

SUNDAY 29th SEPTEMBER 1996

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LONDON F.A. SUNDAY INTERMEDIATE CUP, FIRST ROUND MATCH AT HOME TO LEYTON PRINCE OF WALES

KICK OFF 10.30 AM.

AT HAZELWOOD SPORTS GROUND

SCORE:- EDMONTON ROVERS 3, LEYTON PRINCE OF WALES 2

HALFTIME 1-1

TEAM	MARKS OUT OF 10	SCORERS
1. GK <sup>1</sup> Stavros ELIA	8	
2. RB <sup>10</sup> Steve BEASLEY (CAPTAIN)	5 (4½)	
3. LB <sup>3</sup> John DYER	7	
4. RM <sup>6</sup> Treasure MacCARTHY	6*	
5. SW <sup>7</sup> Stuart DORWARD	6	88 mins,
6. CH <sup>4</sup> Gary SOUTHAM	6 (5½)	
7. CM <sup>8</sup> Kevin DEDMAN	7 (6½)	44, 46 mins,
8. CM <sup>11</sup> Robert MUSCHAMP	7	
9. CF <sup>9</sup> Russell BEEDEN	6	
10. CF <sup>2</sup> John BEASLEY	6*	
11. LM <sup>5</sup> Micky SOUTHAM	6	
12. CF <sup>12</sup> Derek DORWARD	6 (6½)	
14. - Paul REBAIRO	-	
15. - Mark BASCOMBE	-	

OPponents GOAL TIMES:- MICHAEL WITTER (6 mins), GEORGE HERAKLIDES (71 mins)

OTHER CLUB MEMBERS PRESENT:- L Hughes, T. Hughes, K. Young, D. Padenwood, C. Beeden

CROWD:- 17

CLUB LINESMAN:- RON BEASLEY

REFEREE:- S. CLARKE

REFEREE'S MARK (OUT OF 10):- 7

BOOKINGS:-

SENDING OFFS:-

WEATHER CONDITIONS:- CLOUDY AND OVERCAST WITH OCCASIONAL SHOWERS. VERY MILD, BUT STRONG WIND BLOWING PITCH (AGAINST US FIRST HALF)

STATE OF PITCH:- VERY FLAT AND HARD. GRASS CUT, BUT WET ON TOP (VERY SLIPPERY)

**Report:** How we actually managed to win this match must have been by some sort of miracle, as a

number of our players were so pissed they could hardly stand upright, while our opponents had three times as many shots as us as we produced our worst performance for ages. Amazingly, Leyton Prince of Wales were top of the Premier Division in the admittedly inferior North Middlesex League, but had won all their games so far this season without conceding a goal and had apparently never let in three goals in a game before in their 3-year history! Their defence didn't look half as good as teams in our League though and Kevin Dedman and Stuart Dorward took advantage of that, while some brilliant saves by Stavros Elia, some miraculous clearances off the line and some terrible finishing from Leyton Prince of Wales forwards allowed us to gain an extremely undeserved victory.

