



Title information



The Scottish Cup

Celtic's Favourite Trophy

By David Potter

Key features

- Enthralling story of Celtic's love affair with the Scottish Cup, written by an acclaimed historian and fan who inherited his passion for the club from his father and grandfather
- The Scottish Cup trophy is the oldest in association football and the oldest national football trophy in the world; it is the second oldest competition in association football
- Celtic's connection with the cup dates from the club's birth in 1889 and its first Scottish Cup victory was in 1892, an event that lifted the Celtic community for years to come
- Features photographs of memorable moments from Celtic's rich Scottish Cup history and brings to life a treasure trove of memories and moments that will captivate Celtic fans
- Publicity campaign planned including radio, newspapers, websites and magazines

Description

The Scottish Cup: Celtic's Favourite Trophy is the story of Celtic's love affair with football's oldest prize. The club first won the cup in 1892, an achievement that meant so much to the young side and their struggling, oppressed community. In the years that followed this special trophy became entwined with the club's identity through many unforgettable moments. Jimmy Quinn scored the first hat-trick in a Scottish Cup final in 1904, there was Patsy Gallacher's extraordinary goal in 1925, a record attendance when Celtic lifted the cup in 1937, Willie Wallace's brace of goals en route to Lisbon in 1967, two remarkable comebacks in the 1980s, and Odsonne Edouard's heroic turnaround in 2019. The book goes beyond the cup finals, recalling the tough games in the early rounds, including the more spectacular encounters with Rangers and Aberdeen. Romance, drama and passion are all bound up in Celtic's annual quest for the cup, involving great players, from the Sandy McMahon era to the days of Scott Brown.

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