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HALF-TIME TEASER

1. Which two managers have managed Ipswich Town in the Premier League?

2. A trio of Dasilva brothers were sold by Luton Town for £1M in 2012 when the eldest was 13-years-old and the twins were 12-yearsold. Who do they play for now?

3 For which club did Burnley manager Vincent Kompany begin and end his playing career?

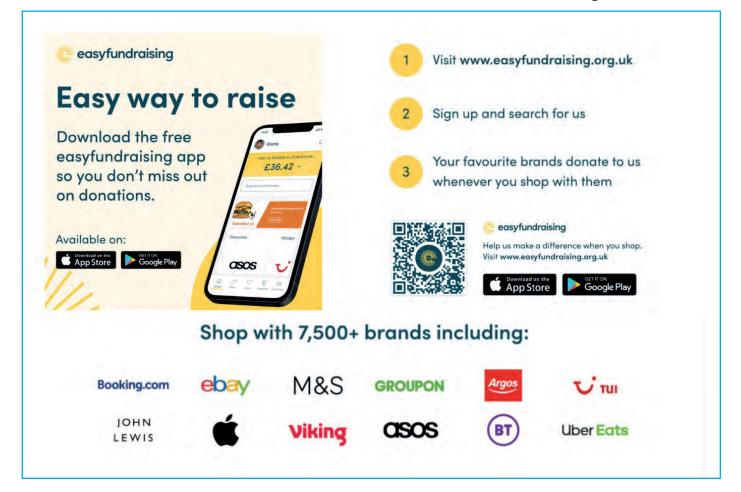
4. Which clubs did Luton Town manager Rob Edwards play for?

5. Which club plays at the ground pictured?



WHO PLAYS AT THE GROUND PICTURED?

Answers on Page 7



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FROM THE MANAGER

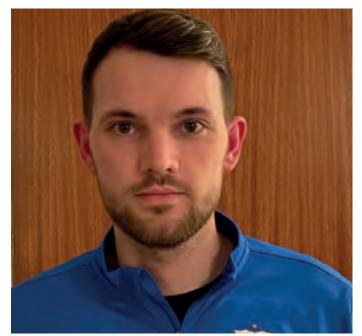
Welcome to Caldecote for this Bedfordshire County League Premier Division match along with the referee Jack Young.

We return to Gold Street this weekend, having now won five or our last seven matches with some outstanding performances.

Last time out at home we took on a much improving Biggleswade FC Reserves. We started in a very positive manner with Alex Taylor opening the scoring early on. Tarik Dallas was making his first appearance for the club and could have easily of opened his account with the chances we created.

Biggleswade FC Reserves did draw level just before the break with an excellent volley from their striker. In the second half, we knew we needed much of the same but Biggleswade took the lead early on. The change in mentality within the squad is clear to see and with Lewis Donald scoring directly from a corner then a few minutes later Dan Bennet with another brilliant volley, we had turned it around. Andrew Field made it comfortable in the end with his first touch, making sure the ball was definitely over the line from Cooke's header.

Last week we travelled to the other Biggleswade side in the league, this time United Reserves, in what was going to be a very good test to see where we were currently at with Biggleswade United sitting third in the table. And again the lads pulled out another superb performance! Bradley Raines got us off to a brilliant start with an excellent chipped finish from George Austin's long kick out. The game then played out in a very similar way with Biggleswade equalising before half-time then taking the lead early



in the second half, but the reaction to going behind was phenomenal again as we created numerous opportunities. James Cooke then drew us level on the hour mark and Alex Taylor put us in front from the spot shortly after.

A special mention to Jamie Simmons who was making his 200th appearance for the club. A remarkable achievement from a top lad and player. I've had the joy of playing with Jamie and now coaching him. He is a pleasure to have in and around the team and a outstanding servant to the club. Hopefully he's got plenty more games left in the tank for a few more years to come.

This weekend, we take on one of the top sides this season in Caldecote, who we narrowly lost to earlier on in the season just 1-0. We again look forward to all your support to cheer the lads on.

James Woolf

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	Newcastle		Bournemouth	51. Hull City	76.Rochdale
2.	Chelsea		Leyton Orient	52 Bristol City	77. Bristol Rov.
3.	Everton	212	Fleetwood	53.Bury	78. Wycombe
4.	Fulham	29.	Huddersfield	54. Crew Alex.	79. Northampton
5.	Liverpool	30.	Rungers	55. Wimbledon	80.Hearts
6.	Man Utd	31.	Derby	56.Chesterfield	81. York City
7.	Norwich	32.	Bolton	57.Hartlepool	82. Charlton
8.	QPR	33.	Oldham Ath	58. Torquay Utd	83. Brentford
9.	Southampton	34.	Nottingham F	59. Shrewsbury	84. Crawley
10.	Stoke	35.	Coventry City		85.Forest Green
11.	Birmingham		Cheltenham	61. Loswich	86.Gateshead
12.	Barnsley		Tranmere	62. Barniey	87.Oxford Utd
13.	Man City	38.	Southend	63. Notts County	88 Lincoln City
14.	Aston Villa	39.	Watford	64.Sheffield Utd	89. Reading
15.	Wigan Ath	40.	Luton	65. Colchester utd	90. Motherwell
16.	West Ham	41.	Wrexham	66.Port Vale	91. Middlesbrough
17.	WEA	C.	Brighton	67. Stevenage	92. Crystal Palace
18.	Tottenham		Yeovil	68. Morecambe	93. MK Dons
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20.	Sunderland		Preston NE	70. Newport Co.	95. Carlisle
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	Blackpool		Swindon	72.	97. Bruton Albion
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24.	Peterborough	150	Doncaster Rov	74.Banast	99. Celtic
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SCRATCHCARD INSTRUCTIONS SEE PAGE 4

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FIRST TEAM FIXTURES

2023-24 SEASON

FIX	DATE OPPOSITION	COMP	KO/ RES	POS	1	2	3	4	5
M1	Sep 02 Marston Shelton Rovers	BCL	1-3	-	Lewin	E.Harris	K.Cooper	Willett	Hislop
M2	Sep 09 Queens Park Crescents	BCL	0-6	13	Lewin	J.Harris	K.Cooper	O.Crook	Hislop
М3	Sep 16 Stotfold Development	BCL	1-4	13	Austin	J.Harris	K.Cooper	O.Crook	Knight
M4	Sep 23 Caldecote	BCL	0-1	13	Austin	Spavins	K.Cooper	Marler	Knight
M5	Sep 30 Sharnbrook	BCL	VV		Austin	Spavins	K.Cooper	J.Harris	Knight
M6	Oct 07 Biggleswade Utd Res	BCL	4-5	12	Austin	Bennett1	K.Cooper	J.Harris1	Knight
M7	Oct 14 Flitwick Town	BCL	3-1	11	Austin	Spavins	E.Harris	J.Harris	Knight
M8	Oct 28 AFC Oakley	ART	1-6	-	Austin	Poole	Bennett	J.Harris	Hislop
M9	Nov 04 AFC Oakley	BCL	1-8	12	Austin	Spavins	O.Crook	J.Harris	Hislop
M10	Nov 11 Shefford TC Res	BC	2-2	-	Watson	Spavins	K. Cooper	J.Harris	Knight
M11	Nov 18 Biggleswade FC Res	BCL	4-1	11	Austin	Spavins	K.Cooper	J.Harris1	Knight
M12	Nov 25 Crawley Green Res	BCL	1-2	11	Watson	Simmons	K.Cooper	J.Harris	Knight
	Dec 16 The 61 FC Luton	CST	0-1	-	Austin	Spavins	K.Cooper	J.Harris	Hislop
M14	Jan 06 Elstow Abbey	BCL	0-6	12	Austin	Bennett	K.Cooper	J.Harris	Hislop
M15	Jan 13 Marston Shelton Rovers	BCL	3-0	11	Austin	Bennett2	K.Cooper	J.Harris	Hislop
	Jan 27 AFC Kempston TH	BCL	4-0	8	Austin	Spavins1	K.Cooper	J.Harris	Hislop
	Feb 03 Queens Park Crescents	BCL	2-3	11	Austin	Spavins	K.Cooper	J.Harris	Hislop
	Feb 10 Stotfold Development	BCL	0-3	11	Austin	Bennett Bennett	K.Cooper	J.Harris	Hislop
-	Feb 17 Shefford TC Reserves	BCL BCL	1-0 4-2	10	Austin Austin	Bennett1	K.Cooper K.Cooper	Spavins Willett	Hislop Hislop
	Feb 24 Biggleswade FC Reserves Mar 09 Biggleswade Utd Reserves	BCL	4-2 3-2	9 8	Austin	Bennett	K.Cooper	Knight	Hislop
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Μ	Apr27 AFC Kempston Town Hamm	BCL	3.00				A .	as m	0

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BOLD FIXTURES - HOME GAMES (1,2) - GOALS SCORED

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Simmons	Keech	M.Crook1	Taylor	Donald	Cooke	Blades O.Cooper OCrook Henman	M1
Simmons	Keech	M.Crook	Taylor	Donald	Cooke	Henman	M2
Simmons	Keech	M.Crook1	Bennett	Donald	Willett	Henman Spavins	М3
Hislop	Keech	M.Crook	Bennett	Donald	Willett	Blades EHarris JHarris	M4
Hislop	Keech	M.Crook	Bennett	Donald	Simmons1	EHarris,Henman,Taylor, Willett	M5
Hislop	Keech	M.Crook1	Taylor1	Donald	Simmons	Bolton Henman	M6
Hislop	Keech	M.Crook	Taylor1	Willett1	Simmons	Cooke1 Henman	M7
Marler	Keech	M.Crook	Cooke	Willett	Donald	Simmons Spavins Taylor1	M8
Simmons	Keech	M.Crook	Taylor	Willett	Bennett1	Watson, Henman	M9
Hislop	Keech	Simmons	Taylor	Donald1	Bennett1	Cooke, O.Crook, Henman	M10
Hislop	Keech	Willett1	Taylor1	Donald1	Bennett	Cooke, E.Harris,Simmons	M11
Hislop	Keech	M.Crook	Taylor	Donald1	Willett	Henman	M12
Bennett	Keech	M.Crook	Taylor	Donald	Willett	Henman, Cooke, O. Crook, Field	M13
Knight	Keech	M.Crook	Cooke	Donald	Willett	Taylor, O.Crook, Field	M14
Marler	Keech	Willett1	Taylor	Donald	Cooke	M.Crook Field, Henman, Jermyn	M15
Marler	Keech2	Willett	Bennett	Donald1	Bolton	Field, Harding, Harrison, Henman, Simmons	M16
Bennett1	Keech	Willett	Taylor1	Donald	Cooke	Henman, Simmons,Poole	M17
Knight	Keech	Simmons	Taylor	Donald	Cooke	M.Crook,Field	M18
Knight	Keech	Raines	Taylor1	Donald	Cooke	,Field, Simmons, Willett	M19
Simmons	Keech	Raines	Taylor1	Donald1	Dallas	,Cooke, Field,1 Spavins	M20
Simmons	Keech	Raines1	Taylor1	Donald	Cooke1	Willett, Field, Spavins	M21



HALF TIME TEASER ANSWERS

1. John Lyall and George Burley

2. The eldest Dasilva, Jay is at Coventry City while the twins, Rio is at Kempston Rovers and Cole is at Bedford Town.

3. Anderlecht. In between he played at Hamburger SV and Manchester City.

4. Aston Villa, Crystal Palace, Derby County, Wolverhampton Wanderers, Blackpool, Norwich City, Barnsley, Fleetwood Town, Shrewsbury Town.

5. Bromley



INCLUDES THE BIG MATCH AND LOCAL FOOTBALL ROUND-UP

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		-eague		Cup			Total			
	Starts				Starts Sub Goals			Sub	Goals	
Andrew Field		7	1		1			8	1	
James Cooke	8	3	2	1	1		9	4	2	
Koron Cooper	16			2			18			
Mitchell Crook	10	2	3	2			12	2	3	
Lewis Donald	16		4	3		1	19		5	
Elliot Harris	2	3					2	3		
Jake Hislop	17			3			20			
Aaron Keech	18		2	3			21		2	
Jamie Simmons	11	4	1	1	1		12	5	1	
Alex Taylor	14	2	7	2	1	1	16	3	8	
Jay Willett	12	3	3	2			14	3	3	
Tarik Dallas	1						1			
Sam Harrison		1						1		
Owen Crook	3	2			1		3	3		
Sam Henman		8			1			9		
Jordan Harris	13	1	2	3			16	1	2	
George Austin	15			2			17			
Daniel Bennett	13		6	3		1	16		7	
Patrick Knight	11			1			12			
Freddie Spavins	8	3	1	2	1		10	4	1	
Matthew Marler	3			1			4			
James Jermyn		1						1		
Josh Poole		1		1			1	1		
Bradley Raines	3		1				3		1	

RISELEY SPORTS

Thomas Lewin 2; Liam Bolton 1 (1); Lewis Blades 1 (1); O'Shea Cooper (1); Terry Watson 2(1); Jesse Harding (1)

VISITING GOLD STREET

Sonny Newton-Cootes and Elliot Bunday return to Gold Street for the first time since joining Caldecote.

The duo were key players during their spell with Riseley Sports and have contributed towards Caldecote's rise to the top of the Bedfordshire

CALDECOTE

County League Premier Division, where they are currently in second place.

Stotfold Development are 13 points clear at the top of the table but Caldecote have six games in hand. This is partly due to Caldecote's run in the Britannia Cup where they

exited last weekend going down 1-0 to holders Elstow Abbey.

They also had a good run in the Bedfordshire County FA Senior Trophy before losing 3-2 to Totternhoe in a penaltymark competition, after a 0-0 draw.

BEDFORDSHIRE COUNTY LEAGUE ROUND-UP

Riseley Sports moved up to eighth place in the Bedfordshire County League Premier Division after a fine 3-2 away victory on 9th March over Biggleswade United Reserves, who are a much improved side this season.

Alex Taylor scored with a penalty for the visitors while the other goals came from Bradley Raines and James Cooke. James Box netted twice for Biggleswade United Reserves.

AFC Oakley slid further down the table following a 3-1 home defeat to Biggleswade FC Reserves despite a goal from Chisholm Amadi.

The FC Reserves goals were scored by Dylan Defang Asonganyi, Plamedi Kole Bomola and Daniel Lodevica.

Stotfold Development are now 13 points clear at the top of the table after their 1-0 victory at Crawley Green Reserves where Robert Wilcock scored the only goal of the game.

The biggest win of the day came from

BEDFORDSHIRE COUNTY LEAGUE PREMIER DIVISION 2023-24 Supported by Sportsform

	Ρ	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Stotfold Development	19	16	1	2	50	49
Caldecote	13	12	0	1	31	36
Elstow Abbey	13	9	2	2	27	29
Biggleswade Utd Res	18	9	2	7	16	29
Marston Shelton Rov	20	8	5	7	2	29
Crawley Green Res	16	7	1	8	8	22
Flitwick Town	18	6	4	8	-14	22
Riseley Sports	17	7	0	10	-15	21
AFC Oakley	14	6	2	6	21	20
Biggleswade FC Res	17	6	2	9	-15	20
Queens Park Cres	14	3	5	6	-10	14
Shefford TC Res	12	2	1	9	-23	7
AFC Kempston TH	17	0	1	16	-78	1
Sharnbrook	0	0	0	0	0	0

As at 14th March

Marston Shelton Rovers, who bagged a 5-0 victory over bottom side AFC Kempston Town Hammers.

Harry Baker smashed home a hat-trick while the other efforts came from Riley Clifford and Luke Clifford.

Flitwick Town battled to a 2-1 win over Queens Park Crescents where Ash Nelson and Phil Matthews were on target. The Crescents response came from Mohammed Raheem Jabber.

There was also **Britannia Cup** semi-final where Elstow Abbey defeated Caldecote 1-0 with the only goal coming from Toby Williams.

Abbey will face Stotfold Development in the final - date and venue to be confirmed.

FIXTURES

Saturday 16th March

League

AFC Kempston Town Hammers v AFC Oakley Biggleswade FC Res v Biggleswade Utd Res Crawley Green Res v Elstow Abbey Flitwick Town v Stotfold Development Marston Shelton Rovers v Queens Park Cres Riseley Sports v Caldecote

Wednesday 20th March

League

Shefford TC Res v AFC Kempston TH



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Non-league talent will be showcased not once but twice to the nation in the next week – and it sets us up nicely for what promises to be an exhilarating finale to the domestic season.

Next Saturday, 23rd March, sees the return of Non-League Day, where the international break gives our clubs the chance to take centre stage and promote the importance of affordable volunteer-led community football.

Before that, though, it's the turn of England C to take their pride of place when they head down to Llanelli Town's Stebonheath Park on Tuesday for their now annual fixture with Cymru C.

This year marks the 22nd year that former Barnet and Stevenage boss Paul Fairclough takes the Three Lions helm – and the 74-year-old has carefully selected a highly competitive 16-man squad for the fixture, plus a 10-man contingency squad.

Mindful of the stage of the season and club commitments, Fairclough has adopted a oneplayer-per-club policy and has been able to select an open-age group.

Chesterfield captain Jamie Grimes has been picked for the first time at the age of 33, as has the National League's top goalscorer, Eastleigh goal machine Paul McCallum, at 30.

Worthing hot-shot Ollie Pearce is one of two Step Two players to be selected after scoring 33 goals in National League South this season. He joins Chester goalkeeper Wyll Stanway, whose sister Georgia is an England Lioness.

Competing with Stanway for the starting No.1 jersey is Bromley stopper Grant Smith, who returns having earned his first England C cap in the first fixture at Barry Town United in

2018 when Fejiri Okenabirhie smashed a hattrick in a 3-2 thriller.

There's also a return for Southend United defender Gus Scott-Morriss, who played in the 1-0 win over Mark Jones' side at Altrincham 12 months ago.

This will be the fifth instalment of the annual fixture but Fairclough's men will be looking to avenge their last visit across the Severn bridge, back in March 2022, when they were comprehensively beaten 4-0 in Caernarfon.

But Tuesday night's Cymru C game is not the only fixture on the Lions' calendar this year.

Fairclough's men will also be hosting a historic and groundbreaking international fixture against Nepal at Aldershot Town's EBB Stadium on Bank Holiday Monday 6th May.

This prestigious event has been made possible by a Tri-Party agreement signed by Aldershot Town FC, The FA and the All Nepal Football Association after the Shots helped raise funds of over £30,000 to help build two schools in Nepal following the devastating earthquake of 2015.

Laurence Jones, Head of National League System at The FA said: "We are delighted to be welcoming the All Nepal Football Association to England as part of our friendship visit in May.

"Football has the unique power to bring communities together and it will be fantastic to engage with the large Nepalese community that live in the area, as well as the Gurkha Regiments based at the Aldershot Garrison. We look forward to welcoming everyone to the community events and football matches, in what promises to be a great occasion for all."

Jon Couch

THE TEAMS Saturday 16th March



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Sky Blue

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KORON COOPER JAY WILLETT BRADLEY RAINES ALEX TAYLOR JAMES COOKE

> Manager James Woolf

> > Referee:Jack Young

NEXT AT GOLD STREET

RISELEY SPORTS v Crawley Green Reserves Saturday 23rd March

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Red + White



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