

NEWS AND VIEWS

Players & supporters are reminded that they must take home with them any plastic bottles they bring to home matches as it is very difficult for the club to dispose of these.

Plans are underway to arrange events for the 2nd half of the season to celebrate the clubs centenary year, including a quiz night, and family fun day.

Following the incident in the recent match against Old Chelmsfordians, when a player from the O.C.'s division 1 side came on a substitute in the match once the division 1 match had ended, both the league & club are considering a rule change to prevent this happening next season.

There have been a number of matches already this season where the league have discovered that a team has fielded an ineligible player and awarded the match to their opponents!

In his new year message the chairman of the Essex F.A. has stressed that he is determined to stamp out the use of foul and abusive language in matches.

<u>Stats Corner</u>			
DS = Dave Strachan cup	EJT = Essex Junior Trophy	LC = league cup	
<u>November/December 07</u>			<u>Ratio: 11:9</u>
03.11.07: Sheering v Stock		L 0-2	
10.11.07: Stock v Old Chelmsfordians		W 3-2	
17.11.07: Essex Police v Stock		W 2-0	
01.12.07 Stock v Epping		D 2-2	
15.12.07: Stock v Harold Wood		W 2-1	
22.12.07: Old Chelmsfordians v Stock		D 2-2	
<u>Discipline:</u>		<u>Top scorers: all competitions</u>	
Bookings	10	Steve Gotobe	5
Sending off	3	Ray Coe	4

Run of the Mill

A fleet of 5 refuse tankers were needed recently to pump out Stock's portaloos following a visit by Ray Coe before a recent home match. The referee made the mistake of entering the portaloos after Ray and had to be revived by paramedics.

When her son was born back in 1986 someone told Anne Tully she should name him after the stars. Unfortunately she was a big fan of stand up comedy and black soul music which is why his name is Freddie, Edwin.

The club are considering opening up a clothes store called Arber's as most of Mike Arber's wardrobe is currently residing in the changing rooms.

When Mike Hanton heard recently that the club had run out of lime to mark out the pitch he said he had the perfect solution. Use paint instead!