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versus
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Town



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Welcome to Bootle Football Club



The original Bootle F.C. were formed in 1880 and played at Hawthorne Road. In 1889-90 Bootle became founder members of the Football Alliance. That season was the most successful as we finished league runners-up, reached the quarter-finals of the FA Cup,

where we lost to Blackburn Rovers (0-7). When the Alliance merged with the Football League in 1892, Bootle became founder members of the new Second Division. However, despite a respectable 8th place final position, the club dropped out after one season (and were replaced by neighbours Liverpool) and seemingly disappeared due to financial problems. Football returned to Hawthorne Road when a new club, Bootle Athletic, was later formed with the new team initially playing in the Liverpool Leagues. In 1948 when the club were elected to the Lancashire Combination 2, which was won at the first attempt. However, Bootle struggled in the top-flight and after several tough seasons withdrew and folded during the 1953-54 campaign.

In 1953, the current club was formed as Langton and played in the local leagues. After a very successful spell in the Liverpool County Combination (which we won on numerous occasions) the club reverted back to it's



It's better known identity of Bootle F.C. in 1973; and a year later joined the Lancashire Combination, which we won in 1976 and 1977. Bootle then joined the Second Division of the Cheshire County League, which was won in our first season, and we were promoted to the First Division. In 1982 the Cheshire County League was one of the leagues that merged to form the North West Counties League, which Bootle duly joined, becoming a member of the First Division. The club spent most of their time in the First Division until 2000 when we unfortunately dropped into the Second Division. However, despite finishing 6th in 2002, the club dropped into the Liverpool County Combination. In 2006 the club, with a new ground, were elected back into Division 2 of the North West Counties League. In 2009 Bootle won promotion to the NWCL Premier Division and also won the Championship. In 2009/10, our first season back in the Vodkat Premier League Bootle finished a NWCL highest placing of 3rd. In 2010/11 despite a shaky start Bootle finished a respectable 6th place.

With the club continuing to grow off the field, all eyes are on what can be produced on the field this season, with the NWCL Premier Division a firm goal in what could be another success for this fast growing club looking to progress again.



Up the Bucks!

Honours

Liverpool Challenge Cup
1964-65, 1975-76,
1978-79

Liverpool Amateur Cup
1965-66, 1967-68,
1973-74

*Liverpool County
FA Youth Cup*
1977-78, 1984-85, 1990-91,
1999-00, 2005-06

Lancashire Amateur Cup
1970

*Liverpool County
Combination Champions*
1964-65, 1965-66, 1967-68,
1968-69, 1969-70, 1970-71,
1971-72, 1972-73, 1973-74

*Lancashire County
Combination Champions*
1975-76, 1976-77

*Cheshire County League
Div Two Champions*
1978-79

*North West Counties League
Div Two Runners-up*
1992-93

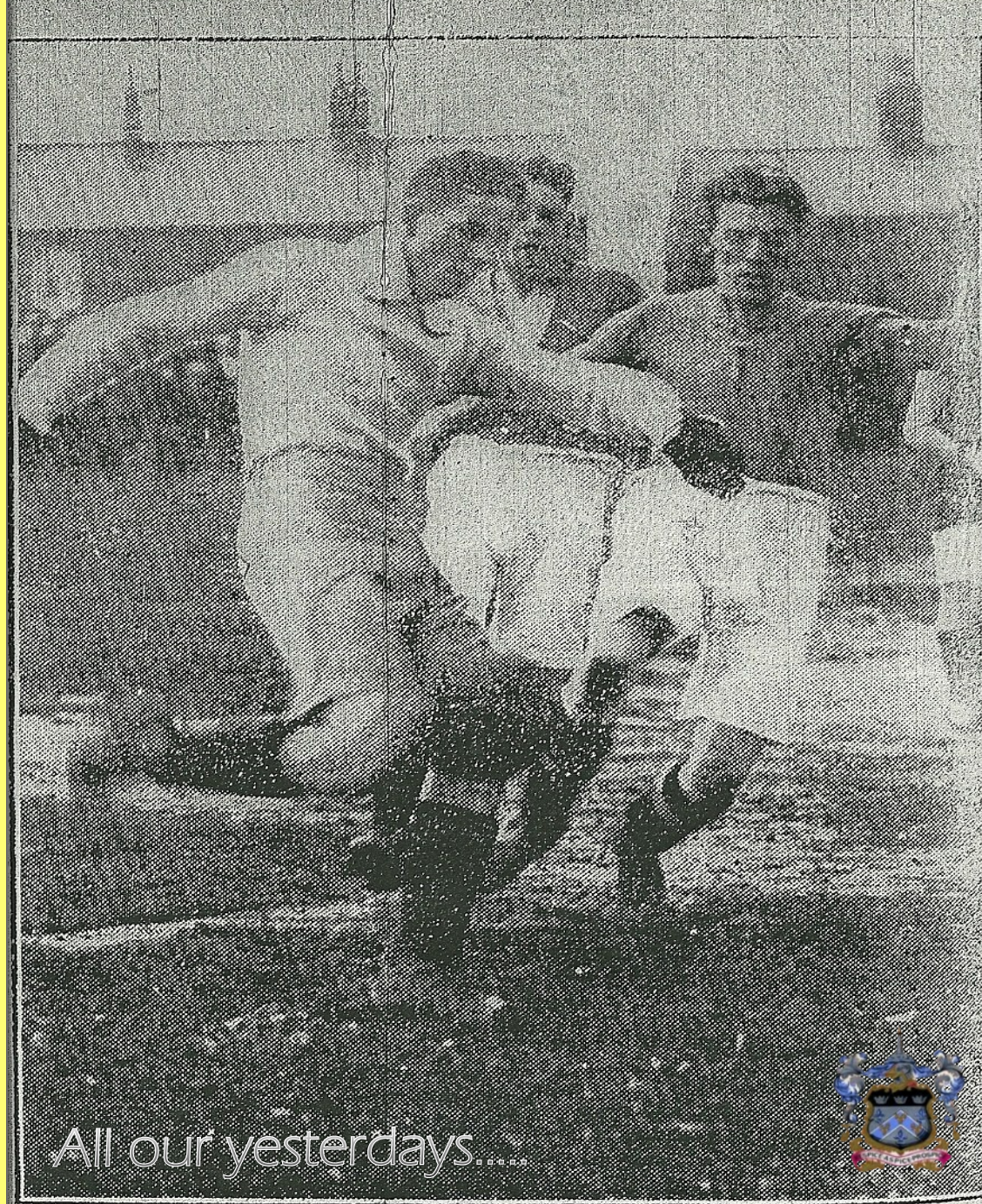
*Tennants Floodlit Trophy
Winners*
1993-94

Vodkat League Challenge Cup
Runners-up
2007-08

*Vodkat League
Reserve Division Winners*
2007-08, 2009-10

Runners-up
2008-09
*Vodkat League First Division
Champions*
2008-09

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All our yesterdays.....



P. Stevens, Bootle Celtic goalkeeper, clears during a dangerous attack by Skelmersdale United, in the match at Skelmersdale.

Kickabout

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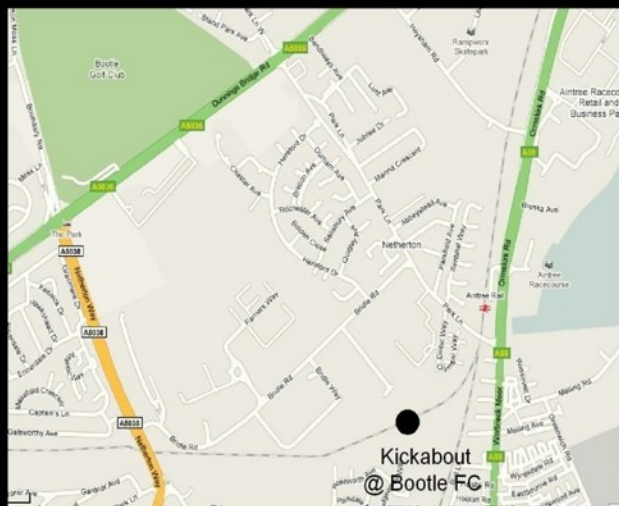


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*Original Club folded in 1893

Today's Teams



BOOTLE

manager: Chris O'Brien



BARLICK

managers B. Hall/ S Airdrie

Mark MAWDSLEY

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Bootle, Litherland & Netherton Junior Football League News

Bootle JFL Reports 02.10.11

Under 7's: Northfield Yellow – Jack Bretherton 3, Harry Shelley 2, Lewis Joyce beat SMS 4-2. Netherton Rangers – Finn Cain 2, Sam Coughlin 2, Bobby Connolly, Harley Walters, Thomas Corke, James Flight beat Parkfield 9-0. Netherton Athletic beat SMS 6-0. Upton Lions – Thomas Preston 2, Charlie Callaghan, Dillon Rogers Ewan Rogers beat Leo Rangers 5-1. Croxteth Park Red – Finlay Moore 2, Michael Laffey 2, Josh Miles beat Holy rosary Hurricanes 5-2.. *Bootle Bucks – mom Liam Rooney 2, Ryan Beesley, Tom Colligan beat Bootle Juniors 4-2.* Belfry Yth - Liam Rice 2, mom Charlie Corker beat Northfield 2-1.

Under 8's: Parkfield – Joe Nuttall 2, Rob Harrison, mom Sean Grace beat Netherton Rangers 3-1. Netherton Park – mom Ethan Highton 2, James Carey 2, Gerard Mooney, Matthew Carey, Joel Smith beat Belfry Yth 7-1. *Bootle Bucks – Joshua Dobson 2, Shaun Miller, Jack Reardon, mom Adam Blanchflower beat Netherton Athletic 4-2.* Netherton Phoenix – Jack Wiltwell 2 beat Belfry Yth 2-1. Netherton Foxes – Zac Hayes, Luke McGuinness, mom Joe Cruickshank beat Belfry 2-0. Croxteth Park Red – mom Ethan Ennis drew 1-1 with Club Sports – Lewis Keating.. Marine Yth – Adam Caddick, mom Matthew Rotherford beat Frameline 1-0. *Croxteth Park Stripes - Jack Doyle, Liam Blundell, Daniel Mulhall, mom Patrick Donnolly beat Bootle Juniors 3-0.* Leo Rangers – mom Clayton Au-Chendo 2, Josh Lambrenos beat Marine Colts 3-1.

Under 9's: Long Lane – Craig Stewart drew 1-1 with Northfield Yellow – Max Robb. Croxteth Park – Joe Gardiner 2, James Murphy, Mathew Mallon, Bradley Kelly, mom Ethan Jones beat Netherton Rangers 5-0. *Parkfield – Billy Bradshaw, Jamie McDonald, mom Finlay Spence beat Bootle Juniors 2-1.* Kenbury Boys beat Stagecoach 9-1. *Sonecraft – mom Keith Dickinson beat Bootle Bucks 1-0.* Netherton Foxes – Declan Chaderton, mom Harvey Wood beat Northfield Black 1-0.

Under 10's: Parkfield – Tom Cannon 2, Joel; brooks, Joe Doran, Michael Bailey, mom Team beat Marine Yth 5-2. Kingfield Park – Liam Etherington 5, Anthony McDonald 2, Luke Whitehead beat Real Parkfield 8-3. Northfield – mom Levi Adebisi 3, James Crowley 3, Sam Peacock, Adam Cato, John-Paul Lynch beat Netherton Pumas 9-1. Belfry beat Whites Security – Liam W 2, Dylan Hytons and mom Joe Bird 5-4. Leon FC –Elliot Clark 4, Owen Donnolly 3, Harry White, Shay Merideth, mom Team beat Brunswick Boys 9-0.

Under 11's: St Phillips – mom James France, Mark Braniiff, Elliot Hill beat Adlam Park Lions 3-2. *Bootle Juniors – Atipa Kadzit-Range 2, Michael Dixon beat Frameline 3-1.* Kirkby Town – John Swift 3, George Pomford, Sam O'Halleron, Harry Carter, Lewis Breen beat Rimrose Valley Tigers 7-2. Town Green Pumas – Ben Pearce 2, Harry Hodson 2, Joe Gregory 2, Louie Carrigan, mom Daniel Taylor beat Parkfield 6-1. Town Green Jags – Nicholas Kay 4, Ben McCulloch, Alex Moffitt, Freddie Ralph beat Indanet 7-0. Netherton Rhinos – Connor Seddon 2, Jordan Irams beat Whites Security 2-0. Wilko – mom Ronin Hampson, Cameron Ramsay, Liam Parry drew 3-3 with Netherton Boys – Ben Wilkinson 2, Gerard Windle.

Under 15's: Crosby Stuart JFC – J Hulme 3, L Culshaw, Ant Kelly, mom A Ashcroft beat AC Reds 5-1. Manor Park – mom Tom Rogers 3, Luke C 3, Robby Gearlag 2, Joel Woods, mom Tom Rogers beat Eden Vale 9-3. Northfield – Connor Holland beat Orry's 1-0. Woolton Charisma beat Deans 2-1. Woolton Panthers - Paul Jewell (pen), Jack Bryant beat Woolton Rangers 2-1. W Riverside lost 7-0 to W.Tigers. Warner Lions drew 1-1 with Green Lane Juniors.

Neil MCQUEEN



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the gaffer

Chris O'Brien



May we offer a warm welcome to Barnoldswick Town from everyone here at the Delta Taxis Stadium.

'Barlick' are a team who's results we have watched closely, especially in recent weeks as our own form as improved in the league and indeed, if results had been different on Tuesday night it could well have been 1st v 2nd today. 'Barlick' were beaten in midweek by Ramsbottom but make no mistake we are in for a tough game- but so are they. This has all the ingredients for a cracking game of football.

I was a little disappointed with our own result on Tuesday night, and Congleton were visibly delighted to come here and come away with a draw. That's five draws at home in the league now when really we should be putting teams to the sword. For instance Congleton on Tuesday should have been out of sight after thirty minutes. We never took the chances we had and unfortunately they got back into the game.

This week, I'm looking forward to us staying positive - we are after all unbeaten now in four in the league, and sit 3rd with it all to play for. We are working hard, all together as a club to drive forward and as I said in

my notes on Tuesday, if we can get to top spot, we will be hard to budge.

The attitude of the lads has been top class. Even those who have not been involved as much as they would like. Its good that everyone understands the importance of a squad, as strong squad to get what we all are striving to achieve.

Hopefully today will get us that little bit closer.

Enjoy the game

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As at 5th October 2011



Tuesday 8th October 2011
Premier Division

Alsager Town P-P Padiham
Atherton LR v Winsford United
Bacup Borough v Ashton Ath
Bootle v Barnoldswick Town
Colne v Congleton Town
Flixton v Stone Dominoes
Maine Road v Ramsbottom
Runcorn Linnets v AFC
Blackpool
Silsden v Runcorn Town
Squires Gate v AFC Liverpool
St Helens Town v Glossop NE

First Division

AFC Darwen v Formby
Atherton Collieries v Rochdale Twn
Cheadle Town v Ashton Town
Daisy Hill v Northwich Villa
Irlam v Nelson
Oldham Boro v Holker Old Boys
Wigan Robin Park v Chadderton

Staffordshire F.A. Vase

First Round
Eccleshall v Newcastle Town
Norton United v Kidsgrove Athletic
Wolverhampton Casuals v Leek
CSOB

Premier Division	P	GD	Pts
1. Flixton	14	7	25
2. Winsford United	14	11	24
3. Runcorn Town	12	15	23
4. Bootle	13	9	23
5. AFC Blackpool	12	7	23
6. Glossop NE	11	15	22
7. Barnoldswick	10	10	22
8. Ramsbottom Utd	11	8	21
9. Alsager Town	13	4	20
10. Bacup Borough	13	-1	20
11. Ashton Athletic	11	2	17
12. Padiham	15	-7	17
13. Colne	11	2	15
14. Congleton Town	12	-9	14
15. Maine Road	10	0	13
16. Silsden	9	-2	12
17. St Helens Town	14	-15	12
18. Runcorn Linnets	6	-1	11
19. Atherton LR	11	-18	9
20. Squires Gate	8	-2	6
21. Stone Dominoes	12	-21	5
22. AFC Liverpool	10	-14	1

Kick off times are 3pm Sat, 7.45pm
midweek unless stated otherwise

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news from the official website of the Northwest Counties Football League

Athletic Youngsters Sink The Cod Army

Ashton Athletic's Under 18s team marched impressively into the 3rd Round of the FA Youth Cup with a terrific 3-0 win at Fleetwood Town on Monday night.

Three goals inside the opening 27 minutes sealed victory for the Athletic youngsters, who can now look forward to a trip away to either Sheffield FC or Bottsford Town in the next round of the competition on Monday 17th October.

An own goal in the 7th minute gave the Ashton lads an ideal start, and the second goal arrived soon afterwards when Michael Crompton set up Heath Ainscow for a cool finish. Ainscow completed the scoring when he delivered another confident finish after collecting a terrific through ball from Martin Jackson.

Manager Tony McKenna again masterminded a fantastic victory for the Athletic youngsters and had nothing but praise for his young side. Ashton Athletic's first team manager Steve Wilkes watched the game and went into the dressing room afterwards to congratulate the team.

Steve said: "I have been in and around pro football for 27 years, and managed in non-league football since 1997, and I have never been as proud as I was on Monday night to be associated with a team. "Each and every one of them was outstanding, and they were a credit to themselves and the club".

Charity Match At Ramsbottom United

This coming Sunday 9th October, stars of stage and screen will be on show at the Harry Williams Riverside Stadium, when Ramsbottom United host a Charity match. Celebrities from Hollyoaks, Shameless and Coronation Street will be playing in the game, which is being staged in aid of a trust fund for baby Alfie Constable. Alfie's mother, local girl Hayley, died following complications after the birth in March.

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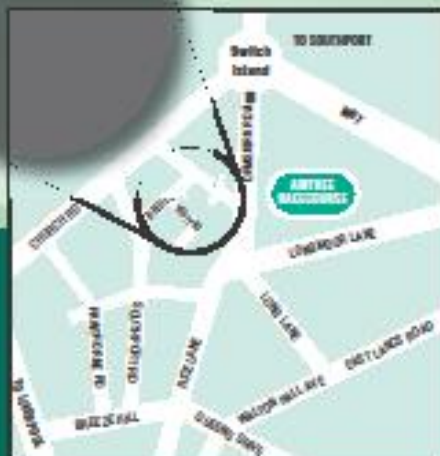
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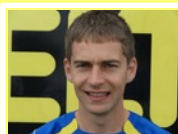
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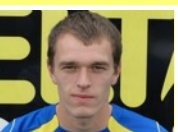
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Under 12's
Team Needed

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Tony Smith
Bootle, Litherland &
Netherton Junior League

Under 10's
Louise Archbold
Scotland Road Junior League

Under 9's
Darren Carr
Bootle, Litherland &
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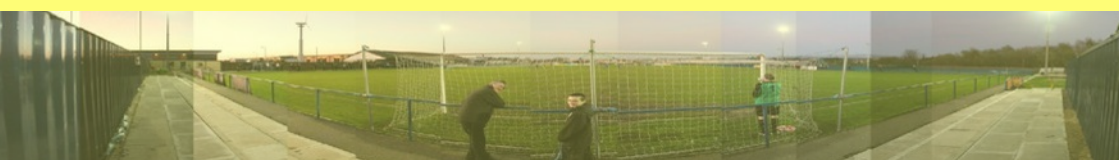


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Welcome...



Barnoldswick Town

WHO?

Our Visitors today: Barnoldswick Town.

WHERE?

'Barlick' is a town in the West Craven area of the borough of Pendle in Lancashire, just outside the Yorkshire Dales National Park. The Town is approximately 30 miles from Leeds, Manchester and Preston.

WHEN?

The History of our guests:

Formed in 1972 and named Barnoldswick United (1972), - so called due to being canny Yorkshiremen - had there had been a previous club named Barnoldswick United and they had outstanding debts the new club would have been liable for them. The field started out as a grazing meadow for cattle, after a lot of hard work, it is now the pitch we play on. The club had 2 teams playing in the Craven & District Football League in the early 1990's we joined the East Lancashire Football League again with 2 teams. The 2003/2004 season brought the amalgamation of Barnoldswick

United (1972), Barnoldswick Park Rovers and Salterforth Juniors and we changed our name to Barnoldswick Town Football Club. We then ran 3 senior teams. In the late 1990's our 1st and 2nd teams joined The West Lancashire Football League, our 3rds staying in The East Lancashire Football League.

It has always been in the club's constitution to get our ground up to the minimum standards of The North West Counties Football League and the 2009/2010 season has seen us accepted into The North West Counties Football League, for our 1st and 2nd teams.

We started last season 2009/10 with 3 managers and they took a lot of stick especially from Radio Lancashire that 3 managers cannot possibly run a successful football team. Well they proved them all wrong by finishing Runners up in the league and finalists in the prestigious West Riding County Cup beating Guiseley who won promotion to the Conference

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North along the way. It was an interesting season as we only expected to hold our own and try to make sure we didn't end up at the bottom of the league, so once again we are looking forward to avoid relegation in the first instance and take it from there.

Following on from our success in the 2009/10 season we went from just looking to avoid relegation in the Premier Division 2010/11 to astound ourselves by finishing a creditable 7th in the league, only suspensions and injuries we feel robbed us of a top three spot.

This season sees us once again with the main aim not to get relegated, but as we have only lost one of the players from last season's squad and gained three quality players realistically we hope for a top ten finish again.

WHAT?

Honours

Previous Leagues:
Craven League
East Lancashire League
West Lancashire League

Honours:

West Lancashire League Div 1 Champions 1998/99
West Lancashire League Div 2 Runners-up 1997/98
Richardson Cup Runners-up 2001/02
Craven & District Association Craven Cup Winners 1988, 1994, 1998, 2011
Craven & District Association Morrison Cup Winners 1986, 1995, 1997
NWCFL First Division Runners-up 2009/10
West Riding County Cup Finalists 2009/10

HOW?

Barnoldswick or 'Barlick' as they are also known are flying high in the northwest Counties Premier Division and will be there, or thereabouts when the season is over around the top 5 of the Division.

Spotlight on.....

Paul Fildes

Fildes is one the most feared hitmen in NWC. It is true he has more club tracksuits than JJB Sports but showed a real desire to come to Town enabling a deal to be done for him to lead The Town attack. A real quality player, a smashing lad and a ruthless finisher. His record is second to none and that is sure to be the case at Town.



Tales From The Northwest Counties

By Tony Onslow



Looking out from the top of Shear Brow, the Hole in the Wall tavern looks like any normal public house in Blackburn. However, this unpretentious location was, in 1883, the scene of a wild celebration never before witnessed in the North of England. The building was once the headquarters of the first football team, from the Red Rose County, to bring home the F. A. Cup from London. Their name was Blackburn Olympic.

The club was formed around 1878 and immediately started to play their matches behind the Hole in the Wall tavern. However, they had strong rivals in Blackburn Rovers who, in 1882, had become the first team from the North, to reach the final of the F.A. Cup. Nevertheless, the Old Etonians had beaten them by 1 goal to nil. Sydney Yeats, who owned a local foundry, had noted the publicity generated by the occasion and decided to throw his financial muscle behind Blackburn Olympic. Jack Hunter, an English International, was brought over from Sheffield and made Landlord of a public house in Blackburn. The ground at Hole in the Wall was greatly improved and several new players joined the Olympians in readiness for the forthcoming F. A. Cup campaign. Jack Hunter took on the role of player/coach and drilled the team for action. The Olympians easily won their way through the regional rounds while Darwen had eliminated their neighbours, Blackburn Rovers. They then beat the Welsh Druids to set up a semi-final tie with the Old Carthusians. The game, played in Manchester, was won by the Blackburn side by 4 goals to 0. They would now play the Old Etonians in the F.A. Cup final. The Olympic team then spent the following week taking in the sea air at Blackpool before returning to Blackburn from where, accompanied by around 300 of their supporters, they caught the train to London. The final took place on the Kennington Oval Cricket Ground in front of a crowd of about 3,000 people many of who were well-appointed Gentlemen. The match began well for the Collegians who took a first half lead with a goal from Chester Goodheart. They then lost the services of Arthur Dunn shortly after an equalising goal, scored by Arthur Matthews, had taken the game in to extra time. The Etonians, during the extension of play, struggled to contain their opponents and a goal from Jimmy Costley (who had been born in Liverpool) eventually won the game for Blackburn Olympic. Sydney Yeats, who was unable to travel, was not present when the trophy was awarded to the winning captain Sam Warburton. He was however, waiting on the platform when the Olympic team arrived back at Blackburn Railway Station. The whole town had turned out to greet their hero's and the streets were thronged with people. The players then took their place on a horse drawn carriage that was bedecked in the clubs pale blue colours and, accompanied by three brass bands; they made a triumphant tour of the town. The parade finished at Jack Hunters public house where the celebrations continued well in to the night. Blackburn Olympic, next season, reached the F.A. Cup semi-final tie but were beaten, under farcical conditions, by Queens Park (Glasgow) at the Trent Bridge Cricket Ground in Nottingham. Their defeat left the way open for their neighbours Blackburn Rovers who then went on to win the trophy for three years in succession. Their success rate proved too much for the men from Hole in the Wall who slowly began their decline and, in 1888, they vanished in to the pages of history. Nevertheless, the name of Blackburn Olympic will live on forever in the annals of the F.A. Cup

Kevin BLACK



Bootle FC Season 2011/12

120 Years ago this week

By The Adopted Son

Bootle made two changes to side that had lost 4-0 at Newton Heath when they faced Crewe Alexandra, in the Football Alliance, on the 26th of September. There were around 2,000 people at Hawthorne Road to see the Railwaymen set the game in motion. The game that followed was an "exciting affair" with the play switching from end to end. The visitors had twice come from behind and, with five minutes left to play, the score was standing at 3-3. The home side, however, made one last rally that resulted in Andy Montgomery scoring the goal that gave Bootle their first Alliance victory of the current season.

There was no Alliance fixture scheduled for the following Saturday so the Bootle club arranged a friendly game with Heywood Central, an amateur side who played in the Lancashire League. Present in their team was Tam Veith a former favourite with the fans at Hawthorne Road. Signed from Dumbarton in 1885 he had proved to be a popular right back and, eventually, became the Bootle captain in 1887. He had now taken up residence, with his family, in Gloucester Road and gained employment, as a shipwright, on the Liverpool Docks. Tam played well over 100 games for Bootle but had now decided to end his playing days in the Lancashire League. Here was greeted by loud cheers when he appeared on the field at Hawthorne Road. Bootle won an uneventful game by 2 goals to 0 and then spent the rest of the week planning for a long and arduous journey, on the 10th of October, to compete in their next Alliance fixture at Grimsby.

The Bootle party left Liverpool Central Station around Friday lunchtime aboard a special saloon carriage that had been supplied by the Cheshire Lines Railway Company. The first stop was Sheffield where their carriage was slipped and attached to train that was bound for Doncaster. Once there the Bootle party ate in the Refreshment Room while their carriage was again slipped and shunted on to the Eastern Railway system where it was attached to a train that was bound for Grimsby. They arrived at their destination around mid-night and settled down for the night at their hotel.

Heavy rain, accompanied by a strong wind, greeted the visitors when they stepped out to face Grimsby Town on what was then their home on Abbey Park. The dreadful conditions made the location look anything but inviting with the small crowd, around 500 in number, making the most of what shelter they could find. Bootle, fatigued by their journey, looked "all at sea" against a home side that was well led by their star player, Haines. The big centre forward helped himself to three of the four goals that were scored Grimsby while a lone strike from Rob Jamieson, was all the visitors could offer in return. The Bootle party left Grimsby straight after the game and arrived home in the early hours of Sunday morning.

What was the year?

Action from the Bootle J.O.C Cup Final between Albion and Merton. Albion running out Winners 2-1, but what was the year?



BOOTLE J.O.C. CUP FINAL. Albion beat Merton, 2-1. Evans, Merton, heading clear, with Lewis, Merton, supporting him.

One of the biggest under 21 leagues in the world was the Bootle J.O.C. League. The main pitches were based on where Santander (the Girobank site) stands today.

NOTICE FROM THE COMMITTEE RE: MARINE GAME RESCHEDULED:

The marine game that was abandoned on Tuesday 20th September will be replayed on Tuesday 18th October. **If you produce your ticket given on the gate at the Marine Fixture on 20/09/11 you will gain free entry.** Unfortunately, due to costs this will be the only way by means of entry unless payment is made on the turnstile.

ADULTS £4

CONCESSIONS £2

Under 16 free with every paying adult

NWCFL	STONE DOMINOES	06/08/11	H	0-0	MORAN	KILROY	O'BRIEN	MCQUEEN	COULTON	BLACK	MILEY	HAY	THOMPSON	MORGAN	YOUNG	MCDOWELL J	MCDOWELL R	RUSHTON	CARBERRY	KING																													
NWCFL	FLIXTON	09/08/11	H	3-1	MORAN	MILEY	O'BRIEN	MCQUEEN	COULTON	BLACK	O'CONNOR	HAY	THOMPSON	FOLEY	YOUNG	MORGAN	KILROY	CARBERRY	MCDOWELL R	WILKINSON																													
NWCFL	ATHERTON LR	13/08/11	A	3-1	MORAN	MILEY	DALE	MCQUEEN	COULTON	BLACK	O'CONNOR	HAY	THOMPSON	FOLEY	YOUNG	KILROY	RUSHTON	CARBERRY	MCDOWELL R	WILKINSON																													
NWCFL	RUNCORN LINNETS	16/08/11	H	1-1	MORAN	MILEY	O'BRIEN	MCQUEEN	COULTON	BLACK	O'CONNOR	HAY	FOLEY	THOMPSON	YOUNG	CARBERRY	MAWDSLEY	KILROY	MCDOWELL R	RUSHTON																													
FAC	WIGAN RP	20/08/11	H	2-0	MORAN	MILEY	O'BRIEN	MCQUEEN	CARBERRY	BLACK	KILROY	HAY	MCDOWELL R	FOLEY	RUSHTON	O'CONNOR	DALE	THOMPSON	YOUNG	COULTON																													
NWCFL	ALSAGER TOWN	23/08/11	H	2-2	MORAN	MILEY	O'BRIEN	CARBERRY	COULTON	BLACK	O'CONNOR	HAY	THOMPSON	FOLEY	YOUNG	MCDOWELL R	MAWDSLEY	RUSHTON	DALE	KING																													
NWCFL	AFC BLACKPOOL	27/08/11	A	0-1	MORAN	COULTON	O'BRIEN	MCQUEEN	MILEY	BLACK	O'CONNOR	KILROY	THOMPSON	FOLEY	YOUNG	RUSHTON	MAWDSLEY	CARBERRY	DALE	PRINCE																													
NWCFL	ST HELENS TOWN	30/08/11	A	2-1	MORAN	CARBERRY	O'BRIEN	MCQUEEN	COULTON	BLACK	DALE	HAY	RUSHTON	WILKINSON	YOUNG	FOLEY	MCDOWELL R	O'CONNOR	KILROY	PRINCE																													
FAC	WOODLEY SPORTS	03/09/11	A	1-3	MORAN	CARBERRY	O'BRIEN	MCQUEEN	COULTON	BLACK	MILEY	HAY	YOUNG	FOLEY	WILKINSON	O'CONNOR	PRINCE	KILROY	RUSHTON	MCDOWELL																													
NWCFL	MAINE ROAD	10/09/11	H	3-1	MORAN	KILROY	O'BRIEN	MCQUEEN	COULTON	RUSHTON	O'CONNOR	HAY	MCDOWELL R	PRINCE	YOUNG	FOLEY	MAWDSLEY	THOMPSON	WILKINSON	ROBINSON																													
NWCFL	ASHTON ATHLETIC	13/09/11	A	0-1	MORAN	KILROY	O'BRIEN	MCQUEEN	COULTON	WILKINSON	PRINCE	HAY	O'CONNOR	MCDOWELL R	YOUNG	FOLEY	MILEY	THOMPSON	RUSHTON	ROBINSON																													
NWCFL	WINSFORD UNITED	17/09/11	H	1-1	MORAN	MILEY	O'BRIEN	MCQUEEN	COULTON	BLACK	PRINCE	HAY	O'CONNOR	WILKINSON	YOUNG	KILROY	ROBINSON	FOLEY	MCDOWELL R	THOMPSON																													
FAVASE	RUNCORN LINNETS	24/09/11	A	0-2	MORAN	MCQUEEN	O'BRIEN	MILEY	COULTON	BLACK	PRINCE	HAY	FOLEY	WILKINSON	YOUNG	KILROY	ESSERY	ROBINSON	MCDOWELL R	CARBERRY																													
NWCFL	FLIXTON	28/09/11	A	1-0	MORAN	MCQUEEN	O'BRIEN	MILEY	COULTON	BLACK	PRINCE	HAY	ROBINSON	FOLEY	WILKINSON	MCDOWELL R	MAWDSLEY	THOMPSON	YOUNG	KING																													
NWCFL	PADIHAM	01/10/11	A	4-1	MORAN	MCQUEEN	O'BRIEN	KILROY	COULTON	BLACK	PRINCE	HAY	ROBINSON	FOLEY	WILKINSON	MCDOWELL R	CARBERRY	YOUNG	ESSERY	MAWDSLEY																													
NWCFL	CONGLETON	04/10/11	H	1-1	MORAN	MCQUEEN	O'BRIEN	KILROY	COULTON	BLACK	PRINCE	HAY	ROBINSON	FOLEY	WILKINSON	MCDOWELL R	CARBERRY	ESSERY	O'CONNOR	MILEY																													
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