

Breitkreutz blitzkrieg hits Lynn

Lynn 1, Aston Villa 4

LYNN gave a very good account of themselves in this friendly on Tuesday night, before going down to a fitter and faster Villa team.

The visitors, including four first team squad players, came strong in the second half, but before the break Lynn rocked them with some great play and took the lead.

Twice Mark Howard went close, and Paul Willis also nearly scored, before Darren Prior scored with a diving header after 35 minutes, following a good run and cross from Steve Parkinson.

Prior and James Russell went close to adding to the lead before the break, with Villa creating just two chances, Lynn keeper Steve Lewis twice denying Steven Cowe.

But after the break Lynn ran out of steam, and one Howard shot that was well saved by former international Nigel Spink was all they could muster.

Cowe slotted home a 50th minute equaliser, Matthias Breitkreutz thundered home the second 15 minutes later, and then the same player made it

three with a 20-yard free kick. And as the seconds ticked away Neil Davis drove home the fourth.

LYNN: Lewis 7, Rolph 8, Webster 7, Bloodworth 7, West 7, Willis 7, Russell 7, Howard 8, Parkinson 7, Gallagher 7, Prior 7. Subs: Setchell 7, Worthington 7, Scarff 7.

VILLA: Spink, Evans, Small, Crisp, Browne, Scimeca, Berry, Davis, Cowe, Breitkreutz, Farrell. Subs: Miles, Pearce.

LYNN NEWS MAN OF THE MATCH: Mark Howard – a constant threat.