

Wind made QPR match a farce

WANDERERS veteran Chris Vinnicombe has described Saturday's gale force winds as the worst conditions he has ever played in during his 16-year career, while Blues playmaker Darren Currie said it was almost impossible to play.

Vinnicombe, a former Glasgow Rangers, Burnley and Exeter left back, said: "It was horrible. In the first half we were playing the ball forward and it went yards further than you wanted it to go and in the second half it was ending up behind you.

"Even though we were 2-0 up at half time we knew it was going to be a back-to-the-wall effort in the second half because we had seen how difficult it had been for them."

Currie added: "It was horrible to play in. It was almost impossible at times."

Both Rangers goals, as they fought back from a two-goal deficit at the interval, came as a result of the conditions while Wanderers could claim that their two goals were the result of skill.

All the action action happened in front of the 1,986 away fans who helped swell the crowd to a season's best of 7,634 at Wycombe this season.

And Vinnicombe had sympathy for the supporters at the other end.

He said: "They needed binoculars because all the action was at the other end."



Kicking into the wind: Darren Currie puffs out his cheeks as he looks for distance

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Rangers' recovery has left Wanderers with one foot in the third division quicksand but Vinnicombe is adamant that none of the players are giving up.

He said: "We're not resigned

to it. Until it is mathematically impossible for us to escape, we think we can get out of the trouble we're in.

"We're getting there, it's just whether we can get their quickly enough."