## languagecaster football vocabulary list

On this page you can find explanations of words and expressions connected to football from each of the podcast shows.

## Podcast 2 – (November 8<sup>th</sup> 2006)

**come from a goal behind** — to win a game after being losing earlier. e.g. Tottenham came from a goal behind to win 2-1

**derby** — a match between two teams from the same area e.g. The Tottenham-Chelsea game was a typical London **derby**.

**losing streak** — to lose many games in a row e.g. Reading are on a four match **losing streak** 

**bottle** — heart, guts, balls e.g. Tottenham showed some **bottle** to beat Chelsea last week.

9 points clear — to be ahead / to be leading by 9 points e.g. Lyon are 9 points clear at the top of the French League.

**draw** — when both teams have the same amount of goals e.g. Schalke and Bayern **drew** 2-2 last week.

have a poor record — have not done well (lost many games) e.g. Arsenal have a poor record against European teams.

**dip in form** — the team has not been playing well *Everton's recent form has dipped.* 

## Pun of the Week

Hearts are broken by late Celtic winner

In the Scottish Premier League last week Hearts (from Edinburgh) lost in the last minute to Celtic (from Glasgow). A heart-breaking moment for their supporters.