**First home game of the season**

It’s here at last! For the players and coaches all those cold winter nights of training, training and more training are over. The sun is out (hopefully, but more likely not!), the music’s on, the pitch is ready and, hopefully, we’ve all managed to survive another April Fool’s Day without looking too silly.

I love the start of a new season and the excitement and anticipation that surrounds it. Maybe part of it is because everyone has the chance to start again. It doesn’t matter how bad the previous year was, or how many mistakes were made, now is the chance to taste victory again. In sport you have to put the past behind you quickly, and live and perform in the moment if you are going to succeed.

Wouldn’t it be great if life was like that? If we could move on from all the bad bits, the mistakes and all the failures form the past. Wouldn’t it be great to have a fresh start with new hope, anticipation and expectation of what could be? Maybe that is possible? I believe that we all have the opportunity, each day, to start afresh in our lives.

So at this start of the Woman’s Super League 2015 I wish all players, staff and fans of both Reading and Watford an enjoyable and successful season.

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