

WYCOMBE SET FOR REVIVAL

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WITH Enfield and Dagenham bound for the Alliance Premier League, Wycombe Wanderers, second in the Berger Isthmian League, could regain the dominance they held from 1970-75, when they were champions four times.

Wycombe have passed through troubled times since Brian Lee guided them to their fourth championship. He was succeeded as manager in 1976 by Ted Powell, who was followed in turn by John Reardon, Andy Williams and Mike Keen.

Mr Keen, the club's fifth manager in four seasons, has made Wycombe a force to be reckoned with, with only two home defeats in the Premier Division, though the team's away record has been disappointing.

Capable strikers

Wycombe are an attractive attacking side with capable strikers like Steve Long, Terry Glynn (18 goals) and Terry Scott. Their midfield trio of Howard Kennedy, Bob Dell and Mick Holifield also get among the goals.

Holifield and the team captain, defender Paul Birdseye, are both in their 10th season with the club. Phil Bycroft made his debut in defence last week and played well enough to keep his place alongside Bob Davies and George Borg.