

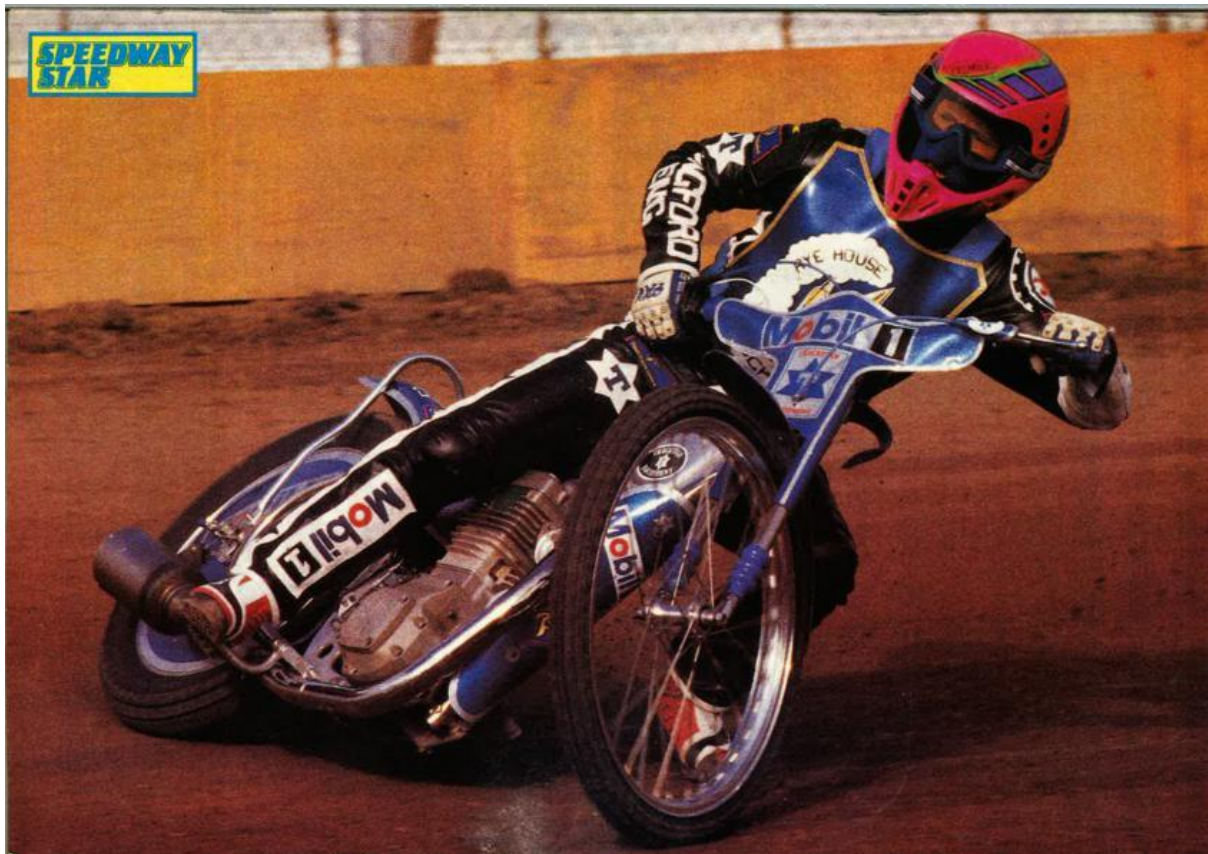
RYE HOUSE ROCKETS 1991



LEAGUE FINISHED 9th OF 12 TEAMS,
K.O.CUP LOST TO LONG EATON IN THE QUARTER FINALS

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VENUE	PURFLEET	COMPETITION	EASTER TROPHY 1st LEG		
ARENA ESSEX	45.0	44.0	RYE HOUSE	DATE:	29/03/1991
RESULT:	HOME WIN		AGREGATE SCORE		

Arena-Essex entered a new era with a slender victory over Rye House but showing promise of a title-chasing side. The Hammers' newcomers played their part although former captain Martin Goodwin, now in the Rockets colours, was the star of the meeting. He survived a strong challenge from Alan Mogridge in Heat 3 but capitulated when Moggo squeezed outside on the first bend of Heat 12. A potential close encounter of the third kind never occurred in Heat 14 as the Hammer looped over his handlebars and fell heavily. Although Mogridge took an ambulance ride from the track, there was no lasting damage. Jan Pedersen looked impressive on his Hammers debut and after taking one ride to settle down, found ways to pass Mel Taylor in Heat 5 and Wayne Baxter in Het 9. Goodwin led from the start in Heat 15 but Bo Petersen ensured a home victory for starters by going round the Rocket on the first lap.

Steve Brown - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	PRATT, Troy	3	1*	2*	0					4	6.0	2.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	PETERSEN, Bo	1	2	3	3	3				5	12.0	0.0	12.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	GALVIN, Andy	3	0	3	1*	0				5	7.0	1.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	MOGRIDGE, Alan	2	3	3	EX					4	8.0	0.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	PEDERSEN, Jan	1*	1	2	2					4	6.0	1.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	LEDWITH, Robert	2	1	2	0					4	5.0	0.0	5.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	PALMER, Tommy	F	0	0	1					4	1.0	0.0	1.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	TAYLOR, Mel	2	0	1*	3	1*				5	7.0	2.0	9.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	JOHNS, Roger	0	2	2	2					4	6.0	0.0	6.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	RASMUSSEN, Jens	2	3	3	1*					4	9.0	1.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	KINGSBURY, Tony	0	0							2	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	GOODWIN, Martin	3	3	2	3	2				5	13.0	0.0	13.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	BAXTER, Wayne	T	0	1	0	2*				4	3.0	1.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	ELKINS, Justin	3	0	1	1*	1				5	6.0	1.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	PRATT, T	TAYLOR, M	PETERSEN, B	JOHNS, R	58.3	4.0	2.0	4.0	2.0	
2	ELKINS, J	LEDWITH, R	PALMER, T	F BAXTER, W	64.7	2.0	3.0	6.0	5.0	
3	GOODWIN, M	MOGRIDGE, A	PEDERSEN, J	KINGSBURY, T	58.8	3.0	3.0	9.0	8.0	
4	GALVIN, A	RASMUSSEN, J	LEDWITH, R	ELKINS, J	59.4	4.0	2.0	13.0	10.0	
5	MOGRIDGE, A	JOHNS, R	PEDERSEN, J	TAYLOR, M	59.2	4.0	2.0	17.0	12.0	
6	RASMUSSEN, J	PETERSEN, B	PRATT, T	BAXTER, W	59.3	3.0	3.0	20.0	15.0	F/Rem
7	GOODWIN, M	LEDWITH, R	ELKINS, J	GALVIN, A	59.7	2.0	4.0	22.0	19.0	F/Rem
8	PETERSEN, B	JOHNS, R	ELKINS, J	PALMER, T	59.2	3.0	3.0	25.0	22.0	
9	RASMUSSEN, J	PEDERSEN, J	BAXTER, W	LEDWITH, R	60.0	2.0	4.0	27.0	26.0	F/Rem
10	PETERSEN, B	PRATT, T	ELKINS, J	KINGSBURY, T	59.6	5.0	1.0	32.0	27.0	
11	GALVIN, A	JOHNS, R	TAYLOR, M	PALMER, T	61.1	3.0	3.0	35.0	30.0	
12	MOGRIDGE, A	GOODWIN, M	RASMUSSEN, J	PRATT, T	60.1	3.0	3.0	38.0	33.0	
13	TAYLOR, M	PEDERSEN, J	GALVIN, A	BAXTER, W	60.2	3.0	3.0	41.0	36.0	
14	GOODWIN, M	BAXTER, W	PALMER, T	MOGRIDGE, A	63.0	1.0	5.0	42.0	41.0	F/Exc
15	PETERSEN, B	GOODWIN, M	TAYLOR, M	GALVIN, A	60.3	3.0	3.0	45.0	44.0	

VENUE	RYE HOUSE STADIUM	COMPETITION	EASTER TROPHY 2nd LEG
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RYE HOUSE	47.0	42.0	ARENA ESSEX	DATE:	01/04/1991
RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE		91.0	87.0

In terms of the result, this was exactly what Ronnie Russell had hoped for as his Rockets produced a solid first home performance of the season to give their boss an early advantage in his personel battle with brother Terry. But no doubt Ronnie would rather have conceded the tie than see the injury jinx which plagued his team last year raise its ugly head again as it did in the last heat decider.

Rockets skipper Jens Rasmussen - who had been quite outstanding in winning his first four races - was felled by Hammers' Jan Pedersen and returned to the pits nursing a shoulder injury.

It spoiled what otherwise had been an encouraging day for the home side, who looked competitive right down the line. Only Trevor O'Brien struggled, the Aussie failing to complete a lap on his first two visits to the tapes.

The Hammers were always in contention but never quite had enough firepower to maintain their one-point lead from the first leg, with Andy Galvin and Alan Mogridge looking ill at ease on a heavy track which frequently had riders two-wheeling into the bends.

Bo Petersen and Troy Pratt weighed in with their expectedly hefty contributions and Pedersen opened his account by winning a tremendous tussle with Martin Goodwin in Heat 3 on his way to an eye-catching ten points.

Andrew Skeels - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	TAYLOR, Mel	2	3	1*	3	2				5	11.0	1.0	12.0		
2	JOHNS, Roger	0	1	3	2					4	6.0	0.0	6.0		
3	RASMUSSEN, Jens	INJURED	3	3	3	N				4	12.0	0.0	12.0		
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor	EX	EX	0	1					4	1.0	0.0	1.0		
5	GOODWIN, Martin	2	EX	3	2*					4	7.0	1.0	8.0		
6	BAXTER, Wayne	2*	2*	1	0	1*				5	6.0	3.0	9.0		
7	ELKINS, Justin	3	1	0	0					4	4.0	0.0	4.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	PRATT, Troy	3	2*	1*	1					4	7.0	2.0	9.0		
2	PETERSEN, Bo	1	3	2	2	2*	3			6	13.0	1.0	14.0		
3	GALVIN, Andy	1	0	2						3	3.0	0.0	3.0		
4	MOGRIDGE, Alan	1	0	3	0					4	4.0	0.0	4.0		
5	PEDERSEN, Jan	3	2	2	3	EX				5	10.0	0.0	10.0		
6	LEDWITH, Robert	1	2	1*	0	1*				5	5.0	2.0	7.0		
7	PALMER, Tommy	0	0	0						3	0.0	0.0	0.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	PRATT, T	TAYLOR, M	PETERSEN, B	JOHNS, R	62.3	2.0	4.0	2.0	4.0	
2	ELKINS, J	BAXTER, W	LEDWITH, R	PALMER, T	63.5	5.0	1.0	7.0	5.0	
3	PEDERSEN, J	GOODWIN, M	MOGRIDGE, A	O'BRIEN, T	61.0	2.0	4.0	9.0	9.0	F/Exc
4	RASMUSSEN, J	BAXTER, W	GALVIN, A	PALMER, T	61.3	5.0	1.0	14.0	10.0	
5	PETERSEN, B	PRATT, T	O'BRIEN, T	F/Exc	62.2	0.0	5.0	14.0	15.0	F/exc
6	TAYLOR, M	LEDWITH, R	JOHNS, R	GALVIN, A	61.8	4.0	2.0	18.0	17.0	
7	RASMUSSEN, J	PEDERSEN, J	BAXTER, W	MOGRIDGE, A	60.0	4.0	2.0	22.0	19.0	
8	JOHNS, R	PETERSEN, B	ELKINS, J	PALMER, T	62.6	4.0	2.0	26.0	21.0	
9	GOODWIN, M	GALVIN, A	LEDWITH, R	BAXTER, W	62.4	3.0	3.0	29.0	24.0	F/Rem
10	MOGRIDGE, A	JOHNS, R	TAYLOR, M	LEDWITH, R	60.5	3.0	3.0	32.0	27.0	
11	RASMUSSEN, J	PETERSEN, B	PRATT, T	ELKINS, J	59.9	3.0	3.0	35.0	30.0	
12	TAYLOR, M	PEDERSEN, J	LEDWITH, R	O'BRIEN, T	59.8	3.0	3.0	38.0	33.0	
13	RASMUSSEN, J	GOODWIN, M	PRATT, T	MOGRIDGE, A	60.7	5.0	1.0	43.0	34.0	
14	PEDERSEN, J	PETERSEN, B	O'BRIEN, T	ELKINS, J	61.6	1.0	5.0	44.0	39.0	
15	PETERSEN, B	TAYLOR, M	BAXTER, W	PEDERSEN, J	60.3	3.0	3.0	47.0	42.0	RASMUSSEN, J F/Ns

VENUE	RYE HOUSE STADIUM	COMPETITION	GOLD CUP (SOUTH)
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RYE HOUSE	50.0	40.0	EXETER	DATE:	07/04/1991
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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Rye House successfully dodged the weekend rain and were well rewarded with their first Gold Cup points of the season. Despite the absence of skipper Jens Rasmussen, the Rockets closed ranks with the top four all effective on a track which stood up well to the elements.

Martin Goodwin illustrated how valuable he'll be to the side this term with a masterly show which brought only one defeat in six starts - to Falcons' No.1 Steve Regeling in Heat 13.

Mel Taylor, Roger Johns and Trevor O'Brien came up with excellent support and that was enough to see Rye home.

Nevertheless, a game Exeter outfit made a match of it, although they never really hauled themselves into a position from which to seriously threaten the Rockets.

Andrew Skeels - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	TAYLOR, Mel	3	3	1	2	0	2*			6	11.0	1.0	12.0		
2	JOHNS, Roger	1	3	1	1	3				5	9.0	0.0	9.0		
3	RASMUSSEN, Jens	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor	2*	2*	2	R	2				5	8.0	2.0	10.0		
5	GOODWIN, Martin	3	3	3	3	2	3			6	17.0	0.0	17.0		
6	BAXTER, Wayne	0	0	1*	1					4	2.0	1.0	3.0		
7	ELKINS, Justin	2	0	1	0					4	3.0	0.0	3.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	REGELING, Steve	2	0	2*	2	3	1			6	10.0	1.0	11.0		
2	GREEN, Richard	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
3	SMART, David	0	2	2	3	2	1			6	10.0	0.0	10.0		
4	JEFFREY, Peter	F	3	2	1	1				5	7.0	0.0	7.0		
5	COOK, Colin	1	R	3	3	0				5	7.0	0.0	7.0		
6	SIMMONDS, Mark	3	0	0						3	3.0	0.0	3.0		
7	KNIGHT, Richard R.	1	1*	0						3	2.0	1.0	3.0		
8	SMART, Frank	1	0							2	1.0	0.0	1.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	TAYLOR, M	REGELING, S	JOHNS, R	SMART, D	59.9	4.0	2.0	4.0	2.0	
2	SIMMONDS, M	ELKINS, J	KNIGHT, R. R.	BAXTER, W	62.9	2.0	4.0	6.0	6.0	
3	GOODWIN, M	O'BRIEN, T	COOK, C	JEFFREY, Pe.	60.8	5.0	1.0	11.0	7.0	
4	JOHNS, R	SMART, D	KNIGHT, R. R.	BAXTER, W	63.3	3.0	3.0	14.0	10.0	
5	GOODWIN, M	O'BRIEN, T	SMART, F	REGELING, S	64.9	5.0	1.0	19.0	11.0	
6	TAYLOR, M	SMART, D	JOHNS, R	SIMMONDS, M	61.8	4.0	2.0	23.0	13.0	
7	JEFFREY, Pe.	O'BRIEN, T	BAXTER, W	COOK, C	62.2	3.0	3.0	26.0	16.0	
8	SMART, D	REGELING, S	JOHNS, R	ELKINS, J	61.9	1.0	5.0	27.0	21.0	
9	GOODWIN, M	SMART, D	BAXTER, W	SIMMONDS, M	60.7	4.0	2.0	31.0	23.0	
10	JOHNS, R	JEFFREY, Pe.	TAYLOR, M	KNIGHT, R. R.	62.3	4.0	2.0	35.0	25.0	
11	GOODWIN, M	REGELING, S	ELKINS, J	SMART, F	60.7	4.0	2.0	39.0	27.0	
12	COOK, C	TAYLOR, M	SMART, F	O'BRIEN, T	61.8	2.0	4.0	41.0	31.0	
13	REGELING, S	GOODWIN, M	JEFFREY, Pe.	TAYLOR, M	60.5	2.0	4.0	43.0	35.0	
14	COOK, C	O'BRIEN, T	JEFFREY, Pe.	ELKINS, J	61.4	2.0	4.0	45.0	39.0	
15	GOODWIN, M	TAYLOR, M	REGELING, S	COOK, C	60.7	5.0	1.0	50.0	40.0	

VENUE	COUNTY GROUND	COMPETITION	GOLD CUP (SOUTH)
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EXETER	58.0	32.0	RYE HOUSE	DATE:	08/04/1991
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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Exeter overcame a variety of difficulties to record a convincing win over the Rockets and also collect their first bonus point. Falcons secured 5-1s in all of the first four races to put them well on the way to victory but Rye House staged a spirited mid-match revival to cut the deficit to eight points before the homesters once again took command.

Exeter's all-round strength was very much in evidence. A dose of 'flu didn't prevent Steve Regeling from scoring a paid maximum and twice clocking the fastest time of the season.

David Smart, too, had another good night but his chance of a maximum disappeared with a blown big end.

Richard Green rode bravely, although nursing his broken collar-bone, while newcomer Richard Knight earned the applause of the crowd with two impressive opening rides.

Peter Jeffrey dropped his only point to the flying Mel Taylor, whose efforts played a big part in keeping the Rockets in the match. His main support came from Trevor O'Brien, who continued to ride despite taking a couple of heavy falls.

And had Martin Goodwin not suffered a couple of engine failures, Rye may have pushed the Falcons even harder.

Tony Lethbridge - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	REGELING, Steve	2*	3	3	3					4	11.0	1.0	12.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2	GREEN, Richard	3	2*	R	2*					4	7.0	2.0	9.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	SMART, David	3	R	3	3	3				5	12.0	0.0	12.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	JEFFREY, Peter	3	2	2*	3					4	10.0	1.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	COOK, Colin	2*	1*	1	1					4	5.0	2.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	KNIGHT, Richard R.	2*	2*	1	0					4	5.0	2.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	SIMMONDS, Mark	3	1	1	2*	1				5	8.0	1.0	9.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	TAYLOR, Mel	1	3	3	3	2	2	0		7	14.0	0.0	14.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	JOHNS, Roger	0	0	2*	0	1				5	3.0	1.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	RASMUSSEN, Jens	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor	1	F	3	2*	1	0	2		7	9.0	1.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	GOODWIN, Martin	R	0	2*	0	1				5	3.0	1.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	BAXTER, Wayne	0	1	0						3	1.0	0.0	1.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	ELKINS, Justin	1	1	0						3	2.0	0.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	GREEN, Ri	REGELING, S	TAYLOR, M	JOHNS, R	69.5	5.0	1.0	5.0	1.0	
2	SIMMONDS, M	KNIGHT, R. R.	ELKINS, J	BAXTER, W	69.6	5.0	1.0	10.0	2.0	
3	JEFFREY, Pe.	COOK, C	O'BRIEN, T	GOODWIN, M	Ret	68.8	5.0	1.0	15.0	3.0
4	SMART, D	KNIGHT, R. R.	ELKINS, J	O'BRIEN, T	F	70.4	5.0	1.0	20.0	4.0
5	TAYLOR, M	JEFFREY, Pe.	COOK, C	JOHNS, R		69.0	3.0	3.0	23.0	7.0
6	REGELING, S	GREEN, Ri.	BAXTER, W	GOODWIN, M		68.0	5.0	1.0	28.0	8.0
7	O'BRIEN, T	GOODWIN, M	KNIGHT, R. R.	SMART, D	Ret	69.6	1.0	5.0	29.0	13.0
8	TAYLOR, M	JOHNS, R	SIMMONDS, M	GREEN, Ri.	Ret	69.6	1.0	5.0	30.0	18.0
9	TAYLOR, M	O'BRIEN, T	COOK, C	KNIGHT, R. R.		69.7	1.0	5.0	31.0	23.0
10	REGELING, S	GREEN, Ri.	O'BRIEN, T	GOODWIN, M		68.1	5.0	1.0	36.0	24.0
11	SMART, D	TAYLOR, M	SIMMONDS, M	JOHNS, R		69.3	4.0	2.0	40.0	26.0
12	REGELING, S	JEFFREY, Pe.	GOODWIN, M	ELKINS, J		67.9	5.0	1.0	45.0	27.0
13	SMART, D	TAYLOR, M	COOK, C	O'BRIEN, T		69.5	4.0	2.0	49.0	29.0
14	JEFFREY, Pe.	SIMMONDS, M	JOHNS, R	BAXTER, W		68.7	5.0	1.0	54.0	30.0
15	SMART, D	O'BRIEN, T	SIMMONDS, M	TAYLOR, M		69.6	4.0	2.0	58.0	32.0

VENUE EAST OF ENGLAND SHOWGRO COMPETITION GOLD CUP (SOUTH)

PETERBOROUGH 66.0 24.0 RYE HOUSE DATE: 12/04/1991

RESULT: HOME WIN AGREGATE SCORE

The Rockets, badly missing injury victim Jens Rasmussen, never got off the launch pad as the flying Smith Motors Panthers blasted them into orbit.
 Not even Mel Taylor and Martin Goodwin could stop the rot and points flow as the dynamic trio of Micheal Blixt, Stephen Davies and Scott Norman all went through the card.
 Alwalton reserves John Wainwright and Wayne Bridgeford also delivered the goods, the latter just missing out on a full score at the hands of Goodwin in the penultimate heat.
 It was another devastating Peterborough performance, following in the tracks of their previous week's rout of Arena-Essex.

Kevin Brown - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	DAVIES, Stephen	3	2*	3	2*					4	10.0	2.0	12.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2	NORMAN, Scott	2*	3	3	2*	2*				5	12.0	3.0	15.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3	BLIXT, Michael	3	3	3	3	3				5	15.0	0.0	15.0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	TAGG, Gary	1	0	3	3					4	7.0	0.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	HELLEN, Richard	3	1	3	1					4	8.0	0.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	WAINWRIGHT, John	2*	1	1	2*					4	6.0	2.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	BRIDGEFORD, Wayne	3	2*	2*	1					4	8.0	2.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	TAYLOR, Mel	1	3	1	1	1	2	1		7	10.0	0.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	JOHNS, Roger	2*	0	0	0					4	2.0	1.0	3.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	RASMUSSEN, Jens	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor	0	F	2	R	R				5	2.0	0.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	GOODWIN, Martin	2	2	0	R	1	2	T		7	7.0	0.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	BAXTER, Wayne	0	0	1	0	0				5	1.0	0.0	1.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	ELKINS, Justin	1	0	1						3	2.0	0.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	DAVIES, S	NORMAN, S	TAYLOR, M	BAXTER, W	63.5	5.0	1.0	5.0	1.0	
2	BRIDGEFORD, W	WAINWRIGHT, J	ELKINS, J	BAXTER, W F/Rem	65.0	5.0	1.0	10.0	2.0	
3	HELLEN, R	GOODWIN, M	TAGG, G	O'BRIEN, T	64.9	4.0	2.0	14.0	4.0	
4	BLIXT, M	GOODWIN, M	WAINWRIGHT, J	ELKINS, J	64.0	4.0	2.0	18.0	6.0	
5	TAYLOR, M	JOHNS, R	HELLEN, R	TAGG, G F/Rem	64.3	1.0	5.0	19.0	11.0	
6	NORMAN, S	DAVIES, S	BAXTER, W	O'BRIEN, T F		5.0	1.0	24.0	12.0	
7	BLIXT, M	O'BRIEN, T	WAINWRIGHT, J	GOODWIN, M	63.8	4.0	2.0	28.0	14.0	
8	NORMAN, S	BRIDGEFORD, W	TAYLOR, M	JOHNS, R	65.4	5.0	1.0	33.0	15.0	
9	HELLEN, R	WAINWRIGHT, J	TAYLOR, M	GOODWIN, M EF	65.4	5.0	1.0	38.0	16.0	
10	DAVIES, S	NORMAN, S	ELKINS, J	O'BRIEN, T EF	65.1	5.0	1.0	43.0	17.0	
11	BLIXT, M	BRIDGEFORD, W	TAYLOR, M	JOHNS, R	65.4	5.0	1.0	48.0	18.0	
12	TAGG, G	DAVIES, S	GOODWIN, M	JOHNS, R	64.3	5.0	1.0	53.0	19.0	
13	BLIXT, M	TAYLOR, M	HELLEN, R	O'BRIEN, T EF	64.6	4.0	2.0	57.0	21.0	
14	TAGG, G	GOODWIN, M	BRIDGEFORD, W	BAXTER, W	65.3	4.0	2.0	61.0	23.0	
15	BLIXT, M	NORMAN, S	TAYLOR, M	BAXTER, W	64.8	5.0	1.0	66.0	24.0	GOODWIN, M T

VENUE	RYE HOUSE STADIUM	COMPETITION	GOLD CUP (SOUTH)
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RYE HOUSE	46.0	44.0	HACKNEY	DATE:	14/04/1991
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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A brilliant first corner by Martin Goodwin in a last heat decider won this match for Rye House, just when they seemed on the verge of quandering an eight-point lead.

With the sides level at 42-42, Goodwin produced a vintage first turn in the nominated riders' race to slam the door on Hawks' Paul Whittaker and enable theam-mate Roger Joines to get round from gate four.

Whittaker reclaimed second place on the thrid bend but with Goodwin long gone, Johns' experience saw him home to the vital third place point ahead of Tony Olsson.

It was a relief for the home side, who had struggled to make any headway in the early stages.

It took them six heats to get in front but they seemed set for a comfortable victory when Johns and Justin Elkins turned a Hackney 5-1 into a Rye 4-2 in Heat 8 and Goodwin and Wayne Baxter slammed home a maximum in the next.

But fullmarks to the Hawks, who refused to give up and launched a spirited fightback.

Michael Warren was floored by Trevor O'Brien in Heat 11 but picked himself up to join Olsson for a 5-1 in the re-run.

And then trumpcard reserve Dave Hamnett - who was surprisingly given only four rides - teamed up with the impressive Paul Whittaker for a 5-1 in the penultimate race which tied the scores.

Goodwin ensured Hackney went home unrewarded but Rockets will need more than the five points they recouped from Jens Rasmussen's rider replacement rides if they are to avoid future scares at home.

Andrew Skeels - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	TAYLOR, Mel		2	2*	1*	2	1*			5	8.0	3.0	11.0		
2	JOHNS, Roger		EX	1	3	3	2	1		6	10.0	0.0	10.0		
3	RASMUSSEN, Jens		R/R							0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor		1	1	EX	1*	1			5	4.0	1.0	5.0		
5	GOODWIN, Martin		3	3	3	3	2	3		6	17.0	0.0	17.0		
6	BAXTER, Wayne		3	0	0	2*	0			5	5.0	1.0	6.0		
7	ELKINS, Justin		0	1	1					3	2.0	0.0	2.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	OLSSON, Tony		1	2	0	3	3	0		6	9.0	0.0	9.0		
2	WARREN, Michael		3	0	F	2*				4	5.0	1.0	6.0		
3	KARNAS, Pavel		2*	1	0	0				4	3.0	1.0	4.0		
4	HUNTER, Tim		0	1*	0					3	1.0	1.0	2.0		
5	WHITTAKER, Paul		2	2	3	3	3	2		6	15.0	0.0	15.0		
6	POLLARD, Roland		1*	F	1					3	2.0	1.0	3.0		
7	HAMNETT, David		2	3	2	2*				4	9.0	1.0	10.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	WARREN, M	TAYLOR, M	OLSSON, T	JOHNS, R	F/Exc	62.3	2.0	4.0	2.0	4.0
2	BAXTER, W	HAMNETT, D	POLLARD, R	ELKINS, J		63.1	3.0	3.0	5.0	7.0
3	GOODWIN, M	WHITTAKER, P	O'BRIEN, T	HUNTER, T		60.0	4.0	2.0	9.0	9.0
4	HAMNETT, D	KARNAS, P	JOHNS, R	BAXTER, W		62.5	1.0	5.0	10.0	14.0
5	GOODWIN, M	OLSSON, T	O'BRIEN, T	WARREN, M		60.1	4.0	2.0	14.0	16.0
6	JOHNS, R	TAYLOR, M	KARNAS, P	POLLARD, R	F		5.0	1.0	19.0	17.0
7	GOODWIN, M	WHITTAKER, P	HUNTER, T	BAXTER, W		60.4	3.0	3.0	22.0	20.0
8	JOHNS, R	HAMNETT, D	ELKINS, J	WARREN, M	F	62.8	4.0	2.0	26.0	22.0
9	GOODWIN, M	BAXTER, W	POLLARD, R	KARNAS, P		62.0	5.0	1.0	31.0	23.0
10	WHITTAKER, P	JOHNS, R	TAYLOR, M	OLSSON, T		60.6	3.0	3.0	34.0	26.0
11	OLSSON, T	WARREN, M	ELKINS, J	O'BRIEN, T	F/Exc	60.8	1.0	5.0	35.0	31.0
12	WHITTAKER, P	TAYLOR, M	O'BRIEN, T	KARNAS, P		60.8	3.0	3.0	38.0	34.0
13	OLSSON, T	GOODWIN, M	TAYLOR, M	HUNTER, T		61.0	3.0	3.0	41.0	37.0
14	WHITTAKER, P	HAMNETT, D	O'BRIEN, T	BAXTER, W	F/Rem	62.6	1.0	5.0	42.0	42.0
15	GOODWIN, M	WHITTAKER, P	JOHNS, R	OLSSON, T		60.7	4.0	2.0	46.0	44.0

VENUE RYE HOUSE STADIUM COMPETITION GOLD CUP (SOUTH)

RYE HOUSE 44.0 46.0 PETERBOROUGH DATE: 21/04/1991

RESULT: AWAY WIN AGREGATE SCORE

After surviving two meetings at Hoddesdon without injured skipper Jens Rasmussen, Rye House finally came unstuck and lost their unbeaten home run to a more solid Peterborough outfit who looked likely winners for much of the afternoon. The Panthers needed only two points from the nominated heat to clinch it but after a lively first turn it was howm duo Martin Goodwin and Mel Taylor who showed. A 5-1 would have given Rye a draw and for three-and-a-half laps, they had it. But then Michael Blixt forced his way past Taylor on the back straight and the resulting 4-2 gave Peterborough both Gold Cup points to add to the aggregate bonus they'd clinched as early as Heat 7. that the outcome went down to tha last race at all was largely due to the efforts of Goodwin, Taylor and Roger Johns. Goodwin's 14-points haul would have been bettered had he not slid off while trying to round Richard Hellsen in Heat 11 whilst Johns recovered from a duck first time out to join Talyor for two vital maximums. But the three lacked support, with Trevor O'Brien having a nightmare and reserves Wayne Baxter and Justin Elkins unable to turn total commitment into points. All of Peterborough's top four won races but their real trumpcard was reserve John Wainwright, a former Rocket. His paid 11 swung it Panthers' way and he also helped deliver what was effectively the knocokout punch by taking Elkins from the back to join Scott Norman for a 5-1 in the penultimate heat.

Andrew Skeels - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	TAYLOR, Mel	2	2	3	3	2	1	1		7	14.0	0.0	14.0		
2	JOHNS, Roger	0	3	1*	2*	2*				5	8.0	3.0	11.0		
3	RASMUSSEN, Jens	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor	0	F	1	1*	R				5	2.0	1.0	3.0		
5	GOODWIN, Martin	3	2	3	0	3	3			6	14.0	0.0	14.0		
6	BAXTER, Wayne	2	1	0	F					4	3.0	0.0	3.0		
7	ELKINS, Justin	1*	1	1						3	3.0	1.0	4.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	BLIXT, Michael	3	3	1	3	2	2			6	14.0	0.0	14.0		
2	DAVIES, Stephen	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
3	HELLEN, Richard	M	3	2	2*	3	0			5	10.0	1.0	11.0		
4	TAGG, Gary	2	1	3	EX	0				5	6.0	0.0	6.0		
5	NORMAN, Scott	1	1*	2*	0	3				5	7.0	2.0	9.0		
6	WAINWRIGHT, John	3	2	0	1*	1	2*			6	9.0	2.0	11.0		
7	BRIDGEFORD, Wayne	0	0	0						3	0.0	0.0	0.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	BLIXT, M	TAYLOR, M	NORMAN, S	JOHNS, R	61.8	2.0	4.0	2.0	4.0	
2	WAINWRIGHT, J	BAXTER, W	ELKINS, J	BRIDGEFORD, W	62.2	3.0	3.0	5.0	7.0	
3	GOODWIN, M	TAGG, G	NORMAN, S	O'BRIEN, T	60.9	3.0	3.0	8.0	10.0	
4	JOHNS, R	WAINWRIGHT, J	BAXTER, W	BRIDGEFORD, W	60.6	4.0	2.0	12.0	12.0	HELLEN, R M
5	BLIXT, M	GOODWIN, M	TAGG, G	O'BRIEN, T	60.4	2.0	4.0	14.0	16.0	
6	HELLEN, R	TAYLOR, M	JOHNS, R	WAINWRIGHT, J	60.9	3.0	3.0	17.0	19.0	
7	TAGG, G	NORMAN, S	O'BRIEN, T	BAXTER, W	61.3	1.0	5.0	18.0	24.0	
8	TAYLOR, M	JOHNS, R	BLIXT, M	BRIDGEFORD, W	61.0	5.0	1.0	23.0	25.0	
9	GOODWIN, M	HELLEN, R	WAINWRIGHT, J	BAXTER, W	61.2	3.0	3.0	26.0	28.0	
10	TAYLOR, M	JOHNS, R	WAINWRIGHT, J	TAGG, G	62.1	5.0	1.0	31.0	29.0	F/Exc
11	BLIXT, M	HELLEN, R	ELKINS, J	GOODWIN, M	62.5	1.0	5.0	32.0	34.0	F/Rem
12	HELLEN, R	TAYLOR, M	O'BRIEN, T	NORMAN, S	60.5	3.0	3.0	35.0	37.0	
13	GOODWIN, M	BLIXT, M	TAYLOR, M	TAGG, G	60.0	4.0	2.0	39.0	39.0	
14	NORMAN, S	WAINWRIGHT, J	ELKINS, J	O'BRIEN, T	61.5	1.0	5.0	40.0	44.0	EF
15	GOODWIN, M	BLIXT, M	TAYLOR, M	HELLEN, R	61.0	4.0	2.0	44.0	46.0	

VENUE	RYE HOUSE STADIUM	COMPETITION	BSPA CUP 1st ROUND
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RYE HOUSE	37.0	52.0	IPSWICH	DATE:	28/04/1991
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RESULT:	AWAY WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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The result may have been predictable enough but the scoreline certainly didn't do any justice to underdogs Rye House, who gave First Division Ipswich plenty to think about in a hard-fought Cup clash.

The Witches led from the start but took 13 races to finish the job, Chris Louis' brilliant third-to-first ride which turned a Rye 5-1 into a Ipswich 4-2 in the 13th finally killing the Rockets off.

In the early stages, there was little in it. Ipswich took three 5-1s from the first six races but still couldn't distance themselves from the plucky home outfit, who served notice that they weren't prepared to be pushovers with maximums in Heats 5 and 7.

With Ipswich leading by just 22-20 after seven races, the unlikely prospect of an upset suddenly didn't seem so ridiculous.

But then Rockets shot themselves in the foot. Justin Elkins was caught on the line in Heat 8 by the impressive Ben Howe; Martin Goodwin fell under no pressure on the last corner when he had Heat 9 in the bag; and comeback man Jens Rasmussen came off as he led a Rye 4-2 in Heat 11.

Suddenly, Ipswich had a nine-point cushion and there seemed no way back for the Second Division side.

Mel Taylor and Trevor O'Brien briefly rased Rye hopes in Heat 12 as they held a 5-1 for three laps, which would have cut the gap to five. But, on the final circuit, O'Brien clashed Tony Rickardsson and unluckily shed a chain.

It just about summed up Rye's day - so close and yet so far.

Andrew Skeels - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	TAYLOR, Mel	1	1	1*	3	1*				5	7.0	2.0	9.0		
2	JOHNS, Roger	0	EX	2	2	0				5	4.0	0.0	4.0		
3	RASMUSSEN, Jens	1	2*	EX	0					4	3.0	1.0	4.0		
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor	1	3	2	R	M				4	6.0	0.0	6.0		
5	GOODWIN, Martin	3	2*	3	F	2	2			6	12.0	1.0	13.0		
6	BAXTER, Wayne	2	0	1						3	3.0	0.0	3.0		
7	ELKINS, Justin	1*	0	1						3	2.0	1.0	3.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	LOUIS, Chris	2*	0	EX	3					4	5.0	1.0	6.0		
2	STEVENS, Alastair	3	1	3	3					4	10.0	0.0	10.0		
3	RICKARDSSON, Tony	3	3	3	2	3				5	14.0	0.0	14.0		
4	TESAR, Sam	EX	1	0						3	1.0	0.0	1.0		
5	NORRIS, David	2	0	1*	2*					4	5.0	2.0	7.0		
6	HOWE, Ben	3	1	2*	3					4	9.0	1.0	10.0		
7	PARKER, Shane	EX	2*	2*	3	1	0			6	8.0	2.0	10.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	STEVENS, AI	LOUIS, C	TAYLOR, M	JOHNS, R	60.6	1.0	5.0	1.0	5.0	
2	HOWE, B	BAXTER, W	ELKINS, J	PARKER, S	60.4	3.0	3.0	4.0	8.0	
3	GOODWIN, M	NORRIS, D	O'BRIEN, T	TESAR, S	59.9	4.0	2.0	8.0	10.0	
4	RICKARDSSON, T	PARKER, S	RASMUSSEN, J	BAXTER, W	60.5	1.0	5.0	9.0	15.0	
5	O'BRIEN, T	GOODWIN, M	STEVENS, AI	LOUIS, C	60.0	5.0	1.0	14.0	16.0	
6	RICKARDSSON, T	PARKER, S	TAYLOR, M	JOHNS, R	60.2	1.0	5.0	15.0	21.0	
7	GOODWIN, M	RASMUSSEN, J	TESAR, S	NORRIS, D	60.6	5.0	1.0	20.0	22.0	
8	STEVENS, AI	JOHNS, R	HOWE, B	ELKINS, J	60.6	2.0	4.0	22.0	26.0	
9	RICKARDSSON, T	HOWE, B	BAXTER, W	GOODWIN, M	59.8	1.0	5.0	23.0	31.0	
10	PARKER, S	JOHNS, R	TAYLOR, M	TESAR, S	61.1	3.0	3.0	26.0	34.0	
11	STEVENS, AI	O'BRIEN, T	RASMUSSEN, J	LOUIS, C	60.6	2.0	3.0	28.0	37.0	
12	TAYLOR, M	RICKARDSSON, T	NORRIS, D	O'BRIEN, T	61.4	3.0	3.0	31.0	40.0	
13	LOUIS, C	GOODWIN, M	PARKER, S	RASMUSSEN, J	60.3	2.0	4.0	33.0	44.0	
14	HOWE, B	NORRIS, D	ELKINS, J	JOHNS, R	60.8	1.0	5.0	34.0	49.0	O'BRIEN, T
15	RICKARDSSON, T	GOODWIN, M	TAYLOR, M	PARKER, S	59.3	3.0	3.0	37.0	52.0	

VENUE ELFIELD PARK **COMPETITION** GOLD CUP (SOUTH)

MILTON KEYNES 0.0 0.0 **RYE HOUSE** **DATE:** 30/04/1991

RESULT: RAINED OFF **AGREGATE SCORE**

An early morning inspection of the Elfield Park left Terry Cheney in no doubt that the Gold Cup match against Rye House was impossible. "A one metre-wide strip of water along the home straight and a flooded centre green made it like a swimming pool," he said. "There were hundreds of gallons of water to remove and there was simply no way that we could have staged the meeting."

Mick Podd - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

AWAY TEAM

VENUE	WATERDEN RD	COMPETITION	GOLD CUP (SOUTH)
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HACKNEY	52.0	37.0	RYE HOUSE	DATE:	03/05/1991
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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Hackney's comfortable victory over their near neighbours was marred by an unsavoury incident following the first re-run of Heat 15. In that re-run Martin Goodwin was ridden wide by Hackney skipper Paul Whittaker, fell and was excluded by referee Stripp. Taking umbrage to that decision, Goodwin stormed across the centre green, track and dog track, raced to the referee's box and broke a window with his crash helmet. He was fined £50 and will be reported to the Control Board who will undoubtedly consider the matter further. That incident apart, it was a pretty straightforward meeting with the Hawks always holding the upper hand and the visitors struggling with only Goodwin, Taylor and Elkins offering any measure of opposition. Strangely, Elkins, with three second places, was not given any additional rides by team manager Kingsbury although it wouldn't have affected the overall result. With Michael Warren having his best meeting to date this year, Hawks were always superior in every department and fully deserved their victory.

Bryn Williams - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	OLSSON, Tony	2*	2*	0	3					4	7.0	2.0	9.0		
2	WARREN, Michael	3	3	3	2	3				5	14.0	0.0	14.0		
3	WHITTAKER, Paul	3	2	3	2	2*				5	12.0	1.0	13.0		
4	KARNAS, Pavel	1*	2	2*	2					4	7.0	2.0	9.0		
5	KALINA, Vladimir	T	0	2	1*					4	3.0	1.0	4.0		
6	HAMNETT, David	3	2	R	0	1*	2*			6	8.0	2.0	10.0		
7	POLLARD, Roland	1	0	R						3	1.0	0.0	1.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	TAYLOR, Mel	1	3	3	0	3	EX			6	10.0	0.0	10.0		
2	JOHNS, Roger	0	1	1*	1					4	3.0	1.0	4.0		
3	RASMUSSEN, Jens	1*	1	0	1					4	3.0	1.0	4.0		
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor	0	1	1	0					4	2.0	0.0	2.0		
5	GOODWIN, Martin	3	3	3	EX	3	EX			6	12.0	0.0	12.0		
6	BAXTER, Wayne	EX	0	1						3	1.0	0.0	1.0		
7	ELKINS, Justin	2	2	2						3	6.0	0.0	6.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	WARREN, M	OLSSON, T	TAYLOR, M	JOHNS, R	61.7	5.0	1.0	5.0	1.0	
2	HAMNETT, D	ELKINS, J	POLLARD, R	BAXTER, W	63.3	4.0	2.0	9.0	3.0	
3	GOODWIN, M	HAMNETT, D	KARNAS, P	O'BRIEN, T	62.0	3.0	3.0	12.0	6.0	KALINA, V T
4	WHITTAKER, P	ELKINS, J	RASMUSSEN, J	HAMNETT, D	64.1	3.0	3.0	15.0	9.0	
5	TAYLOR, M	KARNAS, P	JOHNS, R	KALINA, V	62.8	2.0	4.0	17.0	13.0	
6	WARREN, M	OLSSON, T	RASMUSSEN, J	BAXTER, W	62.9	5.0	1.0	22.0	14.0	
7	GOODWIN, M	WHITTAKER, P	O'BRIEN, T	HAMNETT, D	61.7	2.0	4.0	24.0	18.0	
8	WARREN, M	ELKINS, J	JOHNS, R	POLLARD, R	63.4	3.0	3.0	27.0	21.0	
9	GOODWIN, M	KALINA, V	HAMNETT, D	RASMUSSEN, J	62.4	3.0	3.0	30.0	24.0	
10	TAYLOR, M	WARREN, M	O'BRIEN, T	OLSSON, T	62.1	2.0	4.0	32.0	28.0	
11	WHITTAKER, P	HAMNETT, D	JOHNS, R	TAYLOR, M	62.5	5.0	1.0	37.0	29.0	
12	OLSSON, T	KARNAS, P	RASMUSSEN, J	GOODWIN, M	63.6	5.0	1.0	42.0	30.0	
13	TAYLOR, M	WHITTAKER, P	KALINA, V	O'BRIEN, T	62.9	3.0	3.0	45.0	33.0	
14	GOODWIN, M	KARNAS, P	BAXTER, W	POLLARD, R	63.1	2.0	4.0	47.0	37.0	
15	WARREN, M	WHITTAKER, P	GOODWIN, M	F/Exc TAYLOR, M	65.7	5.0	0.0	52.0	37.0	

VENUE	ELFIELD PARK	COMPETITION	GOLD CUP (SOUTH)
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MILTON KEYNES	46.0	44.0	RYE HOUSE	DATE:	05/05/1991
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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Thanks to five unbeaten rides to Mel Taylor and a successfully lodged complaint over illegal use of a tyre by Gordon Kennett, and a two-point lead going into the nominated heat with Taylor out again, Rye House seemed set to extract revenge for their one-point National League defeat at Elfield Park last season.

But come the end of the final heat, it was the Knights who were to take the victory parade.

Just for once, Taylor was slow out of the gate - the pit gate that is - and his two minute exclusion left the Rockets' hopes resting on Martin Goodwin.

But he couldn't stop Troy Butler and then failed to keep out the flying Paul Woods which enabled the Knights to scramble home.

It was always going to be close, with Milton Keynes' six point lead after Heat 8 whittled away to just two after Heat 11.

Successive maximums to the visitors gave them a six-point advantage which seemed certain to give them their first away win until Knights' late flourish.

Steve Brown - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	KENNETT, Gordon	2	1	0	EX					4	3.0	0.0	3.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	WOODS, Paul	1*	3	3	2	2*				5	11.0	2.0	13.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	BUTLER, Troy	3	3	2	0	3	3			6	14.0	0.0	14.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	DE'ATH, Nigel	0	2	1						3	3.0	0.0	3.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	GLANZ, Peter	2	0	2	1	2*				5	7.0	1.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	COOPER, Jon	3	1	F	1*					4	5.0	1.0	6.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	BLACKBIRD, Paul	1	2*	0						3	3.0	1.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	TAYLOR, Mel	3	3	3	3	3	M			5	15.0	0.0	15.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	JOHNS, Roger	0	1	F	1					4	2.0	0.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	RASMUSSEN, Jens	R	2	0	2*					4	4.0	1.0	5.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor	1	2	3	2*					4	8.0	1.0	9.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	GOODWIN, Martin	3	1*	1	3	R	1			6	9.0	1.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	BAXTER, Wayne	2	0	1	0					4	3.0	0.0	3.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	ELKINS, Justin	0	2	1						3	3.0	0.0	3.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	TAYLOR, M	KENNETT, G	WOODS, P	JOHNS, R	57.2	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	
2	COOPER, J	BAXTER, W	BLACKBIRD, P	ELKINS, J	59.3	4.0	2.0	7.0	5.0	
3	GOODWIN, M	GLANZ, P	O'BRIEN, T	DE'ATH, N	58.6	2.0	4.0	9.0	9.0	
4	BUTLER, T	ELKINS, J	COOPER, J	RASMUSSEN, J	57.7	4.0	2.0	13.0	11.0	EF
5	TAYLOR, M	DE'ATH, N	JOHNS, R	GLANZ, P	58.5	2.0	4.0	15.0	15.0	
6	WOODS, P	RASMUSSEN, J	KENNETT, G	BAXTER, W	57.1	4.0	2.0	19.0	17.0	
7	BUTLER, T	O'BRIEN, T	GOODWIN, M	COOPER, J	57.0	3.0	3.0	22.0	20.0	F
8	WOODS, P	BLACKBIRD, P	ELKINS, J	JOHNS, R	57.1	5.0	1.0	27.0	21.0	F
9	TAYLOR, M	GLANZ, P	COOPER, J	RASMUSSEN, J	57.7	3.0	3.0	30.0	24.0	
10	O'BRIEN, T	WOODS, P	GOODWIN, M	KENNETT, G	56.7	2.0	4.0	32.0	28.0	
11	TAYLOR, M	BUTLER, T	JOHNS, R	BLACKBIRD, P	56.9	2.0	4.0	34.0	32.0	
12	GOODWIN, M	RASMUSSEN, J	DE'ATH, N	KENNETT, G		1.0	5.0	35.0	37.0	Exc
13	TAYLOR, M	O'BRIEN, T	GLANZ, P	BUTLER, T	56.9	1.0	5.0	36.0	42.0	
14	BUTLER, T	GLANZ, P	BAXTER, W	GOODWIN, M	56.7	5.0	1.0	41.0	43.0	EF
15	BUTLER, T	WOODS, P	GOODWIN, M	BAXTER, W	56.8	5.0	1.0	46.0	44.0	TAYLOR, M

VENUE	RYE HOUSE STADIUM	COMPETITION	GOLD CUP (SOUTH)
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RYE HOUSE	51.0	39.0	MILTON KEYNES	DATE:	06/05/1991
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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A season's best paid 13 from Trevor O'Brien lead the way as Rye House bagged their first aggregate bonus point with a relatively comfortable success over a disappointing Milton Keynes outfit.

Despite taking the lead in Heat 1, the visitors rarely looked capable of threatening the Rockets, with only Troy Butler and Gordon Kennett offering sustained resistance.

Their light weight tail was always going to be too much of a handicap and the home side cashed in, all seven managing at least a paid win. O'Brien opened his account by storming from third-to-first to prevent a Knights 5-1 in Heat 3 after Martin Goodwin had pulled out with engine problems.

He followed that by joining Goodwin for a maximum over Kennett in the fifth which established control for the Rockets; and then produced his piece de resistance, a cool overtake of Butler on the last lap of Heat 12.

But after winning his fourth outing, the Aussie was denied a maximum when he missed the gate in the nominated race.

Goodwin was again a quality performer, ending Butler's unbeaten run of three races in Heat 9 with an uncomprising ride which pressured the Knight into a mistake.

And Rye could even afford the luxury of below par shows - by their own standards - from Mel Taylor and Jens Rasmussen, although the Dane survived yet another nasty tumble when he was thrown off the back of his machine after picking up unexpected grip while chasing Kennett in Heat 12.

Andrew Skeels - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	TAYLOR, Mel		2	1*	2*	1				4	6.0	2.0	8.0		
2	JOHNS, Roger		0	2	2	3	0			5	7.0	0.0	7.0		
3	RASMUSSEN, Jens		1*	3	F	2*				4	6.0	2.0	8.0		
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor		3	2*	3	3	1			5	12.0	1.0	13.0		
5	GOODWIN, Martin		R	3	3	3				4	9.0	0.0	9.0		
6	BAXTER, Wayne		3	2	1	1				4	7.0	0.0	7.0		
7	ELKINS, Justin		2*	0	1	1				4	4.0	1.0	5.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	KENNETT, Gordon		3	1	2	3	1	3		6	13.0	0.0	13.0		
2	WOODS, Paul		1	0	1	2*				4	4.0	1.0	5.0		
3	BUTLER, Troy		3	3	3	F	2	2*		6	13.0	1.0	14.0		
4	GLANZ, Peter		2	2	EX	0	0			5	4.0	0.0	4.0		
5	DE'ATH, Nigel		1*	0	1					3	2.0	1.0	3.0		
6	COOPER, Jon		EX	0	2					3	2.0	0.0	2.0		
7	BLACKBIRD, Paul		1	0	0					3	1.0	0.0	1.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	KENNETT, G	TAYLOR, M	WOODS, P	JOHNS, R	60.3	2.0	4.0	2.0	4.0	
2	BAXTER, W	ELKINS, J	BLACKBIRD, P	COOPER, J	61.7	5.0	1.0	7.0	5.0	
3	O'BRIEN, T	GLANZ, P	DE'ATH, N	GOODWIN, M	61.2	3.0	3.0	10.0	8.0	
4	BUTLER, T	BAXTER, W	RASMUSSEN, J	BLACKBIRD, P	60.9	3.0	3.0	13.0	11.0	
5	GOODWIN, M	O'BRIEN, T	KENNETT, G	WOODS, P	59.9	5.0	1.0	18.0	12.0	
6	BUTLER, T	JOHNS, R	TAYLOR, M	COOPER, J	59.8	3.0	3.0	21.0	15.0	
7	RASMUSSEN, J	GLANZ, P	BAXTER, W	DE'ATH, N	61.2	4.0	2.0	25.0	17.0	
8	BUTLER, T	JOHNS, R	WOODS, P	ELKINS, J	61.0	2.0	4.0	27.0	21.0	
9	GOODWIN, M	KENNETT, G	BAXTER, W	BUTLER, T	60.7	4.0	2.0	31.0	23.0	
10	JOHNS, R	TAYLOR, M	DE'ATH, N	GLANZ, P	61.4	5.0	1.0	36.0	24.0	
11	KENNETT, G	WOODS, P	ELKINS, J	RASMUSSEN, J	61.6	1.0	5.0	37.0	29.0	
12	O'BRIEN, T	BUTLER, T	TAYLOR, M	GLANZ, P	61.0	4.0	2.0	41.0	31.0	
13	GOODWIN, M	RASMUSSEN, J	KENNETT, G	GLANZ, P	60.8	5.0	1.0	46.0	32.0	
14	O'BRIEN, T	COOPER, J	ELKINS, J	BLACKBIRD, P	61.9	4.0	2.0	50.0	34.0	
15	KENNETT, G	BUTLER, T	O'BRIEN, T	JOHNS, R	61.1	1.0	5.0	51.0	39.0	

DATE: 10/05/1991 DIV: 2

4 TEAM TOURNAMENT 1st LEG QUALIFYING ROUND WATERDEN RD

Rye House, after their disappointing performance in the Gold Cup, surprisingly won the HEAT qualifier at Waterden Road. They were led superbly by Martin Goodwin who put last week's controversy behind him to cruise to an immaculate 12-point maximum. Solid support from Taylor and O'Brien was enough to see them finish ahead of Hackney who will be disappointed with their showing in their home leg. They only managed to win four of the 16 heats which proved to be their downfall. As for the other sides, Arena Essex produced a solid performance although they were hampered by machinery problems for Andy Galvin whilst Exeter will be disappointed at their lowly 13-point tally. They threw away several points with riders falling whilst in scoring positions and with skipper Steve Regeling totally out of touch they were never in the hunt. Bryn Williams - Speedway Star

HACKNEY		27.0	
NR	RIDER	OTHER	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 R PTS BP FU
1	WARREN, Michael		1 1.0 0.0 <input type="checkbox"/>
2	OLSSON, Tony		2 3 2 1 4 8.0 0.0 <input type="checkbox"/>
3	KALINA, Vladimir		3 R 1 1 4 5.0 0.0 <input type="checkbox"/>
4	WHITTAKER, Paul		2 3 2 3 4 10.0 0.0 <input type="checkbox"/>
5	KARNAS, Pavel		0 2 1 3 3.0 0.0 <input type="checkbox"/>

RYE HOUSE		30.0	
NR	RIDER	OTHER	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 R PTS BP FU
1	GOODWIN, Martin		3 3 3 3 4 12.0 0.0 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2	RASMUSSEN, Jens		1 1 0 R 4 2.0 0.0 <input type="checkbox"/>
3	O'BRIEN, Trevor		2 2 R 2 4 6.0 0.0 <input type="checkbox"/>
4	TAYLOR, Mel		3 3 1 3 4 10.0 0.0 <input type="checkbox"/>

ARENA ESSEX		26.0	
NR	RIDER	OTHER	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 R PTS BP FU
1	PETERSEN, Bo		0 2 3 2 4 7.0 0.0 <input type="checkbox"/>
2	MOGRIDGE, Alan		3 1 3 2 4 9.0 0.0 <input type="checkbox"/>
3	PEDERSEN, Jan		2 2 1 1 4 6.0 0.0 <input type="checkbox"/>
4	GALVIN, Andy		1 0 1 2 4 4.0 0.0 <input type="checkbox"/>

EXETER		13.0	
NR	RIDER	OTHER	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 R PTS BP FU
1	REGELING, Steve		R 1 0 3 1.0 0.0 <input type="checkbox"/>
2	GREEN, Richard		0 EX 2 3 4 5.0 0.0 <input type="checkbox"/>
3	SMART, David		1 2 3 0 4 6.0 0.0 <input type="checkbox"/>
4	JEFFREY, Peter		1 F 0 EX 4 1.0 0.0 <input type="checkbox"/>
5	SMART, Frank		0 1 0.0 0.0 <input type="checkbox"/>

HEAT	1st	2nd	3rd	Unpld	TIME	Other:
1	GOODWIN, M	WHITTAKER, P	GALVIN, A	GREEN, Ri.	61.6	
2	KALINA, V	PEDERSEN, J	RASMUSSEN, J	REGELING, S	62.2	F/Rem
3	TAYLOR, M	OLSSON, T	SMART, D	PETERSEN, B	61.2	
4	MOGRIDGE, A	O'BRIEN, T	JEFFREY, Pe.	KARNAS, P	62.3	
5	WHITTAKER, P	PETERSEN, B	RASMUSSEN, J	JEFFREY, Pe.	62.1	F
6	GOODWIN, M	SMART, D	MOGRIDGE, A	KALINA, V	62.0	Ret
7	OLSSON, T	O'BRIEN, T	REGELING, S	GALVIN, A	62.5	F/Rem
8 Re-Run	TAYLOR, M	PEDERSEN, J	WARREN, M	GREEN, Ri.	61.8	F/Exc
9	MOGRIDGE, A	WHITTAKER, P	TAYLOR, M	REGELING, S	62.0	
10	PETERSEN, B	GREEN, Ri.	KALINA, V	O'BRIEN, T	61.7	Ret
11	GOODWIN, M	OLSSON, T	PEDERSEN, J	JEFFREY, Pe.	61.6	
12	SMART, D	KARNAS, P	GALVIN, A	RASMUSSEN, J	62.4	
13 Re-Ru	TAYLOR, M	GALVIN, A	KALINA, V	JEFFREY, Pe.	62.1	F/Exc
14	WHITTAKER, P	O'BRIEN, T	PEDERSEN, J	SMART, D	62.0	
15	GREEN, Ri.	MOGRIDGE, A	OLSSON, T	RASMUSSEN, J	63.0	Ret
16	GOODWIN, M	PETERSEN, B	WARREN, M	REGELING, S	62.4	

DATE: 11/05/1991 DIV: 2

4 TEAM TOURNAMENT 2nd LEG QUALIFYING ROUND PURFLEET

Arena and Hackney strengthened their overall positions as they battled for honours in the second leg with Hawks making a late comeback and pushing Hammers to the limit. Jan Pedersen had been described as, on paper, the weakest link in the Hammers side but the form book was again proved wrong. The Dane only dropped one point to Paul Whittaker in Heat 8 but otherwise his lightning reactions at the gate produced three convincing wins. Bo Petersen would have joined him on 11 points had it not been for mechanical problems while leading Heat 15, a similar fate which hit Alan Mogridge two races earlier. This gave Hackney an opportunity to clinch the match in the last race but Pedersen trapped and former Hammer Martin Goodwin kept Michael Warren in third place. Arena had taken an aggregate lead after six races but nobody knew about it until two races later! A thrilling effort by Steve Regeling to recover from a poor start resulted in the Falcon falling on the last lap and the positions being awarded. Confusion followed when Mogridge, who was in second place, was only awarded third and it took three team managers to convince referee Frank Ebdon to reverse his decision. Steve Brown - Speedway Star

ARENA ESSEX		31.0	57.0									R	PTS	BP	FU
NR	RIDER	OTHER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8					
1	PEDERSEN, Jan		3	2	3	3						4	11.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	PETERSEN, Bo		3	3	2	R						4	8.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	MOGRIDGE, Alan		3	2	0	R						4	5.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	GALVIN, Andy		0	2	3	2						4	7.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>

HACKNEY		30.0	57.0									R	PTS	BP	FU
NR	RIDER	OTHER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8					
1	WARREN, Michael		2	2	2	1						4	7.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	WHITTAKER, Paul		2	3	3	1						4	9.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	OLSSON, Tony		2	3	1	3						4	9.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	KARNAS, Pavel		1	3								2	4.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	KALINA, Vladimir		R	1								2	1.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>

RYE HOUSE		20.0	50.0									R	PTS	BP	FU
NR	RIDER	OTHER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8					
1	GOODWIN, Martin		0	3	2	2						4	7.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	TAYLOR, Mel		2	1	1	2						4	6.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	JOHNS, Roger		1	1	N	1						3	3.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor		1	1	EX	2						4	4.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	BAXTER, Wayne		0									1	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>

EXETER		15.0	28.0									R	PTS	BP	FU
NR	RIDER	OTHER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8					
1	REGELING, Steve		3	F	3	0						4	6.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	GREEN, Richard		0	1	2	3						4	6.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	SMART, David		R	0	1	F						4	1.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	JEFFREY, Peter		1	0	0	1						4	2.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>

HEAT	1st	2nd	3rd	Unpld	TIME	Other:
1	REGELING, S	WHITTAKER, P	O'BRIEN, T	GALVIN, A	57.5	
2	MOGRIDGE, A	WARREN, M	JOHNS, R	GREEN, Ri.	59.0	F/Rem
3	PETERSEN, B	OLSSON, T	JEFFREY, Pe.	GOODWIN, M	57.8	
4	PEDERSEN, J	TAYLOR, M	KARNAS, P	SMART, D	59.1	EF
5	GOODWIN, M	GALVIN, A	GREEN, Ri.	KALINA, V	59.2	EF
6 Awarde	OLSSON, T	MOGRIDGE, A	TAYLOR, M	REGELING, S		F
7	PETERSEN, B	WARREN, M	O'BRIEN, T	SMART, D	58.6	
8	WHITTAKER, P	PEDERSEN, J	JOHNS, R	JEFFREY, Pe.	58.5	
9	GALVIN, A	WARREN, M	TAYLOR, M	JEFFREY, Pe.	59.2	
10	WHITTAKER, P	GOODWIN, M	SMART, D	MOGRIDGE, A	59.0	
11 Re-Ru	REGELING, S	PETERSEN, B	KALINA, V	BAXTER, W	59.3	JOHNS, R F/Ns
12 Re-Ru	PEDERSEN, J	GREEN, Ri.	OLSSON, T	O'BRIEN, T	59.4	F/Exc
13	KARNAS, P	O'BRIEN, T	JEFFREY, Pe.	MOGRIDGE, A	59.8	EF
14 Award	OLSSON, T	GALVIN, A	JOHNS, R	SMART, D		F
15	GREEN, Ri.	TAYLOR, M	WHITTAKER, P	PETERSEN, B	60.4	EF
16	PEDERSEN, J	GOODWIN, M	WARREN, M	REGELING, S	59.6	

DATE: 12/05/1991 DIV: 2

4 TEAM TOURNAMENT 3rd LEG QUALIFYING ROUND RYE HOUSE STADIUM

Two unfortunate engine failures for Bo Petersen in the closing stages of this third leg HEAT Fours qualifieer cost Arena-Essex five points and left the overall outcome balanced on a knife edge with only the Exeter round to go. The Hammers head for Devon as group leaders but with a mere two-point advantage over second placed Hackney. Petersen stopped while holding second in Heat 12 and while leading Heat 14, points which would have given the Hammers a nine-point lead. They were certainly the best quartet on show at Hoddesdon, scoring in every race bar the two in which Petersen dropped out. Alan Mogridge was the afternoon's top entertainer with a couple of excellent rides around the boards and both Andy Galvin and Jan Pedersen fought hard for their points. Tony Olsson and Paul Whittaker won five races between them to keep Hackney in contention throughout but Exeter - for whom Peter Jeffrey escaped from a nasty spill on the back straight in Heat 13 with bad grazing - faded badly in the closing stages, which enabled Rye House to sneak up and grab a share of third. The Rockets, who sorely missed injured skipper Jens Rasmussen, got away to a dreadful start when Trevor O'Brien broke down on the last lap of Heat 1 while second and mustered only four points from the first six heats. It took them until Heat 11 to double that but they outscored Exeter by 13-2 in the last five heats to restore some respectability. Andrew Skeels - Speedway Star

RYE HOUSE		21.0	71.0												
NR	RIDER	OTHER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	R	PTS	BP	FU	
1	GOODWIN, Martin		2	3	3	2						4	10.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	TAYLOR, Mel		0	0	1	3						4	4.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	JOHNS, Roger		0	1	0	2						4	3.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor		R	1	EX	3						4	4.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>

ARENA ESSEX		28.0	85.0												
NR	RIDER	OTHER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	R	PTS	BP	FU	
1	MOGRIDGE, Alan		2	3	2	3						4	10.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	GALVIN, Andy		2	1	3	2						4	8.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	PETERSEN, Bo		1	3	R	R						4	4.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	PEDERSEN, Jan		1	2	2	1						4	6.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>

HACKNEY		26.0	83.0												
NR	RIDER	OTHER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	R	PTS	BP	FU	
1	OLSSON, Tony		3	2	3	1						4	9.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	WARREN, Michael		1	F								2	1.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	KARNAS, Pavel		0	1	1	2						4	4.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	WHITTAKER, Paul		3	0	3	3						4	9.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	KALINA, Vladimir		2	1								2	3.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>

EXETER		21.0	49.0												
NR	RIDER	OTHER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	R	PTS	BP	FU	
1	REGELING, Steve		2	3	2	0						4	7.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	GREEN, Richard		3	0	1	0						4	4.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	SMART, David		3	2	0	T						3	5.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	JEFFREY, Peter	INJURED	1	2	1	N						3	4.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	SIMMONDS, Mark		0	1								2	1.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>

HEAT	1st	2nd	3rd	Unpld	TIME	Other:		
1	OLSSON, T	GALVIN, A	JEFFREY, Pe.	O'BRIEN, T	EF	60.4		
2	SMART, D	MOGRIDGE, A	WARREN, M	JOHNS, R		60.3		
3	WHITTAKER, P	REGELING, S	PETERSEN, B	TAYLOR, M		60.1		
4	GREEN, Ri.	GOODWIN, M	PEDERSEN, J	KARNAS, P		60.0		
5	REGELING, S	PEDERSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T	WARREN, M	F	59.8		
6	PETERSEN, B	OLSSON, T	JOHNS, R	GREEN, Ri.	F/Rem	60.3		
7	MOGRIDGE, A	JEFFREY, Pe.	KARNAS, P	TAYLOR, M		60.1		
8	GOODWIN, M	SMART, D	GALVIN, A	WHITTAKER, P		60.0		
9 Awarde	WHITTAKER, P	MOGRIDGE, A	GREEN, Ri.	O'BRIEN, T	F/Exc			
10	GALVIN, A	REGELING, S	KARNAS, P	JOHNS, R		60.4		
11	OLSSON, T	PEDERSEN, J	TAYLOR, M	SMART, D		60.6		
12	GOODWIN, M	KALINA, V	JEFFREY, Pe.	PETERSEN, B	EF	61.2		
13 Re-Ru	WHITTAKER, P	JOHNS, R	PEDERSEN, J	SIMMONDS, M	F/Rem	60.4	JEFFREY, Pe.	F/Ns
14	O'BRIEN, T	KARNAS, P	SIMMONDS, M	PETERSEN, B	EF	60.7	SMART, D	T
15	TAYLOR, M	GALVIN, A	KALINA, V	GREEN, Ri.	F/Rem	61.1		
16	MOGRIDGE, A	GOODWIN, M	OLSSON, T	REGELING, S		60.8		

DATE: 13/05/1991 DIV: 2

4 TEAM TOURNAMENT 4th LEG QUALIFYING ROUND COUNTY GROUND

Already out of contention for a place at Peterborough, Falcons saved face with a convincing win on home territory. All four Falcons collected wins, the most exciting coming in Heat 4 when Steve Regeling roared around Bo Petersen after several attempts to squeeze under the big Dane failed. The Exeter skipper dropped his only point to Mel Taylor in Heat 16 and may have missed the chance to establish a Second Division track record when Heat 8 was stopped on the last lap with Frog way out in front. Arena-Essex comfortably progressed to the Final. They lost Jan Pedersen halfway through but the lively trio of Petersen, Alan Mogridge and Andy Galvin kept the points coming. Hackney's chance of challenging the Hammers for the overall lead evaporated with the impressive Tony Olsson's Heat 5 fall, and although Rye House couldn't quite catch the Hawks for second place, the Rockets tantalisingly stayed ahead of the Falcons. Tony Lethbridge - Speedway Star

EXETER		37.0	86.0																
NR	RIDER	OTHER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	R	PTS	BP	FU					
1	REGELING, Steve		3	3	3	2					4	11.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>					
2	GREEN, Richard		2	2	3	2					4	9.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>					
3	SMART, David		2	3	0	2					4	7.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>					
4	JEFFREY, Peter		3	2	2	3					4	10.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>					

ARENA ESSEX		24.0	109.0																
NR	RIDER	OTHER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	R	PTS	BP	FU					
1	GALVIN, Andy		R	2	2	1					4	5.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>					
2	MOGRIDGE, Alan		1	3	2	1					4	7.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>					
3	PETERSEN, Bo		2	3	3	2					4	10.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>					
4	PEDERSEN, Jan	INJURED	1	EX							2	1.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>					
5	PRATT, Troy		1	0							2	1.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>					

RYE HOUSE		21.0	92.0																
NR	RIDER	OTHER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	R	PTS	BP	FU					
1	TAYLOR, Mel		3	1	3	3					4	10.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>					
2	GOODWIN, Martin		1	2	2	3					4	8.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>					
3	O'BRIEN, Trevor		R	EX							2	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>					
4	JOHNS, Roger		1	1	0	1					4	3.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>					
5	BAXTER, Wayne		0	0							2	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>					

HACKNEY		14.0	97.0																
NR	RIDER	OTHER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	R	PTS	BP	FU					
1	OLSSON, Tony		3	EX	1	0					4	4.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>					
2	KARNAS, Pavel		0	1	0						3	1.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>					
3	WARREN, Michael		0	1	1	1					4	3.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>					
4	WHITTAKER, Paul		2	0	1	3					4	6.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>					
5	KALINA, Vladimir		0								1	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>					

HEAT	1st	2nd	3rd	Unpld	TIME	Other:
1	JEFFREY, Pe.	WHITTAKER, P	GOODWIN, M	GALVIN, A	Ret	67.5
2	TAYLOR, M	SMART, D	MOGRIDGE, A	WARREN, M		68.5
3	OLSSON, T	GREEN, Ri.	PEDERSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T	Ret	68.6
4	REGELING, S	PETERSEN, B	JOHNS, R	KARNAS, P		68.5
5 Re-Run	MOGRIDGE, A	JEFFREY, Pe.	JOHNS, R	OLSSON, T	F/Exc	67.4
6	SMART, D	GALVIN, A	KARNAS, P	O'BRIEN, T	F/Exc	68.9
7	PETERSEN, B	GREEN, Ri.	TAYLOR, M	WHITTAKER, P		69.2
8	REGELING, S	GOODWIN, M	WARREN, M	PEDERSEN, J	F/Exc	
9	TAYLOR, M	JEFFREY, Pe.	PRATT, T	KARNAS, P		68.7
10	PETERSEN, B	GOODWIN, M	OLSSON, T	SMART, D		69.5
11	GREEN, Ri.	GALVIN, A	WARREN, M	JOHNS, R		69.7
12	REGELING, S	MOGRIDGE, A	WHITTAKER, P	BAXTER, W		67.9
13	WHITTAKER, P	SMART, D	JOHNS, R	PRATT, T		70.0
14	JEFFREY, Pe.	PETERSEN, B	WARREN, M	BAXTER, W		69.1
15	GOODWIN, M	GREEN, Ri.	MOGRIDGE, A	KALINA, V		70.0
16	TAYLOR, M	REGELING, S	GALVIN, A	OLSSON, T		69.0

VENUE POWDERHALL STADIUM COMPETITION LEAGUE

EDINBURGH 54.0 35.0 RYE HOUSE DATE: 17/05/1991

RESULT: HOME WIN AGREGATE SCORE

This was a match of three distinct stages. The early heats were fairly dull and saw Edinburgh build a healthy lead; the Rockets then fought back and seemed to be in with a distinct chance; but the home men responded well to finish comfortable winners.

A spirited ride by Trevor O'Brien to pass Brett Saunders in Heat 7 was the first sign that it wasn't to be plain sailing for the Gulf Monarchs. Nigel Alderton came down heavily after clipping Rger Johns on the first turn of Heat 8 but an inspired ride by Johnny Jorgensen lifted the spirets of the home fans in the re-run.

Third going into the back straight, he simply roared under the shocked Rockets pariring going into the next turn for a senstational win. Both exclusions in the next heat - for Jens Rasmussen and Freddy Schott - were open to question but a 2-3 prevented Rye House using a tactical substitute.

At this point, the visitors still seemed to be in with a chance but over the last five heats, Edinburgh moved into top gear.

Michael Coles was especially mpressive and a steady, intelligent performance from Justin Walker helped offset the injury to Alderton and the crippling bike problems suffered by Schott.

Had Rasmussen been able to produce his normal contribution, the match would have been a lot tighter. As it was, Martin Goodwin did the bulk of the Rockets' scoring while O'Brien provided the thrills with his burst from the back.

Mike Hunter - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	COLLINS, Les	3	1*	3	3	1				5	11.0	1.0	12.0		
2	JORGENSEN, Johnny	1	2	3	F					4	6.0	0.0	6.0		
3	SAUNDERS, Brett	3	1	3	1					4	8.0	0.0	8.0		
4	COLES, Michael	2	2	2*	3	3				5	12.0	1.0	13.0		
5	SCHOTT, Frede	1*	1*	EX	3					4	5.0	2.0	7.0		
6	WALKER, Justin	2*	2*	0	2	2*	1			6	9.0	3.0	12.0		
7	ALDERTON, Nigel	INJURED	3	EX						2	3.0	0.0	3.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	TAYLOR, Mel	2	3	2	1	0				5	8.0	0.0	8.0		
2	JOHNS, Roger	0	0	1*	0					4	1.0	1.0	2.0		
3	RASMUSSEN, Jens	1	3	EX	R					4	4.0	0.0	4.0		
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor	0	2*	2	2	0				5	6.0	1.0	7.0		
5	GOODWIN, Martin	3	3	3	1	2	2			6	14.0	0.0	14.0		
6	BAXTER, Wayne	0	0	0						3	0.0	0.0	0.0		
7	ELKINS, Justin	1	0	1*						3	2.0	1.0	3.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	COLLINS, L	TAYLOR, M	JORGENSEN, J	JOHNS, R	62.3	4.0	2.0	4.0	2.0	
2	ALDERTON, N	WALKER, J	ELKINS, J	BAXTER, W	64.9	5.0	1.0	9.0	3.0	
3	GOODWIN, M	COLES, M	SCHOTT, F	O'BRIEN, T	64.1	3.0	3.0	12.0	6.0	
4	SAUNDERS, B	WALKER, J	RASMUSSEN, J	ELKINS, J	65.4	5.0	1.0	17.0	7.0	F/Rem
5	TAYLOR, M	COLES, M	SCHOTT, F	JOHNS, R	64.2	3.0	3.0	20.0	10.0	F/Rem
6	RASMUSSEN, J	JORGENSEN, J	COLLINS, L	BAXTER, W	64.1	3.0	3.0	23.0	13.0	
7	GOODWIN, M	O'BRIEN, T	SAUNDERS, B	WALKER, J	64.3	1.0	5.0	24.0	18.0	
8	JORGENSEN, J	TAYLOR, M	JOHNS, R	ALDERTON, N	64.5	3.0	3.0	27.0	21.0	F/Exc
9	GOODWIN, M	WALKER, J	SCHOTT, F	F/Exc RASMUSSEN, J	65.3	2.0	3.0	29.0	24.0	F/Exc
10	COLLINS, L	O'BRIEN, T	ELKINS, J	JORGENSEN, J	63.7	3.0	3.0	32.0	27.0	F
11	SAUNDERS, B	WALKER, J	TAYLOR, M	JOHNS, R	65.2	5.0	1.0	37.0	28.0	
12	COLLINS, L	COLES, M	GOODWIN, M	RASMUSSEN, J	64.0	5.0	1.0	42.0	29.0	Ret
13	SCHOTT, F	O'BRIEN, T	SAUNDERS, B	TAYLOR, M	64.1	4.0	2.0	46.0	31.0	
14	COLES, M	GOODWIN, M	WALKER, J	BAXTER, W	63.7	4.0	2.0	50.0	33.0	
15	COLES, M	GOODWIN, M	COLLINS, L	O'BRIEN, T	64.1	4.0	2.0	54.0	35.0	

VENUE	LOOMER RD	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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STOKE	44.0	46.0	RYE HOUSE	DATE:	18/05/1991
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RESULT:	AWAY WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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Martin Goodwin added to Stoke's current misery by securing in the final race the second place the Rockets needed to start their league programme with an away victory in only their second match.

The Abacus Windows Potters needed a 5-1 from the nominated heat to force a draw and while Nigel Crabtree did his part by winning, Goodwin steamed past Gary Chessell on the second lap to deny the home side any reward.

It was a third successive home defeat for Stoke and always looked on the cards, for only Crabtree and Chessell were in the sort of form required to combat an eager Rockets side, who owed a great deal to a lively display from reserve that brought the impressive Trevor O'Brien paid 14 points.

This turned the balance in Rye House's favour in a tight match in which there was never more than four points between the teams. Stoke held this advantage after a 5-1 in the eighth from Chessell and Garry Stead but Jens Rasmussen and O'Brien wiped that out in the next race.

Goodwin and O'Brien then repeated the dose in the 14th heat and Stoke were left with too much to do.

Colin Nichols - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	COBBY, Chris	0	R	1*	3					4	4.0	1.0	5.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	CHESELL, Gary	2	3	3	2	1				5	11.0	0.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	CRABTREE, Nigel	3	3	3	1*	3				5	13.0	1.0	14.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	MONAGHAN, Eric	1*	3	0	0					4	4.0	1.0	5.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	CLARKE, David	2	R	1	2					4	5.0	0.0	5.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	STANDING, Darren	2	0	1	0					4	3.0	0.0	3.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	STEAD, Garry	1*	2*	0	1					4	4.0	2.0	6.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	TAYLOR, Mel	3	1*	1*	3	0				5	8.0	2.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	JOHNS, Roger	1	2	1	2					4	6.0	0.0	6.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	RASMUSSEN, Jens	1*	2	3	2					4	8.0	1.0	9.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	ELKINS, Justin	0	0							2	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	GOODWIN, Martin	3	2	1*	3	2				5	11.0	1.0	12.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	O'BRIEN, Trevor	3	1*	2*	3	EX	2*			6	11.0	3.0	14.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	BAXTER, Wayne	0	2	0	0					4	2.0	0.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	TAYLOR, M	CHESELL, G	JOHNS, R	COBBY, C	64.0	2.0	4.0	2.0	4.0	
2	O'BRIEN, T	STANDING, Da	STEAD, G	BAXTER, W	63.7	3.0	3.0	5.0	7.0	
3	GOODWIN, M	CLARKE, D	MONAGHAN, E	ELKINS, J	63.2	3.0	3.0	8.0	10.0	
4	CRABTREE, N	BAXTER, W	RASMUSSEN, J	STANDING, Da	63.1	3.0	3.0	11.0	13.0	
5	MONAGHAN, E	JOHNS, R	TAYLOR, M	CLARKE, D	62.2	3.0	3.0	14.0	16.0	
6	CHESELL, G	RASMUSSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T	COBBIN, M	62.7	3.0	3.0	17.0	19.0	
7	CRABTREE, N	GOODWIN, M	STANDING, Da	ELKINS, J	62.3	4.0	2.0	21.0	21.0	
8	CHESELL, G	STEAD, G	JOHNS, R	BAXTER, W	62.4	5.0	1.0	26.0	22.0	
9	RASMUSSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T	CLARKE, D	STANDING, Da	62.2	1.0	5.0	27.0	27.0	
10	O'BRIEN, T	CHESELL, G	COBBY, C	BAXTER, W	62.3	3.0	3.0	30.0	30.0	
11	CRABTREE, N	JOHNS, R	TAYLOR, M	STEAD, G	63.4	3.0	3.0	33.0	33.0	
12	COBBY, C	RASMUSSEN, J	GOODWIN, M	MONAGHAN, E	62.3	3.0	3.0	36.0	36.0	
13	TAYLOR, M	CLARKE, D	CRABTREE, N	O'BRIEN, T	61.8	3.0	3.0	39.0	39.0	F/Exc
14	GOODWIN, M	O'BRIEN, T	STEAD, G	MONAGHAN, E	62.3	1.0	5.0	40.0	44.0	
15	CRABTREE, N	GOODWIN, M	CHESELL, G	TAYLOR, M	62.2	4.0	2.0	44.0	46.0	

VENUE	PURFLEET	COMPETITION	GOLD CUP (SOUTH)
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ARENA ESSEX	53.0	37.0	RYE HOUSE	DATE:	25/05/1991
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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The Hammers' victory was as convincing as the scoreline suggests and solid performances from their Nos.1-5 compensated for their lack of reserve strength.

Former Arena captain Martin Goodwin created a thrilling battle with his successor Andy Galvin in the opening race and held off Jan Pedersen in Heat 5.

Fast-trapping Mel Taylor was the only other visitor to break the Hammers' stronghold although Wayne Baxter held Galvin and Pratt for one lap in Heat 6.

Danish duo Pedersen and Petersen systematically came from behind fellow countryman Jens Rasmussen in Heat 3 and produced encouraging performances in each of their outings.

Spirited Alan Mogridge joined Petersen on worthy paid maximums and the Hammers were in such a convincing position that they could ignore their top scorers for the nominated race.

Steve Brown - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	GALVIN, Andy	3	1*	3	2*	T				4	9.0	2.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	PRATT, Troy	0	2	2	1	2				5	7.0	0.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	MOGRIDGE, Alan	3	3	3	2*					4	11.0	1.0	12.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4	PETERSEN, Bo	2*	3	3	3					4	11.0	1.0	12.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
5	PEDERSEN, Jan	3	1	2	3					4	9.0	0.0	9.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	HURRY, Paul	3	1	0	1*	0				5	5.0	1.0	6.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	NICHOLLS, Shaun	1	0	0	0					4	1.0	0.0	1.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	GOODWIN, Martin	2	2	3	1*	1	1			6	10.0	1.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	JOHNS, Roger	1*	F	2						3	3.0	1.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	TAYLOR, Mel	2	3	1	3	1	3			6	13.0	0.0	13.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor	0	1*	2	0					4	3.0	1.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	RASMUSSEN, Jens	1	2	0	0	2				5	5.0	0.0	5.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	BAXTER, Wayne	2	0	1*						3	3.0	1.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	ELKINS, Justin	R	0	0						3	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	GALVIN, A	GOODWIN, M	JOHNS, R	PRATT, T	58.4	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	
2	HURRY, P	BAXTER, W	NICHOLLS, S	ELKINS, J	59.0	4.0	2.0	7.0	5.0	
3	PEDERSEN, J	PETERSEN, B	RASMUSSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T	58.7	5.0	1.0	12.0	6.0	
4	MOGRIDGE, A	TAYLOR, M	HURRY, P	ELKINS, J	57.3	4.0	2.0	16.0	8.0	
5	PETERSEN, B	GOODWIN, M	PEDERSEN, J	JOHNS, R	58.2	4.0	2.0	20.0	10.0	
6	TAYLOR, M	PRATT, T	GALVIN, A	BAXTER, W	58.7	3.0	3.0	23.0	13.0	F/Rem
7	MOGRIDGE, A	RASMUSSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T	HURRY, P	58.5	3.0	3.0	26.0	16.0	
8	GOODWIN, M	PRATT, T	TAYLOR, M	NICHOLLS, S	59.0	2.0	4.0	28.0	20.0	
9	TAYLOR, M	PEDERSEN, J	HURRY, P	RASMUSSEN, J	59.4	3.0	3.0	31.0	23.0	
10	GALVIN, A	JOHNS, R	PRATT, T	ELKINS, J	59.4	4.0	2.0	35.0	25.0	
11	MOGRIDGE, A	O'BRIEN, T	GOODWIN, M	NICHOLLS, S	58.0	3.0	3.0	38.0	28.0	
12	PETERSEN, B	GALVIN, A	TAYLOR, M	RASMUSSEN, J	58.6	5.0	1.0	43.0	29.0	
13	PEDERSEN, J	MOGRIDGE, A	GOODWIN, M	O'BRIEN, T	59.3	5.0	1.0	48.0	30.0	
14	PETERSEN, B	RASMUSSEN, J	BAXTER, W	NICHOLLS, S	58.7	3.0	3.0	51.0	33.0	
15	TAYLOR, M	PRATT, T	GOODWIN, M	HURRY, P	59.1	2.0	4.0	53.0	37.0	GALVIN, A T

VENUE	RYE HOUSE STADIUM	COMPETITION	GOLD CUP (SOUTH)
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RYE HOUSE	44.0	46.0	ARENA ESSEX	DATE:	27/05/1991
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RESULT:	AWAY WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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The sheer class of former World Finalist Bo Petersen steered Aren-Essex to an all-important Gold Cup win which put the Hammers in with a real chance of making the Final.

Petersen was in a different league as he powered to a paid maximum which included two brilliant rides to finish with.

The Dane took both Mel Taylor and Jens Rasmussen from the back in Heat 13 to join Andy Galvin for a 5-1 which set the Hammers up for victory.

And in an astonishing final heat, he went from last to first to clinch the match in a race which also saw both Galvin and Trevor O'Brien go from first to last at different times!

Andrew Skeels - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	GOODWIN, Martin	3	3	2	3	2				5	13.0	0.0	13.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	JOHNS, Roger	0	1	1	EX					4	2.0	0.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	TAYLOR, Mel	3	2	3	1					4	9.0	0.0	9.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor	2	3	2*	3	1*				5	11.0	2.0	13.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	RASMUSSEN, Jens	1*	2*	3	0					4	6.0	2.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	BAXTER, Wayne	EX	0	0	1	1				5	2.0	0.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	ELKINS, Justin	1	0	0						3	1.0	0.0	1.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	GALVIN, Andy	1*	0	2	3	0				5	6.0	1.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	PRATT, Troy	2	1	3	EX					4	6.0	0.0	6.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	MOGRIDGE, Alan	1*	0	2	0					4	3.0	1.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	PETERSEN, Bo	3	3	3	2*	3				5	14.0	1.0	15.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
5	PEDERSEN, Jan	F	1	1	2					4	4.0	0.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	HURRY, Paul	3	2	0	1*					4	6.0	1.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	NICHOLLS, Shaun	2*	2	2*	1					4	7.0	2.0	9.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	GOODWIN, M	PRATT, T	GALVIN, A	JOHNS, R	60.8	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	
2	HURRY, P	NICHOLLS, S	ELKINS, J	BAXTER, W	F/Exc	61.8	1.0	5.0	4.0	8.0
3	PETERSEN, B	O'BRIEN, T	RASMUSSEN, J	PEDERSEN, J	F	60.2	3.0	3.0	7.0	11.0
4	TAYLOR, M	NICHOLLS, S	MOGRIDGE, A	BAXTER, W		60.5	3.0	3.0	10.0	14.0
5	O'BRIEN, T	RASMUSSEN, J	PRATT, T	GALVIN, A		60.1	5.0	1.0	15.0	15.0
6	GOODWIN, M	HURRY, P	JOHNS, R	MOGRIDGE, A		60.8	4.0	2.0	19.0	17.0
7	PETERSEN, B	TAYLOR, M	PEDERSEN, J	BAXTER, W		59.9	2.0	4.0	21.0	21.0
8	PRATT, T	NICHOLLS, S	JOHNS, R	ELKINS, J		60.2	1.0	5.0	22.0	26.0
9	RASMUSSEN, J	MOGRIDGE, A	BAXTER, W	HURRY, P		60.5	4.0	2.0	26.0	28.0
10	PETERSEN, B	GOODWIN, M	NICHOLLS, S	JOHNS, R	F/Exc	59.9	2.0	4.0	28.0	34.0
11	TAYLOR, M	GALVIN, A	BAXTER, W	PRATT, T	F/Exc	61.5	4.0	2.0	32.0	34.0
12	GOODWIN, M	O'BRIEN, T	PEDERSEN, J	MOGRIDGE, A		60.9	5.0	1.0	37.0	35.0
13	GALVIN, A	PETERSEN, B	TAYLOR, M	RASMUSSEN, J		61.2	1.0	5.0	38.0	40.0
14	O'BRIEN, T	PEDERSEN, J	HURRY, P	ELKINS, J		59.9	3.0	3.0	41.0	43.0
15	PETERSEN, B	GOODWIN, M	O'BRIEN, T	GALVIN, A		60.9	3.0	3.0	44.0	46.0

VENUE COMPETITION

STOKE RYE HOUSE

RESULT: AGREGATE SCORE

When Stoke's ten point lead after eight heats was reduced to two by successive 5-1 wins for Rye House, the Abacus Windows Potters fans began to wonder whether another home defeat was on the cards. They needn't have worried for the rejuvenated Potters swept the Rockets aside with a late surge that gave them a great chance of advancing into the third round.

Only Mel Taylor looked a consistent threat and even he had to give best to Stoke's maximum men, skipper Nigel Crabtree (full) and Eric Monaghan (paid) in a home performance that was more impressive than it looked for the Potters were plagued by engine problems all night. Following the departure of Dean Standing to Swindon, Stoke brought in his brother Darren and his paid six points gave him a fine start.

Colin Nichols - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	COBBY, Chris	1	2	0	1					4	4.0	0.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	CHESSELL, Gary	EX	1*	2	1					4	4.0	1.0	5.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	CRABTREE, Nigel	3	3	3	3	3				5	15.0	0.0	15.0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	MONAGHAN, Eric	3	2*	3	3	2*				5	13.0	2.0	15.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
5	CLARKE, David	2*	3	1	2*					4	8.0	2.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	STANDING, Darren	1*	1	2*	0					4	4.0	2.0	6.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	STEAD, Garry	2	1*	1	2*					4	6.0	2.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	GOODWIN, Martin	2*	R	2*	2	1	1			6	8.0	2.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	WAINWRIGHT, John	3	1	EX	0					4	4.0	0.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	TAYLOR, Mel	2	3	3	3	2	0			6	13.0	0.0	13.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor	1	0	2*	0					4	3.0	1.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	RASMUSSEN, Jens	0	1	0						3	1.0	0.0	1.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	BAXTER, Wayne	0	0	0						3	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	JOHNS, Roger	3	0	M	3	1				4	7.0	0.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	WAINWRIGHT, J	GOODWIN, M	COBBY, C	CHESSELL, G	F/Exc		1.0	5.0	1.0	5.0
2	JOHNS, R	STEAD, G	STANDING, Da	BAXTER, W		61.7	3.0	3.0	4.0	8.0
3	MONAGHAN, E	CLARKE, D	O'BRIEN, T	RASMUSSEN, J		60.9	5.0	1.0	9.0	9.0
4	CRABTREE, N	TAYLOR, M	STANDING, Da	JOHNS, R		61.3	4.0	2.0	13.0	11.0
5	CLARKE, D	MONAGHAN, E	WAINWRIGHT, J	GOODWIN, M	EF	62.0	5.0	1.0	18.0	12.0
6	TAYLOR, M	COBBY, C	CHESSELL, G	BAXTER, W		61.5	3.0	3.0	21.0	15.0
7	CRABTREE, N	STANDING, Da	RASMUSSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T		62.3	5.0	1.0	26.0	16.0
8	TAYLOR, M	CHESSELL, G	STEAD, G	WAINWRIGHT, J	F/Exc	61.6	3.0	3.0	29.0	19.0
9	TAYLOR, M	GOODWIN, M	CLARKE, D	STANDING, Da		62.6	1.0	5.0	30.0	24.0
10	JOHNS, R	O'BRIEN, T	CHESSELL, G	COBBY, C		62.6	1.0	5.0	31.0	29.0
11	CRABTREE, N	GOODWIN, M	STEAD, G	WAINWRIGHT, J		62.0	4.0	2.0	35.0	31.0
12	MONAGHAN, E	TAYLOR, M	COBBY, C	RASMUSSEN, J		62.4	4.0	2.0	39.0	33.0
13	CRABTREE, N	CLARKE, D	GOODWIN, M	O'BRIEN, T		61.9	5.0	1.0	44.0	34.0
14	MONAGHAN, E	STEAD, G	JOHNS, R	BAXTER, W		63.3	5.0	1.0	49.0	35.0
15	CRABTREE, N	MONAGHAN, E	GOODWIN, M	TAYLOR, M		61.8	5.0	1.0	54.0	36.0

VENUE RYE HOUSE STADIUM COMPETITION K.O.C. 2nd ROUND 2nd LEG

RYE HOUSE 54.0 35.0 STOKE DATE: 02/06/1991
 RESULT: HOME WIN AGREGATE SCORE 90.0 89.0

Rye House boss Ronnie Russell dragged the Rockets into his office for a pre-meeting pep talk after their mauling at Loomer Road the previous evening - and it worked wonders as the Hoddesdon outfit overturned an 18-point deficit in a dramatic match. The home side went into the final race needing a maximum to win on aggregate and maximum man Martin Goodwin nad Jens Rasmussen duly delivered the goods, albeit in controversial circumstances. Stoke captain Nigel Crabtree held the second place Potters wanted until Rasmussen steamed under him at the start of the third lap. The Dane, however, then careered into the first turn fence, somehow staying on his bike but dislodging some of the kickboards. Referee Lew Stripp immediately stopped the race but, much to Potters' disgust, chose not to make an exclusion. At the second time of asking, the home duo led from start to finish with an angry Crabtree, adrift at the back, doing his best to knock the kickboards down when it became clear that defeat was looming. After eight races, Rye had clawed only four back and seemed on their wa out. But the tide turned in Heat 9 as a ruthless first corner from Rasmussen took Crabtree out and engineered a 5-1. Eric Monaghan pulled up in the next to help Rye to a 4-2 and when a clearly unsettled Crabtree had a rush of blood n Heat 11 and brought down Roger Johns and partner Gary Chessell, the alarm bells were ringing in the Potters camp. Rye were angered that referee Stripp excluded Johns as well as Crabtree - the Rye veteran went down first and was deemed not to be under power as Crabtree floored Chessell - but pinched another point back thanks to Mel Taylors' win in the re-run. Trevor O'Brien went from last to second in Heat 12 to join Goodwin for a 5-1 and Stoke's averall lead was down to three. But the Potters rallied, Monaghan and Chris Cobby shut the previously unbeaten Taylor out in Heat 13 before Monaghan and Garry Stead took Johns from the back in the penultimate race to keep Stoke three ahead. It seemed Potters would hang on - but then came that amazing finish. What a match!

Andrew Skeels - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	GOODWIN, Martin	3	3	3	3	3				5	15.0	0.0	15.0	✓	
2	WAINWRIGHT, John	EX	0	0	1					4	1.0	0.0	1.0		
3	TAYLOR, Mel	3	3	3	0					4	9.0	0.0	9.0		
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor	2	2*	2*	3					4	9.0	2.0	11.0		
5	RASMUSSEN, Jens	1*	3	3	3	2*				5	12.0	2.0	14.0		
6	BAXTER, Wayne	0	1	0						3	1.0	0.0	1.0		
7	JOHNS, Roger	2	3	2*	EX	0				5	7.0	1.0	8.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	COBBY, Chris	1*	0	1*						3	2.0	2.0	4.0		
2	CHESELL, Gary	2	1	2	2					4	7.0	0.0	7.0		
3	CRABTREE, Nigel	2	2	0	EX	1	0			6	5.0	0.0	5.0		
4	MONAGHAN, Eric	3	2	R	2	2	1			6	10.0	0.0	10.0		
5	CLARKE, David	0	1*	0						3	1.0	1.0	2.0		
6	STEAD, Garry	3	1*	1	1*					4	6.0	2.0	8.0		
7	STANDING, Darren	1	0	1*	2					4	4.0	1.0	5.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	GOODWIN, M	CHESELL, G	COBBY, C	WAINWRIGHT, J	F/Exc	59.9	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
2	STEAD, G	JOHNS, R	STANDING, Da	BAXTER, W		60.5	2.0	4.0	5.0	7.0
3	MONAGHAN, E	O'BRIEN, T	RASMUSSEN, J	CLARKE, D		60.0	3.0	3.0	8.0	10.0
4	TAYLOR, M	CRABTREE, N	BAXTER, W	STANDING, Da		60.9	4.0	2.0	12.0	12.0
5	RASMUSSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T	CHESELL, G	COBBY, C		59.6	5.0	1.0	17.0	13.0
6	GOODWIN, M	CRABTREE, N	STEAD, G	WAINWRIGHT, J		59.4	3.0	3.0	20.0	16.0
7	TAYLOR, M	MONAGHAN, E	CLARKE, D	BAXTER, W		59.9	3.0	3.0	23.0	19.0
8	JOHNS, R	CHESELL, G	STANDING, Da	WAINWRIGHT, J		60.3	3.0	3.0	26.0	22.0
9	RASMUSSEN, J	JOHNS, R	STEAD, G	CRABTREE, N		60.8	5.0	1.0	31.0	23.0
10	GOODWIN, M	STANDING, Da	WAINWRIGHT, J	MONAGHAN, E	EF	60.3	4.0	2.0	35.0	25.0
11	TAYLOR, M	CHESELL, G	JOHNS, R	Exc CRABTREE, N	F/Exc	60.3	3.0	2.0	38.0	27.0
12	GOODWIN, M	O'BRIEN, T	CRABTREE, N	CLARKE, D		59.2	5.0	1.0	43.0	28.0
13	RASMUSSEN, J	MONAGHAN, E	COBBY, C	TAYLOR, M		59.6	3.0	3.0	46.0	31.0
14	O'BRIEN, T	MONAGHAN, E	STEAD, G	JOHNS, R	F/Rem	59.3	3.0	3.0	49.0	34.0
15	GOODWIN, M	RASMUSSEN, J	MONAGHAN, E	CRABTREE, N		59.8	5.0	1.0	54.0	35.0

VENUE	EAST OF ENGLAND SHOWGRO	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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PETERBOROUGH	49.0	41.0	RYE HOUSE	DATE:	07/06/1991
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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Smith Motors Panthers avoided another last heat decider although they didn't have it all their own way against a lively Rockets outfit. Rye. Thrashed 66-24 on their Gold Cup visit to Alwalton in April, were a different proposition this time and, in fact, dominated the early exchanges.

They were well served by their heat leader trio of Martin Goodwin, Mel Taylor and Jens Rasmussen but they didn't have the second string support provided by Panthers' in-form reserve Mark Lyndon.

Top home duo Michael Blixt and Stephen Davies were strangely subdued early on but once they got into their stride, Panthers always looked likely victors with the latter finishing with a hat-trick of wins.

The crowd were treated to some excellent racing throughout with Aussie Davies' ding-dong tussle and ensuing victory over the battling Goodwin in Heat 13 being the pick of the bunch and worth the admission money alone.

Kevin Brown - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	BLIXT, Michael	2	1	3	3	1				5	10.0	0.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	TAGG, Gary	1*	3	2*	2*					4	8.0	3.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	HELLEN, Richard	0	R	2	0					4	2.0	0.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	NORMAN, Scott	2	2	2*	0					4	6.0	1.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	DAVIES, Stephen	1*	1*	3	3	3				5	11.0	2.0	13.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	LYNDON, Mark	3	2	3	3	1				5	12.0	0.0	12.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	HORSPOOL, Roger	EX	0	0						3	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	GOODWIN, Martin	3	3	1	2	3	0			6	12.0	0.0	12.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	WAINWRIGHT, John	0	F	1						3	1.0	0.0	1.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	TAYLOR, Mel	1	2	2	3	1				5	9.0	0.0	9.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor	0	1*	1	1*					4	3.0	2.0	5.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	RASMUSSEN, Jens	3	2	R	2*	2				5	9.0	1.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	BAXTER, Wayne	1*	0	1*						3	2.0	2.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	JOHNS, Roger	2	3	0	0					4	5.0	0.0	5.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	GOODWIN, M	BLIXT, M	TAGG, G	WAINWRIGHT, J	64.4	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	
2	LYNDON, M	JOHNS, R	BAXTER, W	HORSPOOL, R	F/Exc	3.0	3.0	6.0	6.0	
3	RASMUSSEN, J	NORMAN, S	DAVIES, S	O'BRIEN, T	64.6	3.0	3.0	9.0	9.0	
4	JOHNS, R	LYNDON, M	TAYLOR, M	HELLEN, R	66.1	2.0	4.0	11.0	13.0	
5	GOODWIN, M	NORMAN, S	DAVIES, S	WAINWRIGHT, J	F	64.5	3.0	3.0	14.0	16.0
6	TAGG, G	TAYLOR, M	BLIXT, M	BAXTER, W	64.8	4.0	2.0	18.0	18.0	
7	LYNDON, M	RASMUSSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T	HELLEN, R	EF	65.2	3.0	3.0	21.0	21.0
8	LYNDON, M	TAGG, G	WAINWRIGHT, J	JOHNS, R	64.9	5.0	1.0	26.0	22.0	
9	DAVIES, S	TAYLOR, M	BAXTER, W	HORSPOOL, R	65.4	3.0	3.0	29.0	25.0	
10	BLIXT, M	TAGG, G	O'BRIEN, T	JOHNS, R	65.2	5.0	1.0	34.0	26.0	
11	TAYLOR, M	HELLEN, R	GOODWIN, M	HORSPOOL, R	65.4	2.0	4.0	36.0	30.0	
12	BLIXT, M	NORMAN, S	TAYLOR, M	RASMUSSEN, J	EF	65.0	5.0	1.0	41.0	31.0
13	DAVIES, S	GOODWIN, M	O'BRIEN, T	HELLEN, R	65.6	3.0	3.0	44.0	34.0	
14	GOODWIN, M	RASMUSSEN, J	LYNDON, M	NORMAN, S	65.6	1.0	5.0	45.0	39.0	
15	DAVIES, S	RASMUSSEN, J	BLIXT, M	GOODWIN, M	65.0	4.0	2.0	49.0	41.0	

VENUE	RYE HOUSE STADIUM	COMPETITION	INTER-LEAGUE CHALLENGE
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RYE HOUSE	47.0	43.0	WIMBLEDON	DATE:	09/06/1991
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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For the second successive week, Rye House's rediscovered fighting spirit saw them home with a dramatic 5-1 finale. While the Dons will obviously point to a time exclusion for Bobby Ott and a retirement for John Davis in the vital last heat as the cause of defeat, early 5-1s for the Rockets in Heats 2 and 5 always had the First Division side struggling to impose their authority in the absence of Andy Grahame.

Indeed, only a Heat 6 retirement for Martin Goodwin had stood between the Rockets and an eight-point lead early on. Maximum scores from Davis and Jesper Olsen in Heat 9 and Ott and Nathan Simpson two heats later gave Wimbledon a four-point lead but this was shortlived as the Rockets took the fight back to the London side with successive 4-2s to level with two to go. The Rockets' refusal to let the Dons pull away had followed a remarkable sequence of events in Heat 4 which began when Deon Prinsloo completed a full 360 degree pirouette whiel exiting the second bend in the lead.

The Rockets pairing of Mel Taylor and Wayne Baxter seized their chance but Davis took up the challenge to force his way past Taylor. Yards from the finishing line, however, he was confronted by Baxter, whose engine seized completely. Davis had no room to manoeuvre and, with both riders falling, referee Paul Ackroyd awarded a 4-2 to the Dons. Baxter was left counting the cost of something far more serious, a repair beill excess of £1,000.

On the individual front, Rockets were well served throughout the order, with Roger Johns relishing what will probably be his final assualt on his former team.

For the Dons, rider replacement yielded eight points but, while they will point to misfortune in Heat 15, the Rockets wee there to capitalise.

Rob McCaffrey - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	GOODWIN, Martin	2	R	2	3	3				5	10.0	0.0	10.0		
2	WAINWRIGHT, John	1*	3	0	1*					4	5.0	2.0	7.0		
3	TAYLOR, Mel	2	3	0	1					4	6.0	0.0	6.0		
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor	2	2*	1	1*	2*				5	8.0	3.0	11.0		
5	RASMUSSEN, Jens	0	3	R	3					4	6.0	0.0	6.0		
6	BAXTER, Wayne	2*	EX	0						3	2.0	1.0	3.0		
7	JOHNS, Roger	3	3	1	1	2				5	10.0	0.0	10.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	OTT, Bobby	3	3	EX	3	2	M			5	11.0	0.0	11.0		
2	SIMPSON, Nathan	0	1	2	2	2*				5	7.0	1.0	8.0		
3	DAVIS, John	3	2	3	2	3	R			6	13.0	0.0	13.0		
4	TATUM, Neville	1	1*	3	0	0				5	5.0	1.0	6.0		
5	GRAHAME, Andy	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
6	OLSEN, Jesper	0	1*	2*	EX	1				5	4.0	2.0	6.0		
7	PRINSLOO, Deon	1	1	1*	EX					4	3.0	1.0	4.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:		
1	OTT, B	GOODWIN, M	WAINWRIGHT, J	SIMPSON, N		61.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0		
2	JOHNS, R	BAXTER, W	PRINSLOO, D	OLSEN, Je	F/Rem	62.0	5.0	1.0	8.0	4.0		
3	OTT, B	O'BRIEN, T	TATUM, N	RASMUSSEN, J		61.6	2.0	4.0	10.0	8.0		
4	DAVIS, J	TAYLOR, M	PRINSLOO, D	BAXTER, W	Exc		2.0	4.0	12.0	12.0		
5	RASMUSSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T	SIMPSON, N	OTT, B	F/Exc	61.1	5.0	1.0	17.0	13.0		
6	WAINWRIGHT, J	DAVIS, J	OLSEN, Je	GOODWIN, M	EF	60.6	3.0	3.0	20.0	16.0		
7	TAYLOR, M	SIMPSON, N	TATUM, N	BAXTER, W		62.0	3.0	3.0	23.0	19.0		
8	JOHNS, R	SIMPSON, N	PRINSLOO, D	WAINWRIGHT, J		62.0	3.0	3.0	26.0	22.0		
9	DAVIS, J	OLSEN, Je	JOHNS, R	RASMUSSEN, J	EF	60.3	1.0	5.0	27.0	27.0		
10	TATUM, N	GOODWIN, M	WAINWRIGHT, J	PRINSLOO, D	F/Exc	61.2	3.0	3.0	30.0	30.0		
11	OTT, B	SIMPSON, N	JOHNS, R	TAYLOR, M		60.7	1.0	5.0	31.0	35.0		
12	GOODWIN, M	DAVIS, J	O'BRIEN, T	TATUM, N		60.2	4.0	2.0	35.0	37.0		
13	RASMUSSEN, J	OTT, B	TAYLOR, M	TATUM, N		60.3	4.0	2.0	39.0	39.0		
14	DAVIS, J	JOHNS, R	O'BRIEN, T	OLSEN, Je	F/Exc	60.7	3.0	3.0	42.0	42.0		
15	GOODWIN, M	O'BRIEN, T	OLSEN, Je	DAVIS, J	EF	60.8	5.0	1.0	47.0	43.0	OTT, B	M

VENUE	RYE HOUSE STADIUM	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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RYE HOUSE	57.0	33.0	MIDDLESBROUGH	DATE:	16/06/1991
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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Rye House opened their home league account in fine style with an emphatic victory over Middlesbrough, which should be enough to guarantee them the aggregate bonus when the two teams meet again at Cleveland Park this week.

The Bears, without David Cheshire and Paul Bentley, shored their side up with loanee Kenny McKinna and Guest Gary Tagg but patently weren't up to the task.

Two maximums in the first four races put the home side in command and there was never any doubt as to the destination of the two league points after that.

Bears tried to make a fight of it, though, Jamie Luckhurst and McKinna offering resistance and Steve Wilcock turning the clock back with a couple of vintage rides in the latter stages.

But Rye were much the more solid side, with Martin Goodwin and Trevor O'Brien leading the charge. It was a good day for O'Brien, who broke the track record in Heat 3 and completed a spirited paid 14-point haul by moving from third-to-first in Heat 14.

The only downer for Rye was a Heat 9 crash for Roger Johns, who found the fallen Tagg an unwelcome but extremely efficient launchpad.

The Rye veteran was catapulted into the air by Tagg's machine and lloked set to clear the safety fence until he came down to earth with a nasty bump.

With Johns injured, his fellow reserve Wayne Baxter was recalled into a race from which he'd already been excluded under two minute rule.

But when Rye tried to introduce the Aussie into Heat 14 as Johns' stand-in, referee Frank Ebdon put a block on the move and pointed out that Baxter had had his full quota of six rides thanks to his two appearances in Heat 9!

Andrew Skeels - Speedway Star

BAXTER EXCLUDED 2 MINUTES HEAT 9

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	GOODWIN, Martin	3	3	2	3	3				5	14.0	0.0	14.0		
2	WAINWRIGHT, John	1	1	1	0					4	3.0	0.0	3.0		
3	TAYLOR, Mel	3	3	2	1					4	9.0	0.0	9.0		
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor	3	2	2*	3	2*				5	12.0	2.0	14.0		
5	RASMUSSEN, Jens	EX	1*	2*	3					4	6.0	2.0	8.0		
6	BAXTER, Wayne	3	2*	0	M	3	0			5	8.0	1.0	9.0		
7	JOHNS, Roger	INJURED	2*	3	N					2	5.0	1.0	6.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	LUCKHURST, Jamie	EX	1*	3	2	1	2	1		7	10.0	1.0	11.0		
2	WILCOCK, Steve		2	0	EX	1	3	0		6	6.0	0.0	6.0		
3	TAGG, Gary	GUEST	R	2	EX					3	2.0	0.0	2.0		
4	CHESHIRE, David	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
5	McKINNA, Kenny		2	1*	2	3	1	1*	0	7	10.0	2.0	12.0		
6	GREEN, Simon		1	0	1	2				4	4.0	0.0	4.0		
7	READSHAW, Chris		0	1	M	0				3	1.0	0.0	1.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:		
1	GOODWIN, M	WILCOCK, S	WAINWRIGHT, J	F/Rem LUCKHURST, Ja	F/Exc	59.6	4.0	2.0	4.0	2.0		
2	BAXTER, W	JOHNS, R	GREEN, S	READSHAW, C		60.7	5.0	1.0	9.0	3.0		
3	O'BRIEN, T	McKINNA, K	LUCKHURST, Ja	RASMUSSEN, J	F/Exc	58.2	3.0	3.0	12.0	6.0		
4	TAYLOR, M	BAXTER, W	READSHAW, C	F/Rem TAGG, G	EF	59.5	5.0	1.0	17.0	7.0		
5	LUCKHURST, Ja	O'BRIEN, T	RASMUSSEN, J	WILCOCK, S		59.1	3.0	3.0	20.0	10.0		
6	GOODWIN, M	TAGG, G	WAINWRIGHT, J	GREEN, S		59.0	4.0	2.0	24.0	12.0		
7	TAYLOR, M	LUCKHURST, Ja	McKINNA, K	BAXTER, W		59.5	3.0	3.0	27.0	15.0		
8	JOHNS, R	McKINNA, K	WAINWRIGHT, J	F/Rem WILCOCK, S	F/Exc	59.9	4.0	2.0	31.0	17.0		
9	BAXTER, W	RASMUSSEN, J	GREEN, S	TAGG, G	F/Exc	59.9	5.0	1.0	36.0	18.0	JOHNS, R	F/Ns
10	McKINNA, K	GOODWIN, M	WILCOCK, S	WAINWRIGHT, J		62.0	2.0	4.0	38.0	22.0	READSHAW, C	M
11	WILCOCK, S	TAYLOR, M	LUCKHURST, Ja	BAXTER, W		60.2	2.0	4.0	40.0	26.0		
12	GOODWIN, M	O'BRIEN, T	McKINNA, K	READSHAW, C		59.4	5.0	1.0	45.0	27.0		
13	RASMUSSEN, J	LUCKHURST, Ja	TAYLOR, M	WILCOCK, S		60.1	4.0	2.0	49.0	29.0		
14	O'BRIEN, T	GREEN, S	McKINNA, K	No Rider		59.4	3.0	3.0	52.0	32.0		
15	GOODWIN, M	O'BRIEN, T	LUCKHURST, Ja	McKINNA, K		59.8	5.0	1.0	57.0	33.0		

VENUE	SHAWFIELD STADIUM	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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GLASGOW	60.0	29.0	RYE HOUSE	DATE:	19/06/1991
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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The Radio Clyde Tigers opened their league programme by hitting the 60-point mark for the third successive match although racing was considerably better than the score suggests.

The Rockets' evening started badly when Martin Goddwin came off when well ahead in Heat 1 and despite the efforts of Mel Taylor, they never seriously threatened the home side.

Once again Glasgow all impressed with Shane Bowes never looking like dropping a point and Mark Courtney showing some wonderful touches. Mick Powell, expecting to try out his injured shoulder after the match, was pressed into emergency service when Phil Disney failed to arrive and scored six points despite tiring in each race.

The Rockets disappointed and Goodwin's 100 per cent effort saw him excluded for unfair riding at the second time of asking in Heat 11. Brian Nixon twice coming down in the first bend. Nixon had taken another tumble earlier when he shed a chain in Heat 2.

On this showing, there won't be many teams relishing meeting a full strength Glasgow side at Shawfield.

Andrew Spencer - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	LAWSON, Steve	2*	1*	3	2					4	8.0	2.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	COURTNEY, Sean	3	2	2	2*					4	9.0	1.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	BOWES, Shane	3	3	3	3	3				5	15.0	0.0	15.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	LYONS, Jason	3	3	1*	2					4	9.0	1.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	COURTNEY, Mark	2*	1	3	2*	2*				5	10.0	3.0	13.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	POWELL, Mick	3	1	1	1*					4	6.0	1.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	NIXON, Brian	EX	1	1*	1					4	3.0	1.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	GOODWIN, Martin	EX	2	3	EX	1	R			6	6.0	0.0	6.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	WAINWRIGHT, John	1	0	EX						3	1.0	0.0	1.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	TAYLOR, Mel	2	3	2	2	3	1			6	13.0	0.0	13.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor	0	2	1	R	3				5	6.0	0.0	6.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	RASMUSSEN, Jens	1	F	0	0					4	1.0	0.0	1.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	BAXTER, Wayne	2	EX	0						3	2.0	0.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	KINGSBURY, Tony	EX	0	0						3	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:	
1	COURTNEY, S	LAWSON, S	WAINWRIGHT, J	GOODWIN, M	F/Exc	69.8	5.0	1.0	5.0	1.0	
2	POWELL, M	BAXTER, W	NIXON, B	F/Exc	KINGSBURY, T	Exc	71.4	3.0	2.0	8.0	3.0
3	LYONS, J	COURTNEY, M	RASMUSSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T		69.0	5.0	1.0	13.0	4.0	
4	BOWES, S	TAYLOR, M	POWELL, M	KINGSBURY, T		68.6	4.0	2.0	17.0	6.0	
5	LYONS, J	GOODWIN, M	COURTNEY, M	WAINWRIGHT, J		68.6	4.0	2.0	21.0	8.0	
6	TAYLOR, M	COURTNEY, S	LAWSON, S	BAXTER, W	c Out/	68.8	3.0	3.0	24.0	11.0	
7	BOWES, S	O'BRIEN, T	NIXON, B	RASMUSSEN, J	F	67.4	4.0	2.0	28.0	13.0	
8	GOODWIN, M	COURTNEY, S	NIXON, B	WAINWRIGHT, J	F/Rem	68.4	3.0	3.0	31.0	16.0	
9	COURTNEY, M	TAYLOR, M	POWELL, M	BAXTER, W		68.8	4.0	2.0	35.0	18.0	
10	LAWSON, S	COURTNEY, S	O'BRIEN, T	KINGSBURY, T		68.0	5.0	1.0	40.0	19.0	
11	BOWES, S	TAYLOR, M	NIXON, B	GOODWIN, M	Exc UR	68.0	4.0	2.0	44.0	21.0	
12	TAYLOR, M	LAWSON, S	LYONS, J	RASMUSSEN, J		68.6	3.0	3.0	47.0	24.0	
13	BOWES, S	COURTNEY, M	GOODWIN, M	O'BRIEN, T	EF	67.6	5.0	1.0	52.0	25.0	
14	O'BRIEN, T	LYONS, J	POWELL, M	RASMUSSEN, J		68.2	3.0	3.0	55.0	28.0	
15	BOWES, S	COURTNEY, M	TAYLOR, M	GOODWIN, M	Ret	67.9	5.0	1.0	60.0	29.0	

VENUE	CLEVELAND PARK	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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MIDDLESBROUGH	49.0	41.0	RYE HOUSE	DATE:	20/06/1991
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE	82.0	98.0
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Martin Dixon was a welcome Guest for injury-ravaged Bears, reviving memories of bygone days as he played the starring role alongside veteran Steve Wilcock.

Dicko's four wins from five rides and Wilcock;s paid 13 from six got Bear's home league programme off to a winning start, with revenge for Sunday's defeat at Rye House.

Bears using rider replacement for Dave Cheshire, also ended the mystery of their European chase, giving a debut to German Carsten Pelzmann, who gave a fair account of himself.

But it was Dicko who looked the part from the start. His surge from the back to put last bend pressure on Trevor O'Brien, who fell under it, turned a 5-1 defeat into victory as Kenny Mckinna followed him home.

A frightening pits bend crash for John Wainwright - amazingly X-rays have revealed just a broken finger - softened Rocket's resistance as Dixon and Wilcock took Bears into a 19-11 lead.

But Martin Goodwin and Trevor O'Brien kept plugging away, keeping Bears to the ten-point gap.

There was a nasty note in Heat 14 when Dixon got the better of Rasmussen. The after-race handshake didn't work. Rasmussen trying to ride Dixon into the fence, then aiming a kick at his machine.

A rare tumble for Wilcock in the nominated riders' heat allowed Rockets to close the gap with O'Brien and Taylor taking maximum advantage.

Paul Daniel - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	McKINNA, Kenny	2	2*	1*	1	3				5	9.0	2.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	WILCOCK, Steve	1*	2*	2	3	3	EX			6	11.0	2.0	13.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	LUCKHURST, Jamie	2	3	2	1	0				5	8.0	0.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	CHESHIRE, David	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	DIXON, Martin	GUEST	3	3	3	2	3			5	14.0	0.0	14.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	PELZMANN, Carsten		2	1*	0	EX	1			5	4.0	1.0	5.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	READSHAW, Chris		1*	1	0	1				4	3.0	1.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	GOODWIN, Martin	3	EX	3	1	3				5	10.0	0.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	WAINWRIGHT, John	INJURED	0	N						1	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	TAYLOR, Mel	3	EX	2	2	0	2*			6	9.0	1.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor	F	1*	2	3	1	3			6	10.0	1.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	RASMUSSEN, Jens	1	2	0	2	2				5	7.0	0.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	BAXTER, Wayne	3	1	0	1*					4	5.0	1.0	6.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	COBBIN, Martin	0	0	0						3	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	GOODWIN, M	McKINNA, K	WILCOCK, S	WAINWRIGHT, J	64.5	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	
2	BAXTER, W	PELZMANN, C	READSHAW, C	COBBIN, M	65.6	3.0	3.0	6.0	6.0	
3	DIXON, M	McKINNA, K	RASMUSSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T	64.5	5.0	1.0	11.0	7.0	
4	TAYLOR, M	LUCKHURST, Ja	PELZMANN, C	COBBIN, M	64.8	3.0	3.0	14.0	10.0	
5	DIXON, M	WILCOCK, S	BAXTER, W	GOODWIN, M	63.7	5.0	1.0	19.0	11.0	WAINWRIGHT, J F/Ns
6	GOODWIN, M	WILCOCK, S	McKINNA, K	TAYLOR, M	63.3	3.0	3.0	22.0	14.0	
7	LUCKHURST, Ja	RASMUSSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T	PELZMANN, C	63.7	3.0	3.0	25.0	17.0	
8	WILCOCK, S	TAYLOR, M	READSHAW, C	BAXTER, W	63.0	4.0	2.0	29.0	19.0	
9	DIXON, M	TAYLOR, M	BAXTER, W	PELZMANN, C	63.2	3.0	3.0	32.0	22.0	
10	WILCOCK, S	O'BRIEN, T	McKINNA, K	RASMUSSEN, J	63.9	4.0	2.0	36.0	24.0	
11	O'BRIEN, T	LUCKHURST, Ja	GOODWIN, M	READSHAW, C	63.2	2.0	4.0	38.0	28.0	
12	McKINNA, K	RASMUSSEN, J	LUCKHURST, Ja	TAYLOR, M	63.1	4.0	2.0	42.0	30.0	
13	GOODWIN, M	DIXON, M	O'BRIEN, T	LUCKHURST, Ja	63.3	2.0	4.0	44.0	34.0	
14	DIXON, M	RASMUSSEN, J	PELZMANN, C	COBBIN, M	63.2	4.0	2.0	48.0	36.0	
15	O'BRIEN, T	TAYLOR, M	READSHAW, C	WILCOCK, S		1.0	5.0	49.0	41.0	

VENUE	RYE HOUSE STADIUM	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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RYE HOUSE	0.0	0.0	EXETER	DATE:	23/06/1991
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RESULT:	RAINED OFF	AGREGATE SCORE
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Rye House suffered their first wash-out of the season when heavy rain forced an early afternoon cancellation of the Sunbrite League Division Two match against Exeter.
Rockets didn't have a spare date at Hoddesdon for 13 weeks so it seems unlikely that the Falcons will be back before the end of September for the re-staging.

Adrew Skeels - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

AWAY TEAM

VENUE	STATION RD	COMPETITION	K.O.C. QUARTER FINAL 1st LEG
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LONG EATON	28.0	26.0	RYE HOUSE	DATE:	26/06/1991
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RESULT:	MATCH ABANDONED	AGREGATE SCORE
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Judging by the loud cheer from the home supporters which greeted the announcement that the meeting had been abandoned, Long Eaton were more relieved by the decision.

After a promising start in which they opened a ten-point lead, the Invaders had seen that advantage reduced to only two. On the other hand, Rye house had used three tactical substitutes to trigger their revival. Then weather intervened to end further speculation.

An ominous and growing black cloud began to deposit its contents in Heat 6 and, as the real downpour descended, the match was halted after Heat 8.

Although the rain stopped during a 45-minute delay, conditions by now had become extremely treacherous as Heat 9 confirmed.

Wayne Baxter, under no pressure, slid off, Mel Taylor won a processional re-run in a slow time, drizzle returned and the so-called summer had claimed another victim.

The restaging date is this Wednesday (July 3).

Ian James - Speedway Star

TAYLOR EXCLUDED TAPES HEAT 6

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	STAECHMANN, Jan	3	3							2	6.0	0.0	6.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	BLACKBIRD, Mark	1	T	1						3	2.0	0.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	NIEMI, Kai	3	1							2	4.0	0.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	BLACKBIRD, Carl	3	1							2	4.0	0.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	McNAMARA, Peter	1	0	2						3	3.0	0.0	3.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	O'HARE, Gary	3	2*	2*	0	1*				5	8.0	3.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	REED, Jason	1	0							2	1.0	0.0	1.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	GOODWIN, Martin	2	3	2*						3	7.0	1.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	COBBIN, Martin	0								1	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	TAYLOR, Mel	1	T	3	3					4	7.0	0.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor	2	2*	2*						3	6.0	2.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	RASMUSSEN, Jens	0	3							2	3.0	0.0	3.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	BAXTER, Wayne	2	1	EX						3	3.0	0.0	3.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	KINGSBURY, Tony	EX	0	0						3	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:		
1	STAECHMANN, J	GOODWIN, M	BLACKBIRD, M	COBBIN, M	62.5	4.0	2.0	4.0	2.0			
2	O'HARE, G	BAXTER, W	REED, J	KINGSBURY, T	F/Exc	64.9	4.0	2.0	8.0	4.0		
3	BLACKBIRD, C	O'BRIEN, T	McNAMARA, P	RASMUSSEN, J		63.2	4.0	2.0	12.0	6.0		
4	NIEMI, K	O'HARE, G	TAYLOR, M	KINGSBURY, T		64.2	5.0	1.0	17.0	7.0		
5	GOODWIN, M	O'BRIEN, T	BLACKBIRD, C	McNAMARA, P		63.7	1.0	5.0	18.0	12.0		
6	STAECHMANN, J	O'HARE, G	BAXTER, W	KINGSBURY, T		65.3	5.0	1.0	23.0	13.0	BLACKBIRD, M	T
7	RASMUSSEN, J	O'BRIEN, D	NIEMI, K	REED, J		64.3	1.0	5.0	24.0	18.0		
8	TAYLOR, M	GOODWIN, M	BLACKBIRD, M	O'HARE, G		68.2	1.0	5.0	25.0	23.0		
9	TAYLOR, M	McNAMARA, P	O'HARE, G	BAXTER, W	F/Exc	72.3	3.0	3.0	28.0	26.0		

VENUE RYE HOUSE STADIUM **COMPETITION** K.O.C. QUARTER FINAL 1st LEG

RYE HOUSE 46.0 43.0 **LONG EATON** **DATE:** 30/06/1991

RESULT: HOME WIN **AGREGATE SCORE**

Long Eaton will start Wednesday's second leg at Station Road as clear favourites to reach the semi-finals of the Cup after restricting Rye House to a mere three-point lead at Hoddesdon.
 The Rockets, without injured Roger Johns and John Wainwright, just couldn't make any headway against the determined Invaders and will now need a miracle if they are to progress any further.
 The home side threw juniors Tony Kingsbury and Martin Cobbin in at the depp end again but it was asking far too much of the youngsters to match the scores Rye could have expected from Johns and Wainwright.
 And with reseerve Wayne Baxter ineffective after winning Heat 2, they were always struggling to get anywhere near the sort of 50-point plus score required.
 Twice, Rockets pulled eight clar, with skipper Jens Rasmussen leading by example on the way to his first maximum of the season.
 But only Martin Goddwin, Mel Taylor and Trevor O'Brien lending reliable support, Long Eaton were able to chip away at the vital minor placings to good effect.
 Invaders managed only five race winners all afternoon but each led to a heat advantage, three by the maximum margin.
 Jan Staechmann and Carl Blackbird shouldered much of the responsibility in the absence of Kai Niemi but Mark Blackbird and Peter McNamara, with some solid middle order scoring made telling contributions.

Andrew Skeels - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	GOODWIN, Martin	3	3	2*	2	EX				5	10.0	1.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	O'BRIEN, Trevor	1	2*	0	3					4	6.0	1.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	TAYLOR, Mel	2	3	1	2*					4	8.0	1.0	9.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	KINGSBURY, Tony	1	1	0						3	2.0	0.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	RASMUSSEN, Jens	3	3	3	3	3				5	15.0	0.0	15.0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	BAXTER, Wayne	3	0	0	0	0	1			6	4.0	0.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	COBBIN, Martin	0	1	0						3	1.0	0.0	1.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	STAECHMANN, Jan	2	2	3	EX	3	1*			6	11.0	1.0	12.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	REED, Jason	0	F							2	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	BLACKBIRD, Carl	3	1	2*	2	1	2			6	11.0	1.0	12.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	BLACKBIRD, Mark	2	2	1	2*	EX				5	7.0	1.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	McNAMARA, Peter	F	1*	3	2*					4	6.0	2.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	O'HARE, Gary	2	0	1*						3	3.0	1.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	TILBURY, Rob	1*	1	3	0					4	5.0	1.0	6.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	GOODWIN, M	STAECHMANN, J	O'BRIEN, T	REED, J	59.6	4.0	2.0	4.0	2.0	
2	BAXTER, W	O'HARE, G	TILBURY, R	COBBIN, M	61.3	3.0	3.0	7.0	5.0	
3	RASMUSSEN, J	BLACKBIRD, M	KINGSBURY, T	McNAMARA, P	59.6	4.0	2.0	11.0	7.0	F
4	BLACKBIRD, C	TAYLOR, M	TILBURY, R	BAXTER, W	59.3	2.0	4.0	13.0	11.0	
5	RASMUSSEN, J	STAECHMANN, J	KINGSBURY, T	REED, J	58.7	4.0	2.0	17.0	13.0	F
6	GOODWIN, M	O'BRIEN, T	BLACKBIRD, C	O'HARE, G	59.4	5.0	1.0	22.0	14.0	
7	TAYLOR, M	BLACKBIRD, M	McNAMARA, P	BAXTER, W	60.0	3.0	3.0	25.0	17.0	
8	TILBURY, R	BLACKBIRD, C	COBBIN, M	O'BRIEN, T	61.0	1.0	5.0	26.0	22.0	F/Rem
9	RASMUSSEN, J	BLACKBIRD, C	O'HARE, G	BAXTER, W	60.5	3.0	3.0	29.0	25.0	
10	O'BRIEN, T	GOODWIN, M	BLACKBIRD, M	TILBURY, R	60.8	5.0	1.0	34.0	26.0	
11	STAECHMANN, J	BLACKBIRD, M	TAYLOR, M	COBBIN, M	60.7	1.0	5.0	35.0	31.0	
12	McNAMARA, P	GOODWIN, M	BLACKBIRD, C	BAXTER, W	60.3	2.0	4.0	37.0	35.0	
13	RASMUSSEN, J	TAYLOR, M	BLACKBIRD, M	F/Exc STAECHEMANN, J	61.1	5.0	0.0	42.0	35.0	F/Exc
14	STAECHMANN, J	McNAMARA, P	BAXTER, W	KINGSBURY, T	61.1	1.0	5.0	43.0	40.0	
15	RASMUSSEN, J	BLACKBIRD, C	STAECHMANN, J	GOODWIN, M	60.9	3.0	3.0	46.0	43.0	F/Exc

VENUE	STATION RD	COMPETITION	K.O.C. QUARTER FINAL 2nd LEG
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LONG EATON	50.0	40.0	RYE HOUSE	DATE:	03/07/1991
RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE		93.0	86.0

Not until the later stages were Long Eaton able to capitalise on their excellent performance at Rye House to reach the semi-finals for the first time since 1969.

The score was the same after nine heats - 28-26 to Long Eaton and, on this occasion, Rye House one ahead on aggregate - as the previous Wednesday's abandonment.

If anything, the determined Rockets were better placed, having used only one, as opposed to three, tactical substitutes.

However, the Invaders then began to asseert themselves while the luck also went their way.

Jan Steachmann, on the outside, cleverly team rode with Mark Blackbird to shut out Trevor O'Brien.

When Martin Goodwin, a last bend leader, blew his motor, admittedly baulking the challenging Kai Niemi, a potential Rye House 4-2 became a 3-3.

Fortunately, if legitimately, Heat 12 was declared an unstisfactory start for as the tapes rose, mechanically troubled Carl Blackbird shattered brother Paul's engine. At the second attempt, Blackbird, on Niemi's bike, blitzed around the boards to the front, Staechmann passed Jens Rasmussen and Long Eaton were seven up overall.

After a dominate Niemi victory, flying from the outside gate, Carl Blackbird, on Staechmann's machine, produced another blockbuster to overtake Rasmussen on the final lap and the Invaders were through.

Although, to their credit, Rye House made it tougher than anticipated, Long Eaton can now get better acquainted with Arena-Essex, their next opposition in the competition and also fellow contenders in the Four Team Tournament Finals.

Ian James - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	STAECHMANN, Jan	3	3	3	2*	2				5	13.0	1.0	14.0		
2	BLACKBIRD, Mark	1	1	3	2*					4	7.0	1.0	8.0		
3	NIEMI, Kai	1*	2	2	3	1*				5	9.0	2.0	11.0		
4	BLACKBIRD, Carl	R	2	3	3					4	8.0	0.0	8.0		
5	TILBURY, Rob	1	1*	0	0					4	2.0	1.0	3.0		
6	McNAMARA, Peter	1	2	1*	1					4	5.0	1.0	6.0		
7	O'HARE, Gary	3	2*	1*	0					4	6.0	2.0	8.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	GOODWIN, Martin	2	3	3	R	1*	3			6	12.0	1.0	13.0		
2	COBBIN, Martin	0	0							2	0.0	0.0	0.0		
3	TAYLOR, Mel	3	R	2*	3	0				5	8.0	1.0	9.0		
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor	3	3	1	2	1*	0			6	10.0	1.0	11.0		
5	RASMUSSEN, Jens	2*	0	1	2					4	5.0	1.0	6.0		
6	BAXTER, Wayne	2	2	0	0					4	4.0	0.0	4.0		
7	KINGSBURY, Tony	0	0	1						3	1.0	0.0	1.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	STAECHMANN, J	GOODWIN, M	BLACKBIRD, M	COBBIN, M		62.5	4.0	2.0	4.0	2.0
2	O'HARE, G	BAXTER, G	McNAMARA, P	KINGSBURY, T		64.7	4.0	2.0	8.0	4.0
3	O'BRIEN, T	RASMUSSEN, J	TILBURY, R	BLACKBIRD, C	EF	64.3	1.0	5.0	9.0	9.0
4	TAYLOR, M	McNAMARA, P	NIEMI, K	KINGSBURY, T		64.6	3.0	3.0	12.0	12.0
5	GOODWIN, M	BLACKBIRD, C	TILBURY, R	COBBIN, M		63.9	3.0	3.0	15.0	15.0
6	STAECHMANN, J	BAXTER, W	BLACKBIRD, M	TAYLOR, M	EF	64.9	4.0	2.0	19.0	17.0
7	O'BRIEN, T	NIEMI, K	McNAMARA, P	RASMUSSEN, J		64.1	3.0	3.0	22.0	20.0
8	BLACKBIRD, M	O'HARE, G	KINGSBURY, T	BAXTER, W		64.2	5.0	1.0	27.0	21.0
9	GOODWIN, M	TAYLOR, M	McNAMARA, P	TILBURY, R		64.3	1.0	5.0	28.0	26.0
10	STAECHMANN, J	BLACKBIRD, M	O'BRIEN, T	BAXTER, W		65.4	5.0	1.0	33.0	27.0
11	TAYLOR, M	NIEMI, K	O'HARA, C	GOODWIN, M	EF	65.8	3.0	3.0	36.0	30.0
12	BLACKBIRD, C	STAECHMANN, J	RASMUSSEN, J	TAYLOR, M		64.6	5.0	1.0	41.0	31.0
13	NIEMI, K	O'BRIEN, T	GOODWIN, M	TILBURY, R		65.1	3.0	3.0	44.0	34.0
14	BLACKBIRD, C	RASMUSSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T	O'HARE, G		65.3	3.0	3.0	47.0	37.0
15	GOODWIN, M	STAECHMANN, J	NIEMI, K	O'BRIEN, T		65.2	3.0	3.0	50.0	40.0

VENUE PURFLEET COMPETITION LEAGUE

ARENA ESSEX 57.0 33.0 RYE HOUSE DATE: 06/07/1991

RESULT: HOME WIN AGREGATE SCORE

The Kent Sweepers Hammers never looked troubled against the Rockets who rode their first match without suspended Martin Goodwin but with another former Hammer Rob Tilbury.
The visitors stood little chance against the powerful Arena team and lacked flexibility when Rgoer Johns, who was returning from injury, was forced to withdraw after two rides.

Hammer's Brian Karger set a cracking pace in Heat 1 when he broke the track record despite locking up twice and pulling a wheelie at the chequered flag.

However, his unbeaten run at Arena came to an end in Heat 10 when he missed out on the first bend tussle and could not split the Rockets' pairing of Trevor O'Brien and Tilbury.

Bo Petersen had better success when he stormed between Mel Taylor and Jens Rasmussen in Heat 12 which was sweet revenge for their first meeting when Ras had pipped him at the chequered flag.

Steve Brown - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	KARGER, Brian	3	3	0	3					4	9.0	0.0	9.0		
2	PRATT, Troy	R	1	2*	3					4	6.0	1.0	7.0		
3	MOGRIDGE, Alan	3	2*	2	2*	EX				5	9.0	2.0	11.0		
4	PETERSEN, Bo	2	3	2*	3	3				5	13.0	1.0	14.0		
5	PEDERSEN, Jan	1*	0	3	3					4	7.0	1.0	8.0		
6	HURRY, Paul	2*	1	3	1					4	7.0	1.0	8.0		
7	WHITE, Colin	3	3	0	0					4	6.0	0.0	6.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	GOODWIN, Martin	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
2	TILBURY, Rob	1*	1*	0	1*	1				5	4.0	3.0	7.0		
3	TAYLOR, Mel	2	2	1	2	0	0	1*		7	8.0	1.0	9.0		
4	O'BRIEN, Trevor	0	2	1	2	3	1	2		7	11.0	0.0	11.0		
5	RASMUSSEN, Jens	2	3	EX	0	1	2			6	8.0	0.0	8.0		
6	WAINWRIGHT, John	0	0	1*						3	1.0	1.0	2.0		
7	JOHNS, Roger	1	R							2	1.0	0.0	1.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	KARGER, B	RASMUSSEN, J	TILBURY, R	PRATT, T	EF	56.9	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
2	WHITE, C	HURRY, P	JOHNS, R	WAINWRIGHT, J		58.6	5.0	1.0	8.0	4.0
3	RASMUSSEN, J	PETERSEN, B	PEDERSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T		58.1	3.0	3.0	11.0	7.0
4	MOGRIDGE, A	TAYLOR, M	HURRY, P	JOHNS, R	Rem/R	57.2	4.0	2.0	15.0	9.0
5	PETERSEN, B	O'BRIEN, T	TILBURY, R	PEDERSEN, J		57.6	3.0	3.0	18.0	12.0
6	KARGER, B	TAYLOR, M	PRATT, T	WAINWRIGHT, J		57.9	4.0	2.0	22.0	14.0
7	HURRY, P	MOGRIDGE, A	O'BRIEN, T	RASMUSSEN, J	F/Exc	60.4	5.0	1.0	27.0	15.0
8	WHITE, C	PRATT, T	TAYLOR, M	TILBURY, R		59.6	5.0	1.0	32.0	16.0
9	PEDERSEN, J	TAYLOR, M	HURRY, P	RASMUSSEN, J		59.2	4.0	2.0	36.0	18.0
10	PRATT, T	O'BRIEN, T	TILBURY, R	KARGER, B		59.7	3.0	3.0	39.0	21.0
11	O'BRIEN, T	MOGRIDGE, A	TILBURY, R	WHITE, C		59.0	2.0	4.0	41.0	25.0
12	KARGER, B	PETERSEN, B	RASMUSSEN, J	TAYLOR, M		58.8	5.0	1.0	46.0	26.0
13	PEDERSEN, J	MOGRIDGE, A	O'BRIEN, T	TAYLOR, M		59.2	5.0	1.0	51.0	27.0
14	PETERSEN, B	RASMUSSEN, J	WAINWRIGHT, J	WHITE, C		59.7	3.0	3.0	54.0	30.0
15	PETERSEN, B	O'BRIEN, T	TAYLOR, M	MOGRIDGE, A	F/Exc	58.8	3.0	3.0	57.0	33.0

VENUE	RYE HOUSE STADIUM	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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RYE HOUSE	47.0	41.0	STOKE	DATE:	07/07/1991
RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE	93.0	85.0	

Not an easy win for the Rockets, who found Stoke a much tougher proposition than on Potters' Knockout Cup visit last month. On a heavily watered track, the home side were all at sea in the early stages and it was no real surprise when they they trailed by five after seven races.

Jens Rasmussen came off while leading a Rye 5-1 in the first heat and, although that was cancelled by leader David Clarke's last lap tumble as the Potters headed for a maximum in Heat 2, the Rockets continued to throw points away.

Rasmussen hit the front in Heat 5 but then hit the deck again almost as quickly and new recruit Rob Tilbury pulled up in the re-run to gift Stoke a 5-0.

An over-enthusiastic Trevor O'Brien challenge skittled team-mate Mel Taylor and Nigel Crabtree in the tight Heat 6 third turn - both were lucky to escape injury - and Rockets were struggling.

But the match swung back in Rye's favour in the space of two races. Gary Chessell shed a chain in the race to the first turn in Heat 8 and partner Gary Stead was excluded after fetching John Wainwright's chain off in a determined fourth bend challenge.

The unbeaten Crabtree trailed home a shock last in Heat 9 as Wayne Baxter, enjoying his best match in Rockets colours, joined Rasmussen at the front and the Taylor/Wainwright combination delivered a vital third maximum in Heat 11.

O'Brien split Crabtree and tactical substitute Eric Monaghan in the race of the day in Heat 12 and Rasmussen's victory over the same pair in the 13th virtually settled it.

Andrew Skeels - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	GOODWIN, Martin	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
2	O'BRIEN, Trevor		3	EX	3	3	2	3		6	14.0	0.0	14.0		
3	TAYLOR, Mel		2	2	2	3	0			5	9.0	0.0	9.0		
4	TILBURY, Rob		1	R	0	2				4	3.0	0.0	3.0		
5	RASMUSSEN, Jens		EX	3	EX	3	3	0		6	9.0	0.0	9.0		
6	BAXTER, Wayne		2	1*	1*	2*	0	1*		6	7.0	4.0	11.0		
7	WAINWRIGHT, John		1*	2*	2*	N				3	5.0	3.0	8.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	STANDING, Darren		2	2*	0	EX				4	4.0	1.0	5.0		
2	CHESELL, Gary		1*	3	R	1				4	5.0	1.0	6.0		
3	CRABTREE, Nigel		3	3	0	3	2	2		6	13.0	0.0	13.0		
4	MONAGHAN, Eric		2	3	1*	1	1*	1*		6	9.0	3.0	12.0		
5	HUGHES, Jon		0	0						2	0.0	0.0	0.0		
6	CLARKE, David		F	1	1	3				4	5.0	0.0	5.0		
7	STEAD, Garry		3	0	EX	2				4	5.0	0.0	5.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	O'BRIEN, T	STANDING, Da	CHESELL, G	RASMUSSEN, J	62.1	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	
2	STEAD, G	BAXTER, W	WAINWRIGHT, J	CLARKE, D	64.5	3.0	3.0	6.0	6.0	
3	RASMUSSEN, J	MONAGHAN, E	TILBURY, R	HUGHES, J	60.9	4.0	2.0	10.0	8.0	
4	CRABTREE, N	TAYLOR, M	BAXTER, W	STEAD, G	61.3	3.0	3.0	13.0	11.0	
5	CHESELL, G	STANDING, Da	TILBURY, R	RASMUSSEN, J	60.5	0.0	5.0	13.0	16.0	
6	CRABTREE, N	TAYLOR, M	CLARKE, D	O'BRIEN, T	60.3	2.0	4.0	15.0	20.0	
7	MONAGHAN, E	TAYLOR, M	BAXTER, W	HUGHES, J	60.4	3.0	3.0	18.0	23.0	
8	O'BRIEN, T	WAINWRIGHT, J	CHESELL, G	STEAD, G		5.0	0.0	23.0	23.0	
9	RASMUSSEN, J	BAXTER, W	CLARKE, D	CRABTREE, N	59.5	5.0	1.0	28.0	24.0	
10	O'BRIEN, T	STEAD, G	MONAGHAN, E	TILBURY, R	59.4	3.0	3.0	31.0	27.0	
11	TAYLOR, M	WAINWRIGHT, J	CHESELL, G	STANDING, Da	60.4	5.0	1.0	36.0	28.0	
12	CRABTREE, N	O'BRIEN, T	MONAGHAN, E	BAXTER, W	59.9	2.0	4.0	38.0	32.0	
13	RASMUSSEN, J	CRABTREE, N	MONAGHAN, E	TAYLOR, M	60.0	3.0	3.0	41.0	35.0	
14	CLARKE, D	TILBURY, R	BAXTER, W	STANDING, Da	61.6	3.0	3.0	44.0	38.0	WAINWRIGHT, J
15	O'BRIEN, T	CRABTREE, N	MONAGHAN, E	RASMUSSEN, J	59.8	3.0	3.0	47.0	41.0	

VENUE	RYE HOUSE STADIUM	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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RYE HOUSE	51.0	39.0	HACKNEY	DATE:	14/07/1991
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RESULT:	RESULT VOID	AGREGATE SCORE
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Rye House moved up to third in the Second Division - their highest position under Ronnie Russell - with a predictable victory over troubled Hackney.

But the Rockets didn't get things all their own way against a game Hawks outfit, who looked there for the taking when they announced a starting line-up which included juniors Roland Pollard and Simon Phillips, plus debutant Julian Hardy.

The visitors provided five of the first seven race winners - Tony Olsson taking the flag three times - and trailed by just four at the halfway mark.

But when Olsson's unbeaten run came to an end at the hands of impressive John Wainwright and Mel Taylor in Heat 11, the resulting 5-1 gave Rockets a 12-point cushion.

They needed it, though. Hackney battled back to halve the deficit in the next two races and had Richard Hellsen not been harshly excluded from Heat 14 when Wainwright looked to be the cause of his fall, Rye could have been contemplating a last heat decider.

As it was, Rockets finished in style by taking nine points from the last two to improve their chance of the aggregate bonus.

This wasn't the most accomplished of Rye performances but with Martin Goodwin's suspension and Roger Johns' continued absence through injury weakening the side, Rockets will have been pleased to have maintained their 100 per cent home league record.

Much of the credit should go to reserves Wainwright and Wayne Baxter, whose paid 20 proved invaluable.

Andrew Skeels - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	O'BRIEN, Trevor	2	2	1*	EX					4	5.0	1.0	6.0		
2	COBBIN, Martin	1*	0							2	1.0	1.0	2.0		
3	TAYLOR, Mel	3	2	2*	2	1				5	10.0	1.0	11.0		
4	TILBURY, Rob	2*	2	1	3					4	8.0	1.0	9.0		
5	RASMUSSEN, Jens	3	1*	3	0	3				5	10.0	1.0	11.0		
6	BAXTER, Wayne	1*	1	1*	3	1				5	7.0	2.0	9.0		
7	WAINWRIGHT, John	2	1	2	3	2*				5	10.0	1.0	11.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	OLSSON, Tony	3	3	3	0	1	2			6	12.0	0.0	12.0		
2	POLLARD, Roland	0	EX	1						3	1.0	0.0	1.0		
3	HELLEN, Richard	R	1	2	3	EX				5	6.0	0.0	6.0		
4	HAMNETT, David	1	3	R	3	3	R			6	10.0	0.0	10.0		
5	HARDY, Julian	0	0							2	0.0	0.0	0.0		
6	PHILLIPS, Simon	F	R	1						3	1.0	0.0	1.0		
7	WARREN, Michael	3	2	2	0	2*				5	9.0	1.0	10.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	OLSSON, T	O'BRIEN, T	COBBIN, M	POLLARD, R	60.1	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	
2	WARREN, M	WAINWRIGHT, J	BAXTER, W	PHILLIPS, S	60.9	3.0	3.0	6.0	6.0	
3	RASMUSSEN, J	TILBURY, R	HAMNETT, D	HARDY, J	60.8	5.0	1.0	11.0	7.0	
4	TAYLOR, M	WARREN, M	BAXTER, W	F/Rem HELLSEN, R	60.8	4.0	2.0	15.0	9.0	
5	OLSSON, T	TILBURY, R	RASMUSSEN, J	POLLARD, R	60.8	3.0	3.0	18.0	12.0	
6	OLSSON, T	O'BRIEN, T	HELLEN, R	COBBIN, M	61.1	2.0	4.0	20.0	16.0	
7	HAMNETT, D	TAYLOR, M	BAXTER, W	HARDY, J	60.6	3.0	3.0	23.0	19.0	
8	BAXTER, W	WARREN, M	WAINWRIGHT, J	PHILLIPS, S	61.8	4.0	2.0	27.0	21.0	
9	RASMUSSEN, J	HELLEN, R	BAXTER, W	HAMNETT, D	61.2	4.0	2.0	31.0	23.0	
10	HAMNETT, D	WAINWRIGHT, J	O'BRIEN, T	WARREN, M	61.2	3.0	3.0	34.0	26.0	
11	WAINWRIGHT, J	TAYLOR, M	POLLARD, R	OLSSON, T	62.3	5.0	1.0	39.0	27.0	
12	HELLEN, R	WARREN, M	TILBURY, R	O'BRIEN, T	62.2	1.0	5.0	40.0	32.0	
13	HAMNETT, D	TAYLOR, M	OLSSON, T	RASMUSSEN, J	60.9	2.0	4.0	42.0	36.0	
14	TILBURY, R	WAINWRIGHT, J	PHILLIPS, S	HELLEN, R	62.7	5.0	1.0	47.0	37.0	
15	RASMUSSEN, J	OLSSON, T	TAYLOR, M	HAMNETT, D	60.8	4.0	2.0	51.0	39.0	

VENUE	BROUGH PARK	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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NEWCASTLE	49.0	34.0	RYE HOUSE	DATE:	22/07/1991
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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Newcastle warmed up for their weekend Gold Cup Final clash against Peterborough with their sixth win in a row at Brough Park after foiling a mid-meeting Rye House comeback.

The Debmatt Diamonds looked set for a healthy pay day when they ran up a ten-point lead inside the first three heats.

The Rockets hit back with four successive race winners to halve the deficit but the turning came in Heat 8 when tactical substitute Mel Taylor was involved in a heavy spill with Newcastle's Phil Jeffrey.

Taylor, the innocent party, failed to beat the clock for the re-run and picked up only one more point all night when sustained support for Jens Rasmussen and Trevor O'Brien would have pushed the Diamonds much closer.

Rain forced referee Will Hunter to call a halt before the last heat but Newcastle, who signed off with four successive heat advantages, already had the points in the bag.

Jeff Brown - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	THORPE, Mark	3	1*	1	3					4	8.0	1.0	9.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	HABBIN, James	1	2	2	0					4	5.0	0.0	5.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	BARGH, David	3	2	3	3					4	11.0	0.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	DIXON, Martin	3	0	2*	3					4	8.0	1.0	9.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	LAMB, Scott	2*	1	3	1					4	7.0	1.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	JUUL, Richard	2*	EX	1*	2*	1				5	6.0	3.0	9.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	JEFFREY, Philip	3	EX	1						3	4.0	0.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	O'BRIEN, Trevor	2	2*	3	2*	2	2			6	13.0	2.0	15.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	GOODWIN, Martin	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	TAYLOR, Mel	2	3	M	1	EX	0			5	6.0	0.0	6.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	TILBURY, Rob	0	R	0						3	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	RASMUSSEN, Jens	1	3	3	3	1	2			6	13.0	0.0	13.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	BAXTER, Wayne	EX	0	0						3	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	WAINWRIGHT, John	1	1*	EX	0	0				5	2.0	1.0	3.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	THORPE, M	O'BRIEN, T	HABBIN, J	TILBURY, R	65.3	4.0	2.0	4.0	2.0	
2	JEFFREY, Ph.	JUUL, R	WAINWRIGHT, J	F/Rem BAXTER, W	66.5	5.0	1.0	9.0	3.0	
3	DIXON, M	LAMB, S	RASMUSSEN, J	TILBURY, R	67.4	5.0	1.0	14.0	4.0	
4	BARGH, D	TAYLOR, M	WAINWRIGHT, J	JUUL, R	66.4	3.0	3.0	17.0	7.0	
5	RASMUSSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T	LAMB, S	DIXON, M	65.2	1.0	5.0	18.0	12.0	
6	TAYLOR, M	HABBIN, J	THORPE, M	BAXTER, W	65.8	3.0	3.0	21.0	15.0	
7	RASMUSSEN, J	BARGH, D	JUUL, R	TILBURY, R	65.0	3.0	3.0	24.0	18.0	
8	O'BRIEN, T	HABBIN, J	WAINWRIGHT, J	Exc UR JEFFREY, Ph.	66.0	2.0	3.0	26.0	21.0	TAYLOR, M M
9	LAMB, S	JUUL, R	TAYLOR, M	BAXTER, W	67.4	5.0	1.0	31.0	22.0	
10	RASMUSSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T	THORPE, M	HABBIN, J	65.7	1.0	5.0	32.0	27.0	
11	BARGH, D	O'BRIEN, T	JEFFREY, Ph.	TAYLOR, M	65.7	4.0	2.0	36.0	29.0	
12	THORPE, M	DIXON, M	RASMUSSEN, J	TAYLOR, M	66.1	5.0	1.0	41.0	30.0	
13	BARGH, D	O'BRIEN, T	LAMB, S	WAINWRIGHT, J	69.0	4.0	2.0	45.0	32.0	
14	DIXON, M	RASMUSSEN, J	JUUL, R	WAINWRIGHT, J	70.4	4.0	2.0	49.0	34.0	

VENUE	STATION RD	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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LONG EATON	50.0	40.0	RYE HOUSE	DATE:	24/07/1991
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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As a rain-affected track improved, so did the authentic standard of entertainment and Rye House, although never to the extent that they seriously threatened the ascendancy Long Eaton established when conditions were at their most demanding. Trailing 22-14, Jens Rasmussen brought the Rockets and the match to life when, after resisting the close attentions of Carl Blackbird, ne burst outside Peter McNamara on the last lap. With Trevor O'Brien then passing Mark Blackbird in similar fashion, Rye House were just six points behind but that remained a deficit they were unable to reduce. For the pits bend in Heat 9 proved a Rockets disaster area, Melvyn Taylor misjudged it completely, O'Brien fell while leading, leaving Gary O'Hare and the productive McNamara to take maximum advantage. The balance was somewhat restored when Jan Staechmann, looking a certain winner, stopped on the final back straight with electrical trouble, Mark Blackbird's second position being achieved at the expense of a blown motor. An eventful spell continued with reserve John Wainwright injecting welcome unpredictability by leading, if not for long, Staechmann and Carl Blackbird, although his two eventual third places kept Rockets in the hunt. However, Staechmann finished with consecutive victories to give Long Eaton the result they deserved and, with Carl Blackbird meeting little resistance when overtaking Taylor and Rasmussen, it enhanced the bonus point hopes.

Ian James - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	STAECHMANN, Jan	3	3	R	3	3	3			6	15.0	0.0	15.0		
2	BLACKBIRD, Mark	1	R	2	2					4	5.0	0.0	5.0		
3	BLACKBIRD, Carl	3	3	1*	2	3	2*			6	14.0	2.0	16.0		
4	NIEMI, Kai	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
5	O'HARE, Gary	3	0	3	0	0				5	6.0	0.0	6.0		
6	McNAMARA, Peter	3	1	2	2*					4	8.0	1.0	9.0		
7	PARNABY, Stuart	1	1	0	0	0				5	2.0	0.0	2.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	O'BRIEN, Trevor	R	2	3	R	M	2			5	7.0	0.0	7.0		
2	GOODWIN, Martin	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
3	TAYLOR, Mel	2	2	1*	1	3	0			6	9.0	1.0	10.0		
4	TILBURY, Rob	0	M	1						2	1.0	0.0	1.0		
5	RASMUSSEN, Jens	2	1*	3	3	2	1*	1		7	13.0	2.0	15.0		
6	BAXTER, Wayne	0	2	0	1	2				5	5.0	0.0	5.0		
7	WAINWRIGHT, John	2	0	1	1*	1*				5	5.0	2.0	7.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	STAECHMANN, J	TAYLOR, M	BLACKBIRD, M	O'BRIEN, T	63.8	4.0	2.0	4.0	2.0	
2	McNAMARA, P	WAINWRIGHT, J	PARNABY, S	BAXTER, W	66.8	4.0	2.0	8.0	4.0	
3	O'HARE, G	RASMUSSEN, J	McNAMARA, P	TILBURY, R	66.3	4.0	2.0	12.0	6.0	
4	BLACKBIRD, C	TAYLOR, M	PARNABY, S	WAINWRIGHT, J	65.1	4.0	2.0	16.0	8.0	
5	BLACKBIRD, C	O'BRIEN, T	RASMUSSEN, J	O'HARE, G	64.2	3.0	3.0	19.0	11.0	
6	STAECHMANN, J	BAXTER, W	TAYLOR, M	BLACKBIRD, M	63.5	3.0	3.0	22.0	14.0	
7	RASMUSSEN, J	McNAMARA, P	BLACKBIRD, C	BAXTER, W	64.7	3.0	3.0	25.0	17.0	TILBURY, R
8	O'BRIEN, T	BLACKBIRD, M	WAINWRIGHT, J	PARNABY, S	63.8	2.0	4.0	27.0	21.0	
9	O'HARE, G	McNAMARA, P	TAYLOR, M	O'BRIEN, T	64.3	5.0	1.0	32.0	22.0	
10	RASMUSSEN, J	BLACKBIRD, M	TILBURY, R	STAECHMANN, J	64.9	2.0	4.0	34.0	26.0	
11	TAYLOR, M	BLACKBIRD, C	BAXTER, W	PARNABY, S	64.6	2.0	4.0	36.0	30.0	O'BRIEN, T
12	STAECHMANN, J	RASMUSSEN, J	WAINWRIGHT, J	O'HARE, G	63.5	3.0	3.0	39.0	33.0	
13	BLACKBIRD, C	O'BRIEN, T	WAINWRIGHT, J	O'HARE, G	63.3	3.0	3.0	42.0	36.0	
14	STAECHMANN, J	BAXTER, W	RASMUSSEN, J	PARNABY, S	63.4	3.0	3.0	45.0	39.0	
15	STAECHMANN, J	BLACKBIRD, C	RASMUSSEN, J	TAYLOR, M	63.4	5.0	1.0	50.0	40.0	

VENUE	RYE HOUSE STADIUM	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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RYE HOUSE	43.0	47.0	EDINBURGH	DATE:	28/07/1991
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RESULT:	AWAY WIN	AGREGATE SCORE	78.0	101.0
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Edinburgh No.1 Les Collins kept his cool in a last heat decider to steer the Gulf Monarchs to their third win at Hoddesdon in four seasons. The visitors went into final race needing only a share of the points to secure victory and Collins, from the inside gate, showed a clean pair of heels to Rye House captain Jens Rasmussen and Trevor O'Brien, who fell on the third lap in pursuit of the Edinburgh star.

Monarchs, who had the bonus point in the bag early on, fully deserved their triumph and always looked the more likely winners. Collins was the perfect spearhead; Michael Coles opened with two crisp wins; and both Brett Saunders and Johnny Jorgensen - who was largely ineffective - popped up with wins at vital times.

It was all too much for the Rockets, who were shooting themselves in the foot with alarming regularity from the off. The home side had only one finisher in each of the first four heats and the points squandered proved costly.

A couple of 4-2s nosed Edinburgh four in front as six of the first eight heats were drawn. Rye looked set to level things in Heat 9 until John Wainwright drifted wide on the final turn, allowing Coles through, and another 5-1 was lost in Heat 10 when O'Brien ran into mechanical problems as he and Rasmussen headed Freddy Schott.

Three successive 4-2s in favour of the Monarchs left the Rockets in deep trouble until Rasmussen and O'Brien teamed up for what was to be the only maximum of the afternoon in Heat 14 to revive Rye hopes.

The same pair couldn't repeat the feat against Collins when it mattered but, with 31 points between them, they could hardly be blamed for Rockets' first home league defeat.

Andrew Skeels - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	O'BRIEN, Trevor	3	2	2	1	2	2*	EX		7	12.0	1.0	13.0		
2	GOODWIN, Martin	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
3	TAYLOR, Mel	2	2	2	0					4	6.0	0.0	6.0		
4	TILBURY, Rob	R	0	0						3	0.0	0.0	0.0		
5	RASMUSSEN, Jens	3	3	3	3	2	3	2		7	19.0	0.0	19.0		
6	WAINWRIGHT, John	EX	0	1*	1					4	2.0	1.0	3.0		
7	JOHNS, Roger	3	1*	0						3	4.0	1.0	5.0		
8	BAXTER, Wayne	EX	0							2	0.0	0.0	0.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	COLLINS, Les	2	2	3	3	3				5	13.0	0.0	13.0		
2	SAUNDERS, Brett	1*	1*	3	1					4	6.0	2.0	8.0		
3	COLES, Michael	3	3	2	1					4	9.0	0.0	9.0		
4	SCHOTT, Frede	1*	3	2	1	1				5	8.0	1.0	9.0		
5	JORGENSEN, Johnny	2	0	3	EX					4	5.0	0.0	5.0		
6	ALDERTON, Nigel	1*	1	0	EX	1				5	3.0	1.0	4.0		
7	WALKER, Justin	2	1	0						3	3.0	0.0	3.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	O'BRIEN, T	COLLINS, L	SAUNDERS, B	BAXTER, W	F/Exc	58.8	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
2	JOHNS, R	WALKER, J	ALDERTON, N	WAINWRIGHT, J	F/Exc	60.9	3.0	3.0	6.0	6.0
3	RASMUSSEN, J	SCHOTT, F	JORGENSEN, J	TILBURY, R	EF	58.8	3.0	3.0	9.0	9.0
4	COLES, M	TAYLOR, M	WALKER, J	WAINWRIGHT, J	F/Rem	60.5	2.0	4.0	11.0	13.0
5	RASMUSSEN, J	COLLINS, L	SAUNDERS, B	TILBURY, R		58.9	3.0	3.0	14.0	16.0
6	COLES, M	O'BRIEN, T	ALDERTON, N	BAXTER, W		59.2	2.0	4.0	16.0	20.0
7	SCHOTT, F	TAYLOR, M	WAINWRIGHT, J	JORGENSEN, J		59.6	3.0	3.0	19.0	23.0
8	SAUNDERS, B	O'BRIEN, T	JOHNS, R	WALKER, J		60.0	3.0	3.0	22.0	26.0
9	RASMUSSEN, J	COLES, M	WAINWRIGHT, J	ALDERTON, N		59.5	4.0	2.0	26.0	28.0
10	RASMUSSEN, J	SCHOTT, F	O'BRIEN, T	ALDERTON, N	F/Exc	60.1	4.0	2.0	30.0	30.0
11	COLLINS, L	TAYLOR, M	SAUNDERS, B	JOHNS, R	F	60.2	2.0	4.0	32.0	34.0
12	JORGENSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T	COLES, M	TILBURY, R		59.9	2.0	4.0	34.0	38.0
13	COLLINS, L	RASMUSSEN, J	SCHOTT, F	TAYLOR, M		59.9	2.0	4.0	36.0	42.0
14	RASMUSSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T	ALDERTON, N	JORGENSEN, J	F/Exc	61.4	5.0	1.0	41.0	43.0
15	COLLINS, L	RASMUSSEN, J	SCHOTT, F	O'BRIEN, T	F	60.2	2.0	4.0	43.0	47.0

VENUE	RYE HOUSE STADIUM	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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RYE HOUSE	43.0	47.0	NEWCASTLE	DATE:	04/08/1991
RESULT:	AWAY WIN		AGREGATE SCORE	77.0	96.0

Rye House's slump continued as they lost for the second week running at Hoddesdon and plunged to their fourth successive Sunbrite League defeat in the process.

The Rockets could have few complaints about this setback at the hands of in-form Newcastle, who had the strength in depth that counted. The Rye heat leader department did its job, with Trevor O'Brien, Mel Taylor and Jens Rasmussen contributing 32 between them. But the supporting cast were rather less effective and the home side were made to pay.

The Rockets were always struggling to stamp their authority on the match despite taking an early four-point lead and just couldn't shake the Diamonds off.

With three heats to go, it was anybody's meeting at 36-36 but Rockets badly needed an advantage from Heat 13 with a suspect looking penultimate heat to follow.

Mark Thorpe led for the first lap but Rasmussen's fierce inside challenge on the first bend, second time round, ended with the Newcastle No.1 careering into the fence.

Rasmussen didn't look happy when his exclusion light came on but worse was to follow for Rye in the re-run as Scott Lamb took Taylor from the back to join Thorpe for the afternoon's only maximum heat win.

Martin Dixon swept past Roger Johns on the first lap of Heat 14 to protect Diamonds' four-point advantage and Thorpe and David Bargh clinched it in the decider without too much sweat, the lively O'Brien neat overtake of Bargh counting for nothing in terms of the result.

Victory lifted jubilant Newcastle top to second in the table but there were few smiling faces in the Rye camp afterwards - and with Sheffield and Arena-Essex due at Hoddesdon shortly, things may well get worse before they get better for the struggling Rockets.

Andrew Skeels - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	O'BRIEN, Trevor	2	R	2	3	3	3			6	13.0	0.0	13.0		
2	GOODWIN, Martin	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
3	TAYLOR, Mel	3	2	3	2	1	0			6	11.0	0.0	11.0		
4	TILBURY, Rob	1*	1	0						3	2.0	1.0	3.0		
5	RASMUSSEN, Jens	1*	2	3	2	EX				5	8.0	1.0	9.0		
6	WAINWRIGHT, John	3	0	0	1*	1*				5	5.0	2.0	7.0		
7	JOHNS, Roger	1	0	1	0	2				5	4.0	0.0	4.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	THORPE, Mark	3	2	3	3	1*				5	12.0	1.0	13.0		
2	HAMNETT, David	0	EX	3	1					4	4.0	0.0	4.0		
3	BARGH, David	2	3	3	2	2				5	12.0	0.0	12.0		
4	LAMB, Scott	3	2	2	2*					4	9.0	1.0	10.0		
5	DIXON, Martin	EX	1*	1*	3					4	5.0	2.0	7.0		
6	JUUL, Richard	2	1	1	0	0				5	4.0	0.0	4.0		
7	JEFFREY, Philip	0	1*	EX						3	1.0	1.0	2.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	THORPE, M	O'BRIEN, T	RASMUSSEN, J	HAMNETT, D	59.3	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	
2	WAINWRIGHT, J	JUUL, R	JOHNS, R	JEFFREY, Ph.	61.6	4.0	2.0	7.0	5.0	
3	LAMB, S	RASMUSSEN, J	TILBURY, R	DIXON, M	F/Exc	59.5	3.0	3.0	10.0	8.0
4	TAYLOR, M	BARGH, D	JEFFREY, Ph.	WAINWRIGHT, J	61.0	3.0	3.0	13.0	11.0	
5	RASMUSSEN, J	THORPE, M	TILBURY, R	HAMNETT, D	F/Exc	59.3	4.0	2.0	17.0	13.0
6	BARGH, D	TAYLOR, M	JUUL, R	O'BRIEN, T	Rem R	58.8	2.0	4.0	19.0	17.0
7	TAYLOR, M	LAMB, S	DIXON, M	WAINWRIGHT, J	F/Rem	60.1	3.0	3.0	22.0	20.0
8	HAMNETT, D	O'BRIEN, T	JUUL, R	JOHNS, R	61.6	2.0	4.0	24.0	24.0	
9	BARGH, D	RASMUSSEN, J	WAINWRIGHT, J	JUUL, R	59.9	3.0	3.0	27.0	27.0	
10	O'BRIEN, T	LAMB, S	JOHNS, R	JEFFREY, Ph.	F/Exc	60.2	4.0	2.0	31.0	29.0
11	THORPE, M	TAYLOR, M	HAMNETT, D	JOHNS, R	60.4	2.0	4.0	33.0	33.0	
12	O'BRIEN, T	BARGH, D	DIXON, M	TILBURY, R	59.5	3.0	3.0	36.0	36.0	
13	THORPE, M	LAMB, S	TAYLOR, M	RASMUSSEN, J	Exc UR	60.5	1.0	5.0	37.0	41.0
14	DIXON, M	JOHNS, R	WAINWRIGHT, J	JUUL, R	60.7	3.0	3.0	40.0	44.0	
15	O'BRIEN, T	BARGH, D	THORPE, M	TAYLOR, M	59.6	3.0	3.0	43.0	47.0	

VENUE	RYE HOUSE STADIUM	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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RYE HOUSE	54.0	36.0	SHEFFIELD	DATE:	11/08/1991
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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Rye House upset the Second Division formbook with a surprisingly clear-cut win over promotion-chasing Sheffield. And it was no fluke either as the Rockets responded well to promotor Ronnie Russell's prematch team talk to chalk up their first league win in five matches.

A bright start gave the hoem side a six-point lead after just two races and only once did Sheffield cut the gap to less than six, a 5-1 in Heat 8 reducing Rockets' advantage to four.

But Jens Rasmussen promptly inflected Louis Carr's first defeat of the afternoon in Heat 9 and a 5-1 from Mel Taylor and John Wainwright in Heat 11 after Richard Musson had been excluded for bringing Wainwright down put Rockets firmly in command.

They finished in style by taking 14 points from the last three heats as light drizzle made track conditions trickier and may now even fancy their chances of the aggregate bonus point.

To be fair to Sheffield, the absence through injury of Neil Evitts was a severe handicap, although it is debateable whether his presence would have been enough to swing the match their way.

The Tigers were badly exposed at the bottom end and had to rely heavily on the Carr brothers, their only heat winners, and Musson, who deserved more for his efforts.

By contrast, the Rockets were a solid unit, Rob Tilbury at last began to look more like his old self and would have bettered his six-point total but for a last lap engine failure in Heat 5 which cost him a paid win.

Trevor O'Brien, typically, provided much of the entertainment, figuring in two thrilling duels with Louis Carr and conjuring up a breathtaking first bend in Heat 10 to sweep around the outside of Ian Barney and Peter Carr.

Andrew Skeels - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	O'BRIEN, Trevor	3	2	3	2					4	10.0	0.0	10.0		
2	BAXTER, Wayne	1	1*	1	0					4	3.0	1.0	4.0		
3	TAYLOR, Mel	2	3	3	2*	2*				5	12.0	2.0	14.0		
4	TILBURY, Rob	2	1	0	3					4	6.0	0.0	6.0		
5	RASMUSSEN, Jens	1*	3	3	3	3				5	13.0	1.0	14.0		
6	JOHNS, Roger	3	1*	0	1					4	5.0	1.0	6.0		
7	WAINWRIGHT, John	2*	EX	2*	1					4	5.0	2.0	7.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	HOOLE, Ade	F	2							2	2.0	0.0	2.0		
2	MUSSON, Richard	2	EX	2*	EX	0	0			6	4.0	1.0	5.0		
3	CARR, Louis	3	3	3	2	3	1			6	15.0	0.0	15.0		
4	BARNEY, Ian	0	1*	2	1	1				5	5.0	1.0	6.0		
5	CARR, Peter	3	2	1*	1	2				5	9.0	1.0	10.0		
6	HEPWORTH, Mark	0	0	F						3	0.0	0.0	0.0		
7	BRIDGEFORD, Wayne	1	0	0						3	1.0	0.0	1.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	O'BRIEN, T	MUSSON, R	BAXTER, W	HOOLE, A	60.2	4.0	2.0	4.0	2.0	
2	JOHNS, R	WAINWRIGHT, J	BRIDGEFORD, W	HEPWORTH, M	61.1	5.0	1.0	9.0	3.0	
3	CARR, P	TILBURY, R	RASMUSSEN, J	BARNEY, I	59.3	3.0	3.0	12.0	6.0	
4	CARR, L	TAYLOR, M	JOHNS, R	BRIDGEFORD, W	59.4	3.0	3.0	15.0	9.0	
5	RASMUSSEN, J	HOOLE, A	TILBURY, R	MUSSON, R	60.0	4.0	2.0	19.0	11.0	F/Exc
6	CARR, L	O'BRIEN, T	BAXTER, W	HEPWORTH, M	59.2	3.0	3.0	22.0	14.0	
7	TAYLOR, M	CARR, L	BARNEY, I	JOHNS, R	59.3	3.0	3.0	25.0	17.0	
8	CARR, L	MUSSON, R	BAXTER, W	WAINWRIGHT, J	60.2	1.0	5.0	26.0	22.0	F/Exc
9	RASMUSSEN, J	CARR, L	JOHNS, R	HEPWORTH, M	58.6	4.0	2.0	30.0	24.0	F
10	O'BRIEN, T	BARNEY, I	CARR, P	BAXTER, W	59.3	3.0	3.0	33.0	27.0	
11	TAYLOR, M	WAINWRIGHT, J	BARNEY, I	MUSSON, R	60.4	5.0	1.0	38.0	28.0	Exc
12	CARR, L	O'BRIEN, T	CARR, P	TILBURY, R	59.5	2.0	4.0	40.0	32.0	
13	RASMUSSEN, J	TAYLOR, M	BARNEY, I	MUSSON, R	59.7	5.0	1.0	45.0	33.0	
14	TILBURY, R	CARR, P	WAINWRIGHT, J	BRIDGEFORD, W	61.4	4.0	2.0	49.0	35.0	
15	RASMUSSEN, J	TAYLOR, M	CARR, L	MUSSON, R	63.6	5.0	1.0	54.0	36.0	F/Rem

VENUE	RYE HOUSE STADIUM	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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RYE HOUSE	50.0	38.0	LONG EATON	DATE:	18/08/1991
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE	90.0	88.0
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An afternoon that began brightly for Rye House skipper Jens Rasmussen, who set a new track record in Heat 3, ended in disaster when he was taken to hospital with a broken femur and back injuries after a last race pile-up. Rasmussen ploughed into the first turn fence as he tried to avoid fallen team-mate Trevor O'Brien. The impact he made on the pits gate post immediately suggested something serious and he stayed down for a considerable time before being stretchered off. The crash took the shine off Rockets' win. The home side had never been in the slightest danger of losing, blasting into a 29-12 lead after just seven races on their way to claiming the aggregate bonus.

Rasmussen was at his sharpest, O'Brien and Mel Taylor were strong support, and Rob Tilbury again dropped a few hints that he's on the way back.

The opposition, though, was not what it might have been. Long Eaton were a big disappointment with team manager Eric Boocock conceding afterwards it had been his side's worst performance of the season.

The Invaders scored 43 on their last visit to Hoddesdon in the Phonesport Knockout Cup only seven weeks earlier, but Carl Blackbird apart, didn't get it together at all on this occasion.

Blackbird was excellent value for his four race wins but received little support of note, even the normally reliable Jan Staechmann struggling.

Andrew Skeels - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	O'BRIEN, Trevor	3	2*	2	3	3	EX			6	13.0	1.0	14.0		
2	GOODWIN, Martin	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
3	TAYLOR, Mel	2	3	2*	2	EX				5	9.0	1.0	10.0		
4	TILBURY, Rob	0	2*	1	2					4	5.0	1.0	6.0		
5	RASMUSSEN, Jens	INJURED	3	3	3	2	3	N		5	14.0	0.0	14.0		
6	JOHNS, Roger	2*	1*	1	0					4	4.0	2.0	6.0		
7	WAINWRIGHT, John	3	0	0	0	1				5	4.0	0.0	4.0		
8	BAXTER, Wayne	1								1	1.0	0.0	1.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	STAECHMANN, Jan	2	0	3	1	EX	2*			6	8.0	1.0	9.0		
2	BLACKBIRD, Mark	EX	1	1	T					4	2.0	0.0	2.0		
3	BLACKBIRD, Carl	3	1	3	3	2	3			6	15.0	0.0	15.0		
4	O'HARE, Gary	1*	2	1	0	2				5	6.0	1.0	7.0		
5	NIEMI, Kai	2	0	0						3	2.0	0.0	2.0		
6	PARNABY, Stuart	EX	0	1						3	1.0	0.0	1.0		
7	McNAMARA, Peter	T	0	1	3					3	4.0	0.0	4.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:		
1	O'BRIEN, T	STAECHMANN, J	BAXTER, W	BLACKBIRD, M	F/Exc	58.4	4.0	2.0	4.0	2.0		
2	WAINWRIGHT, J	JOHNS, R	PARNABY, S	F/Exc	McNAMARA, P	T	63.3	5.0	0.0	9.0	2.0	
3	RASMUSSEN, J	NIEMI, K	O'HARE, G	TILBURY, R		58.0	3.0	3.0	12.0	5.0		
4	BLACKBIRD, C	TAYLOR, M	JOHNS, R	McNAMARA, P		59.7	3.0	3.0	15.0	8.0		
5	RASMUSSEN, J	TILBURY, R	BLACKBIRD, M	STAECHMANN, J		59.0	5.0	1.0	20.0	9.0		
6	RASMUSSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T	BLACKBIRD, C	PARNABY, S		59.6	5.0	1.0	25.0	10.0		
7	TAYLOR, M	O'HARE, G	JOHNS, R	NIEMI, K		60.6	4.0	2.0	29.0	12.0		
8	STAECHMANN, J	O'BRIEN, T	BLACKBIRD, M	WAINWRIGHT, J		59.2	2.0	4.0	31.0	16.0		
9	BLACKBIRD, C	RASMUSSEN, J	O'HARE, G	JOHNS, R		59.1	2.0	4.0	33.0	20.0		
10	O'BRIEN, T	TAYLOR, M	McNAMARA, P	O'HARE, G		59.9	5.0	1.0	38.0	21.0		
11	BLACKBIRD, C	TAYLOR, M	STAECHMANN, J	WAINWRIGHT, J		59.1	2.0	4.0	40.0	25.0		
12	O'BRIEN, T	BLACKBIRD, C	TILBURY, R	NIEMI, K		59.2	4.0	2.0	44.0	27.0		
13	RASMUSSEN, J	O'HARE, G	TAYLOR, M	F/Exc	STAECHMANN, J	F/Exc	59.9	3.0	2.0	47.0	29.0	
14	McNAMARA, P	TILBURY, R	PARNABY, S	WAINWRIGHT, J	F/Rem	60.4	2.0	4.0	49.0	33.0	BLACKBIRD, M	F/Exc
15	BLACKBIRD, C	STAECHMANN, J	WAINWRIGHT, J	O'BRIEN, T	F/Exc	60.0	1.0	5.0	50.0	38.0	RASMUSSEN, J	F/Ns

VENUE OWLERTON COMPETITION LEAGUE

SHEFFIELD 57.0 27.0 RYE HOUSE DATE: 22/08/1991
 RESULT: HOME WIN AGREGATE SCORE 93.0 81.0

Powering rain brought proceedings to an early end and washed away Sheffield's hopes of ecor ding their best win of the season. Rye, minus Jens Rasmussen, were never in it as Tigers brushed aside their lightweight challenge. Neil Evitts was again in maximum mood while barnstorming Ian Barney and Peter Carr were each paid for a full house. Barney was in flying form - his tally including a fine overhaul of Mel Taylor, speeding round the boards in Heat 6. The top action came as Richie Musson poered past Rockets' top two, Taylor and Trevor O'Brien in Heat 12, while Rye's only heat advantage came as a result of Musson's fall in Heat 14 - Roger Johns and John Wainwright earning a 5-1 over improving Richard Davidson as the rain began to fall. The heavens then opened and referee Vic Harris had no option than to call off the last race, Tigers already having the match - and bonus point - in the bag.

Paul Rickett - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	EVITTS, Neil	3	3	3	3					4	12.0	0.0	12.0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	BARNEY, Ian	2*	2*	3	2*					4	9.0	3.0	12.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3	CARR, Louis	1*	3	3	3					4	10.0	1.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	MUSSON, Richard	3	R	2*	EX					4	5.0	1.0	6.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	CARR, Peter	2*	3	3	2*					4	10.0	2.0	12.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
6	HEPWORTH, Mark	1	2	2*	1					4	6.0	1.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	DAVIDSON, Richard	3	1	0	1					4	5.0	0.0	5.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	O'BRIEN, Trevor	1	2	2	T	R	1			6	6.0	0.0	6.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	BAXTER, Wayne	0	1*	0						3	1.0	1.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	TAYLOR, Mel	3	1	1	2	2	1			6	10.0	0.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	TILBURY, Rob	0	0	R						3	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	GOODWIN, Martin	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	JOHNS, Roger	2	1	0	0	1*	3			6	7.0	1.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	WAINWRIGHT, John	0	0	0	1	2*				5	3.0	1.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	EVITTS, N	BARNEY, I	O'BRIEN, T	BAXTER, W	64.1	5.0	1.0	5.0	1.0	
2	DAVIDSON, R	JOHNS, R	HEPWORTH, M	WAINWRIGHT, J	66.0	4.0	2.0	9.0	3.0	
3	MUSSON, R	CARR, P	JOHNS, R	TILBURY, R	63.2	5.0	1.0	14.0	4.0	
4	TAYLOR, M	HEPWORTH, M	CARR, L	WAINWRIGHT, J	65.4	3.0	3.0	17.0	7.0	
5	CARR, P	O'BRIEN, T	BAXTER, W	MUSSON, R	63.2	3.0	3.0	20.0	10.0	
6	EVITTS, P	BARNEY, I	TAYLOR, M	JOHNS, R	63.7	5.0	1.0	25.0	11.0	
7	CARR, L	HEPWORTH, M	TAYLOR, M	TILBURY, R	63.8	5.0	1.0	30.0	12.0	
8	BARNEY, I	O'BRIEN, T	DAVIDSON, R	WAINWRIGHT, J	64.2	4.0	2.0	34.0	14.0	
9	CARR, P	TAYLOR, M	HEPWORTH, M	JOHNS, R	64.2	4.0	2.0	38.0	16.0	
10	EVITTS, N	BARNEY, I	WAINWRIGHT, J	BAXTER, W	64.5	5.0	1.0	43.0	17.0	
11	CARR, L	TAYLOR, M	JOHNS, R	DAVIDSON, R	64.1	3.0	3.0	46.0	20.0	O'BRIEN, T T
12	EVITTS, N	MUSSON, R	TAYLOR, M	O'BRIEN, T	64.2	5.0	1.0	51.0	21.0	
13	CARR, L	CARR, P	O'BRIEN, T	TILBURY, R	64.2	5.0	1.0	56.0	22.0	
14	JOHNS, R	WAINWRIGHT, J	DAVIDSON, R	MUSSON, R	73.6	1.0	5.0	57.0	27.0	

VENUE	RYE HOUSE STADIUM	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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RYE HOUSE	31.0	59.0	ARENA ESSEX	DATE:	26/08/1991
RESULT:	AWAY WIN		AGREGATE SCORE	64.0	116.0

A shock 5-1 in the penultimate race from Rob Tilbury and John Wainwright spared Rye House the indignity of suffering their worst ever home defeat. The depleted Rockets, missing Martin Goodwin and Jens Rasmussen, went into the match fearing the worst and got it as the league leaders ran riot. Arena were simply in a different class, providing 13 of the race winners in a thoroughly one-sided affair. All of the visitors revelled in the rout. Brian Karger and Bo Petersen went through the card, Alan Mogridge put a poor first ride behind him to reel off three wins, and their four team-mates were solid in support. Ironically, the early heats gave little indication of the massacre to come as Rye held their own and trialed by just four after Heat 6. But a stream of mechanical problems proved disastrous. Trevor O'Brien suffered most, blowing an engine on the last bend as he led Heat 8, shedding a chain on a bike borrowed from Tilbury in Heat 10, and then stopping abruptly as he led the 12th, bringing Alan Mogridge and Andy Galvin down. Mel Taylor blew his engine in Heat 13 but by then it was far too late for the Rockets. Four successive 5-1s between Heats 10 and 13 had put Hammers well on course for 60 and it was only the late maximum which prevented Arena from bettering Hackney's 54-23 victory at Hoddesdon in 1985.

Andrew Skeels - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	O'BRIEN, Trevor	2	2	2	R	R	EX	R		7	6.0	0.0	6.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	BAXTER, Wayne	1*	2	1*	2	1	1			6	8.0	2.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	TAYLOR, Mel	3	1	2	1	M				4	7.0	0.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	TILBURY, Rob	0	EX	1	3	1				5	5.0	0.0	5.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	GOODWIN, Martin	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	JOHNS, Roger	2	1	0	0	EX				5	3.0	0.0	3.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	WAINWRIGHT, John	0	F	2*						3	2.0	1.0	3.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	KARGER, Brian	3	3	3	3	3				5	15.0	0.0	15.0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	PRATT, Troy	0	1	3	2*					4	6.0	1.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	MOGRIDGE, Alan	0	3	3	3					4	9.0	0.0	9.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	PETERSEN, Bo	3	3	3	2*	2*				5	13.0	2.0	15.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
5	GALVIN, Andy	1	2*	2*	1					4	6.0	2.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	HURRY, Paul	3	0	1	2*	0				5	6.0	2.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	WHITE, Colin	1	2	1						3	4.0	0.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	KARGER, B	O'BRIEN, T	BAXTER, W	PRATT, T	60.4	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	
2	HURRY, P	JOHNS, R	WHITE, C	WAINWRIGHT, J	60.9	2.0	4.0	5.0	7.0	
3	PETERSEN, B	O'BRIEN, T	GALVIN, A	TILBURY, R	59.1	2.0	4.0	7.0	11.0	
4	TAYLOR, M	WHITE, C	JOHNS, R	MOGRIDGE, A	60.0	4.0	2.0	11.0	13.0	
5	KARGER, B	BAXTER, W	PRATT, T	TILBURY, R	59.8	2.0	4.0	13.0	17.0	
6	MOGRIDGE, A	O'BRIEN, T	BAXTER, W	HURRY, P	58.8	3.0	3.0	16.0	20.0	
7	PETERSEN, B	GALVIN, A	TAYLOR, M	JOHNS, R	59.2	1.0	5.0	17.0	25.0	
8	PRATT, T	BAXTER, W	WHITE, C	O'BRIEN, T	59.9	2.0	4.0	19.0	29.0	
9	MOGRIDGE, A	TAYLOR, M	HURRY, P	JOHNS, R	59.1	2.0	4.0	21.0	33.0	
10	PETERSEN, B	HURRY, P	BAXTER, W	O'BRIEN, T	59.5	1.0	5.0	22.0	38.0	
11	KARGER, B	PRATT, T	TAYLOR, M	WAINWRIGHT, J	60.0	1.0	5.0	23.0	43.0	
12	MOGRIDGE, A	GALVIN, A	TILBURY, R	O'BRIEN, T	59.3	1.0	5.0	24.0	48.0	
13	KARGER, B	PETERSEN, B	BAXTER, W	JOHNS, R	60.4	1.0	5.0	25.0	53.0	TAYLOR, M
14	TILBURY, R	WAINWRIGHT, J	GALVIN, A	HURRY, P	60.2	5.0	1.0	30.0	54.0	
15	KARGER, B	PETERSEN, B	TILBURY, R	O'BRIEN, T	59.8	1.0	5.0	31.0	59.0	

VENUE	RYE HOUSE STADIUM	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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RYE HOUSE	52.0	37.0	MILTON KEYNES	DATE:	01/09/1991
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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An unlikely maximum from Rob Tilbury helped Rye House shake off the bad memory of the previous weekend's hammering by Arena-Essex as the Rockets logged a convincing win over bottom of the table Milton Keynes.

Tilbury, who has had such a lean time since his move from Long Eaton, looked a different rider as he suddenly found his form to become the first Rocket to score a maximum in the league this season.

And with Trevor O'Brien and guset Troy Pratt both into double figures as well, the home side had too much for a Knights outfit who relied heavily on Troy Butler and Jan Pedersen.

Three successive Rye maximums between Heats 4 and 6 left the visitors with a mountain to climb at 24-11 and their cause wasn't helped when Derrol Keats withdrew with a leg injury.

Keats was involved in a pile-up after crossing the line in a blanket finish with John Wainwright and Justin Walker in Heat 2, all three coming down on the first turn.

He took no further part and it was left to Butler, Pedersen and former Rye skipper Paul Woods to try and stem the tide.

Butler picked himself up from a fall while leading in Heat 5 to reel off four wins but it came too late to deny the Rockets, who will now be looking for the bonus point when they visit Elfield Park in October.

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HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	O'BRIEN, Trevor	3	2*	1	3	2				5	11.0	1.0	12.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	PRATT, Troy	GUEST	1	3	3	2	3	1*		6	13.0	1.0	14.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	TAYLOR, Mel		3	0	2	1				4	6.0	0.0	6.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	JOHNS, Roger	EX	2*	1	3					4	6.0	1.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	GOODWIN, Martin	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	TILBURY, Rob		3	2*	3	3				4	11.0	1.0	12.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
7	WAINWRIGHT, John		1	0	1*	F				4	2.0	1.0	3.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8	BAXTER, Wayne		1	2*	0					3	3.0	1.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	BUTLER, Troy		2	F	3	3	3	3		6	14.0	0.0	14.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	JOLLY, Mark		0	EX	0					3	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	HABBIN, James		EX	0	1	0	2			5	3.0	0.0	3.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	PEDERSEN, Jan		3	1	2	2	2*			5	10.0	1.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	WOODS, Paul		2*	1*	1	R	2	0		6	6.0	2.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	WALKER, Justin		0	1	0	1*				4	2.0	1.0	3.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	KEATS, Derrol	INJURED	2							1	2.0	0.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	O'BRIEN, T	BUTLER, T	PRATT, T	JOLLY, M	58.6	4.0	2.0	4.0	2.0	
2	TILBURY, R	KEATS, D	WAINWRIGHT, J	WALKER, J	62.1	4.0	2.0	8.0	4.0	
3	PEDERSEN, J	WOODS, P	BAXTER, W	JOHNS, R	60.3	1.0	5.0	9.0	9.0	
4	TAYLOR, M	TILBURY, R	WALKER, J	HABBIN, J	60.9	5.0	1.0	14.0	10.0	
5	PRATT, T	JOHNS, R	BUTLER, T	F JOLLY, M	59.6	5.0	0.0	19.0	10.0	
6	PRATT, T	O'BRIEN, T	PEDERSEN, J	HABBIN, J	59.6	5.0	1.0	24.0	11.0	
7	TILBURY, R	PEDERSEN, J	WOODS, P	TAYLOR, M	60.7	3.0	3.0	27.0	14.0	
8	BUTLER, T	PRATT, T	WOODS, P	WAINWRIGHT, J	59.5	2.0	4.0	29.0	18.0	
9	TILBURY, R	BAXTER, W	HABBIN, J	WALKER, J	61.4	5.0	1.0	34.0	19.0	
10	PRATT, T	PEDERSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T	HABBIN, J	60.2	4.0	2.0	38.0	21.0	
11	BUTLER, T	TAYLOR, M	WAINWRIGHT, J	JOLLY, M	60.0	3.0	3.0	41.0	24.0	
12	O'BRIEN, T	HABBIN, J	JOHNS, R	WOODS, P	60.8	4.0	2.0	45.0	26.0	
13	BUTLER, T	PEDERSEN, J	TAYLOR, M	BAXTER, W	59.5	1.0	5.0	46.0	31.0	
14	JOHNS, R	WOODS, P	WALKER, J	WAINWRIGHT, J	60.2	3.0	3.0	49.0	34.0	
15	BUTLER, T	O'BRIEN, T	PRATT, T	WOODS, P	59.6	3.0	3.0	52.0	37.0	

VENUE	RYE HOUSE STADIUM	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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RYE HOUSE	50.0	40.0	PETERBOROUGH	DATE:	08/09/1991
RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE		91.0	89.0

Trevor O'Brien's first-ever maximum in the Sunbrite League helped Rye House to a comfortable win over troubled Peterborough. But the Rockets made harder work of taking the aggregate bonus, needing a last race 4-2 from O'Brien and Mel Taylor to overturn Panthers' eight-point advantage from the Alwatton encounter back in June. Peterborough made a match of it despite their off-track problems, which saw them start the match without any race-jackets. Richard Hellsen was a constant thorn in Rye's side and Stephen Davies, Kevin Jolly and Mark Lyndon all had their moments. The visitors, in fact, led after four races, cashing in on engine failures for Wayne Baxter and John Wainwright, and last bend tumble for Roger Johns in Heat 3. But it took the Rockets only five more heats to take command at 31-23, with O'Brien, Talyor and guest Andy Galvin providing a solid platform for the home side's assault on the bonus. Panthers fought gamely in the closing stages but, fittingly, it was O'Brien's sixth win of the afternoon in the nominated riders' race which edged it for Rye.

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HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	O'BRIEN, Trevor	3	3	3	3	3	3			6	18.0	0.0	18.0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	GOODWIN, Martin	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	TAYLOR, Mel	2	3	2	3	1				5	11.0	0.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	JOHNS, Roger	F	0	1						3	1.0	0.0	1.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	GALVIN, Andy	GUEST	2	3	3	2*				4	10.0	1.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	TILBURY, Rob	3	1*	1	1	1				5	7.0	1.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	WAINWRIGHT, John	R	R	1*	0					4	1.0	1.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8	BAXTER, Wayne	R	2*	0						3	2.0	1.0	3.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	DAVIES, Stephen	2	2	2	3	0				5	9.0	0.0	9.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	BARNEY, Ian	1*	0	1*	0					4	2.0	2.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	HELLEN, Richard	3	1	2	2	3	2			6	13.0	0.0	13.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	LYNDON, Mark	1	2	2	1					4	6.0	0.0	6.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	JOLLY, Kevin	3	0	1*	2*	0				5	6.0	2.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	FRANKUM, Gary	1*	0	0						3	1.0	1.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	HUNTER, Tim	2	0	1*						3	3.0	1.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	O'BRIEN, T	DAVIES, S	BARNEY, I	BAXTER, W	EF	60.3	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
2	TILBURY, R	HUNTER, T	FRANKUM, G	WAINWRIGHT, J	EF	60.9	3.0	3.0	6.0	6.0
3	JOLLY, K	GALVIN, A	LYNDON, M	JOHNS, R	F	59.8	2.0	4.0	8.0	10.0
4	HELLEN, R	TAYLOR, M	TILBURY, R	HUNTER, T		60.3	3.0	3.0	11.0	13.0
5	GALVIN, A	DAVIES, S	TILBURY, R	BARNEY, I		59.9	4.0	2.0	15.0	15.0
6	O'BRIEN, T	BAXTER, W	HELLEN, R	FRANKUM, G		60.6	5.0	1.0	20.0	16.0
7	TAYLOR, M	LYNDON, M	TILBURY, R	JOLLY, K		58.9	4.0	2.0	24.0	18.0
8	O'BRIEN, T	DAVIES, S	BARNEY, I	WAINWRIGHT, J	EF	59.6	3.0	3.0	27.0	21.0
9	GALVIN, A	HELLEN, R	TILBURY, R	FRANKUM, G		60.2	4.0	2.0	31.0	23.0
10	O'BRIEN, T	LYNDON, M	HUNTER, T	BAXTER, W		59.9	3.0	3.0	34.0	26.0
11	DAVIES, S	TAYLOR, M	WAINWRIGHT, J	BARNEY, I		61.5	3.0	3.0	37.0	29.0
12	O'BRIEN, T	HELLEN, R	JOLLY, K	JOHNS, R		60.0	3.0	3.0	40.0	32.0
13	TAYLOR, M	GALVIN, A	LYNDON, M	DAVIES, S		60.3	5.0	1.0	45.0	33.0
14	HELLEN, R	JOLLY, K	JOHNS, R	WAINWRIGHT, B		60.0	1.0	5.0	46.0	38.0
15	O'BRIEN, T	HELLEN, R	TAYLOR, M	JOLLY, K		59.7	4.0	2.0	50.0	40.0

VENUE	RYE HOUSE STADIUM	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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RYE HOUSE	29.0	60.0	GLASGOW	DATE:	15/09/1991
RESULT:	AWAY WIN		AGREGATE SCORE	58.0	120.0

this really wasn't Rye House's afternoon! Already without Martin Goodwin and Jens Rasmussen, the Rockets lost, first, Mel Taylor with concussion and a wrist injury after a first turn pile-up in Heat 4 and, then, Trevor O'Brien in a nasty looking smash on the back straight in mid-match.

O'Brien was out cold for several minutes and had to be helped from the track looking decidedly the worse for wear. And with Wayne Baxter struggling with an ear infection, the four surviving Rockets were slaughtered in the closing stages.

Glasgow, who virtually had the match in the bag after blasting into a 17-7 lead in the first four races, showed little mercy as they powered to a club record away win, surpassing their previous best of a 26-point success at Workington in 1980.

All seven visitors revelled in the rout, Steve Lawson dropping only a point and Mick Powell looking a class act at reserve.

Roger Johns did his best to keep the Rockets afloat but it was a lost cause as the home side sank to a record equalling worst ever defeat at Hoddesdon

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HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER		1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	O'BRIEN, Trevor	INJURED	3	EX	3	3	EX				5	9.0	0.0	9.0		
2	GOODWIN, Martin	R/R									0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
3	TAYLOR, Mel	INJURED	N								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
4	JOHNS, Roger		0	2	3	1	2	1	0		7	9.0	0.0	9.0		
5	PRATT, Troy	GUEST	1	1*	0	EX	2	1			6	5.0	1.0	6.0		
6	TILBURY, Rob		0	1	2	1	0				5	4.0	0.0	4.0		
7	WAINWRIGHT, John		2	0	0	0	0				5	2.0	0.0	2.0		
8	BAXTER, Wayne		0	0							2	0.0	0.0	0.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER		1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	LAWSON, Steve		2	3	3	3					4	11.0	0.0	11.0		
2	COURTNEY, Sean		1*	0	1*	2*					4	4.0	3.0	7.0		
3	BOWES, Shane		3	2	T	1					3	6.0	0.0	6.0		
4	LYONS, Jason		3	2	3	1	3				5	12.0	0.0	12.0		
5	COURTNEY, Mark		2*	1*	3	3	2*				5	11.0	3.0	14.0		
6	NIXON, Brian		3	1*	EX	2*					4	6.0	2.0	8.0		
7	POWELL, Mick		1	2*	2	3	2*				5	10.0	2.0	12.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	O'BRIEN, T	LAWSON, S	COURTNEY, S	BAXTER, W	60.1	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	
2	NIXON, B	WAINWRIGHT, J	POWELL, M	TILBURY, R	61.2	2.0	4.0	5.0	7.0	
3	LYONS, J	COURTNEY, M	PRATT, T	JOHNS, R	60.9	1.0	5.0	6.0	12.0	
4	BOWES, S	POWELL, M	TILBURY, R	WAINWRIGHT, J	60.0	1.0	5.0	7.0	17.0	TAYLOR, M F/Ns
5	LAWSON, S	JOHNS, R	PRATT, T	COURTNEY, S	60.0	3.0	3.0	10.0	20.0	
6	JOHNS, R	BOWES, S	NIXON, B	O'BRIEN, T	59.7	3.0	3.0	13.0	23.0	F/Exc
7	O'BRIEN, T	LYONS, J	COURTNEY, M	PRATT, T	58.4	3.0	3.0	16.0	26.0	
8	O'BRIEN, T	POWELL, M	COURTNEY, S	WAINWRIGHT, J	60.5	3.0	3.0	19.0	29.0	
9	POWELL, M	TILBURY, R	BOWES, S	T NIXON, B	60.5	2.0	3.0	21.0	32.0	PRATT, T Exc
10	LYONS, J	POWELL, M	JOHNS, R	O'BRIEN, T		1.0	5.0	22.0	37.0	F/Exc
11	LAWSON, S	COURTNEY, S	TILBURY, R	BAXTER, W	60.5	1.0	5.0	23.0	42.0	
12	COURTNEY, M	JOHNS, R	BOWES, S	WAINWRIGHT, J	61.0	2.0	4.0	25.0	46.0	
13	LAWSON, S	PRATT, T	LYONS, J	TILBURY, R	59.9	2.0	4.0	27.0	50.0	
14	COURTNEY, M	POWELL, M	JOHNS, R	WAINWRIGHT, J	59.7	1.0	5.0	28.0	55.0	
15	LYONS, J	COURTNEY, M	PRATT, T	JOHNS, R	60.5	1.0	5.0	29.0	60.0	Ret

VENUE	RYE HOUSE STADIUM	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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RYE HOUSE	45.0	44.0	EXETER	DATE:	22/09/1991
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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Rye House signe off with a win in their final Sunbrite League match of the season at Hoddesdon - but Exeter must be kicking themselves after throwing this one away.

The Falcons, without an away victory all yeeaar, squandered several vital points through falls in the early stages and were made to pay for it by the spirited Rockets.

Peter Jeffrey came to grief whilst partnering Colin Cook to a 5-1 in Heat 7 and then Cook and Justin Elkins gifted Rye a 5-0 in Heat 10, which took the home side into a commanding nine-point lead.

It was no more than Rye deserved, as their makeshift side - missing all three recognised heat leaders - battled gamely against the odds. But the Falcons finally came to life in the closing stages, successive maximums in Heat 11 and 12 slashing Rockets' lead to one and setting up a grandstand finish.

Another Cook fall in Heat 13 let Rye off the hook yet again but when Jeffrey and Mark Simmonds gave Exeter the advantage with a critical 4-2 in the penultimate race, the visitors seemed certain to break their away bogey.

They reckoned without Rye guest Jan Pedersen and veteran Roger Johns, though.

With the Rockets needing a 4-2 form the nominated race to win, Pedersen made a great start to hit the front and Johns tucked in behind, conceding second to David Smart only on the last lap.

Falcons with nine of the 15 race winners couldn't believe it but full marks to the Rockets, all six of whom came up with significant points.

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HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	O'BRIEN, Trevor	EX	1	3	2*	R				5	6.0	1.0	7.0		
2	GOODWIN, Martin	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
3	BAXTER, Wayne	1	3	1*	1	1*				5	7.0	2.0	9.0		
4	JOHNS, Roger	2	1*	3	1	2	1			6	10.0	1.0	11.0		
5	PEDERSEN, Jan	GUEST	1*	2	2	3	2	3		6	13.0	1.0	14.0		
6	TILBURY, Rob		3	1	2	1*	0			5	7.0	1.0	8.0		
7	WAINWRIGHT, John		2*	0	EX					3	2.0	1.0	3.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	REGELING, Steve		2*	0	3	3				4	8.0	1.0	9.0		
2	GREEN, Richard		3	3	2	2*	0			5	10.0	1.0	11.0		
3	SMART, David		2	2	3	2*	2			5	11.0	1.0	12.0		
4	COOK, Colin		3	3	EX	0				4	6.0	0.0	6.0		
5	JEFFREY, Peter		0	EX	3	3				4	6.0	0.0	6.0		
6	SIMMONDS, Mark		1	0	0	1				4	2.0	0.0	2.0		
7	ELKINS, Justin		0	0	1*	EX				4	1.0	1.0	2.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	GREEN, Ri.	REGELING, S	BAXTER, W	O'BRIEN, T	F/exc	62.3	1.0	5.0	1.0	5.0
2	TILBURY, R	WAINWRIGHT, J	SIMMONDS, M	ELKINS, J	F/Rem	64.0	5.0	1.0	6.0	6.0
3	COOK, C	JOHNS, R	PEDERSEN, J	JEFFREY, Pe.	Ret	61.6	3.0	3.0	9.0	9.0
4	BAXTER, W	SMART, D	TILBURY, R	ELKINS, J		61.7	4.0	2.0	13.0	11.0
5	GREEN, Ri.	PEDERSEN, J	JOHNS, R	REGELING, S		61.0	3.0	3.0	16.0	14.0
6	JOHNS, R	SMART, D	O'BRIEN, T	SIMMONDS, M		60.8	4.0	2.0	20.0	16.0
7	COOK, C	TILBURY, R	BAXTER, W	JEFFREY, Pe.		61.2	3.0	3.0	23.0	19.0
8	O'BRIEN, T	GREEN, Ri.	ELKINS, J	WAINWRIGHT, J		61.0	3.0	3.0	26.0	22.0
9	SMART, D	PEDERSEN, J	TILBURY, R	SIMMONDS, M		60.7	3.0	3.0	29.0	25.0
10	PEDERSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T	COOK, C	F/Exc ELKINS, J	F/Exc	61.4	5.0	0.0	34.0	25.0
11	REGELING, S	GREEN, Ri.	BAXTER, W	WAINWRIGHT, J	F/Exc	60.8	1.0	5.0	35.0	30.0
12	JEFFREY, Pe.	SMART, D	JOHNS, R	O'BRIEN, T	Ret	61.3	1.0	5.0	36.0	35.0
13	REGELING, S	PEDERSEN, J	BAXTER, W	COOK, C	F/Rem	60.5	3.0	3.0	39.0	38.0
14	JEFFREY, Pe.	JOHNS, R	SIMMONDS, M	TILBURY, R		60.2	2.0	4.0	41.0	42.0
15	PEDERSEN, J	SMART, D	JOHNS, R	GREEN, Ri.		61.0	4.0	2.0	45.0	44.0

VENUE COUNTY GROUND COMPETITION LEAGUE

EXETER 61.0 29.0 RYE HOUSE DATE: 23/09/1991

RESULT: HOME WIN AGREGATE SCORE 105.0 74.0

The Falcons looked well on course to hit their biggest score of the season against the injury-hit and guestless Rockets, but two superb races from Roger Johns and Trevor O'Brien in the final stages sent the fans home happy. Exeter charged their way into the customary early lead despite some gallant efforts by O'Brien and John Wainwright, but the meeting came alive when Richard Green missed the gate in Heat 8 and fought his way through from last to snatch the lead from O'Brien in the last few yards.

Geen staged an action replay two heats later to join Steve Regeling for another Falcons' 5-1

Regeling was in immaculate form to record a maximum and joint fastest time of the night, but David Smart's hopes of a full score ended when he was forced to bale out while involved in a superb close action scrap with Johns and O'Brien in Heat 13. These two went on to edge out Peter Jeffrey in an equally action-packed Heat 15.

Tony Lethbridge - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	REGELING, Steve	3	3	3	3					4	12.0	0.0	12.0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	GREEN, Richard	1	2*	3	2*					4	8.0	2.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	SMART, David	3	3	3	0					4	9.0	0.0	9.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	JEFFREY, Peter	3	2*	2*	2*	1				5	10.0	3.0	13.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	COOK, Colin	2*	3	2*	1					4	8.0	2.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	ELKINS, Justin	3	1	0	3					4	7.0	0.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	SIMMONDS, Mark	2*	1	1	3	0				5	7.0	1.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	O'BRIEN, Trevor	2	1	1*	2	2	2*	2*		7	12.0	3.0	15.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	GOODWIN, Martin	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	BAXTER, Wayne	0	0	0	1	0				5	1.0	0.0	1.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	JOHNS, Roger	1	0	2	1	0	3	3		7	10.0	0.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	COBBIN, Martin	0	0							2	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	TILBURY, Rob	R	1	R						3	1.0	0.0	1.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	WAINWRIGHT, John	1	2	0	0	1	1			6	5.0	0.0	5.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	REGELING, S	O'BRIEN, T	GREEN, Ri.	BAXTER, W	69.7	4.0	2.0	4.0	2.0	
2	ELKINS, J	SIMMONDS, M	WAINWRIGHT, J	TILBURY, R Ret	72.4	5.0	1.0	9.0	3.0	
3	JEFFREY, Pe.	COOK, C	JOHNS, R	COBBIN, M	71.4	5.0	1.0	14.0	4.0	
4	SMART, D	WAINWRIGHT, J	ELKINS, J	BAXTER, W	70.4	4.0	2.0	18.0	6.0	
5	COOK, C	JEFFREY, Pe.	O'BRIEN, T	JOHNS, R	70.0	5.0	1.0	23.0	7.0	
6	REGELING, S	GREEN, Ri.	TILBURY, R	BAXTER, W	69.0	5.0	1.0	28.0	8.0	
7	SMART, D	JOHNS, R	O'BRIEN, T	ELKINS, J	68.9	3.0	3.0	31.0	11.0	
8	GREEN, Ri.	O'BRIEN, T	SIMMONDS, M	WAINWRIGHT, J	70.0	4.0	2.0	35.0	13.0	
9	ELKINS, J	COOK, C	BAXTER, W	TILBURY, R Ret	70.8	5.0	1.0	40.0	14.0	
10	REGELING, S	GREEN, Ri.	JOHNS, R	WAINWRIGHT, J	68.6	5.0	1.0	45.0	15.0	
11	SMART, D	O'BRIEN, T	SIMMONDS, M	JOHNS, R	68.6	4.0	2.0	49.0	17.0	
12	REGELING, S	JEFFREY, Pe.	WAINWRIGHT, J	BAXTER, W	69.4	5.0	1.0	54.0	18.0	
13	JOHNS, R	O'BRIEN, T	COOK, C	SMART, D	70.7	1.0	5.0	55.0	23.0	
14	SIMMONDS, M	JEFFREY, Pe.	WAINWRIGHT, J	COBBIN, M	69.9	5.0	1.0	60.0	24.0	
15	JOHNS, R	O'BRIEN, T	JEFFREY, Pe.	SIMMONDS, M	70.9	1.0	5.0	61.0	29.0	

VENUE **ELFIELD PARK** COMPETITION **LEAGUE**

MILTON KEYNES **53.0** **37.0** RYE HOUSE DATE: **01/10/1991**

RESULT: **HOME WIN** AGREGATE SCORE **90.0** **89.0**

Milton Keynes took the chance to gain three more points and move off the bottom of the table with this win over injury hit Rye House, who used two guests and rider replacement.
 With only six heats gone, the Knights had opened up a 14-point lead but Roger Johns-inspired Rockets clawed their way back to within six after Heat 9.
 Troy Butler halted the Rockets' recovery when he burst through on the inside of Johns in Heat 10 for his third unbeaten ride and further heat wins for Jan Pedersen and Paul Woods ensured victory for the home side.
 The destination of the bonus point was in doubt until the final race, with the Knights needing a 5-1 to clinch it.
 Pedersen and Butler came up trumps and the extra point means that Peterborough will have to beat Arena-Essex in their last match to avoid the wooden spoon.

Mick Podd - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	BUTLER, Troy	3	3	3	2*	2*				5	13.0	2.0	15.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2	GLANZ, Peter	1	2*	2	1					4	6.0	1.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	PEDERSEN, Jan	3	2	3	3	3				5	14.0	0.0	14.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	WOODS, Paul	3	3	3	2					4	11.0	0.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	TAGG, Gary	0	EX	1	0					4	1.0	0.0	1.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	KEATS, Derrol	2*	2*	EX	0	1*				5	5.0	3.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	HABBIN, James	3	0	0						3	3.0	0.0	3.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	O'BRIEN, Trevor	2	2	1	2*	2	2	1		7	12.0	1.0	13.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	GOODWIN, Martin	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	PRATT, Troy	GUEST	1	1	3	1*	0			5	6.0	1.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	JOHNS, Roger		0	2	3	3	2	1*	R	7	11.0	1.0	12.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	GALVIN, Andy	GUEST	1*	1*	1	M	3			4	6.0	2.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	BAXTER, Wayne		1	0	1	0				4	2.0	0.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	WAINWRIGHT, John		0	F	0					3	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	BUTLER, T	O'BRIEN, T	GLANZ, P	JOHNS, R	57.7	4.0	2.0	4.0	2.0	
2	HABBIN, J	KEATS, D	BAXTER, W	WAINWRIGHT, J	59.6	5.0	1.0	9.0	3.0	
3	WOODS, P	JOHNS, R	GALVIN, A	TAGG, G	59.6	3.0	3.0	12.0	6.0	
4	PEDERSEN, J	KEATS, D	PRATT, T	WAINWRIGHT, J	58.8	5.0	1.0	17.0	7.0	F
5	WOODS, P	O'BRIEN, T	GALVIN, A	TAGG, G	58.1	3.0	3.0	20.0	10.0	F/Exc
6	BUTLER, T	GLANZ, N	PRATT, T	BAXTER, W	58.3	5.0	1.0	25.0	11.0	
7	JOHNS, R	PEDERSEN, J	GALVIN, A	KEATS, D	57.7	2.0	4.0	27.0	15.0	F/Exc
8	JOHNS, R	GLANZ, P	O'BRIEN, T	HABBIN, J	57.8	2.0	4.0	29.0	19.0	
9	PRATT, T	O'BRIEN, T	TAGG, G	KEATS, D	58.1	1.0	5.0	30.0	24.0	
10	BUTLER, T	JOHNS, R	GLANZ, P	WAINWRIGHT, J	57.8	4.0	2.0	34.0	26.0	
11	PEDERSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T	PRATT, T	HABBIN, J	58.2	3.0	3.0	37.0	29.0	
12	WOODS, P	BUTLER, T	BAXTER, W	PRATT, T	59.4	5.0	1.0	42.0	30.0	GALVIN, A M
13	PEDERSEN, J	O'BRIEN, T	JOHNS, R	TAGG, G	57.7	3.0	3.0	45.0	33.0	
14	GALVIN, A	WOODS, P	KEATS, D	BAXTER, W	58.3	3.0	3.0	48.0	36.0	
15	PEDERSEN, J	BUTLER, T	O'BRIEN, T	JOHNS, R	58.0	5.0	1.0	53.0	37.0	Ret

DATE: 06/10/1991 VENUE: RYE HOUSE STADIUM

COMPETITION: HERTS MERCURY SOUTHERN RIDERS' CHAMPIONS

Arena Essex were the only one of the seven southern teams to track their top two riders - and earned the reward as Brian Karger and Bo Petersen added yet more silverware to the Hammers' sideboard by finishing first and second. Karger won the Final after finishing as joint highest qualifier on 11 with Oxford's Mark Carlson. Carlson, one of the afternoon's surprise packets, prevented an Arena clean sweep by relegating Troy Pratt to fourth overall. Carlson, the only man to defeat Karger, dropped his only point in the qualifiers to Swindons Rod Colquhoun but the Team Coastal Robin faded badly after leading at the halfway mark with two wins. Pratt gained his place in the Final by virtue of a faster winning time than Richard Green after the pair had finished with identical seven point hauls. On an afternoon when gating was of paramount importance, Wayne Baxter gave the home fans most to cheer with some spirited riding which saw him defeat Pratt and Andy Galvin in Heat 4. The field was rather depleted by several withdrawals, the main disappointment being the non-appearance of former Rye House rider Andrew Silver. Rob McCaffrey - Speedway Star

NR	NAME	OTHER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	R	PTS	R/O	POSN
1	O'BRIEN, Trevor	RYE HOUSE - AUSTRALIA	1	2	2	1					4	6.0	0	6
2	COLQUHOUN, Rodney	PETERBOROUGH - AUSTRALIA	3	3	0	0					4	6.0	0	6
3	CARLSON, Mark	OXFORD - AUSTRALIA	2	3	3	3					4	11.0	0	4
4	LEIGH, Steve	POOLE - ENGLAND	0	0	1	0					4	1.0	0	16
5	PARKER, Shane	IPSWICH - AUSTRALIA	0	3	2	1					4	6.0	0	6
6	ALLAN, Gary	POOLE - NEW ZEALAND	2	2	0	1					4	5.0	0	11
7	GREEN, Richard	EXETER - ENGLAND	1	1	3	2					4	7.0	0	5
8	PETERSEN, Bo	ARENA ESSEX - DENMARK	3	2	2	3					4	10.0	0	3
9	SMART, David	EXETER - ENGLAND	3	R	1	2					4	6.0	0	6
10	WAINWRIGHT, John	SWINDON - ENGLAND	2	1	0	0					4	3.0	0	14
11	JOHNS, Roger	RYE HOUSE - ENGLAND	1	0	1	2					4	4.0	0	12
12	TESAR, Sam	IPSWICH - CZECH REP.	T	3	1	0					4	4.0	0	12
13	BAXTER, Wayne	RYE HOUSE - AUSTRALIA	2	1	2	1					4	6.0	0	6
14	GALVIN, Andy	ARENA ESSEX - ENGLAND	0	0	EX	3					4	3.0	0	14
15	KARGER, Brian	ARENA ESSEX - DENMARK	3	2	3	3					4	11.0	0	1
16	PRATT, Troy	ARENA ESSEX - ENGLAND	1	1	3	2					4	7.0	0	2
17	COBBIN, Martin	RYE HOUSE - ENGLAND	S/R	0							1	0.0	0	

1	COLQUHOUN, Rodn	CARLSON, Mark	O'BRIEN, Trevor	LEIGH, Steve	59.9	
2	PETERSEN, Bo	ALLAN, Gary	GREEN, Richard	PARKER, Shane	58.6	
3	SMART, David	WAINWRIGHT, John	JOHNS, Roger	COBBIN, Martin	59.6	TESAR T
4	KARGER, Brian	BAXTER, Wayne	PRATT, Troy	GALVIN, Andy	60.7	
5	PARKER, Shane	O'BRIEN, Trevor	BAXTER, Wayne	SMART, David	Ret	59.1
Re-Ru	COLQUHOUN, Rodn	ALLAN, Gary	WAINWRIGHT, John	GALVIN, Andy	60.9	
7	CARLSON, Mark	KARGER, Brian	GREEN, Richard	JOHNS, Roger	58.6	
8	TESAR, Sam	PETERSEN, Bo	PRATT, Troy	LEIGH, Steve	59.4	
9	PRATT, Troy	O'BRIEN, Trevor	JOHNS, Roger	ALLAN, Gary	59.2	
10	KARGER, Brian	PARKER, Shane	TESAR, Sam	COLQUHOUN, Rodn	59.4	
Re-R	CARLSON, Mark	PETERSEN, Bo	SMART, David	GALVIN, Andy	Exc	60.5
12	GREEN, Richard	BAXTER, Wayne	LEIGH, Steve	WAINWRIGHT, John	59.7	
13	GALVIN, Andy	GREEN, Richard	O'BRIEN, Trevor	TESAR, Sam	58.5	
14	PETERSEN, Bo	JOHNS, Roger	BAXTER, Wayne	COLQUHOUN, Rodn	60.1	
15	CARLSON, Mark	PRATT, Troy	PARKER, Shane	WAINWRIGHT, John	59.6	
16	KARGER, Brian	SMART, David	ALLAN, Gary	LEIGH, Steve	58.7	
17	KARGER, Brian	PRATT, Troy	PETERSEN, Bo	CARLSON, Mark	59.8	FINAL

VENUE	RYE HOUSE STADIUM	COMPETITION	HERTS-ESSEX CUP
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RYE HOUSE	52.0	38.0	ARENA ESSEX	DATE:	13/10/1991
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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Rye House wrapped up another depressing season on a high note by ending Arena-Essex's six year winning streak in the Herts-Essex Cup. The Second Division champions, for once, looked rather ordinary as the Rockets provided 12 of the 15 race winners in a comfortable success.

They owed much to the contributions of guests Zdenek Tesar and Shane Parker - who were both tremendous value - but the four Rockets who survived to this final match of an injury-hit campaign played their part too.

The home side, 12 points up after only five races, were never behind and conceded only two heats all afternoon.

The first, a Troy Pratt/Jan pedersen maximum in Heat 6, hinted an Arena comeback but then John Wainwright conjured up a brilliant first corner in Heat 8 to defeat Pratt and the strangely subdued Brain Karger and the Rockets moved up a gear.

Successive 4-2s left the Hammers struggling at 36-24 until Bo Petersen and Andy Galvin claimed a second 5-1 for the visitors in Heat 12, ending Tesar's maximum hopes in the process.

But the Rockets were not to be denied, though, and took 12 points from the last three races for a thoroughly deserved win.

Promoter Ronnie Russell could scarcely contain his delight as brother Terry mulled over what had gone wrong for the Hammers, although the Arena chief will no doubt be more concerned with making sure his side rediscover their touch for next weekend's Cup final replay with Glasgow.

Andrew Skeels - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	O'BRIEN, Trevor	3	1	3	R	1				5	8.0	0.0	8.0		
2	JOHNS, Roger	1	2*	0	0	1				5	4.0	1.0	5.0		
3	GOODWIN, Martin	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
4	TESAR, Sam	GUEST	3	3	3	1	3	3		6	16.0	0.0	16.0		
5	PARKER, Shane	GUEST	2*	1	3	3	3	0		6	12.0	1.0	13.0		
6	BAXTER, Wayne		2	3	0	1				4	6.0	0.0	6.0		
7	WAINWRIGHT, John		1*	3	0	2*				4	6.0	2.0	8.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	KARGER, Brian	2	0	1*	1*					4	4.0	2.0	6.0		
2	PRATT, Troy	F	2	2*	2	0	2	1*		7	9.0	2.0	11.0		
3	MOGRIDGE, Alan	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
4	PETERSEN, Bo		0	2	2	2	3	2	2	7	13.0	0.0	13.0		
5	GALVIN, Andy		1	1*	2*	1				4	5.0	2.0	7.0		
6	PEDERSEN, Jan		3	EX	3	0	0			5	6.0	0.0	6.0		
7	WHITE, Colin		0	1	0					3	1.0	0.0	1.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	O'BRIEN, T	KARGER, B	JOHNS, R	PRATT, T	F	59.2	4.0	2.0	4.0	2.0
2	PEDERSEN, J	BAXTER, W	WAINWRIGHT, J	WHITE, C		59.8	3.0	3.0	7.0	5.0
3	TESAR, S	PARKER, S	GALVIN, A	PETERSEN, B		59.0	5.0	1.0	12.0	6.0
4	BAXTER, W	JOHNS, R	WHITE, C	PEDERSEN, J	Exc	60.2	5.0	1.0	17.0	7.0
5	TESAR, S	PRATT, T	PARKER, S	KARGER, B		58.6	4.0	2.0	21.0	9.0
6	PEDERSEN, J	PRATT, T	O'BRIEN, T	JOHNS, R		59.8	1.0	5.0	22.0	14.0
7	TESAR, S	PETERSEN, B	GALVIN, A	BAXTER, W		59.7	3.0	3.0	25.0	17.0
8	WAINWRIGHT, J	PRATT, T	KARGER, B	JOHNS, R		60.1	3.0	3.0	28.0	20.0
9	PARKER, S	PETERSEN, B	BAXTER, W	PEDERSEN, J		59.3	4.0	2.0	32.0	22.0
10	O'BRIEN, T	PETERSEN, B	JOHNS, R	PRATT, T		59.8	4.0	2.0	36.0	24.0
11	PARKER, S	PRATT, T	KARGER, B	WAINWRIGHT, J		59.7	3.0	3.0	39.0	27.0
12	PETERSEN, B	GALVIN, A	TESAR, S	O'BRIEN, T		60.0	1.0	5.0	40.0	32.0
13	PARKER, S	PETERSEN, B	O'BRIEN, T	WHITE, C		59.8	4.0	2.0	44.0	34.0
14	TESAR, S	WAINWRIGHT, J	GALVIN, A	PEDERSEN, J		60.1	5.0	1.0	49.0	35.0
15	TESAR, S	PETERSEN, B	PRATT, T	PARKER, S		59.3	3.0	3.0	52.0	38.0

LEAGUE TABLE

YEAR	1991	NATIONAL LEAGUE	DIV	2													
TEAM	M	W/H	D/H	L/H	P F/H	P A/H	W/AD/A	L/A	P F/A	P A/A	Pts F	Pts A	P	B	P	T	P
1 ARENA ESSEX	22	11	0	0	647	342	10	0	1	547	442	1194	784	42	11	53	
2 GLASGOW	22	10	0	1	568	419	4	0	7	483	506	1051	925	28	8	36	
3 NEWCASTLE	22	8	0	3	521	457	5	1	5	480	503	1001	960	27	8	35	
4 EDINBURGH	22	9	0	2	576	412	3	0	8	462	526	1038	938	24	7	31	
5 SHEFFIELD	22	10	0	1	592	392	2	0	9	425	565	1017	957	24	7	31	
6 LONG EATON	22	10	0	1	567	422	1	0	10	416	569	983	991	22	5	27	
7 EXETER	22	9	0	2	602	386	0	0	11	406	581	1008	967	18	8	26	
8 MIDDLESBROUGH	22	8	0	3	532	455	1	0	10	389	599	921	1054	18	2	20	
9 RYE HOUSE	22	7	0	4	501	482	1	0	10	392	583	893	1065	16	4	20	
10 STOKE	22	7	1	3	545	444	0	1	10	396	592	941	1036	15	2	18	
11 MILTON KEYNES	22	7	0	4	509	476	0	0	11	396	590	905	1066	14	3	17	
12 PETERBOROUGH	22	7	1	3	507	481	0	0	11	376	611	883	1092	15	1	16	
99 HACKNEY	10	2	0	2	174	185	0	0	6	220	320	394	505	4	0	4	
WITHDRAWN JULY																	