

There's only one Blue Army

MAY I, through your letter columns, thank all the voters who gave their support to me on May 6 in the West Wycombe and Sands County Council election.

I hope that all the voters who stated a wish to vote Liberal Democrat "if only you had a chance to win" will realise that their reluctance to express their true feelings allowed many Conservative candidates to retain seats, thereby allowing Buckinghamshire to be in football parlance "One Tory Council, only one Tory Council".

Staying on the football theme, I would like to make a few remarks in response to comments made in the letters columns over the last few weeks regarding the boycott of the chairman's reception at Adams Park.

As the Liberal Democrat candidate for the West Wycombe and Sands ward, I only knew of the decision of certain councillors to boycott the Adams Park chairman's reception as a result of the reports in your newspaper.

Arthur Church's comments about unfairness did not ring any bells with the electorate. It was the Tories who received both a yellow and red card. On the other hand there is a possibility that the Bucks Free Press poster issued at Adams Park, "Support the Blues on May 9," may have misled Tory voters into turning up on the wrong day. Although I don't think too many supporters come from Newbury.

Seeing the banners across Crendon Street advertising a forthcoming event at the Swan, I'm wondering whether Peter Cartwright deliberately chose Adams Park because he was afraid too many councillors would have boycotted a reception at the Best Little Whorehouse...

Finally congratulations to the Wanderers for a marvellous season, if they continue their success I know I will soon have Ivor Beeks and Martin O'Neill agreeing with me that Adams Park is in the wrong place and a more suitable site must be found.

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