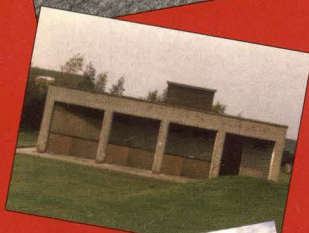


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TODAY'S GAME

This afternoon heralds a particularly important period of the season for both clubs. The early season sparring is behind us as we move into winter having both attained fairly healthy league positions.

Although league fixtures will be slotted into the respective programmes along the way, cup ties will often (hopefully) take centre stage.

The next three weeks can make or break a club's season. For Tayport the three major cups occupy these three Saturdays, North End Centenary Cup today, Taycars Trophy next week and the Scottish Cup the week after that.

Longside, too, see today's game and their Scottish Cup tie in a fortnight - a lengthy trip to south Ayrshire to play Muirkirk - as the opportunity to provide a few warm memories when season 1997/98 is recalled in years to come.

Longside, boasting a set-up second to none in the Junior game and with the sponsorship backing of glass giants A.C.Vule, certainly have the infrastructure to support a successful team.

Today will provide an opportunity to gauge how things have improved since the 1995 meeting of the clubs when Tayport were comfortable victors.

Neither team has changed a great deal, with the bulk of the pools of '95 still on call. Longside will be hoping that the recent signing of John Hewitt will pay off in that he can turn the clock back and recapture some of the form which took him to the top.

Tayport haven't had a full squad from which to select at anytime in the season so far and today is no different. Grant Miller missed last week through illness and must again be a doubt, Martin Wilkinson is away on a course and Billy Coventry is on holiday. Paul Reilly is struggling with a leg injury as is Barry Gardiner who was crocked at Violet last week. Barrie Gray is still awaiting an operation date and he is unlikely to be considered. Grant Buist returns to the pool but Tayport may again have to call on coach George Nicol, who had to come on last week at Glenesk Park, to take a substitute's jersey.

In common with all local and regional cup-ties this game will be played to a finish with extra time and penalty kicks if required.

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attendance - 239

The majority of the players on both sides are still involved with their respective clubs

TAYPORT

1. Fraser Mann
2. Grant Miller
3. Grant Paterson
4. Sean Wilkie
5. Paul Reilly
6. Keith Nicolson
7. Jimmy Hunter (coach)
8. Ewan Cameron (up for transfer)
9. Hamish Mackay (retired)
10. Dave Reilly
11. Gary Maher (Scone This)
12. Mike Gray (now in London)
13. Steven Stewart

LONGSIDE

1. Gary Mutch (retired)
2. Kenny Macdonald
3. Iain Fraser
4. Gordon McRobbie
5. Colin Robertson
6. Graham Catto (retired)
7. Jim Guyan
8. Russell Robertson
9. Jim Bain
10. Zander Whyte (coach at Buchanhaven Hearts)
11. Gilbert Stephen
12. John Fraser (retired)
13. Neil Niven

What the local press said.....

FIFE HERALD

'Tayport had an easier than expected passage into the quarter finals of the North End Centenary Cup, disposing of the North region high flyers with a stylish first half performance..... if Tayport had not taken their foot off the pedal in the second 45, the leeway could have been greater.'

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Larkhall Thistle	2	0	2	5	6	6
MARYHILL	1	2	0	5	2	5
Benburb	1	2	0	6	4	5
Shettleston	1	1	3	6	8	4
Arthurlie	1	0	0	3	1	3
Lanark United	1	0	1	1	2	3
Baillieston	1	0	1	2	4	3
Lesmahagow	1	0	4	6	11	3
Neilston	0	1	1	1	3	1
Blantyre Vics	0	0	0	0	0	0

DIV-1 W D L F A P T

Rithgln Glencairn	4	0	0	11	2	12
Forth Wanderers	2	2	0	11	3	8
Kirkint. Rob Roy	2	2	0	11	7	8
Kilsyth Rangers	2	0	2	9	7	6
Bells Hill Athletic	2	0	4	7	16	6
Vale of Clyde	1	2	0	6	3	5
Yoker Athletic	1	2	5	3	3	4
Vale of Leven	1	1	4	7	10	4
Shotts Bon Acc.	1	0	0	4	0	3
Cumbarauld Un	1	0	1	3	5	3
Renfrew	1	0	1	2	4	3
Cumbarauld Rngr	0	2	1	3	4	2
Johnstone Burgh	0	1	0	1	1	1
Ashfield	0	1	3	3	12	1

DIV-2 W D L F A P T

St. Roch's	5	0	0	22	5	15
Greenock	4	0	0	13	5	12
St. Anthony's	3	0	0	9	4	9
Royal Albert	2	1	1	6	5	7
Coltness United	2	1	2	12	13	7
Dunipace	2	0	1	6	5	6
Carlisle Rovers	2	0	1	5	9	8
Glw Perthshire	1	1	1	11	5	4
Wishaw	1	1	2	7	9	4
Port Glasgow	1	1	3	6	17	4
E. Kilbride Thistle	0	1	3	3	7	1
Thorniewood U	0	1	5	6	13	1
Stonehouse Vio	0	1	4	4	15	1

RESULTS - Sat Oct 18-

Scottish Cup - rd 1 - r/p-

Blairwood 1-2 Dunipace
Cumbernauld 2-0 Bathgate Th
Blantyre Vics 2-1 Dunbar Un.
Johnstone Bg 3-0 East Craigie
Baillieston 3-1 Largs Th.

West Cup - rd 2 - r/p -

Neilston 4-3 Renfrew

Reebok premier - 3pm

Benburb 1-1 Maryhill
Lanark United 1-0 Larkhall Th
Pollok 4-2 Lesmahagow
Shettleston 0-1 Petershill

Reebok Div 1 -

Ashfield 1-1 Vale of Clyde
Bellshill Ath 1-3 Glencairn
Cambuslang 2-3 Kilsyth
Forth Wands (p) Rob Roy
Vale of Leven 0-0 Yoker Ath

Reebok Div 2 -

Carlisle Rovers 1-0 Thorniewood
Coltness Un 0-5 St.Roch's
E.Kilbride Th 0-0 Stonehouse V
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Greenock 4-2 Pt Glasgow
St.Anthony's 4-2 Wishaw

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West of Scotland Cup - rd 1

Royal Albert 1-7 Pollok
St.Anthony's 2-2,4-3 Winton Rovers
Cambuslang R 1-1,1-2 Troon
Port Glasgow 2-5 Rob Roy
Glencairn 2-1 Vale of Clyde
Benburb 4-1 Baillieston
Neilston 2-1 Craigmark
Renfrew 2-1 Lesmahagow
Coltness Un 0-4 Shotts Bon Acc
Stonehouse V 0-2 Irvine Meadow
Johnstone Bgh (p) Kilbinnie Lade'
St.Roch's 1-3 Muirkirk
Shettleston 2-3 Arthurlie
Blantyre Vics (p) Vale of Leven
Maryhill 5-1 Greenock
Lanark United 2-0 Dunipace
Ashfield 3-3,1-4 Annbank Un
Kilsyth Rangers 0-5 Auchinleck Tal.
Bellshill Athletic 1-2 Glenafton Ath
Cumbernauld Un 0-4 Cumnock

- rd 1 - Ayrshire homes -

Lugar Boswell Th 0-4 Larkhall Th
Maybole 1-0 Ardara This
Whitlatts Vics 3-8 Perthshire
Beith 5-1 Wishaw
Hurlford Un 0-5 Carlisle Rovers
Kello Rovers 0-4 Perthshire
Kilwinning R 1-0 Thorniewood
Darvel 4-3 Yoker Ath
Saltcoats Vics 1-2 Irvine Vics
Largs Thistle 2-4 Dalry Thistle

rd 2 - from Oct 4th -

East Kilbride Th 3-0 Muirkirk
Darvel 2-3 Kilwinning R.
Auchinleck Talbot 3-2 Troon
Larkhall Thistle 1-2 Glenafton Ath
Forth Wands v St.Anthony
Carlisle Rovers 2-3 Meadow XI
Pollok 4-0 Maryhill
Maybole 3-2 Benburb
Dalry Thistle 0-1 Lanark United
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Arthurlie v Johnstone/Kilbinnie
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Muirkirk	2	0	1	6	-5	6
AUCHINLECK	1	0	1	3	-1	3
Troon	1	0	0	3	-2	3
Dalry Thistle	1	0	2	4	-4	3
Kilbirmie	1	0	3	7	-12	3
Irvine Meadow	1	0	3	5	-11	3
Largs Thistle	1	0	3	3	-14	3
Beith	0	1	1	3	-6	1

WESTERN-2 W D L F A P

Ardeer Thistle	4	3	1	25	-17	15
Lugar Bos. Th.	4	1	0	14	-5	13
Irvine Victoria	3	2	2	18	-13	11
Winton Rovers	2	2	1	14	-10	8
Kello Rovers	2	2	2	12	-12	8
Annbank Un	1	4	1	12	-11	7
Maybole	1	3	1	8	-7	6
Craigmark Bnt	2	0	3	6	-9	6
Hurlford Un.	1	2	3	10	-12	5
Whitlatts Vics	1	2	2	8	-13	5
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Forfar W End 1-2 Kilbirmie
Thornston Hibs 0-1 Dalry Thistle
Baillieston 3-1 Largs Thistle
West Cup - rd 2 -
Auchinleck Talbot 3-2 Troon
rd 2 -r/p -

Beith 0-3 Cumnock

District Cup - rd 2 - 3pm-

Winton Rovers 3-1 Kello Rovers

Stagecoach Div 1 -

Glenafton Ath 5-1 Meadow X1

Stagecoach Div 2 -

Hurlford United 1-3 Maybole
Irvine Vics 2-2 Annbank Un
Lugar Boswell 3-1 Ardeer Thistle
Saltcoats Vics 2-2 Darvel
Whitlatts Vics 2-0 Craigmark Bnt

TIMES (District) CUP- rd 1-

Maybole 0-8 Troon
Winton Rovers 4-1 Whitlatts Vics
Darvel 2-8 Dalry Thistle
Muirkirk 3-1 Saltcoats
Beith v Annbank
Cumnock 5-0 Hurlford
Auchinleck Talbot v Kilwinning.
rd 2 -
Largs Thistle 0-3 Irvine Meadow
Cumnock 2-4 Troon
Craigmark Bnt 2-1 Irvine Victoria
Winton Rovers 3-1 Kello Rovers
Lugar Boswell T 1-6 Dalry Thistle
Ardeer Thistle v Talbot/Kilwinning
Kilbirmie Lads' de v Beith/Annbank
Glenafton Athletic 3-2 Muirkirk
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THIS AFTERNOON'S VISITORS

LONGSIDE make their second visit to The Canniepairt and again the occasion is a North End Centenary Cup tie. The first visit was March 1995 when Tayport recorded a 4-0 victory.

In the three seasons since then the club from just outside Peterhead has consistently finished in the top half of the Aberdeenshire Premier Division. This season looks like being no different. Indeed, with Longside currently topping the table, the committee will be hoping that a championship is beckoning.

Longside carry one of the biggest player pools in the Junior game - 25 all told - and their most recent acquisition is a name which has its own little place in Scottish football history - John Hewitt. Hewitt, of course netted the winning goal when Aberdeen beat Real Madrid in the final of the 1983 European Cup Winners Cup. On the way to Davidson Park, Longside, John has included Celtic, St Mirren and Ross County amongst his ports of call.

In goal today will be CARSON RICHES who started the season with Peterhead in the Highland League before being farmed out to Longside. Riches took over from last season's regular No.1, local lad BRIAN GREIG, who lost his place when he went swanning off to Canada on holiday. Defender KENNY MACDONALD originates from Stornaway but was once on Dundee United's books. ALAN THOMSON fixed up from Peterhead two years ago, previously had a lengthy spell at Fraserburgh. Sweeper STAN VALENTINE was the subject of interest from Arbroath last season but, despite two impressive trials, the Gayfield club didn't pursue their interest. NEIL NIVEN who plays in both midfield and defence, is a product of Longside FC's summer league side.

IAIN FRASER is an experienced fullback as his 10 years and championship medal at Peterhead might suggest. Iain has been out recently with a hamstring problem. JAMES SIEVEWRIGHT, a newcomer this season, signed from local neighbours Buchanhaven Hearts. COLIN ROBERTSON was the Man of the Match when the teams last met here but injury problems these past two seasons suggest he'll be lucky to play today never mind be Man of the Match contender. Another who is unlikely to feature is GORDON McROBBIE, a long serving stalwart whose work commitments restrict his opportunities. MARTIN RITCHIE, midfield or defence, is a well built lad who joined up this season from Summer League football. PHILIP CUMMING is another newcomer, signed from Maud FC as was CRAIG REID who is on the fringe of selection. KEVIN CUNNINGHAM, Midfield. Battled his way back from a leg break and is beginning to recapture his pre-break form. Scored last week v Banchory. JOHN HEWITT (pictured) has been playing in midfield. Still settling in although his vast experience in the Senior game is bound to be a telling factor this afternoon. STUART FINNIE joined this season from Under 16 Juvenile football. Likely to give way to experience today.

STEVEN RINTOUL, GILBERT STEPHEN and MARK FINNIE will probably form the Longside strike force. Rintoul, signed from Dyce, is a player in form as a number of M O M awards would suggest. Stephen, too is starting to rediscover his best form in his fourth season with the club. Finnie is a nippy front player who, on his game, has few peers in North Junior circles.



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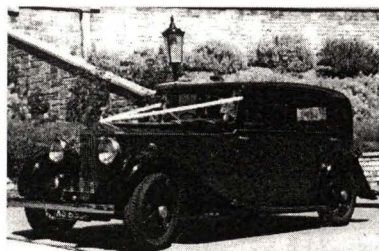
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GRILL LEAGUE CUP 1997/98.

The **Grill League** cup is played in the early part of the season by teams in the Northern region and takes the form of three sections of six teams and one section of five, with the reward for the winners of each section a place in the semi finals.

In Section One **Stoneywood** won all five games and only conceded five goals along the way, two of which were conceded to **Longside** our opponents today. **Longside** had mixed fortunes in the section finishing fourth but with a good goal scoring record which was boosted by an 8-0 win against Inverurie Juniors.

In Section Two the winners **Sunnybank** also won all their games and in doing so kept a blank sheet in every one.

Section Three was decided on goal difference with **Hermes** just beating **Hall Russell** by two goals to go onto the Semi's.

With nothing much between the teams in Section Four **Parkvale** won through by two points over **Banchory** with **Stonehaven**, **Formartine** and **Dyce** only separated by goal difference.

The Semi Final ties lined up **Stoneywood** versus **Hermes** and **Parkvale** against **Sunnybank**.

Stoneywood ran out 5-2 winners over a very hard working **Hermes** side who gave a good account of themselves and were not beaten as easily as the score suggests.

In the other tie **Sunnybank** the favourites were pushed all the way by a very stuffy **Parkvale** winning by the narrowest of margins 1-0.

The 'Final' was won by **Sunnybank** beating **Stoneywood** 3-2 to retain the trophy which they won last season by beating our opponents today, **Longside**, by 2-0.

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TAYSIDE LEAGUE DIVISION ONE ATTACKING & DEFENDING AVERAGES

GOALS SCORED

1	CARNOUSTIE	3.89
2	TAYPORT	2.89
3	ST JOSEPHS	2.75
4	NORTH END	2.50
5=	FORFAR WE	2.43
5=	ARBROATH	2.43
7	DOWNFIELD	2.14
8	JEANFIELD	1.71
9	ELMWOOD	1.50
10	E.CRAIGIE	1.33
11	VIOLET	1.17
12	KIRRIE TH	1.00
13	LOCHEE UTD	0.75
14	KINNOULL	0.70

GOALS CONCEDED

1	ST JOSEPHS	1.00
2	NORTH END	1.20
3	TAYPORT	1.22
4	ARBROATH SC	1.28
5	VIOLET	1.50
6=	KIRRIE THIS	1.75
6=	LOCHEE UTD	1.75
8	DOWNFIELD	1.86
9	CARNOUSTIE	1.89
10	FORFAR WE	2.14
11	ELMWOOD	2.16
12	KINNOULL	2.40
13	E.CRAIGIE	2.66
14	JEANFIELD	3.71

FROM THE MANAGER'S PEN.....

Hello and welcome to this afternoon's North End Centenary Cup tie against North Region's Longside.

Longside are presently sitting top of the North League's Premier Division. Their results to date have been quite impressive, winning three and drawing the other of their four opening league games. They have also won all four of their knock-out cup ties.

Last week coach Ron Nicoll watched them in a cup-tie against Banchory which they won by 5-0. Ron confirmed my opinion that they are a very good side and that we'll have to be at our best to overcome them. However I believe we have the quality players at this club to do so if we play to the best of our ability. One thing I'm sure of, is that the supporters can expect an excellent game this afternoon.



Reflecting on last week's away league match at Dundee Violet, I was delighted to pick up three vital league points against a well organised and hard working side who, I'm sure, will take points from some of the teams currently competing with us at the top of the league. It was a battling performance from the 'Port, made even more pleasing considering we only had twelve players available due to injury and having one player at a wedding and another away on business. I would like to thank our coach George Nicoll for stepping in to help out. Big Dode had to train hard during the week in preparation for the match. It could not have been easy getting out of bed for work the next day. Well done, George!

The draw for the 2nd round of the Scottish Cup took place last weekend and we were drawn against local side Forfar Albion at Forfar. I am reasonably pleased with the draw but I want to take this opportunity to assure you that we will not take this tie for granted. We will prepare for this game in the same way as we would have prepared had we drawn a team from outwith this area.

Finally may I take this opportunity to thank all the committee, players and the supporters for their continued support and encouragement. We all have the same goals and aspirations for the team and together we can move forward.

Regards, *Kenny Bunce.*

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PLAYER SPOTLIGHT

IAN GREIG

Ian signed in August of this year from Arbroath SC. An industrious midfielder or defender, Ian had first caught Tayport's eye when Dave Baikie was the manager but SC wouldn't part when Baiker made enquiries last season. However, Kenny Bunce made Ian his first signing for the club when he brought him to the Canniepairt during the close season.

Holidays, an injury and a wedding delayed Ian's introduction to the side but he's now into the swing of things but is still looking for his first goal. Ian recently provided a PPPP (Port Prog personal profile) Read on.

AGE: 27 on 25th November. DOMESTIC CIRCUMSTANCES: married Karen a year ago.

HEIGHT: average for a Tayport player!.

WEIGHT: varies but usually about 10½ stones.

BORN: Torphins, Aberdeenshire. STAY NOW: Arbroath.

BROTHERS or SISTERS: Sandy(29) Donna(23).

SCHOOL(S): Aboyne Primary, Aboyne Academy.

PART-TIME JOBS WHEN AT SCHOOL: paperboy and assistant in 'Mace'.

CURRENT OCCUPATION: Assistant Commercial Manager with The Royal Bank of Scotland.

PREVIOUS OCCUPATION: Bank Officer.

AGE STARTED PLAYING FOOTBALL: as long ago as I can remember.

TEAMS SINCE THEN: King Street, Dyce BC, Dyce Juniors, Montrose FC Bon Accord JFC, Deveronvale, Lewis United JFC & Arbroath SC.

HONOURS WON: a couple of cups here and there.

MOST MEMORABLE FOOTBALL MOMENT: scoring three penalties past Gary Bailey at Manchester United's Cliff Training Ground.

MOST DIFFICULT OPPONENT: Jimmy McMulkin when at Downfield.

BEST PLAYER PLAYED WITH: Scott Booth (Aberdeen and now Dortmund)

FAMILY FOOTBALL HISTORY: Dad maintains he was best centre-half north of the Forth despite only being 5'4"!

BIGGEST INFLUENCE ON CAREER: parents.

BEST GROUND PLAYED ON: Turriff United & Sunnybank's grounds.

WORST: Cuminstown's Tennant Park (trees overhang the pitch)

BEST GOAL SCORED: 70 yard 'mazy' in 1/4 final of Scottish Under 18 Cup for Dyce BC.

TEAM SUPPORTED AS A BOY: Aberdeen

HOBBIES: golf. CAR: Peugeot 106 & 305. LAST HOLIDAY SPOT: Praia de Rocha, Portugal.

FAVOURITE FOOD: eat anything (except rice pudding).

FAVOURITE DRINK: Tennant's Lager.

FAVOURITE PUB/NIGHTCLUB: Lochlands Bar, Arbroath.

OTHER SPORTS PLAYED: golf, snooker.

ALL TIME FAVOURITE FILM: Shawshank Redemption.

WHAT BABE DO YOU REALLY, REALLY FANCY: Jennifer Aniston

LAST BOOK READ: Kenny Dalglish Autobiography.

FAVOURITE TV PROG: Friends.

WHO?,WHAT? or HABIT YOU ABSOLUTELY DETEST: getting defeated and rice pudding.

FAV. DAILY NEWSPAPER: The Sun. SUNDAY: News of the World.

MAGAZINE: FHM. MUSIC TASTES: mixed. Elvis, 50's,60's charts.

CLAIM TO FAME: 1984 Butlins/Daily Express Soccer Boy of the Year. Won finals at Manchester United. Trained with 1st team, played in training game then won penalty shoot out v Gary Bailey (3 out of 3!)

S.J.F.A. TAYSIDE and FIFE REGIONS

TAYCARS TROPHY 2nd Round .1997/98

Our opponents in the Taycars', Thornton Hibs, are enjoying the best start to a season for many a year. Having led the John Fyfe league for most of the early weeks of the season, currently they are sitting fifth but having played fewer games than the teams above them they will hope to be among the honours at the end of the season. They also reached the quarter final stage of the Peddie Smith Moloco cup going down 6-0 to Fife Regions in form side Kelty Hearts.

In the Fife and Lothian cup they drew Fauldhouse away and gained a creditable 2-2 draw and must fancy their chances to progress to the next round in the home replay.

With the form they are showing this season a cracking tie is in prospect at the Canniepairt on the first of November.

The second round draw for the Taycars Trophy is as follows:

LOCHORE	v	SCONE
KIRRIE	v	NEWBURGH
DOWNFIELD	v	VIOLET
MONTROSE	v	KELTY
TULLIALLAN	v	ARBROATH SC
TAYPORT	v	THORNTON
HILL o'BEATH	v	BANKFOOT
BLAIRGOWRIE	v	ROSYTH
OAKLEY	v	CARNOUSTIE
NORTH END	v	LOCHGELLY
STEELEND	v	LOCHEE Utd
FORFAR WE	v	ST.ANDREWS
KIRKCALDY	v	BROUGHTY
BRECHIN Vics	v	GLENROTHES
CROSSGATES	v	KINNOULL
ST.JOSEPHS	v	DUNDONALD

Ties to be played on Saturday 1st November.

HOW THEY STAND .

SCOTTISH JUNIOR F.A. TAYSIDE REGION

N.C.R. LEAGUE DIVISION 2.1997/98

At 24th OCTOBER

	Pt	W	D	L	F	A	G/D	Pts
SCONE	5	4	0	1	11	5	6	12
COUPAR ANGUS	5	3	2	0	13	8	5	11
LOCHEE HARP	5	3	0	2	14	6	8	9
MONTROSE	5	3	0	2	9	8	1	9
BANKFOOT	6	2	2	2	10	10	0	8
ARBROATH Vics	6	2	1	3	16	20	-4	7
FORFAR Alb	5	2	0	3	10	13	-3	6
BLAIRGOWRIE	3	1	2	0	10	8	2	5
BROUGHTY	4	1	1	2	7	8	-1	4
BRECHIN Vics	5	1	0	4	15	21	-6	3
LUNCARTY	5	1	0	4	9	18	-9	3

SCOTTISH JUNIOR F.A. TAYSIDE REGION

N.C.R. LEAGUE DIVISION 2 RESULTS. 1997/98

At 24th OCTOBER

	AVIC	BANK	BLAIR	BREV	BROT	COUP	F/ALB	LOC/H	LUNC	MONT	SCON
ARBROATH Vics				7-4	3-2		1-4				
BANKFOOT	4-1		1-1							0-1	
BLAIRGOWRIE	2-2			7-5							
BRECHIN Vics								0-4			1-3
BROUGHTY								2-1			
COUPAR ANGUS		2-2			2-2				3-2		
FORFAR Alb		3-0		0-5		2-5					
LOCHEE HARP							2-1		7-1		
LUNCARTY		2-3								2-1	
MONTROSE	4-2				2-1						
SCONE						0-1		2-0	4-2	2-1	

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24 YEARS AGO Junior Football at Tayport was still 17 years in the future and the Amateurs played on the East Common. Saturday 3rd November 1973 was a notable occasion. It was only Tayport Amateurs 12th Scottish Amateur Cup-tie (they've now played over 100) and it was the club's first ever tie against an Aberdeenshire team. Glenavon Sporting Club, carrying all before them up north, arrived in Tayport boasting an unbeaten record.

90 minutes later that record was in tatters, Tayport winning 5-1. Team that afternoon was Phil Callander; Ian Mathers, Spider McLaren, McFarlane (a ringer from RAF Leuchars, as I recall), Ronnie Fleming; Lindsay Ancell, Jim Scott, Abby Oswald, Ian Howe, Raymond White & Doug Henderson. Subs. were Brian Burchell & Eddie Gilmour. The goals came from Howe (2), White (2) and Henderson.

Tayport also had a team in the Midlands Alliance League at this time and, although the 'Stiffs' weren't playing that day, their regular line-up during this period included Alex Houston, a somewhat eccentric goalkeeper from Glasgow doing post graduate work at Dundee University (if anybody's heard of him in the past 24 years, please let us know), Brian Dempster, Alan Davie, Stuart Davie, John Porter, Ian Rae, Cormac Andrews, Frank Leslie, Frank Feechan, Bunter Robertson (once or twice as a subby when we were short, really, really, short!), Maurice Flynn, Ally Bagnall, Andy Johnstone and Gordon Hughes. Gordon 'Gogo' Hughes, incidentally, is still playing regularly 24 years on for Cupar Hearts in the Kingdom League.

A quick trawl through the club minute book for November 1973 revealed that the club decided not to participate in a joint venture with Tayport Youth Development Committee to build a sports complex on the Common but decided instead to 'go it alone' and build our own accommodation. Following informal discussions involving a prominent Town Council official and a local businessman the committee was tipped off that the Town Council might look favourably on The Canniepairt as a site for a new pitch and pavilion. The rest, as they say, is history!

Acquiring suitable training facilities for the club always seemed to be a problem for the club at this time. The Scout Hall and the Maitland Street Hall (50p per week) were both being hired but outdoor facilities were favoured and it was decided to buy a generator for £6 to power some floodlights that were to become available.

It was agreed that, in view of the forthcoming Scottish Cup-tie, expenses be paid for a 'spy trip' to Aberdeen. Also discussed was the recent assault on a Tayport player by a Lawside FP player during an Alliance game on the Common. The Lawside player had been charged, it was reported. (He was subsequently fined when the case came to court). The Christmas Dinner Dance was fixed for the Seymour Hotel, Newport and tickets were priced at £1.60.



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PREMIER W D L F A P

Longside	3	1	0	14	9	10
Inverurie L.W.	3	0	1	17	7	9
Turriff United	3	0	1	10	4	9
SUNNYBANK	3	0	0	5	2	9
Formartine Un	2	2	1	6	7	8
Stoneywood	2	0	1	4	3	6
Lewis United	2	0	3	8	10	6
Hermes	1	0	1	2	2	3
Stonchaven	0	2	2	8	11	2
Culter	0	2	2	4	10	2
Banks O'Dee	0	1	3	0	4	1
Hall Russell U	0	0	4	6	15	0

DIV 1 W D L F A P

Cruden Bay	3	0	0	11	1	9
Ellon United	3	0	2	14	8	9
Buchanhaven	2	2	0	10	8	8
Fraserburgh Un	2	1	0	6	2	7
East End	2	1	1	10	9	7
Lads Club	1	3	0	16	7	6
Maud	2	0	1	12	5	6
Parkvale	1	1	2	7	4	4
Dyce	1	0	3	6	9	3
Banchory St.Tr	0	0	3	6	10	0
Inverurie Jns	0	0	4	1	35	0

SCOTSCUP W D L F A P

Buckie Rovers	6	0	1	14	9	18
ISLAVALA	5	0	1	16	5	15
Naim St.Ninian	4	1	0	17	5	13
Bishopmill Un	3	0	2	11	8	9
Strathpey Th	3	0	1	10	8	9
Portgordon Un	2	1	3	9	11	7
Lossiemth Un	2	0	2	16	8	6
Deveronside	2	0	2	13	8	6
New Elgin	2	0	2	5	7	6
Burghead Th.	1	1	3	4	8	4
Kinloss	1	1	2	9	12	4
RAF Lossiemth	1	0	5	8	15	3
Fochabers	1	0	6	9	21	3
Forres Thistle	1	0	4	9	21	3

RESULTS-Oct 18

Tayside -
OVD Cup - rd 1 - replays -
Broughty Hearts 0-1 Buchanhaven
Elmwood 1-2 Dunipace
Forfar West End 1-2 Kilbirnie Lad'
Johnstone Burgh 3-0 East Craigie
Edinburgh United 1-3 Hermes

MCR Div 1 -
Arbroath SC 4-2 Downfield
Carnoustie 2-2 St.Joseph's
Jeanfield Sw 0-3 North End
Lochee United 3-1 Kinnoull
Violet 2-4 Tayport

MCR Div 2 -
Blairgowrie 2-2 Arbroath Vics
Brechin Vics 0-4 Lochee Harp
Coupar Angus 3-2 Lunarty
Forfar Albion 3-0 Bankfoot Ath
Scone Thistle 2-1 Roselea

NORTH EAST - Cable TV - rd 1 -
Longside 5-0 St.Taman

Acorn Heating Cup - rd 1 -
Looe Works 2-1 Formartine Un
Stonchaven 3-0 Parkvale

Archiebald Cup - rd 1 -
Fraserburgh Un 1-2 Turriff United

Premier -
Culter 0-0 Banks O'Dee
Stoneywood 3-2 Hall Russell
Sunnybank 2-1 Lewis United

Div 1 -
Dyce 0-1 Cruden Bay
East End 3-0 Ellon United
Inverurie Jns 1-10 Lads Club

North Section
Robertson Cup - semi -
Islavala 2-0 New Elgin

Stewart Memorial Tr - rd 1
Lossiemouth Un 2-0 Forres Th

Scotscup league -
Bishopmill Un 3-0 Burghead Th
Buckie Rovers 2-1 RAF Lossie
Kinloss 3-3 Portgordon Un
St. Ninian 3-2 Deveronside
Strathpey Th 3-1 Fochabers



DIV 1 W D L F A P

North End	8	0	2	25	13	24
Tayport	7	1	1	26	11	22
Carnoustie	6	2	1	35	17	20
ST.JOSEPH's	6	1	1	19	8	19
Arbroath Sp Clb	4	2	1	17	9	14
Downfield	4	0	3	15	13	12
Forfar West End	3	1	3	17	15	10
Kirrie Thistle	2	2	4	8	14	8
Lochee United	2	2	4	6	14	8
Dundee Violet	1	2	3	7	9	5
Elmwood	1	1	4	9	13	4
East Craigie	1	1	4	8	16	4
Jeanfield Swifts	1	0	6	12	35	3
Kinnoull	0	1	9	7	24	1

DIV 2 W D L F A P

Scone Thistle	5	0	1	14	7	15
Coupar Angus	3	2	0	13	8	11
Lochee Harp	3	0	2	14	6	9
Montrae Roselea	3	0	2	9	7	9
Bankfoot Athletic	2	2	2	10	10	8
Arbroath Vics	2	1	3	16	20	7
Forfar Albion	2	0	3	10	15	6
Blairgowrie	1	2	1	12	11	5
Broughty Athletic	1	1	2	7	8	4
Brechin Vics	1	0	4	7	17	3
Luncarty	1	0	4	17	20	3

(only 1 promoted this season).

DSC LEAGUE CUP

SECT 1	W	D	L	F	A	P
Brechin Vics	2	0	0	6	1	8
Arbroath Vics	0	1	1	2	5	1
Luncarty	0	1	1	3	5	1

SECT 2	W	D	L	F	A	P
Lochee Harp	2	0	0	5	0	6
Broughty Athletic	1	0	1	5	3	3
Blairgowrie	0	0	2	0	7	0

SECT 3	W	D	L	F	A	P
Forfar Albion	2	0	0	4	2	8
Coupar Angus	1	0	1	2	2	3
Montrae Roselea	0	0	2	1	3	0

SECT 4	W	D	L	F	A	P
Scone Thistle	1	0	0	2	1	3
Bankfoot Athletic	0	0	1	1	2	0

Jeanfield Swifts have appointed former player Andy Brannigan as manager for the 2nd time.



JOHN WALKER

DIV.1	WDL F A P
LINLITHGOW Rs	3 2 1 11- 8 11
Camelon	3 2 1 8- 4 11
Whitburn	3 1 1 11- 8 10
Bonnyrigg Rose	2 2 1 11- 3 8
Fauldhouse Un	2 2 1 11- 5 8
Newtongrange	2 1 1 7- 3 7
Arnisdon Rangers	2 1 2 7- 8 7
Bonnybridge	2 1 2 7- 9 7
Bo'ness United	2 0 1 5- 3 6
Musselburgh Ath	2 0 2 5- 6 6
Tranent	0 0 3 0- 11 0
Armadale Thistle	0 0 7 5- 22 0

DIV.2	WDL F A P
Haddington Ath	5 1 0 13- 1 16
West Calder Un	4 1 1 12- 4 13
Blanknall United	3 0 2 9- 8 9
Pumpherston	2 2 1 13- 10 8
Harthill Royal	2 2 0 7- 5 8
Bathgate Thistle	2 2 1 7- 5 8
Ormiston Primrose	2 1 1 12- 10 7
Dunbar United	2 0 0 7- 2 6
Stoneyburn	1 3 1 10- 10 8
Broxburn Athletic	1 2 1 2- 3 5
Edinburgh United	1 1 3 2- 7 4
Livingston United	1 1 4 7- 19 4
Dalkeith Thistle	0 0 5 3- 9 0
Sauchie	0 0 6 6- 17 0

JOHN FYFE

Oakley United	7	0	1	32- 8	21
Hill O'Beath	6	1	0	27- 4	19
KELTY HEARTS	5	2	0	24- 7	17
St.Andrews Un	4	3	2	22-17	15
Thornhill Hibs	4	1	1	15- 8	13
Newburgh	4	1	3	15-15	13
Glenrothes	3	2	0	9- 2	11
Kirkcaldy YM	3	2	3	18-13	11
Lochgelly Albert	3	1	4	14-20	10
Rosyth Res.	3	0	5	13-26	9
Lochore MW	2	2	4	10-22	8
Stirling Vics	2	1	5	14-23	7
Crosbiegate Prim	2	0	6	10-23	6
Dundonald	1	1	6	15-30	4
Tulliallan Thistle	0	1	7	7-27	1

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RESULTS- OCT 18

OVD Scottish Cup- rd 1-rp

Thornhill Hibs 0-1 Dalry Thistle
Edinburgh Un 1-3 Hermes
Blantyre Vics 2-1 Dunbar Un
Cumbernauld 2-0 Bathgate Th

Fife & Lothian Cup- rd 1-rp
Roseyth Rovers 2-1 Blackburn Un

PSM Cup - semi-
Oakley Un 0-1 Glenrothes

John Fyfe league-

Crosbie United 3-1 Tulliallan Th
Lochore MW 4-4 St.Andrews Un
Dundonald B 2-3 Kelty Hearts
Stirling Vics 1-2 Kirkcaldy YM
Hill O'Beath 5-0 Newburgh

EAST Div 1-

Whitburn 2-0 Linlithgow
Arnisdon Rangers 0-1 Camelon
Armadale Thistle 2-3 Fauldhouse

DIV 2-

Harthill Royal 2-1 Dalkeith Thistle
Haddington Ath 4-1 Pumpherston

GALDERS EAST CUP- rd 1-

Broxburn Athletic 2-2 Sauchie
Livingston United 2-0 Ormiston
Tranent 2-6 Bonnybridge
Bonnyrigg Rose 0-1 Musselburgh
Bo'ness United 3-1 Newtongrange
rd 1 - rp-
Stoneyburn 1-3 West Calder



DRAWS

Piedie Smith Maloco Cup - semi-finals -

Glenrothes 1-0 Oakley United
Kelty Hearts 2-2(3-4p)Hill O'Beath
final - Sat 25th Oct-
Hill O'Beath v Glenrothes

Carlsberg League Cup-1st
Camelon 4-2 Bo'ness United
Whitburn 4-0 Musselburgh At
final - Camelon v Whitburn

JOHN FYFE Regional Cup round 1 - date tba-

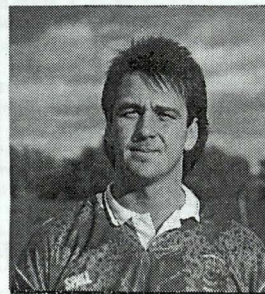
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Tulliallan Th v Thornhill Hibs

WHITBREAD TROPHY - rd 1

Roseyth Rovers v Crosbie United
Glenrothes v Tulliallan Th
Hill O'Beath v Stirling Vics
Lochore MW v Kelty Hearts
Lochgelly Alb v Newburgh
Oakley United v Thornhill H
Kirkcaldy YM v St.Andrews

Calder's Reg. Cup - rd 1

Broxburn Ath 2-2 Sauchie
Harthill Royal 1-3 Dunbar Un
Arnisdon Rng 1-3 Whitburn
Livingston 2-0 Ormiston Pr
Tranent 2-6 Bonnybridge
Edinburgh Un 1-2 Pumpherston
Bonnyrigg Rovers 0-1 Musselburgh
West Calder 2-2, 3-1 Stoneyburn
Bo'ness Un 3-1 Newtongrange
Camelon 4-3 Armadale Thistle



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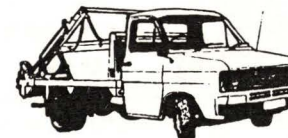


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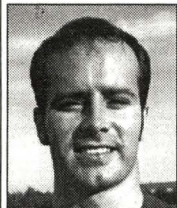
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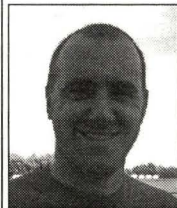
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PRESS REPORT

FIFE HERALD - 17/10/97 Tayport 5 Jeanfield Swifts 0
"Tayport, as expected, completed an easy league win against the struggling Perth outfit.....the on-form Dave Reilly scored the goal of the game midway through the first half. The striker volleyed an acrobatic scissors kick into the top corner, giving the 'keeper no chance "

THE COURIER 13/10/97

"Tayport, beginning to look like their old selves, won 5-0 at home against Jeanfield Swifts. David Reilly hit a double with Grant Miller, Barry Gardiner and Stevie Ross completing the scoring."

PERTSHIRE ADVERTISER 14/10/97

"Jeanfield's new-look team went down 5-0 to Tayport at Canniepairt. All the goals came in the first half. Swifts, with manager Andy Brannigan playing well in defence, played much better in the second half and conceded no further goals. "

PYRAMID NEWS 18/10/97

"Former champs 'Port are climbing steadily and should be thereabouts by the end of the season "

THE COURIER 20/10/97 Dundee Violet 2 Tayport 4

"Tayport, who surrendered their first division title to St Josephs last season after five championships in a row, are determined to get it back. After a disappointing opening day defeat from Carnoustie, the Fifers have recovered and are now second in the table. Skipper Sean Wilkie, who was injured towards the end of last season, has now returned and his organising ability has already made a major difference at the back. Port travelled to play Violet on Saturday and pulled off an excellent 4-2 win against a resolute home outfit. "

EVENING TELEGRAPH 22/10/97

"Another cracker should be at the Canniepairt where Longside, one of the leading sides up north this season, provide the opposition for Tayport. The Fifers were a bit short-handed for their league game against Violet last Saturday when they had five men missing, but Kenny Bunce hopes at least three of them will be available "

FIFE HERALD 24/10/97 VIOLET 2 TAYPORT 4

"Tayport moved into second place in the NCR Tayside League on Saturday thanks to a hard fought victory over Dundee Violet at Glenesk.....Tayport showed lots of determination in collecting all three points from this tricky fixture, after the set-back of conceding an early goal "

SNIFFING ABOUT WITH ...THE SNOOT

KINNOULL are going through a sticky spell at present. To escape relegation the Perth side will require to perform a Houdini act. No team in their position after 10 games in recent times has managed to stage a revival to escape the drop. The Tulloch Park side are trying hard to arrest the present decline and featured in a half page article in a recent *Perthshire Advertiser* in an attempt to recruit new committee members.

LES BARR was persuaded to step into the hot seat at St Josephs after the departure of the management team of Dave Tosney and Andy Somerville. With Les only supposed to be helping out for one game, Joeys are still in the market for a manager. Speculation continues as to who this will be.

THORNTON Hibs, our Taycars Trophy opponents here next Saturday, made their exit from the Scottish Cup last week when a goal from ex Dundee FC striker Gary Lennox gave Dalry Thistle a 1-0 replay win at Thornton. Hibs miserable run of never having won a Scottish Cup-tie in ten years continues.

ANDY Heggie, ex Tayport and St Josephs striker, has fallen out with Deveronvale with whom he has played for the last couple of seasons. He was at Glenesk Park last week when, up north at the same time, 'Vale were playing the semi-final of the Scottish Qualifying Cup.

SYE Webster, legendary Arbroath FC supporter, famous for his piles and being banned by the Arbroath FC committee for invading the pitch and kissing the referee, was amongst the 36-0 Club members whose bus stopped off at the Tayport Arms last Saturday following their win at Cowdenbeath. According to club members, Dave Baikie is the best thing to happen to Arbroath since the smokie!

SPEAKING of piles, the football columnist of the *Bangkok Post* has the wonderful name of Nobby Piles. True!

JIM HENRY who left the Canniepairst for Arbroath SC earlier this year is currently holding down a first team place at Links Park following his move to Montrose FC. He'll certainly know he's been in a game today when he plays for the Gable Endies at Gayfield as the locals keenly await the return of *bete noire*, their former manager Tommy Campbell.

A unique occasion this afternoon at Linlithgow when Whitburn meet Camelon in the final of the East Region Carlsberg League Cup final. Unique in that the Fairley brothers are the respective team managers. Older brother George manages Camelon against his old team Whitburn who are bossed by brother Brian - the former manager of Camelon.

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N.C.R. LEAGUE DIVISION 1 1997/98

At 24th OCTOBER

	P	W	D	L	F	A	G/D	Pts
NORTH END	10	8	0	2	25	12	13	24
TAYPORT	9	7	1	1	26	11	15	22
CARNOUSTIE	9	6	2	1	35	17	18	20
ST.JOSEPHS	8	6	1	1	22	8	14	19
ARBROATH SC	7	4	2	1	17	9	8	14
DOWNFIELD	7	4	0	3	15	13	2	12
FORFAR WE	7	3	1	3	17	15	2	10
KIRRIE	8	2	2	4	8	14	-6	8
LOCHEE UTD	8	2	2	4	6	14	-8	8
VIOLET	6	1	2	3	7	9	-2	5
ELMWOOD	6	1	1	4	9	13	-4	4
EAST CRAIGIE	6	1	1	4	8	16	-8	4
JEANFIELD	7	1	0	6	12	26	-14	3
KINNOULL	10	0	1	9	7	24	-17	1

SCOTTISH JUNIOR F.A. TAYSIDE REGION

N.C.R. LEAGUE DIVISION 1 RESULTS 1997/98

At 24th OCTOBER

	ASC	CARD	DOVE	CFELM	F/W	JEAN	KINN	KIRF	LOC	N/EN	JOE	TAY	VIO
ARBROATH SC	3-3	4-2				5-1							
CARNOUSTIE				3-1		9-3					2-2	6-3	
DOWNFIELD			3-2				1-0	2-0					1-3
EAST CRAIGIE	0-2			4-3							2-5		
ELMWOOD										2-3		0-2	1-1
FORFAR WE			3-0	0-2			2-0	1-1		3-4			
JEANFIELD			0-5			6-7				0-3			
KINNOULL		0-3				1-2		1-3		2-4	0-3		
KIRRIE	0-1	0-5				3-2				1-2			
LOCHEE UTD		2-3	0-0			3-1	0-0						0-3
NORTH END		3-1	4-1						0-1			1-2	
ST.JOSEPHS	2-1				2-1				3-0	0-1			
TAYPORT	1-1					5-0			4-0				2-0
VIOLET							0-0				1-2	2-4	

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N.C.R. LEAGUE DIVISION 1. GUIDE TO FORM

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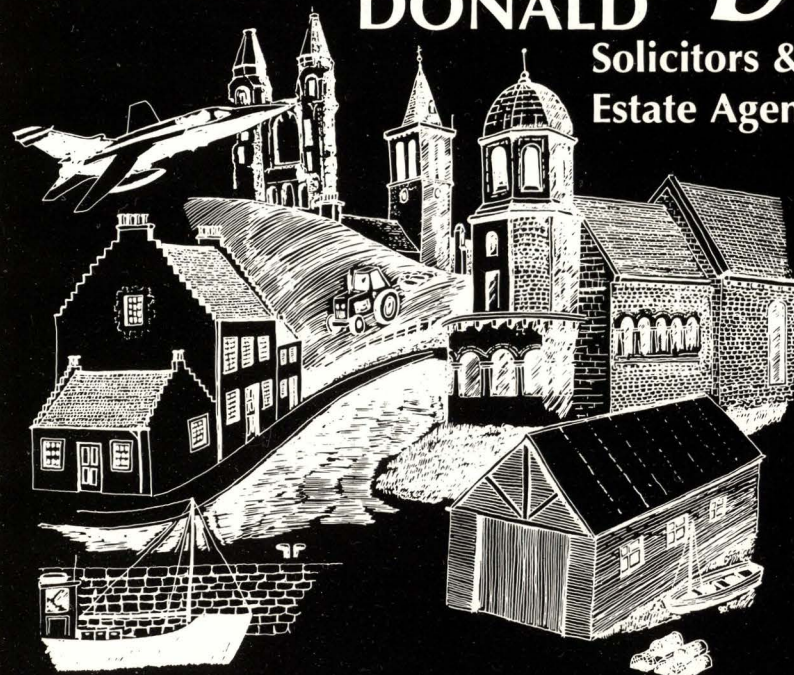
At 24/10/97

	PI	W	D	L	F	A	G/D	Pts
LONGSIDE	4	3	1	0	14	9	5	10
INVERURIE Loco	4	3	0	1	17	7	10	9
TURRIFF	4	3	0	1	10	4	6	9
FORMARTINE	4	2	1	1	6	7	-1	7
SUNNYBANK	2	2	0	0	3	1	2	6
STONEYWOOD	3	2	0	1	4	3	1	6
LEWIS	4	2	0	2	7	8	-1	6
HERMES	2	1	0	1	2	2	0	3
STONEHAVEN	4	0	2	2	8	11	-3	2
BANKS'O'DEE	4	0	1	3	0	4	-4	1
CULTER	3	0	1	2	4	10	-6	1
HALL RUSSELL	4	0	0	4	6	15	-9	0

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