



**Scottish Premier
League**

**CELTIC
versus
HIBERNIAN**

**CELTIC PARK
SATURDAY, 1st OCTOBER, 1977
KICK-OFF 3 p.m.**

PROGRAMME 10p

FIRST CLASH AGAINST FORMER TEAM-MATES

HIBS are the Premier League visitors to Celtic Park this afternoon and if recent past encounters between the sides is any criterion, today's match will be a highly entertaining one for the fans.

When the clubs met in the corresponding game last season, on October 6, it was a particularly important occasion for two players in particular. The players to whom we refer, Pat Stanton and Jackie McNamara, had been involved in an exchange deal just weeks previously and the game marked their first clash with their former team-mates.

Celtic made most of the early running and then as so often happens in these circumstances, Hibs broke away and Tony Higgins scored to give them the lead.

The interval arrived with Hibs holding on to their narrow lead.

In the second half Celtic piled on the pressure but resolute defensive play and an in-form goalkeeper kept them from equalising. Then Johnny Doyle was racing through only to be brought down by John Brownlie and Kenny Dalglish equalised from the penalty spot.

CELTIC: Latchford; McGrain and Lynch; Stanton, McDonald and Aitken; Dalglish and Glavin; Craig; Burns and Doyle. Substitutes: Wilson (Craig) and Callaghan.

HIBERNIAN: McDonald; Brownlie and Schaedler; Bremner, Stewart and Blackley; Murray and Higgins; Scott;

McNamara and Smith. Substitutes: Muir and Fyfe.

Referee: Mr J. R. P. Gordon (Newport-on-Tay).

Hibs returned to Celtic Park on February 5 of this year trailing league leaders Celtic by eight points

After about quarter of an hour Roddy McDonald had to go off the park with a knee strain and substitute Johannes Edvaldsson was only on the park four minutes when he headed Celtic into the lead.

Ronnie Glavin increased Celtic's lead with a fine header but just before the interval Bobby Smith reduced the leeway with a cracking shot.

After the break Celtic increased their lead when Roy Aitken sent Joe Craig through to score with a perfectly judged through ball. Twelve minutes later Ronnie Glavin scored a fourth from a Joe Craig cut back pass. A late McLeod goal for Hibs finished the scoring.

CELTIC: Latchford; McGrain and Lynch; Stanton, McDonald and Aitken; Doyle and Glavin; Craig; Dalglish and Wilson. Substitutes Edvaldsson (McDonald) and Gibson.

HIBERNIAN: McDonald; Brownlie and Spalding; Bremner, Stewart and Blackley; Edwards and McLeod; Smith; Duncan and Murray. Substitutes: Scott and Carrol.

Referee: Mr R. B. Valentine (Dundee)

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WE MUST RESUME CONTACT WITH THE LEADERS



THAT's the first round of the European Cup behind us. The second leg tie in Luxembourg gave the young fellows in the side — and this is a young squad — additional experience in the Continental scene. They will benefit from this and so will the club.

Round two? That's a little way ahead and on the basis of first things first it is the domestic scene on which we have to concentrate all our attention right now.

Our Premier League position is not calculated to bring wild applause. We've got to make contact with the leaders and not a single individual at Parkhead is in any doubt about the effort that is required to bring this about.

Celts are the current league champions and to retain that proud title will require an upsurge in the spirit and play of the team.

It can be done. Not by mere exhortations but by sheer hard work on the training ground.

We've stepped up the fitness programmes and this should be reflected in coming matches.

I've said before with all sincerity that the fans have been good to us through the indifferent start to the season.

There were signs of impatience from them at the Clydebank match last week and while I have no criticism of this I would make the point that "demonstrations" in my experience really never stimulated a side to greater effort on a coherent play pattern.

We want the fans to be singing all the time on the terracings enjoying the entertainment and Celtic victories.

Magic wands are, however, in short supply so we have to settle for all-round effort to achieve our back-to-the-top ambition.

This afternoon Hibernian are at Parkhead. They defeated the progressive St. Mirren last week and have always been difficult opponents for us.

Our tussles are invariably fast and entertaining with a lacing of goals to satisfy supporters. I hope this one follows that pattern.

Winning both points won't be easy, but it is vital that we obtain them. We cannot allow the gap with the leaders to be stretched.

JOCK STEIN.

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1910, 1914, 1915,
1916, 1917, 1919,
1922, 1926, 1936,
1938, 1954, 1966,
1967, 1968, 1969,
1970, 1971, 1972,
1973, 1974, 1977.

Cup Winners (25 times)

1892, 1899, 1900,
1904, 1907, 1908,
1911, 1912, 1914,
1923, 1925, 1927,
1931, 1933, 1937,
1951, 1954, 1965,
1967, 1969, 1971,
1972, 1974, 1975,
1977.

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Jo Edvaldsson was the Celt who started the goal rush in a 4-2 victory over Hibs at Parkhead last season. Here he flies through the air to head home only minutes after substituting for the injured Roddy McDonald.

TODAY'S VISITORS

HIBS ARE SEEKING ATTACK CONSISTENCY

HIBERNIAN finished in the lower half of the Premier League last season and are still seeking the spark which can give them a consistent attacking force to complement their well-organised defensive structure.

They may well have found it in 21-year-old Jim McKay from the Highland League side Brora Rangers.

He is currently on trial with the Edinburgh men and has shaped up well in two full games and a substitute appearance.

The effect of full-time training on him has been marked and the Brora mill-worker could make his mark in the Premier League this season.

Celtic fans will of course keep a close eye on the play of former Parkhead man Jackie McNamara who is currently holding the right full back position from Scotland player John Brownlie.

Hibs now have a strip for televised matches as the result of recent negotiations concerning advertising on team jerseys.

It is a colourful affair . . . purple and white with yellow and green banding on the sleeves and shorts.

Hibernian joined St Mirren in the Anglo-Scottish Cup semi-finals on Wednesday night when they beat Blackburn Rovers 1-0 at Ewood Park for a 3-1 aggregate.

In the next round, Hibs will play Bristol City, conquerors of Partick Thistle, with the first leg away.

These are players manager Eddie Turnbull can call upon this afternoon



DES BREMNER

for what Edinburgh fans hope is a bright result for the Easter Road side:

Mike McDonald (Goalkeeper) — Signed for Hibs from Stoke in January, 1976 where he learned a great deal from Gordon Banks and Peter Shilton. The blond giant comes from Glasgow and moved south from Clydebank to Stoke. He was an ever-present in Hibs team last season.

John Brownlie (Right Back) — An outstanding attacking player whose career was interrupted in 1973 when he suffered a leg fracture. John was established as a Scotland player at that time and now he is back to his slickest form. He has been with the club since 1969.



ERIC SCHAELDER

Eric Schaedler (Left Back) — Another Scotland player though he has been honoured just once. His father belongs to Germany and, fittingly, it was against the world champions that he played. Very fast, and a good tackler, he was brought from Stirling Albion for £7,000 in 1969.

George Stewart (Centre Half) — Signed at the start of last season from Dundee at just under £40,000. A tall commanding figure who is hard to beat in the air, he is Edinburgh born and has a dry cleaning business and a public house partnership in the capital.

John Blackley (Centre Half) — Plays in the sweeper role for club and country. He is the team captain and a World Cup player. An extremely efficient defender who can be too casual at odd times. Stepped out of minor football to join Hibs in 1965.

Jackie McNamara (Midfield) —

Underwent a cartilage operation last season soon after signing for Hibs in an exchange deal which took Pat Stanton to Celtic. Lives in Cumbernauld and can operate at full back or in midfield.

Des Bremner (Midfield) — A non-stop dynamo who has limitless energy. He played in Scotland's Under 23 team and won promotion to the full international side in a friendly game with Switzerland. He was signed from Highland League club, Deveronvale.

Benny Brazil (Midfield) — A tall, slim 18 year old youth cap who can play in the heart of the defence or as a link-man. A tremendous prospect in either role, he made his debut against Aberdeen at the end of last season and seems to be in for keeps.

Bobby Smith (Midfield) — He seems to have settled down in midfield though spells at left back and in the attack as winger or centre forward indicate he can play anywhere. Hibs took him out of juvenile football in 1971 and he is firmly established in the first team.

Alistair McLeod (Inside Forward) — Returned to Scotland in December, 1974 when Southampton sold him for £25,000. He had been transferred south from St Mirren but appreciated the chance to move home. A superb ball player who can make chances out of nothing. Missed a large part of last season following a knee operation but resumed to become the top scorer.

Alistair Scott (Centre Forward) — Moved to Hibs in 1976 when he and Graham Fyfe left Rangers together in a swop for Iain Munro. A strong running forward who collects his share of goals. Took a University degree while on Rangers' books.

Arthur Duncan (Outside Left) — A speedy winger who can play through the middle, too. He was transferred from Partick Thistle for £35,000 in 1970 and went on to win several Scotland caps. Also works a chiropodist in his spare time.

TODAY'S TEAMS

CELTIC (from)

PETER LATCHFORD
 DANNY McGRAIN
 ANDY LYNCH
 JOHANNES EDVALDSSON
 RODDY McDONALD
 ROY AITKEN
 JOHNNY DOYLE
 RONNIE GLAVIN
 TOM McADAM
 TOMMY BURNS
 PAUL WILSON
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SIDELINES

Appearances

Celtic player appearances in 10 Premier League, League Cup and European Cup games are:

10—Latchford, McGrain, McDonald, Glavin.

9—Edvaldsson.

8—Wilson, Burns.

7—Aitken.

6—Craig, Doyle.

5—Lynch, Kay, Casey.

4—Lennox.

2—Williams, McAdam.

1—Stanton, Conn, Dowie.

Programmes galore

The second Scottish Programme Fair be staged in the McLellan Galleries, Sauchiehall Street, Glasgow, on Sunday, October 9 (11 a.m. to 4 p.m.).

On show will be rare and historic football programmes as well as caps, cups, jerseys, badges etc. but the main purpose of the Fair is the sale of a large variety of programmes and souvenirs.

Admission is 20p (which includes a prize draw programme) and the Cancer Research Campaign will receive a donation from the proceeds of the Fair as it did last year. The Fair drew 1500 fans last time (including many Celtic supporters) clear testimony to the high level of interest in this hobby.

League table

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Aberdeen	6	5	0	1	11	4	11
Dundee Utd.	6	4	0	2	10	3	10
Motherwell	6	3	2	1	11	6	7
Rangers	6	3	2	1	13	10	7
Hibernian	6	3	2	1	6	3	7
St. Mirren	6	2	2	2	10	8	6
Partick Thistle .	6	2	3	1	8	11	5
Celtic	6	1	4	1	5	8	3
Ayr Utd.	6	1	4	1	4	13	3
Clydebank	6	0	5	1	2	14	1



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