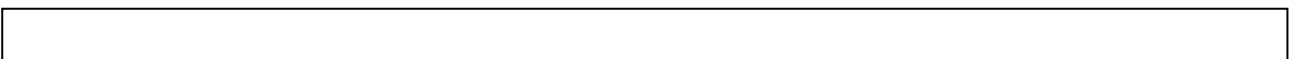


RYE HOUSE ROCKETS 1999



LEAGUE FINISHED 4th OF 7 TEAMS,
K.O.CUP LOST TO NEWPORT IN THE 1ST ROUND



VENUE ARLINGTON STADIUM COMPETITION LEAGUE

RYE HOUSE 44.0 43.0 KING'S LYNN Res DATE: 09/05/1999

RESULT: HOME WIN AGREGATE SCORE

Dreams do come true.. Just ask the crew behind the relaunch of the Silver Ski Rockets their reborn team took to the Arlington track in the Sussex sunshine on Sunday afternoon and proceeded to pull off a remarkable win. Getting the Rockets, who were left homeless at the end of 1993, back on track has been the aim of a group of supporters who got together just before Christmas.

They found the money, found tracks to host them (Eastbourne and Mildenhall), found riders and they are now one step closer to the ultimate goal - getting the bikes back to their Hoddesdon home in Hertfordshire.

Watched by Club president Len Silver, the Rockets made a dreadful start to the match against King's Lynn. They were 18-6 down after four heats and a rout was on the cards.

But getting most of the luck that was going (and who would complain about that?), the Rockets were a point ahead after Heat 10 and then came from behind again to snatch a one-point win in an improbable Heat 15.

Experienced Simon Wolstenholme and Eastbourne youngster Chris Morgan were the men behind the revival. Twice they took 5-1 heat wins and in Heat 10 it was a 5-0 after both Carl Wilkinson and David Nix fell and were excluded.

Wolstenholme was on for a paid maximum but looped at the gate in Heat 13. He recovered to come back and do the business in Heat 15 while mayhem went on behind him.

Rye House's hopes seemed to have been dashed when Morgan fell. However, the King's Lynn Braves captain Freddie Stephenson put two wheels over the inner edge and was excluded. Meanwhile Carl Wilkinson was having a nightmare, falling twice and twice remounting - eventually coming home second.

Jamie Barton was worth more than the six points he scored. He was full of effort and, with a little more experienced, could have had a hatful of points.

His efforts in Heat 11 were typical. Stephenson barged past him and in his efforts to get back first place, he went wide into the dirt, allowing Matt Fern to get by.

A one-point win gets Rye House on their way but the victory was one for speedway supporters everywhere - a club that had died is back and that must give hope to people in Cradley Heath and similar places.

Paul Watson - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	WOLSTENHOLME, Simon	3	3	3	2*	EX	3			6	14.0	1.0	15.0		
2	MORGAN, Chris	EX	2*	2*	3	F				5	7.0	2.0	9.0		
3	DELOUBES, Patrice	0	1*	1*	2					4	4.0	2.0	6.0		
4	CLARKE, Ian	1	2	2	2*					4	7.0	1.0	8.0		
5	BARTON, Jamie	1	2	1	2					4	6.0	0.0	6.0		
6	BELLERBY, Aaron	1	1*	0	3					4	5.0	1.0	6.0		
7	CHAPMAN, Dean	R	R	1*						3	1.0	1.0	2.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	STEPHENSON, Freddie	2	3	3	3	EX				5	11.0	0.0	11.0		
2	OSBORN, David	1*	EX	0						3	1.0	1.0	2.0		
3	WILKINSON, Carl	3	3	EX	3	2				5	11.0	0.0	11.0		
4	NIX, David	2*	0	EX						3	2.0	1.0	3.0		
5	GROVES, Darren	3	EX	3	EX					4	6.0	0.0	6.0		
6	CLIFTON, Luke	3	1	F	R	1				5	5.0	0.0	5.0		
7	FERN, Matt	2*	2*	1	2*	0				5	7.0	3.0	10.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	WOLSTENHOLME, S	STEPHENSON, F	OSBORN, D	MORGAN, C	F/Exc	61.2	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
2	CLIFTON, L	FERN, M	BELLERBY, A	CHAPMAN, D	Ret	65.2	1.0	5.0	4.0	8.0
3	WILKINSON, C	NIX, D	CLARKE, I	DELOUBES, P	F/Rem	60.1	1.0	5.0	5.0	13.0
4	GROVES, D	FERN, M	BARTON, J	CHAPMAN, D	Ret	62.3	1.0	5.0	6.0	18.0
5	STEPHENSON, F	CLARKE, I	DELOUBES, P	OSBORN, D	F/Exc	60.8	3.0	3.0	9.0	21.0
6	WOLSTENHOLME, S	MORGAN, C	CLIFTON, L	GROVES, D	Exc UR	60.8	5.0	1.0	14.0	22.0
7	WILKINSON, C	BARTON, J	BELLERBY, A	NIX, D		61.5	3.0	3.0	17.0	25.0
8	WOLSTENHOLME, S	MORGAN, C	FERN, M	OSBORN, D		61.1	5.0	1.0	22.0	26.0
9	GROVES, D	CLARKE, I	DELOUBES, P	CLIFTON, L	F	61.8	3.0	3.0	25.0	29.0
10	MORGAN, C	WOLSTENHOLME, S	WILKINSON, C	F/Exc NIX, D	F/Exc	64.0	5.0	0.0	30.0	29.0
11	STEPHENSON, F	FERN, M	BARTON, J	BELLERBY, A		63.9	1.0	5.0	31.0	34.0
12	WILKINSON, C	DELOUBES, P	CHAPMAN, D	CLIFTON, L	Ret	63.2	3.0	3.0	34.0	37.0
13	STEPHENSON, F	BARTON, J	GROVES, D	F/Exc WOLSTENHOLME, S	F/Exc	63.4	2.0	3.0	36.0	40.0
14	BELLERBY, A	CLARKE, I	CLIFTON, L	FERN, M		63.5	5.0	1.0	41.0	41.0
15	WOLSTENHOLME, S	WILKINSON, C	F/Rem MORGAN, C	F STEPHENSON, F	Exc	63.2	3.0	2.0	44.0	43.0

VENUE	BUXTON RACEWAY	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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BUXTON	52.0	37.0	RYE HOUSE	DATE:	23/05/1999
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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Buxton maintained their unbeaten record against a depleted Rye House Rockets at blustery Hi-Edge. Adam Allott won his first four races in commanding fashion with a style reminiscent of his father Nicky. Jamie Young returned to the track and scored solidly, but the Rockets wouldn't lie down. A determined Simon Wolstenholme rallied his team with a fighting 13 points and with the help of guest Lee Smethills and 18 year-old Simon Moon, they made the confident Buxton Hitman work hard for every point. The youthful exuberance of Buxton's 15-year-olds, James Mann and Mark Steel, cost them valuable points when referee Graham Flint had to exclude them both for 'hard riding', decisions that did not please team manager Jack Lee. Aidan Collins was unbeaten by an opponent in his first official meeting for Buxton and with Paul Burnett scoring an impressive nine paid 11, this solid Buxton team continued their impressive start to the season.

Gary Crapper - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	PAINTER, Neil	1*	3	3	0					4	7.0	1.0	8.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	BURNETT, Paul	2	2*	3	2*					4	9.0	2.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	STEEL, Mark	1	2*	EX	EX					4	3.0	1.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	ALLOTT, Adam	3	3	3	3	0				5	12.0	0.0	12.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	YOUNG, Jamie (II)	3	3	3	2	1				5	12.0	0.0	12.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	MANN, Jason	EX	1	EX	EX	1				5	2.0	0.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	COLLINS, Aidan	3	2*	2*	T					4	7.0	2.0	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	WOLSTENHOLME, Simon	3	1	1	2	3	3			6	13.0	0.0	13.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	LEVERINGTON, Ian	F	0	1*						3	1.0	1.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	DELOUBES, Patrice	0	F	0						3	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	SMETHILLS, Lee	2	2	1	3	2				5	10.0	0.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	JONES, Elvis	0	1	1*	1					4	3.0	1.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	MOON, Simon	2	0	2	2*	2*				5	8.0	2.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	CHAPMAN, Dean	1*	1	0	0					4	2.0	1.0	3.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:			
1	WOLSTENHOLME, S	BURNETT, P	PAINTER, N	LEVERINGTON, I	F	59.5	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0			
2	COLLINS, A	MOON, S	CHAPMAN, D	MANN, Jason	Exc UR	60.8	3.0	3.0	6.0	6.0			
3	ALLOTT, A	SMETHILLS, L	STEEL, M	DELOUBES, P		58.2	4.0	2.0	10.0	8.0			
4	YOUNG, Jamie (II)	COLLINS, A	CHAPMAN, D	JONES, E		59.9	5.0	1.0	15.0	9.0			
5	ALLOTT, A	STEEL, M	WOLSTENHOLME, S	LEVERINGTON, I		58.7	5.0	1.0	20.0	10.0			
6	PAINTER, N	BURNETT, P	JONES, E	MOON, S		59.3	5.0	1.0	25.0	11.0			
7	YOUNG, Jamie (II)	SMETHILLS, L	MANN, Jason	DELOUBES, P	F	58.8	4.0	2.0	29.0	13.0			
8	BURNETT, P	COLLINS, A	WOLSTENHOLME, S	CHAPMAN, D		59.7	5.0	1.0	34.0	14.0			
9	ALLOTT, A	MOON, S	JONES, E	STEEL, M	Exc UR		3.0	3.0	37.0	17.0			
10	PAINTER, N	BURNETT, P	SMETHILLS, L	DELOUBES, P		58.2	5.0	1.0	42.0	18.0			
11	YOUNG, Jamie (II)	WOLSTENHOLME, S	LEVERINGTON, I	F/Rem	MANN, Jason	F/Exc	60.0	3.0	3.0	45.0	21.0		
12	SMETHILLS, L	MOON, S	MANN, Jason	Exc UR	STEEL, M	F/Exc	59.6	0.0	5.0	45.0	26.0	COLLINS, A	T
13	WOLSTENHOLME, S	YOUNG, Jamie (II)	JONES, E	PAINTER, N		59.3	2.0	4.0	47.0	30.0			
14	ALLOTT, A	SMETHILLS, L	MANN, Jason	CHAPMAN, D		57.8	4.0	2.0	51.0	32.0			
15	WOLSTENHOLME, S	MOON, S	YOUNG, Jamie (II)	ALLOTT, A		59.6	1.0	5.0	52.0	37.0			

VENUE	WEST ROW	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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RYE HOUSE	0.0	0.0	ST. AUSTELL	DATE:	30/05/1999
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RESULT:	RAINED OFF	AGREGATE SCORE
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The second scheduled meeting at West Row between Rye House and St.Austell was called off after a cloudburst soon after the end of Heat 15 of the opening fixture.

Malcolm Vasey - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

AWAY TEAM

VENUE	WEST ROW	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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RYE HOUSE	48.0	41.0	LINLITHGOW	DATE:	20/06/1999
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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The Rye House revival continued in their first match at West Row with yet another remarkable escape act, not dissimilar to their Houdini-like antics at Eastbourne a few weeks ago.

The Rockets were rewarded for the persistence and determination exemplified by their captain, Simon Wolstenholme, and displayed throughout the team when the going got tough.

Linlithgow shuffled their side owing to Steve McAllister being injured against Mildenhall, and the Lightning raced into the lead in the opening two heats.

Wolstenholme began the fightback by winning Heats 4 and 6, receiving solid support from his side.

Jonathan Swales was doing likewise for the visitors, but the Rockets gradually edged back with Moon and Collyer's ninth heat 5-1 retrieving the early deficit.

Heat 10 was hared and the Heat 11 was reduced to a match race between Swales and Chapman after exclusions for Moon and McNeil. In fact, Swales fode through the pain barrier to win the race, struggling into his riding boot after injuring a foot while avoiding the fallen Moon. Lightning took another 4-2 in the next to extend their lead to three points but the Rockets blasted off in the final three heats as Linlithgow ran out of options and another 'Rocket Recovery Special' was complete.

Malcolm Vasey - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	WOLSTENHOLME, Simon	2	3	3	3	3	3			6	17.0	0.0	17.0		
2	CLARKE, Ian	0	1	0	0					4	1.0	0.0	1.0		
3	DELOUBES, Patrice	0	1*	0						3	1.0	1.0	2.0		
4	COLLYER, Peter	3	2	2	3	2*	2*			6	14.0	2.0	16.0		
5	BARTON, Jamie	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
6	MOON, Simon	1	1*	2*	EX	2	3			6	9.0	2.0	11.0		
7	CHAPMAN, Dean	0	1	2	2	1				5	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	SWALES, Jonathan	3	3	3	3					4	12.0	0.0	12.0	✓	
2	McNEIL, Robert	1	2	EX	1	EX				5	4.0	0.0	4.0		
3	McALLAN, David	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
4	SWALES, Jamie	1*	0	1*						3	2.0	2.0	4.0		
5	COURTNEY, Scott	2	0	0	3	EX	1			6	6.0	0.0	6.0		
6	MILBURN, Ryan	3	2	1	1	1	0			6	8.0	0.0	8.0		
7	GRANT, Rob (Jnr)	2*	0	3	2	2	0			6	9.0	1.0	10.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:	
1	SWALES, Jo	WOLSTENHOLME, S	McNEIL, R	CLARKE, I	57.6	2.0	4.0	2.0	4.0		
2	MILBURN, R	GRANT, R	MOON, S	CHAPMAN, D	57.4	1.0	5.0	3.0	9.0		
3	COLLYER, P	McNEIL, R	SWALES, Ja	DELOUBES, P	57.2	3.0	3.0	6.0	12.0		
4	WOLSTENHOLME, S	COURTNEY, S	CHAPMAN, D	GRANT, R	56.9	4.0	2.0	10.0	14.0		
5	SWALES, Jo	COLLYER, P	DELOUBES, P	McNEIL, R	Exc	57.3	3.0	3.0	13.0	17.0	
6	WOLSTENHOLME, S	MILBURN, R	CLARKE, I	COURTNEY, S	57.6	4.0	2.0	17.0	19.0		
7	SWALES, Jo	COLLYER, P	MOON, S	SWALES, Ja	56.1	3.0	3.0	20.0	22.0		
8	GRANT, R	CHAPMAN, D	McNEIL, R	CLARKE, I	58.1	2.0	4.0	22.0	26.0		
9	COLLYER, P	MOON, S	MILBURN, R	COURTNEY, S	57.2	5.0	1.0	27.0	27.0		
10	WOLSTENHOLME, S	GRANT, R	SWALES, Ja	CLARKE, I	57.7	3.0	3.0	30.0	30.0		
11	SWALES, Jo	CHAPMAN, D	MOON, S	Exc	McNEIL, R	Exc	58.7	2.0	3.0	32.0	33.0
12	COURTNEY, S	MOON, S	MILBURN, R	DELOUBES, P	58.3	2.0	4.0	34.0	37.0		
13	WOLSTENHOLME, S	GRANT, R	CHAPMAN, D	COURTNEY, S	Exc	56.6	4.0	2.0	38.0	39.0	
14	MOON, S	COLLYER, P	MILBURN, R	GRANT, R	57.6	5.0	1.0	43.0	40.0		
15	WOLSTENHOLME, S	COLLYER, P	COURTNEY, S	MILBURN, R	56.9	5.0	1.0	48.0	41.0		

VENUE	MOTOR PARC	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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ST. AUSTELL	67.0	23.0	RYE HOUSE	DATE:	22/06/1999
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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Given the current form of both teams, another close meeting was in prospect but after dropping a point at Buxton at the weekend, the Gulls were in no mood to be charitable on the Rockets' first-ever visit to Cornwall.

A 3-3 in Heat 1 flattered to deceive when the visiting captain Simon Wolstenholme beat Gary Lobb and Jason Prynne. Unfortunately, Wolstenholme was the only Rocket to win a race all evening.

Two 5-1s followed before Wolstenholme, in as rider replacement for the absent Jamie Barton, gated first in Heat 4 and held on for a win despite tremendous pressure from Wayne Barrett for four laps.

He was out again in Heat 5 against the new King of St. Austell, Seemond Stephens, but fell on the fourth turn trying to catch the quicksilver Stephens. Martin 'Millhouse' Williams followed Stephens home for the first of their four maximum heat wins during the evening.

Lobb and Prynne led all the way in the next, with Collyer in as replacement for Barton, trying to make inroads. Unfortunately, he ran into the back of Prynne on the final bend and fell in front of partner Simon Moon, injuring his ankle. Moon reacted quickly to lay his bike down and was awarded third.

The Rockets' only heat advantage came in Heat 8 when tactical substitute Wolstenholme and ex-Gull took a 4-2 against Prynne and Richard Ford.

Five consecutive Gulls' 5-1s followed, although Barrett had to catch and pass Wolstenholme in Heat 11 and Newman had to come from last to second in Heat 12 to keep the sequence going.

Heat 14 was the race of the night. Simon Phillips gated ahead of Ford and Williams, Williams passed his team-mate at the end of the first lap then pursued Phillips, catching him on the second turn of the final bend to keep his maximum prospects alive.

Williams then had to follow Phillips for a further three laps in the nominated riders' race before going inside to secure his first-ever paid maximum.

After the league match, Stephens cemented his claim to be the new King of St. Austell by cruising to his sixth win of the evening in defeating Wolstenholme to retain the Bronze Helmet.

Terry Mills - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	LOBB, Gary	2	3	2*	2*					4	9.0	2.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	PRYNNE, Jason	1*	2*	2	3					4	8.0	2.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	STEPHENS, Seemond	3	3	3	3	3				5	15.0	0.0	15.0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	WILLIAMS, Martin	2*	2*	2*	3	2*				5	11.0	4.0	15.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	BARRETT, Wayne	2	3	3	3					4	11.0	0.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	FORD, Richard	2*	2*	0	2*	1				5	7.0	3.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	NEWMAN, Adrian	3	1*	T	2*					3	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	WOLSTENHOLME, Simon	3	3	F	3	0	1			6	10.0	0.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	EAVES, Steven	0	1	1						3	2.0	0.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	COLLYER, Peter	1	F	1	0	0				5	2.0	0.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	CLARKE, Ian	0	0	R	R					4	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	BARTON, Jamie	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	MOON, Simon	1	1	1	1	1	0	1		7	6.0	0.0	6.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	PHILLIPS, Simon (II)	0	0	1	2	R				5	3.0	0.0	3.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	WOLSTENHOLME, S	LOBB, G	PRYNNE, J	EAVES, S	57.5	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	
2	NEWMAN, A	FORD, R	MOON, S	PHILLIPS, S	56.7	5.0	1.0	8.0	4.0	
3	STEPHENS, S	WILLIAMS, M	COLLYER, P	CLARKE, I	56.8	5.0	1.0	13.0	5.0	
4	WOLSTENHOLME, S	BARRETT, W	NEWMAN, A	PHILLIPS, S	57.1	3.0	3.0	16.0	8.0	
5	STEPHENS, S	WILLIAMS, M	EAVES, S	WOLSTENHOLME, S	57.6	5.0	1.0	21.0	9.0	
6	LOBB, G	PRYNNE, J	MOON, S	F/Awd COLLYER, P	58.5	5.0	1.0	26.0	10.0	
7	BARRETT, W	FORD, R	MOON, S	CLARKE, I	57.3	5.0	1.0	31.0	11.0	
8	WOLSTENHOLME, S	PRYNNE, J	PHILLIPS, S	FORD, R	56.7	2.0	4.0	33.0	15.0	NEWMAN, A T
9	STEPHENS, S	WILLIAMS, M	MOON, S	CLARKE, I	57.3	5.0	1.0	38.0	16.0	
10	PRYNNE, J	LOBB, G	COLLYER, P	CLARKE, I	59.0	5.0	1.0	43.0	17.0	
11	BARRETT, W	FORD, R	EAVES, S	WOLSTENHOLME, S	58.4	5.0	1.0	48.0	18.0	
12	STEPHENS, S	NEWMAN, A	MOON, S	COLLYER, P	57.7	5.0	1.0	53.0	19.0	
13	BARRETT, W	LOBB, G	WOLSTENHOLME, S	COLLYER, P	58.1	5.0	1.0	58.0	20.0	
14	WILLIAMS, M	PHILLIPS, S	FORD, R	MOON, S	56.6	4.0	2.0	62.0	22.0	
15	STEPHENS, S	WILLIAMS, M	MOON, S	PHILLIPS, S	58.8	5.0	1.0	67.0	23.0	

VENUE HAYLEY STADIUM COMPETITION K.O.C. 1st ROUND 1st LEG

NEWPORT Res 57.0 32.0 RYE HOUSE DATE: 25/06/1999

RESULT: HOME WIN AGREGATE SCORE

With the home side's second strings struggling to finish races in the early stages, it looked as if the final scoreline might be fairly close. Just seven points seperated the two sides after the first eight heats but, significantly, at that stage the visitors had proved just one heat winner. And that was in the eight race itself when tactical substitute Simon Moon headed home Graig Gough, though that heat win was to be the only time a Rockets rider took the chequered flag in the match. It was Gough who proved to be the star man for the Mavericks for that was the only point he was to drop on his way to a quite magnificent paid 20 haul from seven rides. Watch out for this youngster, who looks set for a bright future. His mammoth points contribution, added to maximums for Chirs Neath (full) and Andrew Appleton (paid), and allied to a 10-point return from Nick Simmons proved all too much for the visitors. Machinery problems for Rockets' top two of Wolstenholme and Collyer certainly didn't help their cause, although they and lively reserve Moon did their best to keep the visitors in the hunt throughout. A healthy 25-point lead to take with them to Mildenhall for this Saturday's second leg should prove more than enough for the young Mavericks to progress to the next stage of the competition.

Bryn Williams - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	NEATH, Chris	3	3	3	3	3				5	15.0	0.0	15.0	✓	
2	ASTON, Steve	1	R	1*						3	2.0	1.0	3.0		
3	APPLETON, Andrew	3	3	3	3	2*				5	14.0	1.0	15.0		✓
4	FINLOW, Rob	F	F	0						3	0.0	0.0	0.0		
5	SIMMONS, Nick	3	3	3	1					4	10.0	0.0	10.0		
6	HOLMES, Jamie	EX	R	0						3	0.0	0.0	0.0		
7	GOUGH, Craig	3	2*	2	2*	2*	2*	3		7	16.0	4.0	20.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	WOLSTENHOLME, Simon	2	2	R	2	1	0	1		7	8.0	0.0	8.0		
2	EAVES, Steven	R	1*	0						3	1.0	1.0	2.0		
3	COLLYER, Peter	2	2	2	R	1	2	0		7	9.0	0.0	9.0		
4	CLARKE, Ian	1*	1*	1						3	3.0	2.0	5.0		
5	BARTON, Jamie	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
6	MOON, Simon	2	1*	3	0	2				5	8.0	1.0	9.0		
7	CHAPMAN, Dean	M	1	1*	1*					3	3.0	2.0	5.0		
8	BOWDEN, Mike	0								1	0.0	0.0	0.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:	
1	NEATH, C	WOLSTENHOLME, S	ASTON, S	EAVES, S	Ret	62.6	4.0	2.0	4.0	2.0	
2	GOUGH, C	MOON, S	CHAPMAN, D	M	HOLMES, J	F/Exc	65.9	3.0	2.0	7.0	4.0
3	APPLETON, A	COLLYER, P	CLARKE, I	FINLOW, R	F	64.2	3.0	3.0	10.0	7.0	
4	SIMMONS, N	GOUGH, C	CHAPMAN, D	BOWDEN, M		66.0	5.0	1.0	15.0	8.0	
5	APPLETON, A	WOLSTENHOLME, S	EAVES, S	FINLOW, R	F	64.2	3.0	3.0	18.0	11.0	
6	NEATH, C	COLLYER, P	MOON, S	ASTON, S	Rem R	66.2	3.0	3.0	21.0	14.0	
7	SIMMONS, N	COLLYER, P	CLARKE, I	HOLMES, J	Ret	66.5	3.0	3.0	24.0	17.0	
8	MOON, S	GOUGH, C	ASTON, S	WOLSTENHOLME, S	Rem R	66.1	3.0	3.0	27.0	20.0	
9	APPLETON, A	WOLSTENHOLME, S	CHAPMAN, D	FINLOW, R		64.1	3.0	3.0	30.0	23.0	
10	NEATH, C	GOUGH, C	CLARKE, I	COLLYER, P	Ret	63.3	5.0	1.0	35.0	24.0	
11	SIMMONS, N	GOUGH, C	WOLSTENHOLME, S	EAVES, S		65.0	5.0	1.0	40.0	25.0	
12	APPLETON, A	GOUGH, C	COLLYER, P	MOON, S		64.4	5.0	1.0	45.0	26.0	
13	NEATH, C	COLLYER, P	SIMMONS, N	WOLSTENHOLME, S		65.5	4.0	2.0	49.0	28.0	
14	GOUGH, C	MOON, S	CHAPMAN, D	HOLMES, J		66.1	3.0	3.0	52.0	31.0	
15	NEATH, C	APPLETON, A	WOLSTENHOLME, S	COLLYER, P		64.3	5.0	1.0	57.0	32.0	

VENUE	WEST ROW	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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RYE HOUSE	0.0	0.0	ST. AUSTELL	DATE:	27/06/1999
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RESULT:	RAINED OFF	AGREGATE SCORE
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This rearranged visit to West Row by the BWOC Gulls again fell victim to the weather after steady rain which had fallen during the Mildenhall match appeared to clear briefly.

Hopes of staging the meeting, however, were shortlived as a torrential downpour onto the already soaked track left referee Mick Bates with an easy decision.

The Rockets have only managed to stage one meeting at West Row in three attempts, leaving their management and supporters wondering just who is operating a watershed as far as their events are concerned.

Malcolm Vasey - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

AWAY TEAM

VENUE WEST ROW COMPETITION K.O.C. 1st ROUND 2nd LEG

RYE HOUSE 47.0 43.0 NEWPORT Res DATE: 03/07/1999

RESULT: HOME WIN AGREGATE SCORE 79.0 100.0

Undeterred by watching their opponents carry out a demolition job in the first part of the double header against Mildenhall, Rye House launched into Neport to produce their best display since re-forming. Strengthened by the arrival of Arena-Essex's Gary Corbett, the Rockets were unable to seriously dent the 25-point deficit incurred in the first leg but still produced some exciting moments for their fans whilst inflicting upon the Mavericks their first setback of 1999. It should also be noted that Corbett and Peter Collyer were unable to take part in the re-staging of Heat 15, after a fist bend pile-up, being replaced by reserves who could do little against Bobby Eldridge and Andrew Appleton. The Rockets took the lead in Heat 2 with some desperately close racing following until Eldrige and Jamie Holmes levelled matters in Heat 6. The Rockets' response was quick and effective, Corbett beating Appleton in Heat 7 with Simon Moon a valuable third, before Corbett and Collyer took advantage of a firework display from Eldridge's machine in Heat 9 to score a maximum advantage. Two heats were then shared before a Mavericks recovery in Heat 12 which cut Rye House's lead to a mere two points. An excellent battle between Corbett and Chris Neath in Heat 13 was won by the outstanding Rocket, with Simon Wolstenholme taking third place from Neath to establish a four point gap. Collyer and Moon made no mistake in the penultimate race, making Heat 15 academic.

Malcolm Vasey - Speedway Star

Heat 15 Peter Collyer F/Ns

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	WOLSTENHOLME, Simon	2	2	2	3	1				5	10.0	0.0	10.0		
2	CLARKE, Ian	1*	0	2	0					4	3.0	1.0	4.0		
3	BARTON, Jamie	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
4	COLLYER, Peter	1*	2	2*	1	2*	N			5	8.0	3.0	11.0		
5	CORBETT, Gary	2	3	3	2	3	N			5	13.0	0.0	13.0		
6	MOON, Simon	3	1*	1	1*	3	0			6	9.0	2.0	11.0		
7	CHAPMAN, Dean	1	1*	1*	0	1				5	4.0	2.0	6.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	NEATH, Chris	3	3	3	2*	2				5	13.0	1.0	14.0		
2	SLATER, Darren	0	0	0						3	0.0	0.0	0.0		
3	APPLETON, Andrew	3	2	2	3	2*				5	12.0	1.0	13.0		
4	FINLOW, Rob	0	0	1*	0					4	1.0	1.0	2.0		
5	ELDRIDGE, Bobby	3	3	R	3					4	9.0	0.0	9.0		
6	HOLMES, Jamie	EX	1	1	1					4	3.0	0.0	3.0		
7	GOUGH, Craig	2	0	3	EX	0				5	5.0	0.0	5.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	NEATH, C	WOLSTENHOLME, S	CLARKE, I	SLATER, D	57.8	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	
2	MOON, S	GOUGH, C	CHAPMAN, D	HOLMES, J	57.5	4.0	2.0	7.0	5.0	Exc
3	APPLETON, A	WOLSTENHOLME, S	COLLYER, P	FINLOW, R	55.3	3.0	3.0	10.0	8.0	
4	ELDRIDGE, B	CORBETT, G	CHAPMAN, D	GOUGH, C	55.1	3.0	3.0	13.0	11.0	
5	NEATH, C	COLLYER, P	MOON, S	SLATER, D	56.1	3.0	3.0	16.0	14.0	
6	ELDRIDGE, B	WOLSTENHOLME, S	HOLMES, J	CLARKE, I	56.1	2.0	4.0	18.0	18.0	
7	CORBETT, G	APPLETON, A	MOON, S	FINLOW, R	54.8	4.0	2.0	22.0	20.0	
8	GOUGH, C	CLARKE, I	CHAPMAN, D	SLATER, D	58.0	3.0	3.0	25.0	23.0	
9	CORBETT, G	COLLYER, P	HOLMES, J	ELDRIDGE, B	56.1	5.0	1.0	30.0	24.0	Ret
10	WOLSTENHOLME, S	APPLETON, A	FINLOW, R	CLARKE, I	56.7	3.0	3.0	33.0	27.0	
11	NEATH, C	CORBETT, G	MOON, S	GOUGH, C	56.4	3.0	3.0	36.0	30.0	Exc
12	APPLETON, A	NEATH, C	COLLYER, P	CHAPMAN, D	56.5	1.0	5.0	37.0	35.0	
13	CORBETT, G	NEATH, C	WOLSTENHOLME, S	GOUGH, C	55.0	4.0	2.0	41.0	37.0	
14	MOON, S	COLLYER, P	HOLMES, J	FINLOW, R	58.0	5.0	1.0	46.0	38.0	
15	ELDRIDGE, B	APPLETON, A	CHAPMAN, D	MOON, S	56.0	1.0	5.0	47.0	43.0	CORBETT, G F/Ns

VENUE	WEST ROW	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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RYE HOUSE	28.0	62.0	ST. AUSTELL	DATE:	18/07/1999
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RESULT:	AWAY WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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The Silver Ski Rockets were denied the use of Gary Corbett during the week and even their resilience in diversity could not help them bridge the gap. The BWOC Gulls won this match at a canter and the absence of Corbett robbed a large crowd of valuable entertainment at a time when the sport at West Row is beginning to take off. The Rockets never gave up trying against very capable opponents, although trailing from Heat 1 when Wolstenholme retired. Now and then Rockets managed a shared heat, but only produced two heat winners, Wolstenholme taking Heat 3 and Collyer resisting the efforts of Newman in an outstanding penultimate Heat 14. Jamie Barton struggled on his return, an oil leak in his first ride severely damaging a new clutch. It went from bad to worse as he chased Prynn in Heat 6, the Gull falling which caused Barton to hit the first bend fence as he evaded the fallen rider. Gary Lobb, who had been hard on Barton's heels, ran straight into the stricken Rocket and the collapsing fence panels. It says much for the safety aspects of the track that all three walked off, Barton sitting out one ride whilst he recovered. Stephens, Barrett and Lobb were all magnificent with only one defeat to an opponent amongst them. They received good backing from Newman always an exciting rider at Mildenhall, and Martin Williams, who continues to improve.

Malcolm Vasey - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	WOLSTENHOLME, Simon	R	3	2	R	2	1	2		7	10.0	0.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	CHAPMAN, Dean	1	1*	1	0					4	3.0	1.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	DELOUBES, Patrice	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	COLLYER, Peter		0	1	1	0	3	1*		6	6.0	1.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	BARTON, Jamie		1	N	1	0				3	2.0	0.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	MOON, Simon		2	0	1*	0	0			5	3.0	1.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	CLARKE, Ian		1*	0	2	0	1			5	4.0	1.0	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	STEPHENS, Seomond		3	3	3	2*				4	11.0	1.0	12.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2	WILLIAMS, Martin		2*	2*	2*	2*	0			5	8.0	4.0	12.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	LOBB, Gary		2	3	3	3				4	11.0	0.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	PRYNNE, Jason		1*	EX	1	1*				4	3.0	2.0	5.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	BARRETT, Wayne		3	3	3	3	3			5	15.0	0.0	15.0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	FORD, Richard		0	0	2*	2*				4	4.0	2.0	6.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	NEWMAN, Adrian		3	2*	3	2				4	10.0	1.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	STEPHENS, S	WILLIAMS, M	CHAPMAN, D	WOLSTENHOLME, S	Ret	58.1	1.0	5.0	1.0	5.0
2	NEWMAN, A	MOON, S	CLARKE, I	FORD, R		51.5	3.0	3.0	4.0	8.0
3	WOLSTENHOLME, S	LOBB, G	PRYNNE, J	COLLYER, P		58.0	3.0	3.0	7.0	11.0
4	BARRETT, W	NEWMAN, A	BARTON, J	CLARKE, I		56.1	1.0	5.0	8.0	16.0
5	STEPHENS, S	WILLIAMS, M	COLLYER, P	MOON, S		56.2	1.0	5.0	9.0	21.0
6	BARRETT, W	WOLSTENHOLME, S	CHAPMAN, D	FORD, R		56.3	3.0	3.0	12.0	24.0
7	LOBB, G	CLARKE, I	MOON, S	PRYNNE, J	F/Exc	57.2	3.0	3.0	15.0	27.0
8	NEWMAN, A	WILLIAMS, M	CHAPMAN, D	WOLSTENHOLME, S	Ret	57.2	1.0	5.0	16.0	32.0
9	BARRETT, W	FORD, R	COLLYER, P	CLARKE, I		56.0	1.0	5.0	17.0	37.0
10	LOBB, G	WOLSTENHOLME, S	PRYNNE, J	CHAPMAN, D		57.1	2.0	4.0	19.0	41.0
11	STEPHENS, S	WILLIAMS, M	BARTON, J	MOON, S		56.0	1.0	5.0	20.0	46.0
12	LOBB, G	FORD, R	CLARKE, I	COLLYER, P		57.5	1.0	5.0	21.0	51.0
13	BARRETT, W	STEPHENS, S	WOLSTENHOLME, S	BARTON, J		56.5	1.0	5.0	22.0	56.0
14	COLLYER, P	NEWMAN, A	PRYNNE, J	MOON, S		57.4	3.0	3.0	25.0	59.0
15	BARRETT, W	WOLSTENHOLME, S	COLLYER, P	WILLIAMS, M		56.9	3.0	3.0	28.0	62.0

VENUE	WEST ROW	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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RYE HOUSE	0.0	0.0	BUXTON	DATE:	01/08/1999
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RESULT:	POSTPONED	AGREGATE SCORE
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This match which was scheduled to follow the Mildenhall v Buxton fixture, was postponed due to the prevailing track conditions which had caused the abandonment of the Fen Tigers' match against the Hitman. The track surface at the point of entry to the third bend had broken up, leaving the base exposed with consequential ruts and bumps. Referee Tony Steele allowed the Mildenhall track staff an opportunity to improve conditions but with the track hardened by the baking hot sun, it was not possible to make satisfactory running repairs in the time avialable.

Malcolm Vasey - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

AWAY TEAM

VENUE	HEATHERSFIELD	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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LINLITHGOW	51.0	38.0	RYE HOUSE	DATE:	07/08/1999
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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Victory at last for the Lightning. After six attempts, they registered their first win over Rye House by a comfortable margin. Both teams made changes - Lightning brought back David McAllan and Robert Grant after injury spells, Rye House used rider replacement for Gary Corbett and drafted in Ashfield's Ian McCauley.

Jonathan Swales set the tone with a fine win over Simon Wolstenholme in Heat 1, a feat he repeated twice more during the meeting. David McAllan made a welcome return and weighed in with 14 points. Thankfully a fall after shedding a chain in Heat 15 caused no more injury concerns.

For the Rockets, Wolstenholme had seven rides for his 16 point haul, and reserve Simon Moon had two good wins in his paid 12. There was plenty of passing during the meeting, particularly in Heat 10 with the Swales brothers and Simon Moon changing positions as Jonathan tried to protect Jamie, which let Moon grab the lead to win.

McAllan's team fiding with a tiring Robert Grant in Heat 12 was also a highlight.

Grant's performance, also on return from injury, was impressive and he gave good backing to the top two. Had Corbett been able to make the trip for the Rockets, the score would have been considerably closer.

Graham Fraser - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	SWALES, Jonathan	3	3	3	2	3	3			6	17.0	0.0	17.0		
2	SWALES, Jamie	1	2*	0	1*					4	4.0	2.0	6.0		
3	McALLAN, David	3	3	2	3	3	EX			6	14.0	0.0	14.0		
4	McNEIL, Robert	0	1	2*	1	0				5	4.0	1.0	5.0		
5	JONES, Steve	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
6	SNEDDON, Derek	0	0	1*	1					4	2.0	1.0	3.0		
7	GRANT, Rob (Jnr)	3	EX	3	2	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	WOLSTENHOLME, Simon	2	2	3	2	3	2	2		7	16.0	0.0	16.0		
2	MacCAULEY, Iain	0	0	0						3	0.0	0.0	0.0		
3	CORBETT, Gary	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
4	COLLYER, Peter	1*	1	0	0	2*				5	4.0	2.0	6.0		
5	BARTON, Jamie	2	2	F	0	0				5	4.0	0.0	4.0		
6	CLARKE, Ian	1*	1	1	1					4	4.0	1.0	5.0		
7	MOON, Simon	2	EX	1*	3	3	1*			6	10.0	2.0	12.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	SWALES, Jo	WOLSTENHOLME, S	SWALES, Ja	MacCAULEY, I	56.0	4.0	2.0	4.0	2.0	
2	GRANT, R	MOON, S	CLARKE, I	SNEDDON, D	59.7	3.0	3.0	7.0	5.0	
3	McALLAN, D	BARTON, J	COLLYER, P	McNEIL, R	56.8	3.0	3.0	10.0	8.0	
4	SWALES, Jo	BARTON, J	GRANT, R	Exc UR MOON, S	F/Exc	54.6	3.0	2.0	13.0	10.0
5	McALLAN, D	WOLSTENHOLME, S	McNEIL, R	MacCAULEY, I	55.2	4.0	2.0	17.0	12.0	
6	SWALES, Jo	SWALES, Ja	CLARKE, I	BARTON, J	F	56.5	5.0	1.0	22.0	13.0
7	WOLSTENHOLME, S	McALLAN, D	COLLYER, P	SNEDDON, D	55.3	2.0	4.0	24.0	17.0	
8	GRANT, R	WOLSTENHOLME, S	MOON, S	SWALES, Ja	57.0	3.0	3.0	27.0	20.0	
9	McALLAN, D	McNEIL, R	CLARKE, I	BARTON, J	56.3	5.0	1.0	32.0	21.0	
10	MOON, S	SWALES, Jo	SWALES, J	COLLYER, P	57.7	3.0	3.0	35.0	24.0	
11	WOLSTENHOLME, S	GRANT, R	SNEDDON, D	MacCAULEY, I	55.2	3.0	3.0	38.0	27.0	
12	McALLAN, D	GRANT, R	CLARKE, I	COLLYER, P	58.7	5.0	1.0	43.0	28.0	
13	SWALES, Jo	WOLSTENHOLME, S	McNEIL, R	BARTON, J	55.0	4.0	2.0	47.0	30.0	
14	MOON, S	COLLYER, P	SNEDDON, D	McNEIL, R	56.5	1.0	5.0	48.0	35.0	
15	SWALES, Jo	WOLSTENHOLME, S	MOON, S	McALLAN, D	F/Exc	54.7	3.0	3.0	51.0	38.0

VENUE	SADDLEBOW STADIUM	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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KING'S LYNN Res	40.0	48.0	RYE HOUSE	DATE:	15/08/1999
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RESULT:	AWAY WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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The Lambert's Transport Braves paid the ultimate penalty for a series of machine problems. And the all-round enthusiasm of the Silver Ski Rockets, strengthened by the inclusion of Gary Corbett for the first time since the change of heart by the BSPA, proved too much for the home side. Braves had their own hero in Luke Clifton, who fell in his first ride whilst out in front but still managed a 16-point return. Clifton's efforts in the situation were outstanding but for a variety of reasons his colleagues did not produce enough support. Ricky Scarboro was an exception to this, his eight points being the hard-earned product of some close battles with the opposition. The anticipated return from heat leaders Stephenson, Boast and Groves did not materialise, all of them experienced machine failure of one sort or another. And when Groves fell in Heat 11, while chasing the excellent Corbett, seriously damaging his machine in the process, the Rockets took charge. For them it was a completely different story, star man Corbett receiving good support from Wolstenholme and Collyer.

Malcolm Vasey - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	STEPHENSON, Freddie	3	1	R	R					4	4.0	0.0	4.0		
2	SCARBORO, Ricky	1	3	1	3	0				5	8.0	0.0	8.0		
3	BOAST, Peter	2	1	2	R					4	5.0	0.0	5.0		
4	THOMPSON, Mark	T	0	1*	R					3	1.0	1.0	2.0		
5	GROVES, Darren	2	M	EX						2	2.0	0.0	2.0		
6	CLIFTON, Luke	F	3	3	1	3	3	3		7	16.0	0.0	16.0		
7	NIX, David	3	1*	0	0					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	WOLSTENHOLME, Simon	2	2*	2	2*	2*	2			6	12.0	3.0	15.0		
2	MOON, Simon	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
3	BARTON, Jamie	0	0	2	1*	2				5	5.0	1.0	6.0		
4	COLLYER, Peter	3	3	1*	2	2	1*			6	12.0	2.0	14.0		
5	CORBETT, Gary	3	R	3	3	3				5	12.0	0.0	12.0		
6	CLARKE, Ian	1*	2*	R	1*					4	4.0	3.0	7.0		
7	CHAPMAN, Dean	2	1	R	EX					4	3.0	0.0	3.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:		
1	STEPHENSON, F	WOLSTENHOLME, S	SCARBORO, R	BARTON, J		67.9	4.0	2.0	4.0	2.0		
2	NIX, D	CHAPMAN, D	CLARKE, I	CLIFTON, L	F	69.1	3.0	3.0	7.0	5.0		
3	COLLYER, P	BOAST, P	NIX, D	BARTON, J		67.5	3.0	3.0	10.0	8.0	THOMPSON, M	T
4	CORBETT, G	GROVES, D	CHAPMAN, D	NIX, D		65.5	2.0	4.0	12.0	12.0		
5	COLLYER, P	WOLSTENHOLME, S	BOAST, P	THOMPSON, M		67.8	1.0	5.0	13.0	17.0		
6	SCARBORO, R	CLARKE, I	STEPHENSON, F	CORBETT, G	Ret	68.5	4.0	2.0	17.0	19.0		
7	CLIFTON, L	BARTON, J	COLLYER, P	NIX, D		68.9	3.0	3.0	20.0	22.0	GROVES, D	M
8	CLIFTON, L	WOLSTENHOLME, S	SCARBORO, R	CHAPMAN, D	Ret	67.4	4.0	2.0	24.0	24.0		
9	CORBETT, G	BOAST, P	THOMPSON, M	CLARKE, I	Ret	67.2	3.0	3.0	27.0	27.0		
10	SCARBORO, R	COLLYER, P	BARTON, J	STEPHENSON, F	Ret	68.8	3.0	3.0	30.0	30.0		
11	CORBETT, G	WOLSTENHOLME, S	CLIFTON, L	GROVES, D	F/Exc	66.0	1.0	5.0	31.0	35.0		
12	CLIFTON, L	BARTON, J	BOAST, P	Ret	CHAPMAN, D	F/Exc	71.9	3.0	2.0	34.0	37.0	
13	CORBETT, G	WOLSTENHOLME, S	STEPHENSON, F	Ret	No Rider		67.8	0.0	5.0	34.0	42.0	
14	CLIFTON, L	COLLYER, P	CLARKE, I	THOMPSON, M	Ret	68.8	3.0	3.0	37.0	45.0		
15	CLIFTON, L	WOLSTENHOLME, S	COLLYER, P	SCARBORO, R		69.5	3.0	3.0	40.0	48.0		

VENUE	WEST ROW	COMPETITION	CHALLENGE
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RYE HOUSE	48.0	42.0	SOUTHAMPTON	DATE:	22/08/1999
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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Rye House eventually won a hard fought encounter, but not before surviving a few scares along the way as the revived Saints did all they could to emulate some of their famous predecessors.

The match opened with two shared heats before a hard first bend in Heat 3 saw Garrod and Barton refusing to yield, both hitting the boards untidily. For Barton the match was over, but Garrod returned to the track for the re-run which he won with partner Jay Stevens third to put the Saints ahead.

David Mason's Rye House debut was spoiled by a retirement when leading Heat 5, and with Peter Collyer crashing on the back straight after sweeping round the entire field in Heat 6, the Rockets trailed by six.

Mason came in as a tactical substitute to stamp his considerable authority on Heat 6 and repeated the performance with the much-improved Ian Clarke to establish a two-point lead after Heat 7.

Things continued to see-saw with the Rockets finally taking a two-point advantage into the last heat. Garrod was excluded under two minutes leaving Batt and Irwin to face the deadly duo of Mason and Wolstenholme who predictably registered a 5-1.

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HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	WOLSTENHOLME, Simon	3	2*	3	2*	2*				5	12.0	3.0	15.0		
2	KITE, B	0	F	0						3	0.0	0.0	0.0		
3	BARTON, Jamie	INJURED	N							0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
4	COLLYER, Peter	2	EX	1*	3					4	6.0	1.0	7.0		
5	MASON, David	R	3	3	3	3	3			6	15.0	0.0	15.0		
6	CLARKE, Ian	3	3	2*	2	EX	0			6	10.0	1.0	11.0		
7	EAVES, Steven	0	0	1	1	2	1			6	5.0	0.0	5.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	CROOK, Colin	1*	2*	1*	1					4	5.0	3.0	8.0		
2	BATT, Geoff	2	3	3	2	1				5	11.0	0.0	11.0		
3	STEVENS, Jon	1	0	1*	3					4	5.0	1.0	6.0		
4	GARROD, Dean	3	1	2	2	M				4	8.0	0.0	8.0		
5	THOMPSON, Mark	2	1	3	F					4	6.0	0.0	6.0		
6	OSBORN, David	1*	0	0	1					4	2.0	1.0	3.0		
7	IRWIN, Nathan	2	1*	2*	0	0				5	5.0	2.0	7.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	WOLSTENHOLME, S	BATT, G	CROOK, C	KITE, B	56.5	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	
2	CLARKE, I	IRWIN, N	OSBORN, D	EAVES, S	59.1	3.0	3.0	6.0	6.0	
3	GARROD, D	COLLYER, P	STEVENS, Jo	EAVES, S	57.1	2.0	4.0	8.0	10.0	BARTON, J F/Ns
4	CLARKE, I	THOMPSON, M	IRWIN, N	MASON, D	58.3	3.0	3.0	11.0	13.0	
5	BATT, G	CROOK, C	EAVES, S	COLLYER, P		1.0	5.0	12.0	18.0	
6	MASON, D	WOLSTENHOLME, S	THOMPSON, M	OSBORN, D	56.7	5.0	1.0	17.0	19.0	
7	MASON, D	CLARKE, I	GARROD, D	STEVENS, Jo	55.6	5.0	1.0	22.0	20.0	
8	BATT, G	IRWIN, N	EAVES, S	KITE, B	58.0	1.0	5.0	23.0	25.0	
9	THOMPSON, M	CLARKE, I	COLLYER, P	OSBORN, D	57.1	3.0	3.0	26.0	28.0	
10	WOLSTENHOLME, S	GARROD, D	STEVENS, Jo	KITE, B	56.8	3.0	3.0	29.0	31.0	
11	MASON, D	BATT, G	CROOK, C	CLARKE, I		3.0	3.0	32.0	34.0	
12	STEVENS, Jo	EAVES, S	OSBORN, D	CLARKE, I	56.6	2.0	4.0	34.0	38.0	
13	MASON, D	WOLSTENHOLME, S	CROOK, C	THOMPSON, M	56.8	5.0	1.0	39.0	39.0	
14	COLLYER, P	GARROD, D	EAVES, S	IRWIN, N	56.9	4.0	2.0	43.0	41.0	
15	MASON, D	WOLSTENHOLME, S	BATT, G	IRWIN, N	56.5	5.0	1.0	48.0	42.0	GARROD, D M

VENUE	WEST ROW	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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RYE HOUSE	48.0	42.0	BUXTON	DATE:	05/09/1999
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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This second item on Sunday's agenda at West Row produced a fascinating struggle between two teams showing great determination. James Mann retired while leading Heat 2, allowing David Osborn to take a win for the Hitman, but there was little between the teams as the first three heats were shared.

Enter David Mason, to produce the first of two 4-2s, the second occurring when Jamie Young fell in Heat 5. Simon Moon was excluded in Heat 7 producing protests from the Rockets camp and with Mann and Young taking a 5-1 in Heat 8, the teams were level again.

Chapman was excluded under two minutes from Heat 12, then Osborn broke the tapes, providing an opportunity for the excellent Mann. The youngster ensured Aidan Collins' victory was not wasted by finishing third to break the deadlock and put Buxton ahead for the first time. The big guns lined up in Heat 13 and Mason and Wolstenholme powered to a 5-1 to reverse the narrow lead. Burnett fell trying desperately to secure points in Heat 14, leaving Rye House's top men the task of sharing Heat 15 for victory, but they did more than that with a maximum heat win.

The drama extended into the Bronze Helmet match race, holder Adam Allott beaten from the gate by Mason who led until the final home straight. Allott caught him over the final five yards, the referee's decision brought howls of protests from the home camp who clearly felt Mason had just held on.

Video evidence apparently later proved referee Dave Dowling correct with his call.

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R/R Chapman Excluded 2 Minutes Heat 12

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	WOLSTENHOLME, Simon	3	3	3	3	2*	2*			6	16.0	2.0	18.0		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2	CHAPMAN, Dean	0	R	1	0	M				4	1.0	0.0	1.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
3	BARTON, Jamie	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
4	BATT, Geoff	0	1	0	1*					4	2.0	1.0	3.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
5	MASON, David	3	3	3	3	3	3			6	18.0	0.0	18.0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	MOON, Simon	2	3	EX	0	2	2			6	9.0	0.0	9.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
7	CLARKE, Ian	1*	1	0	0					4	2.0	1.0	3.0		<input type="checkbox"/>

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	PAINTER, Neil	2	2	2	1	0				5	7.0	0.0	7.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
2	YOUNG, Jamie (II)	1*	EX	2*						3	3.0	2.0	5.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
3	COLLINS, Aidan	1*	2	2	3	1				5	9.0	1.0	10.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
4	BURNETT, Paul	2	1*	1*	EX					4	4.0	2.0	6.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
5	ALLOTT, Adam	2	2	2	0					4	6.0	0.0	6.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
6	OSBORN, David	3	0	1*	T					3	4.0	1.0	5.0		<input type="checkbox"/>
7	MANN, Jason	R	3	1*	1*	1	3			6	9.0	2.0	11.0		<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:		
1	WOLSTENHOLME, S	PAINTER, N	YOUNG, Jamie	CHAPMAN, D		55.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0		
2	OSBORN, D	MOON, S	CLARKE, I	MANN, Jason	Ret	57.0	3.0	3.0	6.0	6.0		
3	WOLSTENHOLME, S	BURNETT, P	COLLINS, A	BATT, G		55.8	3.0	3.0	9.0	9.0		
4	MASON, D	ALLOTT, A	CLARKE, I	OSBORN, D		54.8	4.0	2.0	13.0	11.0		
5	MOON, S	PAINTER, N	BATT, G	YOUNG, Jamie	Exc	55.9	4.0	2.0	17.0	13.0		
6	WOLSTENHOLME, S	ALLOTT, A	OSBORN, D	CHAPMAN, D	Ret	56.0	3.0	3.0	20.0	16.0		
7	MASON, D	COLLINS, A	BURNETT, P	MOON, S	Exc	55.2	3.0	3.0	23.0	19.0		
8	MANN, Jason	YOUNG, Jamie	CHAPMAN, D	CLARKE, I		56.5	1.0	5.0	24.0	24.0		
9	MASON, D	ALLOTT, A	MANN, Jason	BATT, G		55.5	3.0	3.0	27.0	27.0		
10	WOLSTENHOLME, S	COLLINS, A	BURNETT, P	CHAPMAN, D		55.7	3.0	3.0	30.0	30.0		
11	MASON, D	PAINTER, N	MANN, Jason	MOON, S		55.4	3.0	3.0	33.0	33.0		
12	COLLINS, A	MOON, S	MANN, Jason	CLARKE, I		56.1	2.0	4.0	35.0	37.0	OSBORN, D	T
13	MASON, D	WOLSTENHOLME, S	PAINTER, N	ALLOTT, A		56.2	5.0	1.0	40.0	38.0		
14	MANN, Jason	MOON, S	BATT, G	BURNETT, P	Exc		3.0	3.0	43.0	41.0		
15	MASON, D	WOLSTENHOLME, S	COLLINS, A	PAINTER, N		56.5	5.0	1.0	48.0	42.0		

VENUE	SADDLEBOW STADIUM	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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RYE HOUSE	50.0	40.0	MILDENHALL	DATE:	19/09/1999
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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The fighting spirit of the Silver Ski Rockets was apparent once again as the team saw off their erstwhile landlord rivals Mildenhall in a tense encounter at neutral Saddlebow Road.

The Rockets suffered an early blow after being informed before the start of the clash that they were unable to track Gary Corbett and David Mason in the same team, despite a precedent of four heat leaders in a team being set by Newport earlier this month.

And with Corbett warming his bikes up in the pits when the decision was made, a tem with a lesser sense of camaraderie may have been daunted by losing a rider with such potent point-scoring potential.

Dean Chapman was elevated into the team, and it looked as if the Rockets would struggle after the Tigers struck the opening blows with 2-4s in Heats 2 and 3.

But the absence of David Osborn - himself deputising for Jamie Birkinshaw - meant the Fen Tiger reserves were strained and the cracks started to show when the Rockets had levelled at 30-30 by Heat 10.

And the match turned towards the Silver Ski Rockets when the impressive Simon Moon and Chapman combined for a 5-1 in Heat 11.

From there on, Wolstenholme and Mason ensured the Rockets' win by claiming the remaining heat wins.

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HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	WOLSTENHOLME, Simon	EX	3	3	3	1				5	10.0	0.0	10.0		
2	COLLYER, Peter	3	0	3	1					4	7.0	0.0	7.0		
3	BARTON, Jamie	EX	0	0	1*					4	1.0	1.0	2.0		
4	MASON, David	2	3	3	3	3				5	14.0	0.0	14.0		
5	CHAPMAN, Dean	1*	1	2*	R					4	4.0	2.0	6.0		
6	MOON, Simon	2	3	3	2*					4	10.0	1.0	11.0		
7	CLARKE, Ian	0	2	0	2					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	KNOWLES, Phillip	2	2	1	2					4	7.0	0.0	7.0		
2	HEDGE, Gavin	1*	1*	1*	F					4	3.0	3.0	6.0		
3	OSBORN, David	D.N.A								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
4	DIXON, Lee	1	2	1						3	4.0	0.0	4.0		
5	COLVIN, Shane	3	2	1*	1*	0				5	7.0	2.0	9.0		
6	EVANS, Barry	3	3	1*	2	2	3	2		7	16.0	1.0	17.0		
7	DUFFILL, Jitendra	1	0	2	0					4	3.0	0.0	3.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:
1	COLLYER, P	KNOWLES, P	HEDGE, G	WOLSTENHOLME, S	F/Exc	67.4	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
2	EVANS, B	MOON, S	DUFFILL, J	CLARKE, I		66.4	2.0	4.0	5.0	7.0
3	EVANS, B	MASON, D	DIXON, L	BARTON, J	Exc UR	66.3	2.0	4.0	7.0	11.0
4	COLVIN, S	CLARKE, I	CHAPMAN, D	DUFFILL, J		66.1	3.0	3.0	10.0	14.0
5	MASON, D	KNOWLES, P	HEDGE, G	BARTON, J		65.8	3.0	3.0	13.0	17.0
6	WOLSTENHOLME, S	COLVIN, S	EVANS, B	COLLYER, P		67.4	3.0	3.0	16.0	20.0
7	MOON, S	DIXON, L	CHAPMAN, D	OSBORN, D	NS	67.6	4.0	2.0	20.0	22.0
8	COLLYER, P	DUFFILL, J	HEDGE, G	CLARKE, I		67.5	3.0	3.0	23.0	25.0
9	MASON, D	EVANS, B	COLVIN, S	BARTON, J		65.5	3.0	3.0	26.0	28.0
10	WOLSTENHOLME, S	EVANS, B	COLLYER, P	OSBORN, D	NS	66.4	4.0	2.0	30.0	30.0
11	MOON, S	CHAPMAN, D	KNOWLES, P	HEDGE, G		67.2	5.0	1.0	35.0	31.0
12	EVANS, B	CLARKE, I	BARTON, J	OSBORN, D	NS	66.8	3.0	3.0	38.0	34.0
13	WOLSTENHOLME, S	KNOWLES, P	COLVIN, S	CHAPMAN, D	Ret	67.2	3.0	3.0	41.0	37.0
14	MASON, D	MOON, S	DIXON, L	DUFFILL, J		66.0	5.0	1.0	46.0	38.0
15	MASON, D	EVANS, B	WOLSTENHOLME, S	COLVIN, S			4.0	2.0	50.0	40.0

VENUE	WEST ROW	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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RYE HOUSE	56.0	34.0	NEWPORT Res	DATE:	02/10/1999
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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Conference League champions Newport arrived without their heat leaders, on Young Shield duty at Berwick, and were no match for the Silver Ski Rockets.

The Mavericks started well enough, sharing the first two heats after Dean Chapman was excluded for bringing down Darren Hatton in the opener.

Enter Jamie Barton, who won Heat 3 with partner Peter Collyer second to give the Rockets a lead they never looked likely to surrender.

Barton and Collyer did it again in Heat 5 to stretch the lead to eight points and by Heat 7 it was 28-14 as all the Rockets, with the exception of the put of sorts Ian Clarke, began to exert pressure.

Resistance came from Chris Courage and Jamie Holmes, the latter joining Mark Thompson in Heat 8 to produce the visitors' only heat advantage.

The recovery couldn't last, Barton won Heat 9 with Collyer third before two more heat wins put the Rockets in an unassailable position after Heat 11.

David Mason gained revenge for losing his maximum in the final heat by beating Courage out of the gate to lift the Bronze Helmet.

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HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	WOLSTENHOLME, Simon	3	3	3	1	3				5	13.0	0.0	13.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	CHAPMAN, Dean	EX	1	1	2*					4	4.0	1.0	5.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	BARTON, Jamie	3	3	3	3					4	12.0	0.0	12.0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	COLLYER, Peter	2*	2*	1	EX					4	5.0	2.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	MASON, David	3	3	3	3	1				5	13.0	0.0	13.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	MOON, Simon	3	2*	1	3					4	9.0	1.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	CLARKE, Ian	R	0	0	0					4	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	COURAGE, Chris	2	1	M	2	2	2	2		6	11.0	0.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	HATTON, Darren	1*	0	0						3	1.0	1.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	THOMPSON, Mark	1	EX	3	0					4	4.0	0.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	FINLOW, Rob	0	1	1	2	1*				5	5.0	1.0	6.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	GOUGH, Craig	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	ASTON, Steve	1*	1*	0	0	1*				5	3.0	3.0	6.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	HOLMES, Jamie	2	2	2	2*	0	2	0		7	10.0	1.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:		
1	WOLSTENHOLME, S	COURAGE, C	HATTON, D	CHAPMAN, D	F/Exc	55.6	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0		
2	MOON, S	HOLMES, J	ASTON, S	CLARKE, I	Ret	57.1	3.0	3.0	6.0	6.0		
3	BARTON, J	COLLYER, P	THOMPSON, M	FINLOW, R		56.3	5.0	1.0	11.0	7.0		
4	MASON, D	HOLMES, J	ASTON, S	CLARKE, I		55.5	3.0	3.0	14.0	10.0		
5	BARTON, J	COLLYER, P	COURAGE, C	HATTON, D		56.1	5.0	1.0	19.0	11.0		
6	WOLSTENHOLME, S	HOLMES, J	CHAPMAN, D	ASTON, S		54.5	4.0	2.0	23.0	13.0	COURAGE, C	M
7	MASON, D	MOON, S	FINLOW, R	THOMPSON, M	F/Exc	55.1	5.0	1.0	28.0	14.0		
8	THOMPSON, M	HOLMES, J	CHAPMAN, D	CLARKE, I		58.1	1.0	5.0	29.0	19.0		
9	BARTON, J	COURAGE, C	COLLYER, P	ASTON, S		55.7	4.0	2.0	33.0	21.0		
10	WOLSTENHOLME, S	CHAPMAN, D	FINLOW, R	THOMPSON, M		59.1	5.0	1.0	38.0	22.0		
11	MASON, D	COURAGE, C	MOON, S	HATTON, D		55.9	4.0	2.0	42.0	24.0		
12	BARTON, J	FINLOW, R	ASTON, S	CLARKE, I		57.2	3.0	3.0	45.0	27.0		
13	MASON, D	COURAGE, C	WOLSTENHOLME, S	HOLMES, J		55.3	4.0	2.0	49.0	29.0		
14	MOON, S	HOLMES, J	FINLOW, R	COLLYER, P	F/Exc	57.5	3.0	3.0	52.0	32.0		
15	WOLSTENHOLME, S	COURAGE, C	MASON, D	HOLMES, J		56.1	4.0	2.0	56.0	34.0		

VENUE	HAYLEY STADIUM	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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NEWPORT Res	66.0	23.0	RYE HOUSE	DATE:	09/10/1999
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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Newport Mavericks scorched to their biggest victory of the season as they ended their home league campaign in perfect style to gear up for next Saturday's Conference Cup Final against ST. Austell.

Several Rye House riders were unhappy at the bumpy state of the track and called referee Rob Perks down for a track inspection after Heat 4.

Certainly the home riders appeared to have few problems, notably first year rooki Jamie Holmes who put in easily his best home performance of the season. Ry House only seriously threatened when David Maon made good starts, but though he won two of his five races in the match he lost out on the Bronze Helmet to Chris Neath.

Andrew Appleton was equally dominant, but stood down to allow Neath a chance to take the Helmet - which in turn would be defended by another Newport Maverick rider at Buxton the next day.

Nick Simmons made his Newport return for the first time since his horrendous crash against Buxton and produced the best ride of the day to come from fourth to second in Heat 11.

The match was as one-sided as the score suggests, and so good racing was at a premium. The first heat was the most exciting with Mark Thompson falling and remounting, then Dean Chapman did the same on the last turn and pushed home just ahead of the under power Newport rider.

Nextaturday's Cup Final against St. Austell will doubtless be a more competitive test for the league champions.

Bob Radford - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	NEATH, Chris	3	3	3	3	3				5	15.0	0.0	15.0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	THOMPSON, Mark	0	1	2*	1					4	4.0	1.0	5.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	APPLETON, Andrew	3	3	3	3	2*				5	14.0	1.0	15.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4	COURAGE, Chris	2*	2*	1	3					4	8.0	2.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	ELDRIDGE, Bobby	2	1*	3	2*					4	8.0	2.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	SIMMONS, Nick	3	2	2*	2*					4	9.0	2.0	11.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	HOLMES, Jamie	2*	1*	3	2*					4	8.0	3.0	11.0	<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	WOLSTENHOLME, Simon	2	1	1	1	1	1			6	7.0	0.0	7.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	CHAPMAN, Dean	1*	0	F	R	R				5	1.0	1.0	2.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	BARTON, Jamie	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	COLLYER, Peter	0	0	2	1	1	0			6	4.0	0.0	4.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	MASON, David	3	2	3	2	R				5	10.0	0.0	10.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	MOON, Simon	1	EX	0	0					4	1.0	0.0	1.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	CLARKE, Ian	0	0	F	0					4	0.0	0.0	0.0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:	
1	NEATH, C	WOLSTENHOLME, S	CHAPMAN, D	THOMPSON, M	F/Rem	64.7	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	
2	SIMMONS, N	HOLMES, J	F/Rem	MOON, S	CLARKE, I	66.3	5.0	1.0	8.0	4.0	
3	APPLETON, A	COURAGE, C	WOLSTENHOLME, S	COLLYER, P	65.7	5.0	1.0	13.0	5.0		
4	MASON, D	ELDRIDGE, B	HOLMES, J	CLARKE, I	66.2	3.0	3.0	16.0	8.0		
5	NEATH, C	COURAGE, C	WOLSTENHOLME, S	CHAPMAN, D	65.3	5.0	1.0	21.0	9.0		
6	NEATH, C	MASON, D	THOMPSON, M	F/Rem	MOON, S	F/Exc	4.0	2.0	25.0	11.0	
7	MASON, D	SIMMONS, N	ELDRIDGE, B	COLLYER, P	64.6	3.0	3.0	28.0	14.0		
8	HOLMES, J	THOMPSON, M	CHAPMAN, D	F	CLARKE, I	F	69.7	5.0	0.0	33.0	14.0
9	APPLETON, A	MASON, D	COURAGE, C	MOON, S	65.7	4.0	2.0	37.0	16.0		
10	NEATH, C	COLLYER, P	THOMPSON, M	CHAPMAN, D	Ret	67.6	4.0	2.0	41.0	18.0	
11	ELDRIDGE, B	SIMMONS, N	WOLSTENHOLME, S	CHAPMAN, D	Ret	66.9	5.0	1.0	46.0	19.0	
12	APPLETON, A	HOLMES, J	COLLYER, P	MOON, S	66.3	5.0	1.0	51.0	20.0		
13	NEATH, C	ELDRIDGE, B	WOLSTENHOLME, S	MASON, D	R	64.9	5.0	1.0	56.0	21.0	
14	COURAGE, C	SIMMONS, N	COLLYER, P	CLARKE, I	68.0	5.0	1.0	61.0	22.0		
15	NEATH, C	APPLETON, A	WOLSTENHOLME, S	COLLYER, P	65.3	5.0	1.0	66.0	23.0		

VENUE	WEST ROW	COMPETITION	LEAGUE
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MILDENHALL	48.0	41.0	RYE HOUSE	DATE:	17/10/1999
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RESULT:	HOME WIN	AGREGATE SCORE
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Fen Tigers survived a hair-raising start and a nerve jangling finish to round off their Conference season with a thrilling victory over their tenants and arch-rivals.

Skipper Gavin Hedge slammed into the fence less than 15 seconds into the match. Then the tension between the teams built to a point where Heat 13 was red flagged twice due to jitters at the tapes.

The top men matched each other win for win throughout what was, in effect, a home match for both sides. Barry Evans piled up 7 points, as did David Mason, Hedge surviving to play the same kind of captain's role as Simon Wolstenholme, who was also involved in the first race incident.

But the crucial statistic was 10-0 in Mildenhall's favour because the only time a Tiger finished last was when he either fell or was excluded. And there were vital contributions as the clash came close to overheating from Tigers second strings Shane Colvin and Phil Knowles, providing the kind of support the Rockets' dynamic duo lacked.

There could hardly have been a more dramatic opening as Hedge hammered around the outside to take the lead in Heat 1 but careered into the fence on the third bend, his bike bouncing into the centre and knocking Wolstenholme off. Although badly shaken, the Rye man took his place in a re-run in which the Rockets took a maximum as Steve Camden's bike spluttered.

It was close all the way to Heat 12 when Tigers edged 38-33 in front, but that was quickly reduced to a solitary point, the tension at the gate in Heat 13 bringing back memories of the classic encounter two decades ago when Tigers beat the Rockets in an explosive match to virtually clinch the National League title.

Heat 14 was the decider and there was a scare for the Tigers as Colvin was sandwiched by Jamie Barton and Simon Moon, but he kept his balance and chased after Barton to pass him and join Evans for a 5-1.

The final heat emphasised the promise of Evans as he shot from the gate to spoil Mason's maximum.

Randall Butt - Speedway Star

HOME TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	CAMDEN, Steve	1	3	R	1	F				5	5.0	0.0	5.0		
2	HEDGE, Gavin	EX	2	2	3	3	1			6	11.0	0.0	11.0		
3	SWEET, Gary	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
4	COLVIN, Shane	1	1*	2	2*					4	6.0	2.0	8.0		
5	KNOWLES, Phillip	1*	1*	3	1					4	6.0	2.0	8.0		
6	EVANS, Barry	3	2	2	1	3	3	3		7	17.0	0.0	17.0		
7	DUFFILL, Jitendra	EX	2*	1*	R					4	3.0	2.0	5.0		

AWAY TEAM

No.	RIDER	1:	2:	3:	4:	5:	6:	7:	8:	R	PTS	BP	T PTS	FM	PM
1	WOLSTENHOLME, Simon	3	2	3	2	2*				5	12.0	1.0	13.0		
2	CHAPMAN, Dean	2*	0	1	2	0	0			6	5.0	1.0	6.0		
3	BARTON, Jamie	0	0	0	1					4	1.0	0.0	1.0		
4	COLLYER, Peter	R/R								0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
5	MASON, David	3	3	3	3	3	2			6	17.0	0.0	17.0		
6	CLARKE, Ian	2	1	0	1*					4	4.0	1.0	5.0		
7	MOON, Simon	M	0	0	2	0				4	2.0	0.0	2.0		

Ht.	1st:	2nd	3rd	Unplaced	Time	H	A	H	A	Other:	
1	WOLSTENHOLME, S	CHAPMAN, D	CAMDEN, S	HEDGE, G	F/Exc	56.6	1.0	5.0	1.0	5.0	
2	EVANS, B	CLARKE, I	DUFFILL, J	Exc Wl	MOON, S	M	56.9	3.0	2.0	4.0	7.0
3	CAMDEN, S	WOLSTENHOLME, S	COLVIN, S		BARTON, J		56.4	4.0	2.0	8.0	9.0
4	MASON, D	EVANS, B	KNOWLES, P		MOON, S		55.1	3.0	3.0	11.0	12.0
5	WOLSTENHOLME, S	HEDGE, G	COLVIN, S		CHAPMAN, D		55.1	3.0	3.0	14.0	15.0
6	MASON, D	HEDGE, G	CLARKE, I		CAMDEN, S		55.3	2.0	4.0	16.0	19.0
7	MASON, D	EVANS, B	KNOWLES, P		BARTON, J		55.4	3.0	3.0	19.0	22.0
8	HEDGE, G	DUFFILL, J	CHAPMAN, D		MOON, S		56.8	5.0	1.0	24.0	23.0
9	MASON, D	COLVIN, S	DUFFILL, J		CLARKE, I		55.5	3.0	3.0	27.0	26.0
10	HEDGE, G	CHAPMAN, D	CAMDEN, S		BARTON, J		56.0	4.0	2.0	31.0	28.0
11	KNOWLES, P	WOLSTENHOLME, S	EVANS, B		CHAPMAN, D		56.2	4.0	2.0	35.0	30.0
12	EVANS, B	MOON, S	CLARKE, I		DUFFILL, J	Ret	55.9	3.0	3.0	38.0	33.0
13	MASON, D	WOLSTENHOLME, S	KNOWLES, P		CAMDEN, S	F	55.4	1.0	5.0	39.0	38.0
14	EVANS, B	COLVIN, S	BARTON, J		MOON, S		56.0	5.0	1.0	44.0	39.0
15	EVANS, B	MASON, D	HEDGE, G		CHAPMAN, D		56.1	4.0	2.0	48.0	41.0

LEAGUE TABLE

YEAR	1999	CONFERENCE LEAGUE		DIV	3												
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 NEWPORT Res	12	6	0	0	340	194	4	0	2	266	271	606	465	20	0	20	
2 ST. AUSTELL	12	5	0	1	326	214	3	1	2	294	246	620	460	17	0	17	
3 BUXTON	12	5	1	0	324	210	2	0	4	258	274	582	484	15	0	15	
4 RYE HOUSE	12	5	0	1	274	262	1	0	5	210	324	484	586	12	0	12	
5 MILDENHALL	12	3	0	3	283	248	1	0	5	238	299	521	547	8	0	8	
6 LINLITHGOW	12	3	0	3	269	264	1	0	5	209	325	478	589	8	0	8	
7 KING'S LYNN Res	12	2	0	4	254	284	0	0	6	201	331	455	615	4	0	4	