

Charismatic Borg supplies lively fare

GEORGE Borg was in typically vociferous form on Tuesday night as his Harrow side played Wycombe.

The former Blues favourite, back in the manager's dug-out after his suspension last year, roared his way through the 90 minutes, saw his side lose 5-0 and still came up smiling.

Only 1-0 down at half time, Borg told the Bucks Free Press: "Not bad, eh? And I'm going to bring my first team on in a minute."

The former Chesham United manager said afterwards he rates Wycombe's title chances very highly. "Redbridge will be there or there-

abouts, but it's about temperament with them: whether they can keep their players on the pitch is another matter.

"Wycombe have a very strong squad. But three of their goals came late on, and I felt pound for pound in the first half, we had a great chance to be ahead."

Borg, who took over at Harrow last January after leaving Chesham, saved the Earlsmead side from relegation. Now he predicts a top six placing in the Diadora Premier. "We're looking strong, and we're looking composed," he said.

While Blues boss Martin O'Neill was audibly reticent from the bench, Borg kept the crowd entertained throughout.

When his midfielder Peter Byrne, one of five former Chesham players on view, unnecessarily conceded a corner, Borg was at his feet, fuming. "Someone tell him to calm down!" he bellowed.

● BLUES drew 1-1 with Wealdstone on Monday night. Dennis Greene's brother Dave, currently with Chelmsford, was one of several trialists on view for Wycombe.