

Boss: If you want Harris you pay for his wages

WANDERERS boss Lawrie Sanchez has laid down the gauntlet to fans saying – “If you want Richard Harris you pay his wages for a year.”

The Blues boss was reacting to supporters who chanted ‘Sign him up’ as the bustling former Crystal Palace striker battled for a contract in Blues’ 1-1 draw at Swindon Town on Saturday.

Sanchez said: “There could be a case that if they want a player that much perhaps the Friends of Wycombe Wanderers money could finance him for a year.”

The Friends of Wycombe Wanderers Trust Fund was launched a fortnight ago to raise money for Sanchez to spend on players.

He said: “It might be a situation where if the fans want a player that badly and the fans have raised cash for a player then they can have him.”

Harris joined the Blues until the end of the season on transfer deadline day after smashing a hat-trick for Palace reserves in their 6-1 win at Adams Park.

He then scored on his debut for Blues reserves against Brentford and then seduced the fans with his mammoth long throw and powerful striking displays in first team action against Peterborough United and Tranmere.

But he injured his hamstring in the Tranmere match and only returned to the fold for Saturday’s final game of the season with Sanchez sending him out with the instructions to prove he is worth a new deal.

Harris said: “I’m keeping my fingers crossed. I would love to stay and play for this club.

“The manager hasn’t said anything to me about it yet. I’m just hoping it all turns out right.”