

Women's team ready to take on Scotland

ADAMS Park, home of Conference side Wycombe Wanderers, will stage its second women's international match of the season, when England face Scotland tomorrow (Saturday, 8pm).

The fixture, which is being filmed for broadcast on Channel 4 television, follows November's European Championship match between England and Germany, which the visitors won 4-1.

The friendly represents the first game for England's recently appointed Barrie Williams, who was formerly in charge of Wycombe's Conference rivals Sutton United.

During his 12-year spell at Gander Green Lane he led Sutton to the 1981 FA Trophy final, two Isthmian League championships, and to the third and fourth rounds of the FA Challenge Cup

in successive seasons.

In season 1988/89 Sutton became only the sixth non-league club to beat First Division opposition when they defeated Coventry City 2-1 in the FA Cup.

Commenting on his appointment Williams said: "Although I have never sought a return to competitive football since leaving Sutton in 1989, the position of England women's manager represents a fantastic opportunity to contribute something real and meaningful to an area of the game which is growing at a tremendous rate."

England start the match as firm favourites having lost just once against the Scots in ten outings.

Since the inaugural international between the two nations in 1972 England have won nine, drawn 0, and lost one, scoring a total of 37 goals and conceding just six.