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THE MESSI LEAGUE

MESSI LEAGUE. DIVISION 1

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 PRIMROSE HILL	6	2	1	0	6	0	3	0	0	7	1	12	16
2 REQUIEM	6	1	0	2	1	3	3	0	0	7	1	4	12
3 NEWSOME FC	6	3	0	0	10	0	0	2	1	1	3	8	11
4 REAL AYELL	6	2	1	1	5	2	1	0	1	1	1	3	10
5 DEFCON1 FC	6	1	1	1	5	6	2	0	1	3	2	0	10
6 SPORTING SPUDS	6	1	0	1	3	4	2	1	1	2	2	-1	10
7 THE LEVELLERS	6	2	0	1	6	2	1	0	2	6	4	6	9
8 GLOBE TROTTERS	6	2	0	1	3	1	1	0	2	1	3	0	9
9 HAVERING TOWN	6	1	1	1	5	1	1	1	1	5	1	8	8
10 FRALKA	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	7	-4	8
11 DYNAMO TEST	6	0	0	3	0	8	0	0	3	0	7	-15	0
12 TECHNO TERRIERS	6	0	0	3	2	8	0	0	3	0	15	-21	0

MESSI LEAGUE. DIVISION 2

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 CLIFTON MIGHTY	6	2	1	0	7	0	3	0	0	9	6	10	16
2 VIPPEROED BK	6	2	1	0	2	0	3	0	0	9	2	9	16
3 CITY COLTS	6	2	0	1	12	5	2	0	1	8	2	13	12
4 LES FERDINAND	6	2	0	1	4	2	2	0	1	3	5	0	12
5 THE GREEKS	6	2	1	0	7	2	1	1	1	3	2	6	11
6 BRECON RANGERS	6	1	1	1	3	3	1	2	0	2	0	2	9
7 LEODIS	6	1	1	1	6	5	1	1	1	8	8	1	8
8 BRECON WARRIORS	6	1	0	3	2	13	1	0	1	2	2	-11	6
9 SHRIMP COVE	6	1	0	1	1	1	0	2	2	0	2	-2	5
10 IB 2301	6	1	2	0	4	2	0	0	3	0	6	-4	5
11 LADY PARK	6	0	0	3	2	7	0	1	2	0	4	-9	1
12 OLD STEINE FC	6	0	0	3	0	5	0	0	3	1	11	-15	0

MESSI LEAGUE. DIVISION 3

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 MISTIQUE	6	4	0	0	16	2	2	0	0	3	0	17	18
2 RADFORD SEMELE	6	2	1	0	8	0	2	1	0	5	0	13	14
3 PARK END BLUES	6	3	0	0	5	0	1	1	1	4	1	8	13
4 JERSEY BOYS	6	2	0	0	9	3	1	2	1	10	11	5	11
5 WESSEX RANGERS	6	1	2	0	3	2	1	1	1	2	2	1	9
6 WELSH WIZARDS	6	2	1	0	4	1	0	2	1	1	4	0	9
7 DAL RIADA	6	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	8
8 SCI FI ELITE	6	1	2	0	8	5	0	0	3	1	7	-3	5
9 BERMONDSEY BM	6	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	2	0	5	-5	5
10 BATTERSEA POWER	6	0	1	2	0	3	1	0	2	4	7	-6	4
11 FALLEN ANGELS	6	1	0	2	8	8	0	0	3	5	14	-9	3
12 SHROPSHIRE STAR	6	0	0	3	1	11	0	0	3	1	13	-22	0

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Messi League - Session Five

Season 28

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RESULTS SESSION FIVE

ROUND-UP

Primrose put chasers **Requiem** firmly in their place to open up a gap at the top. Who can stop them you have to ask.

Looks like bottom two are on their way down as they sit pointless at the bottom. Time to look forward to next season and a bounce back?

First points dropped, surprisingly, by pace-steers **Clifton**, against the rangers. Allows Jens to close up. The chasers might well be battling for third spot the way the top pair are going it seems.

Finally a home win for the **Warriors** in the second after three consecutive defeats in front of their own fans.

In the battle of the top pair **Jersey Boys** brought down to earth as they are caned by **Mistique** who look as if they might well be the team to beat here

Hey, hey, hey the **Angels** finally get off the mark but a long way

RESULTS ROUND-UP

TEMPERATURE: Warm

Week thirteen

DIVISION 1

REAL AYELL Nisos 25 Graviton 77 Pitch: Hard	2 : 0 SPORTING SPUDS (H - 0.7) Att 41515* Wind: Light
DEFCON1 FC Nostra 25 Wollaston 69 Corporal clegg 80 bkd - Glaxosmith (33) Pitch: Good	3 : 1 NEWSOME FC (H - 0.5) Spitfire 87(p) Inj - Stewart (7) Att 31635 Wind: Light

WIZARDRY FROM THE KEY

FRALKA Att 27407* Wind: Light	0 : 1 GLOBE TROTTERS (A - 1.1) Gaston 31 Pitch: Good
THE LEVELLERS Singh 18 Ekeke 23,39 Pitch: Good	3 : 0 DYNAMO TEST (H - 1.3) Att 32264 Wind: Light
REQUIEM Inj - Chyauster (1) Att 40708* Wind: Light	0 : 2 PRIMROSE HILL (A - 0.7) Staropramen 47 Istas 71 Pitch: Good
HAVERING TOWN Iam mighty 16 Big shaz 26,70 Cazanator 33 Craig omoaner 52	5 : 0 TECHNO TERRIERS (H - 0.9) Att 35839 Wind: Calm Pitch: Good

DIVISION 2

BRECON WARRIORS Fallon 52 Wind: Light	1 : 0 SHRIMP COVE (H - 0.3) Att 26038* Pitch: Muddy
CLIFTON MIGHTY Att 30948 Pitch: Good	0 : 0 BRECON RANGERS (H - 1.3) Wind: Light
OLD STEINE FC Att 28013 Wind: Light	0 : 1 LES FERDINAND (A - 1.5) Ranger 18 Pitch: Muddy
LADY PARK Johnny 63 Att 27197* Wind: Light Pitch: Good	1 : 3 THE GREEKS (A - 0.9) Skala 2 Young collins 34 Stockholm 69
CITY COLTS Dnf cranfield 1,78 Furlong 62 Inj - Aintree (3)	3 : 0 IB 2301 (H - 0.7) Att 44342 Wind: Light Pitch: Hard
LEODIS Fanta 24 Licor beirao 65 bkd - Hilbert (82) Inj - Grolsch (6) Att 33007 Pitch: Wet	2 : 4 VIPPEROED BK (A - 0.7) Ponti 14 Mariupol 23 Chip lawton 79 Kildehusene 90 Wind: Light

DIVISION 3

MISTIQUE Speedball 7,51,74 Brewdog 54 Beetlejuice 65	5 : 0 JERSEY BOYS (H - 1.2) Att 26584 Wind: Light Pitch: Muddy
RADFORD SEMELE Rob lewandowski 21 Monteiro 45,73 Pitch: Hard	3 : 0 BERMONDSEY BM (H - 0.7) Att 31244 Wind: Light
DAL RIADA Gaillimh 23 Heywood 49 Wind: Light	2 : 0 BATTERSEA POWER (H - 1.1) bkd - Zigler (78) Att 24909 Pitch: Good
WELSH WIZARDS Rhyl 23 Taylor 51 Wind: Light	2 : 1 WESSEX RANGERS (A - 0.5) Hjelm 86 Att 26428 Pitch: Good
FALLEN ANGELS Zinconi 20 Sambriza 29 Jedani 70 Bradley 73,77	5 : 1 SHROPSHIRE STAR (H - 2.1) Ba tat 40 Att 17869 Wind: Light Pitch: Good

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THE MESSI CUP

2nd round

Les Ferdinand v Defcon1

Requiem v Techno Terriers

Newsome FC v Fralka

Radford Semele v City Colts

Leodis v Sci-fi Elite

Haverling Town v Globe Trotters

Clifton Mighty v Wessex Rangers

Real Ayell v Welsh Wizards

(To be played on Session Seven with replays)

KETTERING(NL)	3 : 0	BRECON WARRIORS	(H - 2.3)
BERMONDSEY BM	2 : 2	STAFFORD(NL)	(A - 1.9)
SLOUGH(NL)	7 : 0	BRECON RANGERS	(H - 3.1)
CITY COLTS	1 : 6	BATH(NL)	(A - 4.5)
WYCOMBE(NL)	5 : 0	BATTERSEA POWER	(H - 5.3)

WEATHER FORECAST

Temperature next session: Cool

Predicted wind speed next session:
Calm

THE MESSI LEAGUE CUP

Play-off

Primrose Hill v Vipperoed BK

(To be played neutral ground session six, with extra time and penalties to decide)

Quarter-finals

Globe Trotters v Primrose Hill or Vipperoed BK

Haverling Town v Sporting Spuds

Levellers v Radford Semele

Requiem v Dynamo Test

(To be played on Session eight with replays)

There has been a suggestion to change the league cup into six groups of six to do away with the play off round. However, this would mean fewer friendlies of many in the first half a dozen sessions and apps qualifying would therefore come later in the seasons? Comments

STATISTICS PAGE

LEADING SCORERS

DIVISION 1

1	IAM MIGHTY	HAVERING TOWN	8
2	WOLLASTON	DEFCON1 FC	8
3	ISTAS	PRIMROSE HILL	7
4	BIG SHAZ	HAVERING TOWN	6
5	BARBOSA	REQUIEM	6
6	THESEUS	THE LEVELLERS	6
7	RICEY	HAVERING TOWN	5
8	ADDO-BOATANG	PRIMROSE HILL	5

DIVISION 2

1	GODOLPHIN	CITY COLTS	7
2	LICOR BEIRAO	LEODIS	6
3	SANDOWN	CITY COLTS	6
4	SHERGAR	CITY COLTS	6
5	FANTA	LEODIS	5
6	SKALA	THE GREEKS	5
7	MACRON	CLIFTON MIGHTY	5
8	GIGGS	IB 2301	4

DIVISION 3

1	CRYSTAL	MISTIQUE	10
2	SPEEDBALL	MISTIQUE	8
3	ROB LEWANDOSKI	RADFORD SEMELE	7
4	ISLINGTON	SCI FI ELITE	6
5	MONTEIRO	RADFORD SEMELE	6
6	RIDDICK	SCI FI ELITE	5
7	DALANA	RADFORD SEMELE	5
8	AJYAALL	JERSEY BOYS	4

Since A Home Draw

Shropshire Star	18 games
Fallen Angels	13 games
Les Ferdinand	10 games
Globe Trotters	9 games

Since An Away Draw

Shropshire Star	18 games
Clifton Mighty	17 games
City Colts	14 games
Primrose Hill	11 games
Old Steine Fc	10 games

PRIVATE DEALS

RADFORD SEMELE sold FORMOSA (18-2 MF) {APP} to REQUIEM for 150K

GLOBE TROTTERS sold AGAMEMNON (18-2 DF) {SBY} to BRECON RANGERS for 750K

RADFORD SEMELE sold BRISCOE (18-2 MF) {APP} to SHROPSHIRE STAR for 25K

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 :-

WHOA

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - ATTENDANCE

TOP

PRIMROSE HILL - 0

CITY COLTS - 2

REAL AYELL - 4

BOTTOM

SCI FI ELITE - 66

SHROPSHIRE STAR - 68

FALLEN ANGELS - 70

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - MPS

TOP

BRECON WARRIORS - 0

IB 2301 - 0

BRECON RANGERS - 0

BOTTOM

REAL AYELL - 66

HAVERING TOWN - 68

SHRIMP COVE - 70

AUCTION PAGE

AUCTION RESULTS FOR SESSION FIVE

AUCTION RESULTS

POS	STATS	NAME	CLUB	FEE	NO	NHIGH	
1) SW	23-11	FURSTENBERG	(RADFORD SEMELE)	588K	7	543K	MONEYBAGS
2) SW	19-9	SHYLOCK	(GLOBE TROTTERS)	789K	2	455K	SUTTON
3) DF	18-2	RONNI	(PARK END BLUES)	746K	3	516K	STRIKES
4) DF	28-8	DAYAN	(BATTERSEA POWER)	891K	3	342K	
5) MF/G	18-2	MOSES	(DEFCON1 FC)	6777K	12	3111K	ITEM 15
6) MF/D	19-4	YOM KIPPUR	(TECHNO TERRIERS)	3111K	12	2775K	REALLU
7) MF	38-14	KARZEV	(SHROPSHIRE STAR)	555K	7	522K	
8) FW	23-10	CHIPSS	(SPORTING SPUDS)	222K	1	0K	TECHNO HOPES
9) FWS	19-12	SOLOMON	(MISTIQUE)	2777K	15	2338K	RISING
10) SUPERPHYSIO			(TECHNO TERRIERS)	655K	6	555K	
11) CAPT COURSE			(DEFCON1 FC)	1077K	10	767K	
12) WG99-99 PLAYER #20			(MISTIQUE)	6777K	5	3111K	
13) STAR QUALITY			(TECHNO TERRIERS)	2400K	5	2380K	
14) WG99-99 SEE NOTES TO GM			(REAL AYELL)	1216K	7	888K	
15) WG99-99 NEW PHYSIO			(DYNAMO TEST)	178K	2	36K	
17) MF18-12 CIDER			(BRECON RANGERS)	1889K	1	1399K	

All players not shown were unsold.

ROLLING AUCTION FOR SESSION SIX

NO	POS	AGE/SK	CAT	TYPE	COMMENTS
1)	GK	27-12	-	-	40 DPPS
2)	FW	18-2	P	APP	Sandnes of lb 2301 {RES 115k - 52% BW/ 57% CR}
OUT-OF-CONTRACT PLAYERS					
3)	DF/A	21-8	S	-	Varanger of Sporting Spuds {RES 280k - 54% BW/ 44% CR}

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

ROLLING AUCTION LEVELS

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

SESSIONS	MIN LEVEL
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

AUCTION NOTES

NOTE
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WELL

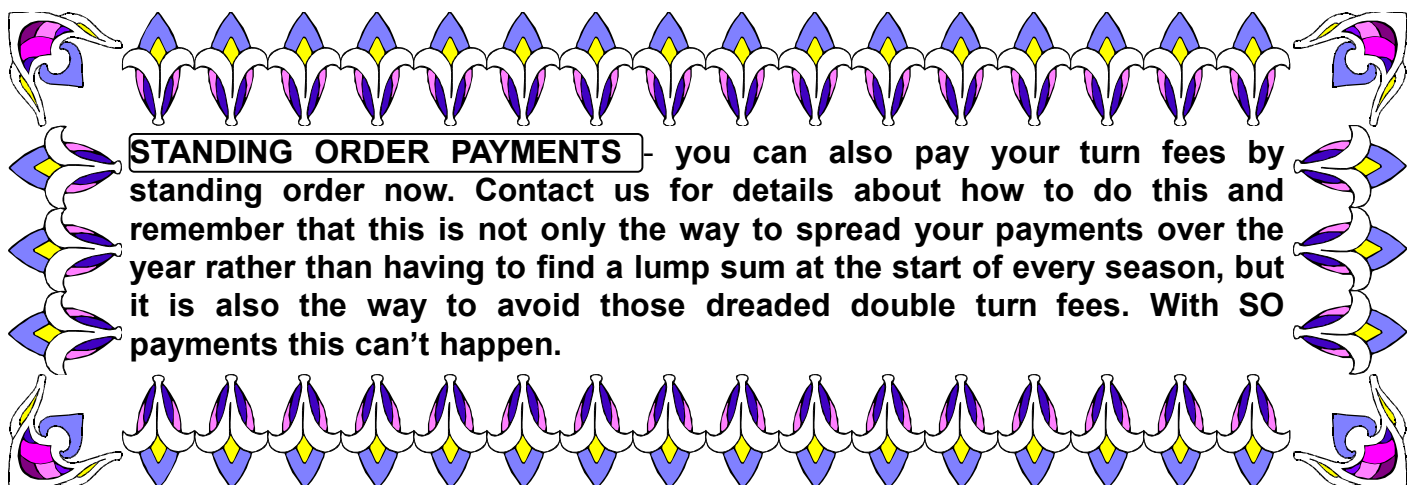
From now onwards we would like you to always write, 'don't sell if he turns star in the messages to GM box, **EVEN IF HE IS ALREADY A LEVEL TWELVE STAR ALREADY**, as well as ticking the relevant DON'T SELL box in teampick **EVEN IF HE IS ALREADY A LEVEL TWELVE STAR ALREADY**. NOTE THAT TICKING THE BOX 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!

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!!



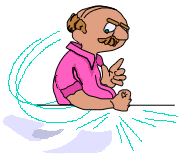
THE KICKABOUT COMMUNITY

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- infront of +subscribe.

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.



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>



THE NEW TROPHY SCHEDULE

With three divisions now the trophy has had to be rescheduled.

From now onwards it will start in Session eleven and be played each session until the final on session fifteen (no replays in any rounds.

Session eleven will consist of the bottom eight clubs in division three playing.

In round two on session twelve the other division three clubs and the bottom eight in division two will all come into the competition.

Hopefully Paul will, put a new fixture list on the teampick web-site so you can update teampick

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KA MUSINGS & MEANDERINGS

With only a few exception or so, the Kickabout leagues have all been hard-fought and gone down to the wire to discover who finish as champions. A couple of walkover leagues but hopefully they will change. Is the closeness due to improve managerial acumen or just the law of averages finally killing the super teams?

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

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.

FORTHCOMING KA WEEKENDS

GLASGOW 2022 13th-16th October

Rooms booked Fees paid

1 MOI

2 CRAIGINS

3CAT WOMAN

4 COLLY

5 SEAMUS

6 QUIZCRANS

7 HATTIE THE KING

8 THE FADING GOD

9 NATO'S FINEST SCOT

10 GIGOLO JENSEN

11 CRISPY BALLANTYNE

12 BRUTUS ASLEEP

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Beginning to fill up
nicely I have the
feeling that some who
can't get thier acts
together will be
dissapointed come
October

FIRST COME FIRST SERVED SO TO SPEAK

Morten, , Gareth Ashcroft, Chris Ballantyne, Dag, Graeme Miller & Andy Baker say
they are coming to Glasgow

possibles are, Neil B, Dennis, Wynne, Gareth, Thomas & Bo

Danny the B where are you?

ODENSE MAY 2023

now set for 11th to 14th of May

Dave Hargraves says he and his son are coming to Odense next May as are
Geraldo, Jens, Seamus, Graeme & firsty-in Neil H

There is a plan to go to North Wales in October next year and we will be back in Norwich
in May 2024, with the same kind of format as the once juxt gone

WATCH THIS SPACE

VIRTUAL WEEKEND NOVEMBER

*Plans are afoot to hold another Virtual weekend in November
this year*

*Looks like saturday the 19th of November is the date for this
under present plans.*

Cost to participate is £22.50

Make a note in your diaries boys

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SOMETHING FOR EVERYBODY TO REMEMBER

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 maxcth 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)

NB In teampick trophy games come after League Cup it appears. Please realise that they don't. In the fullness of time the temapick maestro will change this



WHAT A SESSION FOR THE WIZARD IN CHIEF

MANAGERS NEEDED

SEASON'S END, NEW SEASON'S ABOUT TO START AND CLUBS NEED MANAGERS FOR THE NEW CAMPAIGN

So special offer time. takeover one of these teams and you get the whole season credit to play with free of charge AND AND AND at the end of the season you then have a 50% chance of getting another free season and so on ad nauseum.

Or try the Veterans league which is just about to finish. test your managerial mettle in a league where you have to scratch around for money. No cash generated, building squads far more difficult, wow a 22-6 and you can't afford him. But you can start in this 12 session league with a winning side. **South Sea Rovers**, top of the third and been managerless all season. What could be done with them for sure?

Try **Battersea Power** in the Messi division three, a team who really could do with, at long last, a decent manager to set them on their way. A decent squad but a challenge for the future to rebuild? watxh God struggle to get out of the division even with his plethora of top players

Or how about a team in the Premier league just finished. Have your own favourite side with their real-life players. Chance to build from scratch, and challenge the greats of this league (**KP&^\$**). Get to grips with new formations and rules as well!



I HAVE A PLAN