



WEALDSTONE v St.ALBANS CITY

BY MARK HYDE



Written in Stone

I would like to extend a warm welcome to our visitors from St.Albans City including Manager Ian Allinson his back room team, their Players and supporters.

For those who don't know me I am also a Sunderland supporter and anyone who has watched the fantastic Netflix series 'Sunderland till I die' I am sure will have noticed a few parallels with recent Wealdstone history. Sunderland supporters like Wealdstone supporters are single minded in their love for their club and its perceived culture, something both sets of fans rightly or wrongly thought was being stripped away in recent times. Times change and new regimes at both clubs are promising improved communication and a return to historic values. Sunderland are a good few months into the new era and new Chairman Stewart Donald has even been singled out by some supporters for being

too open! Proving you can't please all the people all of the time... Alongside Stewart at Sunderland is Executive Director Charlie Methven who is a genuine football person who stood in the London Rd end at Oxford from the age of six and gushes about football culture in a recent article for Fanzine A Love Supreme. Anyway, I will get to my point.. Charlie hit the nail on the head in his afore mentioned article and I wanted to share his words with you...'The point of a club is to be... a club. An institution that brings people together for shared experiences; where everyone has their own role; where a history of those shared experiences binds generations and binds the community that the club represents to the club itself.'

At Wealdstone we know who we are and I believe the board know who we are so lets move on together...

Mark

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From the Gaffer and management team



Welcome to Ian Alison his management team, players and officials of St Albans City Football Club.

It's nice to return back to the Vale today with our last home game coming 4 weeks ago. Even more pleasing that we come back with our 2019 unbeaten record intact which 7 weeks into the year. As we will continue to say, the only objective is can we keep it going for another week. We won't get carried away with recent results but sometimes you have to give credit where it is due and I think each and every member of this squad right now deserves it right now. It has been frustrating having 2 Saturdays in a row called off as we want to continue the momentum, but at this time of year you expect it and you have to turn it into a positive and say the extra recovery time does no harm.

We were lucky in that despite the Billericay game getting postponed we were back in action the following Tuesday with our re-arranged game at Truro. We said it on the night but again a massive thank you must go out to all the travelling supporters that made the gruelling trip up there. It does not go un-

noticed and its moments like that when you really see who Wealdstone are. The boys matched your support with an outstanding performance. We knew it would be tough as they have a phenomenal home record in midweek for obvious reasons. To be up against it at 1 nil down at half time in testing conditions could have easily seen us fold. However, the spirit, fight and despite conditions moments of quality we delivered to win the game was incredible.

Today sees us up against yet another play-off contender in St Albans. They have had a good season and a heavy defeat last week will see them come here looking to put that right. They play with a lot of attacking intent with pace and flair so we are aware of the threat they possess. However for 14 games now it is all about us and we will be doing our best to get those 3 points.

Enjoy the game, create a great atmosphere and may the best team win.

Bobby and the management team.

Richard Johnson

Meet our first-ever Technical Director.. a Watford FC legend of the 1990s who can make as big an impact at Grosvenor Vale



RICHARD Johnson achieved cult status at Watford on the back of the Hornets' promotion to the Premier League 20 years ago.

And although he's now too old to help out the Stones midfield with that infectious running-and-shooting style, the 44-year-old is the first stone in the foundation of the re-building of Wealdstone FC.

Richard was announced as the club's very first Technical Director earlier this week, as the newly-forged board takes steps to create a more holistic approach. And on the basis of 60 minutes' chat with the affable Aussie, it's clear we are headed in the right direction.

"I'm not here to step on any toes, I'm not taking anything out of the budget and I'm not going to dispense advice - what I'm going to bring is my contacts, my business expertise and my past experience in setting up youth and academy teams to

Wealdstone and see where it takes us.

"At the moment I work for Watford FC as a Business Development Executive, and also part-time for Wealdstone with a remit, first of all, to integrate the different parts of the club. It's got some great people working for it and huge potential. The relationship between Wealdstone and Watford - and a lot of other pro clubs - needs re-establishing and I believe I can have a big role in both player recruitment and also on the business and sponsorship side."

Richard served his apprenticeship at Watford and signed pro in 1992 - just as the Stones started that ill-fated groundshare at Vicarage Road. But if anything good came out of that fiasco, it was the friendship between Richard and our current board member Jon Pettifer, who was playing for the Stones at the time.

"Yeah, I knew Jon from those days but it wasn't until the recent Golf Day at

Grimsdyke that I bumped into him again. It was great getting together again and then we played golf with Rory Fitzgerald at Hadley Wood and they broached the idea of me getting involved at Wealdstone. I've seen a few games, and went to Woking last week - what a fantastic performance that was, by the way - and we realised it could really help the club and put us on a good, sound footing.

"Now my immediate task is to set up a bridge between the current Stones under-18s and an under-23 side. We need to appoint a manager for that team. At the moment we are just losing those

players because they are not ready to step into National League football - we want to get the under-23s into a local league or sort out a structured series of friendlies with pro clubs... then Bobby will have the pick of the local youngsters to augment his squad.

"I won't be telling the manager what to do; my job will be to support him and provide the underlying framework to make this club really well integrated into the local area. It's exciting to see how big the

Main image: Richard is pictured at the Hornets' 20-year reunion of their Wembley triumph. Right: He lifts the Championship play-off trophy

club could be".

Richard's name is synonymous with Graham Taylor's second spell at The Vicarage. After Taylor's acrimonious spell as manager of the national side he found sanctuary back at Watford - building the team that won promotion to the Premier League on a comparative shoestring and putting his faith in combative, talented youngsters like 'Johnno'.

"I didn't really figure in Kenny Jackett's and Glenn Roeder's sides in the early 90s but Graham saw something in me" said Richard who had come to Britain from Newcastle, Australia thanks to a devoted youth team coach who paid his air fare. He broke into the Hornets' team - then playing in League One - in 1995 and three years later, after two successive promotions, they were in the top flight.

"I'll never forget the 2-0 play-off final win over Bolton at Wembley. We've actually just celebrated a 20-year re-union of that day at Shendish Manor, an event for 300 people that I organised, and players flew in from New Zealand, Iceland and Ireland just for the event. A wonderful evening".

Nicky Wright's overhead kick, and a second from Alan Smart kicked off Watford's promotion party but it was a short-lived stay in the top flight for Taylor's men. And an even shorter one for Richard, who first damaged medial ligaments in a challenge from Steven Gerrard in the shock 1-0 win at Liverpool, **CONTINUED OVERPAGE**



RICHARD JOHNSON CONTINUED

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and then - on his return as a substitute at Old Trafford - he ruptured cruciate ligaments and damaged a cartilage.

It was the injury that effectively curtailed his career.

Johnno had recently made his debut for Australia in two games against Brazil - marking a young Ronaldinho - and then against Czechoslovakia and was excited about being in the squad for the Socceroos next game ...but instead he faced a long, difficult operation that was botched by the surgeon. Months of rehab were wasted when it was realised that the knee would have to be 'unpicked' and operated on once again.

"I even had to miss my honeymoon!" said Richard. He married Vanessa at Brocket Hall, Hertfordshire in 2000, but he had to go under the knife straight after the wedding. Despite the injuries, Tony Pulis lured Richard to play for Stoke (in the Prem) two years later but the travelling from St Albans (where he was then living) was 'a nightmare'.

Luckily, QPR, came in for him and he spent a season helping Rangers win promotion back to the Championship. But he had always wanted to return to Australia and in 2005 moved back 'home' when the A League was launched. He played a season for Newcastle United Jets, and then across the water to the New Zealand Knights.

In 2008 he set up a football academy at Wellington Phoenix with Rickie Herbert, the All-Whites (New Zealand national team) manager. Rich-

Richard (10) watches Nicky Wright's overhead kick fly into the Bolton net at Wembley



AUSSIE RULES
Richard tackles Brazil's Denilson in Australia's 2-0 defeat in Nov 1999

ard took a diploma in event management, persuaded Adidas and local companies to sponsor the set-up and realised that this may be where his talents lay.

He also coached Hakoah FC's under-18s in Sydney but by 2011 his wife (and baby son Edward) wanted to return to England, and specifically to Brentwood where her family is based. Richard became involved in corporate hospitality for Watford and then, at the start of the current season he was asked by Paul O'Brien (the club's commercial director) to join the sales side as an executive.

And now Wealdstone!

"This is a family club, in many ways similar to Watford and you could feel that warmth, energy and atmosphere only last Saturday at Woking" he said.

"Our aim is to bring all the strands together, to get the platform right, that's the way to generate a secure, structured and sustainable future".



BY SUDHIR RAWAL



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ELMSLIE ENDER

The Elmslie Ender



EE gets wet and wild this week as he looks at the change in fortunes the New Year has provided.

Wealdstone's remarkable away form continued with a great win down in Cornwall on a wet and wild midweek trip. For those that aren't aware, we have lost only one game since the tail end of August away from the Vale in the league, which seems remarkable when you consider our upper mid-table position and horrendous six-week spell running up to the end of last year. As under the previous regime in the Conference South, we seem to find it easier on the road than back on home turf in Ruislip. It would appear that no one can understand why we have fared so much better away from home than on the lush Vale turf in our near four years in the Conference South.

There is no doubt that there is an advantage for some clubs to have home games called off on a Saturday so that the opposition can be dragged down to the back end of nowhere midweek when availability will be much more difficult for

those travelling down and away support a fraction of what it would have been at the weekend. For Truro, the postponement of the game, just before Christmas, back fired, as at the time, the Cornishmen were flying and Stones were in a deep trough. Fast forward nearly two months and Stones were unbeaten in 2019, so the trip to Treyw Road was far less daunting. At this level, players are more likely to have more flexible jobs than say the level below, where they might be wedded to more 9-5 roles, so availability is less of an issue. Despite the midweek date, around 50 supporters made the trip down too, yes a far cry from the 300 we took down the first time to Cornwall, but pretty remarkable midweek when you take more fans than most would have done on a Saturday. They were rewarded with an excellent performance and a deserved win in the mud and the rain, returning home with the three points. Twitter was alive that evening and the man of the match vote attracted about three times as many votes as the

number of supporters that made the trip.

There were some great stories of how people got down there, whether by plane, the sleeper or an arduously long return trip that night by road, but there was a great little snippet of the life of a non-league player when Christian Smith tweeted that he'd left 30 hours prior to returning home from Truro, after booking two sessions of PT (he being personal trainer) at the start and end of that ridiculously long day.

Due to postponements and a holiday, I will have gone a month in between seeing Stones play by the time the Billericay game comes around. Not sure what you are like, but I am bored as hell if there is no football to watch on a Saturday. I might get to see Chelsea, if I can prise the season ticket off one of my lads, but otherwise it's off shopping or the like to keep me occupied. My wife, who has her Saturday perfectly planned, is beside herself if the game is off, as I am at home to cause merry hell. I could be like some

of my fellow supporters who don't tell their other halves that the game is off and just disappear down the pub! That's not a bad plan and certainly nowhere near as horrendous as what one of the programme team did last week. Already on his way to Weston, discovered the game was off and decided to go the ground

formerly built for Wealdstone where he at least saw the home side lose in front of barely a thousand of their own fans. A couple of weeks previously they had over six thousand at PEPF for their cup-tie verses Brentford. Their chairman threw his toys out of the pram when they were allocated the same amount of tickets for the replay that every other club has had due to the limitations of Griffin Park that they couldn't even sell out. I am hoping to get a

football fix in Mumbai, who have included Nicolas Anelka, Freddie Ljungberg and Diego Forlan as former players, and try and get to a Mumbai City match in the Indian Super League.

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'Despite the midweek date, around 50 supporters made the trip to Truro'



Together

Pic: Dan Finill - Dfinill Photography

STONES INTERVIEW BY TIM PARKS

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'Tell you what about Wealdstone.. the fans are amazing! The noise they make & the passion is something else!

Tarryn Allarakhia

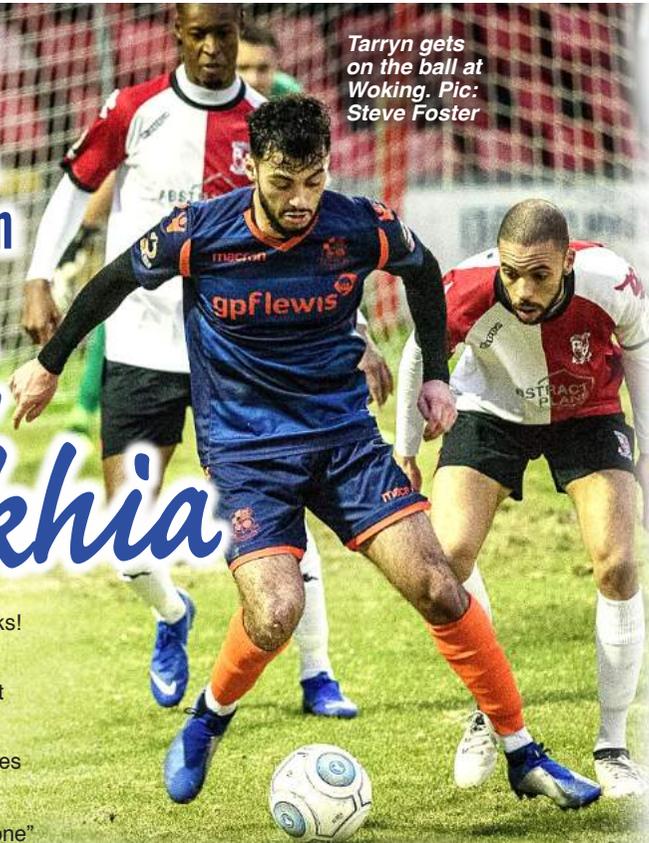
Tarryn Allarakhia is a real box of tricks! The Crawley Town winger - on loan here at the Vale until the end of the season - loves watching the world's best players on YouTube and then delivering those skills on the training ground and in matches. And it's paying off for The Stones in the short term and, hopefully for the League Two side in the future.

"I'm really enjoying myself at Wealdstone" said the 21-year-old when I caught up with him after the long, long trip down to Truro. In fact I tried to talk to him on the coach on the way to that game (on the phone) but the bus was incredibly noisy and we had to give up.

"You couldn't hear yourself think on the way there - we were excited and pumped up for the game but it was a lot quieter coming back... we were knackered!" he joked.

"I was in the squad for the trip to Carlisle when I was at Colchester a couple of years ago but Truro seemed so much further. After the coach and then driving back round the M25 I didn't get home 'til 5.30 in the morning!"

"But I was so pleased for everyone, especially the fans, that we got the result there on a really difficult surface. I blame the pitch for those corners I took which sailed almost out of the ground!"



Tarryn gets on the ball at Woking. Pic: Steve Foster

The Truro FC video seemed to delight in pronouncing his name wrong ('Heraklion' at one point) and then apologised for what seemed like bad editing when identical corners shot way over the heads of everyone and out for a throw on the far side.

"There was a little hard bump in the very wet corner quadrant and I tried to sit the ball up on it and dink it in - but I just overhit it each time. I had to ask Greenie to help me out in the end!" he laughed.

Nevertheless, Tarryn was acclaimed as the Man of the Match and he won the penalty that got us back in the game in the second half. "I got on the ball around the edge of the box but it bobbed badly - when I realised the defender was close by I placed my foot between him and the ball and the contact was enough for a clear

penalty. I should have scored a couple of goals myself later on but I was pleased with my contribution... everybody is loving the way we are playing, with a very compact shape but being allowed to express ourselves.

"Bobby the gaffer has told me, Pratty, Greenie, Eoin and Jeffrey to cause havoc with little darting runs in and around defenders and the results speak for themselves."

But YouTube has to take much of the credit for Tarryn's clever style of play. "I like to watch people like Eden Hazard and copy his tricks - his flicks and tricks that make life so uncomfortable for defenders. It's great to try them out in training and in games - but only in the attacking third. You can't go losing the ball in defensive areas, that was drummed into me very quickly!"

He was brought up in Iford, East London and still lives there with his supportive family. His dad is a big Arsenal fan and it was at Highbury, not the Emirates where young Tarryn first fell in love with the game, watching stars like Thierry Henry and Robert Pires.

"I'm still a Gooner but it's not the same at The Emirates. It's a bit remote and removed... the atmosphere at Highbury was intense and passionate and that's missing from the new ground.

"Tell you what about Wealdstone" he lit up. "The fans are amazing. The noise they made at Woking! The atmosphere against Hungerford coming down the slope! If nothing else, I want to perform for the fans and get them excited... my highlight of this season was the game at Woking and scoring that goal but I wished I could have done it at the other end, where our supporters were. That would have been something!"

Tarryn started off in Leyton Orient's youth team but he wasn't offered a scholarship so went instead to play for Aveley and then Maldon & Tiptree in non-League. He was quickly spotted as a youngster with potential and Colchester moved to sign him on a one-year deal.

But in a frustrating 2017-18, Tarryn failed to make a first team appearance and was happy to sign his current three year deal at Crawley (right) when the

Red Devils' then-manager Harry Kewell recognised his ability last summer.

He's since made three appearances in League Two - memorably coming on as sub against Cambridge United at 0-0 and helping Town to a 2-0 win - but his favourite game was his debut at Notts County.

"We were losing 2-0 when I came on and then it went to 3-0. But I went past a few players and set up a goal to make it 3-1 and the boss was pleased with the way I'd changed the game. Now I see this loan as a positive thing - it's great to have the chance to play regular football and show what I can do".

So did he know any of our players before joining the Stones? "I knew Eoin McKeown from Colchester and it was good to link up with him again - he's deceptive and unpredictable which defenders hate, and makes those little runs into space which Bobby loves.

"I can honestly say that that this Wealdstone team is the only one I've been involved with where you're encouraged to play football all the time - we all trust each other, we all seem to be on the same wavelength and the changing room is funny and loud."

So you'll probably be tearing up your Crawley contract in the summer and signing for us?" I joked.

"Well, my ambition is to make it in professional football but this season is all about getting to the play-offs with Wealdstone and playing my part" he said diplomatically.

That's a yes then!



Fan in the Stand

Dec is Mr New Tech but he also loves old tech.. especially this programme!

Facing the questions today is 19-year-old Dec O'Reilly, the latest addition to the Stones' Press and Media team. Great to have aboard someone who lives locally and was already a supporter! **Whereabouts you live, Dec?**

Just a five minute walk from The Vale, just off West End Road towards Ruislip Gardens. I have lived there my whole life but I have family heritage in North London. Living in Ruislip couldn't be more ideal!

First Wealdstone game attended? The Ryman Premier Play-off Semi-Final vs Concord Rangers in 2013. Richard Jolly scored his final goal for the club that day and it will always stick to me as he was such a strong favourite amongst the Stones faithful. He jumped like a salmon from a cross into the box and I had a great view of the finish behind the goal.

After that I was hooked on the Stones for a while and went to most home games during the 2013/14 title winning season and our first season back in the Conference South in 2014/15. It was great to witness Tom Pett develop himself into a professional footballer as he moved to Stevenage after that 2013/14 season. Furthermore, watching Like O'Nien dominate at the closing weeks of the 2013/14 season and for most of 2014/15 was a delight - Luke is up there with Glen Little as one of the best midfielders I've seen at Wealdstone in my time.

I stopped going as much in 2015/16 as I did in the previous few seasons, mainly going to Monday night fixtures as I was working on Saturdays. Bradley Hudson-Odoi was unbelievable that season and it was great to see him back at the club this season.

How did you become involved with the current duties? One of my friends at university actually told me that an opportunity was open at Wealdstone back in November. I got

in touch with the Club's photographer Dan on Twitter and got the ball rolling from there.

Run us through your normal Saturday routine once you arrive... I'll usually arrive at the ground an hour and a quarter before kick-off. Firstly, I say my hellos and then go over to the press box to set up my notes, laptop and my phone to connect to the internet. I will then most likely hang around near the tunnel waiting for the team news to be printed and ready to go which is usually just under an hour until kick-off.

Once I get my hands on the team sheet I will get myself back into the press box and to my laptop and fill out the Stones Starting XI on the various graphics we have to post on social media Then the pre-match live stream on Twitter - Dan and I will run through the team news, give predictions and analysis etc. for supporters listening live and on replay.

Once that is done it is ready to take my seat in the press box. The game kicks off and I will be tweeting everything that goes on during the match minute-by-minute. While doing

DEC O'REILLY

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Dec is pictured at the Slough away game on New Year's Day.. and we've not lost since! Also sneaking into shot is club photographer Dan Finill



this I'll be beginning my match report to go onto the Wealdstone website as well as local papers.

Half-time rolls around, Dan and I will live stream the half-time report explaining key events of the first half and half time scores across the league.

Once the second half begins I will be tweeting again while I continue to write my match report - trying to juggle the two was tough at first but I'm improving at speed every game and it's great practice.

The full-time whistle blows and I notify Instagram and Twitter before finishing off and refining my match report to be ready to be sent off; Dan and I will conclude our various live content with a full-time reaction and analysis of the game which is broadcasted onto Twitter.

The conclusion of the live content means I can find a member of the Stones management staff to get any post-match comments and provide questions for them to answer about the game. This content is then uploaded to Wealdstone's Official YouTube channel to be listened to by fans.

My matchday work is finished when the interview is uploaded to YouTube - I aim to have everything finished by around 6 or 6:30pm if it is a 3pm kick-off.

Do you follow other clubs? Arsenal have always been my club. I went to my first game when I just turned 7 years old and I've consistently gone to Arsenal games - usually 5 to 10 a season with the odd away day whenever the opportunity comes up.

I have a lot of mates that support Watford because I went to school in Hertfordshire; I used to follow the Hornets for a few seasons during their time in the Championship and first season back in the Premier League.

What's the best Wealdstone game you've seen? The one Stones game that sticks out is a recent game - the away match against Woking this season which saw Wealdstone dominate

proceedings against a title-chasing side, winning 2-0. It was my first time visiting Kingfield and the way the Stones went there with no fear and conducted themselves extremely well and securing the victory. The 3-3 with Bath City at The Vale earlier this season was also an entertaining affair. It rained extremely heavily that day but the entertainment factor was all there for all to see as the Stones came from behind twice to salvage a 3-3 draw. The Stones were in black and white stripes to commemorate the fallen in the World War and all we did to celebrate their legacies were staggering.

Are you working outside football? I go to university at UCFB where I'm in my first year studying Football Business and Media. The campus is Wembley Stadium and it is a surreal experience every time I see the pitch from my seminar and lecture rooms.

I also work in a supermarket during the week, typically having three shifts a week which works around my football and university commitments. My professional ambitions are to be a part of a media team at a very highly regarded company, whether that is at one of the best football clubs in the world or one of the best media companies in the world. Also, I would potentially like to see myself possibly working abroad in sport on a regular basis - maybe FC Barcelona!

As for the club's programme... Do you think print has a future or will it end up in a digital format? I think there is more than enough room for print matchday programmes - especially at a club such as Wealdstone which have a large fan base dedicated to matchday traditions; for most supporters, buying a matchday programme is part of matchday tradition which people have conducted over many years and decades. We are seeing the growth of digital matchday programmes across the professional divisions alongside the print version but at Wealdstone, fans love the matchday programme how it is and I do not think the transition to digital in that form is necessary at the moment.

And finally... Where do you see the club five year's time? In five year's I want to see Wealdstone mid table and fighting for promotion out of the National League and push to make their way to League 2. The squad and management staff at this football club are capable of achieving this in my opinion.



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*Please note that we can accommodate **multiple match sponsors** and can **tailor the experience** to whatever are your requirements. For example, we can cater for as many as **25 people** in our magnificent and new **hospitality lounge**. This facility has undergone a comprehensive re-fit with substantial investment courtesy of our club sponsors GPF Lewis & Ruislip Social Club. Our match sponsors and their guests are all entertained in surroundings befitting such a special occasion be it a birthday, anniversary or any other special event!



We will work with you to ensure you and your guests get to enjoy a truly memorable experience. If you or your organisation are interested in sponsoring a match here at The Vale, please contact Club President, **Paul Rumens** (paulrumens59@gmail.com or call **07710 929692**) to discuss.

MATCH	SPONSORS
WESTON-SUPER-MARE Saturday, 4th August Vanarama National League South	Sentinel7
WOKING Monday, 13th August Vanarama National League South	Wealdstone FC Supporters Club
CONCORD RANGERS Saturday, 25th August Vanarama National League South	Barry Eynon - in memory of John O'Connor
TRURO CITY Saturday, 1st September Vanarama National League South	Optima Site Solutions
CHELMSFORD CITY Saturday, 15th September Vanarama National League South	Optima Site Solutions
GREAT WAKERING ROVERS Saturday, 22nd September FA Cup 2nd Qualifying Round	Dominic Whyley
HAMPTON & RICHMOND Saturday, 13th October Vanarama National League South	David Leigh
SUTTON UNITED Saturday, 20th October FA Cup 4th Qualifying Round	Sentinel7
TORQUAY UNITED Saturday, 27th October Vanarama National League South	The Jeffresons & Martin Allen Diamond Comic Distributors
GLOUCESTER CITY Monday, 29th October Vanarama National League South	Harrow Sales & Marketing
BATH CITY Saturday, 10th November Vanarama National League South	Ray Corner & Peter Carter
EASTBOURNE BOROUGH Saturday, 1st December Vanarama National League South	Preston Manor Century Boys

MATCH	SPONSORS
SLOUGH TOWN Wednesday, 26th December Vanarama National League South	Sentinel7
OXFORD CITY Saturday, 29th December Vanarama National League South	Tony Platt
DARTFORD Saturday, 5th January Vanarama National League South	Sudhir Rawal Ray Corner
HUNGERFORD TOWN Saturday, 19th January Vanarama National League South	The Half-Way Line Tea Bar
BILLERICAY TOWN Saturday, 2nd February Vanarama National League South	Wealdstone FC Ladies
ST ALBANS CITY Saturday, 16th February Vanarama National League South	GPF Lewis PLC Your Name Here?
WELLING UNITED Saturday, 9th March Vanarama National League South	In Memory of Darren Hooker Your Name Here?
CHIPPENHAM TOWN Saturday, 23rd March Vanarama National League South	Turf Doctor Specialists Ltd Your Name Here?
EAST THURROCK UNITED Saturday, 6th April Vanarama National League South	Jon Taffel ProKit UK Your Name Here?
DULWICH HAMLET Saturday, 20th April Vanarama National League South	In Memory of George Mowle
HEMEL HEMPSTEAD TOWN Saturday, 27th April Vanarama National League South	SFC Wealdstone Your Name Here? Your Name Here?

ACTION REPLAY

Words - Dec O'Reilly

Tuesday 5th February 2019 - Treyew Road
National League South - Attendance 251



1

Harvey 45'

LINE-UP

Rivers
Thompson
Riley-Lowe
Grimes
Richards
Rowthorne
Herve
Allen
Hurst
Harvey
Lewington

Subs Used:

Rooney
Keats
Battle

Not Used:

Harding
Ziboth



FIRST HALF

There was one forced change for Wealdstone at Treyew Road – James Clark returned to replace suspended full-back Jake Sheppard.

The Stones started quickly with an early chance for midfielder Simon Mensah in the third minute when he won the ball on the edge of the Truro box but fired over.

10 minutes later Truro left back Connor Riley-Lowe fired a free kick from the half-way line towards Jared Lewington who just tipped his header over the bar.

Truro full-back Niall Thompson rushed forward down the right channel in the 26th minute only for his first time shot to bobble on the surface before firing over the bar.

Stones top scorer David Pratt received his first chance of the game five minutes before the break courtesy of a Ramarni Medford-Smith cross but Pratt headed off target.

The away side registered their first shot on target two minutes before half-time through set-piece specialist Danny Green on the edge of the box but was easily caught by Truro 'keeper Harvey Rivers.

The White Tigers won a free kick on the edge of Wealdstone's 18-yard box which top scorer Tyler Harvey struck perfectly into the top corner to give put Truro ahead on the stroke of half-time.



SECOND HALF

The Stones began the second half much brighter than they did in the first – six minutes into the second period Crawley Town loanee Tarryn Allarakhia shot near post but was saved by Rivers into the side-netting.

The big chance finally fell to the Stones on the hour-mark. Allarakhia was fouled by Thompson in the box and former Maidenhead midfielder Christian Smith made no mistake from the spot.

Less than five minutes later Wealdstone were in-behind when Allarakhia played Colchester United loanee Eoin McKeown through on goal but his right-footed effort was saved by Rivers. Harvey grabbed himself a half-chance on the right hand side three minutes for Truro but fired wide of Jonathan North's near post.

Wealdstone dominated this phase of the half and the second goal fell to set-piece specialist Green in the 75th minute.

McKeown's cross from the left was cleared only as far as Green who shifted the ball onto his left foot on the edge of the box and curled a beautiful shot into Rivers' top corner. Wealdstone turned to their defensive qualities before McKeown forced a save out of Rivers six minutes from time.



2

Smith 59',
Green 75'

LINE-UP

North
Clark
Medford-Smith
Stevens
Okimo
Allarakhia
Mensah
Pratt
Green
Smith

Subs Used:

Mitchell
McKeown
Not Used:
Monakana
Paterson

A FOOT IN BOTH CAMPS

WEALDSTONE v ST ALBANS CITY 16.02.2019

Lee Chappell

He's played for the Stones and the Saints.. now he's turning out for Hendon but just can't wait to retire!

Chapps, a Stones legend after half a dozen years in a blue shirt, has been persuaded to pick up his golden pen again one last time...

Good afternoon to both sets of supporters today, which I'm sure will be a very competitive game! Both teams are chasing down the play off spots, and I wish you both the best of luck. I've had the pleasure of playing the majority of my 680+ games for both teams, and I know you are both good enough on and off the field to progress.

Hi Northy, fancy skiing in December? Don't worry Attic, I'll make sure we don't drink too much or ski backwards again into a children's ski group! How are you Ginge? Still shouting absolute nonsense in broken English: 'Why don't you and Spendy bugger off back to Essex!' Never change my man :)



Football Web Pages	
Hendon	2
Shaquille Hippolyte-Patrick (7)	
Connor Calcutt (90')	
Salisbury	2
Fitchett (45')	
Fitchett (64')	
Fix: Six Southern Premier South	
Attendance: 283	
Kick-off: 3pm	
Venue: Silver Jubilee Park	
Full-time: Hendon 2-2 Salisbury	
Half-time: Hendon 1-1 Salisbury	
90' Connor Calcutt scores	
82 Ogo Obi replaced Darren Locke	
71 Connor Calcutt replaced Lewis Toomey	
64' Fitchett scores	
45' Fitchett scores	
30 Lee Chappell cautioned	
7 Shaquille Hippolyte-Patrick scores	

A few familiar names here! Above: Football Web pages gives details of the Hendon v Salisbury draw a few weeks ago. Left: Chapps in action for Hendon and (below left) he is pictured for both St Albans and the Stones



Things change in football though, and I was gutted to hear of Gordon's departure from the mighty Stones. We spoke straight after I heard and I could

just tell that the time was right for him to move away after so long and enjoy his 'retirement'. Speaking of grey old school managers, Ian Allinson continues to do a fine job at St Albans, and I cannot wait to jump on him in a Hertford pub again when he is out having a quiet meal with his wife!

I don't like talking about myself too much, as you all know but you'll all be pleased to hear that I still have a long throw, a lovely set piece delivery and continue to not



track back once I pass the halfway line at Hendon.

Retirement was pending until Jimmy Grey literally tracked me down in my local and made me sign a deal for one more year. It had nothing to do with the amount of tequila I had drunk or the headlock he had me in, I promise!

Darren Locke has also signed at Hendon so he has been made welcome by listening to a song before games called 'chicken and bread'. We don't quite know the words but were thinking of starting a rap group once we hang up the pink and yellow boots!

You will also be pleased to hear that Spendlove and Ebeyer have fully retired, so you can keep your voices in check for someone else to shout obscenities at - maybe Tom Bender the St Albans centre back, who straightens his hair and pouts on his instagram photos!

From both clubs the FA Cup/Trophy runs always stick out for me and although league positions are key throughout a season, you can never beat a giant killing and having a beer or 12 with the fans afterwards.

When I first signed for Wealdstone, Fergus Moore took me under his wing and I will be forever grateful for him helping me understand the values of the club, and how to get the fans on your side quickly! Don't forget to buy his book, available in all book outlets #ad #referralmoney

Lastly, has Leo F#cking Morris drunk the bar dry? Will Howard Kraiss finally buy a new suit? Who actually agreed to give Richard Jolly a bottle of wine and a Kinder Egg **EVERYTIME HE SCORED!**

Lots of love, El Capitan
*IF I HAD THE WINGS OF A SPARROW, IF I HAD THE A**E OF A CROW... (over to you Raider) x

Just to prove that nothing really changes in football, even after 64 years...

Here at Programme Towers we have a HUGE selection of back issues, and it amused us to read - back in 1955 - that young Stones fans were being threatened with reprisals for 'horseplay' (including throwing fireworks) during matches. Now where have we heard that more recently?

And very gratifying to read about the 6-0 win over our neighbours Harrow Town. Whatever happened to them?

Saturday, 1st October, 1955 Kick off 3.15 p.m.
Athenian League - Senior Section
Wealdstone v. Barnet
CLUB NOTES

Last Saturday was one of those days when things came off. Harrow Town made us a present of the first one and we were soon three goals up. Then just before half time we added three more to give us a 6-0 lead at the interval. In the second half we were not so aggressive and added only one. Scorers were V. Evans 3, J. Bowen, I. Harper, H. Wegryzk and an opponent. In the next round we meet Southall on this ground.

Today we are back to the League struggle and we need points badly. Our visitors, Barnet, always provide excellent fare and we give them a hearty welcome. At Barnet a few weeks ago they beat us by the odd goal so we hope to reverse that decision today.

NOTICE TO BOYS.

One of the last things we want to do is to ban boys from attending matches, but the matter is under consideration by the Committee. Many boys come to the ground and indulge in horseplay and games. They clamber on the stands and payboxes. One boy has been caught with a whistle. Then there is the firework nuisance. If the boys are barred from the ground it will be their own fault. The Committee are determined that spectators who pay to see the matches shall do so in comfort and free from annoyance.

NEXT SATURDAY AT LOWER MEAD.
The first team will be at home to Southall in the 2nd Qualifying Round of the F.A. Cup. K.O 3 p.m.

STAND TICKETS FOR SOUTHALL MATCH.
These are available this afternoon and up to Thursday next week at the Club during the evening.

KEY TO SYMBOLS

- = Yellow Card
- = Red Card
- S = Straight Red
- = Man of the Match
- ⊥ = Goal
- ⊥ = Penalty
- = 1st Player Substituted
- ⇌ = 1st Substitute Used
- ⇌ = 2nd Player Substituted
- ⇌ = 2nd Substitute Used
- ⇌ = 3rd Player Substituted
- ⇌ = 3rd Substitute Used
- NLS = National League South
- FAC = FA Cup
- FAT = FA Trophy
- MSC = Middlesex Senior Cup
- MCC = Middlesex Charity Cup

RESULTS & FIXTURES 2018/2019

AUGUST		Competition	Result	Crowd	Pos.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	14	15	16	17/GK
4	WESTON-SUPER-MARE	NLS	4-1	750	2	North	Tyler	Grant	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	White	Ahmidi	Pratt	Green	Hudson-Odoi	Bubb	Mambo	Lench	Monakana	Sheppard
7	Hungerford Town	NLS	1-1	435	5	North	Tyler	Sheppard	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	White	Ahmidi	Pratt	Green	Hudson-Odoi	Bubb	Mambo	Brown	Lench	Monakana
11	Billerica Town	NLS	0-1	1,152	11	North	Tyler	Grant	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	Monakana	Ahmidi	Pratt	White	Hudson-Odoi	Bubb	Mambo	Green	Wilson	Clark
13	WOKING	NLS	1-0	1,323	8	North	Tyler	Grant	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	Monakana	Ahmidi	Pratt	Green	White	Bubb	Mambo	Lench	Clark	Mitchell
18	Dartford	NLS	3-0	981	5	North	Tyler	Grant	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	Monakana	Ahmidi	Pratt	Green	Bubb	White	Mambo	Lench	Clark	Lench
25	CONCORD RANGERS	NLS	1-1	786	5	North	Tyler	Grant	Okimo	Mambo	Poku	Monakana	Ahmidi	Pratt	Green	Bubb	Wilson	Hudson-Odoi	Mitchell	White	Lench
27	Oxford City	NLS	0-3	466	8	North	Tyler	Grant	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	White	Lench	Pratt	Green	Hudson-Odoi	White	Bubb	Sheppard	Monakana	Clark
SEPTEMBER																					
1	TRURO CITY	NLS	3-0	743	5	North	Tyler	Grant	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	Bubb	Ahmidi	Pratt	Green	Hudson-Odoi	Mambo	Monakana	Mitchell	Lench	Sheppard
8	Dulwich Hamlet	NLS	1-1	1,103	6	North	Tyler	Grant	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	Monakana	Ahmidi	Pratt	Green	Hudson-Odoi	Wilson	Mitchell	Green	Shomotun	Brown
15	CHELMSFORD CITY	NLS	2-3	856	11	North	Tyler	Grant	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	Bubb	Ahmidi	Pratt	Green	Hudson-Odoi	Wilson	Sheppard	Brown	Monakana	Lench
22	GREAT WAKING ROVERS	FAC20	2-0	402	11	North	Tyler	Grant	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	Lench	Ahmidi	Brown	Bubb	Shomotun	Wilson	Mambo	Hudson-Odoi	Monakana	Sheppard
29	East Thurrock United	NLS	1-0	274	7	North	Sheppard	Grant	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	Lench	Ahmidi	Brown	Shomotun	Hudson-Odoi	Wilson	Green	Monakana	Slew	Clark
OCTOBER																					
6	Hungerford Town	FAC30	2-1	306	7	North	Sheppard	Grant	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	Shomotun	Ahmidi	Bubb	Green	Hudson-Odoi	Wilson	Monakana	Lench	Slew	Clark
13	HAMPTON & RICHMOND	NLS	2-1	1,163	4	North	Sheppard	Grant	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	Shomotun	Ahmidi	Pratt	Green	Bubb	Wilson	Charles	Clark	Slew	Lench
20	SUTTON UNITED	FAC40	1-2	1,082	4	North	Sheppard	Grant	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	Bubb	Ahmidi	Pratt	Green	Shomotun	Wilson	Charles	Lench	Hudson-Odoi	Tyler
27	TORQUAY UNITED	NLS	0-3	1,241	7	North	Sheppard	Tyler	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	Shomotun	Lench	Pratt	Green	Bubb	Wilson	Charles	Mensah	Hudson-Odoi	Clark
29	GLOUCESTER CITY	NLS	2-0	675	5	North	Tyler	Okimo	Wilson	Stevens	Poku	Shomotun	Mensah	Pratt	Bubb	Hudson-Odoi	Sheppard	Green	Clark	Charles	Slew
NOVEMBER																					
3	Welling United	NLS	1-1	507	7	North	Tyler	Payne	Stevens	Wilson	Poku	Sheppard	Mensah	Pratt	Bubb	Hudson-Odoi	Shomotun	Charles	Green	Clark	Slew
6	UXBRIDGE	MSC2R	5-3	180	7	Wheeler	Yala-Bolasie	Payne	Massingham	Rodgers	Regis	Clark	Slew	Charles	Bubb	Azeez	Shomotun	Mitchell	Monakana	Mensah	Clark
10	BATH CITY	NLS	3-3	901	7	North	Tyler	Payne	Okimo	Wilson	Poku	Hudson-Odoi	Mensah	Pratt	Bubb	Regis	Sheppard	Shomotun	Monakana	Green	Charles
13	Hemel Hempstead Town	NLS	1-0	703	2	North	Tyler	Payne	Stevens	Okimo	Wilson	Sheppard	Poku	Bubb	Green	Pratt	Charles	Hudson-Odoi	Rees	Mensah	Monakana
17	Chippenham Town	NLS	1-3	618	5	North	Tyler	Payne	Stevens	Okimo	Wilson	Sheppard	Poku	Bubb	Green	Pratt	Charles	Hudson-Odoi	Shomotun	Sheppard	Monakana
24	Concord Rangers	FAT30	3-2	281	7	North	Tyler	Okimo	Stevens	Wilson	Poku	Shomotun	Smith	Pratt	Green	Hudson-Odoi	Bubb	Charles	Monakana	Payne	Mensah
DECEMBER																					
1	EASTBOURNE BOROUGH	NLS	0-3	719	8	Roberts	Tyler	Okimo	Stevens	Wilson	Poku	Shomotun	Smith	Pratt	Green	Hudson-Odoi	Bubb	Azeez	Monakana	Payne	Mensah
8	St Albans City	NLS	0-0	730	11	North	Tyler	Payne	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	Sheppard	Smith	Pratt	Green	Monakana	Hudson-Odoi	Wilson	Mitchell	Regis	Shomotun
15	Biggleswade Town	FATIP	1-2	258	11	North	Sheppard	Okimo	Stevens	Wilson	Poku	Mensah	Smith	Pratt	McKeown	Green	Wilson	Samizadeh	Monakana	Regis	Shomotun
26	SLOUGH TOWN	NLS	0-3	1,059	12	North	Sheppard	Medford-Smith	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	Lench	Samizadeh	Pratt	Green	Monakana	Wilson	Hudson-Odoi	Smith	Obi	Kovalkowski
29	OXFORD CITY	NLS	0-2	711	14	North	Sheppard	Medford-Smith	Stevens	Wilson	Okimo	Smith	Poku	Kovalkowski	Pratt	Green	Monakana	Wilson	Hudson-Odoi	Mensah	McKeown
JANUARY																					
1	Slough Town	NLS	1-0	995	13	North	Sheppard	Medford-Smith	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	Monakana	Mensah	Pratt	Green	Hudson-Odoi	Wilson	Smith	Lench	Kovalkowski	Obi
5	DARTFORD	NLS	1-1	824	12	North	Sheppard	Medford-Smith	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	Monakana	Mensah	Pratt	Green	Mitchell	Wilson	Smith	Lench	McKeown	Obi
8	BRENTFORD 'B'	MSCOF	0-2	190	12	Wheeler	Yala-Bolasie	Medford-Smith	Wilson	Mambo	Smith	Clark	Rodgers	Bridgeman	Mitchell	Azeez	Kovalkowski	McKeown	Sheppard		
12	Concord Rangers	NLS	2-2	492	13	North	Mitchell	Medford-Smith	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	Allarakhia	Mensah	Pratt	Green	McKeown	Monakana	Wilson	Smith	Obi	
19	HUNGERFORD TOWN	NLS	1-0	740	11	North	Sheppard	Medford-Smith	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	Allarakhia	Mensah	Pratt	Green	Monakana	Hudson-Odoi	McKeown	Smith	Mitchell	Azeez
26	Woking	NLS	2-0	2075	10	North	Sheppard	Medford-Smith	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	Allarakhia	Mensah	Pratt	Green	Smith	Monakana	Mitchell	McKeown	Azeez	Psterson
FEBRUARY																					
5	Truro City	NLS	2-1	251	8	North	Clark	Medford-Smith	Stevens	Okimo	Poku	Allarakhia	Mensah	Pratt	Green	Smith	Monakana	Mitchell	McKeown	Paterson	
16	ST ALBANS CITY	NLS	---	---	---																
23	Eastbourne Borough	NLS	---	---	---																
25	BILLERICA TOWN	NLS	---	---	---																
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2	Gloucester City	NLS	---	---	---																
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6	EAST THURROCK UTD	NLS	---	---	---																
13	Hampton & Richmond	NLS	---	---	---																
20	DULWICH HAMLET	NLS	---	---	---																
22	Chelmsford City	NLS	---	---	---																
27	HEMEL HEMPSTEAD TN	NLS	---	---	---																



ABOVE: Jonathan North to the rescue as the Stones chalk up a memorably win on the road at Woking. Picture courtesy @Aqueoussunphoto

FRIENDLY RESULTS 2018/2019

- June 30 **Bracknell Town** (Away) **D 3-3**
Bubb, Monakana (2)
- July 9 **Marlow** (Away) **W 1-0**
Pratt
- July 14 **Swindon Supermarine** (Away) **W 1-0**
Bubb
- July 17 **Maidenhead United** (Home) **D 0-0**
- July 21 **Aldershot Town** (Home D) **1-1**
Hudson-Odoi
- July 23 **Reading U23s** (Away) **L 0-2**
- July 24 **Staines Town** (Away) **W 5-2**
Pratt (2), White, Monakana, Lench
- July 28 **Bromley** (Home) **L 1-2**
Bubb
- July 31 **Cardiff City** (Home) **W 3-0**
Ahmidi, Harris, Bubb
- Sep 3 **Potters Bar Town** (Home) **W 2-1**
Monakana, Own Goal



The World of Ball

I went to the Hive and it's true, I felt like a traitor

Last Saturday was one of the most disturbing days I've ever experienced in football.

I saw the future of the game at a surreal, high-tech corporate level, and I didn't like it.

To be honest, it was a bit of a mistake going to watch the Barnet v Sutton United game at The Hive when our match at Weston Super-Mare was rained off. There. I've said it. I went to watch a game at The Hive.

That sounds like blasphemy, given the history between Wealdstone and Barnet concerning the stadium at Canons Park, and myself and my travel companions - long-time Stones fans Mick Fishman and Nick Symmons - were a bit uncomfortable about it but still intrigued to see how the Bees' were settling into their new home. When the alternatives are Yeading v Cheshunt or a long trek to Dulwich v Welling, it seemed like a decent option.

But it wasn't. On so many levels.

Was there a bit of envy involved here? Definitely. After all, Barnet FC and chairman Tony Kleanthous had wrestled control of the site some 13 years ago from the Stones. Some ten years of locating, negotiating, funding, lobbying and partly-completing the facility (and spending £300,000 of the club's own monies) all came to nought when the private company paying the builders (Wealdstone's development partners) went into liquidation. Something completely beyond the control of the club.

Harrow Council put the unfinished stadium and 44 acres of land up for tender and - with the Stones unable to compete financially, despite pairing up with another bidder - the



Good view... but an anodyne experience

deepest pockets won the day.

Of course, we have the right to play at the new stadium under the terms of the lease now re-assigned to Barnet, but the Hertfordshire club (now laughably playing in Harrow while we, a Harrow club, have been forced away to Hillingdon) insist on terms that are unsustainable: No income from any of the facilities at the ground. It would just be a hugely expensive groundshare. The Vale looks like a Garden of Eden compared to the colossal, unwieldy grandiose hulk of The Hive.

But putting any bitterness aside, what did we make of the whole matchday experience? Well, it started amusingly when a very jolly 'greeter' wished us a warm welcome to The Hive and directed us towards the ticketing booths.

Wot, no turnstiles? Instead it was more akin to buying theatre tickets as the young lady behind the glass screen told us she could get us three tickets together in the 'Legends Stand' (legends already, this was our first visit) which equated to the monstrous stand (installed without the proper planning permission) backing onto the Jubilee Line. Just £22 each (£14 for concessions). We walked around behind the Bees Terrace (a bargain £10) to find a long queue waiting to be frisked before you were actually let into the stadium, with your ticket read by barcode. Nick later admitted the pat-down was his



GUESTING: TIM PARKS

highlight of the day.

We avoided the £4 hot dogs and had a look in the long 'Legends' bar which runs pretty much the whole length of the ground, an excellent facility but with very few 'legends' displayed on its walls. Barnet FC's history only seems to go back to the late 1980s. What would Roger Figg, the D'Arcy brothers, Les Eason or Ricky George have to say about that?

Through the tunnel and up into the main stand - very impressive you have to admit, with great sweeping views from our seats in the top row across the rest of the ground and much of Canons Park. You can see why the neighbours complained long and loud about the sheer size of this structure - and indeed the even newer cantilever stand behind the North End goal. Do you think we'd get away with this at The Vale?

Opposite is the original leisure facility enclosed within a similar sized building, but with far fewer seats. This would have been the main stand when the Stones were first building PEPF (as it was then known) while the only surviving original metal terraced area is to the right. This stand, a longer version of the Bulla Stand at the Vale, is where most of the younger Barnet fans congregate and you can see why: It is compact, old school and seems more like 'home' than the rest of the ground put together.

Why is The Hive so bloody big? The crowd for this Sutton game was 1,300 with probably 300 making the trip up from South London (and penned in an area in the giant North Stand similar to the one we took up at Woking) and barely 1,000 home fans scattered in the 'Legends' stand and on that terrace. It is simply not possible to generate an atmosphere in a stadium so bleak and mostly empty.

Yes, there are clearly generations of Barnet fans who still watch their team - mostly all travelling the half dozen miles south from Barnet, if the conversations I've had are true) and most of them decorated in brand new orange and black bar scarves. Smatterings of half-hearted chanting ring out. "We are the Black & Amber Army".

Amber? The team wear orange, the fans wear orange. It's like Wealdstone switching to navy blue and nobody noticing. And going back to my previous question, why is the

ground so big? Has the chairman not noticed that he cannot grow crowds in that part of Harrow? Why is he even contemplating knocking down the final small terrace to add to the existing 5,356 seats? Mr Symmons reckons that the size of the stand roofs play a key part, appearing to host solar or mobile phone panels, while I favour the theory that he wants to move another, better-supported club into the Hive to groundshare. But probably not Wealdstone.

Looking down on the action, as Barnet singularly failed to tippy-tappy their way through the massed ranks of Sutton defenders, I came to the conclusion that the Hive is simply inappropriate for non-League football.

I don't mind watching the chess matches masquerading as Premier League football when the football is precise, the crowd engaged and the skills sumptuous - but the hoofball on display at the Hive for £22 simply isn't up to it.

Oh, and finally, the final straw. No printed programme. You can imagine how upsetting this was for me, a traditional football-goer for whom programmes are an essential part of the experience - especially at a new ground. And there were quite a few people asking the same question inside the ground... and a lot of grey haired blokes looking around listlessly at half time. There is a digital version available for download but I don't think I saw anybody - anybody - peering at a programme on their smart phone, even during the break.

I had a look when I got home and, frankly, it is an insult... page after digital page of adverts and sponsors messages, with the occasional over-displayed 'gaffers' column' or 'skippers corner' where the message is basically a re-hash of 'We were disappointed with how the game went last week, but keep the faith and get behind the boys this afternoon'. What a waste of time.

Is this what football is coming to at National League level? Chasing the corporate buck, playing in an oversized, empty stadium with clubs more interested in the income from renting out the facilities for weddings and barmitzvahs?

It was an empty, expensive, anodyne experience. The only upside was that Barnet lost 1-0 to a 25-yard freekick, about the only moment of real quality in the whole game. I won't be back.. unless it's to watch the team who **should** be playing there.

Opposition in focus



Founded in April 1908, the golden period in the club history of St Albans City FC came during the 1920s but the past ten years have seen some of the most amazing days enjoyed and endured by the Hertfordshire club in the run up to its centenary.

In 1999, under manager Garry Hill, the Saints reached the last four of the FA Trophy but within two years were facing closure after being suspended by the Isthmian League for failing to maintain payments agreed by the previous board of directors to clear a six-figure debt. In February 2002, with the club having already made one visit to the High Court in London, a new buyer came forward and overnight the debt was cleared.

Saints Celebrate Promotion

Despite finishing just three points clear of relegation in 2003-04, the Saints secured a place in the Conference South, from the Isthmian League, on the back of remarkable 4-3 and 5-4 Play-Off victories at Heybridge Swifts and Bedford Town respectively. Midway through the following campaign City were rooted to the foot of the table and facing an immediate return to the Isthmian League. Their fortunes changed with the appointment of the experienced Colin Lippiatt, assistant manager to Geoff Chapple during Woking's

numerous successes during the 1980s, who moulded a struggling outfit into an attack-minded one that rose to the safety of 14th place. The 2005-06 Conference South season kicked off with two consecutive defeats before Lippiatt's side found their rhythm and ultimately pushed Weymouth for the championship right to the final week of the season. City, scorers of 14 goals more than the second highest scoring team in the Division, had to settle for second place but successfully claimed a place in the Nationwide Conference by overcoming Histon in the Play-Off in front of 3,175 spectators at Stevenage.

City's stay in the Conference National proved to be short lived and after just one season the club has returned to Conference South. The 2007-08 campaign saw the Saints on course for a second successive relegation as two managers, Ritchie Hanlon and then Dave Anderson, were dismissed within the first six months of the season. Former Saints boss Steve Castle returned in January but it was only with the return for a second spell of goalkeeper Paul Bastock that City's fortunes improved dramatically with relegation avoided during the final week of the season. Castle won the Conference South Manager of the Month award for March while Bastock, after his first six games, collected the Conference South Player of the Month award.

The 2008-09 season saw the club in calmer waters as they finished in a safe 12th position but had a poor time in all of the cup competitions.

The Early Days

Football had been played at the Saints Clarence Park home for 14 years prior to the formation of the present day club. The original St Albans, which also played home matches at three other venues within the old Roman stronghold, met its demise in 1904 having come into existence back in 1881. After a four year lapse a senior club bearing the name of

the city rose again in 1908 and during its formative years competed in the Herts County and Spartan Leagues. A move to the Athenian League in 1920 heralded the start of the Saints halcyon days as that championship was won twice in three years paving the way for election to the Isthmian League. St Albans City won the Isthmian at the first attempt and followed it with two further successes before the decade was out. City remained in the Isthmian League until 2003 but never again did the title return to Clarence Park.

The Famous Old Tree

When an extra Division was added in 1973 St Albans, along with Corinthian Casuals, had the dubious honour of being the first club to be relegated within the Isthmian League. When a second relegation followed 12 years later the club turned to its former player John Mitchell, whose semi-final goals took Fulham to the 1975 FA Cup final, to lead it to better days. Mitchell duly obliged with two promotions in three years. During a second spell in charge he took the Saints to the runners up position in 1992-93 only to be denied promotion to the Conference at that time due to a 140-year old oak tree standing within the terrace behind one of the goals. In 1998 the diseased tree was felled.

Cup success

Along with the Saints five championship successes in eight years during the 1920s the club also enjoyed its greatest days in the Amateur Cup. Three times in that decade St Albans reached the semi-final but progress through to the final proved to be beyond them. The same fate befell the club in 1970 leaving them with the unwanted record of having made more semi-final appearances without going on to play in the final than any other club. City's unsuccessful semi-final FA Trophy appearance in 1999 suggests that, given time, a new record could be set in that competition.

The 2nd Round or equivalent, of the FA Cup

SAINTS FACTS

GROUND - Clarence Park

FOUNDED- 1908

MANAGER - Ian Allinson

2017/18 - National League South 8th

has been reached on five occasions but, to date, just one league scalp has been claimed when Brentford were defeated 5-3 in 1924. The most prestigious cup won by the Saints was the London Senior Cup in 1971 while ten other cups have been won a total of 49 times.

SAINTS WHO'S WHO..

DEAN SNEDKER - GOALKEEPER

joined the Saints in the Summer of 2017, Dean has had spells at Nuneaton Town, Hemel Hempstead, Kettering and Northampton Town.

TOM BENDER - DEFENDER

Tom is a product of the Colchester United academy and spent 4 years there before moving to Millwall. He then moved on to Dartford FC for the 2014/2015 season (following a loan spell at Welling United). He then made 10 appearances for Forest Green Rovers before he joined the Saints on loan in November 2015. He stayed with the Saints after being released from Forest Green Rovers at the end of December 2015. In May 2017, Tom signed with the Saints to the end of the 2017/2018 season. He has represented Wales at under-15, under-16, under-17, under-19 and under-21 levels.

DAVID NOBLE - MIDFIELD

Creative midfielder David Noble agreed to join the club in August 2016. Noble was a free agent having been released by Exeter City in the summer and with over 300 football league appearances to his name, brings an abundance of experience and

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SAINTS WHO'S WHO continued

quality to the side. He began his career began as a trainee at Arsenal, with whom he won the FA Youth Cup in 2000 in a man of the match performance. A brief spell at West Ham United and Boston United followed before he moved to Bristol City for £80,000 in January 2006 after enjoying a successful loan spell there. On 13 February 2007, he scored against Middlesbrough in the FA Cup Fourth Round Replay. But his most important strikes were the two goals he scored against Rotherham on 5 May 2007 which took Bristol City back into the Championship. Noble also scored in the Championship play-off semi-final against Crystal Palace, when his stoppage time strike from 30 yards gave Bristol City the advantage going into the second leg. Following his exploits at Ashton Gate he continued his journey west, joining Yeovil Town on loan in March 2009 before he signed for League One side Exeter City in the following January but was released after the Grecians were relegated in 2012. David signed for Rotherham United where he enjoyed two years in South Yorkshire before returning to his former club Exeter City in January 2015. He had previously made 12 appearances for the Grecians whilst on-loan with the club for the first half of the 2014-15 season. Noble's contract at St James Park expired in the summer of 2016 making him a free agent. David signed an 18-month contract with the Saints in December 2016 and in March 2017 became the club captain.

LEWIS KNIGHT - DEFENDER

LEWIS made 43 appearances for Concord Rangers during the 2017/2018 season before signing for local rivals, East Thurrock United, at the start of the 2018/2019 campaign. Lewis signed for the Saints at the end of August 2018. Lewis previously enjoyed spells with Welling United, Brentwood Town and Chatham Town.

BEN WYATT - DEFENDER

Ben joined the defensive ranks at Clarence Park after leaving National League South Promotion winners Braintree Town. The left-footed full-back helped 'The Iron' clinch promotion to the National League Premier and became an integral part of Brad Quinton's

side with 44 sterling appearances for the Cressing Road outfit.

Wyatt started his career in the youth ranks of Norwich City in 2010 and was a key player for his hometown club – starring for the U18s during their victorious FA Youth Cup campaign of 2012/13.

A switch to East Anglian rivals Ipswich Town soon followed in 2014 where Wyatt signed professional terms. The young defender found opportunities limited during his time at Portman Road and left to sign for Ryman League side Maldon & Tiptree United just a year later. His exhilarating form for 'the Jammers' earned him a path back into the professional game as Colchester United soon came calling with a one-year deal. In October 2016 he joined Concord Rangers, initially on loan although the move soon became permanent as he fast became a fan favourite at Thames Road. In July 2017 he was on the move again this time to newly-relegated Braintree Town..

BEN HERD - DEFENDER

Starting his Football League career with Watford in 2003, Ben made his name at Shrewsbury Town between 2005 and 2009. In July 2009 he signed with Aldershot Town and had several successful seasons. However, Ben was released along with many other players at the end of

the 2012-13 season as part of Aldershot's requirement to cut expenses after entering administration. Ben joined Boreham Wood from Dunstable Town in February 2015. He played a part in their promotion via the play-offs to the Conference Premier for the very first time. However, following the conclusion of the season, Herd left the club and signed for Conference South side, Hemel Hempstead Town, in June 2015. He signed for the Saints in May 2016.

DAVID MOYO - FORWARD

Moyo who started his career with Northampton Town and despite turning professional with the Cobblers, found first-team opportunities limited and in January 2015 joined Brackley Town after a brief loan spell at St James Park.

The young forward featured almost 100 times



for the club before moving to Hemel last summer but again found it tough to establish an extended run of games at Vauxhall Road despite some blistering performances. He signed for the Saints in July 2018.

ZANE BANTON - MIDFIELD

Zane an exciting winger had a loan spell with the Saints at the back end of the 2016/17 season, he made his move permanent in July 2017.

SAM MERSON - FORWARD

Sam signed for the Saints in May 2016. Merson joined from Southern Premier League side Redditch United. He began the 2015/2016 season at fellow Southern League side Biggleswade Town where he scored 15 goals. He then added eight more following his move to Redditch before making the step up to the Saints for the 2016/2017 season. Sam signed a 18-month contract with the Saints in October 2016.

DAVE DIDEHIU - MIDFIELD

joined Hendon in 2008, developing into an integral piece of the side that suffered play-off final heartbreak against Dulwich Hamlet at the end of the 2017/2018 season. Dave made almost four hundred appearances during his time with the North London club, scoring 43 goals in the process. He signed for the Saints in June 2018.

SOLOMON SAMBOU - MIDFIELD

Solomon is a holding midfielder who looks comfortable on the ball whilst his physical presence and determination helps him to break up opponents attacks. Nicknamed the "Enforcer" during his years at the Fulham FC Academy, Solomon was released in 2015 without making a first team appearance but having represented the club many times at youth level. Solomon was previously with Bedford Town before signing for Wealdstone during the 2016/2017 season. He was dual-registered with Hayes and Yeading United and was a regular in their first team before signing for the Saints in March 2017.

KHALE DA COSTA - MIDFIELD

An exciting winger who has tremendous pace, Khale joined the club from Concord Rangers in July 2018..

CLOVIS KAMDJO . - MIDFIELD

Clovis started his career with Reading, and had successful spells at Barnet and Salisbury before joining Forest Green Rovers in 2014. He made 39 appearances for Rovers in the 2014/2015 season and in the following season was loaned to newly promoted Boreham Wood where he joined current Saints' manager, Ian Allinson. Clovis then signed for York City but his appearances were limited following a serious knee injury that left him out of the game for 12 months.

seemed we would have to settle for a point, keeper Ian Cranstone was beaten in the air to an 82nd minute corner and Dave Barnett headed in a sickening winner.

Looking at the Stones side there were terrific players in Barwick, Pearce, Wainwright, Neil Cordice and Nigel Johnson but some glaring lightweights too - not least keeper Cranstone who should have been shipped down long before we were relegated the following season.

Another who should never have played at that level was young defender Anthony Bennett - son of Stones director Brian Bennett. Brian had been an excellent centre-back at amateur level (famously appearing for Tooting when they so nearly knocked eventual winners Nottingham Forest out of the FA Cup in 1959) and while Anthony was probably very cheap he cost us dear in several games that season.

Stones line-up at Bangor:

Ian Cranstone, Fred Barwick, Stuart Pearce, Alan Fursdon, Tony Bennett Robin Wainwright, Paul Brannigan, Seamus Horgan, Neil Cordice, Nigel Johnson, Mark Adams Sub: Terry Boyle.



Far left: Wes Parker's winner hits the net at the (soon-to-be) Bulla End and the raucous fans celebrate in Brian Collins corner (above)



Who needs a Jolly when you've got Wes Parker?

Saturday February 16 2013, Ryman Prem: Wealdstone 2 Margate 1

THIS was a game that underlined the importance of Stones skipper Wes Parker - at both ends of the pitch. Nobody underestimated the captain's defensive and organisational qualities, but he also possessed a striker's instinct around the six yard box and his 26 goals in 236 appearances is testament to that.

And never before was this more apparent as he struck twice in the last six minutes to turn this crucial game at the Vale on its head.

Both teams were bidding for the play-offs and Margate showed their teeth with just 90 seconds gone - Dan Stubbs headed in at the near post from Matt Bodkins cross,

giving Stones keeper Rikki Banks no chance. Banks, who spent the season covering for broken-leg victim Jonathan North in goal, then kept out efforts from the towering Carl Rook and Stubbs again while we only threatened intermittently through Peter Dean and powerful striker Leon Smith. But the Stones only really got

into gear once lively winger Esmond James and the prolific Richard Jolly were introduced after an hour. Jolls had been misfiring in recent games - defeats at Canvey Island and Kingstonian, and a draw with Leiston, but he buzzed around to put Margate under serious pressure for the first time in the game. And on 84 minutes they cracked: Lee Chappell whipped the ball into the box, keeper Holloway mishandled and Sean Cronin helped the ball on to Parker who whacked in the equaliser.

The Vale was rocking now and, with a minute left on the clock, Parker glanced in the winner from another Chappell delivery! Holloway was flat on his back and Collins Corner vibrating with joy as the players celebrated an unexpected three points. **WHAT HAPPENED NEXT?** Just two days later the Vale was rocking again as we led high-flying Lewes 5-1 at half time! Peter Dean led the way with a hat-trick, also adding a fourth after the break as we romped to a 6-1 win. Gordon Bartlett's side finished third in the table behind champions (and automatically promoted) Whitehawk and runners-up Lowestoft... but we were beaten in extra time at the Vale in a pulsating play-off semi-final by Concord Rangers. Concord then shocked Lowestoft on their own ground to win the play-off final... and Stones had to wait another year until winning the Ryman Prem outright and securing promotion.



One of the more famous faces seen at Lower Mead this season. Altrincham goalkeeper Alex Stepney pictured by Terry Stern during the Alliance League match in December.

Another picture from 'Long Ball Down the Middle' ... European Cup winner in action at Lower Mead! (we lost 4-1)



Wes Parker - FoW
 William Wilfred Parr - Roger Slater
 Stuart Pearce - FoW + Nick Woolford
 Arthur Peal - Terri Moffitt + Old Wealden Association
 Steve Perkins - FoW
 Jon Pettifer - Brian and Shirley Pettifer
 J Poole - Roger Slater
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 Terry Dyson - Nick Woolford
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James Hammond - Martin & Syl Allen
 George & Alec Hardie - From a loving family
 Andy Hedge - Dom Whyley
 John Henderson - Jon Taffel
 Lee Holmes - FoW
 Walter Langton Howman - Roger Slater
 Bob Iles - Nick Woolford
 Richard Jolly - FoW + Dom Whyley + Nick Woolford
 Brian Jones - Kathleen, Shane, Sinead and Steve

Cliff Jones - Harry Leigh
 Bill Kitchener - Nick DuGard
 Hugh Lindsay - Mike Weston + WFC SC + John Jeffreson
 Glen Little - FoW + Nick Woolford
 Tony Lynch - Mark Hobbs
 John McCormick - FoW + Nick Woolford
 Leslie McDonald - Marilyn Bernard
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 Frank Tingey Martin - Warren Ladd
 Henrik Mikrut - Alan Couch

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	NATIONAL LEAGUE SOUTH			FA CUP			FA TROPHY			MIDDX SENIOR CUP			MIDDX CHARITY CUP			TOTALS			WEALDSTONE CAREER		
	A	S	G	A	S	G	A	S	G	A	S	G	A	S	G	A	S	G	A	S	G
Ahmidi, Wadah *	11			3											14			14			
Allarakhia, Tarryn	4		1												4		1	4		1	
Azeez, Femi		3							2	1					2	3	1	2	3	1	
Bridgeman, Josiah									1						1			1			
Brown, Stefan	1	2	1	1											2	2	1	2	2	1	
Bubb, Bradley	11	5	6	3		2									14	5	8	26	7	13	
Charles, Elliott *		5	3		1			1	1	1					1	7	4	1	7	4	
Clark, James	1	1							2						3	1		3	1		
Grant, Freddie	11			3											14			14			
Green, Danny	22	5	2	2			1	1	1						26	6	2	122	14	27	
Hudson-Odoi, Bradley	13	4	3	1			2								16	4	3	54	12	18	
Kowalkowski, Pawel	1	2						1		1					1	4		1	4		
Lench, Matt *	5	8	1	1	1										6	9	1	6	9	1	
Mambo, Yado *	1	1							1						2	1		2	1		
Massingham, Luke									1						1			1			
McKeown, Eion	1	4	1				1		1						2	5	1	2	5	1	
Medford-Smith, Ramarni	8								1						9			9			
Mensah, Simon	10	3					1	1							11	4		11	4		
Mitchell, Reece	2	7							1	1					3	8		3	8		
Monakana, Jeffrey	10	8	1		2					1					10	11	1	16	13	2	
North, Jonathan	27			3			2								32			375		1	
Obi, Ogo	1	2													1	2		1	2		
Okimo, Jerome	27			3			2	1							32		1	129	5	2	
Payne, Joe	5								1						6			6			
Poku, Godfrey	28			3			2								33			33			
Pratt, David	26	9	1	1			2	1							29	10		50	1	16	
Regis, Christopher	1								1						2			2			
Roberts, Myles	1														1			1			
Rodgers, Anton									2	2					2	2		2	2	2	
Samizadeh, Alexander	1							1							1	1		1	1		
Sheppard, Jake	13	3		2	1		1								16	4		28	5	1	
Shomotun, Fumnaya *	5	4		3	2		1	1		1					9	5	3	9	5	3	
Slew, Jorome *		1	1		1				1	1					1	2	2	1	2	2	
Smith, Christian	5	2	1				2	1	1						8	2	2	8	2	2	
Stevens, Connor	26	3		3	1		2								31	4		31		4	
Tyler, Rhys	18			1	1		1								20	1		20	1		
Wheeler, Sonny									2						2			2			
White, Joe *	5	1	1												5	1	1	22	5	9	
Wilson, Glenn *	7						2		1						10			30	1	1	
Yala-Bolasis, Glenn									2						2			2			





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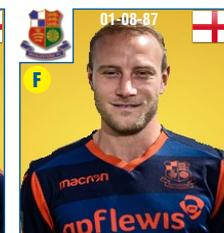
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KEY: C = Management & Coaching Staff; D = Defender; M = Midfielder; F = Forward; L = Legend; B = Blokes
Note: Flags indicate national team as defined under FIFA eligibility rules. Players may hold more than one non-FIFA nationality.



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Billericay Town

VANARAMA NATIONAL LEAGUE SOUTH

Monday, 25th February, 7:45pm

£9 entry for Premier / EFL season ticket holders

Welling United

VANARAMA NATIONAL LEAGUE SOUTH

Saturday, 9th March, 3:00pm

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Chippenham Town

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Saturday, 23rd March, 3:00pm

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Saturday, 6th April, 3:00pm

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AWAY

Eastbourne Borough

VANARAMA NATIONAL LEAGUE SOUTH

Saturday, 23rd February, 3:00pm

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Saturday, 2nd March, 3:00pm

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Saturday, 5th March, 7:45pm

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Bath City

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Saturday, 16th March, 3:00pm

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Vanarama National League South at 12th February 2019

Opposition	All						Home						Away						+/-	Pts	Results
	P	W	D	L	F	A	P	W	D	L	F	A	P	W	D	L	F	A			
1 Torquay United	28	18	6	4	64	25	14	10	2	2	37	15	14	8	4	2	27	10	39	60	0-3
2 Woking	27	17	5	5	53	28	14	9	1	4	26	15	13	8	4	1	27	13	25	56	1-0 2-0
3 Chelmsford City	29	16	5	8	52	33	15	9	3	3	26	15	14	7	2	5	26	18	19	53	2-3
4 Bath City	29	15	6	8	44	26	14	9	1	4	26	12	15	6	5	4	18	14	18	51	3-3
5 Billericay Town	29	15	6	8	53	43	15	8	3	4	26	23	14	7	3	4	27	20	10	51	0-1
6 Welling United	30	15	5	10	48	35	15	11	2	2	30	16	15	4	3	8	18	19	13	50	1-1
7 Dartford	29	14	7	8	37	35	15	9	4	2	23	16	14	5	3	6	14	19	2	49	1-1 3-0
8 Wealdstone	28	12	8	8	36	34	14	6	3	5	20	21	14	6	5	3	16	13	2	44	-- --
9 St Albans City	29	13	5	11	46	46	14	8	3	3	23	16	15	5	2	8	23	30	0	44	0-0
10 Concord Rangers	29	12	10	7	43	33	15	8	6	1	30	13	14	4	4	6	13	20	10	43	1-1 2-2
11 Chippenham Town	30	12	6	12	46	50	15	8	3	4	28	22	15	4	3	8	18	28	-4	42	1-3
12 Slough Town	30	11	7	12	36	35	15	6	4	5	17	13	15	5	3	7	19	22	1	40	0-3 1-0
13 Oxford City	29	11	5	13	45	42	14	7	2	5	22	12	15	4	3	8	23	30	3	38	0-2 0-3
14 Hemel Hempstead Town	28	10	8	10	34	39	14	4	5	5	17	22	14	6	3	5	17	17	-5	38	1-0
15 Eastbourne Borough	30	9	8	13	40	47	15	5	4	6	24	26	15	4	4	7	16	21	-7	35	3-3
16 Hampton & Richmond	29	9	6	14	32	44	15	5	2	8	15	22	14	4	4	6	17	22	-12	33	2-1
17 Dulwich Hamlet	30	8	7	15	29	41	15	5	2	8	14	20	15	3	5	7	15	21	-12	31	1-1
18 Truro City	29	8	6	15	46	62	14	4	3	7	22	28	15	4	3	8	24	34	-16	30	3-0 2-1
19 Gloucester City	29	6	8	15	20	38	14	2	7	5	11	16	15	4	1	10	9	22	-18	26	2-0
20 Hungerford Town	30	7	5	18	32	60	15	5	3	7	19	26	15	2	2	11	13	34	-28	26	1-0 1-1
21 East Thurrock United	29	6	5	18	24	43	14	5	3	6	15	16	15	1	2	12	9	27	-19	23	1-0
22 Weston-super-Mare	28	4	8	16	36	57	14	1	5	8	15	25	14	3	3	8	21	32	-21	20	4-1