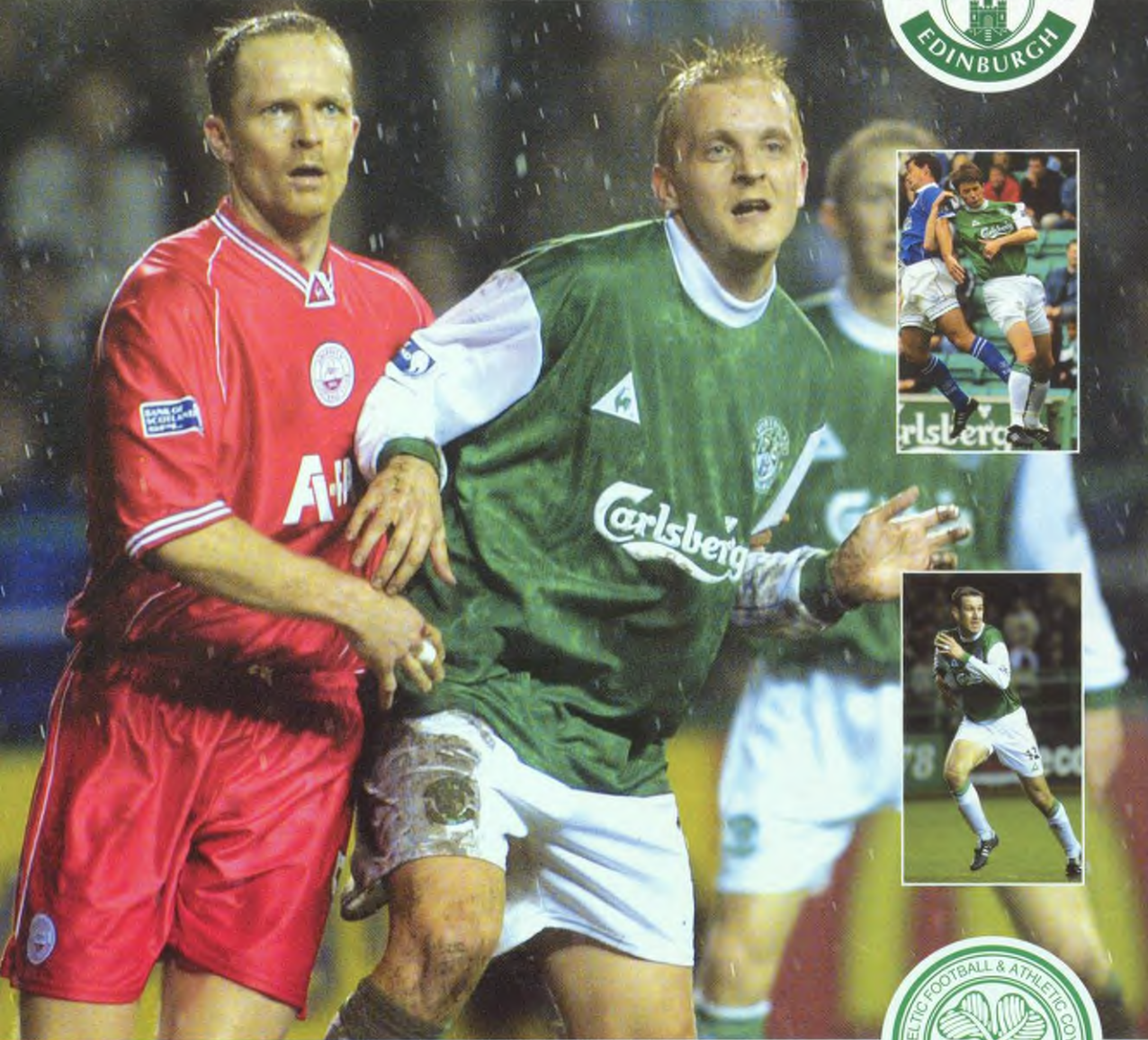


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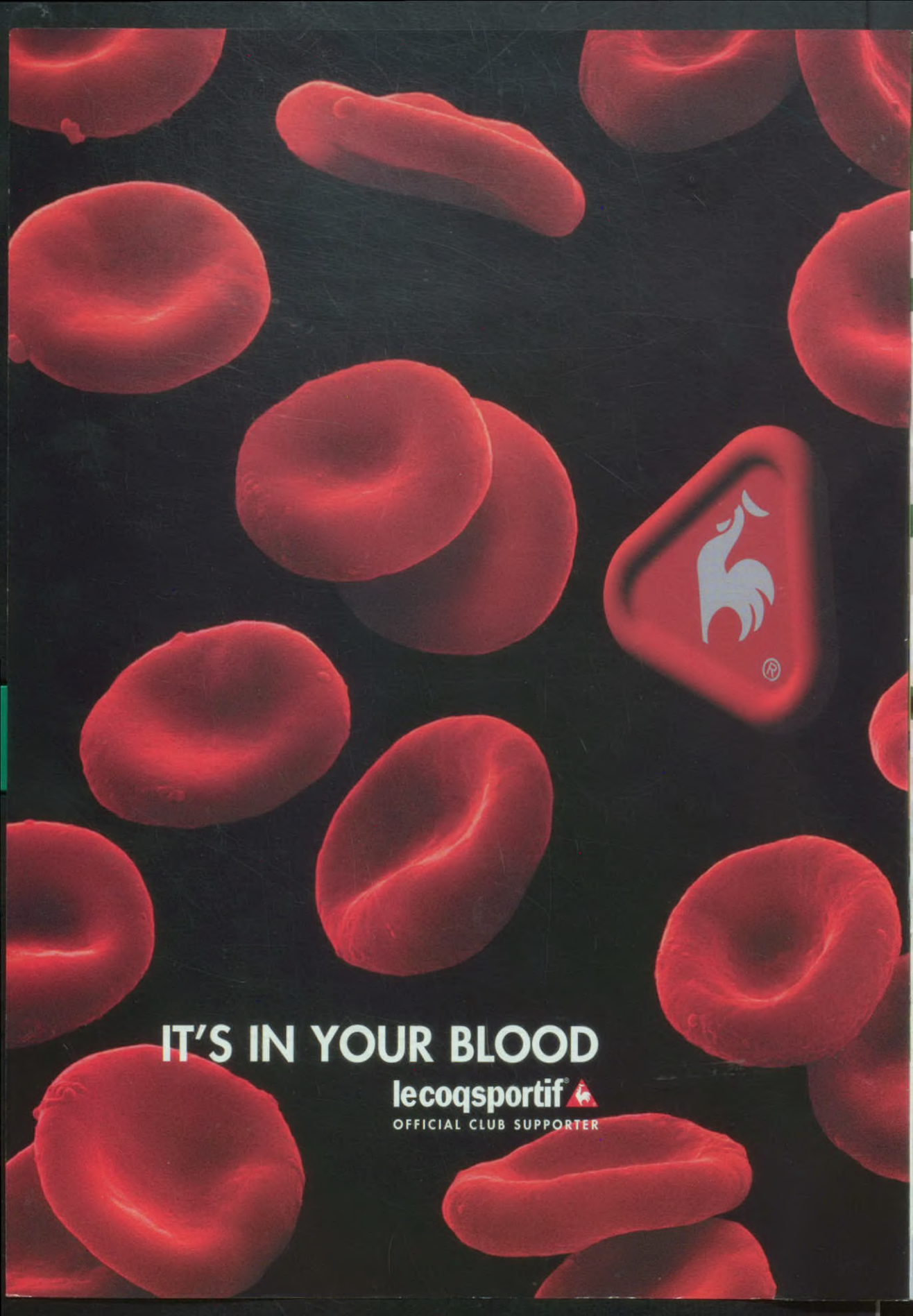
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# Frank's Focus



*Since I last spoke to you we have lost narrowly to Aberdeen in the league and to Rangers in the Scottish Cup. We now face a major task against league leaders Celtic, and we must do so with several key players injured. I think it would, therefore, be fair to say that we are suffering a bit of bad luck at the moment.*

Against Aberdeen we played well in parts but did not find the correct balance. This applies particularly when we compare the impact of our attacking and defending. Offensively against Aberdeen we were excellent and I was delighted to see us scoring three goals and creating so many chances. However, defensively I was annoyed by the big mistakes we made.

***“Against Aberdeen we played well in parts but did not find the correct balance”***

Those mistakes clearly cost us the match. I was extremely angry that we conceded four goals to Aberdeen. I have great respect for Aberdeen and mean them no offence but I cannot accept us losing four goals at home. Yet again we conceded a last minute goal and these late goals are destroying us. We cannot afford to lose any more late goals and this is an aspect of our game that the players must concentrate on.





In short our determination has to be greater. We have not reached the standards I have in mind for **Hibernian** and we will not reach them with the current level of concentration and determination. We must step up another level.

Against Rangers in the Scottish Cup we did very well in the first half. We reacted positively to the loss of the first Rangers goal and deserved to draw level. For a short period thereafter we played extremely well. Unfortunately we then conceded a goal on the very stroke of half time. It is difficult enough when playing Rangers at Ibrox without losing goals of this nature.

*"It is no use feeling sorry for ourselves; we must find the energy to go forward regardless of problems."*

To compound the defeat we now find ourselves without the services of Ulrik Laursen, Paco Luna and Eduardo Hurtado who have suffered shoulder, back, and hamstring problems respectively. But it is no use feeling sorry for ourselves; we must find the energy to go forward in spite of these problems.

Against Celtic today we face a massive game and a huge challenge. We must stay compact and everyone must focus together for the club. Again we must find that extra resolve in our hearts and produce the passion this club deserves. Similarly we will have to show defensive strength to take anything from the game.



# Tonight's Visitors



John Hartson

**C**eltic arrive at Easter Road today chasing an historic back-to-back domestic treble. Their resurgence under the stewardship of Martin O'Neill in the last two seasons has seen them emerge from Rangers' shadow to top the table, as well as lift both cups. Their continental form has also attracted praise, with

the scalps of both Ajax and Juventus having been claimed in this season's Champions League. That the club's European adventure was ended only after a penalty shootout with two-time finalists Valencia has convinced many amongst the Celtic support that the days of European triumph may be about to return.

The European adventure over for this season, Celtic have again turned their attentions to domestic matters. Having opened up a thirteen point gap at the top of the SPL, as well as booking a Scottish Cup fifth round with Aberdeen and a CIS semi-final match against Rangers, success on the home front is well advanced for a second consecutive season.

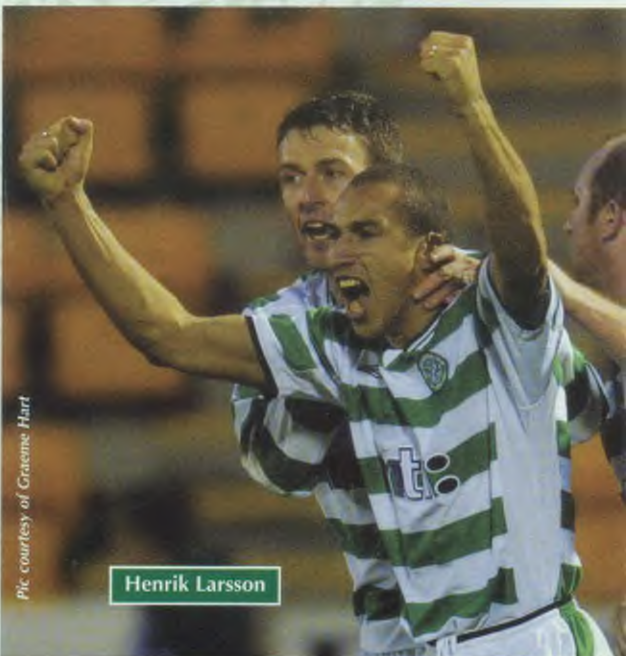
Much of this success has been credited to Henrik Larsson's goalscoring prowess, but to do so fails to take into account Celtic's team performances. Larsson's striking partners, Chris Sutton and John Hartson, have also weighed in with their fair share of goals. Indeed, the last time *Hibernian* met Celtic on SPL duty, at Parkhead in December, a John Hartson double and superb strike from Neil Lennon gave the home side a comfortable 3-0 victory. This followed a 4-1 victory for Celtic in August, when two goals from Chris Sutton and

one apiece from Lubo Moravcik and Henrik Larsson were countered by a Paul Fenwick consolation.

Otherwise, Celtic's domestic form has been notable for high scores, including an 8-0 victory over Stirling Albion in the CIS Cup, a 5-1 league win against Dundee United and a 5-0 away victory over Alloa in the Scottish Cup. This, added to victories at both Ibrox and Parkhead over Rangers, leave Celtic as the prime targets in Scottish football. That only one team has recorded a victory over Celtic in domestic competition this season may be cause for concern.

## Celtic Stats (supplied by OPTA)

- Celtic are the second-best passers in the SPL, with a passing accuracy of 77%, behind Rangers on 83%. They are also the second most accurate shooters, with 48% of shots hitting the target, behind Livingston on 50%.
- The Parkhead side are the best crossers in the Scottish League, with 33% of their crosses finding teammates.
- Although Henrik Larsson may be the SPL's top goalscorer with 17 goals, his shot accuracy of 49% is below those of Craig Brewster (55%), Robbie Winters (60%) and his teammate Alan Thompson (60%).
- Alan Thompson is also the SPL's best crosser, with a success rate of 34%.



Pic courtesy of Graeme Hart

Henrik Larsson



# Celtic

by Mark Rae

## The Celtic Records

- Celtic were founded in 1888
- **Biggest Win:** 11-0 v Dundee, Scottish League, 26th October 1895
- **Biggest Defeat:** 0-8 v Motherwell, Scottish League, 30th April 1937
- **Most Capped Player:** Kenny Dalglish, 102 Caps for Scotland
- **Most League Appearances:** Billy McNeill, 486, 1957-75
- **Most League Goals in a Season:** James McGroory, 50, 1935-36
- **Most League Goals Overall:** James McGroory, 397, 1922-39
- **Record Attendance:** 92,000 v Rangers, Scottish League, 1st January 1938
- **Record Transfer Fee paid:** £6million for Chris Sutton from Chelsea, July 2000
- **Record Transfer Fee received:** £6million for Mark Viduka from Leeds, July 2000

## Records & Honours

**European Cup Winners:** 1967

**Premier Division Champions:** (8) 1976-77, 1978-79, 1980-81, 1981-82, 1985-86, 1987-88, 1997-98, 2000-01

**Division One Champions:** (29) 1892-93, 1893-94, 1895-96, 1897-98, 1904-05, 1905-06, 1906-07, 1907-08, 1908-09, 1909-10, 1913-14, 1914-15, 1915-16, 1916-17, 1918-19, 1921-22, 1925-26, 1935-36, 1937-38, 1953-54, 1965-66, 1966-67, 1967-68, 1968-69, 1969-70, 1970-71, 1971-72, 1972-73, 1973-74

**Scottish Cup Winners:** (32) 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, 1988, 1989, 1995, 1998, 2001

**League Cup Winners:** (12) 1956-57, 1957-58, 1965-66, 1966-67, 1967-68, 1968-69, 1969-70, 1974-75, 1982-83, 1997-98, 1999-2000, 2000-2001



Celtic legend Jock Stein holds the European Cup



Two former Celts who are now in SPL management: Davie Hay (1972) and midfielder Billy Stark (1989)

## CELTIC'S FORM GUIDE 2001/2002

### SCOTTISH PREMIER LEAGUE

|               | Home         | Away         |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|
| Aberdeen      | W 2-0        | L 0-2        |
| Dundee        | W 3-1        | W 4-0        |
| Dundee United | W 5-1        | W 4-0        |
| Dunfermline A | W 3-1        | W 4-0        |
| Hearts        | W 2-0, W 2-0 | W 1-0        |
| Hibs          | W 3-0        | W 4-1        |
| Kilmarnock    | W 1-0        | W 1-0, W 2-0 |
| Livingston    | W 3-2        | D 0-0, W 2-1 |
| Motherwell    | W 2-0        | W 2-1        |
| Rangers       | W 2-1        | W 2-0        |
| St. Johnstone | W 3-0, W 2-1 | W 2-1        |

### CIS LEAGUE CUP

|                 |       |
|-----------------|-------|
| Stirling Albion | W 8-0 |
| Livingston      | W 2-0 |

### UEFA CHAMPIONS LEAGUE

|                |       |       |
|----------------|-------|-------|
| Ajax Amsterdam | L 0-1 | W 3-1 |
| Juventus       | W 4-3 | L 2-3 |
| FC Porto       | W 1-0 | L 0-3 |
| Rosenborg      | W 1-0 | L 0-2 |

### UEFA CUP

|          |        |       |
|----------|--------|-------|
| Valencia | W 1-0* | L 0-1 |
|----------|--------|-------|

(\* = Lost on penalties 4-5)

### SCOTTISH CUP

|                |       |
|----------------|-------|
| Alloa Athletic | W 5-0 |
| Kilmarnock     | W 2-0 |



Stilian Petrov



Joos Valgaeren

# Squad Lists



## HONOURS & Records

### SCOTTISH FOOTBALL LEAGUE

#### CHAMPIONS (4):

1902/03, 1947/48, 1950/51, 1951/52

#### LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP RUNNERS UP (6)

#### SCOTTISH CUP WINNERS (2):

1886/87, 1901/02

#### SCOTTISH CUP RUNNERS UP (9):

1896, 1914, 1923, 1924, 1947, 1958, 1972, 1979, 2001

#### SCOTTISH LEAGUE CUP WINNERS (2):

1972/73, 1991/92

#### SCOTTISH LEAGUE CUP RUNNERS UP (5):

1950/51, 1968/69, 1974/75, 1985/86, 1993/94

#### SCOTTISH FOOTBALL LEAGUE FIRST

#### DIVISION CHAMPIONS (2):

1980/81, 1998/99

#### SCOTTISH FOOTBALL LEAGUE

#### DIVISION TWO CHAMPIONS (3):

1893/94, 1894/95, 1932/33

#### EUROPEAN RECORD:

#### FIRST BRITISH CONTESTANTS IN

#### EUROPEAN CUP (1955/56)

#### EUROPEAN CUP CONTESTANTS (1)

#### EUROPEAN CUP WINNERS CUP

#### CONTESTANTS (1)

#### FAIRS/UEFA CUP CONTESTANTS (14)

#### MOST CAPPED PLAYER:

Lawrie Reilly (Scotland)

38 caps (22 goals)

#### MOST GOALS IN A SEASON:

Joe Baker (42)

#### MOST GOALS IN LEAGUE CAREER:

Lawrie Reilly 187

#### RECORD LEAGUE WIN:

11-1 v both Airdrie and Hamilton, 1965

#### RECORD DEFEAT:

0-10 v Rangers (1898)

#### RECORD ATTENDANCE:

65,840 v Hearts, January 1950

## HIBERNIAN

MANAGER: FRANCK SAUZEE

NICK COLGAN 1  
ULISES DE LA CRUZ 2  
ULRIK LAURSEN 3

IAN MURRAY 5  
FRANCISCO LUNA 6  
GRANT BREBNER 7  
CRAIG BREWSTER 8  
FREDERIC ARPINON 9  
JOHN O'NEIL 10  
DEREK TOWNSLEY 11

PAUL FENWICK 13  
LYNDON ANDREWS 14  
JARKKO WISS 15  
TOM McMANUS 16  
GARY SMITH 17  
MATHIAS JACK 18  
DAVID ZITELLI 19  
MATHIAS DOUMBE 20

ALEN ORMAN 21

GARRY O'CONNOR 22

EDUARDO HURTADO 23  
DEREK RIORDAN 24  
TONY CAIG 25

## CELTIC

MANAGER: MARTIN O'NEILL

JONATHAN GOULD 1  
TOM BOYD 2  
MOMO SYLLA 3  
JACKIE McNAMARA 4  
JOOS VALGAEREN 5  
DIANBOBO BALDE 6  
HENRIK LARSSON 7  
ALAN THOMPSON 8  
CHRIS SUTTON 9  
JOHN HARTSON 10  
MORTEN WIEGHORST 11

PAUL LAMBERT 12  
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OLIVIER TEBILY 14  
DIDIER AGATHE 15  
NEIL LENNON 16  
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RAB DOUGLAS 18

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COLIN HEALY 20  
LUBOMIR MORAVCIK 21

SHAUN MALONEY 22  
STEVE GUPPY 23

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JAMIE SMITH 27  
STEPHEN CRAINEY 28  
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