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Saturday, December 20, 1986

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## Half Time Scorecheck . . .

<b>A</b>	DUNDEE UNITED HEARTS		<b>F</b>	BRECHIN MORTON	
<b>B</b>	FALKIRK DUNDEE		<b>G</b>	DUMBARTON FORFAR	
<b>C</b>	HAMILTON RANGERS		<b>H</b>	DUNFERMLINE CLYDE	
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## **THE GREAT TEAMS . . .**

### **BAYERN MUNICH (74-76)**

TO win the European Cup is a marvellous feat for any club but to win it on three consecutive occasions must be regarded as an outstanding achievement. Bayern Munich are one of only three clubs to have achieved such a feat.

It is strange to recollect that Bayern Munich failed to gain a place in the inaugural 18-team Bundesliga back in 1963. Even when they did enter the national league two years later they were still very much the "other" team in the Bavarian capital as Munich 1860 were the dominant side. Two major acquisitions in particular helped Bayern abandon their provincial outlook: One was the arrival of their President, Wilhelm Neudecker, and the other was the signing of Franz Beckenbauer.

Domestic success in the German cup led to victory in the Cup Winners Cup in 1967 and to their first Bundesliga triumph in 1968. Further league triumphs followed in '72 and '73 during which time Bayern moved to the magnificent new Olympic Stadium, significantly before their domination of the European Cup began.

The 1973-74 European campaign proved to be an eventful one for the Germans with an element of luck remaining with team during the competition. Bayern defeated Atvitarberg of Sweden on penalties, Dynamo Dresden, CSKA Sofia and Upjest Doza to reach their first European Cup final. Their opponents in the Brussels final were Athletic Madrid, a team fortunate to remain in the competition after a brutal night in Glasgow saw three of their players sent off in the European Cup semi-final first leg match with Celtic. The reputation of the European Cup demanded a Bayern victory yet it took a last minute thirty yard shot from Georg Schwarzenbeck to earn them a replay. This was the first European Cup final to go to a replay and Bayern made the most of their reprieve crushing the Spaniards 4-0.

In 1975, mainly thanks to the goals of their consistent centre forward, Gerd Muller, Bayern again reached the final. Their side showed only two changes from the one which had lifted the trophy one year earlier. On this occasion their opponents were the redoubtable Leeds United side of Don Revie. As this was the twentieth final UEFA marked the anniversary by playing it at the "Parc des Princes" in Paris where the first final was held. The final itself was a fairly undistinguished affair with Bayern winning 2-0 through goals by Muller and Roth. Unfortunately it is clearly remembered for the hooliganism of the Leeds supporters which resulted in a two year ban from European competition for the English side.

If Bayern had been the popular choice to lift the European Cup in their first final with Athletic Madrid, the roles were completely reversed when they faced St Etienne at Hampden Park in their third final. Once again the match did not fulfil expectations and a Franz Roth goal in the second half ensured that the European Cup remained in the Bavarian capital.

The one criticism that is often aimed at Bayern Munich is that despite having emulated the achievements of Ajax they had never equalled the enterprise or the flair of the Dutch.

# THE GREAT PLAYERS ...

## ZICO

ZICO was born on March 3, 1953, into a footballing family. His father had been a goalkeeper and three of his brothers were professional footballers. As a boy he made his name in indoor football which was a popular sport in Rio. At the age of fifteen he joined Flamengo and because of his flimsy build he was put on a body building programme.

His first season with the Rio club side saw him score twice in fifteen games although it was not until the age of twenty that he was fully established in the first team. During his early days with Flamengo he was chosen to play in the Brazilian Olympic side and once a regular in the first division he made his debut for the national side.

Although he started his career as a centre forward it was in midfield that he made his name. He became renowned for his precision passing and his marvellous ability to score incredible goals from free kicks. As one of the most talented players in Brazilian football much was expected of the player who became known as the "White Pele" but sadly his career was continually interrupted by injury.

In 1976 he scored 63 goals for Flamengo in 70 games and the following season he found the net 48 times in 56 games. The impressive form of that season saw him voted South American Footballer of the Year and in 1981 and 1982 he was again the recipient of this award. Although displaying his superb skills consistently in domestic football the 1978 World Cup Finals in Argentina were a disappointment for the midfielder. He failed to display his true ability due to a nigging injury although he was also in dispute with Claudio Coutinho the Brazilian manager over the tactics employed by the national side.

After the disappointment of Argentina, Zico returned to his best form scoring 89 goals to establish a record with his 245th goal for Flamengo. He travelled to the World Cup Finals in Spain as a member of an exciting Brazilian side and on this occasion displayed all his talents scoring four goals during the tournament.

In 1983 Zico decided to leave Brazil and was signed in an enormously complicated 2.5 million pound deal by Udinese, one of the less glamorous sides of Italian football. The gamble paid off initially for both club and player as his brilliant performances filled their stadium regularly. The tight marking of Italian football did not prevent him scoring 19 goals in 24 matches during his first season. However the next twelve months saw a recurrence of an injury and added problems with the Italian tax authorities persuaded him to return to Brazil and rejoin Flamengo and scored the 700th goal of his career in the Maracana and it is thought that in World football only Pele has found the net more often.

Zico travelled to Mexico with the Brazilian squad and sadly his crucial missed penalty in a quarter-final match against France certainly cost Brazil a place in the semi-final.

Today Zico still plays football for Flamengo and is still one of the most highly regarded players in Brazilian football.



# THE DRIVING FORCE BEHIND ANY GREAT TEAM

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**HONOURS**

**League Championship (34 times)**: 1893, 1894, 1896, 1898, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1919, 1922, 1926, 1936, 1938, 1954, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1968, 1970, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974, 1977, 1979, 1981, 1982, 1986.

**Scottish Cup Winners (27 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, 1980, 1985.

**League Cup Winners (9 times)**: 1957, 1958, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1969, 1970, 1975, 1982.

**Empire Exhibition Cup**: 1938.

**St. Mungo Cup**: 1951.

**Coronation Cup**: 1953.

**European Cup**: 1967.

**Record victory**: 11-0 v Dundee (Division 1) October 1895.

**Record defeat**: 0-8 v Motherwell (Division 1) April 1937.

**Most individual League goals in a season**: 50 James McGrory (1935-1936).

**Highest aggregate score**: James McGrory 397 (1922-1939).

**Most capped player**: Danny McGrain 62 times for Scotland.

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GAMES against Aberdeen are ones that players do not need too much building up for and I am sure the fans look forward to our meetings with the same relish. The number of people who turn out every time we meet surely points to that.

Aberdeen are currently lying in fifth position in the league, seven points behind us, but they haven't been beaten since their new manager, Ian Porterfield, took over in November.

Indeed they have lost only one goal under their new manager, that was against Celtic in our 1-1 draw at Pittodrie in a hard fought midweek game. Aberdeen will no doubt feel that they are worthy of a higher place on the league table and will be looking for points today to help them to climb higher.

We, too, will be looking for nothing less than a victory to keep us ahead of the pack in the race for the league title. Murdo MacLeod is likely to make his return to our line up and Brian McClair who had a thigh strain should also make the line up, but I don't have a clear idea of how we will line up at the time of writing this piece.

After today's action we go into a tough schedule of fixtures with away trips to Kilbowie Park and Ibrox before we are back at Celtic Park to face Hamilton Accies on January 3. I sincerely hope that we all have a happy festive period and emerge with full points from all of these games to add to our total.

## News in brief

### Get in touch

Two female fans recently wrote to Celtic Chairman Jack McGinn on a long list of subjects, but didn't give any names or address.

Could they please get in touch with Mr McGinn's office on 041-554 0040

### Popular View

A comparison with figures for the corresponding week last season has shown that in the last 12 months the weekly circulation of *The Celtic View* has increased by 22 per cent.

### Early Old Firm

THE Rangers v Celtic match at Ibrox on January 1, will kick off at the earlier than usual time of 2 p.m.

As normal this fixture will be all ticket and fans are urged not to go near the ground on the day of the match without a valid ticket.

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# Bits and Pieces...

## Bag an Umbro Prize

The answers to the questions in our Umbro Competition number eleven were: ① John Blackley, ② West Bromwich Albion ③ Mo Johnston. A Celtic bag has been sent to Mr Bradley of East Kilbride and a Scotland one has gone to Colin Kelly of Stirling. They were the first correct answers chosen in each category on the closing date.

Official suppliers of strips and accessories to Celtic and the Scottish national side, Umbro International have given us another Celtic bag and another Scotland bag to give away today so there is a prize to suit everyone — Aberdeen fans as well as Celtic supporters.

To win all you have to do is answer three simple football questions and send your answers, with a note of your name and address to: **Umbro Competition (13), The Celtic Programme, 18 Kerrydale Street, Glasgow G40 3RW.** Mark the top left corner of your envelope **Celtic** or **Scotland** according to which bag you'd like to win. The closing date for entries is **December 30**. The first correct entry in each category opened from all the entries to arrive by that date will win a bag.

This week's questions are: ① Who finished top of Scottish Division Two last season? ② From which club did Celtic sign Davie Provan? ③ Who was Aberdeen's top league goalscorer last season?

## TODAY'S MASCOT



NINE-year-old Celtic Fan Club member Owen Rodger is Celtic's mascot this afternoon.

Before the match Owen will meet his favourite players Mo Johnston and Pat Bonner with their team mates. He will lead the team out in an official Celtic Strip supplied by Umbro International.

Owen, from Kirkcaldy, lists his hobbies as football, snooker and swimming.





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# A MATTER OF FACT

**CELTIC** v Aberdeen Premier League record:

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Celtic Park.....	23	8	8	7	29	30	24
Pittodrie.....	23	7	5	11	28	39	19
<b>Total</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>43</b>

**ABERDEEN'S** last win here was on 12th February, 1983, when an Eric Black hat-trick gave them a 3-1 win.

**CELTIC** and Aberdeen have met three times already this season and each match has ended 1-1 after 90 minutes. In the Skol Cup meeting at Pittodrie Celtic of course went on to win after a penalty shoot-out.

**TOP** scorers in Celtic v Aberdeen Premier League matches:

For Celtic:		For Aberdeen:	
F. McGarvey.....	5	G. Strachan.....	8
R. Aitken.....	4	F. McDougall.....	7
K. Dalglish.....	4	D. Jarvie.....	7
C. Nicholas.....	4	M. McGhee.....	6
G. McCluskey.....	4		

**CELTIC** won 14 of the first 15 league matches between the two sides at Celtic Park.

**THE** last Celtic player to score a hat-trick against Aberdeen was Bobby Lennox on 6th March, 1968, when Celtic won 4-1 at Celtic Park. The last Aberdeen player to achieve this was Frank McDougall who actually netted four times on 2nd November, 1985, when they won 4-1 at Pittodrie.

**WHEN** Celtic beat Aberdeen 6-2 in 1926/27 at Celtic Park, Jimmy McGrory scored five of the goals, four with his head. In 1935/36 the legendary McGrory overtook the world record of 362 goals held by Hugh Ferguson by scoring a hat-trick against Aberdeen in a 5-3 win.

**WHEN** Celtic recorded their biggest-ever win over Aberdeen, by 8-0 in 1964/65, big John Hughes scored five of our goals. Bertie Auld (penalty), Bobby Murdoch and Bobby Lennox were the other scorers.

# As the players see it . . .

**HAVING** started the season as a regular in the Celtic pool of 13, if not in the team, Owen Archdeacon recently found himself out in the cold for four games.

Then against Aberdeen at Pittodrie he re-appeared as a substitute and has played perhaps his most effective football for Celtic since to keep himself in the first team picture.

During his exile from the first team, and for a long spell before that, Archdeacon had watched as Davie Hay tried a new formation, fielding three strikers with no winger. Did he at any time think that there might be no way back into the first team for him?

"When Alan McInally, Brian McClair and Mo Johnston were making up the front line then Mark McGhee regained his fitness I began to think that their experience would keep me out

"Having been in the first team and then being dropped was certainly no fun for me, but I think it has been good for me. Since I have been allowed back in I feel I've played better than I

## Owen Archdeacon

did at the start of the season and that is not unrelated to the fright I got being dropped."

One particular incident which could support Owen's claim that he is now playing better, is the way he supplied the cross for Mo Johnston to score his second against Dundee. How does Owen remember the move?

"At first I thought the ball had gone out of play, I had my back to the line, but as I turned I saw it still in play. No defenders seemed to move for it, I certainly wasn't aware of any moving as I reached the ball. People have commented on how fast I moved, I think it was more a case of the defenders hesitating.

"Anyway, I got to the ball and crossed it to Mo. He finished magnificently to make the whole move worthwhile — if he hadn't scored, my run would have been forgotten by the time the next morning's papers had been read."

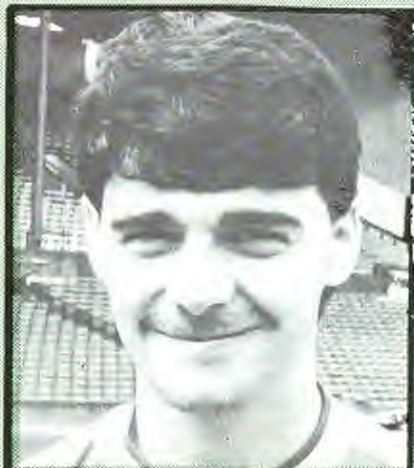
Not a lot more than a week ago, Owen scored Celtic's goal in a 1-1 draw with Liverpool under the sun in Dubai. Does he feel that having played the English Champions has given any indication of how Celtic would fare in the English First Division and does he think it was a worthwhile trip?

"It certainly was a worthwhile trip, to play against the standard of player that Liverpool have is a worthwhile experience at any time or in any place and from a personal point of view I was pleased because I scored my first goal of the season.

"We lost eventually, after the penalty shoot out, but I think 1-1 was a fair reflection on the play and must indicate that we could hold our own among England's finest sides."

What, now, are Owen's immediate hopes, or plans?

"My main hope is to stay in the first team scheme and help Celtic to retain the League title and put our name on the Scottish Cup. My plan is simply to work at earning and keeping that first team place."



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