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SURPRISE, SURPRISE: IT's BOBBY MOORE!

Carolina Lightnin' assistant coach Bobby Moore last appeared in a professional soccer game in 1978. That is, however, until the Lightnin's June 16 date in Dallas.

It was on that evening, that Moore donned a Carolina uniform as a rash of injuries and excessive yellow and red cards afflicted the ASL club.

"I had some strong feelings about being reluctant to do it," said the 42 year old Moore, a veteran of soccer action with his native England. "But actually, I was quite excited at the thought. It was like going into the land of 'don't knows'. Ability wise, I had no doubt that I could cope."

Certainly, the Dallas Americans will vouch for that. It was Moore's fine play at sweeper that caused the Americans headaches all night, as Carolina shut down Dallas 2-0.

"He was the picture of composure," said teammate Kevin Murphy.

Still Moore does not want to make a habit of this. When the Lightnin are once again healthy, the former English captain would like to take his familiar spot on the bench.

"It felt good, but I didn't want to take it too far," he said. "When (Dave) Philpotts is healthy, we'll need to play him."

Moore's professional career began at the age of 17, with West Ham United. Four years after turning pro, he made his 1962 International debut in the World Cup againt Peru. The next season, he became England's youngest captain at the age of 22.

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Moore played briefly with a couple of NASL teams, but most recently has been a coach with clubs from Hong Kong and England.

PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Although Jacksonville goalie Peter Simonini's record stood at 1-1 this past week, he was 2-0 in being named the Defensive MVP.

Despite a 2-1 sudden death shootout loss to Oklahoma City, June 16, the Oklahoma press honored the Tea Men goalie by tabbing him the games top defensive player. Simonini, the number one goalie in the ASL with a 1.03 'goals against average', collected six saves in Oklahoma, stopping many shots (in regulation, overtime, and in the shootout) with dazzling moves.

Later in the week, Simonini, a citizen of the United States, rejected six Detroit Express shots in posting his league leading fifth shutout on June 18. The Tea Men won that one, 3-0.

Simonini has started in all 11 Jacksonville games this year, which of course, gives him a 8-3 mark this year.

Simonini is particularly tough when he is tending goal at home. The 5'11" goalkeeper is 5-0 at home, and in fact, has never lost a Jacksonville home game that he has started.

Simonini is in his fourth year with the Tea Men. Last year, he garnered a 1.77 GAA in NASL play.

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ASL HOTLINE

The Pennsylvania Stoners-Oklahoma City Slickers game, originally scheduled for June 19, was played Tuesday, June 21 in Bethlehem, PA...Joe Lucas of Pineville, North Carolina, won the $36,000 give-away airplane offered after the June 18 Stoner-Carolina Lightnin' contest...Lucas was one of four finalists who answered a short quiz correctly...The first sudden death shootout in ASL history was played June 16, with the home team Oklahoma City Slickers topping Jacksonville. With the score still tied 1-1 after the regulation and overtime periods, the two clubs tallied a couple of shootout goals apiece to keep the encounter tied up. In the sudden death shootout, however, the Slickers won via a shot by Austin Hudson...The Detroit Express are in a slump. Not only have they lost three in a row, but the squad has scored only one goal in that time span. To make matters worse, the Express have been shutout in their last two games...Micky Zivaljevic continues to go wild and he now leads the league in scoring (through June 19) with 19 total points...Carolina's Curtis Leeper has been put on the inactive list and Kevin Murphy has been taken off...Dallas suffered its first home loss of the year, June 16, as Carolina defeated the Americans 2-0... Pennsylvania won its initial road game of the campaign via a 2-1 victory over Carolina June 18.

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ASL STANDINGS

EASTERN DIVISION	W	L	GF	GA	BP	TP
Jacksonville	8	3	26	12	22	65
Pennsylvania	5	6	18	20	20	45
Carolina	5	6	14	14	14	39
WESTERN DIVISION	**W**	**L**	**GF**	**GA**	**BP**	**TP**
Dallas	7	5	20	16	21	56
Detroit	7	5	19	18	19	54
Oklahoma City	2	9	7	24	9	19

5 pts. for a win, one bonus point for every goal up to three in a game, two points for the losing team in a shootout--listed under bonus points, no points for a loss in regulation. Goals in overtime count under bonus points.

RESULTS LAST WEEK

Thursday, June 16
Carolina 2, Dallas 0
Oklahoma City 2, Jacksonville 1 (shootout)

Saturday, June 18
Pennsylvania 2, Carolina 1
Jacksonville 3, Detroit 0

Sunday, June 19
Dallas 1, Detroit 0

THIS WEEK's SCHEDULE

Tuesday, June 21
Oklahoma City at Pennsylvania

Thursday, June 23
Dallas at Jacksonville
Detroit at Oklahoma

Friday, June 24
Oklahoma City at Carolina

Saturday, June 25
Pennsylvania at Dallas
Carolina at Detroit

Sunday, June 26
Jacksonville at Pennsylvania

ASL SCORING LEADERS	G	A	TP
Zivaljevic, Jacksonville	8	3	19
Hilton, Pennsylvania	7	3	17
Boljevic, Detroit	6	4	16
English, Jacksonville	6	4	16
Welsch, Dallas	5	2	12
Chapman, Detroit	5	2	12
Garcia, Jacksonville	3	4	10
Bourne, Dallas	4	2	10

GOALTENDING LEADERS	G	MIN	SAVES	GA	SHO	RECORD	GAA
Simonini, Jacksonville	11	1050	65	12	5	8-3	1.03
Kennedy, Carolina	10	940	67	12	2	5-5	1.14
R.Phillips, Dallas	8	760	31	10	1	5-3	1.18
Delorm, Detroit	11	1009	100	15	3	7-4	1.33
Taratsides, Pennsylvania	8	760	50	15	1	3-5	1.77

ASL PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Peter Simonini, Jacksonville

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TEAM RECORDS			ATTENDANCE		
CAROLINA	Home	3-2	CAROLINA	No. Dates	5
	Away	2-4		Total	31,315
	Total	5-6		Avg.	6,263
				Best	16,081
DALLAS	Home	5-1	DALLAS	No. Dates	6
	Away	2-4		Total	25,232
	Total	7-5		Avg.	4,205
				Best	4,400
DETROIT	Home	5-2	DETROIT	No. Dates	7
	Away	2-3		Total	25,462
	Total	7-5		Avg.	3,637
				Best	4,780
JACKSONVILLE	Home	5-0	JACKSONVILLE	No. Dates	5
	Away	3-3		Total	19,776
	Total	8-3		Avg.	3,955
				Best	4,850
OKLAHOMA CITY	Home	2-4	OKLAHOMA CITY	No. Dates	6
	Away	0-5		Total	8,194
	Total	2-9		Avg.	1,365
				Best	2,012
PENNSYLVANIA	Home	4-1	PENNSYLVANIA	No.Dates	5
	Away	1-5		Total	5,930
	Total	5-6		Avg.	1,186
				Best	1,730

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Thursday, June 16

Carolina	2
Dallas	0

Attendance: 3,970
Referee: Manuel Ortiz
Scoring: Carolina: Heileman (Pierce) 2:16; Suarez (Lee) 82:10
Dallas: None

Cautions: Carolina: None
Dallas: None

	C	D
Shots	10	13
Saves	4	3
Corners	4	8
Fouls	15	5
Offsides	2	2

Carolina: Kennedy, Moore, Heileman, Pierce, Lee, Power, Groark, Payne, Avila, Murphy, Fouser (Suarez)

Dallas: B.Phillips, Easterling (James), Cohen, Kadupski, McMonigle, Roentved, Hellenkamp, Dolinsky, Welsh, Bourne, Miller (Fazekas)

Off. MVP Suarez
Def. MVP Moore

Thursday, June 16

Jacksonville	1
Oklahoma City	2 (Shootout)

Oklahoma City wins in sudden-death shootout.

Attendance: 1,178
Referee: John Pozadzides
Scoring: Jacksonville: Zec (English) 84:45
Oklahoma City: Khoury (Millinder) 7:41

Cautions: Jacksonville: Zivaljevic (yellow) 54:43; Fall (yellow) 64:50
Oklahoma City: Khoury (yellow) 87:54

	J	O
Shots	13	23
Saves	6	7
Corners	7	9
Fouls	24	33
Offsides	1	2

Jacksonville: Simonini, Meyer, Bapst, Rosul, Fall, Zivaljevic, Novo, Carbognani, Enlsigh, Garcia, Zec

Oklahoma City: Parkes, Alioto, Knezic, Millinder, Ley, Gehling, Kramer, Killingsworth (Pleps), Pena (Hudson), Kerlin, Khoury

Off. MVP Millinder
Def. MVP Simonini

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Saturday, June 18

Detroit	0
Jacksonville	3

Attendance: 4,118
Referee: Donald Wilbur
Scoring: Detroit: None
Jacksonville: Zivaljevic (Bapst) 33:20; English (Garcia) 78:45; Zivaljevic (Fall) 87:32

Cautions: Detroit: Wilson (yellow) 69:06
Jacksonville: Carbognani (yellow)

	D	J
Shots	10	17
Saves	9	6
Corners	0	13
Fouls	28	20

Detroit: Dietrich, Getman, Mihailovic, Wilson, St.Westbrook, Powers, Moffat, Christensen (Tinnion), Watson, Boljevic, Chapman

Jacksonville: Simonini, Meyer, Barrio, Bapst, Fall, Novo, Carbognani, Zec, Garcia, Zivaljevic, English

Off. MVP Zivaljevic
Def. MVP Simonini

Saturday, June 18

Pennsylvania	2
Carolina	1

Attendance: 3,264
Referee: Julio Salas
Scoring: Pennsylvania: Johnson (Hilton) 76:12; Paonessa (Johnson) 81:44
Carolina: Tobin (Heileman) 56:52

Cautions: Pennsylvania: McDonald (yellow) 72:13
Carolina: Power (yellow) 17:14 ; Murphy (yellow) 86:25

	P	C
Shots	11	15
Saves	6	6
Corners	7	4
Fouls	23	29
Offsides	3	3

Pennsylvania: Barbarick, Davis, McDonald, Smith, Schlothauer, Carr, Urbanczuk (Johnson), Gauss (Yepez), Bernardi, Paonessa

Carolina: Kennedy, Heileman (Rice), Pierce, Murphy, Crouk, Moore, Avila, Power, Payne, Suarez (Tobin), Lee

Off. MVP Johnson

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Sunday, June 19

Dallas	1
Detroit	0

Attendance: 4,136
Referee: Terrance Campbell
Scoring: Dallas: Miller (Bourne) 81:56
Detroit: None

Cautions: Dallas: Miller (yellow) 87:24
Detroit: None

	DL	DT
Shots	21	28
Saves	15	12
Corners	4	7
Fouls	10	16
Offsides	2	6

Dallas: B.Phillips, Kadupski, Cohen, Dolinsky, McMonigle, Miller, Hellenkamp, Welsch (Sedlacek), Rausch, Bourne, Roentved

Detroit: Deform, St.Westbrook, Franklin, Watson, Boljevic, Moffat, Powers, Chapman, Gabarra, Wilson, Mihailovic (Tinnion)

Off. MVP: Miller
Def. MVP: Kadupski

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CAROLINA LIGHTNIN'

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Citizen	Last Club
0	Matt Kennedy	G	5'11"	170	US	Philadelphia (MISL)
1	Scott Manning	G	6'0"	170	US	Baltimore (MISL)
2	Curtis Leeper	D	5'11"	160	US	Los Angeles (MISL)
3	George Borg	D	5'8"	165	England	Wycombe (ENGLAND)
4	Dave Power	MF	5'8"	170	US	Carolina
5	Carl Bennett	MF	5'8"	160	US	Tampa Bay (NASL)
6	Dave Philpots	D	5'8"	175	US	Carolina
7	Stuart Lee	F	5'8"	155	England	Kansas City (MISL)
8	Miguel Avila	MF	5'9"	160	US	Carolina
9	Danny Payne	MF	5'6"	155	US	Georgia (ASL)
10	Kevin Fouser	F	5'11"	170	US	Georgia (ASL)
11	Don Tobin	MF	5'9"	150	England	Los Angeles (MISL)
12	George Heileman	MF	5'7"	150	US	Rookie
13	Richie Reice	F	5'8"	150	US	Pennsylvania (ASL)
14	Tommy Groark	D	6'0"	170	US	Ft.Lauderdale (NASL)
15	David Pierce	D	6'0"	175	US	Carolina
16	Pat Fidelia	F	5'11"	170	US	Carolina
17	Bill Finneyfrock	G	6'0"	180	US	Carolina
18	Tony Suarez	D	6'0"	170	US	Cleveland (MISL)

HEAD COACH - Rodney Marsh

DETROIT EXPRESS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Citizen	Last Club
0	Kyle Dietrich	G	5'11"	173	US	Rookie
1	Tad Delorm	G	6'4"	200	US	Detroit
2	Steve Westbrook	D	5'10"	170	US	Wichita (MISL)
3	Trevor Franklin	D	5'10"	170	US	Detroit
5	Ian Wilson	D	6'0"	170	US	Rookie
6	Mark Christiansen	D	5'10"	158	US	Chicago (NASL)
7	Brian Tinnion	F	5'9"	160	England	Detroit
8	Clyde Watson	MF	5'5"	140	US	Detroit
9	Billy Boljevic	F	6'2"	190	Yugoslavia	Detroit
10	Ane Mihailovich	D	5'11"	165	US	Detroit
11	Scott Westbrook	D	5'11"	170	US	Rookie
12	Angus Moffat	MF	5'7"	145	Canada	Detroit
14	Jim Gabarra	F	5'11"	155	US	Detroit
15	Mike Powers	MF	5'10"	165	US	Wichita (MISL)
16	Mike Getman	D-MF	5'9"	165	US	Detroit
19	Denny Vaughn	MF	6'0"	180	US	Jacksonville (NASL)
20	Andy Chapman	F	5'10"	160	England	Wichita (MISL)

HEAD COACH - Brian Tinnion
ASST. COACH - Angus Moffat

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DALLAS AMERICANS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Citizen	Last Club
0	Billy Phillips	G	6'1"	170	US	Wichita (MISL)
1	Randy Phillips	G	6'2"	180	US	Tulsa (NASL)
2	Charlie Kadupski	D	6'0"	165	US	Pennsylvania Stoners (ASL)
3	Neil Cohen	D	6'1½"	185	US	St. Louis (MISL)
4	John Dolinsky	D	5'7"	145	US	Kansas City (MISL)
5	Kim Roentved	MF-D	5'11"	170	Denmark	Wichita (MISL)
6	Mike McMonigle	MF	5'11"	165	US	Rookie
7	Matty Miller	F	5'8"	154	US	Tampa Bay (NASL)
8	Jim Elder	MF	5'10"	170	US	Oklahoma City (ASL)
9	Chris Hellenkamp	MF	5'11"	160	US	Portland (NASL)
10	John Welsch	MF	6'0"	170	Netherland	Chicago (NASL)
11	Tim Sedlacek	F	5'7"	150	US	Phoenix (MISL)
12	Caeser Cervin	MF	5'9"	160	US	Oklahoma City (ASL)
13	Tom Fazekas	F	6'0"	180	US	Rookie
14	David Easterling	MF	5'5"	145	US	Rookie
19	Wolfgang Rausch	D	5'10"	170	W.Germany	Oklahoma City (ASL)
21	Jeff Bourne	F	5'10"	170	England	Wichita (MISL)

HEAD COACH - Wolfgang "Joe" Rausch

JACKSONVILLE TEA MEN

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Citizen	Last Club
00	Peter Simonini	G	5'11"	175	US	Jacksonville (NASL)
1	Tom Graham	G	6'1"	181	US	Rookie
2	Matt Meyer	D	5'7"	150	US	Tampa Bay (NASL)
5	John Baptst	D	6'0"	170	US	Georgia (ASL)
6	Steve Ralbovsky	D-MF	5'9"	145	US	Tulsa (NASL)
7	Roman Rosul	F	6'0"	180	US	Memphis (NASL)
8	Mike Fall	MF	5'8"	150	US	Memphis (MISL)
9	Micky Zivaljevic	F	6'1"	175	Yugoslavia	New York (MISL)
10	Tony Novo	MF	5'6"	145	US	Rookie
11	Tony Carbognani	MF	6'1"	176	Argentina	Memphis (MISL)
12	Matt English	F	6'3"	190	US	Rookie
14	Jorge Berrio	D	6'1"	180	Argentina	Jacksonville (NASL)
15	David Strecker	F	5'11"	165	US	Nashville (ASL)
16	Poli Garcia	F	5'8"	150	US	Los Angeles (MISL)
17	John Lignos	D	5'10"	160	US	Jacksonville (NASL)
19	Nino Zec	MF	5'6"	135	Yugoslavia	Jacksonville (NASL)

HEAD COACH - Dennis Viollet

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LAHOMA CITY SLICKERS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Citizen	Last Club
0	Del Roy Allen	G	6'2"	185	US	Tulsa (NASL)
1	Phil Parkes	G	6'4"	200	England	Oklahoma City
3	Joe James	MF-D	5'11"	175	US	Houston (NASL)
4	Tommy Alioto	D	5'10"	165	US	Kansas City (MISL)
5	Peter Knezic	MF	5'11"	165	US	Oklahoma City
6	Jim Millander	MF	5'10"	170	US	Oklahoma City
7	Jimmy Husband	F-MF	5'8"	160	England	Oklahoma City
8	George Ley	D	5'10"	170	England	Wichita (MISL)
9	Keith Gehling	D	6'1"	175	US	Wichita (MISL)
10	Austin Hudson	F	5'7"	155	US	Oklahoma City
11	Art Kramer	F	5'8"	150	US	Oklahoma City
12	Kenny Killingsworth	F	5'10"	175	US	Oklahoma City
13	Billy Sautter	D	6'2"	180	US	Oklahoma City
14	Rudy Pena	MF	5'9"	170	US	Dallas (NASL)
15	Mark Kerlin	F	6'0"	180	US	Phoenix (MISL)
16	Horst Fleps	F	6'0"	180	US	Oklahoma City
17	Karl Tausch	MF-F	5'10"	155	US	Rochester (ASL)
19	Ibraham Khoury	F	5'8"	155	Israel	Tel Aviv

HEAD COACH - Brian Harvey

NSYLVANIA STONERS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Citizen	Last Club
1	George Taratsides	G	5'10"	160	US	Pennsylvania
2	Eric Smith	D	6'1"	170	Guyana	Pennsylvania
4	Bill McDonald	D	6'1"	180	US	Rookie
6	Glenn Davis	D	6'1"	175	US	Rookie
8	Walt Schlothauer	D	5'10"	165	US	Detroit (ASL)
9	Giulio Bernardi	MF	5'11"	165	US	Georgia (ASL)
2	Franco Paonessa	F	5'8"	145	US	Rochester (ASL)
3	Afrim Nezaj	MF	6'0"	165	US	Rookie
4	Juan Yepez	MF	5'10"	150	US	Nashville (ASL)
5	Roman Urbanczuk	F	5'9"	154	US	Pennsylvania
6	Tony Johnson	F	6'2"	205	US	Rookie
7	Bob Ramsey	MF	5'9"	160	US	Pittsburgh (MISL)
8	Joe Horvath	MF	6'2"	170	Hungary	Rochester (ASL)
9	Peter Carr	D	5'10"	160	England	Georgia (ASL)
)	Solomon Hilton	F	5'8"	165	Sierra Leone	
L	Ed Gauss	MF	5'10"	155	US	Pennsylvania
)	Mike Barbarick	G	5'10"	185	US	Rookie

VE TEAM

Harry Dietrich	D		Rookie
Carlos Madeira	D		Pennsylvania
Bill McNeel	G		Rookie
Hans Van Yprenner	MF		Rookie
Mack Brotherton	MF		Rookie

COACH - Kalman Csapo
COACH - Gary Hindley