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JOHN ROBERTSON'S PREVIEW AYR UTD & PARTICK REPORT HALL OF FAME VOTING THE LATEST COMMUNITY NEWS









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MANAGER PREVIEW WITH JOHN ROBERSTON

Good afternoon and welcome to this today's Tunnock's Caramel Wafer Cup Last 16 match against Alloa.

I would like to warmly welcome Peter Grant and his backroom staff to the stadium for what will be a very good game of football.

Alloa stayed up in dramatic fashion last year but deservedly so and, with Jim Goodwin moving on to St Mirren, they moved quickly and brought in a vastly experienced and respected coach in Peter.

He has set about by ingraining his style of play on his players and the wasps have been playing a very expansive and easy on the eye style of play. Their passing and movement has been excellent and anyone watching their victory and the way it was achieved over Dundee Utd on Friday knows we will have a very tough game on our hands today.

He has brought in players who are very accomplished on the ball to add to the already very good players he had at his disposal. The style suits the likes of Cawley, Trouten, Hetherington, Brown, O'Hara etc. They are revelling and full of confidence in their roles this season

We return to the Caledonian Stadium after a hard fought, but ultimately, deserved victory over high flying Ayr Utd last week. We were delighted with the show of character from the lads as we got ourselves back closer to the top two in the league.

Once more we will use today to give players much needed game time against Championship opponents but, make no mistake, it is a game we want to win to progress in the tournament that has been good to us over the years.

It has also allowed us to blood the younger players, Roddy MacGregor has shown great improvement with his performances and we expect Cameron Harper and Matheus Machado to also benefit greatly in their development by gaining experience against very good opponents.

Once more we would like you to get right behind the team, Enjoy the match,

Robbo



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Friday 25th October 2019



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CAPTAIN CARL

TREMARCO'S PREVIEW

Good afternoon and welcome to today's Tunnock's Caramel Wafer Last 16 tie against Alloa Athletic.

We're looking forward to the game today, we want to win because we don't want to lose two home matches on the bounce. After a great win against Ayr last week, we want to start another run and there's no better place to start than in this cup and at home.

I'm not sure on what team will be picked this afternoon, if I was to take a guess then I'd say there was going to be a few more changes. A few of the lads need to try and stake a claim. They are chomping at the bit at the minute but we're doing well in the league currently. They just need to go out, enjoy it, take their chance and get the win, it's a cup competition at the end of the day.

Last week was a big win for us, it drags Ayr closer to us and, with Dundee United getting beat on the Friday it was an extra motivation to get closer to them. Ayr were quite good last week to be fair, I think they'll cause a few problems for teams over the course of the season. We need to keep our heads down, not get carried away as we're in a good position with a couple of home games coming up albeit one in the cup. We just need to keep doing what we're doing.

Enjoy the game,

Carl Tremarco





October Hotshots

Our October Hotshots program is on next week. With the schools being off it is a great way to get the kids off their games consoles and out playing with like-minded kids. During these sessions we aim to improve kids football skills in fun and competitive ways. Our courses are kids ages between 5-14 years old and open to boys and girls. With the use of small sided games the Hotshots courses are designed to ensure, whether it's the first time you have kicked a ball, or whether you star in a football team, that you will be challenged and pick up some new skills. There are packages just for the morning, afternoon or they can come all day which is from 10am until 2pm. We are visiting Inverness, Aviemore, Nairn, Forres and Fort William for our course. For more information and to book on the course that is in your area then go to www.ictfc.com/hotshots

Weekly Courses

After the October Hotshots our weekly courses will start back up at on the 4th November with us visiting our normal venues of Hilton and Milton of Leys. All classes will be indoor. We have different classes for all ages. Our youngest class, Nessies, is for 3-4 year olds where we aim to develop skills such as kicking, dribbling and catching, as well as movement skills and improving co-ordination. We also have our soccer skills classes aimed at ages 5-14 years where we look to improve their technique and then practice them in small sided games. Also we have our goalkeeping classes for young keepers wanting to train like professionals and learn how to deal with shots, crosses and distribution. For more information on this and to sign up to the classes go to

MATCH REPORT

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05.10.19 | SOMERSET PARK, AYR LADBROKES CHAMPIONSHIP

Caley Thistle closed the gap at the top of the Championship to two points as goals from James Vincent and Shaun Rooney secured all three points at Somerset Park against Ayr United.

John Robertson named the same side which was beaten last weekend by Partick Thistle, the only change in the squad was Brad Mckay returning to make the bench in place of Cameron Harper.

The match started in a quick fashion as Miles Storey forced Ross Doohan to tip his effort wide just one minute into the match.

Ayr had their own early chances, Ridgers produced a fine save to deny Moffat one-on-one and was called into action five minutes later as he denied Alan Forrest clean through.

Caley Thistle got the breakthrough after half-an-hour played, Shaun Rooney did well down he right hand side and his cross was blocked by Doohan but the rebound fell to James Vincent and he finished it to score his first goal of the season.

In the second-half, Roddy MacGregor was close to opening his Caley Thistle account and doubling the lead after 57 minutes. The young Caley Thistle player capitalised on a mistake from Roscoe but the centre-back got back to win the ball.

After 61 minutes, Shaun Rooney produced a fine block to deny Luke McCowan after the Ayr forward broke clear on goal.

It was 2-0 to the Caley Jags 4 minutes later, Shaun Rooney meet Coll Donaldson's clearance down the line on the right hand side, and he went on an incredible solo run to slot past Doohan.

Caley Thistle had a couple of late chances, Carson capitalised on a mistake in the Ayr back-line and feed the ball to Todorov but the striker's effort was blocked.

And in the closing stages, a loose back-past in the Ayr backline played Vincent through on goal but his effort was saved by Doohan.



PURE PASSION AND DELIGHT FOR ROONEY SEALING THE GAME AFTER VINCENT OPENED THE SCORING







Charlie Trafford believes the "tightness" and strength of the Caley Thistle dressing room is one of the key reasons why the Caley Jags have started so well this season. Trafford replaced the injured Sean Welsh in last weekend's 2-0 win against Ayr United at Somerset Park.

Trafford said: "I think the tightness of the group has played its part this season, it's a brilliant dressing room. The boys are fighting for each other, everyone wants to play their part and everyone is looking after each other."

"Of course, we're all competing for spots in the team but it feels like a solid group here and we want to achieve something together."

Charlie also believes the momentum from last season has rolled into this one and is the key reason for the Caley Jag's good start.

The Canadian said: "At the end of last season, we finished well in the league and went to the semi-finals of the play-offs, we went on a good run in the Scottish Cup. That's kind of translated into the start of this season.

"There's a core group from last year still here and it's translated through and the strength of the team is looking good."

Looking ahead to today's game, Trafford thinks it's a good opportunity for some players to get minutes under their belt but progression to the next round is key.

He said: "We're going into the game to win it, that's the plan. We've won this Cup already since I've been here so I think it's obviously a good time for the boys who aren't getting minutes to get some."

"At the end of the day, we're going into the game to win it and we know we have them in the following week in the league so we need to be prepared. We're in the Cup to win it, so that is the mindset going into the game."

Trafford continued: "You don't know what line-up Alloa may throw at us, they may change their line-up completely and I don't know what we're going to do but it's always a good way to get going, like we did against Morton. It's good to get a bit of confidence, hopefully we can go out and get the win to get the job done."

Trafford hopes the league and cup competitions go hand-in-hand this season as he said in previous years the Caley Jags have used the cups to build momentum for league matches. The Caley Jags won the IRN-BRU Cup in Trafford's first season with the club and got to the Scottish Cup semi-finals last term.

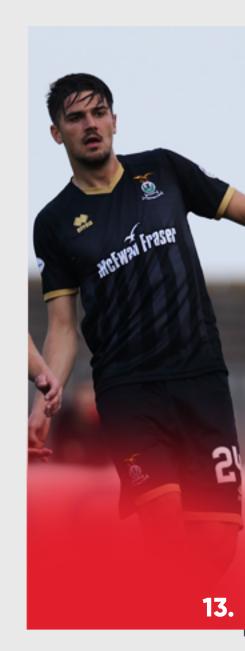
He said: "The last two years we've almost had to use the Cup matches as a kick starter for the league, but this year we've been doing really well in the league and the cup is just something to help maintain and keep us going. Like I've said, it brings confidence and we can keep using both competitions to keep the ball rolling."

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MATCH REPORT INVERNESS CT PARTICK THISTLE 3

28.09.19 | CALEDONIAN STADIUM LADBROKES CHAMPIONSHIP

Ian McCall marked his first league match in charge of Partick Thistle in his second stint at the club with a win, as Partick Thistle beat the Caley Jags 3-1 at the Caledonian Stadium.

John Robertson made one enforced change to the side as Roddy MacGregor replaced the injured Tom Walsh, while Mark Ridgers was making his 100th appearance for the club.

Partick Thistle had the lead in the early stages of the match, Stuart Bannigan played Dario Zanatta down the wing and he cut inside and fired low past Mark Ridgers to make it 1-0.

Miles Storey then looked to hit back as he cut inside but saw his effort go over the bar.

Caley Thistle were level after 21 minutes, a brilliant cross from Roddy MacGregor was headed in from close range by Jordan White, for his fourth of the season.

MacGregor fired just over the bar after 38 minutes for the Caley Jags

Partick Thistle scored straight after the restart as Cardle robbed McCart to send Kenny Miller clean through and he made no mistake in putting Thistle 2-1 up.

McCart could of leveled things when he met Doran's corner in the middle but his header was over.

Thistle sealed three points late on as Penrice's cross was diverted in by Cammy Palmer to send the three points to Maryhill.



A TOUGH AND PHYSICAL GAME ALL ROUND & WHITE CELEBRATES HIS EQUALISER

ON THIS DAY IN HISTORY

It Happened Today

1977 Scotland qualified for the 1978 World Cup Finals in Argentina by beating Wales 2-0 at Anfield in Liverpool. A Don Masson penalty and Kenny Daglish header won the match in front of 50,800 spectators.

1991 Kenny Dalglish was appointed manager of Blackburn Rovers

2010 Scotland lost 3-2 to Spain at Hampden in a European Championship Qualifying match, watched by 51,322. Steven Naismith and a Pique own goal scored for Scotland, David Villa (penalty), Iniesta and Llorente scored for Spain.

Born Today

1973 Tom Smith, Partick Thistle, Ayr united, Clydebank and Hibs midfielder

1979 Danny Cadamarteri, Dundee United, Huddersfield Town, Leeds United, Everton and Fulham forward

1981 Brian Kerr, Motherwell, Hibs and Dundee midfielder

Signed Today

1990 Hibs signed midfielder Murdo MacLeod from Borussia Dortmund

1996 Bradford City signed midfielder Chris Waddle from Falkirk

2000 Peterhead signed forward Iain Stewart from Caledonian Thistle

FACTFILE

MANAGER PETER GRANT

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PAST RESULTS

W 2-1 AWAY, 27.04.19 CHAMPIONSHIP

W 3-2 HOME, 26.03.19 CHAMPIONSHIP

D 0-0 AWAY, 27.10.18 CHAMPIONSHIP



Alloa come into today's match on the back of an impressive 1-0 win against Dundee United under the lights and in front of the BBC cameras at Recreation Park.

Alloa survived in the Championship last term, preserving their Championship status on the final day of the season. Manager Jim Goodwin was headhunted by St Mirren in the summer, as he return to the Buddies as Manager. Alloa moved swiftly to appoint Peter Grant as new Manager.

Alloa earned their place in the last 16 by beating Dunfermline 2-1 at East End Park, thanks to goals from Robert Thomson and Alan Trouten.

The last meeting between the sides came at the tailend of last season at Recreation Park, The Wasps had taken the lead from the penalty spot through Alan Trouten but Caley Thistle hit back through Shaun Rooney and Charlie Trafford.

Head-to-head: ICTFC Wins: 16, Draws: 12, Alloa Wins: 5



Voting for the 2019 Caley Thistle Hall of Fame closes this Sunday at 10pm. Fans are able to vote for their Legend and Memorable Moment Awards

The Legends Award applies to a legend of Inverness Caledonian Thistle from 1994 to present, making a significant contribution as a player (retired) or as a manager.

LEGEND NOMINEES

★ CHARLIE CHRISTIE ★ GRANT MUNRO ★ STEVE PATERSON ★

ROSS TOKELY ★ IAIN STEWART ★ DENNIS WYNESS ★

MEMORABLE MOMENT NOMINEES

- ★ JAMES VINCENT SCORING THE WINNER IN THE SCOTTISH
 CUP FINAL, 2015 V. FALKIRK
- NICK ROSS DRAMATIC 95' MINUTE EQUALISER V. HEARTS IN THE LEAGUE CUP SEMI-FINAL, 2014
- ★ JOHN HUGHES GUIDING ICTFC INTO EUROPE FOR THE FIRST EVER TIME

 ## FIRST EVER TIME

- JOHN HUGHES LIFTING THE SCOTTISH CUP AT HAMPDEN
 IN 2015
- DAVID RAVEN SCORING THE WINNING GOAL IN THE SCOTTISH CUP SEMI-FINAL, 2015 V. CELTIC
- STEVE PATERSON CELEBRATING "SUPER CALEY GO BALLISTIC.."
 AT CELTIC PARK, FEB 2000





MATCHDAY MASCOT Reece Mitchell enjoyed a fantastic day at the Caledonian Stadium as he was the Matchday Mascot for our last home match.

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PARTICK THISTLE | 28.09.19



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