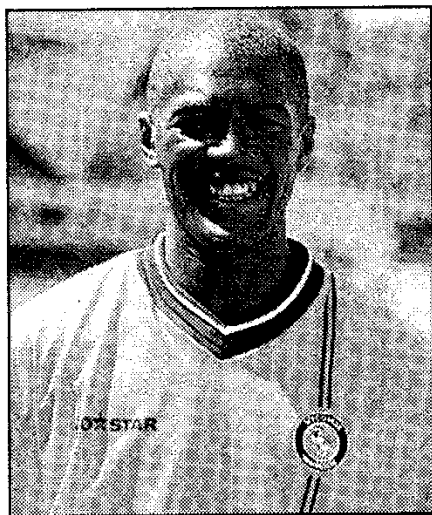


It's like a breath of fresh air



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SINCE Tony Adams and John Gorman have been at the club, it has been like a change of culture.

There is a massive emphasis placed on coaching both technically and in team play and the players have been refreshed.

It's been like going back to basics and redefining each player's job description.

No stone has been left unturned and they have gone over everything and probably found a few things they weren't happy with. I liken it to an MOT test.

I've been at Wycombe for ten years and I am enjoying my training so much at the moment which is a really good thing. Everyone is enthusiastic, training is fun and we are playing with more confidence.

It's a long road ahead and there are still things that need to be worked on and it's no secret that we've leaked goals and everyone knows the gaffer is looking to stop that happening.

If you don't concede goals, the least you come away with is a draw and I am sure that is what the gaffer will be trying to do. The emphasis is getting the midfield four to work as a back four. It's a great philosophy.

If someone had said we would have the experience of an ex-England coach and the ex-England captain here I don't think anyone would have believed them.

I think it's been a great appointment by the chairman and I believe there are exciting times ahead – I just hope John Gorman stays.

When he arrived he was never going to change things overnight but everyone could see a change in the way we were playing and how we had improved.

On Saturday, the gaffer took a back seat but this week he has definitely been running the show with John working alongside him.

Everyone is working as a team and everyone is pulling in the right direction.

It's great having the new manager around.

He is very approachable and he has told us his door is always open.

The players have the utmost respect for him.

In the beginning there was a feeling among the players of being in awe of him but that is often the case when any new manager comes in and players try to impress him.

But on the Friday before the Swindon game he took part in a five-a-side game and it was great way of him getting to know the players.

I think come Christmas we will hopefully be well out of the bottom three and I really believe we can finish in a surprising position.