

Injuries still plague the two Matts

INJURY problems have disrupted Matt Bloomfield and Matt McClure's pre-season preparations – but manager Gareth Ainsworth is confident both will be fit for the start of the season.

Long serving midfielder Bloomfield is still on the comeback trail from a pelvic problem that saw him miss all but three of last season's games, while McClure has tweaked a knee.

Ainsworth said that even though they will be a bit behind the rest of their team mates in terms of fitness, they should be in contention for the campaign's curtain raiser against Morecambe next month.

The Blues boss said: "They are not taking

part in contact stuff at the moment because that's where you will do things.

"They have got off the odd run here and there. For the sake of doing one extra run or risking getting an injury, I know where I'd rather be and that's having a fit squad and doing that run another day."

WANDERERS have brought forward their home match with Northampton Town by 24 hours.

Originally due to be played on Saturday April 19, it will now kick off at 3pm on Good Friday, April 18.

The club say the move will allow Blues' players extra time to recover ahead of their Easter Monday trip to Fleetwood Town.

Trialists set for opening fixture

TRIALISTS are set to take part in Wanderers' pre-season friendlies as they play their first match of the new campaign tomorrow.

Wycombe's pre-season friendlies begin at Conference South side Havant and Waterloooville before another trip south three days later as Blues travel to Eastleigh on Tuesday.

And Wanderers manager Gareth Ainsworth hinted there may be some new faces for fans to have a look at.

He said: "Every club in the country will have trialists this time of year. We've got a few boys we are looking at.

"With the budget as it is we are not going to be able to buy people from other clubs, as

Havant & Waterloooville v Blues
Tomorrow, 3pm

has happened in the past. It's up to Lee [Harrison], Dobbo [Richard Dobson] and myself to get the gems from non league or people out of contract who we think have got something we can work with.

"There's one or two in there and a few positions where we do need cover, or I want to add someone else. Watch this space."

There will be a familiar face lining up against Wanderers for Eastleigh, after the non league outfit signed former Wycombe striker Ben Strevens recently.