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12 May 1996  
2-0 (aet) v Camelon  
at Fir Park, Motherwell

F. Mann  
G. Buist  
G. Paterson  
M. Spalding  
K. Nicolson  
S. Wilkie  
G. Miller (A. Ramsay)  
S. Stewart  
S. Ross (B. Gray)  
D. Reilly  
G. Maher (J. Henry)

Scorer - S. Ross (2)  
Att. 4,652

1 June 2003  
1-0 (aet) v Linlithgow Rose  
at Firhill, Glasgow

F. Fitzpatrick  
R. Gunnion  
G. Paterson  
R. Morris  
J. Ward  
S. Peters  
J. Mitchell  
S. Stewart (D. Scott)  
B. Craik (A. Ramsay)  
B. McNaughton  
G. Dailly (D. Evans)

Scorer - Craik  
Att. 4,613

29 May 2005  
2-0 v Lochee United  
at Tannadice

F. Fitzpatrick  
R. Morris  
G. Paterson (L. Young)  
J. Ward  
D. Wemyss  
S. Peters  
B. McNaughton  
S. Stewart  
R. Henderson (A. Ramsay)  
G. Middleton (R. Hunter)  
B. Livie

Scorers - Middleton, Henderson  
Att. 6,868

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Top Scorer Award  
(Presented by Andrew Robertson) - **Simon Murray (27)**

Our Front Cover  
picture shows  
Tayport players  
celebrating  
promotion  
to Super League  
at Penicuik  
last season.

(image by Ron Nicoll)

## TODAY'S TEAMS

TAYPORT			CAMELON	
from			from	
1	Iain ROSS		g/k	Richard BARNARD
2	Dale HART		g/k	Michael WATSON
3	Gary ROBERTSON			Bryan BELL
4	Barry DONACHIE			Andy McGOWN
5	Paul THOMSON			Colin LEIPER
6	John TONNER			Stuart CRINGEAN
7	Kris ROLLO			Mark GILLESPIE
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9	Matthew ADAM			Derek URE
10	Nik MANN			Colin ALLISON
11	Jake MAIR			James DONALDSON
12	Ryan SUTTIE			Kevin KELBIE
13	Ross GRANT			Marty WRIGHT
14	Connor GRAY			Alan BENTON
15	Grant LAWSON			Gary KELLY
16	Connaire CONNELLY			Andrew DICK
17	Stefan ELVIN			Callum SCOTT
18	Robert BOYD			Eamon FULLARTON
19	Alistair SMITH			Craig YOUNG
21	Ruaridh DONALDSON			
22	Kenny McCULLEY			

Referee: Willie Ferguson (Forfar)

Assistant Referee: Kelly Kyle

Assistant Referee: Joe Kelly



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CAMELON

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## NEXT FIXTURE

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## EAST OF SCOTLAND CUP

1st round draw

Blackburn United v Kirkcaldy YM  
**Tayport v Lochee Harp**  
Oakley United v St Andrews United  
Forfar Albion v Dundee North End  
Dundee Violet v Kirriemuir Thistle  
Camelon Juniors v Steelend Victoria  
Dunbar United v Dundee East Craigie  
Downfield v Broughty Athletic  
Stoneyburn Juniors v Livingston United  
Linlithgow Rose v Ballingry Rovers  
Arniston Rangers v Lochore Welfare  
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Kinnoull v Kelty Hearts  
Whitburn Juniors v Harthill Royal  
Newburgh v Edinburgh United  
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## Today's Game

**SUPER LEAGUE**  
**TAYPORT v CAMELON**

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**Tayport v Camelon**  
**on**  
**The Canniepairt**

4/12/93

Tayport 0-0 Camelon  
(Scottish Cup 2nd Rnd replay,  
Tayport won on penalties)

16/1/98

Tayport 1-2 Camelon  
(Scottish Cup 4th Rnd)

16/10/04

Tayport 0-2 Camelon  
(Super League)

4/04/07

Tayport 0-0 Camelon  
(Super League)

24/05/08

Tayport 2-1 Camelon  
(Super League)

11/04/09

Tayport 0-3 Camelon  
(Super League)

19/03/11

Tayport 1-2 Camelon  
(Super League)

A warm welcome for Camelon who play their first visit to The Canniepairt for two and a half years. Our visitors have made a sound start to the season with a 100 % record from their two away games to date, at Lochee United and last week, at Armadale. The Mariners collected three points at home to Sauchie but were disappointed to lose 2-0 to defending champions Linlithgow Rose two weeks ago. Camelon were relegated in 2004/05 but bounced right back as champions and although they have flirted with relegation on a couple of occasions since, there has been steady improvement and a third place finish last season was the club's best since 2009 when they finished runners-up to Bonnyrigg Rose.

Manager Danny Smith, the former Linlithgow Rose favourite, is gradually shaping his team to his own specification but still relies on a core of experienced campaigners who have been around Carmuir for a number of seasons.

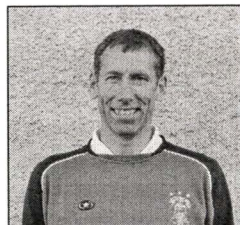
Forwards Colin Allison and Blair Bachelor, midfielders Craig Young and Mark Gillespie, long serving defender Bryan Bell and tough as teak central defender Stuart Cringean, for example, are no strangers to The Canniepairt.

Manager Smith has made a couple of astute signing this season in a bid to galvanise his championship challenge. Former Raith Rovers defender Colin Leiper was signed from Bathgate Thistle and striker James Donaldson arrived from Bo'ness United.

Tayport's results this season to date have been far from impressive, but with a number of new signings, a settling in period was probably inevitable. There have been flashes of promising play in most fixtures but a failure to capitalise on reasonable scoring opportunities has kept the side on the back foot.

Chopping and changing hasn't helped either with enforced absences through holiday commitments etc and missing this week is Grant Lawson. On the plus side Paul Thomson is back and will no doubt start today.

## THE MANAGER WRITES



I want to begin by extending a warm welcome to everyone associated with Camelon, as they visit the Canniepairt for today's Super League fixture. I hope it will be a good footballing encounter. It will also be a tough one, as I've spoken to a few people in the game who see Camelon as a team which could be looking to finish in the top four this season.

So far, although we've come unstuck in three out of the four matches, it's very pleasing to see the number of chances that we're creating and I'm sure we'll soon start converting these chances into goals on a regular basis. It would be a bigger worry if we were defending for ninety minutes, but that's not been the case.

I know it must be frustrating for the supporters, who've waited a few years for Tayport to get back into the top flight, to see us lose a local derby against Lochee United. I can understand those feelings, but this is a new Tayport team. We're not back in this division because we're Tayport. We're back because this team has earned the right to play Super League football.

Everyone associated with the club is doing their utmost to give us the best chance of competing at this level. The road will be rocky and steep, but I fervently believe that we will improve as the season progresses. As much as I would have liked a better start, there are still 26 matches to go and a lot of points to play for.

I appreciate the backing we've had from the supporters, as I think the fans realise that having a young team is the only way forward. We have to live within our means and I believe we're all the better for it. The other route of a mad dash to success is not sustainable. I want Tayport to be around for the long term and I believe that this group of players will be successful in the long term. So, I don't intend to change tack.

To finish, I want to mention our captain, Stefan Elvin, who is set to play his last home game this afternoon. He has decided to pursue his career as a personal trainer on the cruise liners and I fully support his decision, although I'm obviously sad that he'll be leaving us. He'll be missed on and off the pitch. Stefan is one of the finest midfielders that I've had the pleasure of working with. He is a manager's dream. Everyone at the club wishes him all the very best and we hope to see him in Tayport colours again in the future.

*John*

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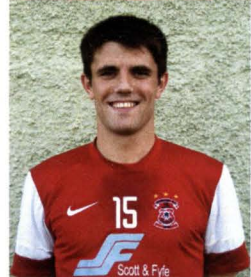
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## TAYPORT FC—THE ALL TIME CLUB RECORDS

### ALL GAMES

Biggest home win	11-1	v	Kinnoull (Tayside League)	10.10.92
	10-0	v	Elmwood (NE Cup)	28.10.95
Biggest away win	14-0	v	St Josephs (Tayside League)	14.11.98
Biggest home defeat	1-5	v	Oakley United (Super League)	21.04.07
Biggest away defeat	2-7	v	Carnoustie Panmure (Scottish Cup)	13.12.08
Biggest away defeat	0-4	v	Bo'ness (Super League)	10.12.10 & 26.02.11

Longest unbeaten run	34 games	31.05.95 to 02.03.06
Longest winning run	14 games	08.05.95 to 23.05.95
Longest losing run	5 games	26.02.11 to 02.04.11
Longest run without a win	12 games	05.02.11 to 23.04.11
Longest scoring sequence	58 games	15.08.90 to 19.08.91
Longest run without conceding a goal	9 games	08.11.97 to 17.01.98
Longest run without scoring a goal	3 games	07.03.09 to 21.03.09

### LEAGUE ONLY

Longest unbeaten run	70 games	11.09.93 to 11.06.96
Longest winning run	18 games	30.09.95 to 08.06.96
Longest losing run	4 games	28.01.09 to 21.03.09
		26.02.11 to 02.04.11
Longest run without a win	9 games	19.02.11 to 23.04.11
Longest scoring sequence	39 games	25.02.95 to 31.08.95
Longest without conceding a goal	8 games	05.09.98 to 09.01.99
Longest run without scoring a goal	3 games	28.10.06 to 09.12.06
		07.03.09 to 21.03.09

### MOST APPEARANCES

Grant Paterson	August 1990 to November 2009	894 games
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### MOST GOALS

Dave Reilly	August 1990 to December 2000 & April 2004 to June 2005	367 goals
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### MOST GOALS IN A MATCH

<b>SIX</b>	-	Kenny Cameron v St Josephs (Tayside Premier League)	14.11.98
<b>FIVE</b>	-	Steve Hutcheon v Lochore Welfare (Taycars Cup)	28.02.98
	-	Ronnie Kenneth v Jeanfield Swifts (Tayside Premier League)	02.12.00
<b>FOUR</b>	-	Dave Reilly on seven occasions v Balbeggie (1990/91); v Elmwood (1995/96); v Forfar Albion (1995/96); v Luncarty (1995/96); v Kirrie Thistle (1997/98); v Jeanfield (1997/98); v Glenrothes (1998/99) Hamish Mackay on four occasions v Lochee Harp (1992/93) & 1994/95; v Arbroath Vics (1994/95); v Broughty Athletic (1995/96) Davie Evans v Elmwood (2001/02); v Bankfoot (2001/02); v Coupar Angus (2002/03). Kenny Cameron v Forfar WE (1998/99); Glentanar (1998/99); v Kinnoull (1999/00). Stevie Ross v Luncarty (1995/96); Steve Hutcheon v Kinnoull (1997/98); Brian Craik v Forfar Albion 2000/01; Scott Peters v Lochee United (2000/01).	

# DUNMORE REPORTS.....



Four games into the Super League campaign, Tayport have found the going tough, collecting one point so far.

The season began with a trip to Musselburgh, who came out with all guns blazing and roared to a three goal lead, after only half an hour. Striker Paul Harvey was the star for the home side, netting a hat-trick, his third goal coming from the penalty spot.

Thereafter, Tayport began to compete and had a couple of chances before the break. Not long after the interval, John McGlashan's men reduced the leeway. Jake Mair led a break upfield, Ross Grant had an effort on goal and Paul Thomson knocked the ball into the net from close range.

There were further opportunities for the visitors, with Kenny McCulley twice unlucky, but there was no more scoring.

In a midweek fixture on the Canniepairt, St. Andrews United were the visitors for a local derby. Again, the opposition made the better start, with Barry Sibanda setting up Gary Sutherland for the opener, after only three minutes.

Towards half-time, wonderful skill from Steven McPhee on the right led to the equaliser. After twisting and turning to make space for himself, McPhee sent over a cross which eluded the 'keeper and went into the net, off the far post.

The match proved to be an enthralling one. Stefan Elvin twice hit the woodwork and Steven McPhee did likewise, late on, but the points were shared.

Next up was another home fixture, although this one proved to be a much more mundane affair. Visiting Armadale Thistle scored a late goal in each half, to record a 2-0 win and leave the Tayport contingent feeling rather disgruntled.

Last weekend saw 'Port take on Lochee United at Thomson Park, where there was a more spirited performance. Steven McPhee was a real threat to the Lochee rearguard and Grant Lawson was unfortunate on a couple of occasions, against one of his former clubs.

Crucially, it was Lochee who netted the first goal of the afternoon. Phil Hagan set up Brian Clark, who drilled his shot into the corner of the net. The Bluebells added a second goal, in the second half, when Greg Kirk headed home a wide free kick. To rub salt into the wounds, Hagan added his name to the scoresheet, as the hosts took full advantage of their chances.

Hopefully, Tayport can do something similar today and announce themselves on the Super League stage.



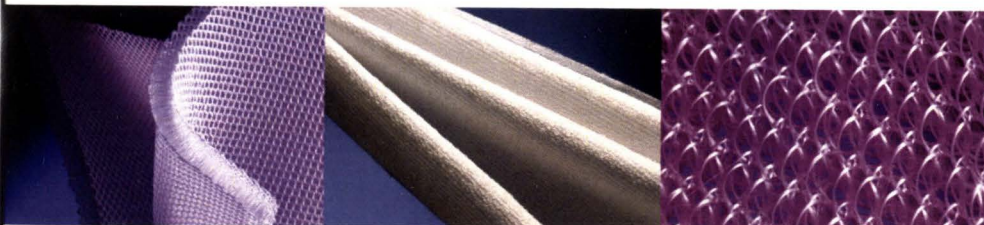
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Date	Opposition	com	res	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	sub 1	sub 2	sub 3	Att
10-Aug	Musselburgh	SL	L1-3	Ross	McCulley*	Boyd*	C.Gray	Thomson	1 Tonner*	Connelly *	McPhee	Mair	R.Grant	G.Lawson	Robertson(3)	Elvin (4)	Suttie (7)	188
13-Aug	ST ANDREWS	SL	D1-1	Ross	R Donaldson	Boyd	Gray	Thomson	Tonner	Elvin	McPhee	1 Mair	Grant	Lawson	Adam (9)	McCulley (3)	Rollo (3)	200
17-Aug	ARMADALE	SL	L0-2	Ross	Donaldson	McCulley	Gray	Donachie*	Tonner	Elvin	McPhee	Suttie	Rollo	Lawson	Adam (9)	Mann (4)	Mair (8)	131
24-Aug	Lochee United	SL	L0-3	Ross	Donaldson	Boyd*	Gray	Donachie*	Tonner	Grant	McPhee*	Mair	Rollo	Lawson	Adam (9)	Mann (7)	Elvin (4)	303
31-Aug	CAMELON	SL																
07-Sep	Carnoustie	SL																
14-Sep	LOCHEE HARP	EoS																
21-Sep	N'GRANGE	SL																
28-Sep																		
05-Oct																		
12-Oct	Ballingry Rovers	SL																
19-Oct	BO'NESS UTD	SL																

**Season 2012/13**

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Biggest Win 8-1 v Dalkeith  
 Biggest Defeat 1-3 v Shettleston

**Top 11 Starters****2012-13**

Gary Robertson	26
Paul Thomson	27
Blair Mudie	27
Simon Murray	25
Steven McPhee	26
Kris Rollo	25
Barry Donachie	22
Stephen Tront	19
Stefan Elvin	23
Iain Ross	22
John Tonner	18

**Appearances****Top 14  
Max 32****2012-13**

Gary Robertson	31
Blair Mudie	30
Simon Murray	29
Paul Thomson	28
Steven McPhee	27
Barry Donachie	25
Kris Rollo	25
Stefan Elvin	24
Iain Ross	22
John Tonner	21
Stephen Tront	21
Kenny McCulley	16
Jake Mair	16
Connor Gray	13

**Top Goalscorers****2012-13**

Simon Murray	27
Stefan Elvin	6
Colin McNaught	6
Steven McPhee	5
Nik Mann	3
Gary Robertson	2
Paul Tosh	2
Kris Rollo	3
Stephen Tront	2
Fraser Milligan	2
Connor Gray	1
Jake Mair	1
Andy West	1
Paul Thomson	2
John Tonner	1
Kenny McCulley	1

**Bon Voyage, Stefan**

If he plays this afternoon, and he is an injury doubt, this could be team captain Stefan Elvin's last game before he embarks on a new career.



Stefan is moving into the holiday/leisure business and leaving these parts to take up a position of Personal Trainer on Cruise ships

Stefan (23) has been with Tayport since joining from Dundee FC in 2008. He opened his goalscoring account in a 4-0 win over Bo'ness United in January 2009.

In his five seasons at The Canniepairt Stefan played 144 times and scored 25 goals, four of which came in consecutive games in the first four games of season 2009-10. In addition he was a host of PoY, PPoY and GoS awards

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## ALL CHANGE IN THE EAST REGION

Eleven years after the advent of the Super League concept, the East Region clubs voted to restructure their league set-up for this season with a 16-16-16-15 format which accommodates a Super League, a Premier League, a North League and a South League.

The league cups which had traditionally kicked off the season have been ditched. No surprise there, as it was often many months before the final of what was supposed to be a short sharp tournament, could be played. The absence of a league cup has allowed the league campaigns to kick off from day one. Given that most clubs will be playing eight more league games in the new format, the league cup had to go.

With no relegation last season, the Super League was a disappointing affair but the addition of the Premier League's top four, Newtongrange Star, Ballingry Rovers, Tayport and Armadale should make for a more exciting 16 club competition this time round.

The bottom two clubs will be relegated automatically and the team finishing third bottom will be given a lifeline and an opportunity to retain their Super League place by playing off against the team which finishes third in the re-structured 16 club Premier Division.

The Premier Division has seen Kirrie Thistle, Montrose Roselea, Kinnoull, Kirkcaldy YM, Pumpherston, Fauldhouse United, Livingston United and Arniston Rangers join the eight remaining clubs of last season's Premier Division.

Forfar West End would have been there at the exclusion of Montrose had they not been deducted six points for going into abeyance the previous season. Indeed these six points would have given them the Championship.

With four teams being relegated, 25% of the division, it's going to be a tough competition.

That leaves the North League and the South League with 16 and 15 clubs respectively and the top two from each will be promoted to the Premier League. There had to be a geographical line drawn somewhere and that's why we find the likes of Lochore Welfare and Lochgelly Albert in different divisions, Lochore in the North and Lochgelly in the South. Depending on which clubs are promoted and relegated at the end of the season, some west of Fife clubs could be bouncing about Divisions from season to season in order to ensure the Divisions have an equal or nearly equal number of teams. Plenty variety, then.

From last season's complement of clubs there is a net loss of one team. Spartans' Junior side has moved to the East of Scotland League, thus allowing their parent club to compete in the new Lowland League, and Bankfoot Athletic have gone into abeyance for a season. Whether or not they will return remains to be seen. There is some good news, however, with Kennoway Star Hearts leaving the amateurs to play in the North Division. The successful Kennoway amateur team has joined forces with Star Hearts and will play out of Star of Markinch's Treaton Park.

# The Match Programme from the Clubs' first ever meeting, a Scottish Cup 2nd round tie at Carmuir Park Twenty Years ago

## BLAST FROM THE PAST

One of Camelon's most notable victories came in the 4th Round of the Scottish Cup on Saturday 5th February, 1983 when they faced Blantyre Vics at Carmuir Park. Blantyre had won the Scottish Cup the previous year.

Included in the Camelon team that day was a fresh faced Kevin McAllister who at that time was attracting the attention of both Falkirk and Hibs. Also in the Camelon squad, although not picked to play was another aspiring youngster - today's goalkeeper Alan Banner.

Although Camelon only won 1-0 on overall pressure it could have been more. The goal itself was no classic, Brian O'Connor heading in a long throw-in by McArthur - but it was enough.

Heavy overnight rain had made it a test of stamina and a lot of credit for the victory went to coach Roy Anderson for making sure his team came out on top in the fitness stakes.

John Wardrope, the club's president, who had watched Blantyre two weeks before said he had been confident of victory. "My only worry was the state of the pitch, and whether the game would be played".

The team that day was:

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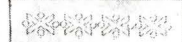
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Favourite Food: Italian  
Music: Soul

## TAYPORT JUNIORS

"ONES TO WATCH"

### New Signings

Ewan Cameron (23) (Striker)  
Signed at end of last season from amateur side Birkhead. Made an immediate impact and is presently the sides top scorer.

Andy Dolan (27) (Midfield)  
Signed in September from Montrose. Was a regular member of the Links Park side which won promotion to Division 1 in 1990/1. Scored in his first game against Arbroath Vics last month.

Grant Miller (23) (Defender)  
Signed at end of last season from amateur side Kingsway Athletic. Quickly showed that he will be a valuable addition to the pool.

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M. Ferrie returns to Camelon from Scotland

Destination will be Camelon's opponents in the League Cup semi-final following a fight back from 0-1 down to a 2-1 win over Brechin.

The news had to be relayed because of a protest by Brechin.

SEASON SO FAR: Last week's win by 10-0 against Stirling Albion League Cup will up the league and the league's top goal scorer.

## LEAGUE POSITIONS

	P	W	D	L	P	Pts
Newington	6	5	0	14	4	10
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109 Years Ago

**EVENING TELEGRAPH AND POST  
MONDAY 3 OCTOBER 1904**

Here's how Monday 3 October 1904's *Evening Tele* reported the Junior match between Tayport and Thornton Rovers 111 years ago

The roughest game ever seen at Tayport was the opinion of all who witnessed the match between Thornton Rovers and Tayport on Saturday.

It was apparent from the very beginning that the game was to be a fast one, and before many minutes' play the referee was issuing warnings, one of the backs being the chief offender.

Subsequently the game was several times interrupted by the very questionable tactics of the visitors and free fights were engaged in, the referee being powerless.

It is to the credit of one or two of the visitors that they did their utmost to soothe the offenders and the game was resumed.

But the homesters were putting plenty of vim into their play, especially the two Oswalds and a third point was added by Campbell, catching a beautiful pass from Wilkie and banging it into the net.

The unruly scenes still continued and it was a relief when the whistle sounded, finishing up the roughest game ever seen at Tayport with the scores standing Tayport 3 Thornton Rovers 1

**EVENING TELEGRAPH AND POST  
FRIDAY 20 MAY 1927**

..and there was a lack of pitches in Tayport 86 years ago, according to the *Tele*

Tayport, which boasts two good teams, can only boast one playing pitch and on Saturday two matches have been arranged. The local Juniors, the Violet, are down to meet North End from Dundee while the Thistle have Newport Amateurs as visitors. Some controversy was raised some time ago when it was agreed that the pitch would be granted to the two teams week about, so it looks as if the Thistle were the rightful ones for Saturday first.

At the same time it is now time that steps were taken by the proper parties to have all the difficulties overcome, especially where there is sufficient space to have another pitch made, and so keep each club on friendly terms with the other. With the close almost here, it could be made and by August it could be all over.

## NEW SEASON... NEW FACES

The last issue of our match programme was away back at the beginning of May and production difficulties prevented an issue for our first home Saturday game, so this is a first opportunity to provide an update. There have been a few changes in our playing staff over the Summer.

Off to pastures new has gone goalkeeper **Neal Ferrie** who has joined Carnoustie Panmure. Neal joined from North End in the Spring of 2010 and played 56 times, including all but three of the games played by the club in season 2011/2012.

**Blair Mudie** moved on to Forfar West End after one season at The Canniepairt during which time he played in all but two of last season's games. **Stephen Tront** is playing amateur football after an employment change restricted his football commitments.

Biggest loss, however, was undoubtedly **Simon Murray** who went adventuring to Australia in June. Ace marksman Simon netted around 40% of the team's goals last season, 27 from only 25 starts.

John McGlashan has brought in six new faces. Striker **Matthew Adam** (20) joined from Forfar Athletic, defender **Ruaridh Donaldson** (19) from Forfar West End, midfielder **Ross Grant** (23) from Lochee United, midfielder **Grant Lawson** (26) from Dundee Violet, midfielder **Ryan Suttie** (22) from St Andrews United and defender **Alistair Smith** (19) from Forfar Athletic. Alistair has been loaned out for six weeks to Forfar West End.

Players on loan last season, **Jake Mair** (Arbroath FC) and **Connor Gray** (Forfar Athletic), have been given permanent contracts.

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Kelty Hearts	4	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	2	3	12	-9	2	80	
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St Andrews United	4	0	0	2	0	5	0	1	1	1	5	-9	1	79	

### Tayport back in the Tayside /North Inter Regional Cup

After a gap of eight years, Tayport are back in the Tayside/North Inter Regional Cup, now sponsored by GA Engineering, and known as the GA Engineering Inter Regional Cup.



Seven times winners of the tournament, Tayport last competed in 2005 when they won the cup for a fourth successive year.

The competition is initially played on a regional basis before the North clubs and clubs from the former Tayside Region join up for an all-in draw.

In the preliminary round Tayport have been drawn at home to Coupar Angus. No date has yet been set for this tie. Winners meet Lochee Harp in the 1st round proper

## SNIFFING AROUND WITH *THE SNOOT*

Those who see that giant hulk of the former Abertay Engineering Works and more recently occupied by Rippin Structures, which looms over the Canniepairt, gradually falling further into a state of disrepair will be pleased to know that at least something is happening. The site is owned by Fife Council but the Tayport Community Trust is looking to take it over and develop it into a multi use asset for the community. A Development Officer has been appointed to take the project forward and he is looking to meet with Tayport FC, as neighbours, as part of this process.

In the last three seasons Tayport have played 34, 30 and 32 games respectively and had 10, 7 and 9 postponements. This season we are guaranteed to have at least 33 games. Any cup successes or draws, in the case of the Scottish Cup, will add to that total. Progress to the final of each cup would add about 15 games to the 33. Chance would be a fine thing!

The draw for the first round of the Scottish Junior Cup will take place at Hampden Park's Football Museum on Tuesday next at 12 noon. We hope to have the draw on the website and on the Newline soon after. Ties are scheduled for 28 September

To find details, directions and photographs of every Junior ground, Highland League ground and Lowland League ground in Scotland you can log on to [www.nonleaguescotland.org.uk](http://www.nonleaguescotland.org.uk) You'll never get lost again. There again...

The new 'The Juniors' newspaper is on its 3rd edition this week. It isn't available at newsagents at the moment but is for sale (£1) at The Canniepairt at home matches or you can contact the club secretary any time to obtain a copy. They are usually delivered on Tuesdays. It is available on subscription, however. Details are in the paper.

It's been a pretty barren summer football-wise with no World Cup and no Euro Championship. However it's not only the TV footy addicts who have suffered. Radio station TalkSport has blamed the lack of a big football competition in the summer for a shortage of advertising which has meant a reported 40% drop in their profits.

The TFC club secretary's phone rang during the Lochee game last week. Nothing new there, of course, but on this occasion it was a call from Ascension Island in the South Atlantic, one of the United Kingdom's most remote outposts, situated midway between the tips of South America and Africa.. The Ascension Islander was phoning to confirm he would again be sponsoring Steven McPhee and was apologising for not being in touch sooner but he had been on holiday—to St Helena, another, even more remote outpost a mere 800 miles away.

Another Junior Football website for web browsers to look at. It's called 'The Saturday Tackle' and carries news, views and pictures for all Junior leagues. Last week the Tackle was at Thomson Park and a report and photos of Lochee Utd v Tayport and other matches are on line at [www.thesaturdaytackle.co.uk](http://www.thesaturdaytackle.co.uk). The Saturday Tackle describes itself as 'Your Online News for Smartphone, Tablet or Computer'

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