

Match Report for Saturday 12th January 2008
Northants Combination League
NFA Lower Junior Cup 4th Round away fixture

Burton Park Wanderers Reserves 2 Ristee Towers FC 1

Referee Mr Manolescu

Ristee Towers FC players.

Steve Clark, Phil Willaims, Micky Braines , Mark Seaman, Conor Gordon, Simon Kent, Simon Emery, Adam Taylor, Sean Wesley, Gary Rose, Karl Guy.

Substitutions .

Mark Linnitt for Conor Gordon at 68 minutes, Leigh Butler for Simon Kent at 68 minutes, Dean Hadaway for Gary Rose at 72 minutes.

Jimmy Randall and Kevin Davies unused..

Ristee Towers FC scorers

Leigh Butler at 75 minutes

Man of the Match Mark Seaman

Kevin Davies ran the line thank you.

Manager Dave Parsons

Ristee Towers FC fell at the 2nd hurdle of UCL opposition in this competition as they lost away 2 - 1.

The home side are to complemented on making their pitch playable after a day and a half of heavy rain. Both sides warmed up well away from the pitch in the certain knowledge that it would soon become tricky. How right they were.

Both sides pinged into action from the start but it was the home side that gambled on a long range shot at 4 minutes, which went straight in. The action recommenced with the pitch rapidly descending into a sticky goop which did not help Towers plans to unleash all the pace merchants out on the field. Unfortunately for Towers the home side scored again right on half time from what turned out to be their only other on target attempt of the day.

Ristee Towers did not give up though and went up a gear towards the end with the introduction of 3 sets of fresh legs. The set belonging to Leigh Butler came in handy as he picked up the ball as it came back off the keeper to sneak his goal on 75 minutes. Towers continued to have corners and set pieces aplenty but created no end product, goals, from them as the clock wound down to the end of the NFA Cup adventure for another year.

Next fixture Wellingborough Raffertys away
Saturday 19th January 2008 at 1400