

SUNDAY 20th OCTOBER 1996

LONDON F.A. SUNDAY INTERMEDIATE CUP, SECOND ROUND MATCH AT HOME TO NORTON

KICK OFF 10.30 AM.

AT HAZELWOOD SPORTS GROUND

SCORE: - EDMONTON ROVERS 3 NORTON 1 HALF-TIME: 1-1

TEAM	POSITION	MARKS OUT OF 10	SCORERS
1. GK ¹	Stavros ELIA	7½	
2. RB ¹⁰	Steve BEASLEY (CAPTAIN)	6½	
3. LB ²	Mark BASCOMBE	8	
4. RM ⁷	Paul REBARO	7	69 mins,
5. SW ⁵	John DYER ← 100th MATCH	9	
6. CM ¹²	James DYER	8½	
7. CM ⁴	Stuart DORWARD	7	
8. IF ¹¹	Micky SOUTHAM	7	75 mins,
9. CF ⁹	Russell BEEDEN	7	
10. CF ⁸	Kevin DEDMAN	7	23 mins,
11. LM ⁶	John BEASLEY	7½	
12. - ¹⁴	Derek DORWARD	-	
14. -	—	-	
15. -	—	-	

OPPONENTS GOAL TIMES: - TERRY STANISLAWS (20 mins)

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

CROWD: - 15

REFEREE: - E. GEORGIU

CLUB LINESMAN: - (NOT REQUIRED BY REF!)

REFEREE'S MARK (OUT OF 10): - 6

BOOKINGS: - —

SENDING OFFS: - —

WEATHER CONDITIONS: - MAINLY CLOUDY AND OVERCAST. 'STIFF BREEZE' DOWN PITCH (AGAINST US IN FIRST HALF)

STATE OF PITCH: PERFECT.

Report: With Manager Trevor Hughes still on holiday (as he had been the week before), Laurence Hughes had a tough job to sort things out just before kick-off, especially with Paul Jones failing to turn up at the last minute which therefore threw any pre-planned tactics straight out of the window. Laurence's team-talk was just to 'go out and enjoy yourselves and sort out your own zonal marking at corners' and it worked! James Dyer (playing his first match of the season) and John Dyer (playing in his 100th match for the club) were both superb as 'twin' centre-backs, while Micky Southam, who was playing in a free role, linked well with the fit again John Beasley to give Norton's defence real problems. In fact it was an excellent performance all round against another team who were from the Premier Division of their League and apparently 'inform' and it was a deserved win for us in the end.

