

**"I'll listen to what
Alan Gane has to say"**

GUESSING GAME

FORMER Wycombe Wanderers sharpshooter Declan Link flew back from the States on Monday and announced; "I'm open to offers."

But the 22-year-old striker, who left Loakes Park at the end of 1985, was keeping his cards close to his chest.

He offered Blues fans little Christmas cheer as he told the Bucks Free Press: "I'm not committing myself yet."

"I understand from my mother and father that there have been a few phone calls from various clubs."

"I have only just arrived back so I'm not certain which clubs have been in contact. Hopefully Alan Gane will be among them — and I shall be very interested in what he has to say," said Link who is also being chased by Sutton and Farnborough.

"But I want to play at the highest possible level. I played in the Gola League last season

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so I would seriously consider returning to that standard of football if there is a chance."

Link, who netted 13 goals in the Gola League before departing last December, won't make up his mind until after New Year.

"I haven't had a family Christmas for a while. I'll enjoy Christmas at home and then start planning early next year."

"I've been too busy travelling around the States recently to play or train so I'm not fit at the moment," he admitted.

"But that is easily sorted out. "I was very surprised at Wycombe being relegated last season but they seem to be going well at the moment."

"I'm not so sure they need another forward," he joked.

But Gane, who has said he is eager to talk to Link, has revealed he is chasing two other players in a bid to solve Wanderers' midfield shortage.

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"We are definitely short of midfield players and I've been talking to two players," said the Blues boss, refusing to name either one.



Former Wycombe ace Declan Link . . . keeping everyone guessing until after New Year.