

# FROM THE MILL



## TIME TO VOTE

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Welcome to the latest edition of the SSA Newsletter. In this issue we give you the opportunity to vote for your player of the year in what has been a difficult season back in Division 2. Who will succeed Bobby Hassell as SSA Player of the year? We would also like your suggested name for the new Supporters Bar at Field Mill, which will hopefully be opening in the Summer. Please return the slip on the other side of this newsletter to our PO Box address below, or alternatively you can e-mail or phone/text your entry to us, not forgetting to include your membership number so you can be entered into the free prize draw. We also have news on SSA's further investment into our club with the signing of Adam Eaton.

## SSA AMBER DAY

SSA are to hold the 2nd MTFC Amber Day at the home match with Barnsley on Saturday 19th April 2003. We urge all Stags fans to once again don the colours, wear the wigs, bring the balloons and flags and make it the sort of spectacle last season's event was (lets just hope the result is a bit better!!). Around the ground from 1pm there will be face painting (for both kids & big kids!!), special Amber Day flags for sale at just 50p and balloons handed out free of charge. So get that garish Amber coat out of the wardrobe, wear your scarves and hats and lets once again make it an occasion to remember.



## FUTURE EVENTS

Events planned by MTFC & SSA:

8th April 2003: MTFC **Golf Day.**

19th April 2003: SSA **Amber Day.**

9th May 2003: Stags **End of Season Dinner.**

June/July 2003 (TBC): MTFC **Open Day.**



## Contact The Stags Supporters Association

Contact us by any of the following means: Leave a message on our mobile: 07967 689597

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## SSA HELP WITH ADAM EATON DEAL

As you will no doubt be aware, SSA contributed £5,000 towards the transfer fee of Adam Eaton. We were approached by Keith Curle who asked for our help in raising the transfer fee to get Adam at the club. We felt it was in the best interests of the club that we fully support Keith in his attempts to strengthen the squad and given that Adam had made an outstanding impression during his loan spell we had no hesitation in offering our help. Pictured right is Adam with members of SSA taken on the day he signed for the club.



## SSA NEWS

**MEMBERSHIP FIGURES** Current membership figures (at 6 Apr 03) are as follows: 128 Amber, 733 Blue and 383 Junior. Total of 1,244

**MERCHANDISE** T-Shirts (XL & L) in white—£7, T-Shirts (Age 6-7 & 9-11) in white—£5, Key Fobs, blue leather back—£3.50, Metal Pin Badges—£2 (£2.50 to non-members). Add 50p postage and packing to each order. Please send your order to our address at the front of this newsletter.

**JUNIOR COMPETITION WINNERS** Congratulations to Charlotte Fifoot aged 10, who won the prize of match mascot for the Barnsley game in the recent Junior competition, also congratulations to 8 year old Josh Worthington who won a signed Stags shirt for being runner-up. Winner of the junior league prediction competition, which began at the start of the season, will receive a Jnr Season Ticket for next season!!

**SUPPORTERS BAR** We have seen the plans for the new supporters bar and it looks like just the sort of facility the supporters of this club would want. More details will follow in our end of season newsletter which will be sent to all members in May.

**AWAY TRAVEL** We have just three away games remaining, details are below:

Sat 12th April v Bristol City, depart 9.30am, Cost: Adult £15, U16 £13, U10 £7.50

Mon 21st April v Blackpool, depart 7am, Cost: Adult £10, U16 £8, U10 £5

Sat 26th April v Tranmere, depart 11.30am, Cost: Adult £8, U16 £6, U10 £4

**TO BOOK PHONE SSA AND LEAVE A MESSAGE ON: 07967 689597 Or E-MAIL SSA: [ssa@stagsnet.com](mailto:ssa@stagsnet.com)**

## PLAYER OF THE YEAR—NEW SUPPORTERS BAR NAME

Please write down your player of the year and your proposed name for the new supporters bar and return the slip to us by post, e-mail or phone — **YOU MUST INCLUDE YOUR MEMBERSHIP NUMBER** for your vote to count and to be entered into the Free Prize draw. **CLOSING DATE IS 1ST MAY 2003**

To: SSA

From: ..... Membership No: .....

My Player of the Year is: .....

My proposed name for the new Supporters bar is: .....



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