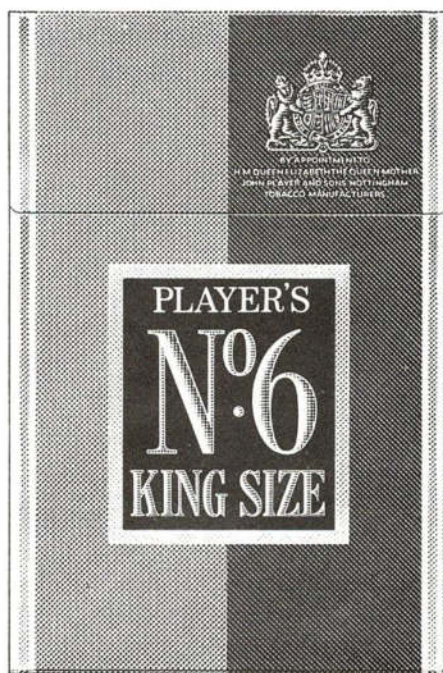


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Last season Oldham were for most of the time up in the top four and it was not until the very end of the season that their efforts to gain promotion narrowly failed.

This season they have in the league Won 3, Drawn 1 and Lost 2, and when one bears in mind two factors then it really is a magnificent performance. Firstly the fixtures played can not by any means be classed as on the easy side. At home they have met (and won) Keighley and Dewsbury whilst drawing against New Hunslet. Away they have beaten Doncaster and lost to Hull and Keighley. Secondly, they must surely have had the worst time or any with regard to injuries having no less than 17 players in that category including many first teamers. Indeed their problems in this direction has enforced the cancellation of their 'A' team fixtures.

Among first teamers injured are Johnny Patterson (broken leg), Steve Herbert (cartilage operation), Johnny Blair (awaiting cartilage operation), Brian Hughes (cartilage), Mike Elliot (tendon trouble), C. O'Brien (cartilage) and Phil Ward signed from Swinton (Hamstring). I am sure we would wish Oldham much better fortunes in this respect whilst at the same time extending to Mick Blacker and his colleagues our best wishes for a return success today.



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MAURICE BAMFORD

Congratulations will I am sure be extended to Maurice on winning the Sereena Second Division Coach of the month award on its inauguration. In fact in view of his achievements at Thrum Hall during the qualifying period it is doubtful if there could have been any other serious contenders. The only pity was that because of the time factor (it being a monthly award) and our run of away fixtures it had of necessity to be presented at Dewsbury last Sunday. However we shall have the opportunity today of offering our congratulations when a team photograph is taken with Maurice and the trophy.

Maurice's comment of "it's all due to the lads" was a grand remark, but these things work both ways — WELL DONE MAURICE, AND WELL DESERVED.

THE PAST FORTNIGHT

Following our Division 2 victory over Bramley we have suffered a reversal of fortunes losing three games in a row. The home defeat against Hull K.R. in the floodlit saw us go out of the competition with a great deal of pride after putting up stirn opposition. In the league we have suffered defeat at Whitehaven and Dewsbury, the latter extremely narrowly and obviously the dismissal of Dave Cholmondeley at Whitehaven contributed to our downfall there. Both of these teams must be strong contenders for the top four positions and it will therefore be all important to capture the two points from Dewsbury when they visit Thrum Hall as was done against Whitehaven.

Following the defeats we have dropped to sixth position in the league, five points behind leaders Hull, and two behind second club York, both of whom we meet during the next three weeks.

Defensively we, along with Hull, have the best record in the division, but penetratively our record is not so good for we are way down on points registered for. Lack of possession is obviously a major factor. The Division 2 table is currently as follows:-

	P	W	D	L	For	Ag.	Pts.
Hull	6	6	0	0	206	49	12
York	6	4	1	1	102	87	9
Keighley	6	4	0	2	117	50	8
Dewsbury	6	4	0	2	81	55	8
New Hunslet	6	3	1	2	90	62	7
HALIFAX	6	3	1	2	66	49	7
Oldham	6	3	1	2	65	126	7
Whitehaven	5	2	1	2	65	74	5
Swinton	6	2	1	3	91	108	5
Bramley	6	2	0	4	91	89	4
Blackpool	5	2	0	3	55	79	4
Huyton	6	0	3	3	63	111	3
Doncaster	6	1	0	5	61	128	2
Batley	6	0	1	5	41	127	1

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Date	Opponents	Ground	
1978			
Aug. 20	(Sun.) Batley Yorks Cup 1st Round	Away	3.00
Sun. 27	Yorks Cup 2nd Round		
Sept. 3	(Sun.) WHITEHAVEN	Home	3.30
Sun. 10	HUYTON	Away	2.30
Sun. 17	NEW HUNSLET	Home	3.30
Sun. 24	JOHN PLAYER COMP. 1st Round		
Sat. 30	BRAMLEY	Home	3.30
Oct. 8	WHITEHAVEN	Away	3.00
Sun. 15	DEWSBURY	Away	3.30
Sun. 22	OLDHAM	Home	3.30
Sun. 29	DONCASTER	Away	3.00
Nov. 12	(Sun.) HULL	Home	3.30
Sun. 19	YORK	Away	2.30
Sun. 26	DEWSBURY	Home	3.30
Dec. 3	(Sun.) JOHN PLAYER COMP. 2nd Round		
Sun. 10	OLDHAM	Away	3.00
Sun. 17	NEW HUNSLET	Away	3.30
Boxing Day			
Tue. 26	KEIGHLEY	Home	3.30
Jan. 1	(Mon.) SWINTON	Home	3.30
Sun. 7	BRAMLEY	Away	3.30
Sun. 14	HUYTON	Home	3.30
Sun. 21	BATLEY	Away	2.30
Feb. 4	(Sun.) DONCASTER	Home	3.30
Sun. 11	CHALLENGE CUP 1st Round		
Sun. 18	BLACKPOOL B.	Away	3.00
Sun. 25	CHALLENGE CUP 2nd Round		
Mar. 4	(Sun.) BATLEY	Home	3.30
Sun. 11	HULL	Away	3.00
Sun. 25	BLACKPOOL B.	Home	3.30
April 13	(Fri.) KEIGHLEY	Away	7.30
Mon. 16	SWINTON	Away	3.00
Sun. 22	YORK	Home	3.30

SECOND TEAM FIXTURES 1978-79

Date	Opponents	Ground	
1978			
Aug. 4	(Fri.) KEIGHLEY	Away	7.30
Wed. 16	CASTLEFORD	Home	7.30
Sat. 26	KEIGHLEY	Home	2.30
Sept. 2	(Sat.) FEATHERSTONE R.	Away	3.00
Sat. 9	LEEDS	Home	2.30
Sat. 16	Y.S.C. Cup — 1st Round		
Sat. 23	NEW HUNSLET	Home	2.30
Sat. 23	BRADFORD N.	Home	2.30
Oct. 1	(Sun.) BRAMLEY	Away	3.00
Oct. 7	(Sat.) WAKEFIELD T.	Home	2.30
Sat. 14	Y.S.C. Cup — 2nd Round		
Sat. 21	WAKEFIELD T.	Away	3.00
Sat. 28	DONCASTER	Home	2.30
Nov. 4	(Sat.) DONCASTER	Away	3.00
Sat. 11	HULL	Away	2.30
Sat. 18	YORK	Home	2.30
Sat. 25	DEWSBURY	Away	2.30
Dec. 2	(Sat.) HULL	Home	2.30
Wed. 6	CASTLEFORD	Away	7.30
Sat. 9	No Fixture		
Sat. 16	NEW HUNSLET	Home	2.30
Sat. 23	No Fixture		
Sat. 30	LEEDS	Away	3.00
Jan. 6	(Sat.) No Fixture		
Sat. 13	BRADFORD N.	Away	2.30
Sat. 20	BATLEY	Home	2.30
Sat. 27	DEWSBURY	Home	2.30
Feb. 3	(Sat.) NEW HUNSLET	Away	3.00
Sat. 10	HUDDERSFIELD	Away	3.00
Sat. 17	No Fixture		
Sat. 24	HULL K.R.	Home	2.30
Mar. 3	(Sat.) BATLEY	Away	3.00
Sat. 10	BRAMLEY	Home	2.30
Sat. 17	FEATHERSTONE R.	Home	2.30
Sat. 24	HULL K.R.	Away	2.30
Sat. 31	No Fixture		
Apr. 7	(Sat.) HUDDERSFIELD	Home	2.30
Sat. 14	No Fixture		
Sat. 21	YORK	Away	3.00

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