



# KICK OFF

AUG 1986

PICKFORD CUP TRIUMPH

VERWOOD STAR IN LOVE TRYST.

NORMAN TOPS 85/86 GOAL CHART

We finished 85/86 on a high note winning the Pickford Cup against arch rivals Trinidad.

In the close season though, Superstud / Superstar Tony Pharoah appears to have fallen hook line and sinker for Alderney Evening Echo page 3 girl Nicky Sanderson.

Tony had been begged for some time to become Alderney Evening Echo's centre fold star. On his weeks holiday in Alderney Tony finally relented to a photo call on August 5<sup>th</sup>. Tony emerged from the changing rooms wearing nothing but a smile and bumped into a well prepared page 3 girl heading into the studio set. It was love at first stroke sight. They're both now in regular contact. We'll try to keep readers up to date as the next seven months could see interesting developments.

Although Steve Norman didn't score in the remaining cup final games he finished top scorer with 39 goals falling just short of his 84/85 record by goals.

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5.5.86 MON. POST OFFICE LG (H)

As always Post office provided a hard game hitting Verwood hard from both wings as they tried to dominate the early exchanges. Tony Pharoah brilliantly stopped a left wing raid and surged upfield bringing Martin into the game with a low cross field ball. Martin collecting neatly sent Norman away but a good shot went just wide. Long was in great form showing athleticism on a number of occasions. The first half was a see saw game with Verwood just having the edge. The second half produced an ever flowing game but with Edge Richards and Eyles in such good form Verwood looked solid. Two goals rocked Verwood but with a spirited retaliatory spell Richards and Norman both scored to produce a 2-2 result.

8.5.86 TRINIDAD PICKFORD CUP FINAL. DEAN COURT

We met our bogey team in the final but despite the historical bad results against Trinidad, Verwood's squad were confident of reversing the trend. A massive plus was Trinidad's linesman Butler sitting in the stand and not officiating.

The opening exchanges were scrappy as both sides tried to settle down and it was evident that both teams had decided on tactical marking with Steve Norman being policed by Trinidad CH. Dunning whilst Martin Shuter took on the task of keeping Trinidad's stop marksman Judgett under control.

Mike Eyles produced the first piece of controlled football taking down a high ball and operating a one-two with Steve Richards. Tony Pharoah overlapping on the right collected Eyles pass and a byeline cross was narrowly headed wide by

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Martin. A sharp Trinidad break produced a tremendous Ashley Long save and Miller provided good cover from another dangerous cross. Gradually the game settled down to an entertaining game with the play flowing end to end. Gineira looked cool with clever defensive cover and a sound back four performance prevented Trinidad from taking the initiative.

The second half opened with a bang - after 2½ mins. Paul Martin pivoted 30 yards out and unleashed a ferocious shot which dipped under the bar. A combined R.W. counter attack was checked by Shuller before Miller had to display his heading ability keeping a dangerous high ball out of the box. The Pharaoh twins were playing well with Martin operating on the left and Tony on the right. 14 mins. into the second half, Richards sent away Foster. "Fossies" -urz to the box was a delight, and a clever left foot cross found Martin - a head back into the area, a nod on by Norman and there was Richards to steer home a third header to put Verwood two up. The most dangerous period for a team is just after they've scored and so it proved with Verwood as they were carried on a euphoric wave. Trinidad attacked swiftly and a minute after Verwoods second goal, a rare defensive slip saw Miller pass back only to stand horror struck as it slipped into the corner of the net - 2-1. Trinidad powered forward putting Verwood on the rack. Long's elastic arms pushed a vicious shot round the post whilst Shuller was tested to the ultimate containing Judgett. Gradually the storm was weathered and with 15 mins. to go Foster broke away going narrowly wide with a left foot rocket. 2 mins. later Eyres tried a long shot which had the keeper scrambling on the R.H. post. With only 3 mins. left Trinidad snatched the equaliser when a L.W. cross

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wasn't picked up and a 20 yard right foot shot beat Long.

Extra Time saw two sets of tired legs but still the football was end to end. Close calls from both forward lines kept the crowd on their toes. Steve Norman found a little bit of room but a strong tackle just inside the box denied him the shot. With 12 minutes to go - disaster. A sharp raid on the right and Trinidad went into the lead with a well taken goal. Verwood's character emerged and throwing caution to the winds surged forward with Edge (or for Martin Shuttler) and Tony Pharoah overlapping on the flanks adding extra width to the attacks. A nasty tackle on Tony Pharoah produced a free kick - Eyres noticing Miller lurking on the far post sent a high ball over the box and Verwood's ace centre-half powered an unstoppable header into the roof of the net. The game finished at 3-3 with the replay to be held 14 August at Dean Court.

14. 8. 86 TRINIDAD - PICKFORD CUP FINAL - REPLAY  
@ DEAN COURT K.O. 7. P.M.

There was no shaky start to this replay as both teams settled immediately to some fine football. Verwood went straight on the attack with Martin moving to the wing bring Martin Pharoah quickly into the game. A strong run to the box a switch ball and Eyres tried the first shot of the game which was comfortably held by Trinidad's keeper. Dunning was again keeping close to Norman while Shuttler made sure Sudgett had no room to work. Bosley of Trinidad tested Long but Verwood's keeper was in superb form holding a difficult shot on the R.H. post.

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Verwood certainly looked the sharper of the teams although Trinidad as always were dangerous on the break. Martin Pharoah playing better in this game than last week's opened up Trinidad's defence with excellent runs on the left, and with Paul Martin turning intelligently into space, was finding room to move from the flank into mid field space. A sharp Trinidad raid brought the best out of Miller when heading away a dangerous cross into the box. Gierera caused hearts to flutter in the next Trinidad raid when he handled in the box but the referee judged "ball to hand" and waved play on.

Imelgett then shook off Shutter for a brief moment and unleashed a crackerjack of a low shot that Long brilliantly saved and held. Norman then seemed to get space and a good combination move with Richards almost let in Mike Eyles, but a block tackle on the edge of the box prevented the shot. Tony Pharoah, controlling his wing man, was also finding his pace allowed him to join the attack regularly with foraging runs. Good overlapping on half time almost produced a goal when a run and high cross was headed weakly wide by Martin.

Trinidad opened briskly the second half and Gierera linking with Miller broke up an extremely dangerous raid, in the first minute. The game became the story of strong defences as both attacks were thwarted outside the boxes. Foster again producing wizardry on the right almost broke the deadlock with a clever dribble and shot but the crowd had to wait until the 87th minute for a goal.

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Constant pressure produced the first sign of a Trinidad defensive crack and as both Richards and Eyres went close, a through ball found Norman who slipped Dunning but the diving keeper blocked the shot 10 yards from goal. Martin fastened on to the rebound and a right foot ground shot found the corner of the net.

Unlike the last game Verwood made sure no complacency entered their play and almost went further ahead in the remaining minutes as both ~~Wester~~ and Eyres went close with fine shots.

Richards stepped forward at 8:50 p.m. to collect the Cup on behalf of the Club.

28:5:86 TRINIDAD SEMI FINAL BANKES CUP (A)

Yet again we met Trinidad. Several changes had been made to the Trinidad team, with imports from Wimbore Town and Poole Town. Nonetheless it was a good game with Verwood giving as good as they got. Finishing was the problem and because of the lack of punch Trinidad gained revenge with a 2-1 win. Verwoods goal came in the 85th minute from captain Steve Richards.

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HOLT HAMS v VERWOOD VETS

Two weeks after Verwood's Pickford Cup triumph Holt threw down the gauntlet for an over 38's team to be formed for a challenge game likely to become an annual fixture.

Verwood, as usual, played by the rules, but even the 38's squad lead like Debrett's.

- 1/ BERT PHAROAH.
- 2/ TERRY BARON
- 3/ JOHN REYNOLDS
- 4/ ALAN SHAKESHAF
- 5/ JOHN ATKINS
- 6/ BERNARD SCOTT
- 7/ MIKE GUY
- 8/ JOHN BREWER
- 9/ BOB ANTELL
- 10/ BOB EYRES
- 11/ ROD LOCK.

Holt, bending the rules fielded only 4 over 38's the rest of the squad made up of current league players. They obviously hoped to trounce the elite.

From the kick off Lock took immediate control surprising everyone with a tremendous two yard sprint, knocking the ball to Antell. A deft turn a delicate chip and Atkins suddenly found himself with the ball. A quick back pass and Bert "The Cat" Pharoah had his first feel of the ball. A good long kick found Jerry Baron at right back and Verwood Vets surged across the field. Holt were becoming frustrated as they hadn't touched the ball for the first five minutes but a rare Shakeshaft slip allowed the opposition the ball. A big boot found a stranded Holt forward well off-

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side but amazingly the referee allowed the goal. Jerry Baron, himself a class six referee challenged the decision but to no avail. Bert Pharoah was then warned because of his threats and obscene gestures, but the goal counted. Brewer, gathering the ball from the re-start slipped two men (one being Shakeshaft) and sent Artell away with a good through ball. Artell outstripped the Holt defence with an amazing burst of speed but was narrowly wide with a cracking RF shot. Bobby Eyles took the eye in the first half with fine touches bewitching Holt's defence and their guest goal-keeper diving on a number of occasions. Two more offside goals were added to Holt's tally before half time.

Mike Guy spughtly on the right (we don't know about his other side) sprang into action at the start of the second half with a timely ball to Eyles, a cross ball to Reynolds found the Vets powerhouse full back surging upfield taking on all comers. A lucky stop from John's shot was cleared away and unbelievably found an offside Holt player (again judged onside by the ref) and despite a superlative dive from Pharoah Holt were 4-0 in the lead. The Vets countered with amazing football and Holt's vicious streak came through as they tried every trick in the book to prevent the Vets scoring. The most dastardly surely was the thieving of Lockes oxygen squister. Brewer broke away from some high lunging tackles but justice was done when one tackle that connected was on the penalty spot. A spot kick was awarded. Brewer shrugging aside acute pain from a near fractured ankle calmly stroked the ball past diving who had dived the wrong way. 4-1 finished the scoring



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The question now - will Holt dare risk a new challenge against the Vets? Time will tell.

### HANLEY SIXES

Verwood entered two squads in his years Hanley sixes :-

A/ ASHLEY LONG  
CHRIS EDGIE  
STEVE RICHARDS  
WILLIE AHERN  
GRAHAM FOSTER  
STEVE NORMAN

B/ MIKE CREED  
TONY PHAROAH  
MARTIN SHUTLER  
MARTIN SMITH  
ADRIAN ARNOLD  
PAUL MARTIN

The A/ squad were beaten narrowly in the final but deservedly won a medal each.

The B/ squad reached the semi final being beaten by Queens Park.

### 8. 8. 86 PARLEY (A) FRIENDLY

The game against Parley was arranged at extremely short notice giving Rod Lock only 1½ days to bring a squad together. The time factor prevented a full first eleven and five changes were made including Nick Long and Stuart Smy. The game also saw Willie Ahern's debut for the club.

Parley were first into the attack but Richards broke up the raid with a strong midfield tackle. His pass to Eyles put Verwood on the attack from which diving saved a low Foster shot.

Smir into the game and a good combination between Eyles and Ahern saw the latter hit a R.F. shot just past the post. A parley break in the 11th minute went unchallenged and a good shot curled over Long into the corner.

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Parley went further ahead three minutes later when Long pushed out a difficult shot only to see the rebound smashed into the net. Eyes pulled back a fine goal in the 22nd minute with a 25 yard free kick that flew past a static Phil diving. Three minutes later.

Richards lost the ball outside Parleys box and a long clearance went unchallenged - 3-1. Four minutes to half time a Parley corner wasn't met by Verwood's defence - 4-1.

Both Jay and Nick Long had played extremely well and it was good to see them in the thick of the action. From a Jay tackle Miller linked with Shutter and a neat pass found Ahern surging into the box. Just before trying a shot a cross tackle took Ahern's legs - a penalty. Eyes stepped up and coolly sent diving the wrong way. 13 min later and Parley went further ahead when a looping shot beat Long. Ahern, chivvying prompting and constantly diving Verwood forward was having a fine game and it was his link with Foster that freed Eyes. A curling 20 yd shot and Eyes deservedly collected his hat trick. In the dying seconds of the game Long tried to clear a thru ball but his kick on the edge of the box rebounded off the attackers skins into the net. The game finished with a convincing Parley 6-3 result

15.8.86

OLD MANOR

(H) FRIENDLY

A good fast open game and a delight to watch. Old Manor met a full Verwood squad and were eventually over run. Long was tested in the opening minute but competent handling made the shot look easy. Verwoods defence was under intense pressure as the visitors ran confidently at the Verwood team. Fortunately, both Tony Phenoak and Shutter had more than enough speed and resilience and gradually the mid-

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-field gained control. Ahern, buzzing and working well with Eyles sent a through ball to Arnold and a good run was stopped by a hard tackle just outside the box. Tony Pharoah attacking down the right in the 9th minute crossed a superb ball to the far post where Martin cracked home a vicious left foot volley into the corner of the net. Eleven minutes later it was Tony Pharoah again steaming in from the right that caused Old Manor problems. Striking on the edge of the box Tony's shot just went wide 5 mins later Edge came on to take over from Tony Pharoah at full back and immediately found himself under pressure. As competent and confident as ever Chris slotted superbly into the slot giving continuity and flow to the side. Martin Pharoah, having a great game on the flank went close in the 31st minute and again 5 mins later.

The pattern continued into the second half with both teams committed to open attacking football. Ahern and Eyles combined well and a link with Martin produced a cross which Foster just missed slotting home. Two minutes later a cruel blow struck Edge as he closed down a shot only to see it rebound off his leg past Lorr. With 30 minutes to go Norman came on for Arnold and three minutes later latched on to a Martin header and scored past an advancing keeper. Old Manor tired as the pitch took its toll. Verwood pressurised and with 4 minutes to go Foster slipped his full back and a right foot rocket proved too hot for the goal keeper to hold. The game finished with Verwood well on top fully deserving the 3-1 score line.

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FIXTURES FOR SEPTEMBER 1986



1ST. TEAM.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>DAY</u>	<u>OPPONENTS</u>	<u>H/A</u>	<u>K. D. P.M.</u>
2. 9. 86	TUE	CHRISTCHURCH	(A)	6.15
6. 9. 86	SAT	TRINIDAD	(A)	2.30
9. 9. 86	TUE	WOODFALLS	(H)	6.15
13. 9. 86	SAT	ABBEY LIFE	(A)	2.30
20. 9. 86	SAT	PARLEY	(H)	2.30
27. 9. 86	SAT	<sup>PARLEY</sup> DOWNTON	(A)	2.30

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2ND TEAM

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1. 9. 86	MON	AVON COUNTRY	(H)	6.15
6. 9. 86	SAT	NATIONAL MUTUAL	(H)	2.30
8. 9. 86	MON	FORDINGBRIDGE	(A)	6.15
13. 9. 86	SAT	ABBEY LIFE	(H)	2.30
20. 9. 86	SAT	NO FIXTURE		
27. 9. 86	SAT.	BRANSGORE	(A)	2.30

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11.10.86 VERWOOD 1ST. AWAY TO BRANKSOME ATHLETIC - DORSET SNR TROPHY.  
2ND TEAM - BYE - IN HANTS JVR B CUP 1ST ROUND.

SCORERS PAGE

Steve Norman topped the charts for the second successive season

<u>NAME</u>	<u>84/85</u>	<u>85/86</u>	<u>SEPT 84</u>	<u>SEPT 85</u>
S. NORMAN	41	39	13	7
E. SIMS	2	32	1	2
P. MARTIN	0	18	0	0
W. ANDREWS	0	12	0	3
S. RICHARDS	8	12	0	1
S. GALE	0	11	0	0
R. EYRES	0	10	0	0
G. FOSTER	12	8	2	1
M. PHAROAH	15	7	5	2
I. ROBERTSON	4	7	0	0
M. EYRES	3	7	1	1
T. JENKINS	0	5	0	0
J. HOLMES	3	2	0	0
M. SMITH	0	2	0	0
C. MILLER	0	2	0	0
L. BALDWIN	12	1	3	1
M. GINEVRA	0	1	0	0
I. SALMON	1	1	0	0
M. SHUTLER	0	1	0	1
S. THOMPSON	3	1	0	0
C. EDGE	3	0	0	0
B. GODDARD	1	0	0	0
A. PHAROAH	1	0	0	0
A. SHAKESHAPT	2	0	0	0
M. CREED	1	0	0	0
B. HOLLOWELL	1	0	0	0
R. LOCK	1	0	0	0

FROM THE CLUB SECRETARY

The August Newsletter of the Dorset County F A contains the following note.

FOUL OR ABUSIVE LANGUAGE

Law I2 (0) states that, "a player shall be sent off the field if, in the opinion of the referee, he uses Foul or Abusive Language".

The Football Association has issued a reminder of this Rule, and they, together with the Dorset County F A request Clubs and Match Officials to remember their responsibilities in ensuring that this Law is applied correctly in order that this unpleasant aspect of football is eliminated.

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BOURNEMOUTH F A have recently circulated a note suggesting that Clubs warn their players of the possibility of **TETANUS** infecting a flesh wound with serious results. Players are therefore advised in their own interests to check on their initial and booster treatment against this infection.

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Club annual subscriptions, also covering the monthly Draw are now due from all members.

The Social and Fund Raising Committee are trying very hard to find new ways to provide social entertainment and funds for our ever-increasing expenses. They invite members' ideas and full support throughout the coming Season.





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TO THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATIONS  
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Circular No. 371

ZURICH,  
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4 July 1986  
JSB/MGT/td

Dear Sirs,

The International Football Association Board, at its meeting on 30th May 1986 in Mexico City, took the following decisions regarding amendments to the Laws of the Game and Universal Guide for Referees. These amendments are to come into force on

25th July 1986

with the exception of the National Associations in whose countries the football season does not commence until the coming year. However, for all other international competitions or tournaments, these amendments and/or decisions are valid as from 25th July 1986.

## 1) LAW III - Number of Players

### Present text

5. When a goalkeeper or any other player is to be replaced by a substitute, the following conditions shall be observed:
- a) the Referee shall be informed of the proposed substitution, before it is made;
  - b) the substitute shall not enter the field of play until the player he is replacing has left, and then only after having received a signal from the Referee;

### New text

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  - b) the substitute shall not enter the field of play until the player he is replacing has left and then only after having received a signal from the Referee;



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- c) he shall enter the field during a stoppage in the game, and at the half-way line;
- d) a player who has been replaced shall not take any further part in the game;
- e) a substitute shall be subject to the authority and jurisdiction of the Referee whether called upon to play or not.
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- d) a player who has been replaced shall not take any further part in the game;
- e) a substitute shall be subject to the authority and jurisdiction of the Referee whether called upon to play or not.
- f) the substitution is completed when the substitute enters the field of play, from which moment he becomes a player and the player whom he is replacing ceases to be a player.

Reason: There appears to be some confusion as to whether a substitution is completed at the moment the player being substituted leaves the field of play, or when the substitute actually enters the field of play, or when the ball becomes next in play. The new text is to clarify this situation.

## 2) LAW XIV - Penalty-Kick

### Present text

A penalty-kick shall be taken from the penalty-mark and, when it is being taken, all players with the exception of the player taking the kick, and the opposing goalkeeper, shall be within the field of play but outside the penalty-area, and at least 10 yards from the penalty-mark. (...)

### New text

A penalty-kick shall be taken from the penalty-mark and, when it is being taken, all players with the exception of the player taking the kick, properly identified, and the opposing goalkeeper shall be within the field of play but outside the penalty-area, and at least 10 yards from the penalty-mark. (...)

Reason: If the player who is about to take a penalty-kick is properly identified, i.e. is recognizable both to the referee and the goalkeeper, it will prevent any other player from his team from taking the kick instead of him, as has been the case when a player has taken the kick from some distance, leaving the penalty-area and the arc of the circle to do so.



And socially:-

100 Club

Our first draw will be on SATURDAY 27th September 1986. Prizes as last year, £5 £3 and £2. £1-50 will ensure not only '86/87 membership to Verwood F.C. but also an opportunity each month of the football season to win one of these cash prizes. Please ask any V.F.C. official for a membership ticket. We'd love to have you with us.

BINGO

Our social Committee's booking now. We'll announce the dates in our next issue.

SPONSORS

With the ever increasing costs of maintaining high Club standards, we are, again, extremely grateful for the continued support of our main sponsors.

OTTONS

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This year we would also like to thank Kelvin Earth for his donation of two match balls.

Should any person wish to offer a donation to the Club, be it cash or equipment, no matter how large or small, it would be much appreciated.

BEACH PARTY

30. 8. 86.

7. 30 p.m.

The last Saturday in August will see the first social event of 86/87 season at Branksome Chine where the social committee have organised a family Beach Barbecue. There's no entrance fee merely pay for your sustenance.

Please join us.....

HISTORY IS CREATED

For the first time in the Clubs history a band of attractive young Ladies have been elected to our Social Committee.

Brim full of good ideas, we're looking forward to an entertaining and active future.



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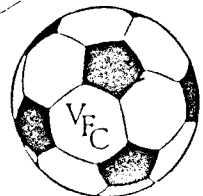
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