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THE VIEW FROM THE DUGOUT

JAMIE DALTRY // JOINT FIRST TEAM MANAGER

Good afternoon and a warm welcome to today's visitors scr and there management staff.

Back home in league action this afternoon after our loss away to Badshot lea Tuesday night where to be quite frank we deserved what we got and that was 0 points.

If you don't turn up & earn the right to play you will get beat!

Todays visitors in scr who are flying high top of the league & unbeaten will prove to be a big test for us this afternoon.

One of the firm favourites for the league this year.

We will need to be at our very best this afternoon to take the 3 points.

Injury updates:

Adam is still sidelined with a hamstring injury and hoping to be back training in the next week or two.

Zac Horkan will be back to full training next week after being sidelined pretty much since pre season.

Dennis Gorman unfortunately picked up a nasty injury Tuesday night which will keep him sidelined for several weeks.

Connor holland who has been outstanding for us so far also picked up a nasty injury Saturday and he to will be sidelined for several weeks

Sean Fallon played his first competitive game since the end of last season for the u23s Wednesday night which is great news.

A couple missing this afternoon due to other commitments. We are short in a few areas at the moment which we will be looking to strengthen in the coming weeks.

Hope you enjoy the game and the season ahead.

Safe journey back this afternoon for our opponents.

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Fans Allowed

We are delighted to be able to welcome supporters back to Redding Way. Here is what we will be doing to ensure everyone remains safe and what we need you to do to help us achieve that. This is all new to all of us, so please bear with us as there are bound to be teething problems. If you have any questions please speak to a club official and we will do our best to answer.



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WORDS FROM THE SKIPPER

JAMES DINSDALE // FIRST TEAM CAPTAIN

Welcome one and all back to Redding Way for yet another challenging fixture for the boys.

A warm welcome must go to players, management and fans of Sutton Common Rovers who join us today. Hope you enjoy your stay.

Like I said last week, with football coming thick and fast we have picked up a few injuries in the squad. Conor Holland has done some damage to his foot and could be out for some time. From myself and everyone at the club, we wish him a speedy recovery.

Saturdays last home game against CB Hounslow, wasn't quite our best.. however, with the strong characters we built in pre season, we were able to just pull through and take a draw. Although it was disappointing not to win, we must take the positives. Started with a point and ended with a point. If you ask me I think that's the next best thing.

Tuesday saw us suffer our first defeat of the season to a well drilled Badshot Lea side. I very disappointing performance from us all. Something we are looking forward to putting right this afternoon.

Like always, the boys are looking forward to playing in front of you all yet again. Please get behind and help assist us in hopefully getting those important 3 points!

Enjoy the game,

Dins



FIRST TEAM

FIXTURES, RESULTS, GOALSCORERS CHART & LEAGUE TABLE

DATE	OPPOSITION	H/A	COMP	KO/RES	GOALSCORERS
01/09	Deal Town	H	FAC EP	L 0-4	-
05/09	Hanworth Villa	A	CCFL	D 1-1	Lambe
08/09	Spelthorne Sports	H	CCFL	W 1-0	Lambe
12/09	Molesey	H	CCFL	W 5-1	Dinsdale, Holland, Lambe 2, Murdoch
15/09	Egham Town	A	CCFL	W 4-2	Alabi, Lalustani, D Taylor, Own Goal
19/09	Stansfield	A	FAV 1Q	D 2-2*	-
26/09	CB Hounslow Utd	H	CCFL	D 2-2	Taylor, Own Goal
29/09	Badshot Lea	A	CCFL	L 0-2	-
03/10	Sutton CR	H	CCFL	3pm	
10/10	Egham Town	H	CCFL	3pm	
13/10	Camberley Town	A	CCFL	7:45pm	
17/10	Raynes Park Vale	H	CCFL	3pm	
20/10	Dorking Wand. R.	H	CRRC 1	7:45pm	
24/10	Ascot United	A	CCFL	3pm	
31/10	Colliers Wood Utd	A	CCFL	3pm	

*L 7-6 on Pens



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CHERRY RED RECORDS COMBINED COUNTIES PREMIER DIVISION

Team	P	W	D	L	GD	PTS
1 Sutton Common Rovers	5	4	1	0	11	13
2 Hanworth Villa	5	4	1	0	10	13
3 Ascot United	7	4	0	3	8	12
4 Badshot Lea	5	4	0	1	3	12
5 Abbey Rangers	5	3	2	0	9	11
6 Knaphill	6	3	2	1	5	11
7 Southall	5	3	0	2	7	9
8 Spelthorne Sports	5	3	0	2	5	9
9 Raynes Park Vale	5	3	0	2	-2	9
10 Egham Town	5	2	0	3	-1	6
11 Banstead Athletic	6	1	3	2	-1	6
12 Frimley Green	5	2	0	3	-4	6
13 CB Hounslow United	4	1	2	1	2	5
14 Sheerwater	5	1	2	2	-2	5
15 Guildford City	5	1	1	3	-5	4
16 Cobham	5	1	1	3	-6	4
17 Camberley Town	4	1	0	3	-3	3
18 Colliers Wood United	5	0	3	2	-5	3
19 Molesey	6	1	0	5	-20	3
20 Redhill	4	0	0	4	-11	0

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UNDER-23s

Match Report vs Chessington & Hook United

This week our U23's were away to Chessington and Hook FC in our 2nd league fixture. The game started relatively well, however we struggled to play our football and our passing game was not up to scratch. 10 minutes into the game we were fortunate to go ahead when a Chessington defender scored an own goal. We did capitalise on the oppositions errors and Joe Cipullo scored outside the box and shortly after scored from a free kick, Joe's goals were well deserved as he stood out as our best player in the 1st half. Just before half time and after defending so well we gifted Chessington a goal. Knaphill finished the first half 3-1 up. 2nd half Chessington changed tactics and played long balls to win 2nd balls in and around the Knaphill penalty area. Knaphill struggled defending this and could not retain possession. Chessington were then awarded a very debatable penalty which they scored from and 5 minutes into injury time they scored again to draw the game 3-3. This was Knaphill U23's 2nd ever competitive game as a newly formed team this season and now they are off the mark with there 1st point

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UNDER-18s

Match Report vs Eastbourne Borough

After a fantastic 4-1 win in the previous round of the FA Youth Cup against Bognor Regis, Knaphill U18's faced a long trip to Eastbourne Borough FC. Unfortunately we got off to the worst possible start, after 30 seconds we conceded from a great curling shot from 20 yards out on the corner of the box.

We kept control of the ball for long periods with Eastbourne defending well and resisting the temptation to come out of their defensive shape and press our Centre Backs on the ball. For most of the first half the game was played in the middle 3rd with neither team creating more than 1-2 chances. Two minutes before half time we got the movement right and as we came into midfield Igor Babchynitser played a lovely pass into Jacob Stevenson who beat the defender and cut the ball back for a tap in from Matt Copland.

Second half started very even with both teams having possession in the middle 3rd without creating much. Eastbourne started to get on top using their very quick right winger to do the damage down our left hand side and provided 2-3 dangerous crosses into our box that our defenders and keeper dealt with superbly. In a good ten minute period we had the ball in the net twice only to be called offside which could only been marginal.

In the last seven seconds of normal time Eastbourne played a long ball clearance over the top which landed between our keeper and defender and with a bit of poor communication between the pair their striker nipped in to toe it goal bound. Knaphill reacted brilliantly and in injury time bombarded Eastbourne's goal and were very unlucky to hit the bar from a corner after a superb save from their keeper in the dying seconds. The fairest result would have been a draw, and the boys should be very proud of how they played.



UNDER-18s

Match Report vs Godalming Town

This week saw the U18's return to the league welcoming Godalming Town to Redding Way. The game started very evenly with both sides looking to gain an early advantage. The break through came after 20 minutes when Knaphill midfielder Ash Goosen played a lovely through ball to Striker Jacob Stevenson who beat the offside trap and slotted it in the corner. Shortly afterwards Knaphill midfielder Liam Avery made a fantastic run only to be tripped in the box, Liam stepped up and scored his penalty. We went into half time looking very comfortable. 10 minutes into the 2nd half the game was turned on its head when a Godalming player stood on our Centre Defenders back, while off the field of play Godalming took full advantage and scored a goal, During this period of play our Knaphill players lost there concentration which gave Godalming the imputes to go on and score a 2nd. After a number of substitutions we re-gained control however Godalming proved to be dangerous on the break If not for a great performance and two great saves by Knaphill goalkeeper Jos Barker we could have been a further 2 down. However we were always a threat and missed two good chances. In the last 10 minutes we were pushing hard for the win and Jacob Stevenson finished off a great performance with two goals to complete his hattrick, finishing 4-2 winners and two wins in our first two league games.

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Sutton Common Rovers

Chairman and Life President Alan Salmon founded SCR F.C in 1978, when the club began life as INRAD FC, based in Carshalton. The club entered a new era when Alan moved to Sutton and arranged sponsorship with his new neighbour, CENTRE 21 FC was born. This era saw the club running one Saturday side, three Sunday sides and three Youth sides. Centre 21's sponsorship continued until the club's youth players were no longer under 21 years old.

The club again sought new a identity, SUTTON COMMON ROAD FC was formed and subsequently abbreviated to SCR FC. Since then the club has had five major sponsors whose names have been incorporated into the clubs affiliated name: SCR PLOUGH (twice), SCR GRAPES, next the club's longest sponsor SCR LITTEN TREE (7 years) & finally SCR Kingfisher, Ewell with whom we started our venture in Saturday football in 2004/05.

It was at this point that the club took the decision to revert back to using the SCR name alone, feeling that as we strive for continued promotion we needed to disassociate ourselves with the whole 'pub team' image. The club however did take sponsorship form the Fox & Hounds, Carshalton for the Sat first team in 2006/07, but the decision was made that the pub name would not be incorporated into our own, for the above reason...

The club entered yet another new era this season, with the introduction of a third Saturday side (Messers Alex Avis & Tony Williams) and the 1's moving to the Middlesex County FL (and a name change SUTTON

COMMON ROVERS) in the pursuit of combined Counties football, having made an unsuccessful application from the Surrey South Eastern Combination at the end of season 2006/07 having finished joint top (3rd on goal difference... -1 goal)

A third place finish in the Middlesex County League Premier division in 07/08 meant that our promotion to the CCL was not assured but months of hard work & determination from the management team SCR eventually secured a place for the clubs 1st time in their 30 year history at the league AGM in June 2008 and the reserves moved into the CCL reserve division under the guidance of Alex Avis & Justin Salmon.

Season 08/09 saw the latest name change of the club, to form MOLE VALLEY SCR FC reflecting the area in which we played. Season 09/10 saw the club reach a Surrey Cup final, narrowly being defeated by Sutton United after a 1-1 extra time score line on penalties and in the same season compete in the FA Vase for the first time in our relatively short history. We finished Champions of Division One at the second time of asking, narrowly piping Worcester Park to the post in a fine run which saw us finish 3 points clear on the final match of the season, assuming as we believed, we were awarded the points from the postponed Coulsdon match who unfortunately were unable to field a side for our scheduled league game some weeks earlier.

he following season saw the club play at our highest level to date, and make our FA Cup debut, although this lasted just one game, and ended in a 5-0 defeat against Chertsey Town. The club managed two seasons in the Premier Division, before being relegated back to Division 1, following a start to the season that saw 12 straight league defeats. The 2012/13 season started with a rebuilt side and expectations of consolidation, however a 20 game unbeaten run propelled us into runners up spot, and a much coveted promotion back to the Premier Division.

2013/14 started brightly, but went to the last game, and a point saw survival. It was the same last season, and although we lost, we still managed to survive. For the 2015/16 season, there has been a change of name to Sutton Common Rovers, and after much hard work by the Salmons, a return to Sutton, and a ground share with Sutton Utd.

2016/17 saw a 12th place league finish and the capture of the Southern Combination Cup

The following season, 2017/18 we recorded our highest ever placing, finishing 3rd in the Premier Division, and reached the semi final of both the Southern Combination

Cup and the EL Records Premier Challenge Cup.

2018/19 was our best ever season, finishing runners up in the Premier division behind the powerful Chertsey Town side, winning the Premier Challenge Cup and finishing runners up in the Southern Combination Challenge Cup.

The 2019/20 season saw the side reach the 5th Round of the FA Vase for the first time in their history, and were sitting in upper mid-table when the season was bought to a halt.

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IT'S DIFFICULT to know what to write about sometimes in these programme columns we send out each week.

Do people want to hear views on the big issues around the game? Are you flicking through a programme for some light-hearted reading at half-time?

It feels like everything has been a bit serious recently. And rightfully so. Clubs up and down are worried about the future. What makes it harder, in this Covid pandemic, is a lot of the things we are worrying about when it comes to Non-League football are largely out of everyone's control.

While clubs can put the right protocols in place, if the government suddenly decide no fans then there's not much that can be done about it.

It's a frustrating time for all, perhaps summed up by the situation this weekend in the FA Cup where Step 2 fans aren't allowed to watch their team play live, be it home or away.

At the time of writing, there is still great uncertainty for National League clubs about their kick-off. They will be behind closed doors but with almost no exceptions, that will only work if there is sufficient support from the Government or the Premier League.

All we really want is to watch our teams play again. That goes for every club throughout the pyramid. Those who already have fans in want to make sure the gates stay open.

Perhaps this tricky period reminds us why we started watching Non-League football in the first place.

The thought sprung to mind from last week's NLP where our new columnist Tony Incenzo – talkSPORT's journalist and Non-League expert – about the importance of getting young fans through the doors.

Tony recounts how his mum used to drop him and a friend at the gates of Hendon and would return at 4.45pm to pick them up knowing they will have had an enjoyable, and safe, afternoon watching their local side.

From their Tony's passion for these levels of the game soared and, anyone who follows him on twitter, will know just how many grounds he has visited over the years.

It got me to thinking about my own involvement in the game. My Dad is the one to blame, Heavily involved in Non-League football, I probably had no choice.

But I loved going down to a ground, smelling the liniment waft from the changing rooms before standing so close to the action soaking it all in. I enjoyed watching Premier League football, like any other kid, but really Non-League was the place to be.

That then morphed into regularly watching Farnborough Town with friends before, in our teenage years, that transformed into away games as well.

We'd hop on the train early in the morning and headed off to far flung destinations like Hitchin, Carshalton and St Albans.

It's only a few years later when you start driving that you realise these places are not that far away at all.

But that was our Saturdays. Stopping at McDonalds on the way to the ground. Stopping there again on the way back to the station. Navigating our way through Clapham Junction and eventually arriving back home tired but fulfilled.

That's what Covid has shown me, anyway. How much I enjoy being at a game with other people and soaking it all in. How I enjoy going to a game with my Dad, who kick-started my love affair with Non-League in the first place. And, with that, I'm off tonight to see a game with him. Enjoy your game.

By Matt Badcock

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5. Leon **Byrne**
6. Wayne **Ridgley**
7. Sam **Hamer**
8. Timmy **Taylor**
9. Adam **Aziz**
10. Danny **Taylor**
11. Connor **Holland**
12. Jacob **Lambe**
13. Max **Roffey** (GK)
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