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EVERYONE WELCOME TO ATTEND

Tony Glasscoe has just phoned me to say the under 8's match is cancelled for this weekend. Now whilst my son Matthew may be disappointed, I'm delighted! It means we get to go training instead! - the last 10 minutes of training we have a Lads v Dads, Matthew is under 8's goalie & I was determined during last weeks training session to put one past him, having finally done so (after about half a dozen poor attempts) I've now been ribbing him about it all week.

Having had to sit through me re-telling the tale for the umpteenth time of how I slotted the ball past him his patience finally cracked, he flung his hands up in the middle of the local Wolston panto, took aim with his elbow & tried to plant it firmly in my ribs. Trouble was he missed & managed to smash to pieces my watch given to me by Rolls-Royce for twenty years of hard labour - If I score this week I promise to keep my mouth firmly shut!!

However, just one more time for Matthew 'I took the ball down on my chest...'

Somewhere in '**ON THE BRINK**' you will find 8 Footballs with a letter in the middle, can you find them? The first is below to help you. Once you have got all 8, arrange the letters to make up the name of the best club in the world!



Last months answer was '**READING**'.



WANT TO HELP!
We are in desperate need of a treasurer
If you think you can spare some time
please phone Mick on 01788 833681

Thankyou

This is the final issue of '**ON THE BRINK**' for this season, I would like to take this opportunity on behalf of the parents to say thankyou to the Managers & officials for all the hard work they have put in this season.

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Rugby Town 'A' 1 Brinklow Rangers 4 (31/3/2001)

Having lost earlier in the season to Rugby Town, the lads were a bit concerned how the match would turn out. Both teams made a good start with Rugby scoring first. The lads response to this was first class. We increased the passing and movement between Craig Payne and Lee Huddlestone which gave Stuart Day an opportunity to score which he did with a good left foot shot. The lads grew in confidence with Joe Kemp and Stuart Day playing well together. Another good move from the lads saw Stuart Day score again. Matthew Pine did not have a lot to do in goal now. Just before half time new boy Greg Clarke got the ball up to Stuart Day and with a great high shot just in the corner he achieved his hat trick. Half time 3-1 up.

Second half Grey Clarke went in goal and Matthew Pine went up front with Stuart. Sean Russell and George Harman were now in control in our defence and Adam Ford came on in midfield and got in some great tackles in. The second half was more even but the lads were never really in trouble and towards the end with Brinklow on the attack, Lee Huddlestone scored the fourth which was reward for his hard work in midfield. This was a good display from the lads with plenty of passing and movement, good tackles and enthusiasm.

Man of the Match Stuart (Hot Shot) Day



Stoke AT7 1 Brinklow Rangers 3 (7/4/2001)

Having heard the news that Stoke AT7 had beaten Rugby Town 'B' 10-0 we knew that we had a hard game in front of us. They started off the game very confident and scored straight away. The lads knew they were in a hard game and started to get some tackles in. AT7 had another good move and hit the bar. After 10 minutes the lads settled down and were playing some good football with Lee Huddlestone, Craig Payne, Sean Russell & George Harman all getting struck in. Matthew Pine was playing really well up front and one occasion got away from his marker and took a shot which the goalie parried, however Matthew kept going and scored from an acute angle. Well done Mattie, Half- Time 1-1.

Second Half Matthew went in goal replacing Greg Clarke who had played well in goal in the first half, stopping one certain goal. The defence of Sean Russell and in particular George Harman were having a great game with some brilliant tackles and good positional play. The lads were playing really well with Joe Kemp and Grey Clarke up front causing AT7 a lot of problems and it was Grey Clarke who put us 2-1 up being in the right place at the right time. Adam Ford came on in midfield and played really well and with George Harman popping up everywhere, stopping the opposition from going forward AT7 were limited to a couple of chances in the second half. Brinklow were on the attack again and with some good football were creating plenty of chances. With another good move the ball came to Craig Payne who coolly scored with a left foot shot.

This was probably the best display to date from the lads against a team that had never lost.

Man of the Match George Harman

Probably the best display to date!

John Harman



*How many Manchester united fans does it take to change a light bulb?
Seven, one to change it, five to moan about it, and Alex Ferguson to say that if the ref had done his job in the first place, the light bulb would have never gone out!*



Rugby Town 4 Brinklow Colts 2

Taking on the mighty the Rugby Town is always a daunting prospect, but with the lack of recent football due to pitch issues and foot and mouth problems we were glad to be playing. But which of their six under 7's teams would we be playing?

We started well with our new signing Daniel Wood transferred across from the Rangers making an immediate impact and scoring a fantastic combination goal. But with the wind against Rugby soon came back and they went level with a long range free kick. Then seeing us go down a further goal, we witnessed some heroic football with the young Colts relentlessly attacking the bigger Rugby Town defence. We were justly rewarded with another goal from Mr Wood and managed to keep the pressure on for most of the second half but Rugby Town came back twice to make the final score- Rugby Town 4 Brinklow Colts 2.

As a new manager, I guess this is what Junior football is all about, the combination of effort coupled with the techniques learnt during training. All the things I regularly harp on about, position, facing the ball, corner kicks and being goal side, well taken free kicks and going for goal. I really couldn't ask for more. I came home from the game delighted and very proud of the team in the way they conducted themselves and in the way they fought for the full 30 minutes. Winning is great of course, but not essential to enjoying the game.

Thanks also to the parents for your support and patience I am sure you'll agree we are making progress.

Man of the Match Daniel Wood (Captain)
..... A fantastic performance and welcome to the Colts.

Stoke AT7 7 Brinklow 1

As a new manager to Brinklow I am beginning to understand more and more of what this game is about and why we love it so much. Most people would look at this result and say well you must have been totally trashed and my reply, no not at all.

This weekend was the weekend when, Woods won the Grand Slam, when only 4 Horses finished the National, Prince Nas got beat in Las Vegas, Wycombe Wanderers held their heads high against Liverpool, England beat France in the Rugby (always a pleasure having lived there for a year) and we the Colts got beat 7 -1.

Yep, a great weekend of sport, for some and maybe not for others.

But we lost! - OK fair enough but as Nick Skerratt commented as we sat down at the end of the game and contemplated our fate, "it is great to see the lads come off the pitch still smiling and full of enthusiasm". We may have lost the game but we all had the right attitude and best of all we came away smiling, heads held high.

When I asked the lads if they had any questions for me, they replied, "When's the next game", "Can I play the whole game" and "Who's man of the match?"

Great spirit - and sometimes winning isn't all it is cracked up to be. Don't worry though we will get there and as we play more games and the team develops we will start to combine this natural enthusiasm with our ever increasing skill and technique and maybe in the future we will win a few?

Well done to all the lads - A great morning and once again thanks to all the Mum and Dads for being there.

Man of the match Connor Jenkins
for a great all round game and most of all surprising the Manager with his goal keeping ability.

Richard Jenkins and Nick Skerratt



Law 5 - The Referee

5.01 What is the advantage rule?

This rule says, don't stop play for a foul if the play continuing on the field is already working or expected to work to the benefit of the fouled team.

5.02 Okay, that's the technical definition. Can you give an example?

Sure. Suppose a breakaway is starting, and three attackers, with the ball, have just crossed the halfway line and are confronted by two defenders. There's nothing else between them and the goal except about forty yards of field and the goalkeeper. One defender deliberately throws himself at the attacker, bringing down both the attacker and himself. The action is a clear foul, and probably deserves a caution as well. But... the ball squirts free and goes right to one of the other attackers, and suddenly a two-on-one breakaway has started.

Consider the referee's options. One option is to stop play, show a yellow card, and have the ball brought back to the spot of the foul for the free kick. While this is happening, the defenders will get organized, and the free kick will probably not lead to a breakaway. The other option is to let play continue, on the basis that a two-on-one breakaway is a major advantage for the attacking team, possibly even better than the original three-on-two. If the referee is going to show a yellow card, he can still do so the next time play stops. In either case, a genuine foul was observed. However, under the second option, although the referee called the foul, he didn't stop play for the free kick, and play continued because the play going on was more advantageous to the fouled team than a free kick would have been.

5.03 How do I know when advantage has been applied?

The signal is for the referee to extend both arms forward. The referee may also say "Play on," and/or "Advantage." This means that the referee saw a foul, but elected not to stop play for a free kick. If it was a serious foul that will lead to a yellow or red card, the referee can still show the card the next time play stops. (If a red card is coming, the referee will almost always stop play immediately).

5.04 The referee said, "Play on, advantage," but then stopped play. Why?

The referee first applied advantage, but then he realized that the play wasn't working out as well for the fouled team as he thought it would, so he changed his mind and awarded the free kick instead. This is perfectly acceptable, and the Law gives the referee a few seconds to change his mind.

5.07 This referee is very slow to blow the whistle. Isn't that bad practice?

This might just indicate prudence, not poor refereeing. Some referees tend to wait a little while after fouls to see what the effect of the foul is on the play. If there's no effect, or if there is advantage to the fouled team, they may not call anything.

5.09 Usually there's only one referee for our games, and he doesn't always see when the ball goes over a line. How can we help him?

You can offer to provide two assistant referees or linesmen. They can raise a flag when the ball completely passes outside the field. If they are trained or even certified referees themselves, the referee may accept their inputs on other matters, such as offside or fouls.

5.13 The referee awarded my team a free kick. Then he saw the linesman's flag up, talked with him, and then awarded the other team a throw in. Can he do that?

Yes, he can. If play hasn't already been restarted, the referee can correct his calls. In your case, apparently the ball went over the touch line without the referee realizing it, and then the foul occurred after the ball came back in. Because the ball was technically out of play, a free kick couldn't be awarded for the foul, although the referee could have shown a yellow or red card for misconduct - whether the ball was in play or not.

U8'S TEAM NEWS



Rugby United 2 Brinklow 5

It seems that since January I have been reporting about the under 8's creating many chances, only to be let down by some inconsistent finishing in front of goal. We have also suffered from lack of match practise due to pitch availability. So with all this in the back of our mind, we turned up at GEC club to play arch rivals Rugby United, knowing that we had a real battle on our hands.

The lads were in good spirit, but certainly a little nervous about the game. Ex Brinklow boy Brandon Hodder was someone we knew had to be watched, and Brandon along with two other Rugby United players have recently been selected to work with Coventry City. But we were not going to let that get to us. We desperately wanted a win, and we desperately wanted to score goals. And we were not let down.

From the first whistle, Brinklow played the sort of football that makes you proud to be a Brinklow supporter! Some neat and intelligent passing saw several chances on goal within the first 5 minutes, and Brinklow clearly settled much more quickly than the home side. Jamie Huddlestone and Alex Stage worked well with each other at the back and kept the threat of Brandon Hodder at bay with hard tackles and intelligent cover for each other. In midfield Tommy Glasscoe and Tommy Hyde used the full width of the pitch to really stretch the opposition. Tommy Hyde showed his lightning pace down the right and Tommy Glasscoe turned the United defence inside out with some nifty footwork. Three first half goals put Brinklow firmly in command. Sam Skerratt used his strength to score two excellent goals and could easily have had four or five. In the Brinklow goal Matthew Wilby had little to do in the first half, but the second half saw increased pressure as Rugby put three players up front. As usual Matthew was in great form and equal to anything they could throw at him!

The second half saw Brinklow show real character as they defended solidly, and worked hard to continue to threaten the Rugby goal on the break. Two more goals had both the team and the parents leaping for joy. This was the hardest working and highest quality performance I have seen from the team in the last three years. Hopefully a sign of things to come!

Well done to all the lads – it was a pleasure to watch.



Man of the Match Alex Stage

.....very close between Alex and Tommy Glasscoe – well done to both

Brinklows goal tally on the day was:-

Sam Skerratt	2
Tommy Hyde	2
Zack Bevins	1

Quick reminder to the Under 8's parents. We need your support for the 6 a side weekend to help out with various jobs on both the Saturday and the Sunday. This has been publicised in the 'ON THE BRINK' magazine and I have mentioned it to you already, but please contact Mick Holt or Dave Gyselynck to offer your support for specific jobs.

Tony Glasscoe

(Some interesting news, London Rd have just beaten the Coventry City Academy 5 goals to 3 - Paul)

U9'S TEAM NEWS



Apologies for missing April's edition of 'On the Brink'. I hope the newsletter was more than an adequate replacement.

Brinklow Pumas 5 Rugby Town F.C. 1 (Date 7th April 2001)

Goals from Anthony Donnell (3) Alex Cramp (1) Chris Brennan (1)

Man of the Match Milan Sudan excellent all round performance.
Special Mention Anthony Donnelldeadly in front of goal (Hat-trick hero!)

Brinklow Tigers 3 Rugby Town F.C. 3 (Date 7th April 2001)

Goals from Miles Wilcox (1) Josh Pointon (1) Chris Brennan (1)

Man of the Match Paul Gannona determined and committed performance.
Special Mention Alex Crampkept the team in the match.

Crick F.C. 1 Brinklow Pumas 4 (Date 21st April 2001)

Goals from Anthony Donnell (2) Chris Brennan (1) Alex Wood (1)

Man of the Match Alex Crampstrong in tackle and defence (a brick wall!)
Special Mention Anthony Donnellsharp as ever.

Crick F.C. 0 Brinklow Tigers 2 (Date 21st April 2001)

Goals from Callum Day (1) Chris Brennan (1)

Man of the Match Callum Dayhis best game ever.
Special Mention James Withershis tackling and reading of the game was excellent



All these matches were a credit to the boys. The Pumas played some excellent football, scored lots of goals and created numerous chances; the goal count could easily have been doubled. The Tigers continue to improve and their commitment and determination is excellent. One or two (maybe three) players are knocking on the door of the Pumas. Watch out!!

For me, the most rewarding thing to see throughout all the matches, was the teamwork and the lads working for each other. Names mentioned above would not be there without the rest of the team playing their part, don't forget it's a team game!!

News

It was great to see Sam Dalton at the Rugby Town match – when will you be able to play for us again Sam? - we're missing you. We're fast approaching the 6-a-side season. Depending on success, these days usually last until late afternoon and are great fun. Would you please consult your newsletter/schedule and let me know your lad's availability, as players have to be registered and we're limited to a squad of 8 players. Some parents have already very kindly volunteered to help with setting up on the Presentation Evening, 23rd June - Thankyou. More volunteers are needed to assist with Brinklow's own 6-a-side competition on Saturday 2nd & Sunday 3rd June, any help however little will be greatly appreciated, please let me know if you can help. Thankyou to Bip and Bob Sud for our video footage - we can't wait to see it! Lads, please start thinking about your choice for Players' Player of the Year. I'm giving lots of thought to Manager's Player of the Year.

As always, if there are any queries, concerns or worries whatsoever please feel free to speak to me at any time, either at training or on the numbers below.

Peter Day

SENIORS TEAM NEWS

Advertiser Cup Quarter Final

BRINKLOW 1 **S F RANGERS 5**
 SPEEDY 1

NEWMANS 2 **BRINKLOW 10**
 DANNY 3 GAZ 2
 CRESSY 2 AZI 1
 BULLY 1 TITCH 1

BRINKLOW 0 **CROWN AV' RES 0**

AVON MILL 5 **BRINKLOW 1**
 BIRDY 1

CROWN AV' RES 3 **BRINKLOW 1**
 AZI 1

BRINKLOW 0 **YELVERTOFT 6**

Well lads, all I can say really is 'inconsistency'. We have worked so hard, and deservedly gone into a two or three goal lead within the first 30 minutes of many of our games this season. But when in a position to punish the opposition we have, in my opinion, very often presumed that we have already won the match. This has led to a lot of complacency throughout the team and the end result has so often not been the one that had been expected.

Having said that, we have so many talented players in our team, all at a young age, that the future of the Brinklow senior team is very bright indeed. We have so much to work with during pre-season training and lots to look forward to over the coming season. I very much hope that you all remain Brinklow players next season and help our management team to build on the foundations and quality that already exist in our squad. I look forward to working with you all, both existing players and new, next season when I feel we can move forward that extra step to become a successful side bringing some trophies back to the village.

HUDDY.

FORTH COMING EVENTS

SAT 23 RD JUNE **PRESENTATION EVENING**
 The management requests all players to attend.

SUN 22 ND JULY **PRE-SEASON TRAINING**
 All welcome. Please bring boots and training shoes.

FRI 24 TH – MON 27 TH AUGUST **SENIORS TRIP TO BELGIUM**
 August bank holiday. Please see Les or Huddy for details.

MANY THANKS LADS - LES, HUDDY, BARRY.

U14'S TEAM NEWS



I hope I am not jumping the gun, but with two games left of this season we are well placed to finish runners up in our league. This is a fantastic achievement as this time last season we were playing games with only ten men and still unsure whether we would have a team at all for the start of this campaign. If we are lucky enough to gain promotion this season it is the players hard work and dedication that has seen us through this long and disrupted season.

Brinklow 8 Hawksmill 1

This game had a Brinklow win written all over it, us top of the league and Hawksmill near the bottom, but like so many times in previous seasons we could of slipped up, against teams we should of beat but didn't. Thankfully on this occasion we came out well on top. Goal's from Pete Sharpe (3), Ragen Patel (2), Sam Lunt (1) Martin Russell (1) and a first goal for Brinklow from Ben Chatwin.

Brinklow 4 Coundon Cockerels 3

Coundon were one of the teams that could of caught us up if they won all their games on hand, so we knew this was going to be a hard game. Brinklow had only just arrived back from their end of season tour to Clacton. So I knew they would be tired as they had played six games in three days. As predicted this game was probably our worst performance, for many weeks, but we still managed to get a win out of it, so this just goes to show the quality in our team if you can win when your playing badly. Two goals a piece from Pete Sharpe and Ragen Patel secured this win.

Brinklow 3 Hillmorton 1

It's always nice to beat a fellow Rugby team and even better when they are one place below us in the league. This was one of our best performances of the year with some great football being played by all members of the team. Once again the goals were scored by Ragen and Pete.

Clacton Tour

Just a quick note to say thank's to everyone who came on the trip and made it the most enjoyable tour we've had so far. Congratulations to Brinklow under 14's who finished third in the competition. The less said about the accommodation the better.



Training will continue up until the 6-a-Side on Sunday 3rd June. Presentation evening on Saturday 23rd June, Please make a special effort to be there on the night.

Top Goal Scorers

Pete Sharpe 20
Gareth Yeend 14
George Ashwell 14
Ragen Patel 13
Martin Russell 7

Keith Byrne

U10'S TEAM NEWS



Brinklow 3 Chaplefield Colts 4

Due to a combination of water logged pitches and Foot & Mouth Brinklow had not played a competitive game for several months and it showed in a first half where Brinklow were all to often second to the ball.

Only a fine goalkeeping display by Alex Armitage kept Chaplefield at bay and restricted the score to 0 - 1 at half time.

In the second half Brinklow looked a different team, James Royle quickly equalised with a fine solo goal, Chaplefield came back and restored their lead but a great effort from Sammy Shore put Brinklow back on terms. Again Chaplefield came back to lead but Brinklow would not give in and when Sammy Shore hooked the ball in to make it 3 - 3 a draw seemed a fair result. However Chaplefield scored their fourth with a fine headed goal 60 seconds before the final whistle, and this time there was no time to come back. But all credit to the lads for their part in a thoroughly entertaining game.

Man of the Match Alex Armitage

Dunlop 3 Brinklow 2

This was a very good game of football by both teams and Brinklow can count themselves very unlucky not to have got any sort of a result from the game.

Everyone in the side played very well and they played some excellent football against one of the top teams in the division. A win would have not been undeserved but one error of judgement by an otherwise excellent Alex in goal cost us in the end, with Dunlop scoring a very lucky goal which bounced over the keepers head. But for that one bit of luck we would have at least got a draw.

Both Brinklow goals were scored by Sam Shore, the second a superb header from a well taken corner. If we can carry on playing like this then we can finish off the season on a high. Very well done everyone.

James Royle quickly equalised with a fine solo goal.

Brian James

Australia set another world record with a 31-0 World Cup qualifying win against American Samoa.

The result was originally given as 32-0 after confusion arose at the ground over the sheer number of goals scored.

The Australians had beaten Tonga 22-0 in their previous Oceania Group One qualifier, a result that surpassed Iran's 19-0 win against Guam last year. Archie Thompson scored 13 goals for Australia - an individual scoring record in international football - with David Zdrilic netting eight.

Thompson's tally surpasses by three the previous scoring record held by Sofus Nielsen of Denmark and Gottfried Fuchs of Germany, who achieved their feats in the 1908 and 1912 Olympics respectively.

So one-sided was the match that Australian goalkeeper Michael Petkovic did not touch the ball until the 86th minute.



U11'S TEAM NEWS



This month has been hard with only one point coming from 4 games. We lost to Whitley, Exhall and Mount Nod, but credit has to go to the boys for turning out every week with great determination. Man on the Match awards went to Dan Giles (Whitley), James Skelhon(Exhall) and Dan Gyselynck/Harley Steel (Mount Nod).

The last game of the month was to be played against Dunlop and below is a summary of the game:

Brinklow 3 Dunlop 3

To say I was not looking forward to this game was an understatement, following trouble at the last game we would like to thank Steve Tyler for refereeing the game with authority ensuring this match was played without major incident. Dunlop started the stronger and went 1 up within 10 minutes. Dunlop's goal seemed to settle Brinklow and from a good throw-in Dan Gyselynck took a shot on the volley from 18 yards putting the ball in the top corner to level the score. The only time Brinklow seemed troubled following their goal was from the Dunlop's keepers kick which travelled well into the Brinklow half.

In the second half Brinklow came out firing and Philip Allen put Brinklow in front chipping the keeper. Brinklow's third goal came from a run by Rory Higgins which started just inside the Dunlop half, taking the ball down the wing past the first player to the corner flag and then bringing inside past another two players before tucking it past the keeper on the second attempt. Later in the half Brinklow let their guard drop and Dunlop pulled two back to claim the draw. Man of the Match could have gone to a number of players so it was a hard decision.

Rob Steel



Gordon Strachan is out shopping in town when he sees an old lady struggling with her shopping. Gordon says "Can you manage, love?" to which the old lady replies, "Get lost, you took the job, you're stuck with it!"



U12'S TEAM NEWS



Brinklow 7 - Finham 0
Brinklow 3 - London Road 3
Marconi 6 - Brinklow 4
Brinklow 4 - Coventry Sphinx 2

Brinklow met top table Coventry Sphinx at Barr Lane knowing they had never beaten them in the League or Cup, you could tell in the warm up that for once they were not going to be intimidated by the opposition. In the first 10 mins the tackles were flying in by both sides, Ben Clarke grabbed an early goal for Brinklow this seemed to inspire Sphinx who increased the pressure on the Brinklow goal, Sphinx finally managed to score, Sphinx could have scored 2 or 3 if it hadn't been for some fine defending from the back four and the goal-keeper. After Sphinx scored Brinklow seemed to come back into the game and scored another goal, again by Ben Clarke. Just before half-time Sphinx scored a 2nd goal which went straight in from the corner, 2-2 at half-time.



The second-half started pretty level but the more the half went on the more Brinklow got on top. Sean Drake struck a superb 30yrd free kick past the 6ft 8ins Sphinx goalkeeper, by now Brinklow were playing some fantastic football, Ben Clarke then added a fourth goal with a fine curling shot completing his hat trick and making the score 4-2. This was by far the best performance of the year, I cannot praise the team enough, they were all superb, it's day like this that make me proud to manage them.

Six-a-Side

Any kids wanting to help sell programs on 2nd June please be at the field at 8:30.

Training

We will be training until presentation night Sat 23rd June and pre-season training starts on Sun 5th August a 6 week break, but I will be ringing in the break about six-a-sides or cricket matches

Mick Holt

- Answers to last months Quiz**
- The best player to put on a Brinklow shirt !!!
 - A Rugby School.
 - Mr Garnett.
 - His dads name is the same as the dog in Tom & Jerry.
 - Last years top Goalscorer.
 - Male Duck.
 - Small village near Brinklow.
 - Small Forest
- The name of the U12's player was 'Ricky Lee'.**

