

TT No.11: Barry Neighbour - Tues 15th August 06; **Yateley Green 1 Sandhurst Devils 2** (PSF); Rating: 3*; No prog & Wed 16th August 06; **Guildford City 0 Sandhurst Town 0**; Comb Cos Prem Div.; Att: 85; Rating 2*; 44-page prog incl. £5 admission.

Tuesday 15th August 2006; **Yateley Green 1 Sandhurst Devils 2** (Pre-Season Friendly); Rating: 3*; No programme issued.

When I last visited Yateley Green two seasons ago they lost 0-12 and 0-16. Not surprisingly they have dropped a level to Division 1 of The Aldershot Senior League where they met last season's runners-up Sandhurst Devils in a friendly. The Devils are the former development team of Sandhurst Town but broke away to form their own club in 2004. They dominated the first half missing a penalty before taking the lead after 10 minutes. A second penalty gave them a comfortable 2-0 lead at the interval. Dogged defending by Yateley kept the score down although they failed to trouble the Devils' keeper. The second half went the same way until Green pulled one back from a free-kick curled around the Devils wall and into the corner. Both sides had chances for further goals but it remained 2-1 to the visitors who return for a league fixture next month.

Wednesday 16th August 2006; **Guildford City 0 Sandhurst Town 0**; Combined Counties Premier Division; Attendance: 85; Rating 2*; 44-page programme included in £5 admission price.

A famous name returns to non-league as Guildford United change their name to Guildford City and revert to the original club's red and white stripes. They still play at the Spectrum Centre which now has a seated stand erected on the high terracing - a welcome addition when it rains and essential to maintain their Combined Counties League status. Sandhurst dominated from the start but having lost ace marksman Mark Anderson to Bracknell in the Summer had no one to convert the ball. Sandhurst had their keeper to thank for two world-class saves to keep out two vicious shots which looked certain goals in the second half. Good to see City back but it could be a long season for both sides if they cannot find a regular goal-scorer.