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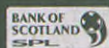
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**IT seems like an eternity since we defeated Dundee United at Tannadice to keep a few points ahead in the SPL table**

In a wonderful first-half attacking display, when we looked like scoring every time we went forward, we managed three goals, two from Chris Sutton and one from Stilian Petrov and, in the end, won very well.

I was naturally concerned beforehand about the game against Ian McCall's fired-up side, coming back from our midweek exploits in Milan, but we got into our stride early and took the three points on offer.

A few nights earlier, we took on AC Milan in the San Siro Stadium in the second group game of the Champions League.

A tentative first-half performance gave way to an incredible second-half display. We totally dominated a team that, only 17 months earlier, had won the Champions League, and when Stan Varga equalised halfway through the second-half, there would have been few people in the stadium who would have thought we hadn't deserved it.

Backed all the way by a very vocal Celtic support on the evening, we were in full flow. Unfortunately, and undeservedly I thought, we conceded a goal with just a few minutes to go, which proved to be the decisive blow.

The third goal, a deflection from a free-kick, gave the game an unreal scoreline. When a few minutes later, the referee blew for full-time, there was natural disappointment at the result.



However, the caustic abuse which followed this "absolute catastrophe" in Milan was, I thought, uncalled for but rather predictable.

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Still, I suppose it must speak volumes for this Celtic team that, having carried the European flag for Scotland and the SPL so successfully and so alone in recent seasons, losing so narrowly in the San Siro in a wonderfully entertaining game, can be classified as an "unmitigated disaster."

A lot of our players have been on international duty this last fortnight and we sit and wait with crossed fingers that players arrive back in reasonable health.

But it is generally too much to ask that everyone arrives back uninjured and that has been the case this time around.

However, regardless of the state of health at the club, we have a very big game this afternoon against Hearts.

Craig Levein and his backroom staff have done a wonderful job in keeping Hearts to the fore in recent seasons and their magnificent result in Braga, which went relatively unnoticed, gives them a deserved number of big games in the UEFA Cup, to which their efforts have entitled them.

However, our aim is to take all three points from today's game and that is what we will be striving to do.

I understand that many supporters will already be looking forward to the Champions League game against Shakhtar Donetsk in Ukraine on Wednesday. It is an important match and one that will be extremely difficult for us.

Your support for the team in every game, home and away, in Scotland and in Europe, is something the whole squad appreciates and that backing will be needed this afternoon as we bid for another three league points.

*T. McCall*



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**Record victory:** 11-0 (v Dundee, 1895)  
**Record defeat:** 0-8 (v Motherwell, 1937)  
**Most league goals (1 season):** 50, Jimmy McGrory, 1935/36  
**Most Premier/SPL goals (1 season):** 35, Brian McClair 1986/87, Henrik Larsson 2000/01  
**Website:** www.celticfc.net

**HONOURS**  
**Scottish League (39)**  
 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, 1976/77, 1978/79, 1980/81, 1981/82, 1985/86, 1987/88, 1997/98, 2000/2001, 2001/2002, 2003/2004  
**Scottish Cup (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, 2001, 2004  
**League Cup (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  
**European Cup (1)** 1967 **Coronation Cup (1)** 1953



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**HEARTS**

Momo Sylla	3	1	Craig Gordon
Jackie McNamara	4	2	Alan Maybury
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Bobo Balde	6	4	Steven Pressley
Juninho	7	5	Kevin McKenna
Alan Thompson	8	6	Andy Webster
Chris Sutton	9	7	Dennis Wyness
John Hartson	10	8	Phil Stamp
Stephen Pearson	11	9	Mark de Vries
David Fernandez	12	10	Paul Hartley
Paul Lambert	14	11	Neil MacFarlane
Bobby Petta	15	12	Robbie Neilson
Ulrik Laursen	16	13	Teuvo Moilanen
Didier Agathe	17	14	Jamie McAllister
Neil Lennon	18	15	Ramon Pereira
Stilian Petrov	19	16	Stephen Simmons
Robert Douglas	20	17	Graham Weir
Magnus Hedman	21	18	Neil Janczyk
David Marshall	22	19	Joe Hamill
Stanislav Varga	23	20	Robert Sloan
Henri Camara	27	21	Christophe Berra
Shaun Maloney	29	22	Michael Stewart
Ross Wallace	33	24	David McGeown
Craig Beattie	37	25	Conall Murtagh
Rocco Quinn	38	28	Craig Sives
John Kennedy	41	35	Calum Elliot
Stephen McManus	44		
Kevin McBride	45		
Aiden McGeady	46		
Michael McGovern	47		
Scott Cuthbert	49		

TODAY'S OFFICIALS	RECENT FORM	FORTHCOMING FIXTURES
Referee: <b>Kenny Clark</b> Assistant Referees: <b>Tom Murphy</b> <b>Charlie Smith</b> Fourth Official: <b>Steve Conroy</b>	Scottish Premierleague, Oct 3, 2004 <b>DUNDEE UTD 0 v 3 CELTIC</b> (sutton2, Petrov) UEFA Champions League, Sept 29, 2004 <b>AC MILAN 3 v CELTIC 1</b> (Varga) Scottish Premierleague, Sept 25, 2004 <b>CELTIC 3 v 0 DUNFERMLINE</b> (Camara2, Varga) CIS Cup, Third Round, Sept 21, 2004 <b>CELTIC 8 v 1 FALKIRK</b> (Sylla, Wallace 3, Balde, Lambert, McManus, McGeady) Scottish Premierleague, Sept 19, 2004 <b>HIBS 2 v 2 CELTIC</b> (Camara, Hartson)	UEFA Champions League <b>SHAKHTAR DONETSK v CELTIC</b> WEDNESDAY 20 OCTOBER 7.45PM Scottish Premierleague <b>LIVINGSTON v CELTIC</b> SUNDAY 24 OCTOBER 2.00pm Scottish Premierleague <b>CELTIC v ABERDEEN</b> WEDNESDAY 27 OCTOBER 7.45pm Scottish Premierleague <b>MOTHERWELL v CELTIC</b> SATURDAY 30 OCTOBER 3.00pm





# Picking up the pace

Interview: STEPHEN SULLIVAN

## Striker David Fernandez is aiming to win fitness battle after his injury nightmare

**DAVID FERNANDEZ** this week brought to an end three months of frustration when he returned to full training for the first time since damaging a tendon in his right shoulder in the first of Celtic's pre-season friendlies.

That injury was sustained just a few minutes into the Hoops' visit to Fulham's Craven Cottage and, for the affable Spaniard, it represented just the kind of comeback he'd been desperate to avoid.

Fernandez had, after all, returned following the summer and a spell on loan with former club Livingston looking lean, fit and ready for the challenge of kick-starting a Hoops career which has never really sparked into life, and was aching to make a favourable first impression.

Yet it's to the former Deportivo La Coruna striker's immense credit that he has remained positive, focussed and generally fit since his untimely setback and, while unlikely to feature prominently this afternoon, he's simply delighted to be back in the reckoning.

He said: "I had a chance to train with the under-21s towards the end of last week and did a light session with some of the boys on Monday, but Thursday was my first day back with the full squad since

pre-season. Just being back out there will help me so much because you always know that, with the quality of players we have here, the quality and intensity of the training will be tremendous.

"That's great from my point of view because it means I'll be able to get used to the pace of the games quicker. Really, I'm just looking forward to getting out there again. I feel good, and it's always exciting when you're getting ready to start again.

"Having to go off in my first game back was so disappointing because I had worked really hard over the summer to come back fit because I knew that it was my big opportunity. Pre-season is the time when every player has a chance of playing and impressing the

manager, and it's also a chance to get used to the pace of the games before the season starts.

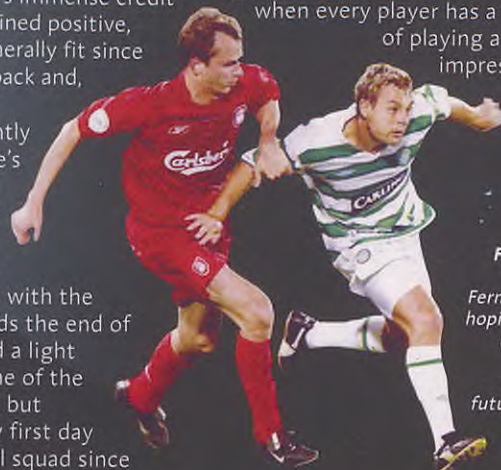
"But there's no point in getting too down about these things. You have to stay positive, and I've been lucky to have great help from Roddy (Macdonald) and all the physios. They've been great with me and I'm sure they're as pleased as I am that I'm fit again."

Acceptance didn't come so easy for Fernandez at first, though, principally because the injury, like so many others, initially appeared innocuous enough to barely merit concern.

"I thought it was nothing," he admitted, reflecting on the moment he landed awkwardly on the turf. "There was pain right away, but I kept playing because I thought it was one of those things that would just go away.

"Even though I had to come off, we still thought it had just been a heavy fall at first. I even started to feel better in the next two days and started training again when we got to America. But I think Roddy realised something wasn't right when it started to get sore again, and it was when he sent me to see a specialist after we came back that I found out how bad it was.

"It could have been worse, of course. I was still able to run and



**FIGHTING FIT:** Fernandez is hoping to be a part of Martin O'Neill's future plans



**"THE INJURY HASN'T STOPPED ME FROM DOING WORK AT THE GYM AND MY FITNESS LEVEL IS GOOD"**

do a lot of training, so it wasn't anywhere near as bad as a knee injury or anything like that, but it was frustrating not to be able to work with the rest of lads. But you just have to face setbacks like that and work hard to get back."

Certainly, he has rarely been away from the Celtic Park gym over the past three months and, despite being laid low with a virus earlier this week, refused to allow his return to full training to be postponed.

"I didn't feel well for a day or two, but I didn't want it to let it disrupt my progress," he said. "I've been running for two hours almost every day for the past three months, so my general fitness is quite good."

"I've been lucky in that sense because the injury hasn't stopped me from doing a lot of work in the gym and, to be honest, my fitness level now is better than it used to be. All I need now is just to get used to pace of the games and the only way I can do that is by playing."

His general fitness may be at a high level, but even Fernandez



himself is realistic enough to admit that, barring a late injury crisis, he's highly unlikely to be involved against Hearts this afternoon. The Spaniard does believe, however, that he's ready to make a serious and concerted bid for first-team football at Celtic Park, with proving his many doubters wrong high on the agenda.

He said: "I just want to play well and, hopefully, the manager will give me a chance to do that in the first team. I love it at Celtic, and I want to stay and prove to everyone that I can be a good player for this team. I think it helped me going on loan to Livingston, but I wouldn't want to say too much. It was a good experience and I think it helped my confidence a lot, but I am still the same player I was before I left - no

better, no worse. It was important for me to play some games, though, because it's difficult to get into pace of things, particularly here, when you've not been playing.

"I've spoken to the manager and I know he's a fair guy. I'm obviously hoping to play as soon as possible, but realistically I think it will take me about two weeks before I'm totally ready. I've been out for three months, though, so another week or two won't be too big a deal. The most important thing is to get properly fit and

obviously if the manager wants me to play in Tuesday's under-21s game, I'll be available."

It's likely to be the role of spectator, then, that Fernandez occupies this afternoon, and he expects to take in a closely contested match against a side genuinely worthy of the Hoops' respect.

"It will be a difficult game for the lads, definitely," he said. "Hearts are always strong and well organised, and they have been playing really well, especially in Europe. But, at Celtic Park, we are always the favourites, and we should win the game if we play well."

**"I JUST WANT TO PLAY WELL AND HOPEFULLY THE MANAGER WILL GIVE ME A CHANCE"**





# Next week in the *View*



- Part two of Lisbon Lion Billy McNeill's Hail Cesar interview
- Top Scots band Teenage Fanclub talk to the *View*
- Tom O'Neill's lowdown on Champions League foes Shakhtar Donetsk

# SPOT ON

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**CRAIG GORDON**

**An outstanding young player who has just completed a sensational season.**

In May 2004, Craig made his Scotland debut against Trinidad & Tobago, after also appearing for the national youth, U21 and future teams.

Craig has been associated with Hearts since he was 12, playing for Tynecastle Boys' Club and then Hearts Boys' Club. He signed a professional contract in 1999 and became a star prospect in the youth and U21 sides. Indeed, in May 2000, Craig played his part in the Youth Cup final victory over Rangers and the following season, he was in the young squad that won the Youth League Championship.

**ROBBIE NEILSON**

**Robbie is currently Hearts' longest-serving player having been recruited from Rangers Boys' Club back in 1996.**

He subsequently progressed through the ranks to become a regular at right-back, although when Robbie first came to Tynecastle he was an excellent all-rounder, being able to perform at centre-half, full-back or in midfield.

In his early years, Robbie won Youth international honours and in May 1998 his tough tackling and dangerous running helped Hearts to victory in the Youth Cup final against Dundee Utd. This early promise was recognised in April 2000 when Robbie was in the Scottish U21 side despite not having made his senior debut for Hearts. He also played in the team that won the Premier Reserve League in 1999/2000.

**STEVEN PRESSLEY**

**A tough, assured and experienced centre back who has become a genuine stalwart and an inspirational Hearts captain.**

Steven has also earned a regular place in the Scottish international side and won his 19th cap in the match against Trinidad & Tobago in May 2004.

Was appointed club captain in August 2001 and he has

# Hearts are today's visitors and we take a look at the men who drew 0-0 with Livingston in their last SPL match

subsequently helped Hearts finish third in the league on three occasions and to reach the League Cup semi-finals. Steven has also assisted the club to establish a regular presence in the UEFA Cup.

Although he is immense in defence and a driving force of the team, Steven also has the mental strength for crucial penalties and he is a regular scorer from the spot, including one in the dying minutes at Easter Road in March 2002 that brought victory over Hibs.

**ANDY WEBSTER**

**A rugged and fearless centre-back who has made outstanding progress since coming to Hearts from Arbroath in 2001.**

In fact, Andy is already a regular member of the Scottish international squad and earned his eighth cap against Trinidad & Tobago in May 2004.

With power in the air and strength in the tackle, Andy has formed a splendid defensive partnership with Steven Pressley. This has played an important part in Hearts finishing third in the league for the past two seasons and playing regularly in the UEFA Cup. Andy also appeared in the League Cup semi-final in February 2003 and later that year he scored the goal against Hibs that won the inaugural Festival Cup.

In addition, during 2002/03, Andy started to receive international recognition and for Bertie Vogts he is certainly one for the future.

**ALAN MAYBURY**

**One of the most impressive and consistent defenders in the country.**

In addition, his penetrating runs and crosses are a feature of the current Hearts team and pose a constant threat to opponents. In fact Alan's great form during 2003/04 earned him a recall to the Irish international squad and he has added six more caps to the two he earned while still with Leeds United.

He helped the team to reach the League Cup semi-final in February 2003 and over the last two seasons Alan has played a huge part in Hearts claiming a place in the UEFA Cup through finishing third in the Premier League. The combative defender also caught the eye of the Ireland manager, Brian Kerr, and ended 2003/04 as a regular in his national team.

**PHIL STAMP**

**A strong and industrious player who can make and take chances and supports both the attack and the defence through his powerful runs and forceful style.**

The combative midfielder is very proud to have played for his home town club, Middlesbrough, where he started as a trainee and quickly became a Youth internationalist. In 1993, Phil earned a place in the first-team squad and he eventually appeared in 154 competitive games for his favourite team. He played a minor part in Middlesbrough's First Division Championship win in 1994/95.

The tough Englishman has been bothered with niggling calf and rib injuries during his time at Tynecastle, but he has become a key man for Craig Levein. He has also developed a great

relationship with the supporters, enhanced by that superb late winner against Hibs in November 2002.

**PATRICK KISBORO**

**A tough and talented centre-half who can also operate as a defensive midfielder or at full-back.**

Accordingly, in his first season with Hearts, Patrick's versatility and positive attitude has been a great asset to the team and he played an important role in helping the club back into the UEFA Cup through finishing third in the Premier League.

With his strength in the air and solid tackling, Patrick was a much admired member of the Australian professional club South Melbourne, whom he

joined at the age of 16. He played for the Australian Youth international side that reached the World Youth Championship Finals in 2001 and then earned his first full international cap in July 2002 against Vanuatu.

**PAUL HARTLEY**

**An exciting and direct attacker who is comfortable on the wing, in a central midfield role or as a striker.**

Paul certainly has the pace and skill to turn matches in Hearts' favour and his crossing and shooting skills are a huge asset to the team.

In 1997/98, the dynamic midfielder helped Raith Rovers to third place in the First Division and Paul was then lured to Hibernian in December 1998. He helped Hibs to win the First Division Championship and in





1999/2000 was a regular in the squad that took Hibs to sixth place in the Premier League and into the Scottish Cup semi-final.

However, Paul did not settle at Easter Road and in July 2000, he was recruited by St Johnstone. Unfortunately, Saints were relegated in 2001/2002, but the following season, Paul's creative ability and goals assisted the Perth team to third place in the First Division. Then when his contract expired, Hearts were able to secure his services in the summer of 2003 and Paul has really come on to a game at Tynecastle, with his attacking skills a feature of the team that earned third place in the Premier League.

### MICHAEL STEWART

**Born in the outskirts of Edinburgh, Michael began his footballing career playing for his local boys' club.**

It was here that a Manchester United scout spotted him and asked him to travel to Old Trafford for a trial.

Although he had been playing at Rangers twice a week, Michael jumped at the chance to relocate to Manchester but found it difficult to make the breakthrough into the first team against the like of David Beckham and Juan Sebastian Veron. In an effort to kick-start his career, he spent part of season 2003/04 on loan at Nottingham Forest, before heading to Ibrox for pre-season training in the summer of 2004 in an attempt to win a long-term deal with Alex McLeish's side.

When that move fell through, Craig Levein moved in quickly to strengthen his midfield by securing the player on a favourable season-long loan deal.

### JAMIE McALLISTER

**A quick and skilful defender who likes to get forward and is also very comfortable in the left wing-back position.**

He played for Bellshill Boys' Club before being recruited by Queen of the South in July 1996. Jamie quickly became one of the



**ATTACK MEN:** Paul Duncanson and Michael Stewart, only since Hearts' midfield injury



most promising players in the lower divisions and helped the Dumfries club to reach the Challenge Cup final in November 1997. Jamie's style also attracted attention from some major sides and in May 1999, he was secured by Aberdeen for a fee of £100,000.

The industrious defender played nearly 150 competitive games for the Dons before moving to Livingston in June 2003. During his time at Pittodrie he appeared in the League Cup final in March 2000 and the Scottish Cup final in May 2000 but suffered the disappointment of defeats by Celtic and Rangers. However, Jamie was on the winning side last season in the League Cup final where he was the star man for the West Lothian club.

With some uncertainty about his future at Livingston and his contract having expired, Hearts were able to move in to secure Jamie's signature on a two year deal.

### DENNIS WYNESS

**A quick and skilful attacker who was the most dangerous striker in the First Division prior to his move to Tynecastle in 2003.**

Dennis had some previous Premier League experience, because he started his senior career with Aberdeen after signing from the junior side FC

Stoneywood in October 1994.

However, he could not establish a regular place in the Dons' first team and made only 24 appearances before being loaned to Inverness Caledonian Thistle in September 1999.

The lively striker was then pursued by Hearts and Aberdeen but he wanted to come to Edinburgh and has worked hard to make the breakthrough. By the end of his first season at Tynecastle, Dennis had netted seven competitive goals and the fans can anticipate many more in the new season as he develops an attacking partnership with Mark De Vries.

### KEVIN MCKENNA

**Kevin is a valuable player for Craig Levein due to his genuine versatility and the ability to improvise during a game.**

The powerful Canadian is principally a solid and reliable stopper, but he is often successfully deployed at centre forward and scored five valuable goals last season and a total of 20 since he came to Scotland from Germany. Kevin can also operate at wide midfield if required.

Kevin had trials with Celtic, Everton and West Ham before joining Hearts on loan in March 2001. His value was quickly recognised and in July 2001 Hearts paid £300,000 for his permanent transfer.



**FORWARD THINKING:** Dennis Wyness and Mark de Vries could be leading the attack for Hearts this afternoon.

#### JOE HAMILL

**Joe had a spell with East Stirlingshire Boys' Club before joining the Hearts youth development programme.**

The hard-working and tricky winger made good progress and in April 2002 was promoted to the first-team squad after starring in the U18 and U21 sides. Indeed, he was one of the top men when Hearts won the Youth League Championship in 2000/01.

Joe remained on the fringe of the first team in 2002/03, but last season the industrious youngster started to feature on a regular basis and made 20 competitive appearances. His confidence also received a great boost when in May 2004 he scored the only goal of the league match against Rangers at Ibrox. Joe delivers quality balls for the strikers and this season should be a big one for the promising wideman.

#### MARK DE VRIES

**One of the most feared attackers in the Scottish game due to his physical presence, superb aerial strength and not inconsiderable skill on the ball.**

Mark has also been the club's top scorer for the past two seasons with 30 goals in 75 competitive games. In addition, he is an outstanding team player who always makes himself available as a target and brings his colleagues into the game.

When Mark leads the line and takes the knocks, Hearts always have a chance of winning. Accordingly, he has become a popular figure at Tynecastle and has given the supporters some unforgettable moments such as a historic four league goals against Hibs on his debut.

● All information from the official Hearts website.



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REF	VENUE	DAY	DATES	AGE	TIMES	COST
OH1	CLYDEBANK: GOALS CLYDEBANK	MON-FRI	OCT 18-22	5-7	10AM-NOON	£32
OH2	CLYDEBANK: GOALS CLYDEBANK	MON-FRI	OCT 18-22	8-12	1 PM - 3 PM	£32
OH3	CUMBERNAULD: GUY'S MEADOW	MON-FRI	OCT 18-22	5-7	10 AM - NOON	£32
OH4	CUMBERNAULD: GUY'S MEADOW	MON-FRI	OCT 18-22	8-12	1 PM - 3 PM	£32
OH5	DALKEITH HIGH SCHOOL	MON-FRI	OCT 18-22	5-7	10 AM - NOON	£32
OH6	DALKEITH HIGH SCHOOL	MON-FRI	OCT 18-22	8-12	1 PM - 3PM	£32
OH7	FIRHILL COMPLEX	MON-FRI	OCT 18-22	5-7	10 AM - NOON	£32
OH8	FIRHILL COMPLEX	MON-FRI	OCT 18-22	8-12	1 PM - 3PM	£32
OH9	HAMILTON: POWERLEAGUE	MON-FRI	OCT 18-22	5-7	10 AM - NOON	£32
OH10	HAMILTON: POWERLEAGUE	MON-FRI	OCT 18-22	8-12	10 AM - 3PM	£70
OH11	ROUKEN GLEN: K7X	MON-FRI	OCT 18-22	5-7	10 AM - NOON	£32
OH12	ROUKEN GLEN: K7X	MON-FRI	OCT 18-22	8-12	1 PM - 3 PM	£32
OH13	SHAWLANDS: GOALS SHAWLANDS	MON-FRI	OCT 18-22	5-7	1 PM - 3 PM	£32
OH14	SHAWLANDS: GOALS SHAWLANDS	MON-FRI	OCT 18-22	8-12	10 AM - 3 PM	£70
OH15	SCOTSTOUN LEISURE CENTRE	MON-FRI	OCT 18-22	5-7	10 AM - NOON	£32
OH16	SCOTSTOUN LEISURE CENTRE	MON-FRI	OCT 18-22	8-12	1 PM - 3 PM	£32
OH17	STIRLING UNIVERSITY	MON-FRI	OCT 11-15	8-12	11 AM - 1 PM	£32

### GOALKEEPING TASTER DAY AT ABERDEEN

OH20	ABERDEEN ALBION TRAINING GROUND	WED	OCT 13	7-11	10 AM - 3 PM	£12
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### OUTFIELD TASTER DAY AT ABERDEEN

OH21	ABERDEEN ALBION TRAINING GROUND	THU	OCT 14	7-10	10 AM - 3 PM	£12
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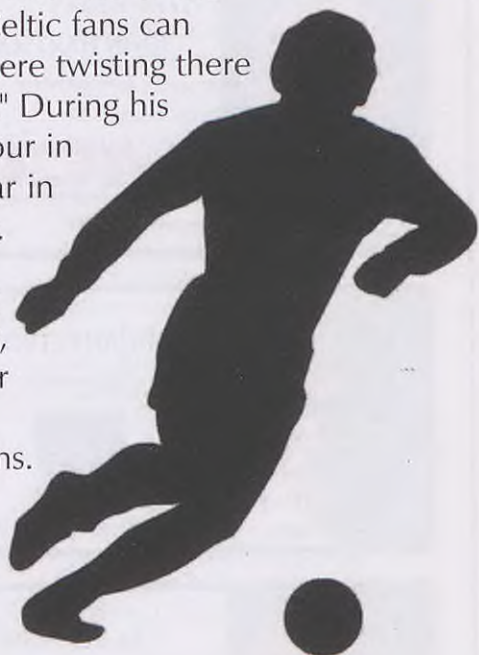
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TODAY marks the 306th meeting between Celtic and Hearts and in the previous 305 matches the Bhoys have triumphed in 160 of them.

The Tynecastle side have managed 78 wins while the other 67 games have finished all square.

For the last concerted effort by Hearts to derail the Celts' title hopes you would have to go back all the way to season 1986/87.

That term Celtic finished second to Rangers on 63 points but in the inter-city clashes between the Bhoys and the Jam Tarts it was the fifth-placed Edinburgh side who took most of the plaudits.

All Celtic had to show for their efforts was a 2-0 win in Glasgow with the other meeting at this side of the M8 finishing 1-1.

Both Tynecastle games finished 1-0 for the home side with Hearts also managing to come out on top with the same 1-0 home result in a Scottish Cup tie the same season.

Hearts also gathered the majority of the points up for grabs between the sides the previous season - but it was the Celts who emerged victorious on a nail-biting cliffhanger of a final day of the season to claim the title despite Hearts' one-upmanship in actual games between the sides.

That, of course, was season 1985/86 when Hearts went down 2-0 to Dundee at Dens Park while the rampant Celts overran St Mirren 5-0 at Love Street.

In the head-to-head conflicts though it was the Jambos who nicked it as three 1-1 draws were augmented with a 1-0 victory for Hearts here at Celtic Park.

That was a long time ago though and, aside from a 2-1 win here for Hearts in season 1991/92, today's visitors have only recorded one other win here in the intervening years and that was five seasons ago - but it did help pave the way for a sea change in Celtic's fortunes and, ultimately, Celtic's history.

There's no doubt the Scottish Cup debacle against Inverness



### We focus on the week Hearts and Inverness Caley Thistle came to Celtic Park and changed not only Celtic's fortunes that season, but also the club's direction

Words: JOE SULLIVAN

Caley Thistle in February 2000 let loose the Sword of Damocles that was dangling over the head of John Barnes.

But it was the outcome of games such as the 90 minutes against Hearts three days prior to match against ICT that sharpened the sword and aimed it in the direction of the Celtic manager.

The Scottish Cup game against the First Division side was due to go ahead on January 29 but high winds loosened more than a mere piece of guttering from the Celtic Park roof.

It blew away not just the hope, but also the pride of thousands, as supporters were disillusioned and

incredulous not to mention ultimately sickened by what they were eventually to witness.

Ironically, the damaged guttering was atop the Lisbon Lions' Stand and a few days later, the greatest team in Celtic's history took a bow when Barnes' side lined up against Bayern Munich in the Millennium Challenge Match as the East Stand was officially given its Sunday name.

A week after their last official appearance as a team at Paradise, Lisbon seemed a million miles away and God only knows what the Lions thought of what was happening on the field of dreams they helped create.

That was yet to come though,



SWEET SPOT: Aussie Mark Viduka congratulates Lubo Moravcik on his stunning strike against Hearts

the postponement of the ICT game meant Hearts would be the next visitors to Celtic Park and by the end of the game certain members of the Celtic management side may have been ruing the successful maintenance work carried out on the roof.

The following sides strutted their stuff on the park that day:

Celtic: Gould, Riseth, Stubbs, Boyd, Mahe



(Blinker 74), Petrov, Healy, Mjallby (Johnson 62), Berkovic (Burchill 62), Viduka, Moravcik. Hearts: Niemi, Pressley, Murray, Petric, Naysmith, Fogel, Cameron, Simpson, Tomaschek, Jackson (Adam 85), Wales (Kirk 85).

The previous week Celtic had drawn 1-1 with Kilmarnock and the Hearts match was seen as the last chance for the Bhoys if they were to have any chance of clawing back a six-point deficit on Rangers who still had an extra game to play.

Stilian Petrov is the only survivor from that game and while Hearts too still have a solitary player from that day in the shape

speciality 25-yarder past Antti Niemi to open the scoring in the 18th minute.

Just 11 minutes later, Moravcik was involved in the goalmouth action but this time as provider when he looped over a pinpoint cross for Mark Viduka to rise and send home with a powerful header.

With Rangers not being entertained by Hibernian until the following day, the feeling was that

the gap was already cut and the pressure would be on the Ibrox side at Easter Road.

Hearts had other ideas though and just two minutes after Celtic doubled their lead, the visitors pulled

one back and former Celt Darren Jackson played his part in the goal.

Jackson's perfect through ball to Colin Cameron was seized upon by the Hearts man who slotted the ball past Jonathan Gould in the Celtic goal.

“LUBO MORAVCIK CURLED IN A SPECIALITY 25-YARDER PAST HEARTS GOALKEEPER ANTTI NIEMI TO OPEN THE SCORING FOR CELTIC IN THE 18th MINUTE”

of Steven Pressley, it is the difference in the Celtic side and their fortunes which has been the most markedly improved.

It was Hearts who started the strongest in the opening stages until Lubo Moravcik curled in a



**THE EQUALISER:**

Gary Naysmith grabs Hearts second goal against Celtic



Viduka missed a golden opportunity to reaffirm Celtic's lead when he passed up the easiest of chances and the Bhoys were made to rue that moment nine minutes after the break when Hearts equalised.

Cameron turned provider this time when Gary Naysmith pounced on his through ball and smashed a shot into the top corner.

The old adage that goals win games clearly played on Barnes' mind and Tommy Johnson and Mark Burchill were deployed from the bench to boost the Celtic attack at the expense of Johan Mjallby and Eyal Berkovic.

Ironically, the forward-planning move backfired in calamitous terms when Tommy Johnson blatantly pushed over Darren Jackson in the Celtic box and referee John

**“HEARTS MAY HAVE STUCK THE KNIFE IN BARNES’ MANAGERIAL STINT AT CELTIC PARK BUT INVERNESS CALEDONIAN THISTLE GAVE IT THE FATAL TWIST”**

Rowbotham pointed to the spot. That was just eight minutes from the end and you could put both your home and away shirts on what happened next, Cameron potted away the penalty and from being 2-0 in front, the Celts had lost 3-2 and another three points went down the plughole. To make

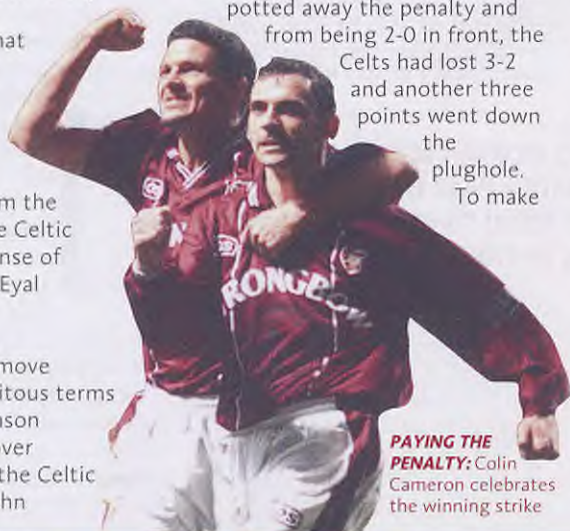
matters worse, 24 hours later Rangers could only draw with Hibs and a perfect opportunity to cut the gap had been thrown away.

Frank McGarvey summed up the feelings of most Celts when he said: “The league has now gone but we are still in the cups.”

Within three days that remark was to unexpectedly lose any substance it had as Inverness Caley Thistle came calling.

Hearts may have stuck the knife in Barnes' managerial stint at Celtic but ICT gave it the fatal twist.

Thankfully, there are no survivors from that fateful night left in the present Celtic side but Hearts' Dennis Wyness, who played for Caley in their 3-1 win, undoubtedly still harbours some amazing, if hardly believable, memories.



**PAYING THE PENALTY:** Colin Cameron celebrates the winning strike

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**THE Celts will take to the field today wearing black armbands in tribute to former Celt Alex Rollo whose funeral was held earlier this week.**

The service was in his adopted hometown of Workington in Cumbria where he settled on his retirement from football in 1962.

But it was in the previous decade that he made his name as a Celt when he made his debut in 1951 after signing from Ashfield Juniors in 1948.

Those were lean years for the Celts but it wasn't long before Alex and his teammates were picking up winners' medals thanks to a wee run of trophies in the early 1950s.

Within months of making his debut, Alex helped lift the 1950/51 Scottish Cup with a win over Motherwell then at the start of the following season, the St Mungo Cup was won thanks to a victory over Aberdeen.

The next season looked to be heading towards a fruitless conclusion until two trophies were won right at the end.

In regular competition the Celts had to settle for the Glasgow Charity Cup but it was the other, the Coronation Cup, that gave the fans most pleasure and left-back Alex Rollo in particular rated that trophy above all others he lifted.

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Dunfermline	32,606	8,533	4,388	6,521
Celtic	231,329	58,935	56,936	57,832
Rangers	190,145	48,702	46,278	47,536
Hearts	60,854	14,601	10,340	12,171
Hibernian	33,777	13,500	9,344	11,259
Inverness	13,836	8,736	1,117	3,459
Kilmarnock	26,751	10,500	4,711	6,688
Livingston	14,125	4,050	3,106	3,531
Motherwell	18,045	7,095	5,091	6,015

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15	0
5	0

Club	W	D	L	For	Agst	Pts	Gl Diff	Sequence
Celtic	5	1	0	15	3	16	12	WWWDWW
Motherwell	4	2	0	13	7	14	6	WWDWWD
Rangers	4	1	1	9	2	13	7	WLDWWW
Aberdeen	3	2	1	6	3	11	3	WWDWLD
Kilmarnock	3	0	3	8	8	9	0	LWWLWL
Hibernian	2	3	1	11	12	9	-1	LDWDWD
Hearts	2	2	2	4	3	8	1	WLDLWD
Dunfermline	1	2	3	3	7	5	-4	LLDWLD
Dundee Utd	1	2	3	8	15	5	-7	DWDLWL
Livingston	0	3	3	3	8	3	-5	DLDDL
Dundee	0	3	3	6	12	3	-6	LDLDDL
Inverness	0	1	5	4	10	1	-6	LLLLLD

Attendance and Cards stats are ordered alphabetically

Form Guide stats are ordered by points gained over last 6 games.

## Goals scored in last 15 mins

FOR	76-90	Total	%	AGAINST	76-90	Total	%
Rangers	6	13	46.2	Rangers	1	2	50.0
Dundee	3	8	37.5	Dundee	5	14	35.7
Dundee Utd	3	10	30.0	Aberdeen	1	3	33.3
Dunfermline	1	4	25.0	Hibernian	4	14	28.6
Hearts	1	5	20.0	Motherwell	3	11	27.3
Inverness	1	6	16.7	Dundee Utd	3	18	16.7
Livingston	1	6	16.7	Livingston	2	12	16.7
Celtic	3	21	14.3	Inverness	2	13	15.4
Motherwell	2	14	14.3	Dunfermline	1	10	10.0
Kilmarnock	1	11	9.1	Kilmarnock	1	12	8.3
Hibernian	1	13	7.7	Celtic	0	5	0.0
Aberdeen	0	6	0.0	Hearts	0	3	0.0

## Margins of victory & defeat

WON by	1 gl	2 gts	3 gts	4+ gts	LOST by	1 gl	2 gts	3 gts	4+ gts
Celtic	1	3	3	0	Inverness	4	1	1	0
Rangers	1	2	1	1	Dundee	2	1	1	0
Kilmarnock	2	1	1	0	Dundee Utd	1	1	2	0
Motherwell	2	2	0	0	Dunfermline	2	1	1	0
Aberdeen	2	1	0	0	Kilmarnock	1	2	1	0
Hearts	2	0	1	0	Livingston	1	2	0	1
Hibernian	3	0	0	0	Hearts	1	1	0	0
Dundee	1	0	0	0	Hibernian	1	0	1	0
Dundee Utd	1	0	0	0	Motherwell	1	1	0	0
Dunfermline	1	0	0	0	Aberdeen	1	0	0	0
Inverness	0	1	0	0	Rangers	1	0	0	0
Livingston	0	0	1	0	Celtic	0	0	0	0

## Premierleague top scorers

Scorer	Club	SPL	CIS	SFA	Eu	Tot	Gms	Avg
Scott McDonald	Motherwell	7	0	0	0	7	10	0.70
Kris Boyd	Kilmarnock	6	0	0	0	6	9	0.67
Garry O'Connor	Hibernian	5	1	0	0	6	9	0.67
John Hartson	Celtic	6	0	0	0	6	10	0.60
Derek Riordan	Hibernian	4	1	0	0	5	9	0.56
Steve Lovell	Dundee	2	3	0	0	5	9	0.56
Henri Camara	Celtic	5	0	0	0	5	10	0.50

## Premierleague records

Highest Attendance	58,935 Celtic v Rangers
Lowest Attendance	1,117 Inverness v Motherwell
Biggest Home Win	Rangers 4-0 Livingston
Biggest Away Win	Dundee Utd 0-3 Celtic
Biggest Aggregate Score	Hibernian 4-4 Dundee
Total Games	48
Home Wins	19 (40%)
Away Wins	15 (31%)
Draws	14 (29%)
1-1 Draws	7 (15%)
0-0 Draws	5 (10%)
Yellow Cards	132
Red Cards	9

## Goals from set pieces

Set Piece For	Corner	Free Kick	Tot	Set Piece For	Corner	Free Kick	Tot
Celtic	2	3	5	Kilmarnock	2	2	4
Dundee Utd	3	1	4	Dundee	1	2	3
Rangers	3	1	4	Hibernian	1	2	3
Kilmarnock	1	2	3	Inverness	3	0	3
Hibernian	1	1	2	Dunfermline	1	1	2
Aberdeen	0	1	1	Motherwell	1	1	2
Dundee	0	1	1	Aberdeen	0	1	1
Inverness	1	0	1	Dundee Utd	1	0	1
Motherwell	1	0	1	Celtic	1	0	1
Dunfermline	0	0	0	Rangers	1	0	1
Hearts	0	0	0	Livingston	0	1	1
Livingston	0	0	0	Hearts	0	0	0

## Biggest wins & heaviest defeats

Club	Biggest Win	Club	Heaviest Defeat
Aberdeen	2-0 Livingston	Aberdeen	0-1 Hibernian
Dundee	2-1 Dundee Utd	Dundee	0-3 Celtic
Dundee Utd	2-1 Inverness	Dundee Utd	2-5 Kilmarnock
Dunfermline	1-0 Hearts	Dunfermline	0-3 Celtic
Celtic	3-0 Dundee, Dunfermline, Dundee Utd	Celtic	- no defeats
Rangers	4-0 Livingston	Rangers	0-1 Celtic
Hearts	3-0 Kilmarnock	Hearts	0-2 Motherwell
Hibernian	2-1 Motherwell, Inverness	Hibernian	1-4 Rangers
Inverness	2-0 Dunfermline	Inverness	0-3 Livingston
Kilmarnock	5-2 Dundee Utd	Kilmarnock	0-3 Hearts
Livingston	3-0 Inverness	Livingston	0-4 Rangers
Motherwell	4-2 Dundee Utd	Motherwell	0-2 Celtic



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Celtic's Youth Academy is focused on bringing the very best out of the nations youngsters and turning them into quality professionals

# the YOUTH ACADEMY

**WHEN we look at the Youth Academy there are many things we can be proud of.**

The Scouting Network, the Education and Welfare provision, the Science Programme, the Coaching Programme, and the Development Centres are all facets of the Academy we can look at with some pride.

Probably the facet that we can be most proud of is our Community Programme. The 'Train and Play the Celtic Way' courses and participation centres have provided quality coaching to thousands of youngsters. In some cases we have provided the only access kids have ever had to qualified coaches.

It is so important we continue to feed the 'grassroots' of the game and our Academy project recognises this.

In a week when the national side has come in for fierce criticism, the importance of Celtic working at 'grassroots' level has been heavily underlined.

We are doing the best we can to improve the quality of Scottish players.

However, it is obvious that we don't just run the Community Programme for the benefit of Scottish football, we do it for the benefit of Celtic first and foremost. The indications are that

## Celtic Player Pathway



this is working. The diagram on the left shows the pathway our whole Academy is geared towards. Key in the advancement of talented youngsters is the Community Programme.

So far the programme has progressed over 30 players into elite Development Centres and some into the Academy itself. These are players that we might not otherwise have identified.

All of these youngsters have come through the 'Train and Play the Celtic Way' programme and deserve a massive pat on the back for the way they have used the things they have learned to advance their skills.

They have all done so well that the Community coaches have recommended them for advancement along the player pathway.



SEE PAGE 18 FOR DETAILS OF THE "TRAIN AND PLAY THE CELTIC WAY"

They are the proof the system is working. It won't be too many years before we see some of these kids making their debut at Celtic.

While the Community Programme is not the only way into the Academy it is certainly one of the ways of getting there. I would encourage all youngsters to

get involved and learn to 'Train and Play the Celtic Way'.

The more kids that get involved, the greater our chances of finding and developing talent for Celtic and Scotland.

*Enjoy the game!*  
**John Stephenson**  
Youth Academy Manager

### FIXTURES

OVER the past few weeks our Squads at 13 to 17 have been in action against Inverness, Rangers and Dundee United, while the 11s and 12s have played Hearts, Livingston and Motherwell.

Once again all of the matches have been conducted in excellent spirit, with our boys turning in some fine performances. This weekend the 11s and 12s should have been free, but we arranged a game at Ardeer against Ayr United for the 11s, with the 12s playing against Cheltenham Town at Barrowfield. The Cheltenham match has been arranged through the club's sponsorship connection with Phoenix Kia, who sponsor the strips for the boys in the Youth Academy, and the Cheltenham boys will then be guests of John McGuire of Phoenix at today's match. The 13s and 14s are away at Kilmarnock and the 15s and 17s host Killie at the Science Park.

### INTERNATIONALS

LAST weekend, Scott Cuthbert, Charles Mulgrew, Michael Gardyne and Rocco Quinn played for

## It's been a busy week for Celtic's youngsters which culminated in several U19 players making an appearance for Scotland in Belgium

Scotland U19s in a tournament in Belgium, and by all accounts, performed well in the games.

### OCTOBER WEEK HOLIDAY

DURING the mid-term break our schoolboy members of the 17s squad, will be invited along to Barrowfield to join their full-time mates for coaching.

As with the summer holidays, the boys will work under Jim McNally and Tommy Burns, and experience life as a full-time footballer.

The benefits gained from this exercise in the summer will hopefully be repeated.

As we continue our quest for next year's U11 squad, we have invited a group of U10s from our Development Centres throughout the country, to attend a number of coaching and

assessment sessions during this week.

The boys will work with myself, Martin Miller, Robert Docherty and Adam Owen and a number of our scouts will also be in attendance. Tommy Burns and John Stephenson will also be along to run the rule over the future of our Academy.

When our kids return to school it will be the turn of a number of boys from England and Ireland to impress Tommy, as he will be working with a group who have been recommended by our scouts throughout England and Ireland and who are coming to Celtic Park.

As well as being involved in coaching sessions, a few closed door matches will be arranged to aid the assessment process.

*Brian Meehan*



# CELTIC STATS

Comp	Date	Opposition	Res.	Att.	Team sheet
SPL	Aug 8	H: Motherwell	2-0	57,245	MARSHALL McNAMARA VARGA VALGAEREN AGATHE LENNON PETROV SYLLA THOMPSON SUTTON HARTSON (Camara)
SPL	Aug 14	A: Kilmarnock	4-2	10,500	MARSHALL McNAMARA (Laursen) VARGA VALGAEREN AGATHE LENNON PETROV (Beattie) THOMPSON (Z) HARTSON (Z)
SPL	Aug 22	A: Inverness CT	3-1	8,736	MARSHALL BALDE (Laursen) VARGA VALGAEREN AGATHE LENNON PETROV (Lambert) WALLACE (Pearson) THOMPSON HARTSON (Z)
SPL	Aug 29	H: Rangers	1-0	58,935	MARSHALL BALDE VARGA McNAMARA AGATHE LENNON PETROV JUNINHO (Valgaeren) THOMPSON HARTSON (Sylla)
SPL	Sept 11	H: Dundee	3-0	56,936	MARSHALL BALDE VARGA (Laursen) McNAMARA VALGAEREN LENNON PETROV JUNINHO (Pearson) THOMPSON HARTSON (Sylla)
CL	Sept 14	H: Barcelona	1-3	58,589	MARSHALL BALDE VARGA McNAMARA AGATHE LENNON PETROV JUNINHO (Sutton) THOMPSON HARTSON (Valgaeren)
CL	Sept 19	A: Hibernian	2-2	13,500	MARSHALL BALDE VARGA VALGAEREN SUTTON (Agathe) LENNON PETROV JUNINHO (Pearson) THOMPSON HARTSON (Valgaeren)
CIS	Sept 21	H: Falkirk	8-1	24,345	DOUGLAS BALDE LAURSEN VALGAEREN McMANUS (Thompson) MCGEADY LAMBERT JUNINHO PEARSON SYLLA
SPL	Sept 25	H: Dunfermline	3-0	58,213	MARSHALL BALDE VARGA VALGAEREN SYLLA LENNON PETROV (Wallace) JUNINHO (McGeady) THOMPSON HARTSON (Laursen)
CL	Sept 29	A: AC Milan	1-3	52,648	MARSHALL BALDE VARGA VALGAEREN AGATHE LENNON PETROV SUTTON THOMPSON (Juninho) HARTSON (Sylla)
SPL	Oct 3	A: Dundee Utd	3-0	10,329	MARSHALL BALDE VARGA VALGAEREN (Laursen) AGATHE LENNON PETROV SUTTON 2 JUNINHO HARTSON (Wallace)

Month	Date	Opposition	Res.	Att.	Team sheet
OCTOBER	Oct 16	H: Hearts			
CL	Oct 20	A: Shakhtar Don			
SPL	Oct 24	A: Livingston			
SPL	Oct 27	H: Aberdeen			
CL	Oct 30	A: Motherwell			
CL	Nov 2	H: Shakhtar Don			
SPL	Nov 6	H: Kilmarnock			
CIS	Nov 10	A: Rangers			
SPL	Nov 13	H: Inverness CT			
SPL	Nov 20	A: Rangers			
CL	Nov 24	A: Barcelona			
SPL	Nov 28	A: Dundee			
SPL	Dec 4	H: Hibernian			
CL	Dec 7	H: AC Milan			
SPL	Dec 12	A: Dunfermline			
SPL	Dec 18	H: Dundee Utd			
SPL	Dec 26	A: Hearts			
SPL	Jan 1	H: Livingston			
SC	Jan 8	vs Scottish Cup R3			
SPL	Jan 15	A: Aberdeen			
SPL	Jan 22	H: Motherwell			
SPL	Jan 29	A: Kilmarnock			
CIS	Feb 1/2	vs CIS Cup semi final			
SC	Feb 5	vs Scottish Cup R4			
SPL	Feb 12	A: Inverness CT			
SPL	Feb 19	H: Rangers			
CL	Feb 22/23	vs CL 1st KO 1st leg			
SC	Feb 26	vs Scottish Cup QF			
SPL	Mar 2	H: Dundee			
SPL	Mar 5	A: Hibernian			
CL	Mar 8/9	vs CL 1st KO 2nd leg			
SPL	Mar 12	H: Dunfermline			
SPL	Mar 19	A: Dundee Utd			
CIS	Mar 19/20	vs CIS Cup final			
SPL	Apr 2	H: Hearts			
CL	Apr 5/6	vs CL QF 1st leg			
SPL	Apr 9	A: Livingston			
SC	Apr 9/10	vs Scottish Cup SF			
CL	Apr 12/13	vs CL QF 2nd leg			
SPL	Apr 16	H: Aberdeen			
SPL	Apr 23	SPL Game 34			
CL	Apr 26/27	vs CL SF 1st leg			
SPL	Apr 30	SPL Game 35			
CL	May 3/4	vs CL SF 2nd leg			
SPL	May 7	SPL Game 36			
SPL	May 14	SPL Game 37			
SPL	May 22	SPL Game 38			
CL	May 25	CL Final			
SC	May 28	vs Scottish Cup Final			



Substitutes	Substitutes	Substitutes	Substitutes	Substitutes	Substitutes	Substitutes	Substitutes
MCGEADY (Pearson)	Hedman	Laursen	Sylla (R)	Pearson (Z)	Wallace	Camara (Z)	Beattie
SUTTON	Douglas	Sylla	Pearson	Wallace	Laursen (Z)	Camara (Z)	Beattie (Z)
CAMARA	Douglas	Pearson (R)	Lambert (R)	Laursen (R)	McGeady	McManus	Cuthbert
CAMARA (Wallace)	Douglas	Pearson	Valgaeren (R)	Wallace (R)	McGeady	Sylla (R)	Cuthbert
CAMARA (Z)	Douglas	Pearson (Z)	Laursen (Z)	Quinn	McGeady	Sylla (Z)	Cuthbert
CAMARA	Douglas	Sylla (Z)	Valgaeren (Z)	Sutton (Z)	Pearson	Lambert	McGeady
CAMARA	Hedman	Agathe (R)	Laursen	Wallace	Pearson (Z)	McGeady	Cuthbert
WALLACE (S)	Hedman	Thompson (Z)	Lennon	Petrov	Varga		
CAMARA (Z)	Douglas	Wallace (R)	McGeady (R)	Laursen (R)	Pearson	Lambert	Cuthbert
CAMARA	Douglas	Wallace	McGeady	Laursen	Juninho (R)	Lambert	Sylla (R)
CAMARA (Lambert)	Hedman	Sylla	Lambert (Z)	McGeady	Wallace (Z)	Cuthbert	Laursen (R)

- 3 MOMO SYLLA Midfielder
- 4 JACKIE McNAMARA Defender
- 5 JOOS VALGAEREN Defender
- 6 BOBO BALDE Defender
- 7 JUNINHO Midfielder
- 8 ALAN THOMPSON Midfielder
- 9 CHRIS SUTTON Forward
- 10 JOHN HARTSON Forward
- 11 STEPHEN PEARSON Midfielder
- 12 DAVID FERNANDEZ Forward
- 14 PAUL LAMBERT Midfielder
- 15 BOBBY PETTA Midfielder
- 16 ULRIK LAURSEN Defender
- 17 DIDIER AGATHE Midfielder
- 18 NEIL LENNON Midfielder
- 19 STILIAN PETROV Midfielder
- 20 ROBERT DOUGLAS Goalkeeper
- 21 MAGNUS HEDMAN Goalkeeper
- 22 DAVID MARSHALL Goalkeeper
- 23 STANISLAV VARGA Defender
- 27 HENRI CAMARA Forward
- 29 SHAUN MALONEY Forward
- 33 ROSS WALLACE Forward
- 37 CRAIG BEATTIE Forward
- 38 ROCCO QUINN Defender
- 41 JOHN KENNEDY Defender
- 44 STEPHEN McMANUS Defender
- 46 AIDEN MCGEADY Midfielder
- 47 MICHAEL MCGOVERN Goalkeeper
- 49 SCOTT CUTHBERT Defender

Statistics:  
 Name - goalscorer  
 ● - player booked  
 ● - player sent off  
 Name (Z) - sub used  
 \* own goal scored

## FIRST TEAM STATS 04/05

Player	League					CIS Cup					Scot Cup					Europe					Total					
	P	W	D	L	F	P	W	D	L	F	P	W	D	L	F	P	W	D	L	F	P	W	D	L	F	
JOHN HARTSON	8	0	6	2	10	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	10	0	6	2	10	0	6
NEIL LENNON	8	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	2	0	0	0
DAVID MARSHALL	8	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	2	0	0	0
STILIAN PETROV	8	0	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	10	2	2	2	0	0	0
STANISLAV VARGA	8	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	10	0	2	2	0	0	0
JOOS VALGAEREN	7	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	9	2	0	1	1	0	0
ALAN THOMPSON	7	0	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	9	1	3	2	0	0	0
BOBO BALDE	6	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	9	0	1	1	0	0	0
HENRI CAMARA	6	2	5	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	8	2	5	2	0	0	0
DIDIER AGATHE	5	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	7	1	0	2	0	0	0
JUNINHO	5	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	7	1	0	1	0	0	0
CHRIS SUTTON	4	0	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	6	0	3	1	1	0	0
JACKIE McNAMARA	4	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5	0	1	1	0	0	0
AIDEN MCGEADY	2	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	1	0	0	0
MOMO SYLLA	1	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	5	1	0	0	0	0
ROSS WALLACE	1	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	3	3	0	0	0	0
STEPHEN PEARSON	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0
ULRIK LAURSEN	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0
PAUL LAMBERT	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	0
BAR DOUGLAS	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
STEPHEN McMANUS	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
CRAIG BEATTIE	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
MAGNUS HEDMAN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
JOHN KENNEDY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SHAUN MALONEY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DAVID FERNANDEZ	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BOBBY PETTA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
own goals	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

SPL	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
CELTIC	8	7	1	0	21	5	16	22
Rangers	8	5	2	1	13	2	11	17
Motherwell	8	4	2	2	14	11	3	14
Aberdeen	8	3	4	1	6	3	3	13
Hearts	8	3	3	2	5	3	2	12
Kilmarnock	8	4	0	4	11	12	-1	12
Hibernian	8	3	3	2	13	14	-1	12
Dundee	8	1	3	4	8	14	-6	6
Livingston	8	1	3	4	6	12	-6	6
Dunfermline	8	1	3	4	4	10	-6	6
Dundee Utd	8	1	3	4	10	18	-8	6
Inverness CT	8	1	1	6	5	12	-7	4



# half-time QUIZ

Put your football knowledge to the test with our super Celtic quiz

- 1) Which five Celts played in the opening match of the 1998 World Cup between Scotland and Brazil?
- 2) Which three clubs has Billy Stark managed since leaving Celtic in 1997?
- 3) Who are the only two men to have the distinction of managing Hearts and Hibernian?
- 4) Which player in September became only the fourth person to net five goals in a Premier League/SPL match?
- 5) In how many successive matches have Celtic scored against Rangers to establish a record for the fixture?
- 6) Who are the only two Celtic players to have scored goals at Wembley Stadium?
- 7) In the last three decades which four Hearts players have netted goals in Scottish Cup finals?
- 8) Against which country did Juninho win a World Cup winners' medal for Brazil in Japan in 2002?
- 9) Which Champions League match in September was abandoned when the referee Anders Frisk was hit by a missile from the crowd?
- 10) Who is the only Hearts player to have scored for Scotland in a World Cup tournament?
- 11) Since the Millennium who is the only opposition manager to have won two competitive matches at Celtic Park?



Juninho- Q8

- 12) Which three players since 1990 have scored in FA Cup finals and also in their careers played for Celtic?
- 13) Which former Hearts player and Scottish legend was voted English Football Writers' Player of the Year in 1996?
- 14) With which two clubs did the late Brian Clough win League Championship medals as manager in England?
- 15) Who was the first player this season to score a competitive hat-trick for Celtic?

## ANSWERS

1. Tom Boyd, Craig Burley, Tom Mackinlay, Darren Jackson & Paul Lambert. 2. Morton, St Johnstone & Queen's Park. 3. Willie McCartney & Willie Ormond. 4. Kris Boyd (Kilmarnock) v Dundee United. 5. 22 games. 6. Bobby Lennox. 1967 & Kenny Dalglish. 1977 (for Scotland). 7. Graham Shaw. 1976 John Colquhoun. 1996 Colin Cameron & Stephane Adam. 1998. 8. Germany. 9. Roma v Dynamo Kiev. 10. Jimmy Murray v Yugoslavia. 1958. 11. Steve Paterson. Inverness CT Scottish Cup 2000. Aberdeen SPL 2004. 12. Lee Martin, Brian McClair & Ian Wright. 13. Dave McKay. 14. Derby County & Nottingham Forest. 15. Ross Wallace v Falkirk Clis Cup.



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