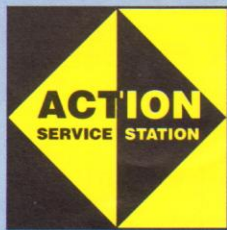




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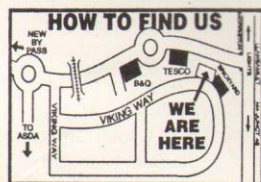
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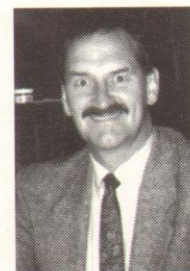
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# VETCH VIEWPOINT

**B**ack again! You all thought that you had got rid of me but here we are welcoming our visitors West Bromwich Albion F.C., Manager Ossie Ardiles, Directors, players and supporters to the Vetch Field. I attended Murton Rovers F.C. Presentation Evening on May 6th and was delighted with their attitude towards football and to Swansea City F.C. They made my wife and I feel very welcome and I would like to thank one and all for a lovely evening especially their Chairman Mr. W.E. Wade and Secretary Mr. D. Baddick.



After the Reading game on the return journey to Swansea I took the players to my local and I thank Karen and Miles McCarthy for their hospitality, kindness and patience that they showed towards my squad of players. We had a couple of pints and held the unofficial Welsh Championship Pool competition. There was no winner! Due to so much cheating I had to declare the competition null and void and therefore was able to keep the prize money which I had promised to give to the Champion. This act did not go down well - I wonder why?

Ladies and Gentlemen, Boys and Girls, thank you for your support, please get behind the players this afternoon, enjoy the game and a safe journey home.

**FRANK BURROWS**  
Manager Swansea City F.C.

*Ed note: The last thank you letter received from the Isle of Man Football Association for an autographed Swansea City F.C. football which helped to finance their Island Senior XV Squad to play in the Inter Island games in the Isle of Wight in July.*

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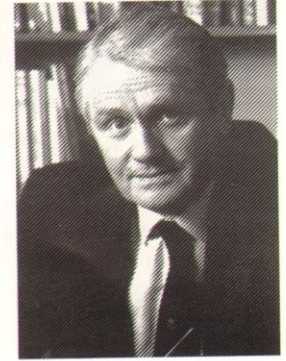
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 Centre row, left to right: Stephen Jenkins, John Ford, Andy McFarlane, Steve McMahon, Mark Harris, Colin West, Keith Walker.  
 Front row, left to right: Paul Wimbleton, Shaun Chapple, Roger Freestone, John Cornforth (captain), James Heeps, Jason Bowen, Andrew Legg.

## THEN & NOW WEST BROMWICH ALBION F.C.



DAVID FARMER

Today's visitors have one of the longest names in the Football League (I'm told that the Club with the most letters in its name is Wolverhampton Wanderers) and, yet, are known by one of the shortest - W.B.A. Their initials are instantly recognisable to any football fan, and that is not surprising, for they have a colourful history. Apart from being Founder Members of the Football League, they have won the FA Cup five times, the League Cup once and have been Champions of the old Divisions One and Two.

One of their Welsh connections is Stuart Williams (son of a former Wrexham director) who is their "Most Capped" player. Stuart won thirty-three Welsh caps whilst with the Albion. Those old enough to have seen him play will remember him as a tenacious full-back who was an extremely tough tackler. His distribution wasn't bad either. Others in the Welsh connection category include Ivor Jones, whom they bought from us for £2,500 in 1922 (a huge fee at that time), Tony Millington, who was a great favourite here at the Vetch, and Ronnie Rees. Tudor Martin, another Welsh international, was another, though I do not believe that he ever played in the Albion First Team.

As will be seen from the panel below, other connections include Colin West and David Rushbury. Colin, of course, came here directly from the Hawthorns, whereas David came via Sheffield Wednesday (he had played 28 times for Albion).

As far as match statistics are concerned, coming into today's game the situation is extremely well balanced. Thus far we have played twenty-one games against each other; six have been drawn, we have won eight and the "Throstles" seven. One of those matches was in the FA Cup (1986-87) when we won 3-2 here at the Vetch, four were played in Division One, two in Division

Three and twelve in the old Second. The other two games, of course took place in the New Second Division.

In the Twenties, when we first started playing each other, there were some remarkable scores. For example, we lost our away game 1-5 in 1928-29 and won the return 6-1. Five of the matches have finished 3-2 with four of them being in our favour. However, it is to a 3-3 draw that we turn today for our "Game to Remember". The match took place at the Hawthorns in the old Division One in November 1982. At one point we were three goals down, but fought back to all square and it was only the width of a goalpost that stopped us taking all the points. Our scorers were Leighton James, Robbie James and Jeremy Charles, whilst Cross, Jol and Eastoe scored for WBA. It is interesting to note that there were only 12,432 in the Hawthorns that day. I have no doubt that there'll be many more than that when we go there on Wednesday. The teams in 1982 were:- Swans: Davies; Stanley, Hadziabdic, Charles, Kennedy, Raikovic, James (L), James (R), Mahoney, Stevenson, Latchford. Sub. Robinson. Throstles: Godden; Whitehead, Statham, Zondervan, Wile, Robertson, Jol, Cross, Regis, Olsen, Eastoe. Sub: Brown.

### They played for both clubs

Ivor Jones, Edward Crowe, David Stewart, Jackie Haynes, Tony Millington, David Rushbury, Ronnie Rees, Tudor Martin and Colin West.

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# WEST BROMWICH ALBION F.C.

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### OSVALDO CESAR ARDILES (Manager)

'Ossie' Ardiles was appointed team manager at The Hawthorns in May 1992, succeeding Bobby Gould, and immediately he made a big impact at the club, bringing a breath of fresh air into Albion's football as well as adding a few new players to the squad. From the offset he set Albion rolling and went on to gain two Barclays League 'Manager of the Month' awards before the turn of the year as Albion bedded themselves in at the top of the Second Division.

### KEITH BURKINSHAW (Assistant Manager)

A 57 year old Yorkshireman, born at Highan, near Barnsley in June 1935, Keith was the man responsible for brining Ossie Ardiles into the English soccer arena at Tottenham Hotspur and he managed the Londoners back into the First Division (1978); to two F.A. Cup Final victories and also UEFA Cup success, he later coached in the Middle East.

### KWAME AMPUDU (Forward)

Born Bradford 20.12.70. Ht: 5'10" Wt: 11st 0lbs. Joined Arsenal as a professional in November 1988. Failed to break into first team at Highbury and after a loan spell with Plymouth Argyle he joined Albion, signing permanently for £50,000 in June 1991. Made 21 League appearances last season but failed to gain a place in the side this term.

### DARREN BRADLEY (Defender/Midfield)

Born Birmingham 24.11.65 Ht: 5'11" Wt: 11st. 0lbs. Skipped both Aston Villa and

England Youth as a teenager before transferring to Albion in March 1986 in a player-exchange deal involving Steve Hunt (plus £90,000). An aggressive, wholehearted player, he was made Albion captain in 1992-93 and played some of the best football of his career during the first half of the 92-93 campaign.

### OUR VISITORS

by

### COLIN JONES

### DARYL BURGESS (Defender)

Born Birmingham 24.1.71 Ht: 5' 11" Wt: 12st. 3lbs. Daryl

progressed through the junior ranks at Albion, signing professional forms in July 1989. A fine covering defender, with good pace, he missed only a handful of games in season 1991-92 but has been troubled by a serious back injury this term, having so far managed only a few outings for the club. Still highly rated and one to look out for in the nineties.

### STACY COLDICOTT (Full-back/Midfield)

Born: Redditch, Worcestershire, 29.4.74 Ht: 5'8" Wt: 11st. 2lbs. Promising youngster who turned 'pro' at The Hawthorns in June 1992 after two years on the Y.T.S. Was a key member of Albion's youth team in season 1990-91 and in the reserves in 1991-92. Stacy, who made his senior debut as 'sub' against Plymouth in the Coca-Cola Cup in August 1992, can also occupy a midfield position. He is strong in the tackle and loves to overlap.

### SCOTT DARTON (Left-back)

Born Ipswich 27.3.75 Ht: 5'11" Wt: 11st 0lbs. Scott was taken on Albion's professional staff in the summer of 1992 and he made his senior debut in the 4-0 Autoglass Trophy win over Walsall in January 1993. This promising full-back who is certainly a 'David Burrows lookalike' is good on the ball with an educated left foot.

# WEST BROMWICH ALBION F.C.

### KEVIN DONOVAN (Midfield)

Born: Halifax 17.12.71 Ht: 5'7" Wt: 10st. 13lbs. A Blonde midfielder - nicknamed Jason by the fans - joined Albion on 1st October 1992 for a fee later set by a tribunal which will eventually reach £70,000. A player who loves to drive forward, he possesses a cracking right-foot shot and scored a hat-trick in Albion's 8-0 F.A. Cup victory over Aylesbury in November 1992. In all, he played 26 games for the 'Terriers' before moving to The Hawthorns. Hew also spent a loan spell with Halifax in 1991-92 (appearing in 6 games).

### WAYNE FEREDAY (Right-back/forward)

Born: Warley, West Midlands, 16.6.63. Ht: 5'10" Wt: 11st 4lbs. Went to Ondon as a youngster and in September 1980 signed as a 'pro' for Q.P.R. after two years as an apprentice at Loftus Road. Moved to Newcastle United for £30,000 in June 1989 and switched to AFC Bournemouth in November 1990 before joining Albion, initially on loan, halfway through the 1991-92 season. Made over 240 appearances for Q.P.R. and also played for England at U21 level. A predominantly right-footed player, he can occupy the right-back or right-wing positions but can also play on the left flank.

### SIMON GARNER (Striker)

Born: Boston, Lincs. 23.11.59 Ht: 5'10" Wt: 11st 5lbs. Played initially for Boston United before becoming Blackburn Rovers' champion goalscorer, netting 192 goals for the Ewood Park club before joining Albion for a bargain fee of just £30,000 in August 1992. He scored four goals in his first eight games for Albion and was looking for his 200th goal of his career as 1992 gave way to '93.

### GARY HACKETT (Wing-Forward)

Born: Stourbridge, West Mids. 11.11.62 Ht: 5'8" Wt: 10st. 12lbs. An enterprising footballer, able to occupy both flanks. Started his career with Bromsgrove Rovers and then Shrewsbury Town before going north to Aberdeen and then Stoke for £110,000.

### IAN HAMILTON (Midfield)

Born: Stevenage, Herts 14.12.67 Ht: 5'11" Wt: 11st 3lbs. An apprentice at Southampton and turned 'pro' at The Dell in December 1985. He helped the 'Irons' reach the Fourth Division Promotion Final at Wembley last season and was then signed by Ossie Ardiles for £160,000 in June 1992, after making 140 appearances for the Glanford Park Club.

### CARL HEGGS (Forward)

Born: Leicester, 11.10.70 Ht: 6'0" Wt: 11st 10lbs. Carl spent a year with both Derby County (1987-88) and Doncaster Rovers (1988-89) each time on the Y.T.S. before joining Shepshed Charterhouse in the HFS Loans League. He then moved to Leicester United where he was spotted by Albion who secured his transfer in August 1991. Last season he went on loan to Stafford Rangers (of the G.M.V.C.).

### ANDY HUNT (Forward)

Born: Thurrock 9.6.70 Ht: 6'0" Wt: 11st 7lbs. Andy began his career with non league Kettering. His goal scoring exploits soon brought him the attention of football league clubs, and he signed for Newcastle United in January 1991 for £150,000. Despite scoring 11 goals from 43 league appearances Andy had been unable to command a regular place in the Newcastle first team. Prior to the transfer deadline in March, Andy arrived at the Hawthorns, initially on a months loan. He scored on his League debut for Albion at Bradford on 28th March '93 and six days later netted a hat-trick on his home debut v Brighton, becoming the first Albion player for 80 years to achieve that feat - and it came in just seven minutes (78-86).

### ROY HUNTER (Defender/Midfield)

Born: Saltburn, Cleveland 29.10.73 Ht: 5'9" Wt: 11st 2lbs. An all-purpose footballer who can occupy a number of positions. Came through the junior ranks at Albion and signed 'pro' forms in October 1991. Scored on his League debut (as 'sub') v Torquay United in February 1992.

today's visitors

# WEST BROMWICH ALBION F.C.

## TONY LANGE (Goalkeeper)

Born: West Ham, London 10.12.64 Ht: 6'11" Wt: 12st. 10lbs. Tony began his career with Charlton Athletic as an apprentice in 1980, turning 'pro' two years later at the age of 18. A loan spell followed with Aldershot (Aug-Sept. 1985) before he signed permanently for the 'Shots' in July 1986. Moved to Wolverhampton Wanderers in July 1989 for £150,000 (as cover for Mark Kendall) but then went back to Aldershot - on loan - in November 1990 before being allowed to join Albion on a free transfer in the summer of 1992, having lost his place at Molineux to Mike Stowell. A big, strong, commanding 'keeper', good off his line.

## STEVE LILWALL (Left-back)

Born: Silihull, West Midlands, 15.2.70. Ht: 5'10" Wt. 12st. 0lbs. Steve was manager Ossie Ardiles' first signing at £70,000. Steve had a terrific first half to the season, after jumping stright into Albion's League side from G.M.V.C. outfit kidderminster Harriers. Started his career with Moor Green in 1985-86 and after moving to kidderminster he established himself in their first XI in 1990-91, scoring six goals in 95 games before making the move to The Hawthorns.

## BERNARD McNALLY (Midfield)

Born: Shrewsbury 17.2.63 Ht: 5'7" Wt: 11st 2lbs. Made well over 300 senior appearances for Shrewsbury Town during a ten year stay at Gay Meadow (from 1979). He then joined Albion for £385,000 in June 1989 and since then has put in some splendid performances in centre-field. Capped six times by Northern Ireland.

## MICKY MELLON (Midfield)

Born Paisley 18.3.72 Ht: 5'8" Wt. 11st 3lb Micky joined WBA from Bristol City last February after making 25 league appearances for the club. A vital member of the WBA midfield, Micky has scored 3 league goals since arriving at the Hawthorns.

## STUART NAYLOR (Goalkeeper)

Born: Wetherby, Yorks. 6.12.62 Ht: 6'4" Wt: 12st 0lbs. Big 'Stu' played 60 times in goal for Lincoln City (from 1980) and eight and 62 on loan to Peterborough United and Crewe Alexandra respectively before joining Albion for £100,000 in February 1988 - thus becoming the club's most expensive goalkeeper. He then had three excellent seasons 'between the posts' for the Baggies before being struck down by a niggling knee injury which required an operation. He's bounced back though, and is now in superb form once again. Capped three times by England 'B' in 1989. 'Stu has now chalked up almost 400 senior appearances as a professional.

## PAUL RAVEN (Centre-back)

Born: Salisbury 28.7.70 Ht: 6'1" Wt 12st 1lb. Paul gained England Youth caps as a teenager with Doncaster Rovers and after three years at Belle Vue he joined albion in a combined £130,000 deal with Ronnie Robinson (now Peterborough) in March 1990. He has now developed into a classy defender and is an established member of Albion's League side. A player who enjoys to go up for set pieces, he is good on the ball, has pace to match the fastest attackers in the game, and he is now full of confidence. Paul can also play at right back.

## NICKY REID (Defender)

Born: Daveyhulme, Ornton, nr. Manchester 30.10.60 Ht: 5'10" Wt: 11st 1lb. Nicky played for Whitehill Juniors before joining Manchester City as an apprentice in 1976 turning 'pro' at Maine Road in November 1978. Made his debut for City in a UEFA Cup tie against Borussia Monchengladbach in March 1978, the first of 259 appearances for the Lancashire club (2 goals scored). He played for City in their 1981 F.A. Cup Final defeat by Spurs, for whom his current boss Ardiles was a star in midfield, being marked by Nicky! Capped by England at Youth level, Nicky then added six U21 caps to his tally before having a spell in the NASL.

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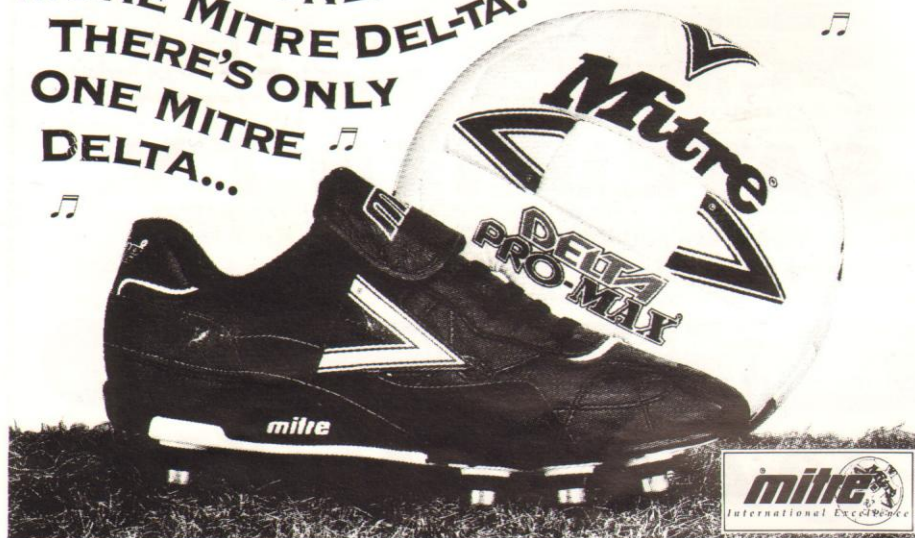
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<b>JOHN CORNFORTH (captain)</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>MICKY MELLON</b>
<b>ANDREW LEGG</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>KEVIN DONOVAN</b>
<b>T.B.A.</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>T.B.A.</b>
<b>T.B.A.</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>T.B.A.</b>

**SCORERS**

Referee:  
Mr. P.A. Durkin, Dorset  
Linesmen:  
Mr. R. J. HARRIS  
(Yellow Flag)  
Mr. B.A. WIGGINTON, Bristol  
(Red & Yellow Flag)  
Reserve Official:  
Mr. M.E. PIERCE, Plymouth

**Today's Referee**

A warm welcome this afternoon to Mr. Paul Anthony Durkin who comes from Portland, Dorset. Mr. Durkin is a Fitter, married and he commenced refereeing in 1974 and was appointed to the Referees' List in 1987-88. He has officiated in several International matches and likes playing golf and driving.

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Leading out the Swans this afternoon is Keith Powles, aged 10 who attends Brynmill School. His favourite player is Andrew Legg and his hobbies include Kung Fu, in which he has attained a green belt, playing football and playing computer games. He also attends Brynmill Cubs, 21st Troop where he is a 'sixer'.





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## "APRIL MAN OF THE MONTH"



John Cornforth receives the Action Service Stations April 'Man of the Month' Award from Craig Nugent of Action Service Stations (Vetch 8.5.93)

## SWANSEA CITY F.C. CYGNETS



Swansea City F.C. Cygnets proudly parade their trophies at the Vetch, U15 League Winners and Cup Winners. On left Paul Morgan their coach and background right, Les Evans, League Secretary (vetch 8.5.93)

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## VICTORIOUS YOUTH TEAM



Swansea City's successful Youth team pictured with the MacWhirter National Youth League Trophy and League Cup which they were presented with on 4th May, 1993 at the Vetch. Back, left to right: Gareth Martin, Lee Moran, Christian Edwards, David Barnhouse, Jonathan Coates, David Thomas, Robert Savage, Christopher Savage. Front, left to right: David Evans, Steven Hole, Steven Williams (captain) Andrew Jones, Jamie Rickard.

*Ed Note: All credit to Jimmy Rimmer, the Youth Team Coach. The team gained the U15 League and Cup trophies, the U16 West Wales Intermediate Cup and the National MacWhirter U18 League and Cup. A wonderful year for the Youth Team. They play Cardiff Civil Service away on Tuesday 12th May in the semi-final of the Astoria Cup.*



## SKY ON TARGET

Swansea City F.C. thank Sky and Target Aerials for sponsoring the Lucky Prize Draw for the last seven games. Left to right: John Gwilt, Swans Commercial Manager, Sue Beeby and Eddie Cheney (and Bart Simpson).

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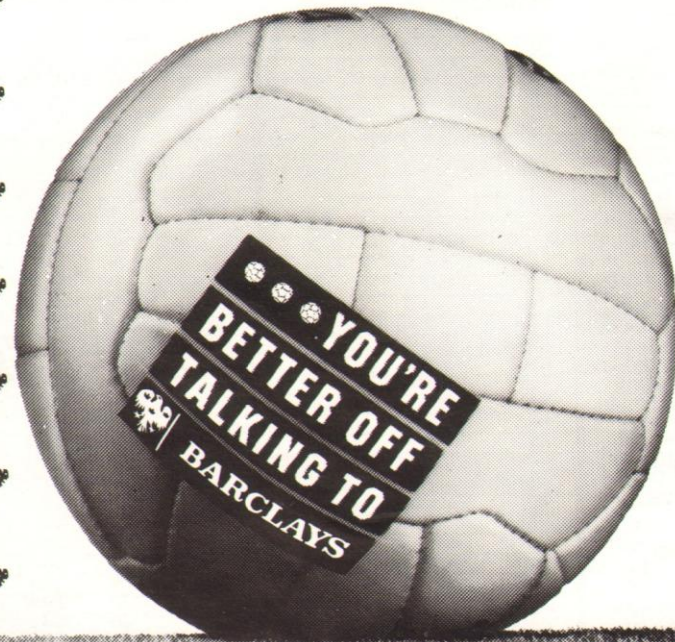
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Stoke	46	17	4	2	41	13	10	8	5	32	21	93
Bolton	46	18	2	3	48	14	9	7	7	32	27	90
Port Vale	46	14	7	2	44	17	12	4	7	35	27	89
West Brom	46	17	3	3	56	22	8	7	8	32	32	85
Swansea	46	12	7	4	38	17	8	6	9	27	30	73
Stockport	46	11	11	1	47	18	8	4	11	34	39	72
L Orient	46	16	4	3	49	20	5	13	20	33	72	72
Reading	46	14	4	5	44	20	4	11	8	22	31	69
Brighton	46	13	4	6	36	24	7	5	12	27	35	69
Bradford	46	12	5	6	36	24	6	9	8	33	43	68
Rotherham	46	9	7	7	30	27	8	7	8	30	33	65
Fulham	46	9	9	5	28	22	7	8	8	29	33	65
Burnley	46	11	8	4	38	21	4	8	11	19	38	61
Plymouth	46	11	6	6	38	28	5	6	12	21	36	60
Huddersfield	46	10	6	7	30	22	7	3	13	24	39	60
Hartlepool	46	8	6	9	19	23	6	6	11	23	37	54
B'mouth	46	7	10	6	28	24	5	7	11	17	28	53
Blackpool	46	7	10	6	28	24	5	7	11	17	28	53
Exeter	46	5	8	10	26	30	6	9	8	28	39	50
Hull	46	9	5	9	28	26	4	6	13	18	43	50
Preston	46	8	5	10	41	47	5	3	15	24	47	47
Mansfield	46	7	8	8	34	34	4	3	16	18	46	44
Wigan	46	6	6	11	26	34	4	5	14	17	38	41
Chester	46	6	2	15	30	47	2	3	18	19	55	29

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Date	Opponents	H/A	F/A	Attend.	No.1	No.2	No.3	No.4
<b>AUGUST</b>								
SAT 15	BURNLEY	A	0-1	10,913	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
TUES 18	OXFORD UTD.	A	0-3	3582	Freestone	Lytlle	Ford	Agboola
SAT 22	MANSFIELD TOWN	H	4-0	3082	Freestone	Lytlle	Ford	Agboola
TUES 25	OXFORD UTD.	H	1-0	2256	Freestone	Lytlle	Ford	Agboola
SAT 29	WIGAN ATHLETIC	A	3-2	1565	Freestone	Lytlle	Ford	Agboola
<b>SEPTEMBER</b>								
TUES 1	HULL CITY	A	0-1	4408	Freestone	Lytlle	Ford	Agboola
SAT 5	PORT VALE	H	2-0	3868	Freestone	Lytlle	Ford	Walker
SAT 12	BLACKPOOL	H	3-0	3861	Freestone	Lytlle	Ford	Walker
TUES 15	FULHAM	A	1-1	4268	Freestone	Lytlle	Ford	Walker
SAT 19	HUDDERSFIELD	A	2-1	4839	Freestone	Lytlle	Ford	Walker
SAT 26	BRADFORD CITY	H	1-1	4781	Freestone	Lytlle	Ford	Walker
<b>OCTOBER</b>								
SAT 3	STOCKPORT	A	1-1	4943	Freestone	Lytlle	Ford	Walker
SAT 10	EXETER	H	0-0	4439	Freestone	Lytlle	Ford	Walker
SAT 17	HARTLEPOOL	A	1-0	4175	Freestone	Lytlle	Ford	Walker
SAT 24	READING	H	2-1	5317	Freestone	Lytlle	Ford	Walker
TUES 27	MERTHYR	A	0-2	2516	Freestone	Lytlle	Ford	Walker
SAT 31	LEYTON O	A	2-4	5683	Freestone	Lytlle	Ford	Walker
<b>NOVEMBER</b>								
TUES 3	PLYMOUTH	H	0-0	5683	Freestone	Lytlle	Ford	Walker
SAT 7	CHESTER	A	2-3	2861	Freestone	Lytlle	Ford	Agboola
FRI 20	BRIGHTON	H	0-1	4645	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Agboola
SAT 28	STOKE	A	1-2	13867	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Agboola
<b>DECEMBER</b>								
SAT 12	WBA	H	0-0	5763	Freestone	Lytlle	Ford	Walker
TUE 15	EXETER	A	5-2	2914	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
FRI 18	ROTHERHAM	A	0-0	4600	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
SAT 26	BOURNEMOUTH	A	2-0	4995	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
MON 28	BOLTON	H	1-2	7220	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
<b>JANUARY</b>								
SAT 2	OXFORD	H	1-1	6985	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
TUE 6	BLACKPOOL	A	0-0	3417	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
SAT 9	FULHAM	H	2-2	5048	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
TUE 12	OXFORD	A	5-4*	4707	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
SAT 16	BRADFORD	A	0-0	5551	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
TUE 19	CARDIFF	A	2-1	13,516	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
SAT 30	MANSFIELD	A	3-3	2641	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
<b>FEBRUARY</b>								
TUE 2	GRIMSBY	H	0-0	8307	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
SAT 6	BURNLEY	H	1-1	4973	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
TUE 9	GRIMSBY TOWN	A	0-2	8452	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
SAT 13	PORT VALE	A	0-2	7191	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
TUE 16	LEYTON ORIENT	H	1-0	3339	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
SAT 20	HULL CITY	H	1-0	2656	Freestone	Lytlle	Ford	Walker
TUE 23	EXETER CITY	H	2-3	4971	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
SAT 27	EXETER CITY	A	2-0	3146	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
<b>MARCH</b>								
FRI 5	STOCKPORT	H	2-2	4755	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
TUE 9	PRESTON N.E.	A	3-1	4396	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
SAT 13	CHESTER	H	4-2	4056	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
SAT 20	PLYMOUTH	A	1-0	6233	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
TUE 23	STOKE CITY	H	1-2	8366	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
SAT 27	BRIGHTON & H.A.	A	2-0	7558	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
<b>APRIL</b>								
WED 7	WEST BROM ALBION	A	0-3	13,401	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
SAT 10	BOURNEMOUTH	H	2-1	5101	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
MON 12	BOLTON	A	1-3	10,854	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Harris
SAT 17	ROTHERHAM	H	2-0	4658	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
TUE 20	HUDDERSFIELD	H	3-0	5190	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker*
SAT 24	HARTLEPOOL	H	3-0	5310	Freeman	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker*
TUES 27	PRESTON N.E.	H	2-0	6933	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Harris*
<b>MAY</b>								
SAT 1	READING	A	0-2	6922	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
TUE 4	WIGAN	H	7361	2-1	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker
SAT 8	LEYTON ORIENT	H	6543	0-1	Freestone	Lytlle	Jenkins	Walker

No.5	No.6	No.7	No.8	No.9	No.10	No.11	Substitutes	Comments
Harris	Coughlin	Cullen	Pascoe	McFarlane	Cornforth	Legg	Ford (3)	Bowen (6)
Harris	Coughlin	Cullen	Pascoe	McFarlane	Cornforth	Legg	Bowen	Barnhouse
Harris	Coughlin	Cullen	Pascoe*	McFarlane	Cornforth	Legg*	Bowen	Chalmers
Harris	Coughlin	Cullen	Pascoe	McFarlane*	Cornforth	Legg	West (9)	Jenkins (7)
Harris*	Coughlin	Cullen	Walker	McFarlane	Cornforth*	Legg	Bowen (6)	West (9)
Walker	Coughlin	Cullen	Pascoe	McFarlane	Cornforth	Legg+	West (11)	Jenkins
Harris	Coughlin	Cullen	Pascoe	West**	Cornforth	Legg	Bowen (7)	Agboola (7)
Harris	Coughlin	Cullen	Pascoe*	West*	Cornforth	Legg*	Bowen (7)	Agboola
Harris	Coughlin	Bowen	Pascoe	West	Cornforth*	Legg	Cullen (7)	Agboola
Harris	Coughlin	Bowen	Pascoe	West*	Cornforth	Legg*	Cullen (7)	Jenkins
Harris	Coughlin	Bowen	Pascoe	West*	Cornforth	Legg	Cullen (7)	Jenkins
Harris	Coughlin	Cullen*	Pascoe	West	Cornforth	Legg	Bowen	Jenkins
Harris	Coughlin	Cullen	Pascoe	West	Cornforth	Legg	Bowen	Jenkins
Harris*	Coughlin	Cullen	Pascoe	West	Cornforth*	Legg	Bowen	Jenkins
Harris	Coughlin	Cullen	Pascoe	West	Cornforth	Legg	Bowen	Jenkins
Harris	Coughlin+	Cullen*	Pascoe*	West	Cornforth	Legg	Bowen (6)	Jenkins
Harris	Coughlin	Cullen	Pascoe	West	Cornforth	Legg	Bowen (6)	Jenkins
Harris	Coughlin	Cullen	Pascoe*	West	Cornforth	Legg*	Bowen (6)	Jenkins(3)
Ford	Coughlin	Bowen	Connor	West	Cornforth	Legg	McFarlane (10)	Barnhouse
Harris	Bowen	Cullen*	Connor	West+	Cornforth	Legg	McFarlane (9)	Ford
Harris	Bowen	Cullen	Connor	West	Cornforth	Legg	Bowen (8)	Agboola
Harris	Coughlin	Cullen*	Wimbleton*	West*	Cornforth	Legg*	Ford (8)	Bowen* (7)
Harris	Coughlin	Cullen	Wimbleton	West	Cornforth	Legg	Bowen (7)	Bowen
Harris	Ford	Cullen	Wimbleton	West*	Cornforth	Legg*	Bowen (7)	Chapple
Harris	Ford	Cullen	Wimbleton	West*	Cornforth	Legg	Bowen (6)	McFarlane (7)
Harris	Coughlin	Cullen	Wimbleton	West	Cornforth	Legg	Bowen* (10)	Ford
Harris	Coughlin	Cullen	Wimbleton	West	Chapple	Legg	Bowen (7)	Ford
Harris	Coughlin	Hayes	Wimbleton*	West*	Cornforth	Legg	Bowen (7)	Ford (10)
Harris	Coughlin*	Bowen	Wimbleton	West	Cornforth*	Legg	Ford (6)	McFarlane FA Cup 3 Replay (*pens)
Harris	Chapple	Hayes	Wimbleton	West	Cornforth	Legg	Ford(7)	McFarlane
Harris	Chapple	Hayes*	Wimbleton	West	Cornforth	Legg*	Ford (2)	McFarlane (8)
Harris	Chapple	Hayes	Wimbleton	West*	Cornforth	Legg	Ford*(10)	McFarlane*(8)
Harris	Chapple	Hayes	Wimbleton	West	Cornforth	Legg	McFarlan (6)	Ford (8)
Harris	Chapple	Hayes	Bowen	West	Cornforth	Legg	Ford (6)	Wimbleton
Harris	Ford	Hayes	Bowen	West	Cornforth	Legg	Wimbleton (7)	Chapple (11)
Harris	Ford	Hayes	Wimbleton	West	Cornforth	Legg	McFarlane(8)	Bowen(7)
Harris	Ford	McFarlane	Bowen	West*	Cornforth	Legg	Coughlin (3)	Hayes
Harris	Coughlin	McFarlane*	Bowen	West	Cornforth	Legg	Jenkins (10)	Hayes
Harris	Ford	Coughlin	Gowen	West	Cornforth	Legg*	McFarlan (9)	Hayes (6) Daniels o.g.
Harris	Ford	Bowen	Coughlin	West*	Cornforth	Legg	McFarlane (7)	Wimbleton
Harris	Ford	Bowen*	Coughlin	West*	Cornforth	Legg	McFarlane (7)	Cullen
Harris	Ford	Bowen***	Coughlin	West	Cornforth	Legg*	Cullen (11)	Chapple
McMahon	Ford	Bowen*	Coughlin	Hayes	Cornforth	Legg	Wimbleton	Hayes
McMahon	Ford	Bowen*	Coughlin	Hayes	Cornforth	Legg	Coates	Wimbleton (9)
Harris	Ford	Bowen	Coughlin	McFarlane	Cornforth	Legg*	Hayes (6)	Wimbleton (8)
Harris	Ford	Bowen*	Coughlin	McFarlane	Wimbleton	Legg*	Hayes	Chapple
Harris	Ford	Bowen	Coughlin	McFarlane	Cornforth	Legg	Hayes (8)	Wimbleton (9)
Harris	Ford	Bowen*	Coughlin	McFarlane	Cornforth	Legg*	Hayes (9)	Wimbleton (9)
Walker	Cornforth	Wimbleton	Bowen	Ford*	McFarlane	Legg	Hayes (7)	Coughlin (6)
Harris	Coughlin	Bowen	Ford	McFarlane*	Cornforth*	Legg	Hayes (8)	Wimbleton
Harris*	Ford	Bowen	Coughlin	McFarlane	Cornforth	Legg*	Hayes	Wimbleton (10)
Harris	Ford	Bowen	Coughlin					

# FOSCF A

So we are now embarking on another play-off trail, against WBA, who finished the season one place above us.

There is one coincidence between this year and the last time – Leyton Orient were involved at the finish (well, nearly this time out). That game last Saturday was very much an anti climax after the great wins over the last few weeks pushed us into the promotion/play off places. Now we are to be treated with at least two more matches at the end of a long fairly productive season.

We all know that vocal support is worth a goal start, so today, lets hear a cacophony of noise from our three sides which will far outweigh the 'Baggies' supporters. Then onto Wednesday – Quantity and quality of support will be so helpful (remember Oxford in the FA Cup Replay).

These matches are now cup ties so players have to be on top form.

We will run coaches to the game at the Hawthorns on Wednesday – details not available at the time of printing deadlines! Some things are certain: 1. Bookings must be accompanied by full payment 2. Strictly no alcohol on coaches

Telephone enquiries can be made on 790807

## Sidelines

Birthday greetings to Nicky Thorn from Ann and all y our friends and FOSCF A for the 19th May! Hopefully a double celebration!

These are definitely the last notes for the 1992/93 season, all the thank you's were done last time out, so all that remains is to remind you that there will be more rubbish from our column next season!

P.S. Limited Edition Pin Badges (seriously limited!) available at the Club Shop, North Bank or Centre Stand kiosk.

## SWANSEA CITY SUPPORTERS CLUB NEWS

On the night of the Leyton Orient game we had our presentation at the Footlights bar of the Grand Theatre. We presented young player of the year trophy to Jason Bowen. Away player voted for by Supporters Club Members went to Keith Walker and Des Lyttle gained the Supporters Club committee award. Well done to all the team. Management and players for attending. Let's enjoy the extra game – a bonus for all the supporters – and cheer on the Swans and make it a day to remember.

We can make it to Wembley and to the First Division. This is our chance to make Swansea City Football Club history. Our first appearance at the Twin Towers. We are good enough to make it.

### Going Places

My thanks to all members and the committee of the Supporters Club for their work over the past year. Let's all look forward to a brighter future with the club that's going places – Swansea City! Happy close season to all the supporters. See you back at the Vetch next season.

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# YOUTH DEVELOPMENT NEWS



During the past nine months our Youth set up has become stronger with the establishment of a School of Excellence at the Rhondda Leisure Centre organised by Alan Curtis and myself. The recently opened Centre at Johnstown, Carmarthen has got off to a good start and with luck we should see some useful players emanating from the West Wales area in the next few years. A special mention of thanks to our main sponsors Action Service Stations for their generous help in setting up and running the centre.

Our next priority will be to open a centre at Aberdare, starting October '93. So, hopefully, we will have the Cynon Valley, Rhondda Valley and West Wales well covered.

Many youngsters train with Swansea City F.C. but the hardest part is getting the lads to sign for us

at 14 years of age! There are many big clubs in this area looking for good players, so the parents and managers of the local clubs play a vital part in these youngsters future – at the end of the day, don't forget it's all about the youngster and where he wants to play to be happy. Alan Curtis, Colin Pascoe, Robbie James, Andrew Melville, Chris Coleman and to a lesser extent Dean Saunders all apprentices at Swansea City F.C., are all lads who have made the higher grade.

Signing those forms must be given special consideration.

RON WALTON  
Youth Development Officer

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# CAPTAIN'S CORNER

Let me start by thanking all the Swans fans for the wonderful support given to the team throughout the season. All the players have asked me to say a big thank you to those who have travelled to away games throughout the season and supported us at the Vetch. The atmosphere at the end of the Wigan game meant a great deal to the lads and everyone of us is out to do all we can to ensure that you get a trip to Wembley as a reward.

Last Sunday the lads had their day out and we had a couple of pints and some fun, including a snooker tournament. Stephen Hendry had better watch out for I was lucky enough to beat Shaun Chapple in the final. Stephen may need a couple of blacks start! (Gerroff boys).

I'm sure that you will all want to join with me in giving our best wishes to Bobby Smith who is going into hospital during the close season for an operation on his gammy ankle. The boys have sent a note to the surgeon asking them not to take Bobby's tonsils out in error – we'd miss his shouting. Seriously 'All the best Bobby'.

All the 'walking wounded' boys would like to thank the Fire Brigade for coming and watering the pitch before matches. Thanks, too, for their best wishes! without their efforts the ground would have been bone hard.

Further thanks to the Swans Supporters Association for all they do for us. Last Saturday we had the end of season awards at the Grand and it was a good night.

Their 'Player of the Year' was Des Lyttle (Lyttle) – which is a great achievement for a lad at the end of his first season in League football. Well done Des.

The 'Young Player of the Year' was Jason Bowen – another young man who made the break through this term, and 'Away Player' – Mr. Consistency – Keith Walker – a great fellow to have in your team.

Thanks, too to Myra and the girls in the Club Shop who do such a grand job in selling tickets and souvenirs and have to put up with boys! There you are girls, I said I'd mention you.

Finally, since this is my last 'Corner' of the season can I thank all the boys in the side who have been great to work with; all of you for your support; the Gaffer and the Management team for all they do and our wives and girlfriends who are always behind us.

Please keep on shouting for us you fans! We do appreciate it. Please get behind us all the way and we'll do all we can to put a smile on your faces.

Editorial thanks to Alex Frith (Bumbles of Mumbles) for the super pics and articles in Junior Post of the South Wales Evening Post, Paul Barrett of Foto Finish Ltd for his developing and finish and Fast Frame, Picton Arcade for their framework.

Swansea City F.C. Colts managed by ex Swan Micky Lenihan won the West Wales Intermediate Cup beating Seaside 3-0 at Llanelli in the Final. See you all next season!

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