

THE HOPE LEAGUE

HOPE LEAGUE. DIVISION 1

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 HAN SHOT FIRST	10	3	2	0	14	0	4	1	0	25	10	29	24
2 GALACTIC STARS	10	4	1	1	16	10	3	1	0	9	3	12	23
3 SITH HAPPENS FC	10	3	2	0	11	7	3	1	1	14	3	15	21
4 FULL THROTTLE FC	10	4	2	0	12	3	2	0	2	11	7	13	20
5 THE FORCE	10	4	0	0	11	1	1	4	1	4	3	11	19
6 ETERNAL SPRINGS	10	2	0	2	6	6	2	2	2	8	8	0	14
7 SMITHY ATHLETIC	10	2	2	1	6	5	1	2	2	7	13	-5	13
8 PFC LUBOCRANETS	10	2	2	1	9	5	1	0	4	4	11	-3	11
9 MANDALORE	10	1	0	4	13	24	1	1	3	10	19	-20	7
10 STILE COMMON	10	0	3	2	1	8	1	0	4	2	8	-13	6
11 GOBAITH FC	10	1	0	3	9	15	0	2	4	3	16	-19	5
12 JLR COMMANDOS	10	0	1	5	3	14	0	1	3	1	10	-20	2

HOPE LEAGUE. DIVISION 2

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 ANDRASSY AVENUE	10	5	1	0	18	6	3	0	1	8	5	15	25
2 HENLEY ROVERS	10	3	2	0	8	1	4	0	1	15	5	17	23
3 CHERNOBYL	10	4	0	0	7	3	3	1	2	7	4	7	22
4 DYSTOPIA IV	10	3	3	0	14	7	2	0	2	7	5	9	18
5 GALERIE BLEU FC	10	2	2	2	3	5	2	1	1	10	9	-1	15
6 MOSEISLEY JAWAS	10	4	0	0	7	1	1	0	5	10	22	-6	15
7 HILL VALLEY	10	2	1	2	17	12	2	1	2	8	10	3	14
8 MEMORIAL PARK	10	2	0	3	10	3	1	3	1	2	2	7	12
9 RPG ROVERS	10	2	0	3	4	7	1	1	3	2	5	-6	10
10 BRUTUS AWAKENS	10	1	0	4	5	13	1	1	3	7	8	-9	7
11 STAR COMMAND	10	1	1	2	3	2	0	2	4	1	9	-7	6
12 STARFIGHTER FC	10	1	0	4	4	18	0	0	5	1	16	-29	3

Big game at the top this week saw the champs assert their authority in a cracking 5-3 win on their visit to the **Stars. Han Shot** take over at the top and you have to ask whether the Stars have shot their bolt a little bit. Still five teams in with a shout I think, but mistakes cannot be afforded though **The Force** finally won away and it keeps them in touch.

Another top of the table clash in the second saw **Andrassy** squeeze past **Chernobyl**. Mr Simmonds looks as if he is defo on way to promotion and perhaps the second div title as well to be honest. **Henley** are now looking his biggest rivals for the tile, and with **Dystopia** fading the top three are starting to pull away.

Top of the strugglers now are **Memorial Park**, they are well clear of the other 36-1ers, and have even overtaken **RPG**, shame on you Mr.

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Hope League - Session Eight

Season 4

RESULTS HOPE SESSION EIGHT

RESULTS ROUND-UP

TEMPERATURE: Cold

Week twenty-two

DIVISION 1

JLR COMMANDOS Inj - Kuter (1) Att 47701 Wind: Light	0 : 2 THE FORCE (A - 1.5) Binks jensen 37 Rogue 83 Pitch: Muddy
SMITHY ATHLETIC Turbo smith 86 off - Peppard (18) Att 44172 Wind: Calm Pitch: Wet	1 : 4 SITH HAPPENS FC (A - 0.7) Plagueis 28 Rob lewandowski 33 Seymour 33 Rickford 70 *Derby Game*
GALACTIC STARS Gungan 71 Yoda larsson 85,88 Att 35500* Wind: Light Pitch: Frozen	3 : 5 HAN SHOT FIRST (A - 0.7) Bowdaar 10 Dahl 11 Geni 32 Han solo 47 Torian cadera 60
FULL THROTTLE FC Pavel 42 Tusken 52 John smith 71 bkd - Tusken (50)	3 : 1 Mandalore (H - 2.1) Ola 67 Att 40459 Wind: Calm Pitch: Good
STILE COMMON Att 29812 Pitch: Muddy	0 : 0 GOBAITH FC (A - 0.3) Wind: Calm
PFC LUBOCRANETS Att 42000* Wind: Calm	0 : 1 ETERNAL SPRINGS (H - 0.7) Quest 36 Pitch: Muddy

DIVISION 2

ANDRASSY AVENUE Austin friars 40 Cigoli 45 Wind: Light	2 : 1 CHERNOBYL (A - 0.3) Bearadi 58 Att 29160 Pitch: Frozen
HENLEY ROVERS Hill 8 Frantzen 82 bkd - Dud bolt (27) off - Dud bolt (78) Wind: Calm *Derby Game*	2 : 0 RPG ROVERS (H - 0.5) bkd - Porkins (42)/ Wow (51)/ Bards tale (46) Att 31327 Pitch: Muddy
GALERIE BLEU FC Magnussen 19 Wind: Calm	1 : 0 STARFIGHTER FC (H - 1.3) Att 30774 Pitch: Good
DYSTOPIA IV Fallout 41 Bao dur 61 Att 27276 Pitch: Muddy	2 : 2 HILL VALLEY (H - 0.7) Mr sandman 69 Mayor 78 Wind: Calm
MEMORIAL PARK Dogpoo 10,37 Binns 37 New 79 bkd - Antilles (51)	4 : 0 STAR COMMAND (H - 0.1) Att 34183 Wind: Light Pitch: Muddy *Derby Game*
BRUTUS AWAKENS Lewandyodaski 3,36 Sarlace 12,49 Nok drayen 61 Wind: Calm	5 : 2 MOSEISLEY JAWAS (A - 0.1) Mon calamari 52 Duros 88 Att 28397 Pitch: Wet

Week twenty-three

THE HOPE LEAGUE CUP

Quarter-finals

HAN SHOT FIRST Zam wessell 32,73 Jonny b goode 69 Bowdaar 76 Att 50754 Wind: Calm	4 : 3 ETERNAL SPRINGS (H - 1.5) Hansse 1 Quest 22 Promise 84 bkd - Torstonson (53) Pitch: Wet
THE FORCE Skywalker 46 Mutation 54 Att 36727* Pitch: Frozen	2 : 2 PFC LUBOCRANETS (H - 0.9) Polly 16(og) Dempsov 59(p) Wind: Calm *Derby Game*
JLR COMMANDOS Scattergood 50 Att 44786 Wind: Calm	1 : 2 ANDRASSY AVENUE (A - 0.1) Bagatino 20 Spiegel 76 Pitch: Muddy
FULL THROTTLE FC Lundgren 77 Att 41230* Pitch: Muddy	1 : 0 SITH HAPPENS FC (H - 1.1) bkd - Dengar (24) Wind: Calm

Week twenty-four

HOPE FRIENDLIES

ALTRINCHAM(NL)	1 : 0 GOBAITH FC (H - 1.3)
CHERNOBYL	0 : 2 WROXHAM(NL) (A - 3.9)
DROYLSDEN(NL)	4 : 0 BRUTUS AWAKENS (H - 1.9)
FULL THROTTLE FC	0 : 0 OXFORD CITY(NL) (H - 0.1)
STAFFORD(NL)	2 : 0 DYSTOPIA IV (H - 4.9)
ETERNAL SPRINGS	0 : 1 LEATHERHEAD(NL) (H - 0.1)
GALERIE BLEU FC	0 : 0 LEEK TOWN(NL) (H - 0.3)
HERNE BAY(NL)	0 : 0 HAN SHOT FIRST (H - 1.7)
GALACTIC STARS	0 : 0 ILFORD(NL) (A - 1.5)
TRURO CITY(NL)	3 : 0 HENLEY ROVERS (H - 3.5)
MANDALORE	1 : 0 TAMWORTH(NL) (A - 2.5)
WHITBY TOWN(NL)	0 : 0 JLR COMMANDOS (H - 1.5)
HILL VALLEY	0 : 0 ROMULUS(NL) (A - 1.5)
MET POLICE(NL)	0 : 0 MOSEISLEY JAWAS (H - 0.5)
MEMORIAL PARK	0 : 1 UXBRIDGE(NL) (A - 1.7)
TELFORD UTD(NL)	2 : 0 PFC LUBOCRANETS (H - 3.5)
STAR COMMAND	0 : 1 ENFIELD(NL) (A - 3.7)
WOKING(NL)	5 : 0 STILE COMMON (H - 4.7)
SITH HAPPENS FC	0 : 1 CARSHALTON(NL) (A - 3.5)
SOUTHPORT(NL)	0 : 0 STARFIGHTER FC (H - 2.5)
THE FORCE	0 : 3 ALFRETON TOWN(NL) (A - 2.7)
HEDNESFORD (NL)	2 : 0 SMITHY ATHLETIC (H - 1.5)
ANDRASSY AVENUE	0 : 0 SUTTON UTD(NL) (A - 1.9)
WEYMOUTH(NL)	4 : 0 RPG ROVERS (H - 3.1)

WEATHER FORECAST

Temperature next session: Freezing
Predicted wind speed next session: Light

The Hope Cup

3RD ROUND DRAW

The Force v Cobaith FC

Chernobyl v PFC Lubocranets

Full Throttle FC v Han Shot First

Hill Valley v Sith Happens

**(To be played on Session ten with replays
the following session if needed)**

THE HOPE LEAGUE CUP

Quarter-final Draw

Han Shot First v Andrassy Avenue

PFC Lubocranets or The Force v Full Throttle

**(To be played on Session 12 with replays on the
following session if needed)**



HELLO NAARWICH

STATS AND WHATS

LEADING SCORERS

DIVISION 1

1	GENI	HAN SHOT FIRST	16
2	TUSKEN	FULL THROTTLE FC	14
3	JONNY B GOODE	HAN SHOT FIRST	11
4	ROB LEWANDOWSKI	SITH HAPPENS FC	10
5	RICKFORD	SITH HAPPENS FC	9
6	AHSOKA TANO	MANDALORE	9
7	ZAM WESSELL	HAN SHOT FIRST	8
8	JENS SOLO	MANDALORE	8

DIVISION 2

1	MR SANDMAN	HILL VALLEY	9
2	FRANTZEN	HENLEY ROVERS	8
3	CIGOLI	ANDRASSY AVENUE	7
4	DUROS	MOSEISLEY JAWAS	6
5	BITH	MOSEISLEY JAWAS	6
6	AURA SING	HILL VALLEY	6
7	VILLENEUVE	BRUTUS AWAKENS	5
8	DELACROIX	GALERIE BLEU FC	5

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - CAPTAIN BONUS

TOP

THE FORCE - 0

SMITHY ATHLETIC - 0

ETERNAL SPRINGS - 2

BOTTOM

JLR COMMANDOS - 19

MANDALORE - 19

MOSEISLEY JAWAS - 23

MANAGERIAL RATINGS

DIVISION 1

Craig Lawton - Full Throttle Fc - 1

Chris Ballantyn - Han Shot First - 2

Morten Jensen - The Force - 4

DIVISION 2

Gerard Molloy - Chernobyl - 3

Neil Barrett - Hill Valley - 9

Gareth Ashcroft - Brutus Awakens - 12

DIVISION 3

PRIVATE DEALS

FULL THROTTLE FC sold MARGARITAS (21-12 UT[r]) {P/S} to MANDALORE for 700K

Deal between MANDALORE and BRUTUS AWAKENS failed due to player availability

All deals completed successfully!

THE ROLE OF SHAME

The following players are all suspended next session for the number of games shown besides their name :- PEPPARD [1] (SMITHY ATHLETIC) / DUD BOLT [1] (HENLEY ROVERS) /

Consec. Defeats

Jlr Commandos	7 games
Pfc Lubocranets	3 games

Since A Defeat

Han Shot First	31 games
Sith Happens Fc	9 games
Andrassy Avenue	8 games
The Force	7 games
Henley Rovers	5 games
Memorial Park	3 games

Since A Win

Jlr Commandos	10 games
Smithy Athletic	7 games
Star Command	5 games
Stile Common	4 games
Pfc Lubocranets	3 games
Dystopia Iv	3 games

AUCTION PAGE

AUCTION RESULTS

POS	STATS	NAME	CLUB	FEE	NO	NHIGH
3) WG	99-99	CARLO	(MEMORIAL PARK)	352K	1	OK
4) MF	22-6	ROTHERFIELD	(GOBAITH FC)	387K	1	OK

All players not shown were unsold.

AUCTION FOR SESSION EIGHT

No	POS	AGE/SK	CAT	TYPE	COMMENTS
1	MF/A/D	19-1	P		Cannot be bought by a side still in cup or league cup
2	MF/A/D	19-1	S		Can only be bought by a second division side RISER
3	MF/A/D	19-1	PS		
4	MF/A/D	19-1	random	RISER	
5Bak-Dor-Robbie - 28-7 SW P - very exceptional marker - Ultra fast riser - 300capt games - BW95					

Robbie is coming back from a long lay-off. But past experience says very little gets by Bak-Dor - he will sign for a wage of 4K for 60 sessions because of his time out of the game

6Craig O'Moaner - 28-7 MF/G PS - Ultra fast riser - BW90/CR90

O'Moaner is coming back from a long term injury also but if he regains his form will be a general to organise your troops - he will also sign for 4K for 60 sessions because of this

7 Lubi-loub Lewis - your trusted scout up in the back streets of Burnley has unearthed a gem he tells you. no details but he assures you that you will not regret signing LubiLoub - 2k for 30 sessions wages can't be bad Ultra Fast riser

(All players are of **ENGLISH** Nationality by the way)

8) WG 18-2 P APP Rotherfield of Henley Rovers
{RES 120k - 44% BW/ 46% CR}

OUT-OF-CONTRACT PLAYERS

9) MF 21-8 S - Dennis Smith of Starfighter Fc
{RES 280k - 41% BW/ 31% CR}

AUCTION NOTES

From now onwards we would like you to always write, `don't sell if he turns star in the messages to GM box, **EVEN IF HE IS ALREADY A LEVEL TWELVE STAR ALREADY**, as well as ticking the relevant DON'T SELL box in teampick **EVEN IF HE IS ALREADY A LEVEL TWELVE STAR ALREADY**,. NOTE THAT TICKING THE BOX IS THE MAIN DECISION-MAKER IN WHETHER A PLAYER IS SOLD OR NOT, the GM Message is just to help the GM if there is a problem!

NOTE
THIS
WELL

Also PLEASE DO NOT leave partially-completed transfers in your transfer section, i.e. leaving the team name or the player, etc., it is laziness on your part and might result in strange things happening to your team!!!

And you MUST spell the names of the players included in any deal correctly. If you don't then the program might refuse them and they don't go through, so be careful.

In future, you are allowed multiple conditional bids from which the program will attempt to purchase just one item. However, you are also allowed multiple Unconditional bids from which the program will attempt to purchase all. teampick users just have to use the relevant boxes in the program, those who don't use teampick must ensure they stick to these rules and make it clear on their turns just what they want to happen in their bidding process.

LSO, be careful when doing deals etc. The program works on team order, which can cause problems. Best idea is NOT to have 25 players in your squad at the start of a turn and do deals and sell to NL, cos if the manager you are doing a deal with has a lower team number than yours, the program will say you have no space in your squad, even though you are trying to sell players to the non-league. His orders will be processed before yours!!

AUCTIONS

THERE ARE AUCTION LISTS ON the following sessions (ie the items will appear for bidding on) 0/ 2 / 4 / 6 / 8 / 10/12

The transfer deadline also comes into play on S13.

KICKABOUT MUSINGS & MEANDERINGS

It seems that even old stagers of the game still can't work out what order games are to be played in. SO emblazon the following on your minds please

ORDER OF MATCHES IS

LEAGUE GAME ONE

LEAGUE GAME TWO (which is where any re-arranged matches should go)

ALL CUP GAMES (including Cup/Bowl/ Trophy where the latter is always last if you have a Bowl or cup game as well)

LEAGUE CUP GAMES

EURO GAMES

FRIENDLIES

(If you look at teampick you will see that you CAN edit your fixtures as well to tell the program what games you are playing this session and it will put them in the correct order, OK)

ROLLING AUCTION LEVELS

The following are the minimum levels relating to each session for entering players into the rolling auction:-

<u>SESSIONS</u>	<u>MIN LEVEL</u>
1 to 3	5
4 to 5	6
6 to 8	7
9 to 10	8
11+	9

These are also the same levels which decide whether a player will go straight to N/L when out of contract rather than being put into the auction

Please note that from now onwards it is illegal to sell any player and then buy him back in the next three sessions FOR ANY REASON WHATSOEVER. If you do that playing will be banned for life and you will lose him

SOCIAL MEDIA

We have finally been dragged kicking and screaming into the 21st Century , pity all dinsoaurs aren't like that and have upped our presence on social mediua sites. Links to our pages will soon appear on the web-site, but in the meantime we can be found on

FACEBOOK - kickabout online

and Twitter

Online Kickabout

and remember the KA web-site

www.Kickaboutonline.co.uk to see the goodies

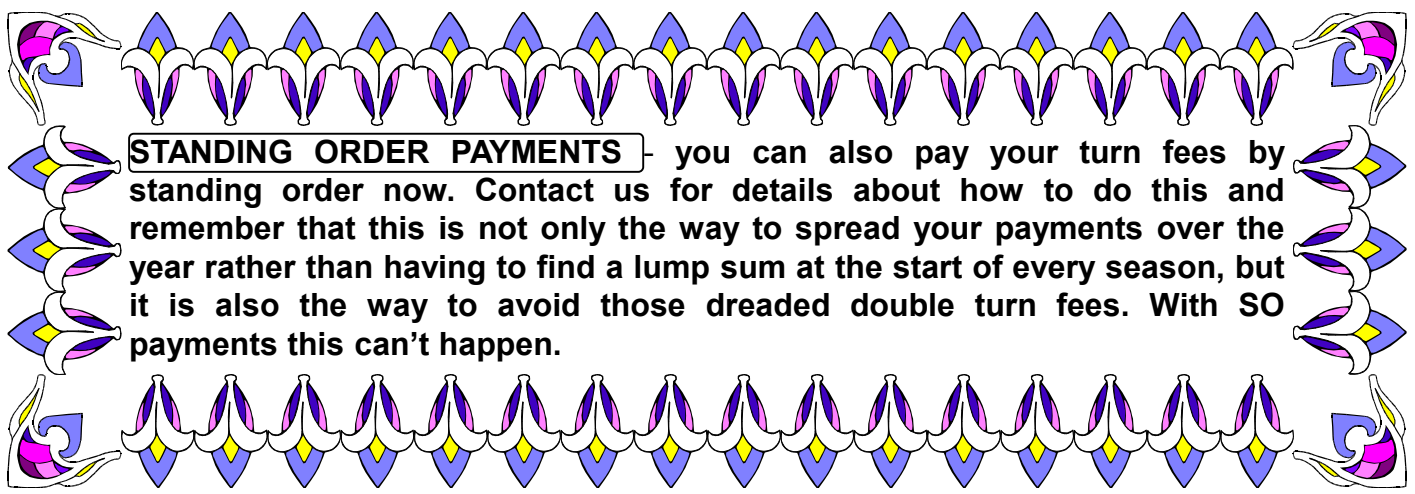
CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS

Can be made to us using the **PAYPAL** service. So if you want to pay anything by credit card then you could register with them and give it a try. Also note that if you send your payments as a gift ALL of the cash reaches us without any paypal fees being charged at our end and all is credited to your account.

You can pay by card/paypal through our new web-site

kickaboutonline.co.uk

Payments can now be made via paypal on our chris.spelbinder@btinternet.com address only.



STANDING ORDER PAYMENTS - you can also pay your turn fees by standing order now. Contact us for details about how to do this and remember that this is not only the way to spread your payments over the year rather than having to find a lump sum at the start of every season, but it is also the way to avoid those dreaded double turn fees. With SO payments this can't happen.

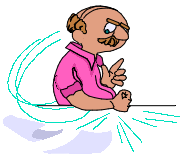
THE KICKABOUT COMMUNITY

EMAIL CHAT LIST - yes, you can subscribe to our email discussion group. There is a list for general Kickabout topics, a list for each individual league, one for the vulcano, one for teampick subscribers, even one for the weekend players. Learn more about the game, talk to other players and the Gm. To subscribe to the main list send a blank email to KA-kickabout+subscribe@groups.io. For others you do the same except put the league, name with Ka- in front of subscribe. However, some league lists have an ending in .co.uk instead of .com, so if one doesn't work then please try eeh other!!

One thing to note about subscribing to the list, we post a regular schedule of where every league is in the processing schedule, when it is sent out, when the latest return-by-date is. This is of great help and if you have email you should really be receiving this.

MARKING UPDATE

We have worked out a system to check on anybody who is using last season's marking numbers for the current season. Basically the program will save a list of all valid marking successes each session and if somebody cries foul, that he has been marked by somebody who hasn't scouted him, we can check and say yea or nay.



So from now onwards if you use last season's numbers then you will be found out AND if guilty the result of the game will either be reversed or decided against you.

THE MUCH MALTREATED DF/A

After much discussion with the KA fraternity at large we have decided that from the end of this season DF/A's will qualify for getting the best defence bonus just like SW & DF do. So DF/A's are even more important a player.

NORWICH WEEKEND IN MAY 2022

Another KA weekend has been booked for **13th-15th may** next year in Norwich.

NOTE LATER DATE

SO why not put it in your diaries NOW, and make it a bumper weekend in a really good environment
me hearties?

The Norwich Hotel is where the action takes place, book direct

Cost to us is a measly £40

First takers are Steve Thompson, Richard Pickup , Chris Moore, Niel Humphries , Andy Baker, Paul
Butler, Dave Craven, Neil Barrett, Seamus , Graeme Miller (ALL PAID)

Jens the Jensen, Geraldo ,Paul Sutton & Colin Armstrong also say they are coming along

AND MORE

Further weekend are tentatively planned

GLASGOW 2022

Craig Lawton is the first take here

ODENSE MAY 2023

Geraldo, Jens Baby, Hopless Seam, Colly & Morten say they are coming to Glasgow

Dave Hargraves says he and his son are coming to Odense as are Geraldo, Jens & Seamus

**Currently this Glasgow weekend is on hold as we look for another venue as the hotel
have tried to screw us over**

FEBRUARY VIRTUAL WEEKEND

Yes it will be taking place. Let's hope it is a full one this time

The extravaganza will take place on Saturday the 5th of February. Cost is a
measly £22.50

Get your name down NOW, along with Gerard, Craig, Wynne, Dennis, Gareth,
Rob The Lewis, Adrian, Scot, Morten, Seamus, Paul Fubar, Bo, Dag, Paul B &
Jens already



HOPE SEASON THREE DETAILS

This season we will be using the normal snail-mail league schedule, thus there is a league game every session except for S1, 6,9,11,12 & 15 when there will be two league games.

The Cup

No 1st round in the Hope

S4 2nd round

S7 3rd round

S10 Quarter-finals

S14 SF

S16 final

Replays are always in the following session extra time and penalties to decide.

The League Cup

See front page for fixture schedule

The six group winners will qualify, while the four runners-up with the best records will play off on a neutral ground for the final two places

S8 Quarter-finals

S12 Semi-finals

S14 Final

One game. If drawn there will be replays on the following sessions

THE TROPHY

This will consist of sixteen teams. All the two division along with the bottom four of the first division as at the end of S10

1st round is on S11 - no replays

2nd round is on S12 and so final is on S15 with no replay



MARKING INFO - Tim Dodge has put together a clever little program that allows s shomatch subscribers to gather all the international squads together each session so that you can use that info to get marking info. Shomatch/ teampick subscribers get a file sent out a file with all the int squads listed and this program pulls them all together. Makes it easier

New 2014 version now available at

<http://git.invisibles.org/cgi-bin/cgit.cgi/markinfo-vb6.git/plain/markinfo.exe>



MANAGERS NEEDED

We still have some teams that require a manager to pilot them towards glory.

So SPECIAL OFFER. name a league and we will send you a team. Once you have looked at it then tell us how much credit you think is needed to make it right. Then we will negotiate the actual amount.

Can't say better than that can we?

PLEASE NOTE THAT UNLESS YOU
SUBSCRIBE TO TEAMPICK/SHOMATCH
THEN YOUR TEAMSHEETS WILL
ALWAYS BE SENT OUT BY POST.
EMAIL TURNS ARE ONLY SENT TO
TEAMPICK/ SHOMATCH SUBSCRIBERS

PLEASE NOTE

You will all notice a new stat on your turnsheets. In the space where BW/CR stats are listed there will be a X% number against all goalkeepers. This will rate your GK on his shot-saving ability and will be cumulative.

Two points to note. It does not include penalties and own goals, but does include friendlies. And before shouting that it is wrong, remember that all shots against you are tested against the sweeper for blocking them before the GK.

I have some ideas about how to use this stat in the future so watch this space
