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WELCOME

Welcome to our 22nd Newsletter (issued to all SUEPA and Shrimpers Trust members).

So, finally, after many editions of opening with some cautionary hope for better times, we can all now breath a sigh of relief and extend our warmest thanks, and congratulations, to COSU. Phew.

Now, as our readers know, we tend to leave comments on the day-to-day joys of supporting our club to other news outlets, but we must say how encouraged we are by the interest COSU have shown towards all things SUEPA. It really is like a breath of fresh air, and though we have in many ways been carrying on regardless over these past years in trying to bring a little joy to Roots Hall, that COSU enthusiasm has rubbed off we seem to have now launched into a frenzy of SUEPA activity. Indeed, we've so much to tell that we are having to adopt a different approach for this newsletter, moving in the main away from the story-telling approach to more of a 'these are the highlights' brief.



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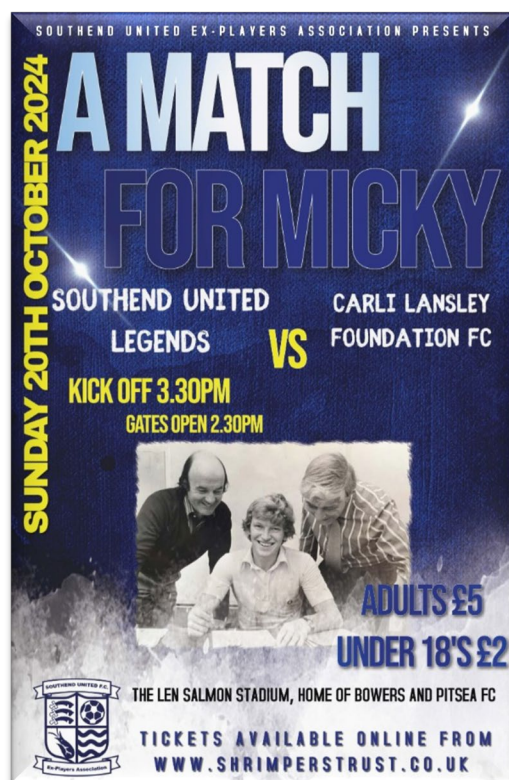
So, in this Newsletter we cover:

- Our 'Match for Micky' coming up on 20 October.
- An 'Evening with Red Card Roy' coming up on 23 November.
- News of our last Former Players' Club meeting, and of the next one on 13 December.
- Forthcoming SUEPA Match Day Events – some crackers here – with Inchy having already kicked things off in style for 2024/25.
- Uniquely for a former players group, we now have a SUEPA sponsor – it's a warm welcome to JLS Building Services!
- Membership update we've now smashed through the 500 barrier.
- A focus on our newest two oldest SUEPA members and our search to prove that they are!
- Pitch Invasion (you are going to love this).
- News bits.
- A sad farewell to Chico Hamilton, David Martin-Chambers, and Alan Little.
- How to keep up to date with SUEPA news, contacting your old team-mates, and SUEPA.
- The full current SUEPA membership list.

So, as a mixed bag of Summer weather comes to an end and having watched the opening game of the season in shirt sleeves knowing that all-too-soon we'll be stomping our feet to avoid frost bite, stretch out on the sofa, open a bottle of something nice, pour yourself a glass, let someone else deal with the supermarket delivery person, turn off the TV news of the never-ending childish snipes that dominate that USA election, and settle down to another great read

Andy Leeder
SUEPA Organiser

A MATCH FOR MICKY



As many of you will already know, we are arranging a benefit match for Micky Stead on Sunday 20th October. Micky is now home from a long and life-in-the-balance three month stay in hospital, and it is unlikely he will be able to work again. We care about our SUEPA membership and wanted to do something to help, so the involved but fun (and sometimes testing) process in putting on a football match is now underway. You will find all the details at:

<https://www.shrimperstrust.co.uk/suepa/a-match-for-micky/>

Not only will the match hopefully provide a welcome financial boost for Micky, but equally as important it should be a wonderful occasion for us all to enjoy and show our appreciation for one of the club's great servants.

We need your help to make it a success, which you can do in the following ways:

- **By being there!** The above website address provides a link to buy tickets which are priced at just £5 for adults or £2 for under 18's.
- **By donating.** The website address also has a donation link (there are no fees attached to this, the Shrimpers Trust pays all transaction costs).
- **By sponsoring.** We have many costs to cover in arranging a match, everything from kit to insurance to match balls, and so much more. Please email us at suepassoc@gmail.com if you can help.
- **By playing in the match** if you are a former player. Again, please email us at suepassoc@gmail.com if you are interested.

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With a SUFC Legends squad of 20, many of Micky's former teammates already saying that they will be there in the crowd with him in support, and with a commitment from eight of his former Spurs teammates to also be there, we are aiming for this to be the largest Southend United former player event that has ever been arranged. This really should be a wonderful event, and we hope to see you all there!

AN EVENING WITH RED CARD ROY

This should be fun too! Roy McDonough is flying back to Blighty from Spain to be with us, and many of his former Shrimper teammates will be coming along too. First of all they will be at the match versus Forest Green Rovers on 23 November, and then we all head off to the Essex County Bowling Club for 'An Evening with Red Card Roy'. You will find all of the details at:

<https://www.shrimperstrust.co.uk/suepa/an-evening-with-red-card-roy>

Each of our previous 'Evening With' events have been a capacity sell out, and we expect this to be the same. Do come and join us if you can or get in touch with us at suepassoc@gmail.com if you have any questions.



FORMER PLAYERS CLUB UPDATE – SOME WONDERFUL REUNIONS



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Since our last Newsletter we've had two Former Player Club meetings – in May, and then in July when we ordered some sunshine and moved outside for a BBQ at a local cricket club.

Both get-togethers proved to be great fun, and our May event was particularly poignant as we managed to reunite seven of the Southend United Youth Team players that took part in a 1964 tournament in Holland. Indeed, we felt that this was an occasion worthy of a wider audience, so an article was penned and became a full page feature in that wonderful retro football magazine 'Backpass'.

We had to cancel our September meeting, but we've already set up our next one – it will be on Friday 13 December at the d2 Lounge at Roots Hall. So, if you are a former Shrimper player at any level during any era, then just get in touch with us (emailing us at suepassoc@gmail.com is the easiest way to do that) and we'll reserve you a space – it's free, and we supply the coffee/tea and biscuits we might even stretch to a mince pie this time.

These informal get-togethers are very relaxed occasions, they are simply a meet-up with old friends and a chance to make new ones, all with the common bond of having once played for Southend United. For our December meeting we are hoping to have the two sons of former Shrimper great Peter Watson along to talk about their father's footballing career, which should be fascinating.

MATCH DAY GUESTS 2024/25 SEASON – GET INVOLVED



We ended last season by hosting Alex Lumsden who travelled down all the way from Scotland to be with us. Alex and his wife Maureen had an afternoon to remember, and as you can see from the picture montage above, Alex enjoyed popping into the changing room for the first time in over half a century.

Then, to kick-off things for this season, we were pleased to again welcome back Steve Phillips, still eighth in our all-time scorers list. 'Inchy' had another great day, and we chatted in particular about our Match for Micky which he is helping us with. Oh, and his day didn't end with a post-match beer in the Legends Lounge – the COSU gang took him along to a celebratory Chinese meal that evening, he loved it!

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Working with the club we have now started up a new half-time challenge for our SUEPA guests to take part in. They are tasked with doing as many consecutive keepie-uppies as they can in 30 seconds, and at the end of the season SUEPA will donate £250 to a charity of the overall winner's choice. This perhaps did not though get off to the smoothest of starts – Inchy got injured getting some practice in the week before, so COSU member Dave Kreyling stepped in to sub for him and notched up a perhaps beatable 11.

Our next SUEPA guest will be for the match v Gateshead on Saturday 28 September – we are going to let the club announce this one, and maybe by the time this Newsletter reaches you the identity will be known. Let's just say it's someone you will not have seen back at Roots for quite a while.

Then, for the week after that, we welcome back Ian Benjamin. Benji last came along for that rather difficult match a few seasons ago when we had protestors on the pitch – it should all be a complete reversal of the atmosphere this time round, and we are sure the Roots Hall faithful will give one of our iconic names another truly great welcome.

And that's not all – there is Roy & Co's already mentioned visit on 23 November - the keepie-uppie competition for that one should be interesting.

This season for some matches we do have use of an Executive Box for our SUEPA guests so we can, on certain dates, accommodate a group of people. So, if you are a former Shrimper player fancying a good afternoon out reliving some old memories amongst, we hope, some good company, then please do get in touch (email is best: suepassoc@gmail.com). We will do our best to set up a memorable time for you.

THE START OF SOMETHING NEW – A SUEPA SPONSOR



We are really proud to announce that SUEPA has a sponsor for the 2024/25 season. It is JLS Building Services, whose owner has a long association with the club.

The monies received will be used in part for SUEPA projects, but in the main by the club for helping to continue the refurb of the Legends Lounge with some amazing artwork to reflect our history and heritage.

We would like to think that this is another first for SUEPA, we have yet to see news elsewhere of a former players group securing an overall sponsor. We are keen to have the proceeds used to further the work we do ourselves and to help our club celebrate our past achievements.

It was clear in our discussions with Justin Slowley of JLS that he is eager to be part of this unique partnership - a fan-run group working closely with the club we support for the benefit of many, and we look forward to his support at our many SUEPA events that we have coming up.

MEMBERSHIP UPDATE – SMASHING THE 500 BARRIER

Since our last Newsletter we've added 13 new members to the SUEPA family and now have 503 current members. There are currently 16 seasons where every former first team Shrimper still alive is part of SUEPA.

We celebrated getting to the magic 500 mark by releasing a video. If you haven't seen it yet then do give it a view, it's well worth a watch. The You Tube link you need is:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=882bRpsBrx0&t=16s>

We are running a bit short of space in this Newsletter, so we'll just give a brief mention to our new joiners, all of whom get a hearty welcome in coming on board to be part of our ever-growing SUEPA family. You'll find more details regarding each on our SUEPA Facebook page.

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Between the sticks

Two more additions here to bring those guarding the line up to 52. First in since the last Newsletter is England U20 international **Ted Smith** who is now a recruitment specialist. We also now welcome (at last!) **Mark Oxley** – our 2017/18 Player of the Year is now at Harrogate Town.

At the back

Four new members here to bolster the back line up to an impressive 142. First up, shortly after his loan spell ended, is **Deon Woodman**. He played his part in helping to bolster our squad at the need of a turbulent 2023/24 campaign, and what we especially loved about Deon is the enthusiasm he showed in his brief spell as a Shrimper.

Next up is **Craig Davidson**. The former Canvey Island, Chelmsford City, Daggers and Aldershot full back was with us as young player 1991-95 making one appearance (he did have the great Chris Powell to try and oust for a place!). He now works at USP College and is the Assistant Manager for Hashtag Ladies.

Michael Gonzague, now working in healthcare, was in our squad in the early 1990's Championship years and got in touch with us after our landmark 500th member Keith Jones put him on to us. He played many reserve games at Roots Hall but never quite got in to the first team, and left to join Hereford United, then played in China and Hong Kong for a couple of years, before playing non-league football for a number of local teams including Wivenhoe.

Our final new defensive member is **Jean Yves M'voto**. The former French U19 international defender joined us on loan from Sunderland during the 2009-10 season (17 appearances, one goal) and went on to play for Oldham, Orient and Barnsley. He currently plays for German club VfR Wormatia and is also a scout for GM Sport Management.

Middle of the park

Four new men arrive here to give us a bit of depth in the middle now with 166 members. First of the new additions is **Etan Hamilton**, now plying his trade with Lincoln City. He had a fantastic season in 2023/24 until it ended with injury and is now working his way back to full fitness.

We then made contact with **Mark Patterson**, now a landscape gardener. With us in 1996/97 and 1998/99 over two loan spells, Mark achieved much in a 500-plus game career. You can read all about it in his book 'Old School: A Proper Football Education'. We can vouch for it being a great read, and you can find it on Amazon at:

https://www.amazon.co.uk/Old.../dp/1908847255/ref=sr_1_1...

Our landmark 500th member proved to be **Keith Jones**. With us 1991 to 1994 making over 100 appearances, the former Chelsea, Brentford, Charlton and Reading man has for many years now been a coach in the US for SC del Sol. We hope to see him soon on his next trip back to the UK.

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We also can now welcome to our midfield squad **Russell Williamson**, who was a Shrimper in the 2000/01 season scoring twice (both v Torquay in the FA Cup) in 14 appearances. A big thank you to our friends at the Wimbledon Old Players Association for putting us in touch with Russell. 'WOPA' are a growing force in the former players group world, and probably are now the third largest group in the UK behind Plymouth Argyle and, ahem, Southend United.

Up front

Three new faces in our forward line to bring our strike force up to 127, two of whom we cover separately in the next section. The third is **David Lazell**, who played in our reserve team and who we were delighted to catch up with at one of our Former Players Club meetings. David continues to be involved in vets' football where he often comes across fellow Shrimper Garry Nelson.

THE OLDEST SHRIMPER ALIVE



Now, here's a tale. We thought this one repeating.

Back in May, after some painstaking research, we received a call from a former player's daughter to say that her dad had received our somewhat speculative letter, was in good health, and would love to be part of SUEPA. So, a call was set up with 93-year-old **Jimmy Thomson**, but it had taken a long while to get to that point.

Look up 'Jimmy Thomson' in any search engine and you'll get quite a long list – Scotland is full of them. Go to any pub in Glasgow and say 'Oi Jim, would you like a drink?' and loads of faces will turn round - it will cost you a fortune. Having a date and place of birth helps (our Jimmy was born in Govan on 17 March 1931), but it is still tricky, especially when the average nonagenarian is not usually posing on Instagram.

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A couple of our SUEPA Agents are quite adept at using ancestry tracing sites, piecing together a likely location/family story, and over the last year or so we thought we'd found our Jimmy a couple of times only to receive a call back saying they were not him. Once we just had a phone number and called it – that was fun, Jimmy Thomson answered but this one hated football (and probably anyone south of Hadrian's Wall).

That there was no apparent death record though gave us hope, and a speculative punt at an address in Scotland for another Jimmy Thomson (whose ancestry history checked out) led to a letter winging its way north of the border. After four weeks had passed it had seemed that our investment in a first-class stamp had not paid off, but then we got the call from Jimmy's daughter Deborah, and we were truly delighted.

Deborah told us that her dad (who prefers to be called James or Jim) lives in his own house (with one of her brothers) and still does all of his own chores – he was one of 13 children of whom six remain alive with Jim being the second oldest left (and he has an 88-year-old brother who lives in Essex who we've since had a great chat with). Strong genes in the Thomson clan.

It was Harry Warren that signed Jim for Southend back in May 1956. He made his Shrimper debut on 30 August 1956 in a 2-1 defeat at Newport County and made 34 appearances that season scoring 10 goals. He scored twice in the FA Cup Second Round tie v Hereford United, and then famously got the winner at home to then Second Division Liverpool in the Third Round in front of 18,253 at Roots Hall. We would go on to lose to Birmingham City in Round Four, he played in that too, and the Roots Hall crowd that day was 28,964.

Jim's last game that season was away to Ipswich, and we can only assume he must have got a bad injury as he didn't play at all in the first team the following season. He returned to the side in September 1958, playing alongside fellow SUEPA members Bill Punton (who turned 90 in May), Alan Dicks (who on 29 August reached his 90th milestone) and young Terry Kent (who is only 84), and made a further ten appearances scoring three goals.

After 44 appearances and a healthy 13 goals, Jim left in March 1959 for Southern League Headington United (now Oxford United).

In our chat with Jim he told us how the whole Southend squad went to Wembley in 1957 to see their teammate Sammy McCrory earn his only cap (and score) for Northern Ireland. For a treat, here's the YouTube link to that match video - wonderful stuff, and oh that commentary!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eAV858L6R60>

Anyway, lots of memories from yesteryear in speaking to Jim, and we then thought that was that, we'd traced our oldest living Shrimper. We were wrong.

Believing Jimmy to be the oldest living SUFC player we declared that on social media. That led to a football historian, researching the UK's oldest living footballers, getting in touch to enquire whether we had checked out a couple of other names. So we did and found 94 years-young **Eric Marsden!**

Via some ancestry website investigations, we connected with a family tree and made contact with someone there who informed us that Eric was currently in hospital near Coventry. This tied in with some internet research where on a Crystal Palace website someone had posted that they had seen him three years ago in Tesco near Coventry.

So, address details obtained, we duly wrote to Eric's home address and are immensely thankful to a kind neighbour of Eric's who helps him and his wife Terri as he called us and explained that Eric had recently had a hip operation and was convalescing in a home, with the hope that, if he gets fit enough, he will be able to move back to be with Terri again - they have been married for over 70 years.

Eric's home debut for us was against Norwich City on 25 October 1952. So, he is not only our oldest player alive but also the only player alive who played for us at the old Southend Stadium at Grainger Road before we moved into Roots Hall in 1955. Further, from research undertaken by the above-mentioned football historian, we understand that Eric is in the top 20 of current living UK footballers.

We obtained a copy of Eric's home debut programme and sent it to him before having a quick chat. Eric was born in Bolsover in 1930, and after WWII did his National Service in the army. He started playing football for Winchester City, and it was from there that he was spotted by a Crystal Palace scout and made the big move in to Third Division league football. Eric, a centre forward, made 34 appearances scoring 11 times for the Selhurst Park men, before Harry Warren brought him to Southend in October 1952. He had a great start, scoring a brace at Layer Road in a 3-3 draw v Colchester United on 18 October 1952, and made his home debut a week later v Norwich in front of 15,500 at our old ground. He ended up scoring six in 15 appearances by mid-January, but then played no more for us (Eric couldn't recall why!) and signed for Shrewsbury Town in March 1953 for whom

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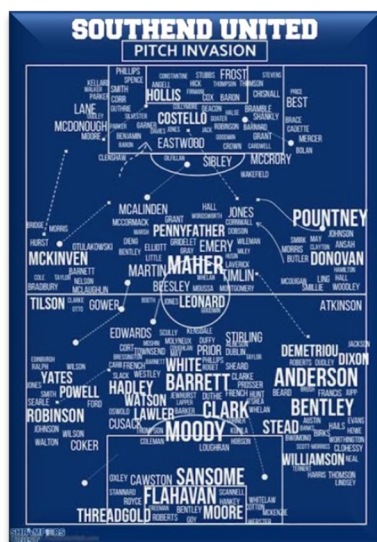
he made 11 appearances. We've since been in touch with The Shrews who have themselves now got in touch with Eric – he is their oldest player too!

After Shrewsbury, Eric played non-league football, and was top scorer for Bath City in the 1954/55 season with 21 goals. He earned his living for many years as a Production Manager for Lockheed, who in effect gave birth to the local works team today known as Leamington FC but were previously known as AP Leamington. Eric and Terri were keen golfers in their earlier retirement years, and Eric still maintains an interest in football, following his local team Coventry City.

Finding Eric led us to undertake a thorough review of all past players. We started checking the list of the UK's oldest people (which lists all persons alive from 107 and up) and, satisfying ourselves that there was no Shrimper on that, we then checked the position for every former player who, if they were alive today, would be aged 106 or less. We are now 100% certain that Eric is the 'top man'!

SUEPA has had many memorable moments since being founded six years ago, and speaking to both Jimmy and Eric is right up there as a true highlight. They are both part of our club's proud history, and in many respects as our oldest players are the father of it.

PITCH INVASION



To celebrate our 118th birthday, back in May we created, and had made up by the wonderful Dave Shields of Stadium Photography, 118 copies of this top A3 print. It features every Shrimper to make 100+ appearances for us and a good few merit cases we've selected – we couldn't leave out Stan!

Some copies still remain and, priced at just £10, it's a bargain! You can purchase it from the Blue Boar or Railway pubs, at the Shrimpers Trust stall on match days, or online (+P&P). We think it's pretty special, so get yours quick. Here's the online link you need:

<https://www.shrimperstrust.co.uk/.../pitch-invasion-print/>

NEWS BITS

It's a long way to Fylde, but we made a bit of a SUEPA away day out of the hike by catching up with our former strikers **Derek Spence and Stuart Parker**. Derek tried to wrestle the radio mike from Glenn Pennyfather and Nick Alliker, but was told it was only a three hour show so he felt it wasn't long enough and left them to it.

Our **Andy Rogers** has been out and about enjoying himself at a football reunion, pictured in the montage below in the back row second right in a reunion of Plymouth Argyle's fantastic team that made it all the way to the 1984 FA Cup semi-final.

Bob, a Blackpool FC exile, is a pillar of his local community, giving up countless hours of his time to help others. However, he has been very unwell for some time, so back in May we contacted our Blackpool FC Former Players Group friends and they sent through a card signed by lots of their ex-players. To say it made Bob's day when we delivered it to him is an understatement. Former player groups working together, it's what it's all about.

And on that theme, in conjunction with Penny Watson, wife of former England international Dave Watson and brother of our very own **Peter Watson**, we have now set up a new initiative to promote the good work done by clubs (or their fans) who offer regular meeting clubs for their former players. Anyway, why not take a look – just search for 'Former Pro-Footballers' Meeting Groups, or click on the following link:

<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61558753777825>

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Huge congrats must go to **Chris Powell** on his MBE, pictured in the montage above when we welcomed him back to Roots on his managerial appointment. Chris is an inspiration and such a positive guy; his award is well deserved.

Just over one year on from our 'Match for James', our **James Walker** continues to make good progress. He is pictured in the above montage at 'Just Ride Southend', a local charity that we put him in touch with, and then at his well-being centre enjoying some exercise in one of the additional therapy sessions your donations helped to provide. Rocking it JW!

RIP CHICO, DAVE AND ALAN

It is with great sadness that we've lost three great Shrimper characters since our last Newsletter.

Chico Hamilton, who we signed from Chelsea in 1968, passed away in May after a battle with dementia. He made a huge impact for us in our 'black top' 1968/69 season, scoring 12 from 40 appearances, and was sold for £40,000 (eight times the amount we paid for him) to Aston Villa in July 1969. We never managed to catch up with Chico to sign him up for SUEPA – we even at one point had a Shrimper fan exile in Spain visit a bowls club Chico was known to frequent without any joy – but he will always be remembered with great fondness by those who saw him play.

David Martin-Chambers passed away back in June. A Barnsley lad, his playing career took him to Wolves, Denaby United, Rotherham, and Cambridge United before landing at Roots Hall in October 1968. He scored five times in 66 appearances for us, playing alongside Chico in that 1968/69 season, and married local lass Penny in June 1971 by which time he'd ultimately moved on to York. Penny and Dave ended up emigrating to New Zealand.

Our former player and manager **Alan Little**, who we met up with at Halifax three years ago and then more recently at York, passed away at the beginning of August after a long illness. He was a lovely man, and regaled us with some top stories during our meet ups. The applause tribute paid by the whole of Roots Hall for our opening match v York was emotional.

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RIP Chico, David and Alan, forever Shrimpers. 💙

FOLLOWING AND CONTACTING SUEPA

Use of social media is key for getting our message across. It's not for everyone we know, but if you like a bit of web- surfing, then make sure to check us out.

Twitter (ok, 'X') still leads the way and now has 2,899 followers, up a respectable 3.2% since our last Newsletter. Catch us at: @SUEPAssoc

Our **Facebook** page – where we can waffle on without text restriction (and we do) – now has 1,911 readers (up 2.7%). Catch us at: www.facebook.com/SUEPAssoc/

On **Instagram** we are up by 6.1% to 465, though still could do better here, we just need to figure out how. Catch us at: <https://www.instagram.com/suepassoc/>

And on **LinkedIn** it's all gone a bit bonkers, we are up an astonishing 53% since our last Newsletter to now be at 1,287 followers. Catch us at: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/southend-united-ex-players-association-14a823183/>

You can then use any of these social media outlets to send us a private message, or you can contact us via email at: suepassoc@gmail.com

Still not got to grips with Tik Tok, or Threads, but there's only so many minutes in the day

And don't forget, we can always be reached by post at **SUEPA c/o The Shrimpers Trust, PO Box 5830, Southend-on-Sea, Essex SS1 9FD**. The Shrimpers Trust website address is www.shrimperstrust.co.uk

As a reminder, any SUEPA ex-player/coaching staff member can ask to get in touch with any of their former teammates in SUEPA by just asking us to pass on a message. We cannot disclose contact details without permission, but are always happy to pass on a message to ask them to contact you, something we have done to help re-unite former Shrimpers countless times already.

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THE FULL SUEPA SQUAD TO-DATE

GOALKEEPERS

Terry Alderton, Steve Arnold, Cameron Belford, Daniel Bentley, Derek Bellotti, John Burridge, Mel Capleton, Mervyn Cawston, Steve Collis, Luke Daniels, Barrie Delf, Rhys Evans, Darryl Flahavan, Neil Freeman, Danny Gay, Bart Griemink, Patrik Gunnarsson, Tony Hafford, Tony Henriksen, Kelvin Jack, Glen Johnson, Ian Joyce, John Keeley, Brian Lloyd, Martyn Margetson, Don McKay, Alan Meyer, Steve Mildenhall, James Montgomery, Glenn Morris, Paul Newell, Blondy Nna Noukeu, Jon O'Brien, Mark Oxley, Andy Petterson, Gerry Peyton, Sean Rafter, John Roberts, Ryan Robinson, Simon Royce, Paul Sansome, Harry Seadon. Paul Smith, Ted Smith, Neville Southall, Jim Stannard, David Stockdale, Callum Taylor, Martin Thomas, Malcolm Webster, Ray White and Andy Woodman.

DEFENDERS

Ryan Auger, Dean Austin, Gavin Axcell, Pat Baldwin, Gary Banks, Frankie Banks, Dave Barnett, Adam Barrett, Mark Beard, Tony Bentley, Graham Birks, Andre Blackman, Darren Blewitt, Mick Bodley, Martyn Booty, Steve Broad, Kenny Brown, Paul Brush, Adrian Burrows, Guy Butters, Peter Cawley, Peter Clarke, Tom Clifford, Sean Clohessy, Ben Coker, Steve Collins, Simon Coleman, Mark Cooper, Leon Cort, Graham Coughlan, Ryan Creswell, Jaden Crowhurst, Garry Cross, Dave Cusack, Craig Davidson, Leon Davies, Timothee Dieng, Andy Dixon, Dorian Dervite, Phil Dudley, Bob Duncan, Steve Dyer, Andy Edwards, Derek Ewing, Kevin Fallon, Anton Ferdinand, Ricky Footman, Andy Ford, Peter Gilbert, Michael Gonzague, Jamie Gray, Tony Hadley, Greg Halford, Steven Hammell, Mick Harmston, Andy Harris, Mike Harrison, Sam Hart, Steve Hatter, Frank Haydock, Johnny Herd, Shaun Hobson, Mark Hone, David Howell, Lewis Hunt, Barry Hunter, Chris Hutchings, Christian Hyslop, Mads Ibenfeldt, Richard Jobson, Duncan Jupp, Brooklyn Kabongolo, Jean-Paul Kalala, Bobby King, Harry Kyprianou, Kacper Lapota, Mike Lapper, Harry Lennon, Kevin Lock, Louis Lomas, Danny Lunan, Scott Malone, Daniel Matsuzaka, Warren May, John McMahon, David McSweeney, Robert Milsom, Tamika Mkandawire, Alan Moody, Taylor Moore, Luke Morrish, David Morley, Bilel Moshni, Jean-Yves Mvoto, Brian Myton, Teddy Nesbitt, Rob Newman, Terry O'Donnell, Danny O'Shea, Gary Parkinson, George Parris, Chris Perkins, Mark Phillips, Chris Powell, Spencer Prior, Luke Prosser, John Pye, Chris Ramsey, Gary Richards, Ian Riley, Paul Roberts, Leo Roget, Osei Sankofa, Pat Scully, Damon Searle, Joe Shaugnessy, Owen Simpson, Alex Smith, Efe Sodje, Jakub Sokolik, Michael Spillane, Micky Stead, Kevin Steggles, Mark Stimson, Ray Ternent, Derek Tharme, Adam Thompson, Neil Townsend, Michael Turner, John Walker, Shane Wardley, Mark Warren, Martin Warwick, Shane Westley, John White, Charlie Williamson, Che Wilson, Deon Woodman, Bob Worthington, Dave Worthington, Mark Wright, Steve Yates and Dave Young.

MIDFIELDERS

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