

# The Annual Sporting Dinner

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### Jan Molby - Liverpool

Jan Molby was signed by Joe Fagan in 1984 for £200,000 from Ajax and had a good career at Anfield. He had a varied career at Liverpool, ranging from one of the greatest midfielders Liverpool have ever had to weight problems and a stint behind prison bars.

Jan was superb at free-kicks and penalties in his time as well and the kop was often awaiting the net to burst at times under the pressure of his shots.

Jan was instrumental in the FA Cup success of 1986 over Everton when he turned the game on its head by setting up the first goal and then spreading the ball at every perceivable angle to open the game up completely and eventually for the second and third goals which completed the double.

Jan was eventually released by Liverpool in February 1996 to allow him to take up his position as player manager of Swansea.

Jan was given a testimonial by Liverpool and typically of Jan this changed from the normal pay-off to a great player in that it cost Jan money to stage his testimonial after he pledged so much to charity.



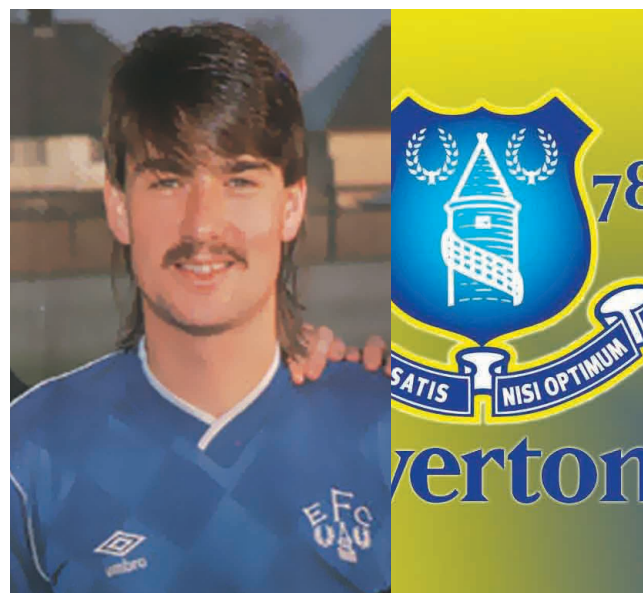
### Ian Snodin - Everton

Ian Snodin is an almost unique figure in modern football inasmuch as he declined an invitation which few receive and virtually no one declines when he turned down the chance to join Liverpool in January 1987.

Everton and Liverpool - were willing to meet an asking price of 840,000 pounds. Having agreed personal terms with Kenny Dalglish, Snodin was expected to move to Anfield but an eleventh-hour intervention by Howard Kendall proved to be decisive and within a matter of hours he had pledged his future to Everton.

Although his never-say-die attitude was warmly received by the Goodison public it was not until Snodin was pressed into service as an emergency right-back that he truly began to flourish. His transformation from midfielder to defender was accomplished with such speed and in such style that he was called up into the full England squad for a friendly international in Greece in February 1989

Ian's career saw him play for local teams Leeds United and Doncaster Rovers under the late Billy Bremner.



**Friday 07th May 2010**

**Tickets are priced at £35.00 each or a table of Ten guests at £300.00  
a Four Course dinner with Comedian Mike Farrell and MC Jerry Earl.**

Our Previous Speakers have been former Aston Villa and Arsenal Legend Mr Paul Merson, Manchester United's Mr Norman Whiteside and local former fans favorite Mr Norman Hunter.

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