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SUNDAY 17th JANUARY 1999

MERCURY HAZELWOOD SUNDAY LEAGUE (DIVISION 2) MATCH AT HOME TO CHURCHBURY AT HAZELWOOD SPORTS GROUND

KICK OFF 10.40 AM (REFEREE LATE!)

SCORE: EDMONTON ROVERS 5 CHURCHBURY 0 HALF TIME: 4-0

TEAM	MARKS OUT OF 10	SCORERS
1. GK Shaun O'NEILL	8	
2. RB Tony SPILLER	7	
3. LB Steve BEASLEY (CAPTAIN)	8	10 mins,
4. RM Derek DORWARD	* (61 mins) 6½	
5. SW Stuart DORWARD	7	
6. CM Gary SOUTHAM	7	
7. CM Russell BEEDEN	8	
8. CM Neil TILLEY	* (71 mins) 7	33 mins,
9. CF Kevin DEDMAN	8	7, 28, 57 (PEN) mins,
10. CF CM Glen SOUTHAM	7	
11. LM John BEASLEY	* (51 mins) 6	
12. LM Treasure MACARTHY	* (51 mins) 6	
14. RM Lenton HARRISON	* (61 mins) 6	
15. CF Gary ODELL	* (71 mins) 6	
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17. -	-	

OPPONENTS GOAL TIMES: -

OTHER CLUB MEMBERS PRESENT: L. HUGHES, T. HUGHES, S. DYER, S. PLATT, R. PRYKE

CROWD: 15

REFEREE: WAYNE JOWLEY

CLUB LINESMAN: RON BEASLEY

REFEREE'S MARK (OUT OF 10): 7

BOOKINGS: KEITH BUCKLE (CHURCHBURY) (45 mins) (FOUL)

PENDING OFFS: -

WEATHER CONDITIONS: SUNNY AND DRY, BUT COLD WIND DOWN PITCH (AGAINST US 2ND HALF)

STATE OF PITCH: VERY SOFT AND MUDDY (UNPLAYABLE IN CHANGING ROOMS END GOALMOUTH!)

Report: We came into this game knowing that Churchbury were the weakest side in the Division, but they had actually won a game the week before and that was presumably why they turned up with a full-strength side with 3 substitutes and about 5 managers/'coaches' on the touchline who organised a 'Brimdown-style' warm-up for their players on the pitch half-an-hour before the game kicked off! However, we were fielding a stronger side than in recent matches as well, despite Carlo Casali 'preferring to go for a drive in his new car with his bird' rather than suffer another unnecessary 'bollocking' from Gary Southam, and we ignored Churchbury's tactics of 'getting stuck in and running around at 100 m.p.h.' to 'cruise' to a 4-0 half-time lead with some of our usual 'taking the piss' skill coming to the fore (especially from Kevin Dedman and Steve Beasley in particular), while Churchbury's best attempt of the match came from a 'deliberate?' own goal attempt from Stuart Dorward which Shaun O'Neill spoilt by making a brilliant save (as we 'strolled' our way through the second half.)!