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**Stamford
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LONDON SW6

*FOOTBALL LEAGUE - DIVISION 1
SEASON 1964-65*

**Wednesday,
30th September 1964**

**CHELSEA
v
MANCHESTER
UNITED**

KICK-OFF 7.30 p.m.

OFFICIAL PROGRAMME — SIXPENCE



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**F.A. Youth Cup
1960 and 1961**

The Talk of Stamford Bridge

HAVE Chelsea ever started a season as well as this? That's a question we have been asked many times over the past month, and finding out has meant much perusing of the record books. But we have come up with the answer. It is that 1964-65 has provided our longest unbeaten start to a *First Division* season, but the all-time record undefeated run by Chelsea at the opening of a League campaign was when we were in the *Second Division* in season 1925-26. On that occasion we registered nine wins and five draws (goals 36-8) in the first 14 fixtures

FRONT COVER SHOT

A BREAK from Soccer, but still all eyes are on the ball as Barry Bridges (left) and John Dunn battle it out at table hockey. Their audience, left to right: Trainer Harry Medhurst, Peter Houseman, Manager Tommy Docherty, Peter Bonetti and Bert Murray.

and then went down 1-3 at home to Swansea. Our longest unbeaten sequence in First Division matches — for any phase of the season — was 14 (eight wins, six draws) from November 14 to February 20 in season 1953-54.

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It's been quite a week for birthdays in the Chelsea camp, starting with Bert Murray, who celebrated his 22nd last Tuesday. The following day was a double occasion, with John Mortimore touching 30 and Jim McCalliog 18 — both were in the League Cup side at Birmingham that night, McCalliog making his first-team debut. Then, on Sunday, Peter Bonetti had a birthday, his 23rd.

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Anniversary of a different sort is commemorated by Andy Wilson, pre-war forward star of Chelsea and Scotland. Andy recalls it is just 50 years since he played his first game at Stamford Bridge — for Middlesbrough *against* Chelsea. Says Andy: "I remember it very well, a 2-2 draw . . ." and the record book shows he's right. It was another nine years (1923)

before Andy was transferred from Middlesbrough to Chelsea at the near-record fee in those days of £6,000. Now 68, he attends our home games as regularly as ever, and he is delighted at the promising start we have made to the new season. Older patrons will know what Andy means when he says: "In my day, we played artistic football, but results didn't matter so much then. It wouldn't do nowadays. The football Chelsea play now is right for modern times. This is a side that can set the club up for a long time to come, and I am very pleased that it has come about after all this time."

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As well as Jim McCalliog, mentioned earlier in these notes, another of our young Scots, 19-year-old right-winger Joe Fascione, made his first-team debut in competitive football in last Wednesday's Football League Cup-tie at Birmingham. He played very well, too, but so did the whole team. In the third round we have been drawn at home to Notts County on Wednesday, 14th October (7.30 p.m.). Details about advance bookings will be given in Saturday's programme.

Manchester United tonight . . . Benfica next Wednesday night. Yes, two big mid-week attractions at Stamford Bridge. Patrons are reminded that admission to the Benfica match will be by ticket only, and Ground (7/6d.) and Enclosure (10/-) tickets will be on sale after tonight's match at the kiosk at the Main Entrance and at Saturday's match against Blackburn.

Please note that the kick-off against Benfica will be 8 p.m. All profits from the match will go to charity, and in view of this the organisers have requested us to produce a special souvenir programme, price two shillings.

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Casualty corner: Tom Beattie-Edwards, hon. consultant of Friends of Sport and the Chelsea Development Association, became our most serious casualty of the season on Monday of last week. During an impromptu game on the asphalt in front of the Club offices, he fell heavily and broke both arms. "You can say that's the end of my active football career," cracked Tom, who was back at his desk here within 48 hours of his accident.

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Charity Match CHELSEA v. BENFICA Wednesday next, 7th October (8 p.m.)

THIS match against Benfica of Portugal, one of the world's great club sides, will be played at Stamford Bridge, and all profits will go to the British Organisation for Rehabilitation through Training.

The fixture will be all-ticket, prices as follows:—

Ground 7/6.	Standing Enclosure 10/-.	
New Stand	Front	Rear
A & H "	£1 . 10.	£1 . 5.
B & G "	£2 . 2.	£1 . 10.
C & F "	£3 . 3.	£2 . 2.
D & E "	£4 . 4.	£3 . 3.
	£5 . 5.	£4 . 4.

All £5 5s. tickets have been sold.

Applications (with remittance) for Stand seats should be forwarded immediately.

Season-ticket holders should note that their usual tickets will not apply for this match.

Ground (7/6) and Enclosure (10/-) tickets are now on sale to personal and postal applicants at the Club Offices daily (not Sunday) from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and after tonight's match at the ticket kiosk at the Main Entrance.

All postal applications (with remittance) should be clearly marked BENFICA in the bottom left-hand corner of the envelope to avoid confusion with ticket applications for forthcoming League matches.

TWICE BEHIND AT HILLSBOROUGH, THEN



Tommy Knox sends Hill the wrong way before putting the ball across for George Graham to score our first equaliser away to Sheffield Wednesday.



The scene a split-second after Graham has beaten Springett for that opening goal.

TWO-GOAL MURRAY SWAYS IT OUR WAY



Bert Murray sweeps onto a through pass and we're level for the second time in the match.



Murray again. His second is our third — the winner from 25 yards. John Hollins made the gap with a brilliant run off the ball.

IN OFF THE POST

Your letters should be of not more than 150 words and addressed to "In off the Post", Chelsea F.C., Fulham Road, London, S.W.6.



LETTERS OPENED BY PROGRAMME EDITOR, ALBERT SEWELL

IS IT A RECORD?

FOR the past three seasons Chelsea have opened the new campaign with the first three matches ending the same way.

In 1962-63 they opened with three wins against Rotherham, Scunthorpe and Charlton. In 1963-64 they opened with three draws against West Ham, Burnley and Sheffield United. And this season they again opened with three wins at the expense of Wolves, Villa and Sunderland.

I wonder, has this ever happened before?

J. L. Stone.

70A, South Croxted Road,
West Dulwich,
London, S.E.21.

Editor's note: You've already got us looking forward to next season's first three matches!

"TEAM-TOGETHER" LOOK

SINCE Tommy Docherty came, we have had method, fast, controlled football, played by young talented ball players, and many games to remember (Albert Murray's goal k.o'ing Spurs last season, just after Frank Upton's was disallowed). Beating Arsenal with ten fit men, and again, against Fulham, a great performance. (What a captain's game Terry played!)

The new strip we like, it gives a compact look, a "team-together" look.

Keep it up, lads, we are all behind you (and thanks for the memories).

L. G. Chandler.

B. J. Saturley.

11, Noah's Ark,
Kemsing, Sevenoaks,
Kent.

"AWAY" COVERAGE

I HAVE been following Chelsea for a few years and go on some of the away trips, but those at Liverpool and Manchester are too far for me.

Would it be possible to give a little space each week about an away game?

At the moment we are given teams, scorers, referee and attendance. Couldn't you give a short account of the game?

I don't get a chance to see Chelsea play at Hendon so couldn't you do the same thing for the Juniors?

D. O. Callaghan (Aged 13).

D.37, Sutton Way,
North Kensington,
London, W.10.

Editor's note: We feel that picture coverage and match summaries give adequate attention to away matches, which are reported in Saturday evening, Sunday and Monday papers. We hope to give more space to our Youth side from time to time.

THEY SANG THIS IN 1908

IN answer to fellow supporter R. J. Otter, Chelsea F.C. had a club song as far back as 1908.

It went like this:

*Chelsea on the ball, Chelsea on the ball,
Never let your half-backs waltz around,
waltz around,
Pass it to the wings, Centre with a swing,
On the ball Chelsea,*

*Chelsea, Chelsea, Chelsea,
On the ball!*

A. E. Brixey.

10, Dewhurst Road,
West Kensington, W.14.

JUST GREAT

I HAVE followed Chelsea for 15 years and I would like to say that all Chelsea supporters I have spoken to in the Chessington and Surbiton area think the new Chelsea colours are just GREAT!

R. C. Sadler.

21, Moorfield Road,
Chessington, Surrey.

RETROGRADE

I AM all for improvements (and incidentally I think "In Off The Post" is one) but I must endorse Mr. Post's view on the change to blue shorts.

Apart from the aesthetic point of view, I feel it is a retrograde step, the folly of which will become apparent when visibility is poor and white stockings are the only things to show up!

D. H. Paul.

16, Sarre Road,
N.W.2.

MOD. TAILORING

SURELY everyone must approve of Chelsea's new strip. It is a most modern outfit for a most modern team.

Keep up the good tailoring.

J. S. Jobson.

10, Oak House,
Stewart Street,
Cubitt Town,
Poplar, E.14.

SCOREBOARD WANTED

I HAVE been a Chelsea supporter for many years, and I welcome the change in the playing strip.

There is no smarter looking team in the League at present, and I am pleased to see Chelsea setting a trend which will surely be followed by other clubs.

I would like to see the introduction of a scoreboard at Chelsea. This, I think, might add a little more football atmosphere.

J. A. King.

96, Wide Way,
Mitcham, Surrey.

Editor's note: A scoreboard of the kind mentioned would go well with the new Stand when it is built. It will certainly be considered.

"NO CHANCE"

WHEN Arsenal play at Stamford Bridge this season, would you remind the ball-boys to put the ball in play as soon as possible. I can tolerate players wasting time, but ball-boys never.

As Chelsea have no chance of the Championship, please do not hinder other team's chances by bad sportsmanship.

D. Loveday.

(Arsenal Supporter.)

35, Hillside,
High Wycombe, Bucks.

Editor's note: Arsenal supporter, indeed—as if we didn't know!

CAN YOU BEAT THIS?

THE Sunderland match was my 512th at Stamford Bridge—I see only first-class matches (no reserve games). Many patrons (I abhor "fans") are of longer standing, doubtless, than I; but none, I'll wager, more meticulous.

I have the programme of every match I see marked with scorers, captains and team changes, if any. Therefore my records are incontestable documents relating to such games.

I have seen every Rugby League and F.A. Cup Final, and International, at Wembley, from May 1933, also games on every first-class ground in England and Wales (92 Football League and 30 Rugby League).

My hobby is not football. It is investigating the occult, especially poltergeists. The fact that I've visited every ground is consequent only upon my ghostly searchings up and down the country.

John Powell.

70, Fitzgeorge Avenue,
London, W.14.

MANCHESTER UNITED 1964



Back row: M. Setters, J. Nicholson, D. Gaskell, S. Brennan, G. Best, N. Cantwell.

Centre: W. Foulkes, S. McMillan, A. Dunne, N. Stiles, P. Crerand.

Front: J. Giles (now Leeds), A. Quixall (now Oldham), D. Herd, D. Law, R. Charlton.

CHELSEA

Colours—Shirts: Royal Blue. Shorts: Royal Blue. Stockings: White.

(Goal)

BONETTI

1

(Right-back)

SHELLITO

2

(Left-back)

McCREADIE

3

(Right-half)

HOLLINS

4

(Centre-half)

HINTON

5

(Left-half)

HARRIS (R)

6

(Outside-right)

MURRAY

7

(Inside-right)

TAMBLING

8

(Centre-forward)

BRIDGES

9

(Inside-left)

VENABLES

10

(Outside-left)

HOUSEMAN

11

Referee:

Mr. P. BYE
(Bedford)



Linesmen:

Mr. A. W. NEWMAN
(Reading)
(Red Flag)

Mr. R. A. L. WILLIAMS
(Thorpe Bay)
(Yellow Flag)

11

BEST

(Outside-left)

10

LAW

(Inside-left)

9

HERD

(Centre-forward)

8

CHARLTON CONNELLY

(Inside-right)

7

(Outside-right)

6

STILES

(Left-half)

5

FOULKES

(Centre-half)

4

CRERAND

(Right-half)

3

DUNNE (A)

(Left-back)

2

BRENNAN

(Right-back)

1

DUNNE (P)

(Goal)

MANCHESTER UNITED

Colours—Shirts: Red. Shorts: White. Stockings: Red.

ABOUT OUR VISITORS

MANCHESTER UNITED have recently shown signs of recapturing the brilliant form which carried them to second place at the end of last season, when they finished four points behind Liverpool.

Besides gaining a favourable League position they also did well in the F.A. Cup and European Cup Winners' Cup competitions. They reached the semi-final of the F.A. Cup before losing to West Ham, and in the European competition were knocked out in the quarter-finals by Sporting Club of Lisbon.

Two New Signings

Since they visited Stamford Bridge last October, United have signed England winger John Connelly — he joined them from Burnley in April — and a month later, 21-years-old goalkeeper Pat Dunne from Shamrock Rovers.

A native of Dublin and a former Everton junior, Dunne had his first outing in the United senior side on September 8, taking over from David Gaskell. By a coincidence his debut was against Everton at Goodison Park.

In February, right-back Seamus Brennan celebrates the seventh anniversary of his first outing in United's senior side. A native of Manchester, he signed professional in 1955, and has played in both full-back positions, as well as occasionally at wing-half and on the left wing.

Tony Dunne, who is not related to Pat Dunne although both come from Dublin, is the holder of Eire amateur and professional caps. Signed from Shelbourne in April 1960, he first played in the senior side six months later. Last season he missed only one League game.

Capped twelve times by Scotland, Pat Crerand cost a big fee when going to Old Trafford from Glasgow Celtic in February last year. A native of Glasgow, Crerand was recalled at the end of August when Maurice Setters was injured.

Following a long spell at full-back, where he gained one England cap, Bill Foulkes moved to centre-half and has been a stalwart there for several seasons now. Born at St. Helens, he has been with the club since 1949, and is easily their longest-serving player. At the beginning of this season Foulkes had played 421 League games.

Versatile Stiles

In recent seasons Norbert Stiles has proved a most versatile player, occupying several positions. A former England schoolboy international, he made his first League appearance at the age of 17 in October 1960.

Connelly had eight years' professional service with Burnley (218 League appearances, 85 goals). He has also been scoring consistently for United, with five goals in the first nine matches of this season.

Switched to inside-right after spending most of last term on the left wing, Bobby Charlton has quickly worked up a fine partnership with Connelly. Born at Ashington (Northumberland) he has played for England on 54 occasions, and at the beginning of this season had a club total of 109 goals in 256 League games.

David Herd was signed from Arsenal in the summer of 1961. He comes from Hamilton, and has five full Scottish caps. Originally with Stockport County, where he played with his father, Alex Herd, he has been mainly at centre-forward in recent years, though last winter he filled every position in the attack except outside-left, scoring 20 goals in 30 League outings.

Denis Law has always been in the limelight since his debut in League football as a 16-year-old with Huddersfield Town in December 1956. After a spell with Manchester City he went to Italy to join Torino, returning to sign for United in the 1962 close-season. Capped by Scotland 25 times, Law averaged a goal a game in his 30 League appearances last winter.

HE'S IN CHARGE

The least experienced member of United's attack is the slightly-built George Best who was introduced at outside-right just over a year ago. A native of Belfast, he signed professional in the summer of 1963 and gained his first full Irish cap in April.

Honoured by England at School, Youth and Under-23 level, Maurice Setters comes from Honiton (Devon). He had a spell with Exeter City before joining West Bromwich Albion in 1955. Five years later he was transferred to Manchester United. He has occupied several positions for United, though most of his games have been at wing-half.

Talk of Stamford Bridge—(continued from page 3)

Here's a quiz question that belongs in the "Is it a record?" department: Which Chelsea player finished on the winning side twice in one day against the same opposing club?

Answer: Phil Mallard, our apprentice centre-half. It happened last Saturday week. In the morning he played in our South-east Counties (senior) side that won 4-0 away to Watford. Less than three hours later, Phil was lining up in our South-east Counties (junior section) team against Watford at Hendon, where we won 3-0. He got this unexpected "overtime" call because the originally selected centre-half did not arrive on time.

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Erratum: On page 4 of the Club Handbook, which was incorporated in our programme on August 29, the score for our F.A. Charity Shield win against Newcastle United in 1955 should read 3-0, not 3-2. This is an error which appears to have been perpetuated ever since the match was played, and we are grateful to readers who have pointed it out.

MR. PETER BYE, born at Burwell, Cambridgeshire, but resident at Bedford since 1960, is in his fourth season on the Football League list of referees.

He previously officiated in Cambridge Junior football, the Eastern Counties League and the Football Combination.

Aged 37, Mr. Bye is an estate and way-leave officer with the Eastern Electricity Board. He is a keen do-it-yourself man around the house and includes "deck-chair gardening" among his hobbies.

Chelsea v. Manchester United

Past League Results

Season	Home	Away	Season	Home	Away
1905-06	1-1	0-0	1948-49	1-1	1-1
1907-08	1-4	0-1	1949-50	1-1	0-1
1908-09	1-1	1-0	1950-51	1-0	1-4
1909-10	1-1	0-2	1951-52	4-2	0-3
1912-13	1-4	2-4	1952-53	2-3	0-2
1913-14	0-2	1-0	1953-54	3-1	1-1
1914-15	1-3	2-2	1954-55	5-6	1-2
1919-20	1-0	2-0	1955-56	2-4	0-3
1920-21	1-2	1-3	1956-57	1-2	0-3
1921-22	0-0	0-0	1957-58	2-1	1-0
1924-25	0-0	0-1	1958-59	2-3	2-5
1930-31	6-2	0-1	1959-60	3-6	1-0
1936-37	4-2	0-0	1960-61	1-2	0-6
1938-39	0-1	1-5	1961-62	2-0	2-3
1946-47	0-3	1-1	1963-64	1-1	1-1
1947-48	0-4	0-5			

Summary

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Home	...	31	8	8	15	49	63
Away	...	31	5	8	18	22	60
Total	...	62	13	16	33	71	123

SEAT RESERVATIONS

Prices of reserved seats at home League matches are 7/6, 10/-, 12/6 and 15/-. Applications (by post only) will be accepted one calendar month in advance, and should be accompanied by remittance and stamped addressed envelope.

It will be appreciated if separate application is made for each match.

Seats may be purchased, if still available, by personal application at the club offices in the week preceding the match.

OUR FAMILY ALBUM



Bert Murray relaxes at his Wallington home with his year-old collie, Prince.

Tables, Appearances & Goalscorers

FOOTBALL LEAGUE—DIVISION I

(Up to and including Saturday, 26th September).

	HOME			Goals			AWAY			Goals			Pts
	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A		
CHELSEA	10	4	1	0	9	3	3	2	0	12	6	17	
Blackpool	10	5	0	0	15	4	1	2	2	7	12	14	
Everton	10	2	2	0	9	5	3	1	2	14	9	13	
MAN. U.	10	4	1	0	14	5	1	2	2	9	11	13	
Sheff. Utd.	10	2	1	1	6	3	3	1	2	7	7	12	
Sheff. Wed.	11	5	0	2	13	7	0	2	2	2	5	12	
Arsenal	10	2	2	1	9	7	3	0	2	9	8	12	
Nottm. For.	10	3	1	1	12	8	2	1	2	7	9	12	
Blackburn	10	4	0	1	15	7	1	1	3	7	7	11	
Tottenham	10	5	0	0	13	3	0	1	4	6	15	11	
Leeds Utd.	10	4	0	1	14	8	1	1	3	6	12	11	
West Ham	10	4	0	1	16	7	1	0	4	9	14	10	
Stoke City	10	2	0	3	6	6	3	0	2	11	9	10	
West Brom.	10	2	1	2	12	10	0	4	1	5	6	9	
Fulham	10	2	0	3	8	10	1	3	1	8	8	9	
Leicester	9	2	2	1	10	8	0	2	2	7	10	8	
Burnley	11	1	4	0	10	9	1	0	5	6	17	8	
Liverpool	9	3	1	1	12	10	0	0	4	4	10	7	
Birmingham	10	1	2	2	9	11	1	0	4	8	14	6	
Sunderland	10	1	4	0	11	10	0	0	5	5	15	6	
Aston Villa	10	2	1	2	7	9	0	1	4	6	15	6	
Wolves	10	1	1	3	6	10	0	0	5	5	17	3	

FOOTBALL COMBINATION—DIVISION I

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Arsenal	6	5	0	1	26	6	10
West Ham United	6	5	0	1	12	6	10
Tottenham Hotspur	6	3	2	1	16	9	8
Mansfield Town	6	3	2	1	15	11	8
CHELSEA	5	3	1	1	13	6	7
Peterborough United	7	2	3	2	15	16	7
Northampton Town	7	3	1	3	9	13	7
Ipswich Town	6	3	1	2	9	10	7
Crystal Palace	6	3	0	3	14	12	6
Nottingham Forest	6	2	2	3	13	11	6
Cardiff City	6	3	0	3	10	9	6
Leicester City	6	3	0	3	17	19	6
Plymouth Argyle	6	2	1	3	12	13	5
Norwich City	6	2	1	3	4	8	5
Portsmouth	6	1	2	3	12	15	4
Shrewsbury Town	6	2	0	4	10	15	4
Fulham	6	2	0	4	7	13	4
Colchester United	6	0	0	6	5	28	0

SOUTH-EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE (Senior Division)

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Arsenal	5	4	1	0	17	4	9
West Ham	5	4	0	1	12	3	8
CHELSEA	5	4	0	1	31	13	8
Queen's Park R.	5	4	0	1	15	8	8
Brighton & H.A.	5	3	1	1	12	10	7
Charlton Athletic	5	3	0	2	10	10	6
Tottenham	5	2	1	2	17	15	5
Millwall	5	2	1	2	11	14	5
Leyton Orient	5	2	0	3	10	12	4
Watford	5	2	0	3	9	12	4
Fulham	5	2	0	3	9	13	4
Bexley United	5	2	0	3	11	17	4
Luton Town	5	2	0	3	13	20	4
Brentford	5	1	0	4	12	17	2
Portsmouth	5	1	0	4	6	14	2
Crystal Palace	5	0	0	5	2	15	0

FOOTBALL LEAGUE

APPEARANCES

BONETTI	10	VENABLES	10
BRIDGES	10	KNOX	9
HARRIS (R.)	10	SHELLITO	8
HINTON	10	TAMBLING	6
HOLLINS	10	GRAHAM	4
McCREADIE	10	WATSON	2
MURRAY	10	HOUSEMAN	1

Goalscorers: Murray 5, Tambling 5, Venables 4, Bridges 2, Graham 2, Hollins 2, Shellito 1. Total 21.

FOOTBALL COMBINATION

APPEARANCES

DUNN	5	WILKS	3
FASCIONE	5	BROWN	2
HARRIS (A.)	5	GOULD	2
McCALLIOG	4	GRAHAM	2
UPTON	4	MORTIMORE	2
WATSON	4	HARMER	1
YOUNG	4	HENDERSON	1
BOYLE	3	HOWARTH	1
HOUSEMAN	3	M. VOWLES	1
MULHOLLAND	3		

Goalscorers: Mulholland 4, Fascione 2, Houseman 2, Wilks 2, Graham 1, McCalliog 1, Upton 1. Total 13.

SOUTH-EAST COUNTIES (Senior Division)

APPEARANCES

P. JENKINS	5	H. HAGGIS	2
OSGOOD	5	HENDERSON	2
R. WOSAHLO	5	M. MARTIN	2
BOYLE	4	McCALLIOG	2
R. EVANS	4	WILKS	2
B. LLOYD	4	K. BREWER	1
P. MALLARD	4	S. FRAPE	1
R. HOWLETT	3	A. St. PIER	1
M. VOWLES	3	J. SCOTT	1
R. WILLIS	3	SINCLAIR	1

Goalscorers: Wosahlo 11, Osgood 9, Vowles 4, Boyle 2, Lloyd 2, Wilks 2, McCalliog 1. Total 31.

NEXT HOME MATCHES

Saturday, 3rd October (3 p.m.)

BLACKBURN ROVERS

FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Wednesday, 7th October (8 p.m.)

BENFICA (Lisbon)

International Club Match

(All profits to Charity)

FIXTURES 1964-65

Football League Division I

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1964	Opponents	Venue	F. A.
Aug. 22	Wolverhampton W.	... Away	3 0
" 26	ASTON VILLA HOME	2 1
" 29	SUNDERLAND	... HOME	3 1
" 31	Aston Villa	... Away	2 2
Sept. 5	Leicester City	... Away	1 1
" 9	SHEFF. WEDNESDAY	HOME	1 1
" 12	FULHAM	... HOME	1 0
" 16	Sheffield Wednesday	... Away	3 2
" 19	LEEDS UNITED	... HOME	2 0
" 23	Birmingham City ...	... Away	3 0
	(League Cup—2nd Round)		
" 26	Arsenal ...	... Away	3 1
" 30	MANCHESTER UTD.	... HOME	.....
Oct. 3	BLACKBURN ROV.	... HOME	.....
" 7	BENFICA (Lisbon)	... HOME	.....
" 10	Nottingham Forest	... Away	.....
" 14	NOTTS COUNTY	... HOME	.....
	(League Cup—3rd Round)		
" 17	STOKE CITY	... HOME	.....
" 24	Tottenham Hotspur	... Away	.....
" 31	BURNLEY	... HOME	.....
Nov. 7	Sheffield United	... Away	.....
" 14	EVERTON	... HOME	.....
" 21	Birmingham City	... Away	.....
" 28	WEST HAM UTD.	... HOME	.....
Dec. 5	West Bromwich Alb.	... Away	.....
" 12	WOLVERHAMPTON	... HOME	.....
" 19	Sunderland	... Away	.....
" 26	BLACKPOOL	... HOME	.....
" 28	Blackpool	... Away	.....
1965			
Jan. 2	LEICESTER CITY	... HOME	.....
" 9	(3)	... ..	.....
" 16	Fulham	... Away	.....
" 23	Leeds United	... Away	.....
" 30	(4)	... ..	.....
Feb. 6	ARSENAL	... HOME	.....
" 13	Blackburn Rovers	... Away	.....
" 20	(5) NOTTINGHAM F.	... HOME	.....
" 27	Stoke City	... Away	.....
Mar. 6	(6) TOTTENHAM H.	... HOME	.....
" 13	Manchester United	... Away	.....
" 20	SHEFFIELD UTD.	... HOME	.....
" 26	Everton	... Away	.....
" 27	(S.F.)	... ..	.....
Apr. 3	BIRMINGHAM CITY	... HOME	.....
" 10	West Ham United	... Away	.....
" 16	LIVERPOOL	... HOME	.....
" 17	WEST BROMWICH A.	... HOME	.....
" 19	Liverpool	... Away	.....
" 24	Burnley	... Away	.....
May 1	F.A. Cup Final	... ..	.....

(3), (4), (5), (6) and (S.F.) refer to F.A. Cup round dates.

Football Combination Division I

1964	Opponents	Venue	F. A.
Aug. 22	CRYSTAL PALACE	... HOME	5 1
" 31	Peterborough United	... Away	0 1
Sept. 5	LEICESTER CITY	... HOME	5 2
" 12	Fulham	... Away	2 1
" 26	MANSFIELD TOWN	... HOME	1 1
Oct. 3	Arsenal	... Away	.....
" 5	Fulham	... Away	.....
	(London Challenge Cup—1st Round)		
" 10	NORTHAMPTON T.	... HOME	.....
" 17	Shrewsbury Town	... Away	.....
" 24	WEST HAM UNITED	... HOME	.....
" 31	Plymouth Argyle	... Away	.....
Nov. 7	IPSWICH TOWN	... HOME	.....
" 14	Cardiff City	... Away	.....
" 21	TOTTENHAM H.	... HOME	.....
" 28	Nottingham Forest	... Away	.....
Dec. 5	SHREWSBURY T.	... HOME	.....
" 12	Crystal Palace	... Away
" 19	PETERBOROUGH UTD.	... HOME
" 26	Portsmouth	... Away
" 28	COLCHESTER UTD.	... HOME

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1965	Opponents	Venue	F. A.
Jan. 2	Leicester City	... Away
" 16	FULHAM	... HOME
" 23	PORTSMOUTH...	... HOME
" 30	NORWICH CITY	... HOME	.....
Feb. 6	Mansfield Town	... Away	.....
" 13	ARSENAL	... HOME	.....
" 20	West Ham United	... Away	.....
" 27	PLYMOUTH ARGYLE	... HOME	.....
Mar. 6	Ipswich Town	... Away	.....
" 13	CARDIFF CITY	... HOME	.....
" 20	Tottenham Hotspur	... Away	.....
" 23	Northampton Town	... Away	.....
" 27	NOTTINGHAM FOR...	... HOME	.....
Apr. 10	Colchester United	... Away	.....
" 24	Norwich City	... Away	.....

PRE-SEASON TOUR

July 30	I.F.K. (Gothenburg)	... Sweden	1 2
Aug. 2	Elfsborg (Boraas)	... Sweden	2 1
" 8	Frederikshavn	... Denmark	3 1
" 11	Munchen 1860 (Munich)	... Germany	0 2
" 12	Chaux-de-Fonds	... Switzerland	1 0
" 14	Rapid (Vienna)	... Austria	2 1

RESERVE FRIENDLIES

Aug. 12	Dover	... Away	3 0
" 15	Tooting & Mitcham	... Away	3 1
" 18	Eastbourne United	... Away	3 1
Sept. 3	Enfield	... Away	3 1
" 10	Romford	... Away	2 0

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SOUTH-EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE

(Senior Division)

1964	Opponents	Venue	F.	A.
Aug. 22	LEYTON ORIENT	... Hendon	6	2
" 29	LUTON TOWN	... Hendon	12	3
Sept. 5	Tottenham Hotspur	... Away	2	6
" 12	TOTTENHAM	... Hendon	7	2
" 19	Watford	... Away	4	0
" 26	CRYSTAL PALACE	... Hendon	4	1
(League Cup—First Round)				
Oct. 3	Brighton & Hove Alb.	... Away	.....	.....
" 10	Arsenal	... Away	.....	.....
" 17	BEXLEY UNITED	... Hendon	.....	.....
" 24	Brentford	... Away	.....	.....
" 31	ARSENAL	... Hendon	.....	.....

SOUTH-EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE

(Junior Division)

Sept. 5	CHARLTON	... Hendon	3	2
" 12	CRYSTAL PALACE	... Hendon	3	2
" 19	WATFORD	... Hendon	3	0
Oct. 3	Bexley United	... Away
" 10	QUEEN'S PARK R.	... Hendon
" 24	BEXLEY UNITED	... Hendon
" 31	Watford	... Away

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MATCH SUMMARIES

FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Saturday, 19th September.

Beat LEEDS UNITED (Home) 2-0. Half-time: 1-0.

Chelsea—Bonetti; Watson, McCreadie; Hollins, Hinton, Harris (R.); Murray, Graham, Bridges, Venables, Knox.

Scorers: Venables, Hollins.

Leeds—Sprake; Reaney, Bell; Greenhoff, Charlton, Hunter; Giles, Bremner, Storrie, Collins, Johanneson.

Referee: Mr. W. Clements (West Bromwich).
Attendance: 38,006.

Saturday, 26th September.

Beat ARSENAL (Away) 3-1. Half-time: 0-0.

Arsenal—Furnell; Howe, Clarke; Strong, Ferry, Neill; Skirton, Court, Baker, Eastham, Armstrong.
Scorer: Court.

Chelsea—Bonetti; Shellito, McCreadie; Hollins, Hinton, Harris (R.); Murray, Tambling, Bridges, Venables, Houseman.

Scorers: Tambling, Venables, Murray.
Referee: Mr. K. Stokes (Newark).
Attendance: 54,936.

FOOTBALL LEAGUE CUP (Second Round)

Wednesday, 23rd September.

Beat BIRMINGHAM CITY (Away) 3-0. Half-time: 1-0.

Birmingham—Schofield; Lynn, Martin; Hennessey, Foster, Beard; Hellawell, Jackson, Thomson, Leek, Auld.

Chelsea—Bonetti; Watson, McCreadie; Hollins, Mortimore, Upton; Fascione, Tambling, Graham, McCalliog, Houseman.

Scorers: Graham, Tambling 2.
Referee: Mr. M. A. Fussey (Retford).
Attendance: 15,300.

FOOTBALL COMBINATION

Saturday, 26th September

Drew with Mansfield Town (Home) 1-1.

Team: Dunn; Watson, Harris (A.); Boyle, Young, Upton; Fascione, Brown, Howarth, McCalliog, Wilks.

Scorer: Upton.

BEWARE OF PICKPOCKETS

Pickpockets have been operating this season on London Soccer grounds, Stamford Bridge included. Be on your guard.