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**OVD SCOTTISH
JUNIOR CUP**



TAYPORT

v

LIVINGSTON UTD.



**AT THE CANNIEPAIRT
SAT. 1st FEBRUARY 1992**

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30p



Tayport Juniors

- Ground: Canniepairt, Shanwell Road, Tayport. Tel. 553670.
- Colours: Red Shirts, White Shorts
- Founded: Club - 1947 Juniors - 1990
- Honours: Tayside McEwan's Lager League Div.2 Champions 1990/91
Perthshire Advertiser Cup Winners 1990/91
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- Manager: D. Baikie
- Coaches: R. Robb, G. Irons, D. Tosney
- Physio: G. Hill
- Groundsman: D. Hughes

OVD Scottish Junior Cup 1991/92

Tayport

- Round 1: Bye
- Round 2: Lewis United 0 Tayport 5 (D Reilly 2, Thoms, Cushnie,
Round 3: Tayport 2 Cumnock 0 (Thoms, D. Reilly) Devine)

Livingston United

- Round 1: Bye
- Round 2: Kirrie Thistle 2 Livingston Utd 5 (Yardley, Cowan 2,
B. Fairlie, Docherty)
- Round 3: Livingston Utd 3 Kilwinning Rangers 0 (Yardley, Cowan,
Allison)

"The Baker's Bit"

On behalf of the Management I would again like to welcome our support and opponents to the Canniepairt. Today we entertain Livingston United and, like us, they have reached this fourth round stage on merit. Looking back over the past month we have achieved five wins from five games, the first being our 2-0 Scottish third round victory against Cumnock. Although they made life difficult, I felt we were always in command. It was an enjoyable day.

The following week we were at home to Kirrie Thistle. We played for sixty minutes, gained two valuable points. The 4-0 scoreline flattered them. The next game we played was a friendly away to F.C. Stoneywood, one of the North Region's top sides and came home with a 4-1 win. The loss of that goal is definately worrying. I must get Fraser to sort "Tosher" out at training!

The 2-0 victory at Jeanfield was pleasing, conditions dictating our battling performance. Least said the better on last week's 2-1 win against Lochee United. At the end of the game I felt as if we had lost but the scoreline said differently.

To get back to today's match, my opening paragraph is identical to the one I'd written on 2nd February 1991 with one exception - that day it was Blackburn United. There are many similarities between the events of one year ago and today. Not only do both Uniteds compete in the same division, they both arrived at Tayport with excellent third round victories over top Ayrshire sides. One year ago Blackburn left here with a 7-1 defeat, and as much as I would like Livingston to suffer the same fate, I know only too well, and the players must realise, that for this to be achieved the same commitment and attitude must be repeated for this to become a reality. Make no mistake about it, Livingston United are a better side than the United we met a year ago, but Tayport are also a stronger side now than a year ago and I'm confident if our players play to their full capability we'll be in the hat and the last sixteen.

Support the 'Port,

David Baikie

TODAY'S GAME

The fact that seven John Walker League (East Region) teams contest the 4th Round of the OVD Cup, compared with two Tayside Region clubs tells its own story. Livingston United, 'B' division league leaders, with eleven wins and a draw in their last twelve games, are very much part of that story and will be keen to write a new chapter at Tayport's expense.

Unbeaten away from home this season, Livingston will not be short on confidence. Club President George Dryburgh although acknowledging that it will be a tough match, was quoted in the Edinburgh press as having "no fears about any other team" and is "quietly confident of getting a result".

Tayport have come a long way in a short time, a fact recognised by no less an authority than the bookmakers, and will be anxious not to disappoint their support which has been weaned on a diet of success.

TODAY'S VISITORS: Livingston United Founded: 1970

Ground: Station Park, Deans, Livingston

Colours: Black and white

Honours: 'B' Division champions 1980/81

League Cup 1980/81. Meikle Cup 1990/91

Members of East Region 'B' Division

Best Scottish Cup Run - 4th round

Manager: Bobby Ramsay Trainer: Archie Whitelaw

Coaches: Robin Gibson, Tam Connor

A warm welcome to the players, management and support of our visitors from the Lothians. As far as Junior clubs go Livingston Utd. are a relatively young club, this season being the 21st birthday of their admission to the S.J.F.A. Currently members of the East Region's John Walker League Div. B, the new town club are presently enjoying their best ever run, unbeaten in their last dozen games and looking certs for promotion at the end of the season.

This successful run has ensured that United will bring a healthy support north to Tayside to cheer on their favourites. They will travel with every confidence and quite rightly so, with two impressive cup results already under their belt. Kirrie Thistle were defeated 5-2 on Livingston's last venture into these parts and Ayrshire division one side Kilwinning Rangers were thumped 3-0 at Livingston in the last round.

Livingston have a very experienced squad with more than half of their players having had Senior experience. Key men in their side will be goalkeeper MICKY HILL. The giant Keeper, formerly of Albion Rovers, is an imposing last line of defence who commands his box with authority. In defence key men are sweeper IAN GORDON, formerly with Airdrie and Partick Thistle, COLIN REID, ex Hamilton and another ex Airdrie man GORDON McNEIL.

In midfield, United have ALAN DOCHERTY a former Junior Internationalist, who broke the deadlock with the opening goal in last week's derby win over Broxburn. Also in midfield will be TIMMY BRADY ex Linlithgow Rose and JAMIE FAIRLIE, once of Motherwell and Airdrie.

It's up front that Livingston have the players who will catch the eye of the Tayport support. Certain starters today are top joint scorers this season MARK YARDLEY, converted from a centre half, and BRIAN FAIRLIE, both six foot plus strikers who are both in the mould of what we now call "old fashioned centre forwards". Yardley was with Arsenal as a youngster as well as Cowdenbeath while Fairlie plied his trade at Albion Rovers for a spell. Only a substitute last week but likely to be on from the start today is STEVIE COWAN, top scorer last season with 31 goals. A definite non starter today is GARY FINLAYSON, United's recent signing from Broxburn, and scorer of the third goal against his old club last week. Finlayson is cup tied.

Tayport Juniors - Player Pool

FRASER MANN Hero of the last round when he saved a penalty kick. Has the best goalkeeping record in the Tayside Region.

PAUL REILLY, defender. "Junior" to his teammates. Has slotted in well since stepping up from the Amateur grade. Sponsored by McADAM'S METRO BAR.

GRANT PATERSON "Jonjo" is the nippiest defender in the league.

Was 'capped' by Tayside Region at Linlithgow earlier this season. ANDY SOMMERVILLE One of the most respected players in the Association, big Andy is a colossus in the Tayport defence. Sponsored by the TAYBRIDGE BAR.

SEAN WILKIE, defender. Had a wealth of senior experience at Brechin City but still of relatively tender years.

GEORGE MALONE Belies his advancing years with immaculate full back performances. Victim of a nasty late tackle at Jeanfield. Could be a doubtful starter. Sponsored by the TAYBRIDGE BAR.

FRANKIE DOLAN Versatile defender. Very nimble on his feet for a big lad. His goals, though infrequent, are always spectacular.

MARK SPALDING, midfield. Great competitor. Had an outstanding game a couple of weeks ago in the cup tie at Jeanfield.

GRANT CUSHNIE, midfield. Had an indifferent spell following early season absence through illness but is back to his best. BILLY COVENTRY, midfield or attack. Covy possesses a tremendous shot. His display v Kirrie at beginning of year was inspirational.

GARY LAMONT, attacker. The Tayport fans like no better sight than Gary in full flight towards the opposition goal. Sponsored by WESTPORT BAR.

JOHN DEVINE, attacker. If Divvy's cup final hat-trick last season assured him of a place in Tayport folklore, so too did his goal v Cumnock.

DAVE REILLY Oozes class. Now playing with bags of confidence which enhances any striker's game.

KEVIN THOMS forms a lethal spearhead with Dave Reilly. No better penalty box player in the league than the ex St. Johnstone man. JIMMY HUNTER, great midfield competitor, solid but fair in the tackle. Packs a ferocious shot (usually off target!!)

Sponsored by CAL-A-KEG. GRAEME IRONS, midfield or attack. On the club's coaching staff but in a couple of outings recently showed he is well equipped to step in to any one of several positions.

RONNIE ROBB, player/coach/spy. Only turns out on rare occasions, but the veteran winger still looks very comfortable on the ball.

TAYSIDE LEAGUE DIVISION 1

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Downfield	19	12	6	1	56	13	30
Tayport	18	12	5	1	54	11	29
Forfar W.E.	20	9	7	4	55	28	25
Arbroath S.C.	20	10	5	5	46	27	25
North End	19	10	5	4	34	23	25
Jeanfield	18	10	4	4	32	21	24
Kirrie Th.	21	7	8	6	33	34	22
East Craigie	23	8	3	12	41	60	19
Violet	19	6	6	7	34	42	18
Kinnoull	20	6	5	9	25	33	17
Lochee Utd.	21	4	6	11	27	54	14
Elmwood	17	3	4	10	22	37	10
Bankfoot	20	3	3	14	20	58	9
Blairgowrie	19	2	3	14	24	61	7

JOHN WALKER B DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Livingston	14	9	3	2	30	11	21
Arbion	15	10	1	4	32	17	21
Dalkeith	14	8	4	2	32	15	21
Stoneyburn	14	9	1	4	24	14	19
Blackburn	16	9	1	6	38	31	19
Bonnyrigg	12	8	2	2	30	21	18
Saunders	14	6	3	5	25	20	15
Haddington	13	3	5	6	25	31	13
Preston	15	4	4	7	30	33	12
Broxburn	15	3	5	7	24	35	11
Albion	17	4	3	10	31	51	11
W Calder	14	4	1	9	23	30	9
Dunbar	13	4	1	8	21	34	9
Pumphrey	14	2	0	11	16	38	4

* goals awarded, ** goals deducted

TODAY'S TOP TIES

Arbroath S.C.	v	St. Andrews United
Lanark	v	Hill of Beath
Fauldhouse	v	Auchinleck
Linlithgow	v	Arthurlie
Cambuslang	v	Pollack
Shettleston	v	Glencairn
Vale of Leven	v	Oakley
Johnstone	v	Beith

12/ 8/91	A v Jeanfield (L)	L 2 - 3	Thoms, Devine
14/ 8/91	H v Violet (L)	W 4 - 0	Sommerville, Hunter, Devine, D. Reilly
17/ 8/91	H v Bankfoot (L)	W 9 - 0	D. Reilly 3, Thoms 2, Devine, Irons, Cushnie
19/ 8/91	H v Elmwood (L)	D 0 - 0	
21/ 8/91	A v North End (L)	D 1 - 1	Thoms
24/ 8/91	H v Forfar W.E. (L)	D 1 - 1	Thoms
26/ 8/91	A v Kirrie Thistle (L)	W 3 - 0	Thoms, Coventry, Dolan
28/ 8/91	A v East Craigie (L)	W 6 - 0	Thoms, Lamont 2, Coventry 2, o.g.
31/ 8/91	H v Bankfoot (P.A. Cup R1)	W 5 - 1	Thoms, D. Reilly 3, Devine
7/ 9/91	A v Arbroath S.C. (L)	W 1 - 0	Coventry
14/ 9/91	A v Blairgowrie (L)	W 4 - 0	Thoms 3, Devine
21/ 9/91	A v East Craigie (P.A. Cup R2)	W 3 - 2	Thoms, D. Reilly, Dolan
28/ 9/91	A v Downfield (L)	D 1 - 1	Devine (P)
5/10/91	H v Scone (Zamoyski R1)	W 7 - 0	Devine 3, D. Reilly 2, Coventry, Thoms
12/10/91	A v Elmwood (L)	W 4 - 0	Spalding, Thoms, D. Reilly, o.g.
20/10/91	H v East Craigie (L)	W 4 - 2	Thoms 2, D. Reilly, Devine
26/10/91	H v Forfar W.E. (W & M R1)	L 0 - 1*	
2/11/91	H v North End (L)	D 1 - 1	Devine (P)
9/11/91	H v Forfar W.E. (W & M R1)	W 2 - 0	Devine, D. Reilly
16/11/91	A v Kinnoull (L)	W 2 - 1	D. Reilly 2
23/11/91	A v Downfield (P.A. Cup R3)	D 0 - 0*	
30/11/91	A v Lewis Utd. (OVD R2)	W 5 - 0	D. Reilly 2, Thoms, Cushnie, Devine
7/12/91	H v Lochee Utd. (L)	W 5 - 1	Thoms 2, D. Reilly, Sommerville, Coventry
14/12/91	A v Violet (L)	W 2 - 0	Sommerville, Devine
28/12/91	H v Cumnock (OVD R3)	W 2 - 0	Thoms, Devine
4/ 1/92	H v Kirrie Thistle (L)	W 4 - 0	Thoms 2, Coventry, Lamont (P)
11/ 1/92	A v Stoneywood (F)	W 4 - 1	Cushnie, Lamont, Thoms, Coventry
18/ 1/92	A v Jeanfield (W & M R2)	W 2 - 0	D. Reilly, Coventry
25/ 1/92	H v Lochee Utd. (Zamoyski R2)	W 2 - 1	Coventry, Devine

* match replayed after protest
+ Tayport eliminated on penalties

Stop Press

Tayport F.C. have just secured a valuable sponsorship arrangement with ADAMS AUTOBODY, the Dundee based vehicle body repair firm. Under the arrangement the entire committee and management of the club will be supplied with matchday jackets

Local Cup Draws

Cream of the Barley Cup 1st Round - Jeanfield Swifts v Tayport
Whyte & Mackay Cup quarter final - Forfar Albion v Tayport
Intersport Shield 1st round - Scone Thistle v Tayport
Zamoyski Cup 3rd round - draw yet to be made

TODAY'S TEAMS

TAYPORT

(from)

Fraser Mann
Frank Dolan
George Malone
Grant Paterson
Paul Reilly
Sean Wilkie
Andy Sommerville
Mark Spalding
Grant Cushnie
Jimmy Hunter
Billy Coventry
John Devine
Kevin Thoms
Gary Lamont
David Reilly
Graeme Irons
Ronnie Robb

LIVINGSTON UNITED

(from)

Micky Hill
Gordon McNeil
Colin Reid
Tommy Ash
Davie Rooney
Tim Brady
John Allison
Alan Docherty
Mark Yardley
Steve Cowan
Brian Fairlie
Steve Dunn
Jimmy Smart
Mickey Lynch
Ian Gordon
Jamie Fairlie

TODAY'S REFEREE

Linesmen

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A. Freeland (Aberdeen)

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B. Bruce (Aberdeen)

G. McIntosh (Aberdeen)

MATCH BALL:



Today's Match Ball has
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Apology

The committee would like to extend their apologies to today's spectators for any inconvenience which may be caused through the building works currently being undertaken at the Canniepairt.

These alterations are being carried out to enlarge and improve facilities in the home dressing room and to provide toilet accommodation and refreshment facilities for spectators.