



The United Trust

Carlisle United Official Supporters Club



Nothing can prepare you for over a metre and a half of filthy water flowing through all ground floor rooms in your home. In many cases that was not where the flooding ended. Some houses had over three metres in their cellars and a further metre and a half on the ground floor. On 8th January 2005 the rivers Eden, Caldew and Petteril done their worst in several parts of our city.

The floods left 3 people dead, hundreds homeless, thousands without electricity and devastation to hundreds of homes and businesses. To be without electric is bad enough but to be without and your ground floor up to waist height in dirty water and then find that outside gale force winds were reeking havoc to homes and gardens not to mention vehicles being moved along roads by the force of the water wasn't just frightening it was terrifying. For those who were not so mobile this must have been an awful experience. Sights of people being rescued from 1st floor windows of their homes in boats really brings home our vulnerability against water.

The sight of boats in Caldewgate and Warwick Road and boats manoeuvring round the tops of traffic lights at Hardwick Circus was like something from a movie, not actually happening in our city.

The cleaning up operation has resulted in streets and streets of skips and gardens full of furnishings, belongings personal to the householders and beloved items such as a piano that once would have graced a living room and I am sure had many happy hours spent round it.

Household items gave way to rubble and plaster as the walls of rooms affected by the flood were chipped back to the bricks. Now the skips are being filled with wood, floorboards from rooms soaked by the filthy water.

An eerie sight streets with no lights in ground floor rooms which only weeks before were festooned with Christmas trees.

Apart from homes businesses suffered many lost everything and will have to start from scratch. Some of those businesses are in and around Brunton Park. The Beehive public house will be closed for sometime to come, as will Breadwinners the sandwich shop. Our own Brunton Park was a massive lake. The mammoth task to gut, renew and replace started almost immediately the water subsided. The worst areas to suffer were the offices, changing rooms, showers and boardroom under the West Stand. But it's the electrics and the control centre for all the mechanics that make Brunton Park function that was the biggest cause for concern.

The generosity of neighbouring clubs such as Workington Reds, Gretna, Workington Town RU, Morecambe, Kendal and Penrith all rallied round and offered their facilities which was very much appreciated by the fans. Two games away from BP is nothing

compared to some who will be out of their homes for 9 - 12 months.

So it was back to BP on the 12th. A remarkable achievement and staff should be praised for their commitment.

It's been described as the Dunkirk spirit but whenever there is a tragedy often good comes from it and certainly heroes emerge and our supporters are no different, they turned out on the day of the flood and staffed reception centres, brought food and blankets and were there if anyone needed them. To you all a huge thank you.

On behalf of the Supporters' Club and United Trust we sincerely hope all our members affected by the floods in whatever way have a speedy return to normality. Our thoughts are with you at this time.



Awards Ceremony

That time of year is quickly approaching when we will be sending out voting forms to Supporters' Club members for their choice in the following categories:-

Player of the season

Goal of the season

JB's player of the season

This years function is to take place in the Shepherds Inn on Sunday 1st May and will once again be £25 per person. Entertainment will be provided by **Salvador**, John Bell and Jazza Boyle will see us through the evening. Keep an eye on the notice boards/programmes and newsletter (out in April) for further information. If you want to book please contact 01228 527081 for tickets.

Junior Blues enjoying the Christmas Party which was a huge success with more than 100 of them attending. A wonderful function organised by Gayle. From all those who attended a big thank you and what's the date for next year?



Junior Blues supporter Jack Davidson with Karl Hawley



Ben Harris aged 8 strutting his stuff!!



J B's swamp Matty at the Christmas Party



Arron Elliot with Carlisle top just bought that morning and signed by full squad by afternoon.



Jack Davidson, Oliver Wiseman and Martin O'Neil



Matty Glennan with a young fan



Junior Blues enjoying themselves at Morecambe Joe Simpson, Oliver Wiseman, Martin O'Neil, Jack Davidson, Dominic Simpson

Junior Blues Family Disco

26th March from 6pm to 10pm.

£1 Admission on production of your membership card and £2 for non members.

If you are a member but want to bring along a friend please do so it will only cost them £2.

Head for the Sunset Suite at Brunton Park.

The United Trust



Introduction

Admidst a barrage of media misinformation we thought it wise to once again bring our members up to date with a truthful appraisal of what is going on. We have no dispute with the Club. We have an Agreement with the Club and the means of meeting the terms of that Agreement. The current owner of the Club is preventing us from meeting the terms of that Agreement.

Background

The Trust was established in 2001 to secure a shareholding and Board representation in Carlisle United for its supporters so that their interests and the well being of the Club could be properly protected - for ever. Owners, managers, shareholders, player's come and go. The Club remains and must be protected for this and every subsequent generation of Cumbrians. That's our job.

The objectives were achieved with the signing of a contract with the previous owner of the Club John Courtenay in March 2003, which entailed the progressive acquisition of 40% of the shares at a fixed price with a further 9% to be acquired at a price to be agreed. Permanent Board representation for an elected Trust representative was assured by the same agreement. The £800,000 the Trust agreed to pay for the 40% (i.e. permanently invest in Carlisle United) was a reflection of our commitment to the well-being of the Club and had little to do with its commercial value - the Club at the time was in administration and had little commercial value in its entirety let alone for a minority stake.

Recent Events

Early in 2004 we understand that the then owner, John Courtenay, needed cash desperately in order to meet a Tax bill. It was suggested to him that the Trust might give up the rights it had to some of the shares it was entitled to buy to enable other individuals to invest money in the Club, whilst keeping the voting rights in those shares for the Trust. This would have maintained the strength of the Trust's shareholding whilst allowing the cash to be raised. John Courtenay initially agreed to this then changed his mind - preferring instead to sell the shares outright. Without adhering to the very stringent, costly, and time-consuming statutory procedures, it is illegal to sell shares in this way - 'like smarties in a sweet shop' - and the exercise had to be abandoned.

In the course of these events, and in the belief that the monies required under the terms of the agreement could not be raised within its timeframes, the Trust had agreed in principle, with the consent of its members, to enter negotiations with a view to reducing the shareholding available to it to 25.1%. **Nothing was ever agreed with the Club in this regard.**

The Club was sold to Fred Story in July 2004. It was announced that the shares were sold for £100 whilst an interest-bearing and repayable loan of £2m was made to the Club from Story Construction to clear the Club's debt. This loan was to generate interest and had to be re-paid. Such an arrangement has inherent dangers. E.g. - if Story Construction experienced financial difficulties a receiver would have no alternative but to call in the loan.

The loans would also be taken into account should there be a change in the current circumstances of Story Construction. These are but two there are others when loans such as these are involved.

Following the sale of the Club the Trust approached both Fred Story personally and his lawyers on several occasions to begin the negotiations regarding the change to 25.1%. All of these approaches were rebuffed and the offer relating to the 25.1% was subsequently formally withdrawn in writing by Fred Story. The only contract between the Trust and the Club is the original Agreement signed with John Courtenay in March 2003.

At the time of the takeover Fred Story made a commitment to the Trust that he would match each £1 raised by the Trust with £1 of his own. He subsequently withdrew that offer stating that the Trust would have to look elsewhere for support, which led to an approach being made by the Trust to Brooks Milesen - as many previous approaches had been made to many other local businessmen before with limited success. However, Brooks Milesen made an immediate contribution of £25,000 to the Trust, offered to match £1 for £1 any funds raised by the Trust and finally, when this offer gave rise to concerns from the Club regarding the possibility of competition between the Trust and the Club for the same funds, Brooks Milesen offered to provide sufficient funds for the Trust to purchase the first 40% of the shares under the only Agreement existing between the Trust and the Club. Following meetings with the Trust committee, he subsequently donated £600,000 to the Trust for the purpose of acquiring shares under the terms of the Agreement, in what was probably the largest single donation to a supporters' group anywhere in the world. His only stipulation was that the Trust should continue to raise funds for Carlisle United, which, of course, the Trust was more than willing to do. **Fred Story immediately contacted Brooks Milesen and pleaded with him not to give any money to the Trust - WHY - Brooks Milesen refused the plea.** It was unfortunate that after initially agreeing to allow the cheque to be presented on the pitch at Brunton Park the Club refused this permission and the cheque was presented in front of the nation's media in a pub on Warwick Road.

Current Situation

In summary, the Trust had to raise £800,000 for the first 40% and, thanks to many small donations by thousands of local people and one very large donation by a local football fanatic, it has secured these funds. Some £170,000 has already been transferred to the Club and some £670,000 is in the Trust's bank account.

In recent weeks Fred Story (and indeed other Club directors) have both demanded payments under the term of the 2003 agreement whilst simultaneously publicly denying the validity of the Agreement. Fred Story has subsequently stated that he is prepared to transfer 40% of the shares of CUFC (Holdings) Limited (in return for the money) with only a couple of 'minor alterations' to the Agreement. Namely:

1. That he will maintain the right to sell to other people further shares in CUFC (Holdings Limited and thereby to reduce the Trust's stake to virtually nothing - **i.e. we are being asked to buy with all of our money a shareholding that could be reduced to virtually nothing at the time of the majority shareholder's**

choosing, and we could look forward to a time when we had invested £1,000,000 for virtually nothing whereas the other shareholder had invested £100 for a controlling interest and had had all of his loans re-paid.

No thank you!

2. That he and subsequent owners of the majority of the shares are not bound by the terms of our Agreement. **i.e. ANYONE could come and buy the Club without any reference to the Trust, the major investor of permanent funds. Cumbrians have had a taste of that in the past - 'Carlisle United doesn't deserve a football Club' etc (M. Knighton) - we will have no more.**

Again, No thank you!

The Trust is prevented by its statutory duties from using its donors' money to fulfil the terms of an agreement, which is being declared 'fundamentally flawed' by one of the parties to it. **The Trust is similarly prevented from accepting conditions such as those described above. The Trust therefore can not transfer its money unless the Agreement against which it is to be paid is accepted in its entirety by all of those affected by it.** Yet the Club is desperate for our money and we are desperate to help the Club in this, the worst season in its existence. Having taken legal advice at the highest level (at no cost to the Trust) we are informed that our Agreement is binding against the Club. Our only option, therefore, is to take legal steps as quickly as possible to get confirmation that the Agreement is not 'fundamentally flawed' and this is indeed the course which we have taken. We expect to see major developments in this regard in the weeks to come.

The Land

Finally, the Trust Chair was informed by the Club owner that a parcel of land owned by the Club was being transferred to John Courtenay as part of the arrangement for the change in ownership. It is understood that the land comprises some 100 acres adjacent to Warwick Road. John Courtenay publicly confirmed the arrangement. The Trust was not informed of the arrangement beforehand and as a shareholder it should have been. With Planning Permission the land would be worth many millions of pounds. The Trust has therefore taken steps to prevent the transfer and is commissioning a study to properly establish the current and potential future value of the land.

Conclusion

Meanwhile a third-rate publicity campaign is being conducted against the Trust and its officers in particular while the team labours in mid table in the Conference in the worst season in its history and a PR man employed specially for the purpose tries to put an acceptable spin on this unacceptable situation. All for the want of investment in the team. Success, we are told, is if the Club makes £10 profit next year irrespective of which League we are in. For a Newsagent or grocer maybe, for a potential Championship Football Club like Carlisle United, never!

All we have done is stick to our Agreement and raise the money to pay for it - more than £800,000 which equates to just about a full season's gate takings in their entirety. Yet once again we find ourselves under attack by those who seem to have a different agenda for the Football

Club. Against all the odds your Trust now has the means to achieve all of its goals. We have come through difficulties before by sticking together and that is precisely what we will do on this occasion. The Cumbrians are made of stern stuff and once again we'll prove it.

Up the Blues!

The United Trust Committee



Brooks Miles handing over the cheque to the United Trust for £600,000 at the Beehive Public House in Carlisle

"Blues Lotto"

We are currently in the 21st week of the "Blues Lotto" which was established by the United Trust with the aim of building up a solid foundation of weekly players before handing over to Carlisle United at the end of the first six months once they had fulfilled their notice period with Newcastle United's Super 7 Lottery.

A system of agents has been developed with the most successful being supporters of the club, and we would like to say a big thank you to all of these agents for the help they have given.

So far we have paid out one jackpot winner and over 70 shared runners up prizes totalling over £6000. Funds are in place to hand over to Carlisle United once they confirm that they are in a position to accept them.

There are three ways of playing the lotto - weekly by buying a ticket from one of our agents - by post sending a cheque for either £13, £26, £52 - or by standing order at £4.34 per month. If you are interested in either playing or joining our team of agents and selling the "Blues Lotto" tickets please contact us by either by e-mail at:

Helen@blueslotto.org.uk

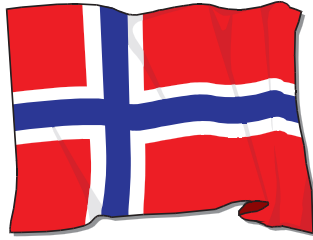
Tel :-07887 770 799

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The Norwegian Branch

The Norwegian delegation of United fans wish to congratulate both the club and it's supporters on the good start to the



season. Being relegated to the Conference has actually given us an extra boost here across the North Sea. Carlisle are performing quite well, winning games and fighting for one of the play off positions. Nothing would please us more than a Carlisle return to the now called League 2.

Unfortunately we have observed that our biggest rivals for the title, Barnet, have proven that they too are serious contenders for the title. We listen to the Carlisle radio over the internet every week hoping for a Carlisle win, and at the same time wanting Barnet and others to drop points.

The Scandinavian Branch has members from all over Norway, but with two major groups, respectively based in Flekkefjord in the South and Troms in the North. The Flekkefjord group (Blue Army) often meets in the pub to discuss Carlisle over a pint or two. They have also been to Brunton Park at least two occasions.

The Northern section also meet frequently to discuss Carlisle and our most important task is to produce and distribute our fanzine Cumbrian Norsemen. About four times a year we take part in amateur 5-a-side football tournaments in Finnsnes and Tromsø. We play under the name Carlisle United and wear the white/blue away strips. In early December we made it to the final (against all odds), where we lost 4-2 after having been 1-0 up. We were happy as punch when the organisers presented us with the price for 2nd place – a bottle of Coca Cola for each player.

Our goal this season is to get a good bunch of Norsemen over at around Easter time, preferably Norse Cumbrians from both Flekkefjord, Troms and other parts of Norway. We wish the people of Cumbria and other United fans in the world all the very best and hope to see many points coming our way in the remaining matches.



Helen Fuller with the youngest member of the Supporters Club, Louie

Correspondence

The following letter was received by the United Trust and is self explanatory. Concerns of a similar nature have been expressed on the web message board for this reason we have copied the letter received and the reply sent on behalf of the Trust. We sincerely hope that by printing both those with similar concerns can identify with their area of concern.

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The Board
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Dear All,

Concerns about Trust activities

I am writing as a member of CCUIST to express my concerns.

There has been a considerable amount of bad publicity regarding the dispute with Carlisle United and the Trust appears to have solicitors continually involved in this. Please let me know what legal fees have been incurred and how much these are expected to be. Should the Trust's money be wasted in this manner?

An amount of £238,500 is still owed to the Club for the 25 shares issued in March 2003. It appears that the Trust has raised money, but never paid this over despite the Club being severely in debt. How much is the Trust withholding? How can the Trust justify withholding these funds when they could be put to use for the benefit of the Club?

I have been made aware that the Trust has now employed a Trustee of the Trust to administer the Lottery and this person is being paid by the Trust. How can this expense be justified? Are these wages being paid by funds raised by the Lottery and if so does the Lottery funds cover these wages? How much surplus is being raised for the benefit of the Club?

It appears that individuals on the board of the Trust have been making decisions and responding to matters without the members' knowledge and I am concerned that these decisions have not always been to the benefit of Carlisle United. The members should be informed and with this in mind I should be grateful if you would make available the Trust's accounting records for my inspection.

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I am keen that there should be more transparency regarding the Trust's activities and think that matters should be aired publicly. I will not take further action until I receive answers to the following points.

I look forward to a prompt response.

Yours faithfully,

Mr S. Pattison
Managing Director

Correspondence

Reply on behalf of the Trust to the letter from Mr S Pattison.

21 February 2005

Mr S. Pattison
Managing Director
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Dear Stephen,

Concerns about Trust activities

Many thanks for your recent letter. As always it concerns the Trust Committee if any of our members are unhappy with any aspect of the Trust's activity. It would, however, appear from your letter that you are not fully conversant with the situation between the Trust and the Board of CUFC and we hope the following paragraphs will be of assistance in this regard.

The Trust (which now trades under the name 'The United Trust') was founded to protect the interests of Carlisle United supporters and to prevent the Club being exploited for personal gain. To these ends a contract (the Agreement) was signed in 2003 for the progressive acquisition of 40% of the shares of CUFC (Holdings) for £800,000 payable in tranches up to 2009, with a further 9% available at a price to be agreed. Permanent representation on the CUFC Board for the Trust was also included in the contract. Despite the various alterations to that contract which have been discussed, it has not been altered and the Trust has never deviated from its terms. Large sums have already been transferred to the Club. Indeed the activities of the Trust members in general and one very large donation in particular have led to more than all the remaining monies due under the contract for the acquisition of the first 40% of the shares (some £670,000) being secure in the Trust Bank account.

The Trust has generated no 'bad publicity'. Unfortunately this can not be said of some of the Club's directors and, sadly, your letter, containing as it does a number of completely unfounded allegations regarding the Trust's finances, seems to constitute a clumsy attempt to generate yet more bad publicity. What the Trust has done is to negotiate a contract and to amass the very large sums required by the terms of that contract. The monies already transferred to the Club plus those now available in our Bank Account equate to considerably more than a full season's cash receipts at the gates according to the Club's latest accounts. This permanent injection of funds (it is not an interest-generating repayable loan) once completed will be the largest financial benefit the Club has received from any source in its 100 year history. It is not the Trust that is preventing the completion of this investment.

Unfortunately public statements have been made by members of the Club Board to the effect that the contract

was 'fundamentally flawed.' The Trust is an Industrial and Provident Society and its Directors are bound by the statutory duties of the officers of such bodies. The Trust directors are therefore prevented by these duties from transferring any further funds to the Club until the validity of the contract against which the funds are to be paid is confirmed. Of necessity this entails the use of legal experts. Fortunately the Trust has benefited from the donations of a succession of benefactors to cover its legal expenses and has not had to draw on funds contributed by its members for share purchase. This continues to be the case. It must be said that it is unusual for several of the Directors of the Football Club to be demanding money under the terms of the Contract (before the due dates!) whilst simultaneously denying its validity. The Trust does indeed have the money to fulfil its obligations under its agreement with the Club. Alas, the completely spurious claim by Club directors that the agreement is fundamentally flawed absolutely prevents the transfer of those monies to the club until the validity of the agreement is verified. Ethically a strong case could be made for those monies already paid to be returned until the verification of the agreement. Or are we to assume that because you demand money under the terms of the agreement you are contradicting the statements of your colleagues on the CUFC Board who publicly state that the agreement is 'flawed'?

The arrangements for the conduct of the lottery were agreed with the Club and again have been completely self-funding without recourse to any of the Trust's other funds.

The Trust Board conducts its business as it is required to do by law and communicates with its members frequently either directly or through the press. Indeed many of the issues raised in your letter were covered in detail in our last communication. The Trust's financial affairs are conducted by a Chartered Accountant and are subject to independent audit. The results are circulated to members at the AGM. We see no reason to alter this procedure which complies in every way with the stringent statutory conditions laid down by the Regulator who supervises the affairs of IPS's and who himself comes within the remit of the FSA.

Finally, it is noted that in the last section of your letter you refer to 'the following points' when in fact there are no 'following points'. If these have been omitted please do not hesitate to contact us should you have any other areas of concern and we will be happy to assist in your comprehension of the current situation.

The United Trust Board

CUOSC News

Your Supporters' Club together with Inquest Public Houses provided free transport for all its members to the Carlisle match at Morecambe v Barnett. 5 coaches left Brunton Park and it was good to be able to offer this facility. Morecambe made the travelling supporters very welcome as the home side. A wonderful result beating the top of the table Barnett convincingly 4 - 1. Didn't hear any mention of champagne!

Gym Equipment

The £13,000 worth of equipment purchased with the money raised in last years Grand Draw was totally damaged in the recent floods. We have been told by George Thomson the Operations Manager at Brunton Park, that all equipment was fully insured and will be replaced. We hope it's not too long before Dolly gets his gym back into operation.

Crawley Trip

A telephone call from David Mitchell was the first alert that things were going to be difficult for the trip to Crawley Town. Warwick Road was flooded up to the church, which required us to change the point of departure to London Road. Every effort was made to try and locate those travelling and divert them to the new pick up point. Even though sheltered, the coach was being blown from side to side. With information that 14 wagons had been blown over between Penrith and Shap the decision was made not to travel - a wise one in all the circumstances. Some tried desperately to get to Brunton Park like Neil Ferguson who waded along Eastern Way at 5am with trousers up to his knees - not a pretty sight! It was later in the day that the true reality of what had happened really dawned. Those attempting to get from the west of the city to any other part found it impossible, floods, trees down and roads blocked. Thankfully all those who turned up for the trip made it home safely. Our thoughts were with the players who had already travelled but must have been wondering what they were to return to knowing Brunton Park was under water.

Ticket Offices staffed by supporters / Away Travel booking

For the past three seasons supporters have been selling tickets from the portacabins around the ground and taking bookings for Away Travel from the Paddock Ticket office. At the beginning of this season it was decided by CUFC that this method of ticket sales would alter for next season. We worked with the club to deliver an exit strategy and handover to those taking responsibility for the service as of next season. Some of those involved were told two days prior to the last home game that the club no longer required their services. When the cry for help from John Courtenay came these supporters were willing volunteers immediately offering their services and involved in the streamlining of the ticket sales system thus saving the club thousands of pounds. Jazza, Susan, Keith, Bob, Jennifer, Peter, Alistair, Michael (mostly on the away end) Helen, Chris and Kate will miss the crack and banter when selling you your tickets but hope to see you in and around the ground. At least now we will see the start of all the games and hopefully not miss the early goals.

Away Travel

If you want to book travel see Susan or Keith Elliott (West Stand) or Kate (East Stand) who will be in and around the ground before home matches and will take your bookings on behalf of the Supporters' Club. You can also contact by ringing 07968498941 or 01228 527081 to book your seats. See our web site for all information re travel. Look forward to seeing you on the away trips.

Plastic Bottle Top Collection

Many thanks to all those who collected plastic bottle tops or handed them over on Away Travel Buses you will all be pleased to hear that the young man from Whitehaven collected enough (his own body weight) to enable him to get a new wheelchair.

Carlisle United Official Supporters Club

Away Day Travel 2004/5 Season

DATE	MATCH	DEPART		PRICES		
		Brunton Park	Penrith Railway Station	Adult Members	Concession Members	Non-Members
March 15	Hereford United	1.00pm	1.20pm	£17	£14	£20
March 25	Canvey Island	6:30am	6:50am	£23	£20	£26
April 02	Farnborough Town	6:30am	6:50am	£23	£20	£26
April 16	Burton Albion	9.45am	10.05am	£14	£11	£17
April 19	Barnet	12.00pm	12.20pm	£22	£19	£25

Dear Supporters

Over recent weeks and months much has been said and reported about my involvement with Carlisle United Football Club both in the press and by some connected with the club, I have not felt the need to reply in the past, however, because of comments made by Lord David Clark (BBC Radio Cumbria, Cumberland News and News and Star) in which he questions my position as elected Chair of the Trust, Andrew Jenkins (Cumberland News) reference to 'real' supporters and latterly John Courtenay (note to the message board that I had lost my way. I felt a need respond.

I am not and never have been involved with CUFC for self-gratification, an ego trip or my own personal quest, as some have said. I am there purely and simply as an elected representative of the Trust and a supporter.

Over recent months I have been accused of being an evil woman, a bitch and liar. I have been verbally abused to the extent that most people would feel intimidated. In all my working life I have dealt with incredibly difficult situations and have also represented my work colleagues who have been on the receiving end of this type of unacceptable behaviour.

Some of this behaviour has taken place in the presence of others and sometimes in an effort to undermine me with my personal friends and colleagues.

I have directly challenged these attacks on me and come up against avoidance, walls of silence and on one occasion a grudging apology.

I was a proud police officer for nearly 29 years standing and during that time, although not always accepted as being part of the job one came to expect personal attacks and attempts to discredit. This happens both in a court room in attempts to divert attention or in public order situations in the street. I find it slightly ironic that having retired from the police service in 2002 I find myself being subject of such attacks as a private citizen nearly 3 years later.

I know that I have represented supporters with integrity and to the best of my ability. It has taken much soul searching to break my dignified silence over these personal attacks on me, but now people may have a better understanding of the situation.

Kate Rowley

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