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12 May 1996
2-0 (aet) v Camelon
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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

Awards 2013/2014

Player of the Year (presented 1991 by Messrs Oswald, Redpath & Stewart) - **Stefan Elvin**
Players Player of the Year (presented 1991 in memory of Rev. G.S. Ayre) - **Stefan Elvin**

Fans' Favourite - **Stefan Elvin**

Young Player of the Year (presented 2011 by Bella Carmichael
in memory of her late husband Dite Carmichael) - **Ruaridh Donaldson**

Travel Club Player of the Year (presented by the Travel Club
in memory of the late Davie Ayre) - **Stefan Elvin**

Morris Couper award for Goal of the Season (presented 1993 by the
family of Morris Couper) - **Alan Tulleth at home v Kinnoull**

Top Scorer Award
(Presented by Andrew Robertson) - **Kevin Milne (23)**

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7	Kris Rollo
8	Alan Tulleth
9	Matthew Adam
10	Gary Sutherland
11	
12	Jonny McRae
13	
14	Kevin Milne
15	Marc Ogg
16	Connaire Connelly
17	Stefan Elvin
18	Owen McCabe
19	
21	Scott Finlay
22	

Wednesday
12th August
2015

Kick Off
7.00pm

Referee:
Steven Traynor

Assistant 1
Marc Farmer

Assistant 2
Kelly Kyle

Manager—David Baikie

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St Andrews Utd
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GK Coach - Andy Collier



Today's Game
McBookie.com Super League

Tayport v St Andrews Utd



It's the first home game of the season and the first of three Super League derbies to be contested this season on the Canniepairt. With Saints joining ourselves in winning promotion last season, it gives north Fife a significant presence in the top tier of Junior football.

Both clubs got off to good starts last Saturday. Tayport were understandably disappointed by only returning with a point from Linlithgow but Saints can be delighted with all three points at home v Bonnyrigg Rose.

St Andrews manager Phil McGuire has brought in Aaron Whitehead and keeper Duncan Bruce from Jeanfield Swifts but otherwise it's very much the squad which delivered promotion. Duncan, it will be recalled, was a member of the Tayport squad which lifted the Scottish Cup at Tannadice back in 2005 but he's not the only ex-Port face in the visitors' ranks. Striker Robbie Holden was a member of the Tayport squad which lifted the Scottish Cup v Linlithgow Rose in 2003 and a couple of weeks later grabbed Tayport's extra time winning goal in the final of Tayside / North Region Challenge Cup. Jamie Mackie and Stevie McManus are the others who have worn the Tayport colours.

Missing from the St Andrews' squad tonight are Barry Sibanda and Ricky Patrick, both suspended as is Tayport defender Clark Kay.

Tayport lost last season's top scorer Grant Lawson to big spending Broughty Athletic and also Ruaridh Donaldson, who returned to East Lothian having finished University in Dundee, and Paul Thomson, who moved to Edinburgh, has been transferred to Spartans FC. Joining the squad and making their competitive home debuts tonight are five new faces.



Defender Gregor Anderson has been transferred from Dalbeattie Star of the Lowland League. 20 year old Gregor can count Annan Athletic and Queen of the South as his former clubs. Gregor starts at Dundee University next month but has made the 200 mile round trip to play this evening. Indeed it will be the first time he has seen the Canniepairt, never mind played on it! Other debutants tonight are defender Cameron

Black on loan from Dundee FC, St Andrean Scott Finlay (left) who had a season with Saints back in 2008 but was signed from Luncarty, Johnny Macrae, another ex Saint, who joined up from Leven United and 20 year old Marc Ogg who signed from Kirrie Thistle having previously been with Kinnoull.

Missing from the home line-up tonight will be Neil Docherty (holiday) and Matty Adam (in USA) but Alan Tulleth, the fifth former St Andrews player in the home ranks, is back from holiday and available tonight.

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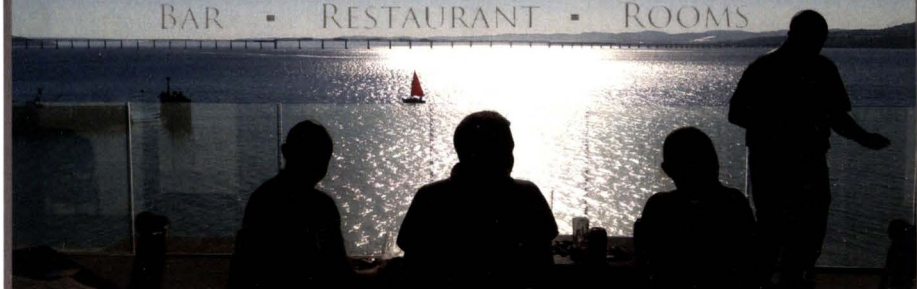
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The "Baikers" Bit



So another season is upon us and tonight's opponents St Andrews United arrive on the back of an excellent home win over Bonnyrigg Rose. Can I take this opportunity to welcome both their officials and players to Tayport, and a warm welcome to your fans.

This is the first opportunity I've had to reflect on the season just past and of the season we have ahead of ourselves. In the end we achieved our objective of winning the title, and also managed to win the GA Cup and as it turned out, we were the only side in the East of Scotland to win two trophies! So praise must go to our squad of last season for their achievements.

My thoughts for the season upon us is that it will be a terrific challenge for myself and our players. Unlike last term we'll go into the vast majority of games as underdogs. Our players know that we can't afford to approach any game unprepared and only total commitment and discipline throughout every game we play will do.

As far as our squad goes, we lost four experienced players at the end of last season and it's been a challenge replacing them. It's my responsibility not only to replace them but to create a stronger squad than we had last term. I'm sure other managers will agree that, certainly in this area, it's getting harder to do that but I can assure our fans that I'm determined, as is the club, to move our Tayport FC closer to the days gone by and establish ourselves back among the best.

On Saturday we travelled to Linlithgow for our first league game, not an easy start. It ended 1-1 which, if asked, most would have taken that result but the circumstances in which it ended might well, and should have, ended in a victory for us. I'd love to comment on the reasons I say this but I would end up in "hot water" I can only say my players did the club proud and were denied victory in the 97th minute!

As I said earlier, St Andrews arrive on the back of a great win over Bonnyrigg so will have taken confidence from that. Our players know what must be a given in every game and if they can produce that, then they most definitely can gain success tonight.

Support the Port

David Baikie

FINA STATS 2014/14

Tayport FC

Date	Opponent	Comp	W D L	Score	1	2	3	4	5
6/8	DUNDEE VIOLET	PL	D	1-1	Morris	McCulley	Rennie Y	Donaldson	Thomson
9/8	Dundonald	PL	L	3-2	Morris Y	Robertson	Rennie	Donaldson Y	Thomson I
16/8	EDINBURGH UTD	PL	W	2-0	Wilson	Robertson	Rennie	Donaldson	Thomson
23/8	Glenrothes	PL	W	1-0	Wilson	Docherty	Rennie	Donaldson	Thomson
30/8	DALKEITH THIS	PL	D	2-2	Wilson	Docherty	Robertson	Donaldson Y	Rollo Y
6/9	HARTHILL ROYAL	ESC 1	P			Tie	Awarded	to	Tayport
13/9	Montrose Rose	PL	L	0-2	Wilson	Docherty	Donaldson Y	Suttie Y	Thomson
20/9	DUNDEE NE	PL	W	3-1	Wilson	Docherty	Donaldson	Suttie Y	Thomson
27/9	Cruden Bay	SC1	D	2-2	Wilson	Docherty Y	Donaldson	Suttie Y Y R	Thomson
11/10	CRUDEN BAY	SC1R	W	2-0	Wilson	Docherty	Donaldson	Suttie	Thomson
18/10	Broughty	PL	W	1-0	Wilson	Tonner	Donaldson	Suttie	Thomson
25/10	BONNYRIGG	SC2	L	2-4	Wilson	Docherty	Tonner	Suttie Y	Thomson
01/11	ST ANDREWS UTD	PL	W	4-1	Wilson	Docherty Y	Thomson	Donaldson	Suttie
08/11	East Craigie	GA Pre	W	1-0	Wilson	Suttie	Thomson	Donaldson Y	Kay
15/11	Kinnoull	PL	W	6-0	Wilson	Docherty Y	Donaldson	Thomson	Kay
22/11	FORFAR WE	PL	W	3-2	Wilson	Docherty Y	Suttie Y	Thomson I	Kay
29/11	DOWNFIELD	GA 1	W	3*2	Wilson	Docherty Y	Thomson	Suttie Y	Kay
20/12	ARNISTON	PL	L	0-2	Wilson	Docherty Y	Thomson	Suttie	Kay Y
10/01	OAKLEY	PL	L	0-2	Wilson	Docherty Y	Robertson YR	Suttie R	Kay Y
14/02	Bathgate Thistle	PL	W	2-1	Wilson	Docherty	Thomson	Donaldson	Kay R
21/02	Culter FC	GA 3	W	4-1	Wilson	Rollo	Thomson	Donaldson	Kay
28/02	Dundee Violet	PL	W	2-1	Wilson	Rollo	Thomson	Donaldson	Kay Y
07/03	JEANFIELD	DJ 2	W	4-2	Wilson	Rollo	Thomson	Donaldson Y	Robertson
14/03	DUNDONALD	PL	W	1-0	Cargill	Rollo Y	Thomson	Donaldson	Kay I
21/03	Scone Thistle	GA Semi	W	2-1	Cargill	Rollo	Thomson Y	Donaldson Y	Kay
28/03	Dalkeith Thistle	PL	W	2-0	Cargill	Docherty Y	Thomson	Donaldson	Kay
04/04	JEANFIELD	PL	W	4-2	Cargill	Docherty	Thomson	Donaldson	Kay
11/4	Blairgowrie	GA Semi	W	6-1	Cargill Y	Docherty	Thomson	Donaldson	Kay
15/4	Forfar WE	PL	W	1-0	Cargill	Docherty	Thomson I	Donaldson Y	Kay
18/4	St Andrews	PL	W	4-1	Cargill Y	Docherty	Thomson	Donaldson	Kay Y I
22/4	GLENROTHES	PL	W	2-1	Cargill	Docherty	Thomson	Donaldson Y	Kay
25/4	BROUGHTY ATH	PL	L	0-1	Cargill	Docherty	Thomson	Donaldson	Kay
29/4	MONTROSE	PL	D	0-0	Cargill	Kane R	Thomson	Donaldson	Kay Y
02/05	Arniston Rangers	PL	L	3-4	Cargill	Docherty	Thomson	Donaldson	Kay
09/05	Edinburgh Utd	PL	L	2-3	Wilson	Docherty	Thomson	Donaldson Y	Kay
15/05	North End	GA Final	W	4-1	Wilson	Suttie Y	Thomson	Donaldson	Key
18/05	Jeanfield Swifts	PL	W	4-0	Wilson	Suttie I	Thomson	Donaldson	Kay Y
20/05	KINNOULL	PL	W	4-0	Wilson	Suttie	Thomson	Donaldson	Kay I
23/05	Oakley Utd	PL	W	2-1	Wilson	Docherty	Thomson	Donaldson	Kay I
27/05	North End	PL	W	4-1	Wilson	Suttie	Thomson	Donaldson	Kay
30/05	BATHGATE THIST	PL	L	0-1	Wilson	Suttie	Rollo Y	Donaldson	Kay

2014/2015

-----FINAL STATS 2014/15

6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Att
Connelly	Ramsay	Lawson I	Adam	Sutherland	Triallist	Elvin (11)	Grant (5)	Triallist R	136
Tonner	Rollo Y	Lawson R	Milne I	Sutherland Y	Elvin	Adam (2)	Grant (7)		140
Tonner Y	Rollo	Adam	Milne	Sutherland I Y	Elvin P Y	Ramsay (8) Y	Grant (12)		115
Robertson	Grant	Lawson	Milne	Sutherland I	Elvin	Ramsay (6)			145
Grant	Ramsay	Lawson	Milne I	Sutherland I Y	Elvin				96
Harthill	Could not	Field a	Team						
Elvin YR	Lawson	Ramsay Y	Milne	Sutherland	Robertson	Rollo (2)			89
Elvin	Rollo	Ramsay	Milne I	Sutherland	Lawson 2	Connelly(6)			129
Robertson Y	Rollo Y	Ramsay	Milne Y I	Sutherland	Lawson	Connelly (2)			58
Ramsay	Rollo	Tulleth	Elvin	Sutherland I	Lawson I	Connelly(6)	McCabe(7)		144
Ramsay Y	Connelly	Tulleth	Elvin	Sutherland	Lawson	Milne I (7)	Rollo (6)		110
Elvin	Rollo Y	Tulleth	Milne Y I	Sutherland	Lawson I	Grant Y(6)	Adam (9)	McCabe (3)	191
Rollo Y	Tulleth3	Lawson Y	Connelly Y	Sutherland I	Milne Y	Donaldson (5)	Ramsay (11)	Adam(7)	161
Rollo Y	Tulleth	Lawson	Connelly Y	Sutherland I	Milne Y	Ramsay (9)	Adam (6)		112
Rollo Y	Tulleth	Lawson 3	Milne 3	Ramsay	Suttie	Connelly (11)	McCabe (5)	Sutherland (10)	84
Rollo	Tulleth Y	Lawson Y	Milne R I	Sutherland	Ramsay Y	Elvin (6)	McCabe (7)	Connelly (11)	134
Elvin	Lawson I	Tulleth	Milne I	Sutherland I	Connelly	Donaldson (4)	Ramsay (11)	Rollo (7)	120
Donaldson	Tulleth Y	Lawson	Adam	Sutherland	Elvin	Robertson (9)	Rollo (2)		109
Rollo	Tulleth Y	Lawson	Adam	Sutherland	Elvin	Donaldson (6)	McCabe (9)		123
Elvin	Tulleth	Lawson I	Robertson	Sutherland I	Ramsay	Kane (7)			100
Elvin	Tulleth	Lawson 2 Y	Milne I R	Sutherland I	Ramsay	Suttie (11)	Adam (8)	Robertson (7)	141
Elvin	Tulleth	Lawson I	Milne Y I	Kane R	Ramsay	Suttie (11)			108
Elvin	Suttie	Lawson	Milne	Sutherland	Ramsay Y	Connelly (11)	Adam (10)	McCabe (9)	127
Elvin Y	Tulleth	Lawson	Milne	Sutherland R	Ramsay	Adam (8)			140
Suttie	Tulleth Y	Lawson Y	Milne Y 2	Robertson	Ramsay				77
Suttie R	Tulleth I	Lawson	McDowell I	Rollo	Elvin	Adam (9)			101
Rollo	Tulleth I	Lawson I	Milne I	McDowell	Elvin	Robertson(7)	Sutherland I (10)		125
Elvin I p	Tulleth	Robertson	Milne 3	Rollo Y I	Sutherland I	Wilson (1)	Connelly (2)	Adam (8)	142
Elvin	Tulleth	Lawson	Milne	Rollo Y	Sutherland Y	Suttie (10)			165
Elvin I p	Tulleth	Lawson	Milne 2	Rollo Y	Suttie	Sutherland(11),	Suttie (7)	Robertson (10)	275
Elvin	Tulleth	Lawson	Milne 2	Rollo Y	Suttie	McDowell (11),	Robertson Y(9)		134
Ramsay	Tulleth	Lawson	Milne	Rollo	Sutherland	McDowell(11)	Robertson(7)		135
Elvin	Tulleth	Lawson	Milne	Rollo	Sutherland	McDowell(11)	Suttie (7)		124
Elvin Y	Tulleth 2	Lawson I	Milne Y	Suttie Y	McDowell	Sutherland(11)	Robertson(9)		80
Elvin	Tulleth I	Lawson	Milne Y	Suttie	Sutherland I				56
Robertson I	Tulleth I	Lawson I	Elvin	Rollo	Sutherland I	Milne (6)	Docherty (7)	Connelly (11)	546
Robertson	Tulleth	Lawson I	Elvin I	Rollo	Sutherland I	Milne (6)	Docherty (7)	Connelly (11)	140
Robertson	Tulleth	Lawson I	Elvin I	Rollo	Milne	Sutherland(6) I	Docherty(10)	Connelly (2)	116
Elvin Y	Tulleth	Lawson I	Milne	Rollo	Sutherland	Suttie (10)	Robertson(2)	Connelly(7)	129
Elvin	Tulleth	Lawson	Milne	Connelly I	Robertson	McDowell (7)	Sutherland (11)	Adam (8)	142
Elvin Y	Tulleth	Lawson	Milne	Connelly	Sutherland	Thomson (9)	McDowell (7)		167

Dunmore Reports.....

Well, the 2015/16 Super League season is underway and Tayport came within a whisker of making a winning start at Prestonfield, only for hosts Linlithgow Rose to snatch a draw, courtesy of a stoppage-time equaliser.

'Port had made an ideal start, with Scott Finlay marking his debut with the opening goal after only three minutes. Tayport were awarded a free kick wide on the left and Finlay delivered low into the box, with the ball taking a deflection on its way into the net.

Lithgae should have levelled just before the break, but Ruaridh McLennan missed the target from a good position. In the second half, Gavin Wilson saved from Tommy Coyne, Kevin Kelbie and Andy Shirra, while 'Port had a couple of half-chances at the other end. Just when it looked as though Dave Baikie's men were on the verge of victory, four minutes into added time, Coyne crossed from the left and substitute Mark Tyrell planted his header past Wilson, to leave Tayport frustrated.

There were plenty of positives for the Canniepairt outfit, who competed well against one of the region's leading clubs, on their return to the top flight. Scott Finlay, Jonny McRae and Gregor Anderson all made their competitive debuts and look like being great additions to the squad.

The pre-season programme obviously played a part in readying 'Port for the challenges which lie ahead. Results, however, were mixed. There was a 5-2 win against Kettle United amateurs, followed by a 3-0 defeat against a young Dundee side, in which 'Port did play well. Next up was the mini-tour to the north of England and two games within 24 hours. A 3-0 Friday evening reversal against Bishop Auckland preceded a 2-1 win at Willington FC on the Saturday afternoon. Closer to home, Tayport drew 1-1 with East Craigie, then lost 2-1 to Scone Thistle on the Canniepairt.

It's serious action this evening though, as 'Port look to build on the point gained at Linlithgow by recording another positive result against Fife neighbours St. Andrews in what is sure to be a keenly contested derby.

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Sniffing About with the Snout



Tonight's scheduled assistant referee Kelly Kyle is something of a celebrity these days! Appearing before a couple of hundred here at the Canniepairt will be small beer after her appearance on stage before several thousands at the recent Glamis Prom where she shared the stage with such luminaries as Elaine Paige and Susan Boyle. Not that there were actually all on stage at exactly the same time but Kelly was part of the warm up along with singer Norman Bowman.

St Andrews United's Recreation Park, locally known as the Rec, has just had its third name change in little over a year. From Recreation Park to The Parkk and now it's to be known as Barnett's Park following its most recent rebranding. Tam and Paul are understandably well chuffed but can't understand why Saints wanted to use their name!

Bets are being taken on what's going to happen first. Will the broken screen in the bus shelter in Queen Street, ironically directly outside the Council office, be repaired, will the wrecked traffic islands on the Fife approach to the Tay Bridge be renewed or will we land a man on Mars? Our guess is a man on Mars!

Two former Tayport players who have stepped up a level in the game are currently capturing the headlines.

Mark Whatley has been appointed Arbroath FC's captain for this season while striker Simon Murray netted his first Scottish Premiership goal for Dundee United at the weekend since his £50,000 move from Arbroath to Tannadice. Both are former Young Players of the Year at the Canniepairt and, speaking of Young Players of the Year, Tayport's most recent recruit, Gregor Anderson, was last season's Young Player of the Year at Dalbeattie Star. Dalbeattie's manager Darren Kerr, quoted last week in the national press said 'Gregor is a massive loss for us as he was Young Player of the Year last season and he is getting better with every game'

FROM THE ARCHIVES

65 YEARS AGO

* Taybank in Albert Street was sold for £1,600

* The 30 foot yacht 'Oregon'. Left Tayport harbour on September 12th 1950 to sail the Atlantic and by 29th September had reached Vigo in Spain. On board were 23 year old William Sturrock of Myrtlebank, Newport with the boat's owner John P. Noble an American.

[did it ever reach the new world?]

62 YEARS AGO

* "This is another stage in the library development of the county" said Bailie Allan, Dunfermline when he opened Tayport's new library in the former Burgh Chambers in Reform Street on 20th August 1953. The new library had 3,000 books and replaced the previous library which had been in the school since 1926.

[The current library, battling hard to remain open, is still housed in a former Burgh Chambers, but in Queen Street.]

* On 9th June 1953 Tayport Town Council agreed to take over the whole assets and instruments of Tayport Instrumental Band.

[One can only assume that the Town Band had folded at that time but happily it was resurrected some years later and continues to flourish]

FROM THE PHOTO ARCHIVES 1990/91

TAYPORT FC's first ever Junior trophy

This pic from May 1991 shows Tayport FC office bearers Chas Anderson



(match secretary), Abby Oswald (secretary), and Ron Redpath (treasurer) with the Perthshire Advertiser Cup following Tayport's win over Jeanfield Swifts at McDiarmid Park. The pic was taken after the match in the Tayport Arms (aka Pondy) lounge, which inci-

dentally has just been refurbished and is looking pretty smart. Note the posters for car boot sale and Scorepool. 25 years on and some things never change!

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