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Programme Notes – Sheffield Utd, Saturday 16th August 2025 – Chris Golledge writes:

Welcome back to the .Com stadium for our first Championship home match of 2025/26 season – with the way the EFL Carabao cup draw has gone the second of four consecutive home matches in league & cup, just imagine the momentum of four home wins on the spin! We finished last season with three wins & a draw from our last four matches at the .Com so let's keep that good run going.

We hold a decent home head-to-head record versus today's visitors with only two defeats across the last seven matches so every reason to be hopeful as this season starts to pick up pace with games coming at us fast & furious.

We've already seen a busy transfer window with fourteen players having left the club since we last played a Championship game here & so far we've seen nine new players join Alan Sheehan's first team squad – with still 10 days of the window to go. Let's hope we finish the window strongly with a couple more good additions. That said it would only be right to recognise the good work Richard Montague and his recruitment team have already done.

A number of our new signings, going by Tuesday night's win against Crawley, are starting to bed in nicely so here's to another positive result today against a team that whilst fancied by some as a top six contender have lost both their early season matches.

Wednesday nights Fan Forum went well with a good range of questions for the panel and as always quality hosting by big Kev. More details on the new initiative we are working on for supporter coaches to be available for upcoming away games have now gone out to our members and across our social media platforms beginning with the upcoming Birmingham and Southampton matches. We hope this proves successful as we'd like to make it a regular travel option if we can?

Here at the Trust, we've had a busy summer continuing with our heritage work including a full unveil of the tribute to the Alice Street Boys [here](#). In addition, we've recently shared a proposed 5-year strategy document with our members to get their thoughts & ideas. Also, around 20 Trust members jumped on the Copper Jack at the marina earlier today to experience a different way to arrive at the stadium. I hope they enjoyed their trip up the River Tawe in this glorious weather.

August is our Trust renewal month so if you haven't had a chance to renew or join yet it's easy to do and only takes a couple of minutes: <https://www.swanstrust.co.uk/join-the-trust/>

We will continue to provide copy team sheets from our Trust kiosk around an hour before kick-off for all home games in exchange for a small contribution to our chosen charity, [Faith in Families](#).

A warm welcome to our opponents today and their travelling fans whilst they have let a couple of ex-Swans depart recently, they still possess a couple of Welsh international players in their first team squad. That said I know where we all want the 3 points to go come 5pm today.

Enjoy the game and be loud for Sheez & the boys.

Chris