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THE STORY OF QPR COMES TO LOFTUS ROAD

ANDY IMPEY JOINS FANS TO CELEBRATE CLUB'S HISTORY...

FORMER QPR favourite Andy Impey returned to W12 as the Story of QPR opened its doors for the first time to the public recently.

Fans flocked to Loftus Road armed with photos, lucky charms and other memorabilia for the 'What's in your Loft?' exhibition as supporters young and old celebrated the history of the club.

Impey - who made over 200 appearances during a seven-year spell with Rangers - was the special guest among a panel which included Queens Park Rangers Football Club and the surrounding community.

Meanwhile, the exhibition allowed supporters to reminisce over Andy Evans.

The event, organised by 12 young project volunteers, formed one part of the Story of QPR's youth



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memory lane, telling *Hoops*. "It was a great day learning and viewing some of the history - not just QPR's but west London. It brought back some great memories as well as seeing some brilliant memorabilia on show."

Guests enjoyed an array of activities during the day including talks from the speakers and a sneak preview of the upcoming documentary film being produced by the young volunteers.

Event co-ordinators Emily Williams and Abigail Bernard were joined by club historian Gordon Macey, who was on hand to offer his expertise on a variety of items unearthed on the day.

The project is working with young people aged 16-24 years old, many of whom are not currently in education, employment or training - equipping them with both skills and experience.

The young people involved in the project are also producing a range of other multimedia in addition to the documentary film, which is due to be screened in early 2015.

Visit www.octaviafoundation.org.uk/StoryofQPR for more information.

"We only scratched the surface, Serena Williamson added.

Harry Redknapp, project manager including Joey Barton and manager figures from the present day old artefacts to interviewing key

which has ranged from researching



NAME THE STORY OF QPR

WANT to win two tickets to the premiere in early 2015? The Story of QPR are asking fans to help their say in a potential new name for the documentary film.

Charting the history of the club from its very beginnings, the Story of QPR will be a 60-minute film documenting key milestones from yesterday. Running parallel to what football story of what football means and has meant to British society, in particular to west London's working class and diverse local communities.

The story will be told by a broad tapestry of voices, from the club's memorable players - past and present - to its staff and long standing passionate fans.

E-mail your suggestions to qprfilm@octaviafoundation.org.uk by Wednesday 12th November to be in with a chance.

Follow the [@StoryofQPR](http://StoryofQPR) to see the latest film teaser for inspiration!