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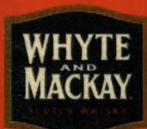
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Grant Buist	1999/00

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Dave Reilly	1992/93
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Dave Reilly	1995/96
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Ken Cameron	1999/00
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TODAY'S TEAMS

TAYPORT		ST ANDREWS UNITED	
G/K	from	G/K	From
G/K	Frazer FITZPATRICK	G/K	Stephen CLARK
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2	Scott PETERS		Ruaridh McQUEEN
3	Grant PATERSON		Scott McINROY
4	John WARD		Arran McDONALD
5	Derek WEMYSS		Aaron LOFTING
6	Brian CRAIK		Duncan CAITHNESS
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13	Barry McNAUGHTON		Kevin MELVILLE
14	Gareth DAILLY		James O'NEILL
15	Ross GUNNION		Jimmy NAIRN
16	Gary MIDDLETON		Kevin HUTT
17	Robbie HENDERSON		Colin JEFFREY
18	Dave REILLY		Chris MARTIN
19	Brian LIVIE		
20	Gus MALONE		
21	Kevin HEENAN		

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THIRD ROUND

TAYPORT
v

ST ANDREWS UNITED

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OVD Scottish Junior Cup 3rd Round Preview

Holders Carnoustie Panmure's grip on the cup will be put to the test this afternoon when Lochee United come calling. The press have been eulogising over Lochee's 'magnificent' football this season, so the Gowfers look to be doomed even before a ball is kicked....but football's a funny game. That said, it is hard to see the home side getting anything better than a replay. Cup favourites Linlithgow Rose travel west to Largs Thistle and would be well advised not to treat the locals lightly. Whether Auchinleck are still a force with which to be reckoned, will be determined by their tie at home v Bo'ness. The East Super team have the quality and experience to go all the way and there will be no bigger test for them.

Commenting on their league meeting last week, Bo'ness reckoned Arniston are a far better side than their league position suggests and if that's the case, Stonehouse Violet should pose few problems. Oakley, too, get a break from the relegation dogfight with a tie at home to Greenock and should progress.

Lochee Harp have a tradition of causing Scottish Cup upsets and that will be their aim at Bathgate. However, away from the pressures of the Super League, Thistle should be able to relax and win with a few goals to spare.

Kelty warmed up for their visit to Pollok with a crushing win over Kirkcaldy last week and will be in good frame of mind to shock the Glasgow giants.

Interesting to note that the three lowest placed odds in Wm Hill's book for winning the cup are from the East Super League.

TODAY'S GAME



**OVD SCOTTISH JUNIOR CUP Round 3
TAYPORT v ST ANDREWS UNITED**



For the first time in almost exactly 14 years Tayport meet their close Fife neighbours St Andrews United in the Scottish Junior Cup. As was the case in 1990, today is a third round tie, but at Canniepairt, rather than Recreation Park. But more of that game elsewhere in the programme.

The underdogs triumphed that December day and the rest, as they say, is history. The underdogs today are St Andrews with bookies William Hill offering astronomical odds (for a football match) for an away win of 8/1.

St Andrews demonstrated two weeks ago at Recreation Park, that they are a team with undoubted battling qualities allied to plenty skill in certain areas. They will approach this game with nothing to lose and absolutely everything to gain. In addition, there is added incentive for those who have plied their trade at Canniepairt to return and leave in triumph.

Although Tayport had the upper hand in the sides' recent meeting, St Andrews have enough quality and players who have the big match mentality, to show that they are capable of better.

Manager Colin Downie will be hoping that pacy striker Colin Jeffrey has recovered from injury, at least to take a place on the bench. James O'Neill and Jimmy Nairn only made the bench two weeks ago and the vast experience of that duo could see them handed a starting jersey. Aaron Lofting, who had a spell with North End, provides an attacking midfield threat and is particularly dangerous with set piece balls. Tayport didn't risk Scott Peters last week at Bonnyrigg, and he could still be struggling to pull on his number two shirt this afternoon.

The number three shirt will likely be worn by Grant Paterson, making his 92nd appearance in a Scottish Junior Cup tie. [Is this a record? I hear you say. Well, unless someone can come up with a name to beat it, I would think so]

Allan Ramsay could miss out through injury but Roberto Morris will be fit despite being taken off at half time last week, leaving Manager Burgess spoiled for choice, thanks to the displays of last week's substitutes Brian Livie, Ralph Hunter and Derek Wemyss.

After a couple of weeks out on paternity leave, Brian Craik is also looking to win back his place and Sean Christie is back from USA to stake his claim for a jersey.

For Tayport it's a 99th Scottish Cup tie and it would be good to mark the occasion with a victory and a chance to take the run into three figures.

media matters

Surprisingly, stable mates, the *St Andrews Citizen* (26 Nov) and *Fife Herald* (Nov 26), despite sharing an editor, had different match reports for the Redwood Leisure Cup meeting between St Andrews United and Tayport. The Citizen report, recognising the extra interest the derby tag had given the game, provided a substantially lengthier report than usual. Different styles of report but pretty balanced accounts, nevertheless. Pity the papers hadn't sent a photographer, though.

In the *Edinburgh Evening News* (26 Nov), Bathgate assistant boss Alan Lawrence, in previewing his team's game v Lochee United, was bemoaning the fact that he had such a small pool from which to select and how a couple of injuries to key players had crippled Bathgate's league challenge.

Just like the sighting of the first swallow, the first frost and hard grounds causing postponements are guaranteed to get the *Evening Telegraph* photographer out to a Dundee ground taking a shot of the groundsman trying to get a fork into the ground and another standing by giving the thumbs down. And sure enough, the photo appeared (Nov 22) with big Jock giving the thumbs down at Beechwood and Harp's Jack Kelly with the fork. The card had been ravaged with only six of twenty games in the Tele circulation area not frozen out.

The *Perthshire Advertiser* reported that plans have been submitted to Perth & Kinross Council by Jeanfield Swifts to build a £500,000 state of the art stadium at Bute Drive, Perth. It will be recalled that Swifts backed out of a previous deal to relocate from Simpson Park after they felt that they were being stitched up by the developer. The planned ground, which will be shared with the Council, will have a 214 seater stand, floodlights and a players' lounge among its facilities.

The *Edinburgh Evening News* reported that Mark Robertson's goal for Bonnyrigg Rose v Lochee United (Nov 13) after only 15 seconds of play, was the quickest goal in Super League history.

The main feature in the Junior page in *The Sun* (Nov 27) was an interview with Steven Stewart, illustrated with a photograph of Steven taken at The Canniepairt. Steven told reporter Scott Campbell that he felt the team would be adopting a more positive approach under new manager Keith Burgess, admitting the players had been stung by fans' criticism that the team's approach had gradually slipped into a negative mode.

" Saints will doubtless display battling qualities "

says

DUNMORE

In their previous home match, Tayport continued the scoring form which had seen them destroy Formartine United, in the Scottish Cup, by netting five in a Super League encounter with Glenrothes.

Keith Burgess must have thoroughly enjoyed the win against his former club, but, more importantly, he will have been glad to claim his first league victory as Canniepairt chief. Gary Middleton and Steven Stewart carried on from where they'd left off in the "Scottish", by notching a brace each in the 5-1 win against the Glens. Stewart's second goal, moments after Andrew had reduced the deficit to 2-1, was the key moment of the game, while John Ward's late penalty was a fine way to celebrate his personal milestone of 200 matches for the club.

Today's opponents, St. Andrews, were next up, in the inter-regional Redwood Leisure Cup. Robbie Henderson marked his first start of the new gaffer's reign, netting twice in the first half, to effectively end the match as a contest. 'Port should have won by a more comfortable margin, but the Saints showed themselves to be a competent side, and their battling characteristics will, doubtless, be on display today, in one of Scottish football's most prestigious competitions.

The Whyte & Mackay East Super League, on the other hand, does not have quite the same history as the OVD Scottish Junior Cup, but there is no escaping the excellent quality of the league. Bonnyrigg Rose are among the top teams in the elite division, so Tayport's 3-1 triumph last weekend, at New Dundas Park, was no mean feat, especially after having conceded a goal inside the first minute.

'Port bounced back, though, with Derek Wemyss, Barry McNaughton and Gareth Dailly all opening their accounts for the season. As far as goal-scoring contributions are concerned, the more the merrier.



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WHYTE & MACKAY EAST SUPER LEAGUE

STATISTICS AS AT 27TH NOVEMBER 2004

LEAGUE TABLE

TEAM	Home					Away					GD	Pts
	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F		
Lochee United	13	4	1	1	15	9	5	1	1	11	7	29
Linlithgow Rose	11	4	1	2	10	9	3	1	0	11	6	23
TAYPORT	13	2	1	2	10	6	2	6	0	11	8	19
Bo'ness United	11	3	2	1	10	6	2	1	2	9	12	18
Bathgate Thistle	12	4	0	2	15	7	1	2	3	5	10	17
Bonnyrigg Rose Athletic	12	2	0	4	10	14	3	1	2	14	0	16
Thornton Hibs	11	2	2	2	11	17	1	2	2	7	11	13
Glenrothes	9	1	2	0	6	2	2	1	3	10	11	12
Camelon	10	1	2	0	5	3	2	1	4	9	11	12
Carnoustie Panmure	11	1	3	3	8	10	1	0	3	5	8	9
Oakley United	10	1	1	4	8	14	1	0	3	7	12	7
Arniston Rangers	9	0	2	3	4	8	1	1	2	6	6	6

LEAGUE RESULTS CHART

	Arniston	Bathgate	Bo'ness	Bonnyrigg	Camelon	Carnoustie	Glenrothes	Linlithgow	Lochee	Oakley	TAYPORT	Thornton
Arniston		0 - 1				1 - 2			0 - 2		1 - 1	2 - 2
Bathgate Th				2 - 1			3 - 1		1 - 2	4 - 1	0 - 1	5 - 1
Bo'ness	1 - 0	4 - 1				3 - 1		1 - 1			1 - 1	
Bonnyrigg	2 - 1				2 - 0		0 - 3	3 - 4	2 - 3		1 - 3	
Camelon		0 - 0	4 - 2									1 - 1
Carnoustie		3 - 1	2 - 2	2 - 3						0 - 1	0 - 0	0 - 2
Glenrothes	2 - 2		4 - 0						0 - 0			
Linlithgow	1 - 3	1 - 0			3 - 2	2 - 1	1 - 0		1 - 2		1 - 1	
Lochee Utd		2 - 2		1 - 2	3 - 1	2 - 1				4 - 2		3 - 1
Oakley Utd			1 - 3	4 - 2	0 - 2		1 - 4	1 - 2			1 - 1	
TAYPORT			1 - 2	1 - 1	0 - 2		5 - 1		3 - 0			
Thornton Hibs				0 - 5	2 - 1		1 - 1	1 - 4		4 - 3	3 - 3	

LEAGUE GUIDE TO FORM

(most recent result to the right)

Team	L	L	L	D	L
Arniston Rangers					
Bathgate Thistle	D	L	L	L	L
Bo'ness United	D	D	L	W	W
Bonnyrigg Rose	W	L	W	L	L
Camelon	L	L	D	L	W
Carnoustie Panmure	W	D	D	W	L
Glenrothes	L	W	D	L	L
Linlithgow Rose	W	W	D	W	W
Lochee United	W	W	W	W	W
Oakley United	D	L	W	L	L
TAYPORT	L	D	D	W	W
Thornton Hibs	D	L	L	D	W

LEAGUE TOP GOALSCORERS

PLAYER	CLUB	GOALS
ELLIOTT, Barry	Bathgate Thistle	11
GRADY, Sean	Bonnyrigg Rose	10
FLANNERY, Paddy	Linlithgow Rose	8
MIDDLETON, Gary	TAYPORT	7
ROBERTSON, Craig	Lochee United	7
SHIELDS, John	Thornton Hibs	7
LAIDLAW, Steve	Bonnyrigg Rose	6
WARD, John	TAYPORT	6
KIDDIE, Ross	Lochee United	5
McFADDEN, Chris	Camelon	5
KELLY, John	Carnoustie	4
McKINNON, Colin	Bathgate Thistle	4
MORRISON, Craig	Oakley United	4
THOMPSON, Jon	Lochee United	4
WHYTE, Mark	Linlithgow Rose	4

RESULTS

13TH November 2004

Arniston	2-2	Thornton
Bonnyrigg	2-3	Lochee Utd
Linlithgow	2-1	Carnoustie
Oakley Utd	1-3	Bo'nrs Utd
TAYPORT	5-1	Glenrothes

RESULTS

27TH November 2004

Bathgate	1-2	Lochee Utd
Bonnyrigg	1-3	TAYPORT
Bo'ness Utd	1-0	Arniston
Linlithgow	1-0	Glenrothes
Thornton	4-3	Oakley Utd

FIXTURES

4TH December 2004

Camelon	v	Bonnyrigg
Glenrothes	v	Thornton

.....OVD SCOTTISH JUNIOR CUP.....OVD SCOTTISH JUNIOR CUP.....

Third Round Draw

This afternoon's ties

HOME TEAM	LEAGUE		AWAY TEAM	LEAGUE	PREDICTION
Ashfield	WC2	v	Petershill	WSP	1
Auchinleck	WSP	v	Bo'ness United	ES	2
Bathgate Thistle	ES	v	Lochee Harp	ETP	1
Beith	WS1	v	Lochore Welfare	EF	1
Bellshill Athletic	WSP	v	Lanark United	WC2	1
Blackburn United	EL2	v	Kilbirnie Ladeside	WS1	2
Carnoustie Panmure	ES	v	Lochee United	ES	2
Coupar Angus	ET1	v	Lugar Boswell Thistle	WS1	2
Culter	NS	v	Maryhill	WSP	1
Dunbar United	EL1	v	Turriff United	NS	2
Elmwood	ETP	v	Edinburgh United	EL1	2
Dunipace	WC1	v	Clydebank	WC1	2
Glentworth	NS	v	Dufftown	N2	1
Hill of Beath Hawthorn	EF	v	Wishaw	WC2	1
Jeanfield Swifts	ET1	v	Port Glasgow	WC1	2
Kello Rovers	WA	v	Glenafton Athletic	WSP	2
Kilwinning Rangers	WSP	v	Irvine Victoria	WA	1
Largs Thistle	WA	v	Linlithgow Rose	ES	2
Neilston	WS1	v	Montrose Roselea	ETP	1
Newtongrange Star	EL1	v	Irvine Meadow	WS1	1
Oakley United	ES	v	Greenock	WC1	2
Pollok	WSP	v	Kelty Hearts	EF	2
Pumphreston	EL2	v	Hurlford United	WS1	2
Saltcoats Victoria	WA	v	Arthurlie	WSP	2
Shotts Bon Accord	WS1	v	Troon	WSP	2
St Anthony's	WC1	v	Renfrew	WSP	1
Stonehouse Violet	WC2	v	Arnishton Rangers	ES	2
Sunnybank	NS	v	Rutherglen Glencairn	WC1	1
Tayport	ES	v	St Andrews United	EF	
Thorniewood	WC2	v	Kinnoull	ETP	2
Vale of Leven	WC1	v	Musselburgh Athletic	EL1	1
Whitburn	EL1	v	Lewis United	NI	1

Key to Leagues: WSP - West Super Premier Division; WS1 - West Super First Division; WA - West Ayrshire District; WC1 - West Central First Division; WC2 - West Central Second Division; ES - East Super League; EF - East Fife; EL1 - East Lothian First Division; EL2 - East Lothian Second Division; ETP - East Tayside Premier Division; ET1 - East Tayside First Division; NS - North Super League; NI - North First Division; N2 - North Second Division

CONGRATULATIONS to Brian 'Birdie' Craik and wife Clare on the recent birth of their daughter Naomi. Naomi will always have the proud claim that her dad scored the winning goals in the Scottish Junior Cup final and two Scottish Cup semi-finals!

Naomi is expected to make her debut at the Canniepairt shortly.

Wanted ! Two, preferably four singers to represent Tayport FC to help put together a mass community choir to lead the carol singing, accompanied by Tayport Instrumental Band at a first annual 'Carols by Candlelight Service', a special community event to be held in Newport on Tay Parish Church on 19 December. Only one rehearsal and the opportunity to sing your heart out! Interested? Then get in touch with the club secretary asap.

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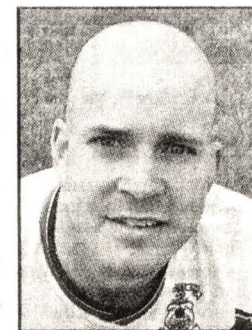
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older brother Bruce

Wife - Louise.

Current Occupation - Electrician

Previous Occupations - paperboy, milkboy and
tattie picker

Football - Forfar Boys, D.U.S.C., Kirrie Boys, Forfar WE, Arbroath SC,
Arbroath FC and Tayport.

Favourite Ground - Hampden

Least favourite - Forth Wanderers.

First football hero - Ralph Milne

Player who has impressed you most - Lee McCulloch [formerly with
Motherwell and now with Wigan Athletic]

Most enjoyable football experience - Winning the Scottish Junior Cup
and Super League double with Tayport.

**Describe the circumstances under which you were asked to sign for
Tayport** - I was out of favour at Gayfield following a fall-out with the
manager [John Brownlie] when I received a phone call from Tayport
manager Andy Sommerville. I was delighted to get the call and had no
hesitation in accepting. In fact Tayport was probably the only team for
which I would have signed. Would you believe, I actually crashed my
car on the way to signing talks with Andy!

Last holiday destination - Whitehorse in the Yukon for my sister in law's wedding.
Scenery was fantastic.

First car - Escort SR3 Mk 3 (W reg)

Current car - Audi A3

Newspaper - Kirrie Herald **Why?** - Local gossip and to check that my business advert
is in.

Most recent concert attended - Nothing recent but I've got tickets for Neil Diamond
at the SECC next year.

Last book read - no time to read these days **All time TV or movie hero** - Tom Cruise
Day to day, what hacks you off most - lazy people.

THIS AFTERNOON'S VISITORS ST ANDREWS UNITED

St Andrews United have one of the most illustrious histories of all Fife Junior clubs. A grand array of trophies since the club was founded back in 1919, culminating in the famous **Scottish Junior Cup win of 1960**, when the Cup came back to Fife for the first time since 1913 when Inverkeithing triumphed.

St Andrews United's Roll of Honour

Cup wins (39) - Fife & Lothians Cup 1995; Fife Cup 1927/28/29/60/66/89/90; East Fife Cup 1927/28/29; Mitchell Cup 1953/57/66; Fife Shield 1927/28; Martin/White Cup 1921/22/25/26/27/28/36/37/38/39; Cowdenbeath Cup 1958/66/69/91; East Fife Cup 1927/28/29; Express Cup 1959; West Fife Cup 1959/61/62/64.

League titles (7) - 1927/28/29/60/61/65/90

The lowest point in Saints' history was in 1977 when the banner headline on the front page of the *St Andrews Citizen* newspaper on December 16th read **"United Face Cash Crisis - Chairman warns - we need help or we will fold"**

They got the help and within five years the club had risen from the depths of despair and could boast new dressings rooms at one end of the ground and an impressive new social club at the other end.

At the time they lost the Scottish Cup tie to Tayport in 1990, St Andrews United were on the crest of a wave. However that defeat seemed to trigger something of a change in fortune. Manager Norrie McArthur and assistant Ernie McGarr had built a good footballing side but their tenure was brought to an end and, since then, the club's fortunes have been at a fairly low ebb, with the prestigious Fife & Lothians Cup in 1994/95, their solitary success,

After the dismissal of Manager Pete Hutton, during last season St Andrews brought in former player Colin Downie, who had been out of the game for a couple of years since being dismissed as Glenrothes boss. Downie set about rebuilding and brought back to Recreation Park a number of players who had previously been on the books. Several, such as James O'Neill and Duncan Caithness, were at Glenrothes under Keith Burgess and there are also connections with Tayport.

Graham Nicoll joined Tayport from Newburgh in 1999 and in two seasons at Canniepairt before Dave Baikie sold him to Lochore Welfare in 2001, netted 19 goals in 27 starts and 35 substitute appearances. Nickers is still amongst the goals as his double in Saints' 5-3 win over Steelend last weekend demonstrated.

St Andrews' manager Colin Downie played 35 games for Tayport Amateurs in 1987-89 and Saints' coach Ronnie Nicoll was with Tayport in the same capacity during the Andy Sommerville era.

Manager Downie also has the experienced Jim Hardie in his backroom team. Hardie led Camelon to last season's Lothians title and a place in this season's Super League before being unceremoniously dumped by the Carmuir club one game into the new season.

Keith Burgess writes.....

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Hello and a warm welcome to both sets of supporters for today's OVD Scottish Cup-tie. Only two weeks ago we were visitors to St Andrews in the Redwood Leisure Cup. After a tough encounter we emerged with a deserved 2-0 victory, but today is very different. As all

approach the game in our usual professional manner and let our football do the talking. If we do this, then we have a very good chance to reach the 4th round.

Last Saturday, away to Bonnyrigg Rose, we lost a very preventable goal in two minutes and seemed to struggle on the heavy pitch for the first thirty minutes, but then started to find our feet when Gareth Dailly unleashed a rocket of a shot which clipped the crossbar. This, I think, was the turning point of the match for us and, after some tough talking at half-time there was only one team going to go on and win the game in the second period.

The impressive Derek Wemyss equalised on the hour mark and a great strike from Barry McNaughton followed by a scorcher of a free kick by Gareth Dailly sealed our victory.

We have been delighted with our recent form, scoring 16 goals with the loss of only 3 in our last four outings, a goal feast which, I've been informed by fans and committee alike, hadn't been the norm recently (long may it continue!)

On a more personal note, I've been delighted with the guys on the bench, whose commitment and support for the starting XI has been great and, when given the chance, have come into the team and really impressed. Success is built on a great squad of talented players and I feel that we have the talent in abundance.

Recently we have been hit by niggling injuries to Scott Peters and Allan Ramsay, and, although not 100% fit, both have pushed themselves to help achieve results for the team. The defensive qualities of our boys at the back and the talent we have in midfield, aligned with the rich goalscoring form of Gary Middleton and young Robbie Henderson, tells me that things are looking good for the future of Tayport FC.

I hope you enjoy today's match and, with your support, Stewart, Derek, Norrie and myself believe we can go a long way in this tournament.

Cheers, *Keith*

stats.....stats.....stats.....TAYPORT FOOTBALL CLUB.....stats.....stats.....stats

Date	Opposition	Com	Result	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Att
Aug 14	BO'NESS UNITED	L	L 1 - 2	Fitzpatrick	Gunnion	Livie *	Ward * 1	Morris %	Wemyss	McNaughton	Ramsay	Craik	Reilly	Henderson	Christie (9)	Peters (8) *		351
Aug 21	Arnisdon Rangers	L	D 1 - 1	Fitzpatrick	Gunnion	Livie	Ward *	Wemyss	Christie	McNaughton	Ramsay	Henderson	Reilly 1	Daily	Henry (8)	Stewart (6)	Craik (9)	219
Aug 28	BONNYRIGG ROSE	L	D 1 - 1	Fitzpatrick	Gunnion	Livie	Ward * 1	Wemyss	Henry	McNaughton	Stewart *	Middleton	Reilly *	Daily *	Henderson (6)	Ramsay (11)		183
Sept 4	Thornton Hibs	L	D 3 - 3	Fitzpatrick	Gunnion	Paterson	Ward 1	Livie	Henry *	McNaughton	Ramsay	Middleton 1	Reilly 1	Stewart	Wemyss (6)	Craik (8)	Henderson (10)	211
Sept 11	Jeanfield Swifts	NT 1	W 4 - 2	Fitzpatrick	Malone	Paterson	Ward 1	Morris	Daily	Ramsay	Stewart	Middleton 1	Reilly	Henderson 2	McNaughton(6)			117
Sept 18	LOCHEE UNITED	L	W 3 - 0	Fitzpatrick	Gunnion	Paterson	Ward 1	Morris *	Daily	McNaughton	Stewart	Middleton 2	Craik	Peters	Christie (10)	Ramsay (6)	Henderson * (9)	362
Sept 25	Oakley United	L	D 1 - 1	Fitzpatrick	Gunnion *	Paterson *	Ward	Morris	Daily *	McNaughton	Stewart *	Middleton 1	Craik	Peters *	Reilly (6)			186
Oct 2	Bo'ness United	L	D 1 - 1	Fitzpatrick	Gunnion	Paterson	Ward *	Morris	Peters *	McNaughton	Stewart	Middleton *	Craik 1	Reilly	Henderson (7)			537
Oct 9	Bathgate Thistle	L	W 1 - 0	Fitzpatrick *	Gunnion	Paterson	Ward	Morris	Peters *	Christie	Stewart	Middleton * 1	Craik	Daily *	Livie (9)	Henderson (10)	McNaughton (7)	176
Oct 16	CAMELON	L	L 0 - 2	Fitzpatrick	Gunnion	Paterson	Ward *	Morris	Peters *	Ramsay	Stewart	Middleton	Craik	Daily	Livie (11)	Christie (8)	McNaughton (2)	274
Oct 23	Carnoustie Panmure	L	D 0 - 0	Fitzpatrick	Gunnion	Paterson	Ward	Morris	Peters	Ramsay	Stewart	McNaughton	Craik	Daily	Henderson (7)	Livie (9)		304
Oct 30	Linlithgow Rose	L	D 1 - 1	Fitzpatrick	Gunnion	Paterson	Ward 1	Morris	Peters	Ramsay	Stewart	McNaughton *	Craik	Middleton *	Henderson (10)	Daily (8)	Christie (2)	897
Nov 6	FORMARTINE UTD	S 2	W 6 - 0	Fitzpatrick	Gunnion	Paterson	Ward *	Morris	Peters	McNaughton	Ramsay	Middleton 2	Craik 2	Daily	Stewart (8) 1	Hend'son (10) 1	Malone (6)	235
Nov 13	GLENROTHES	L	W 5 - 1	Fitzpatrick	Gunnion	Paterson	Ward 1	Morris	Peters	McNaughton	Stewart * 2	Middleton 2	Craik	Daily	Henderson (10)	Reilly (16)		274
Nov 20	St Andrews United	RL	W 2 - 0	Fitzpatrick	Gunnion	Paterson	Ward *	Morris	Peters *	McNaughton	Stewart	Middleton	Henderson	Ramsay	Livie (8)	Reilly (9)	Malone (11)	215
Nov 27	Bonnyrigg Rose Ath.	L	W 3 - 1	Fitzpatrick	Gunnion	Paterson	Ward	Morris	Ramsay	McNaughton 1	Stewart	Middleton	Henderson	Daily 1	Wemyss (5) 1	Livie (6)	Hunter (10)	232
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Total Cards = **32**

OPPONENTS' CARD OFFENCES

Cards

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Total Cards = **46**

KEY: Competitions: L - Whyte & Mackay East Super League; S - OVD Scottish Junior Cup; ES - East of Scotland Cup; RL - Redwood Leisure Cup; NT - North/Tayside Cup; NE - North End Challenge Cup; F - Findlay & Co Cup; Number after letter indicates round of competition. Other: Number after player - goals scored; Number in brackets after player - player replaced; * - after extra time; + - after extra time and penalties
% - Player dismissed; * - Player cautioned

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FORTHCOMING FIXTURES

There are no fixtures scheduled at present. The remainder of December's fixtures (11th and 18th) will be scheduled after the outcomes of this afternoon's ties are known. If today's tie is drawn, the replay will go ahead next Saturday at Recreation Park. Otherwise, it's a safe bet that Tayport will play a Super League game on The Canniepairt, given the fact that we have twice as many (six) home games to play than away games (three). Kick-off will be at 1.45pm. Check *Newsline* (01382 552755) for details

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HOME TEAM	LEAGUE		AWAY TEAM	LEAGUE
Arbroath Vics	T1	v	Forfar Albion	T1
Armadale Thistle	L1	v	West Calder United	L2
Arniston Rangers	S	v	Haddington Athletic	L1
Bathgate Thistle	S	v	Downfield	T1
Blairstown	TP	v	Luncarty	T1
Bo'ness United	S	v	Lochee United	S
Bonnyrigg Rose Athletic	S	v	Forfar West End	TP
Broughty Athletic	TP	v	Lochore Welfare	F
Dalkeith Thistle	L2	v	Camelon	S
Elmwood	TP	v	Tayport	S
Dundee North End	TP	v	Oakley United	S
Dundee Violet	TP	v	Brechin Vics	T1
Dundonald Bluebell	F	v	Carnoustie Panmure	S
Harthill Royal	L2	v	Rosyth Recreation	F
Hill of Beath Hawthorn	F	v	Dundee East Craigie	T1
Jeanfield Swifts	T1	v	Bankfoot Athletic	T1
Kelty Hearts	F	v	Arbroath Sporting Club	TP
Kinnoull	T1	v	Musselburgh Athletic	L1
Kirkcaldy YMCA	F	v	Ballingry Rovers	F
Kirriemuir Thistle	T1	v	Stoneyburn	L2
Linlithgow Rose	S	v	Penicuik Athletic	L1
Lochgelly Albert	F	v	Dunbar United	L1
Montrose Roselea	TP	v	Coupar Angus	T1
Newburgh	F	v	Lochee Harp	TP
Newtongrange Star	L1	v	Broxburn Athletic	L1
Pumpherston	L2	v	Livingston United	L2
Sauchie	L1	v	Blackburn United	L2
Scone Thistle	TP	v	Fauldhouse United	L1
Steelend Vics	F	v	Glenrothes	S
Thornton Hibs	S	v	St Andrews United	F
Tranent	L2	v	Crossgates Primrose	F
Whitburn	L1	v	Edinburgh United	L2

Key to Leagues: S - Super League; F - Fife District League; L1 - Lothians District League First Division; L2 - Lothians District League Second Division; TP - Tayside District League Premier Division; T1 - Tayside District League First Division.

In total there are seventeen ties (out of 32) with sides from the same district playing against each other. The tie of the round is undoubtedly at Bo'ness where the local United play fellow Super League Club Lochee United. A date for the ties has not, as yet, been decided.

St Andrews United - the season so far

It's December but St Andrews United have yet to play a league fixture. Not that they've been idle. This afternoon's fixture is their 17th of the season. It's been cup ties all the way, with the Fife League Cup dominating the season to date. Saints failed to finish in the top two of their section. Rosyth and Kirkcaldy went through to the semi-finals in the St Andrews group.

What is noticeable from St Andrews' fixtures, is how well they've done away from home in cup ties, recording good wins at Fauldhouse, Downfield and Ardeer.

Results:

St Andrews 1 Lochgelly 1	L.Cup	Downfield 1 St Andrews 3	OVD
St Andrews 2 Dundonald 1	L.Cup	Dundonald 2 St Andrews 1	L.Cup
Steelend 0 St Andrews 3	L.Cup	Fauldhouse 1 St Andrews 2	F&L
Rosyth 2 St Andrews 1	L.Cup	St Andrews 1 Kirkcaldy 1	L.Cup
Hill o Beath 2 St Andrews 0	PSM Cup	Ardeer 1 St Andrews 4	OVD
Kirkcaldy 3 St Andrews 1	L.Cup	St Andrews 2 Rosyth 1	L.Cup
Lochgelly 3 St Andrews 0	L.Cup	St Andrews 0 Tayport 2	RLCup
St Andrews 0 Downfield 0	OVD	St Andrews 5 Steelend 3	L.Cup

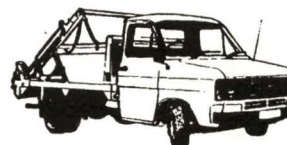
St Andrews United in the Scottish Junior Cup since our last meeting

1991/2 R2 Saints 3 Buchanhaven 0	1997/98 R2 Saints 1 St Roch's 0
R3 Saints 4 Saltcoats 0	R3 Harthill 1 Saints 1
R4 Arbroath SC 3 Saints 2	Saints 1 Harthill 2
1992/93 R2 Bellshill 1 Saints 0	1998/99 R2 Kinnoull 0 Saints 1
1993/94 R2 Saints 2 Lewis Utd 1	R3 Montrose 1 Saints 0
R3 Kilwinning 3 Saints 1	1999/00 R1 Saints 1 Banks o Dee 4
1994/95 R2 Saints 1 Musselburgh 1	2000/01 R2 Carnoustie 4 Saints 0
Musselburgh 0 Saints 1	2001/02 R1 Saints 2 Sunnybank 3
R3 Rob Roy 1 Saints 0	2002/03 R1 Saints 5 Dyce 1
1995/96 R2 Neilston 1 Saints 3	R2 Saints 0 Bo'ness 7
R3 Dunipace 0 Saints 1	2003/04 R2 Saints 1 Stoneywood 1
R4 Inverurie LW 1 Saints 1	Stoneywood 1 Saints 2
Saints 0 Inverurie LW 2	R3 Saints 0 Glenrothes 1
1996/97 R1 Saints 2 Coltness 1	2004/05 R1 Saints 0 Downfield 0
R2 Saints 0 Carnoustie 5	Downfield 1 Saints 3
	R2 Ardeer 1 Saints 4

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Tayport FC—current squad stats

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1	Frazer Fitzpatrick	Montrose	15.08.00	Jeanfield Swifts	210	0	210	0
22	Duncan Bruce	Dundee Utd	29.04.02	Broughty Athletic	0	3	3	0
2	Scott Peters	Arbroath	17.02.01	East Craigie	141	8	149	28
3	Grant Paterson	Riverside Ath	22.08.90	Forfar Albion	714	9	723	21
4	John Ward	Lochee Utd	09.09.00	Lochee United	199	3	202	44
5	Derek Wemyss	Riverside Ath	07.10.00	Forfar Albion	106	13	119	14
6	Brian Craik	Carnoustie	19.09.98	Broughty Athletic	175	66	241	106
7	Allan Ramsay	Carnoustie	23.09.95	Lochee Harp	320	42	362	30
8	Steven Stewart	NCR Ams	17.08.94	Lochee United	344	55	399	76
9	Ralph Hunter	St Andrews	07.08.02	Montrose Roselea	34	27	61	18
10	Jim Henry	Lochee Utd	16.12.95	Baillieston	27	13	40	3
11	Sean Christie	North End	30.08.03	Linlithgow Rose	22	19	41	5
12	Roberto Morris	Forfar Ath	07.08.02	Montrose Roselea	97	0	97	3
13	Barry McNaughton	Lochee Harp	22.08.01	Lochee United	123	27	150	34
14	Gareth Dailly	Montrose	24.03.01	Lochee United	113	28	141	18
15	Ross Gunnion	Bankfoot	15.08.01	Bankfoot Athletic	118	12	130	3
16	Gary Middleton	Dundee Violet	28.08.04	Bonnyrigg Rose	13	0	13	10
17	Robbie Henderson	Montrose	14.08.04	Bo'ness United	5	9	14	5
18	Dave Reilly	Lawside FP	22.08.90	Forfar Albion	481	31	512	367
19	Brian Livie	Forfar Albion	14.08.04	Bo'ness United	4	5	9	0
20	Gordon Malone	Maryfield	19.08.81	SMT	44	4	48	33
21	Kevin Heenan	Arbroath	16.08.03	Bathgate Thistle	16	15	31	6

Note: These are the clubs with which the players played prior to joining Tayport for the first time. Several subsequently signed for the club for a second spell :- Henry (most recent club -North End), Bruce (Kinnoull), Reilly (North End), Malone (North End), Stewart (Montrose) [note that Brian Craik's goals total has been revised after it was pointed out that he had been done out of 13 goals]

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SUPER LEAGUE



Nine games to go and 10 points ahead of Tayport, the scent of championship success is growing stronger by the week at Napier Drive. Following their latest win, 2-1 at Bathgate Thistle, Lochee United will now see Linlithgow Rose as their biggest challengers. It wasn't a bad performance from Bathgate but assistant manager Paul Jack reckoned his side lacked a hunger and the will to win, characteristics displayed by Lochee.

Bathgate, whose league slump has been nothing short of alarming, had to win last Saturday to have a realistic hope of resurrecting their league challenge. Similarly Bonnyrigg saw any lingering hopes drain away during a second half collapse against Tayport.

Although, by all accounts they are not setting the heather on fire, Linlithgow are grinding out the results, their latest being a 1-0 win over Glenrothes, a 13th successive game without defeat, thanks to a late goal from substitute Colin Allison. Despite their defeat Glens performed well and seem to have recovered from the mauling on the Canniepairt the other week and will be looking to take full advantage of their games in hand to climb the table.

Bo'ness won 1-0 at home to bottom club Arniston to set the alarm bells ringing at Newbyres Park. The Arnie fans seem to be heaping the blame for their bottom of the league placing on the players, if their website is anything to go by. Stuart Fraser, sent off again, was described by one contributor as a 'complete and utter lunatic'. Arniston had actually been the better side for the first hour but once Kevin Thomas headed the only goal, the visitors' heads went down.

Thornton Hibs won a six pointer, 4-3 at home to Oakley United, who have flirted with relegation in each of the two previous Super League seasons and look likely to do so again. John Shields was the Hibs hero with a hat-trick. Oakley manager Willie Newbigging heaped the blame for the defeat on his keeper Roy Ness.

Carnoustie's only bonus from their disappointing 1-1 draw at home to Camelon was the fact that Ronnie Kenneth, returning as sub following a long injury lay off, grabbed the equaliser.

Two Super League games are scheduled for this afternoon. It's a local derby at the Warout Stadium where Glens entertain Thornton Hibs. A win for the hosts would see them leapfrog their neighbours.

At Carmuir Park, Camelon can take advantage of a drawn game at the Warout by beating Bonnyrigg and leaping above both Fife clubs into seventh place.

FROM THE ARCHIVES

THE VISITORS

Today we bid a very warm welcome to TAYPORT JUNIORS in this the 3rd Round of the Scottish Junior Cup. This is the first season junior for the "PORT", and so far it has been a very successful one, having lost only 3 games, twice to Kirrie Thistle and once to Arbroath Vics.

Formed during the close season from the Tayport Amateurs, a (very good Amateur Team) they have brought in several players from experienced Dundee Juniors, some of whom are no strangers to us here in St. Andrews, one of whom is Kevin Thoms who when playing for Downfield, scored against us last season.

Although near neighbours of ours in Fife, the "PORT" play in the Tayside League, and the bulk of their players hail from that area, they are guided by Dave Baikie, who himself was a prolific scorer with Lochee United, and Downfield, before taking over at Cairnriepairt Park.

No Club can be successful however without a hard working Committee, to back them up, and with the evidence of a splendid new pavilion and the set up at Cairnriepairt the "PORT" obviously have this.

A hard game is in prospect and a good afternoon's enjoyment is in store for us all.

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MALONE
COVENTRY
CUSHNIE
WILKIE
LAMONT
CHRISTIE
BERRIE
TRONS
REILLY
THOMS

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CHAIRMAN'S REMARKS

Chairman Jim has expressed on behalf of the Committee, his personal welcome to both the visitors and our supporters and he hopes an entertaining game will be enjoyed by all.

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There's no truth in the rumour that Lochee United are looking for a new transport manager. For the second time this season, United's opponents have been left cooling their heels when the kick off has been delayed by the league leaders' late arrival at their opponents' ground. It happened at Arniston earlier this season and it happened again at Bathgate on Saturday past. Fortunately Bathgate were able to switch on their floodlights to see the game finished after a 20 minute delay to the start. According to the press, the Lochee bus was stuck behind a wide load. Big Jock, the League secretary, was also on the road to Bathgate last Saturday and will no doubt be able to comment first hand on the circumstances when the matter is discussed by the East Executive

At the ripe old age of 41, former Tayport keeper Fraser Mann, is still putting in a shift in goal. Regular North End keeper, the former St Andrews Utd custodian Andy Stewart, has been out injured and big Fraser is deputising between the sticks for the Dokens.

Tayport may be the most successful Junior club in the country over the past 15 years or so, but the club has never yet won a 'Team of the Month' award. The *Evening Telegraph* reported that the selection as the September 'Team of the Month' was Lochee United. This, despite being humped 3-0 on the Canniepairt in the middle of that month.

St Andrews United won the Scottish Junior Cup in season 1959/60, beating Greenock 3-1 in the Hampden final yet the players which represented Saints that day, amazingly, never played together as a team before or after that match. Incidentally, St Andrews had started the season as 500/1 outsiders to win the cup.

We just hope the referees and their assistants who take charge of matches in the Juniors, were watching the Rosenborg Champions League tie on TV last midweek. The pictures showed the pitch to be largely covered in water, yet nobody seemed to bat an eyelid as the game went ahead as scheduled. We have had examples here of minor puddles - nothing even remotely approaching the scale of that at Rosenborg - causing refs and assistants to go apoplectic, actually putting games off and threatening to put games off unless every last bit of surface water is removed. They usually come away with statements such as the surface is a danger to the players or some other nonsense. The laws of the game are the same Europe wide, so if it's good enough for the Champions League, it's surely ok for the Super League etc.. We'll watch with interest.

Lochee striker Ross Kiddie missed the win at Bathgate after being disciplined by his club following an altercation with a teammate on a night out.

WILLIAM HILL'S FOR JUNIOR FOOTBALL BETTING

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Saturday 4th December

OVD Cup - Prices for today's selected ties

3rd Round

7/5 Auchinleck 12/5 Bo'ness 7/5	Today's Super League
4/11 Bathgate 16/5 Harp 11/2	
7/4 Carnoustie 5/2 Lochee U 11/10	11/8 Camelon 5/2 Bo'rigger 11/8
4/1 Largs 14/5 Linlithgow 1/2	4/5 Glenrothes 5/2 Thornton 5/2
1/2 Oakley 14/5 Greenock 4/1	
1/3 Pollok 7/2 Kelty Hearts 11/2	
1/5 Tayport 9/2 St Andrews 8/1	
4/1 Stonehouse 10/3 Arniston 4/9	
8/5 Elmwood 5/2 Edinburgh 6/5	

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		Last prog
9/4	Linlithgow	9/4
9/4	Lochee United	7/2
6	Tayport	6
7	Bathgate	5
10	Bo'ness	12
12	Glenrothes	10
25	Bonnyrigg	10
25	Camelon	16
33	Carnoustie	20
40	Thornton	40
50	Oakley United	50
50	Arniston	33

2004/05 OVD SCOTTISH JUNIOR CUP PRICES

- 8 Linlithgow
- 10 Tayport
- 12 Lochee United
- 14 Bathgate, Arthurlie, Bellshill, Glenafton, Maryhill
- 16 Bo'ness, Carnoustie, Kilwinning, Pollok, Renfrew
- 20 Arniston, Petershill
- 25 Auchinleck, Beith, Hill of Beath, Newtongrange, Oakley, Neilston, Shotts
- 33 Hurlford, Irvine Meadow, Kelty, Kilbirnie, Whitburn, Troon, Musselburgh
- 40 Clydebank
- 50 Lugar, Dunipace, Greenock
- 66 Largs, Saltcoats, St Anthony's, Vale of Leven
- 100 Ashfield, Blackburn, Dunbar, Edinburgh, Elmwood, Glentanar, Irvine Vics, Kinnoull, Lanark, Thorniewood, Sunnybank, Montrose, Pumpherston, Stonehouse, Glencairn, Kello, Wishaw.
- 150 Coupar Angus, Culter, Jeanfield, Lochee Harp, Montrose, Turriff, Port Glasgow
- 200 Lochore Welfare, Dufftown, Lewis United, St Andrews United



Not much change in the outright betting with Linlithgow, Tayport and Lochee United ('the team everyone wants to back', according to Hill's) leading the betting. St Andrews has moved out from 150/1 to 200/1.

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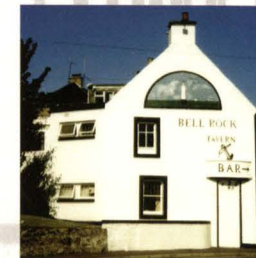
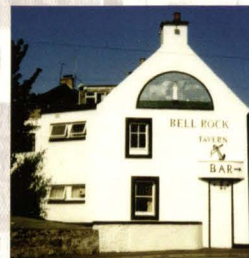
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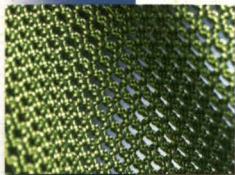
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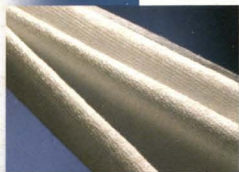
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