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Heath Hayes v Lye - I was going to visit Romulus last night but arriving at the ground I found out it was postponed - should have phoned them up! Luckily, I live local and knew Heath Hayes were at home but didn't know the kick off time. I just made it to the wonderfully named Coppice Colliery Ground for 7.30 but the game kicked off at 7.45 - didn't need to huff and puff after all!

There was an 8-page programme for 50p and then I heard a story about Heath Hayes and wasted journeys by two gentlemen close by. Just knew it was the editor of this site and his mate (Old Sloppy)!

The game was keenly fought and ended 2-0 to the home side in the West Midlands League Cup with two identical first half goals enough to defeat a spirited Lye team. Most memorable moment was the little dog that was desperate to follow the players into the changing rooms at half time. Heath Hayes is a well-run and friendly little club and well worth a visit.

Cheers - Owen Coupland, Lichfield, Staffs. Web Editor - Many thanks Owen for the great write up. Hope you get to Romulus!

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