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Steve and Jeff's pop and music Q and A

Jeff Bonser

FIRST RECORD BOUGHT?

'It Doesn't Matter Anymore' by Buddy Holly.

FIRST MEMORY OF MUSIC?

My Mother insisted I went to piano lessons as a kid and I remember going to those lessons! My Grandmother was an excellent piano player but my mom never took it up so she thought I should do what she didn't do!

WHAT WOULD BE YOUR ALLTIME TOP 10 RECORD?

There's so many of them. You have different phases. I was a massive Buddy Holy fan and Beatles fan and I've got so many favourites from over the years. I also liked The Shadows and Elvis growing up and these days I enjoy Dennis Locorriere and Joe Brown.

WHAT WOULD BE THE SONG THAT MAKES YOU SMILE?

The song the Walsall fans sing when we're winning! It's based on the 'Blaydon Races' - 'Going Down the Wednesbury Road to see the Walsall aces!'

IF YOU WERE A MUSICIAN IN YOUR DREAMS WHICH WOULD YOU BE?

Hank Marvin out of the Shadows – a great guitarist

FIRST GAME OF FOOTBALL WATCHED?

I can't remember! My dad took me to Fellows Park from the age of about three and I've carried on supporting Walsall ever since.

FIRST MEMORY OF FOOTBALL?

The first memory that sticks out is catching the 'football bus' to Hilary Street and then queuing at the kid's entry to get in. It cost about threppence back then.

WHAT WOULD BE YOUR ALL TIME FAVOURITE XI?

Working on the basis that you're only as good as your last game, I'd say the starting XI that won our last game!

WHAT WOULD BE THE GAME THAT MAKES YOU SMILE?

Millennium Stadium when we beat Reading back in 2001 to win promotion through the Play-Offs. It was a great day out and full of great memories.

IF YOU WERE A FOOTBALLER IN YOUR DREAMS WHICH ONE WOULD YOU BE?

Tony Richards was the guy I got the most pleasure out of watching. Had I been a forward I would have tried to play like him but I was a gifted midfielder so I'd say Jimmy Dudley, who played for Walsall in the late 50's and 60's. Other people my age would say someone like 'George Best' but I as only ever interested in Walsall players

Although if you're asking me who I'd like to be these days, from a financial point-of-view, I'd like to be anyone of the Chelsea players!

Steve Jenkins

FIRST RECORD BOUGHT

Do you want to dance/ I'm looking out the window Cliff Richard & The Shadows

FIRST MEMORY OF MUSIC?

My father teaching me the song Love & Marriage by Frank Sinatra, I was three.

WHAT WOULD YOUR ALL TIME TOP 10 BEST RECORDS BE?

She loves you The Beatles
I heard it through the grapevine Marvin Gaye
It's too late Carole King
You've got a friend James Taylor
I've got you under my skin Frank Sinatra
Lying eyes The Eagles
White Christmas Bing Crosby
Raindrops keep falling on my head B.J Thomas
I saw the light Todd Rundgren
The next time Cliff Richard

WHAT WOULD BE THE SONG THAT MAKES YOU SMILE?

That's amore Dean Martin

IF YOU WERE A MUSICIAN IN YOUR DREAMS WHICH WOULD YOU BE?

Dean Martin

FIRST GAME OF FOOTBALL WATCHED

Dec 23rd 1961 Walsall 2 Derby County 0 Scorers: Meek.Taylor.

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FIRST MEMORY OF FOOTBALL

My Grandfather and Father talking about Walsall Football Club at my Grandfather's house in Leamore.

WHAT WOULD BE YOUR ALLTIME FAVOURITE XI?

1. James Walker
2. Chris Marsh
3. Kenny Mower
4. Colin Harrison
5. Stan Bennett
6. Nick Atthey
7. Mark Rees
8. Brian Caswell
9. David Kelly
10. Alan Buckley
11. Colin Taylor

WHAT WOULD BE THE GAME THAT MAKES YOU SMILE?

Reading 2 Walsall 3 Millennium Stadium

IF YOU WERE A FOOTBALLER IN YOUR DREAMS WHICH ONE WOULD YOU BE?

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