, one as a professional, and had a loan spell at Blackpool. Won 5 Republic of Ireland Youth caps.



## SHARPSHOOTERS NUNEATON

NUNEATON, with 22 goals, heads the Gola Goal Award scheme for the period from March 1st to the end of the season. Lying joint second with 13 goals each are Enfield and Scarborough.

In the individual section, for the same period, the pace is set by Nuneaton's Paul Culpin with 10 goals, followed by Gary Hooley (Frickley Athletic) and our own Alan Cordice with 5 goals.

Culpin, who has led the League goalscorers for a long time, has now been caught by Hooley and they top the list jointly with 32 goals each in all matches. In third spot is Boston's Bob Lee with 24. Wealdstone's Mark Graves is 7th with 19 goals.

### CLUB SHOP NEWS

## *NEW CLUB BADGES HAVE ARRIVED*

I am pleased to report that our new supply of Wealdstone F.C. enamel lapel badges has arrived and these are available today at £1.00 each. If ever there was a time for being proud of the club it must be now, so make sure your lapel is suitably adorned! The only other addition to our wide range

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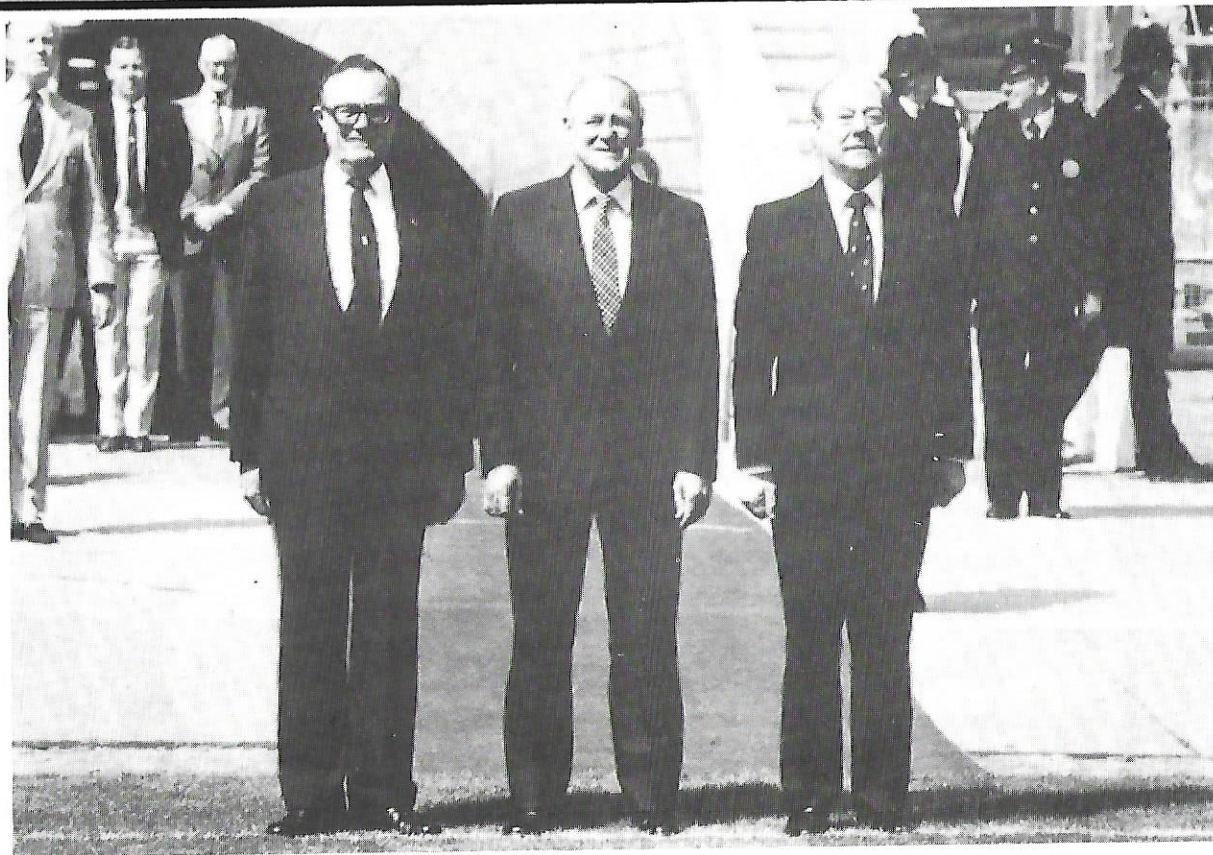
Also new in today (in limited numbers) are the April edition of "Programme Monthly", the bible for serious collectors, and some recent copies of "Dons Outlook", the Wimbledon Supporters Club Magazine. The reason that these have been obtained is due to a very interesting four-page article entitled "The Wealdstone Connection" which describes the strong links between our two clubs, contains a lengthy interview with Allen Batsford, our former Manager, and recalls the infamous game of six sendings off in 1976. A good read indeed!

Still available in the Club Shop are some past editions of the Rothmans Non-League Football Annual which are reduced from £4.95 to just £2.95 to clear - hundreds of pages of reference and interest. Our cut-price bundles of Wealdstone home programmes are also selling like proverbial hot cakes, but there are a few left at just 25p for 50 programmes, and we can even supply a smart official Club Programme binder for £1.30 (or four for £5.00) to keep them in. On the subject of old programmes, may I place on record my gratitude to Ray Comer who recently donated a suitcase overflowing with programmes which took me most of Easter to sort out. Anyone needing to fill collection gaps back to our turning professional should look in at the shop today as Ray's collection provides several of the more elusive homes and aways. Many thanks also to the various other supporters who have donated programmes throughout the season: these all make vital contributions to club funds and are extremely welcome.

Lastly, every good wish to the team today who are capable of making this the greatest season in our club's history. Let's all get behind the lads and cheer them on to a Trophy and Gola League winning double! The support last week must have been worth a goal start to the "Stones" and have made any neutrals wonder who the home team were - let's make sure there are no doubts today!

**TOBY JACKSON**





**1983/84 F.A. TROPHY FINAL: Northwich Victoria v. Bangor**

*Left to Right:* GEORGE JONES – Chairman Challenge Trophy Committee; RON GREENWOOD – Chief Guest; F.A. "BERT" MILLICHAP – Chairman of Football Association

## SUPPORTERS CLUB NEWS

GOOD AFTERNOON everyone and a very special welcome to supporters of Enfield F.C.  
Well, this is it!! Can we really do it? Of course we can!! Let's all get behind the lads right from the first whistle and shout the Stones to victory!! I've heard enough of the "Harrow-Boro Semi-final Kamikaze job" etc; it's almost as though we have slit our own throats by having the audacity to actually enter the second-leg with a two-goal lead!! What Rubbish!! We have the ability on the field and the vocal support off it. All we need to do is finish the job and show some confidence in ourselves as supporters. Let's really shake 'em up . . . . .

A fresh supply of yellow and blue Flat Caps have arrived and are on sale in the shop, priced at a very reasonable £2.00. Flags are also on sale today, priced at an even more reasonable £1.95. All of our usual range of souvenirs are available - how about a new scarf? Teddy Bear?

You will notice on the High Mead side of the ground that the "Match of the Day" team, have finally realised that something is stirring on the pitch at Wealdstone these days. Copies of the resultant video will be available at a price to be agreed (ultimately dependent on the number of copies ordered). PLEASE PLACE YOUR ORDER IN THE SHOP TODAY. Whatever the outcome of today's match I am sure that the action will be worth a permanent place in your video machine (VHS or Beta). Our thanks to Colin, Tony and the lads for their assistance in our little project.

SFC did the "Bis" again last Saturday and Hughie and the team are becoming embarrassingly good - **first team duty soon lads??**

SFC won 4-0, but I'm afraid I don't know the name of their opponents or who the scorers were!! (You will have read all about it in the Harrow Observer by now anyway).

Finally, don't forget to support our super-value raffle before kick-off today, when we should have 5 prizes on offer! Remember only 10p for 5 tickets.

Here we go, Here we go, Here we go, **Here we go** etc., etc., etc.

**NICK DUGARD, Secretary**

## AWAY TRAVEL

Bookings will be taken this afternoon for:-

**NUNEATON BOROUGH** (Gola League), Saturday 20th April.

Coach leaves: 11.15 a.m. Fares: £5/£4 (Members), £6/£5 (Non-Members)

Please call into the Club Shop at half-time, or immediately after the match today.

MAYOR Anthony Cocksedge writes: "Sincere congratulations to Wealdstone Football Club on reaching the semi-finals of the F.A. Challenge Trophy. I wish them every success".

## Beaten at Dagenham

WEALDSTONE lost 3-2 at Dagenham on Wednesday night in a Morrill Homes Capital League match, playing, I understand, a very much weakened side, including some members of the Supporters league side!

Enfield also suffered another Gola League defeat, going down 1-0 at Frickley.



# THE FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION CHALLENGE TROPHY

THE Football Association Challenge Trophy was first competed for in 1969/70 as a national knock-out competition for clubs with ex-professional players in the teams and not being eligible for the historical Amateur Challenge Cup. The first winners of the Trophy were Macclesfield Town who defeated Telford United by 2 goals to 0 in front of a crowd of 28,000 at Wembley.

In 1973/74 after much deliberation, it was decided no longer to recognize the amateur status of players, and all footballers being classed as "players". This action ended the Amateur Cup after 71 years the last winners being Bishops Cleeve. The Challenge Vase was introduced in 1974/75 to replace the defunct Amateur Cup thus creating two national knock-out competitions, the Vase being regarded as the competition of the weaker clubs.

The onerous task of grading the competition entrants fell upon the permanent staff of the Football Association at Lancaster Gate. After considering all aspects of the entrants, recommendations were presented for ratification by the appropriate committees for confirmation.

This season, no fewer than 217 clubs were accepted for the Challenge Trophy competition, with the preliminary rounds being played way back on the 8th September. Certain clubs are given exemption from the early rounds, with past performances in the Trophy being used as one of the guide lines.

In 1981/82, the so called "Pyramid" of football outside the Football League was introduced and now appears to have settled down. The Gola Football League is now unquestionably the strongest competition, in fact are providing all four semi-finalists for the first time. The gradual consolidation of the Gola League now means that a majority of their clubs could warrant exemptions to certain stages of the Challenge Trophy automatically.

It is my privilege to be a Council Member of the Football Association and am currently Chairman of the Trophy committee. At Enfield last Saturday, I saw a keenly contested first leg of this semi-final, which, on the day Wealdstone finished deserved winners by two clear goals. This two goal advantage will be contested all the way by past Trophy holders, Enfield, who along with many others will recall that only two years ago, neighbouring Harrow Borough were in a similar position. Having won 2-0 at Telford, Harrow increased their lead at Earlsmead, only to succumb in extra time by 5 goals to 3.

I look forward to meeting the eventual winners of today's match at Wembley on the 11th May. May the best team win.

**GEORGE JONES,**  
F.A. Council Member  
Chairman, F.A. Trophy Committee

## OUR RECORD AGAINST ENFIELD

WEALDSTONE and Enfield have met on 128 previous occasions with Wealdstone winning 53, drawing 18 and losing 57. Of 518 goals scored Enfield have scored most, 269-249.

Since Enfield joined the Alliance Premier League at the start of the 1981/82 season the two sides have met eleven times as follows:-

ALLIANCE PREMIER/GOLA LEAGUE				SUMMARY OF LEAGUE ENCOUNTERS					
SEASON	HOME	AWAY		P	W	D	L	F	A
1982/83 (APL)	1-3	1-0	HOME	2	1	0	1	3	4
1983/84 (APL)	2-1	2-0	AWAY	3	2	0	1	3	2
1984/85 (GL)	-	0-2	TOTAL	5	3	0	2	6	6

(Wealdstone's score given first)

### OTHER FIXTURES

1981/82 MIDDLESEX SENIOR CUP (Semi-Final): Wealdstone Won 2-0 (at Wealdstone)

1983/84 F.A. CUP (1st ROUND): Wealdstone Won 2-0 (at Wealdstone, after 1-1 and 2-2 draws at Wealdstone and Enfield respectively)

1984/85 BOB LORD TROPHY (2nd ROUND): Enfield Won 2-1 (at Wealdstone)

F.A. TROPHY (SEMI-FINAL, 1st LEG): Wealdstone Won 2-0 (at Enfield)

## Watch Rugby League Here Tomorrow

TOMORROW, Sunday, sees the first Rugby League game at Lower Mead in the Club's history (unless someone writes in and proves me wrong!) Fulham, the League's Division 2 side will be playing Whitehaven, kick-off 3 p.m. and we do hope that this innovation is rewarded with a big gate. Fulham, when playing at Craven Cottage attracted several thousand spectators, but support has declined following their recent move to Crystal Palace. Now they are playing at Lower Mead, we hope interest is rekindled.

On Sunday, April 28th (3 pm.) Fulham will entertain Bramley here, while a fixture has also been pencilled in for Friday, May 3rd (7.30 pm) but the opposition is not yet known.

## MAYOR MEETS THE TEAMS

SHORTLY before the kick-off today, both teams, and the officials will be presented to the Mayor of Harrow, Councillor Anthony Cocksedge, accompanied by Mr. E.G. Powell, vice-chairman of the FA Challenge Trophy Committee and Mr. G.T. Evans, a Trophy Committee member. The Mayor, and the Mayoress will be the Club's guests at the match, and entertained afterwards.

## Players on the Move

**BARNET:** Striker Dave Pearce (from Harrow Borough).

**BARROW:** Trevor Brissett (from Whitton Albion); Wayne Aspinall (from Wigan Athletic); John Cooke (from Droylesdon). Released - Jon Balm.

**GATESHEAD:** Brian Penfold (from Morpeth); Gavin Liddle (from U.S.A. side Terzanova); Simon Smith (from Whitley Bay).

**MAIDSTONE UTD:** John Bartley (re-signed from Welling United); Neil Cudgely (Folkestone Town).

**NORTHWICH VIC:** Rory Blease (from Runcom).

**NUNEATON BOROUGH:** Brendan Phillips (re-signed from Scarborough).

**RUNCORN:** Steve Crompton (from Worcester City); Alan Suddick (from Workington); Peter Orr (from Northwich Vic.); James Flannery (from Prescot Town); Mike Fielding (from South Liverpool).

**YEOVIL TOWN:** Martin Tooze (from Heavitree Utd); John McGinlay (from Naim County); Ian Davies (full-back formerly with Norwich City and Newcastle United).

## BILLY POTTS DIES

IT is with great respect that we record the death of Billy Potts, a supporter for more than 60 years. Billy, who worked for nearby Hamiltons for almost 50 years, had been in poor health for the last year or so, but continued to attend most games, and always stood in the same place, to the left of the main stand.

We send sincere condolences to his widow and family.



## GOLA LEAGUE

(Up to & Including Wednesday 10th April 1985)

	HOME			GOALS			AWAY			GOALS		Pts	WEALDSTONE RESULTS	
	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A		HOME	AWAY
Altrincham	36	11	2	4	30	15	8	4	7	23	21	52	W1-0	W2-1
<b>WEALDSTONE</b>	33	7	5	4	27	22	10	2	5	29	20	51		
Kidderminster Harriers	37	8	3	8	38	33	9	3	6	34	28	49	W5-2	
Dartford	37	6	7	6	24	23	8	6	4	25	20	49	D0-0	W3-2
Scarborough	38	9	6	4	33	20	6	5	8	30	40	47	W1-0	D1-1
Bath City	32	12	1	3	26	17	5	6	5	18	20	46	L0-1	L1-3
Nuneaton Borough	36	11	7	0	48	20	3	6	9	21	27	44	W3-1	
Northwich Victoria	38	8	4	8	20	19	6	6	6	24	25	44		W2-0
Kettering Town	36	8	5	5	30	19	6	4	8	28	33	43		
Frickley Athletic	35	10	2	6	33	23	6	3	8	23	35	43		W2-0
Enfield	33	9	5	3	38	24	5	4	7	31	28	42		L0-2
Telford United	35	10	5	3	33	20	4	5	8	22	29	42	D2-2	L2-4
Boston United	35	8	5	5	36	28	5	5	7	22	25	41	L0-1	D1-1
Runcorn	36	5	8	5	22	15	6	5	7	18	23	41	W1-0	L0-2
Barrow	37	5	8	5	22	18	5	7	7	20	26	40	D2-2	L1-2
Weymouth	34	10	1	6	35	27	2	10	5	25	27	37	W3-2	W3-0
Maidstone United	36	9	5	4	33	22	3	5	10	14	26	37	D1-1	W1-0
Dagenham	34	6	5	4	25	21	5	3	11	19	37	35		W2-1
Worcester City	37	6	4	9	26	31	5	4	9	25	44	35	D3-3	W4-0
Barnet	32	5	6	5	22	20	4	2	10	18	29	30	L1-2	
Yeovil Town	36	4	6	9	25	34	2	3	12	16	41	23	L0-3	W2-0
Gateshead	35	3	4	9	17	34	2	6	11	20	39	22	W4-2	W2-1

## WEALDSTONE GOALSCORERS 1984/85

	GL	BLT	FAC	FAT	MSC	CFL	FR	TOTAL
Mark Graves	15	-	1	3	2	2	3	26
Alan Cordice	10	-	1	4	-	-	1	16
Gary Donnellan	5	-	2	-	1	2	5	15
Neil Cordice	6	-	2	1	1	2	2	14
Lee Holmes	5	-	3	-	2	3	-	13
Brian Greenaway	3	-	1	2	-	-	2	8
Paul Bowgett	1	1	1	1	-	1	1	6
Nigel Johnson	3	-	-	1	-	1	-	5
Andy Graham	2	-	-	3	-	-	-	5
Steve McCargo	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	4
Vince Jones	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	4
Chris Dibble	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2
Robin Wainwright	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Dennis Byatt	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Roy Davies	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
Justin O'Brien	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Lance Pedlar	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
TOTALS:-	56	1	12	15	7	19	14	124

## FIXTURES AND RESULTS – SEASON 1984/85

Date	Opponents	Venue	Comp.	Result	Scorers
Aug 18	Northwich Victoria	Away	GL	W 2-0	Graves, Holmes
Aug 21	Dartford	Home	GL	D 0-0	
Aug 25	Kidderminster Harriers	Home	GL	W 5-2	Wainwright, Holmes, Graves 3
Aug 27	Dagenham	Away	GL	W 2-1	Graves, Donnellan
Sep 1	Gateshead	Home	GL	W 4-2	Graves 2, Cordice (N), Holmes
Sep 8	Boston United	Away	GL	D 1-1	Greenaway
Sep 11	Nuneaton Borough	Home	GL	W 3-1	McCargo, Graves (pen), Bowgett
Sep 15	Hounslow	Away	FAC	W 5-2	Holmes, Greenaway, Donnellan, Cordice (N), Bowgett
Sep 19	Yeovil Town	Away	GL	W 2-0	Graves, Byatt
Sep 22	Worcester City	Away	GL	W 4-0	Donnellan, Cordice (A), Graves, Greenaway
Sep 25	Boston United	Home	GL	L 0-1	
Sep 29	Dunstable	Home	FAC	W 6-0	Graves (pen), Donnellan, Cordice (N), Holmes 2, McCargo
Oct 2	Dartford	Away	GL	W 3-2	McCargo, Cordice (N), Graves
Oct 6	Telford United	Home	GL	D 2-2	McCargo, Graves
Oct 9	Bath City	Away	GL	L 1-3	Johnson
Oct 13	Grays Athletic	Away	FAC	L 1-2	Cordice (A)
Oct 20	Worcester City	Home	GL	D 3-3	Cordice (A) 3
Oct 27	Barrow	Home	GL	D 2-2	Cordice (A), Donnellan
Nov 3	Telford United	Away	GL	L 2-4	Graves, Wainwright
Nov 6	Enfield	Home	BLT	L 1-2	Bowgett
Nov 10	Enfield	Away	GL	L 0-2	
Nov 17	Rayners Lane	Away	MSC	W 3-2	Graves 2 (1 pen), Donnellan
Nov 24	Bath City	Home	GL	L 0-1	
Dec 1	Weymouth	Away	GL	W 3-0	Holmes, Graves 2
Dec 15	Frickley Athletic	Away	GL	W 2-0	Cordice (N), Greenaway
Dec 22	Altrincham	Home	GL	W 1-0	Cordice (A)
Dec 29	Maidstone United	Home	GL	D 1-1	Donnellan
Jan 1	Barnet	Home	GL	L 1-2	Cordice (A)
Jan 5	Scarborough	Away	GL	D 1-1	Johnson
Jan 28	Harlow Town	Away	FAT	D 0-0	
Jan 30	Harlow Town	Home	FAT	W 5-0	Greenaway, Graves 3, Cordice (A)
Feb 2	Wycombe Wanderers	Home	FAT	W 2-1	Bowgett, Greenaway (pen)
Feb 7	Hillingdon Borough	Home	MSC	W 3-2	Cordice (N), Holmes, Davies
Feb 23	Welling United	Home	FAT	W 3-1	Graham, Johnson, Cordice (A)
Feb 26	Harrow Borough	Away	MSC	W 1-0	Holmes
Mar 2	Barrow	Away	GL	L 1-2	Holmes
Mar 9	Maidstone United	Away	GL	W 1-0	Graham
Mar 16	Frickley Athletic	Home	FAT	W 3-1	Graham, Cordice (A) 2
Mar 19	Yeovil Town	Home	GL	L 0-3	
Mar 23	Weymouth	Home	GL	W 3-2	Johnson, Cordice (N), Donnellan
Mar 25	Altrincham	Away	GL	W 2-1	Graham, Cordice (A)
Mar 27	Gateshead	Away	GL	W 2-1	Cordice (N) 2
Mar 30	Runcorn	Home	GL	W 1-0	Cordice (A)
Mar 31	Scarborough (K.O. 11 am)	Home	GL	W 1-0	Cordice (A)
Apr 2	Runcorn	Away	GL	L 0-2	
Apr 6	Enfield	Away	FAT	W 2-0	Cordice (N), Graham
Apr 10	Dagenham	Away	MHCL	L 2-3	O'Brien, Pedlar
Apr 13	Enfield	Home	FAT		
Apr 16	Northwich Victoria	Home	GL		
Apr 18	Enfield	Home	GL		
Apr 20	Nuneaton Borough	Away	GL		
Apr 23	Kettering Town	Home	GL		
Apr 25	Barnet	Away	GL		
Apr 27	Dagenham	Home	GL		
Apr 29	Kidderminster Harriers	Away	GL		
May 1	Frickley Athletic	Home	GL		
May 4	Kettering Town	Away	GL		





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It is with particular pleasure that we acknowledge today the generosity of one of our Vice Presidents, **MR. NORMAN BOWLES**, of **Norman Bowles & Partners**, Estate Agents of Hayes. Norman is a marvellous friend to the Club in a lot of ways, and has kindly donated the match ball.

### OFFICIALS

Referee:  
**MR. B.T. STEVENS**  
(Stonehouse, Gloucs.)

Brian Stevens is married, with two daughters, and is a keen all-round sportsman, especially enjoying tennis and skittles. He should be well remembered by Wealdstone fans for he refereed our FA Cup game at Swindon a few years back! He began refereeing in 1962, and has been on the Football League list for the last 15 years. He refereed the FA Trophy final between Enfield and Altrincham in 1983.

Linesmen:

**Mr. P.J. Gage**  
(Canvey Island) Red Flag

**Mr. R.N. Williams**  
(RAF West Drayton) Yellow Flag

### TEAMS

**Wealdstone v Enfield**  
(Royal Blue & Yellow) (All white with Blue trim)  
(W) (E)

BOB ILES	1 JOHN JACOBS
STEVE PERKINS	2 KEITH BARRETT
STEVE McCARGO	3 KEITH HAYZELDEN
DENNIS BYATT	4 JOHN COOPER
PAUL BOWGETT (Capt)	5 DAVID HOWELL
ROBIN WAINWRIGHT	6 NICHOLAS IRONTON
BRIAN GREENAWAY VINCE JONES	7 DAVID FLINT
NEIL CORDICE	8 PAUL TAYLOR
ALAN CORDICE	9 NOEL ASHFORD
ANDY GRAHAM	10 JOHN DOCKER
NIGEL JOHNSON GARY DENNEGAN	11 STEWART ATKINS
ROY DAVIES NIGEL JOHNSON	12 DERMOT DRUMMY

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### Forthcoming Attractions

TUESDAY 19 APRIL - Kick Off 7.30 pm

**NORTHWICH VICTORIA - GOLA LEAGUE**

THURSDAY 21 APRIL - Kick Off 7.30 pm

**ENFIELD - GOLA LEAGUE**