

HAYES v YEOVIL TOWN

AC DELCO CUP FINAL – 1988



The Camrose Ground, Western Way, Basingstoke
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A WELCOME TO BOTH CLUBS

from Mr. ALAN TURVEY, *Chairman, Vauxhall-Opel League*

It is my great pleasure on behalf of the officers, management committee and member clubs of the Vauxhall-Opel League to welcome you all to the Camrose Ground, the home of Basingstoke Town F.C. for the very important and prestigious AC Delco Cup Final.

In particular I welcome the Officials, Players and Supporters of the two competing teams – Hayes F.C. and Yeovil Town F.C. for what I am sure will be a most keenly contested match. Whatever the result, I look forward to the match being played in a sporting manner and the two sets of supporters being a credit to both clubs, so upholding the high traditions of our league.

The behaviour of football supporters is a matter that receives much attention from the media and it is vital that the match is not marred by “crowd trouble”. Remember we are here to witness a sporting contest between two of the best non-league teams in the country.

Our visitors today include a representative of our main sponsors – Vauxhall Motors Ltd, Mr. Keith Barry, a Senior Marketing Executive and representatives of the Hampshire, Middlesex and Somerset & Avon County Football Associations together with other administrators from the football world.

On behalf of the Vauxhall-Opel League I would like to take the opportunity of thanking the Directors and Committee of Basingstoke Town F.C., particularly, Chairman Gordon Hill, General Secretary Neil Kimber and Press Officer David Knight for the ready help and assistance given for today's game.

Thanks are also extended to the Officer in Charge of Basingstoke Police for their help today and also to the members of St. John Ambulance Brigade for being in attendance.

Hoping you have an enjoyable afternoon and ‘may the best team win’...

Alan Turvey

Chairman Vauxhall-Opel League.

WELCOME TO YEOVIL TOWN AND HAYES...

It gives Basingstoke Town F.C. great honour to have been asked to stage this season's AC Delco Cup Final between Yeovil and Hayes. On behalf of everyone here at the Camrose Ground we would like to welcome the two clubs' officials, players and supporters of the two competing teams and hope they enjoy their stay here in Basingstoke and have safe journeys back to Middlesex and Somerset respectively.

THE HISTORY OF HAYES F.C.

Hayes Football Club was founded in 1909 by Miss Shackle, a well known local social worker. The club was originally known as Botwell Mission, hence the club's present nickname of 'The Missioners'. They played in the Great Western Suburban League and were Champions in 1920-1, 1921-2, 1922-3 and 1923-4. These successes gained them entry into the Spartan League and they were runners up in the League Championship in 1925-6 before winning the title two years later. In 1929-30 the club changed their name and became members of the Athenian League, replacing Finchley in that competition. The following season, Hayes had the remarkable achievement of fighting their way through the qualifying rounds of the F.A. Amateur Cup to reach the final which was played at Highbury. Nine clubs were beaten, all away from home, including semi-final victims, Bishop Auckland and it was estimated that the team had travelled around 1,500 miles to reach the final which unfortunately they lost.

The following season the club won the London Senior Cup by beating Ilford 3-1 at Upton Park. They reached the same final three seasons later but on that occasion lost to Walthamstow Avenue. In the Athenian League, Hayes were runners-up for the title in 1931-2 and again in 1949-50, however they were successful in lifting the championship in 1956-7. Also that season they reached the semi-final of the Amateur Cup but were beaten by Bishop Auckland in front of a highly partisan 40,000 crowd at St. James Park, Newcastle.

In the F.A. Cup Hayes have reached the first round proper on nine occasions since 1927. The most memorable of those came in 1972-3 when, after beating Bristol Rovers 1-0 in the 1st round, they drew 0-0 with Reading before losing 0-1 in the replay. This season they reached the 1st round again only to lose 0-1 at home to Swansea.

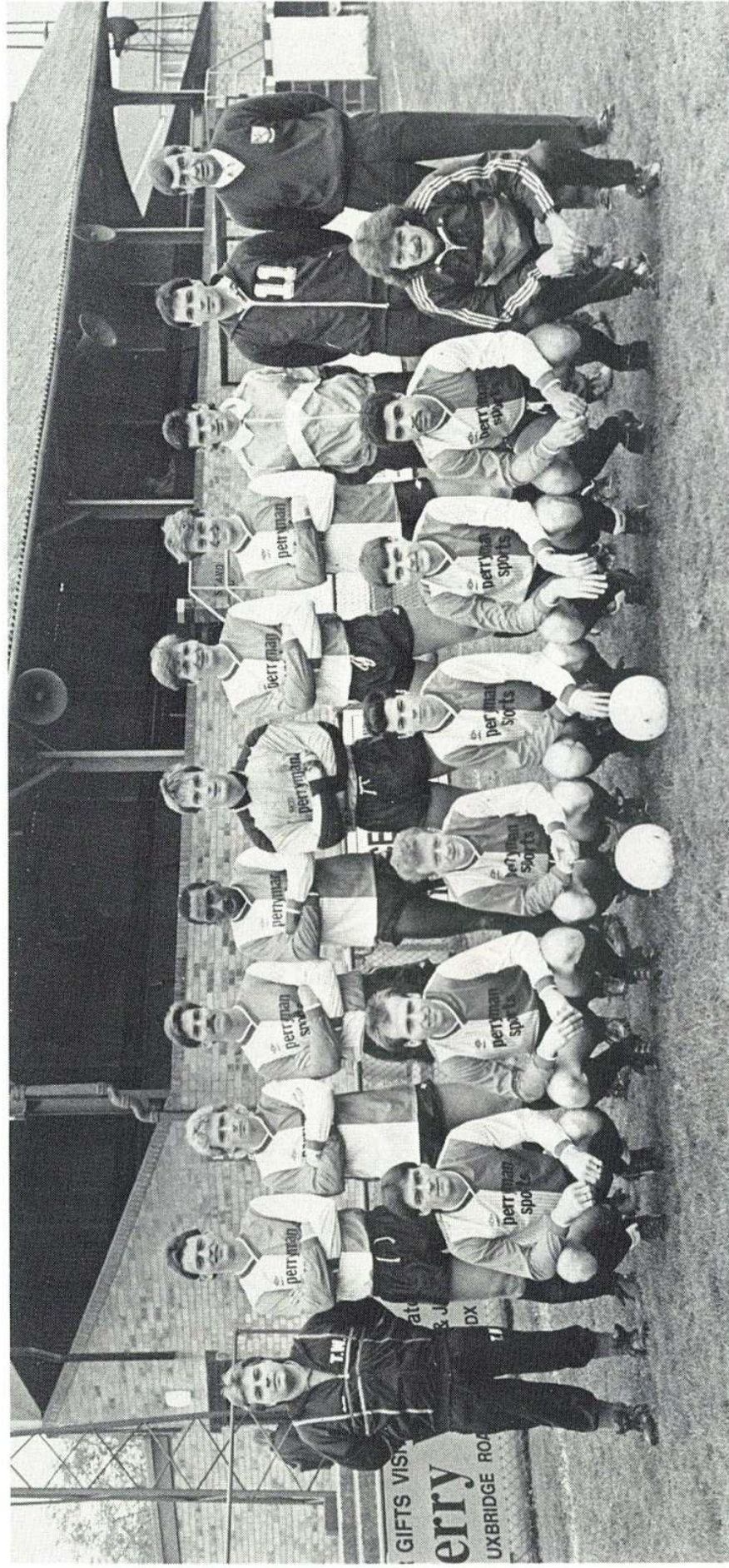
In addition the club has won the Middlesex Senior Cup on eight occasions, the Middlesex Charity Cup a record fourteen times and in 1973-4 the club reached the final of the London Challenge Cup losing 0-5 to a strong Tottenham side.

Following many lean years, fortunes began to turn towards the start of this decade with the club reaching the quarter-finals of the F.A. Challenge Trophy and the final of the Hitachi Cup – both for the first time. In 1980-1 the London Senior Cup was won again as well as reaching the final of the Middlesex Senior Cup and the semi-final of the Hitachi Cup. The following season Hayes won the Middlesex Senior Cup for the first time in over thirty years with a 2-0 win over Wealdstone.

In recent years two of Hayes' players have progressed into the Football League; Cyrille Regis moved to West Bromwich and later to Coventry where he won an F.A. Cup winners medal last year, and Les Ferdinand who moved to Q.P.R. early in 1987 and had made two appearances prior to the start of the current campaign.

Hayes' league positions began to improve with the best being 4th in 1982-3 and 5th in 1983-4. Over the past couple of seasons they have struggled and found themselves near the bottom of the league. This season though has seen Harry Manoe in his first full season in charge and he has brought together a side that can once again challenge for honours. This can be seen by their league position and their appearance in today's AC Delco Cup Final, which incidentally is their second appearance in the final having lost 1-2 to Enfield in 1978-9.

HAYES FOOTBALL CLUB 1987/88



Back row: Terry Warren (Physio), Ian Bolton, Gary Churchouse, Reg Leather, Earl Whiskey, Paul Hyde, Jason Court, Tony Kelly, Jason Gregory, Harry Manoe (Manager), Clive Griffiths (Asst. Manager).

Front row: Ray Knowles, Glenn Hayward, Chris Walton, Derek Payne, Mark Graves, Clevere Forde, Roger Goodhind (Coach).

Picture: David Kettlewell, Hayes & Harlington Gazette

HAYES PEN PORTRAITS

RAY KNOWLES

Experienced striker who joined in 1987 from Burnham & Hillingdon. Previous clubs include Wimbledon, Southall, Wealdstone and Harrow. His heading ability will cause many defence problems.



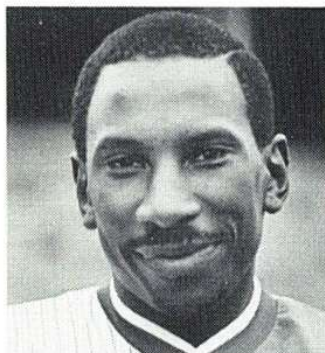
IAN BOLTON

Vastly experienced player who joined last summer from Kingsbury. Ian will be most remembered for his spell at Watford under Graham Taylor where he made over 200 first team appearances. Previous to that he played for Birmingham, Notts County and Lincoln.



EARL WHISKEY

Joined earlier this season from Kingstonian and after a short spell in the reserves he became a regular in the first team.



GARY CHURCHHOUSE

Now in his second season at Hayes having arrived from Takapuna in New Zealand. He began at Windsor before moving to Charlton where he made a dozen first team appearances. Also played for Wealdstone, Maidenhead, Southall and Uxbridge.



REG LEATHER

Club captain who is now in his third spell at Hayes and this season passed 450 appearances for the club. Strong centre back who also played for Reading, Hillingdon, Woking and Southall.



TONY KELLY

Striker who joined the club a few months into last season from Harefield United. Despite being leading scorer there he has adopted a midfield role at Hayes as well.

CHRIS WALTON

Tricky and skilful player who joined at the start of last season from Hanwell Town and improved with every game and this season has been called upon to fill the right back position. Also played for Feltham and Kingstonian.

**MARK GRAVES**

Mark joined during the close season from Wealdstone where he had been top scorer for the last five years. Also played at Plymouth where he scored three goals in 33 appearances. Deadly marksman who is the club's current leading scorer.

**GLENN HAYWARD**

Hayes' longest serving player who joined from Hounslow and has been a model of consistency since. Has now made over 350 appearances for the club and has been Player of the Year twice. Can play either at the back or in midfield.

**DEREK PAYNE**

Midfielder who signed during the close season from Burnham & Hillingdon. Also played for Northwood and is a small but very skilful player who has caused torment amongst many sides this season.

PAUL HYDE (Goalkeeper)

Rated one of the best 'keepers in the league and his excellent handling and agility is a great asset to the team. He joined around five years ago from Hillingdon and has twice won the Player of the Year award. Now made over 250 appearances at Church Road.

CLEVERE FORD

Joined the club last season from Harrow Borough and has tormented many sides this year with his wing play. Played in the Football League with Plymouth and also has had spells with Tooting & Mitcham, Hendon and Hounslow.

CHRIS DIXON

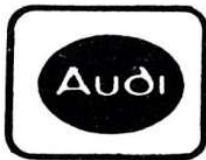
Forward who joined at the turn of the year from Uxbridge and is a fast and skilful striker. Unable to hold a regular first team spot due to injuries.

TONY HEADLAM

Strong and powerful centre back who is mainly a reserve player but has been called upon to make appearances in the first team and will always give 100%.

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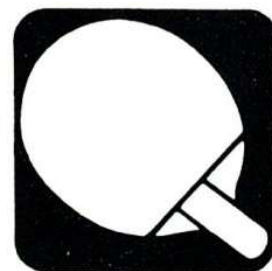
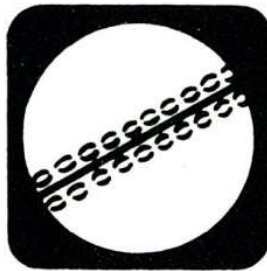
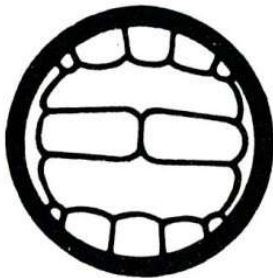
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6. JASON COURT
7. DEREK PAYNE
8. RAY KNOWLES
9. TONY KELLY
10. MARK GRAVES
11. CHRIS WALTON
12. EARL WHISKEY
14. CLEVERE FORD

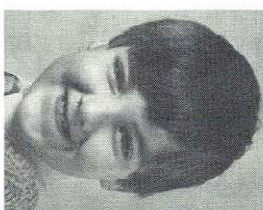
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THE TWO YEOVIL MASCOTS

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 BOB ILES, JOHN LUKIC



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 YEOVIL AND LIVERPOOL
 PAUL RANDALL, JOHN MCGINLAY



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How Hayes reached the AC Delco Cup Final...

1st Round	Home v Newbury Town	6-0	Graves (2), Court, Walton, Whiskey, Bolton (pen)
2nd Round	Home v Haringey Boro'	7-0	Graves, Payne (2), Forde, Kelly, Bolton (2, 1 pen))
3rd Round	Home v Bromley	5-4	Graves (2), Payne, Knowles, Churchouse
4th Round	Away v Barking	3-0	Forde (2), Court
Semi-Final (1st leg)	Away v Wokingham	1-1	Graves
Semi-Final (2nd leg)	Home v Wokingham	3-0	Whiskey (2), Court

How Yeovil Town reached the AC Delco Cup Final...

1st Round	Away v Walthamstow Avenue	5-0	McGinlay, Ferns, Rutter, Pearson
2nd Round	Away v Chesham United	3-0	Ferns (2 (1 pen)), Randall
3rd Round	Home v Leytonstone-Ilford	2-0	Pearson, Donnellan
4th Round	Away v Hampton	2-0	
Semi-Final (1st leg)	Home v Kingstonian	2-0	
Semi-Final (2nd leg)	Away v Kingstonian	1-0	

YEOVIL TOWN

1. BOB ILES
2. JEFF SHERWOOD
3. PHIL FERNS (Captain)
4. TONY RICKETTS
5. STEVE RUTTER
6. NEIL CORDICE
7. GARY DONNELLAN
8. ANDY WALLACE
9. PAUL RANDALL
10. MICK DOHERTY
11. GERRY PEARSON
12. JOHN MCGINLAY
14. MARTYN GRIMSHAW

THE HISTORY OF YEOVIL TOWN F.C.

Football first came to Yeovil in 1890-91 and was played in conjunction with Yeovil Rugby Club at a ground in West Hendford. The soccer club was known as Yeovil Football Club with rugby and soccer being played on alternate Saturdays.

The birth of the club as it is known today took place in 1895 with the formation of Yeovil Casuals who were based at the Pen Mill Hotel. They changed their name to Yeovil Town in 1907-08 and in 1908 another club was formed called Petters United. At the end of the first World War, the two clubs amalgamated and a new club was born – Yeovil and Petters United – a name retained until 1946-47 when the present Yeovil Town was adopted.

In 1920-21 the club moved to Huish and a year later they gained admission to the Southern League and then on the 3rd May 1923 the present company – Yeovil Football & Athletic Club Ltd was registered. Success was almost immediate, as the Western Section of the Southern League was won in its second season. With the exception of the 1930-31 season, when Yeovil played in the London Combination, the club played in the Southern League until 1979-80 when they became founder members of the Alliance Premier League. Success had come regularly in the Southern League with three title wins and five runners-up honours as well as a record four League Cup wins.

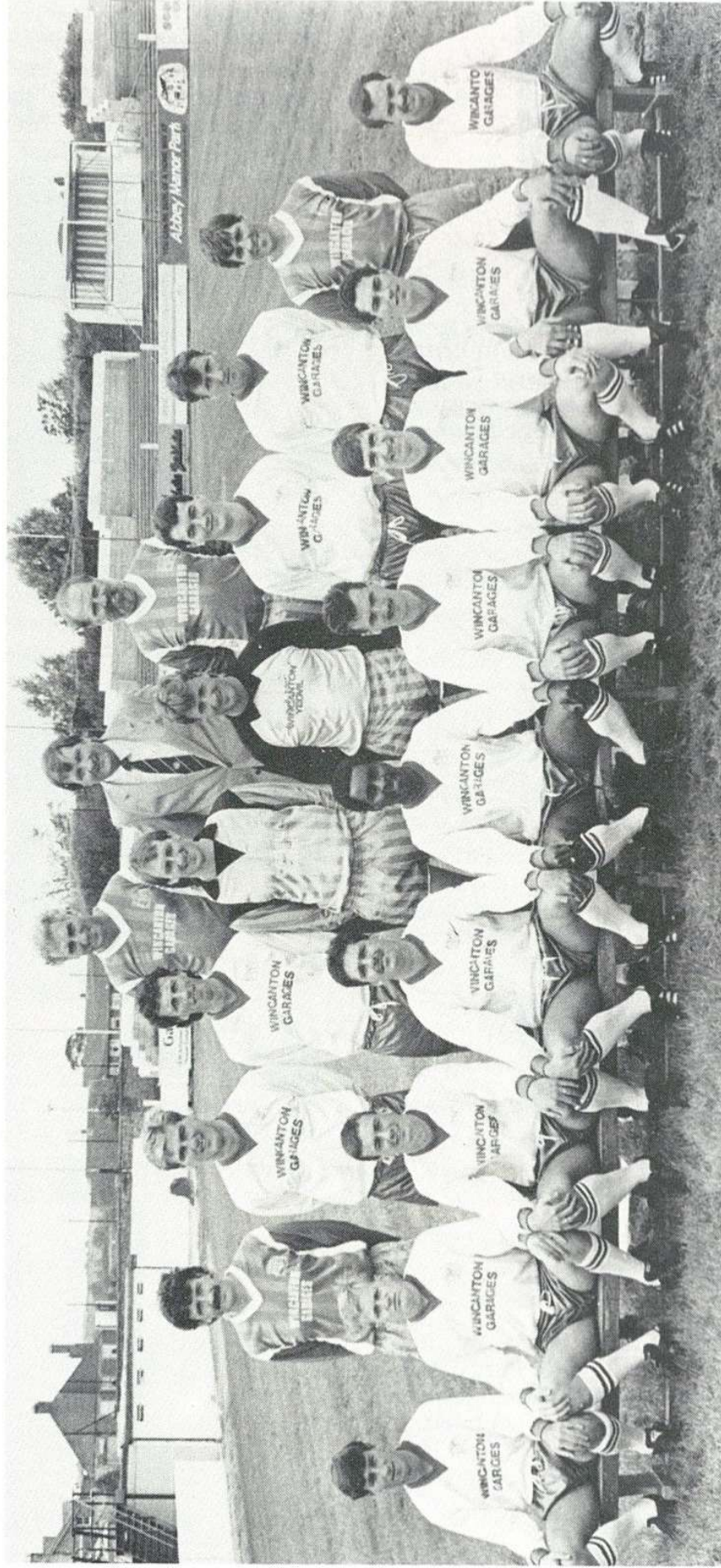
In the F.A. Cup their first real impact came in 1934-5 when they reached the 3rd round for the first time and met Liverpool at home. Before the war the club made the third round on two more occasions, losing to Manchester United and Sheffield Wednesday after a replay.

Under the management of Alec Stock after the war, The Glovers set the football world alight with a home win over Sunderland in 1948-49. This put them in the 5th round where in front of 81,565 they lost to Manchester United. Including the current campaign Yeovil have now reached the 3rd round a record ten times and in all have defeated League opposition on 13 occasions.

In the F.A. Challenge Trophy they have twice been ninety minutes from Wembley as they lost in the semi-finals in 1970-71 and 1971-72.

Since leaving the Southern League, success in league football for Yeovil has been limited. Six seasons in the Alliance saw Yeovil in a mid table position for the first three seasons before slumping into the bottom three for the next three seasons. Twice they avoided the drop as no side from the V.O.L. wanted promotion, but at the end of the 1984-85 season the axe fell and for the first time in their history they were relegated. The first season in the V.O.L. saw Yeovil lose only seven games but finish as runners-up to Sutton United, whilst last season they lost just six games but once again they were pipped at the post, this time by Wycombe Wanderers.

YEOVIL TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB 1987/88



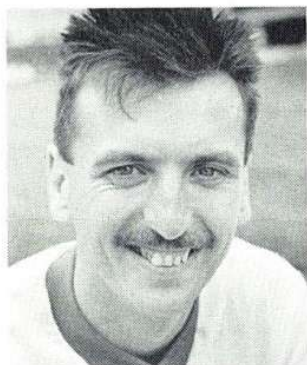
Back row (l. to r.): Brian Hall (manager), Gerry Lock (chairman), Paul Hillard (assistant manager).

Centre row (l. to r.): Steve Ritchie (reserve team manager), Paul Thorpe, Tom Ritchie, Dave Walter, Brendon Andrews, Steve Rutter, Ricky Chandler, Tony Rafferty (physio).

Front row (l. to r.): Andy Stone, John McGinlay, Neil Coates, Gerry Pearson, Andy Wallace, Paul Randall, Phil Ferns, Gary Donnellan, Dave Linney.

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YEOVIL PEN PORTRAITS



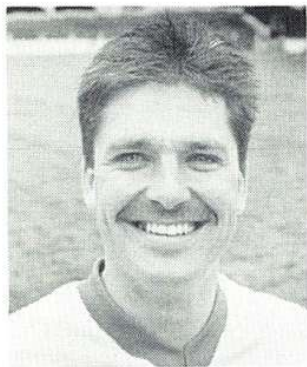
PAUL RANDALL

Scored 63 goals in 177 games for Bristol Rovers before being sold to Stoke City for £200,000. After scoring 7 goals in 46 games he returned to Rovers and notched another 33 goals in 52 games. Leading scorer last year with 19 goals.



JOHN MCGINLAY

Came to Yeovil on the recommendation of former boss Cecil Irwin who spotted him at Sunderland. Previously played for Nairn County in the Highland League. Scored two goals on his debut in March 1985.



GERRY PEARSON

Played for Sheffield United before moving into non-league football with Barnstaple, Bideford, Weymouth and Maidstone. Joined Yeovil in September 1985 as a striker but can also operate in the middle of the park. Has represented the Vauxhall-Opel League on many occasions.

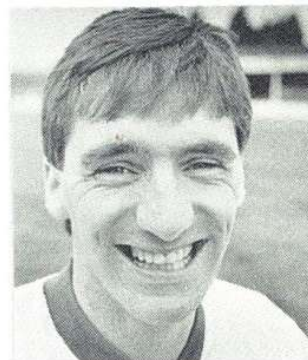
BOB ILES (Goalkeeper)

Experienced 'keeper who joined Yeovil last summer and made his debut on 9th September 1987. Bob has played Poole, Bournemouth, and Weymouth before moving to Chelsea where he made 14 first team appearances. Member of the Wealdstone 'double' side in 1984-85.



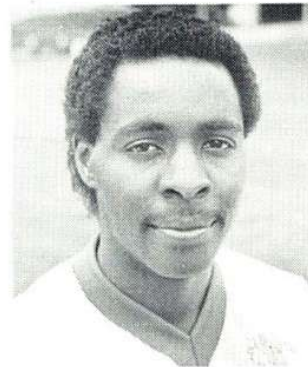
PHIL FERNS

Signed from Aldershot in 1986. Previous clubs include, Bournemouth, Charlton, Wimbledon and Blackpool making over 200 appearances in total. Team captain and the club penalty taker.



ANDY WALLACE

Played for Metropolitan Police and Kingstonian before moving to Wealdstone. Plays either in midfield or up front. Made his debut for Yeovil in March 1987.



STEVE RUTTER

Signed from Wealdstone around a year ago and was previously with Rushden Town, Kettering Town and Wellingborough. Can either play in midfield or at the centre of defence.



GARY DONNELLAN

Gary was with Watford and Chelsea before joining Reading where in 44 appearances he scored 5 goals. A member of the 1984-5 Wealdstone 'double' side, he joined Yeovil last season.

JEFF SHERWOOD

Signed in the close season from Bath City for £5,000 and made his debut in August 1987. Jeff joined Bath from Taunton and he also had a spell with Bristol Rovers for whom he made 18 appearances.

TONY RICKETTS

Tony joined the club from Bath City for a £7,500 fee two years ago. He missed most of last season through injury but happily he is now getting back to his top form.

NEIL CORDICE

Neil became the fifth ex-Wealdstone player on Yeovil's books when he made his debut in October 1987. Had a short spell with Northampton before joining Wealdstone for whom he came on as substitute in 1984-5.

MARTYN GRIMSHAW

Joined Yeovil in March of this year in an exchange deal which saw Ricky Chandler return to Bath City. Can play either up front or in a midfield berth.

DAVE LINNEY

Started his career at Birmingham City before moving to Oxford United where he made 34 appearances at full back. Yeovil's longest serving player as he is now in his fifth season at Huish.

PAUL THORPE

Previously with Newport he made his debut for Yeovil in September 1984. Central defender who has also played for Bristol Rovers and Torquay United.



MICK DOHERTY

Yeovil spent a club record of £11,000 to bring Micky back to Huish recently. Formerly with Basingstoke, Reading and Maidstone, he is a big favourite with the Yeovil supporters.

YEOVIL CAR CENTRE



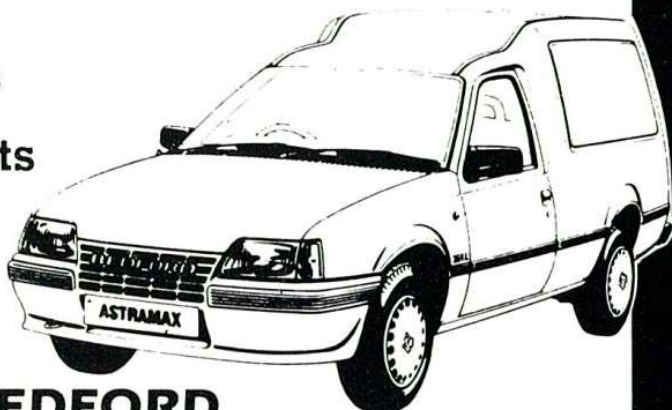
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BRIAN HALL (Yeovil Town)

48 year old Brian was born in Ealing, Middlesex and was reared on Brentford F.C. watching them from the age of nine. He went on to play for the Metropolitan Police from 1963 to 1968 in the Greater London League and the Metropolitan League. Brian later played for Dunstable and in 1973 obtained his first full coaching badge at Loughborough College. In that same year he joined Walton & Hersham and it was there he met the man who made a big impression on his future – Alan Batsford. They both moved to Wimbledon, Batsford as manager and Hall as his assistant and coach. It was there that the fairy tale came true when Wimbledon were elected to the Football League. After 18 months coaching at Slough he moved to Wycombe in 1978. In 1980 Brian got together again with Batsford at Wealdstone and although they were relegated at the end of their first season from the Alliance they bounced straight back from the Southern League the next year. In 1983 Brian took charge at Wealdstone and in 1984-85 they won the Gola League, F.A. Trophy, Middlesex Senior Cup and the Capital League Cup. In January last year Brian was appointed in charge at Huish.

HARRY MANOE (Hayes)

Harry is just coming to the end of his first full season of management having taken over from George Goode midway through last season. He did have occasion to play himself many times last season and this certainly added bite to the Hayes midfield, much in the same way it had done for Harrow Borough where Harry made over 350 appearances. This current campaign has seen Harry lead Hayes back into the limelight with a good F.A. Cup run and an excellent season in the league.

The season is capped for Harry with a chance to lead Hayes to their first Trophy under his managership.



BRIAN HALL



HARRY MANOE



PREVIOUS WINNERS OF THE AC DELCO CUP

(From 1974-1977 competition called League Cup)

(From 1977-1985 competition called Hitachi Cup)

	Winners	Runners-up	Score	Venue
1974-75	Tilbury	Croydon	3-1	Final was 2 legs
1975-76	Slough	Tilbury	4-1	Hayes
1976-77	Hendon	Barking	1-0	Harrow
1977-78	Dagenham	Leatherhead	1-0	Dulwich
1978-79	Enfield	Hayes	2-1	Slough
1979-80	Enfield	Sutton United	2-1	Harrow
1980-81	Slough	Walthamstow	4-2	Hayes
1981-82	Leytonstone-Ilford	Kingstonian	2-0	Boreham Wood
1982-83	Sutton United	Wycombe	2-1	Final was 2 legs
1983-84	Sutton United	Wycombe	3-1	Final was 2 legs
1984-85	Wycombe	Farnborough	5-1	Final was 2 legs
1985-86	Sutton United	Uxbridge	3-1	Met. Police
1986-87	Bognor Regis	Hendon	3-2	Windsor

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