

DOWN TO THE WIRE IT GOES

The recent results in the Giorgios league indicate an intense battle at the top of the table, with Belfast managing to establish a clear lead. On the other hand, both Wamphyri and Norwegian experienced setbacks by dropping points in their matches. This outcome might have significant implications for their positions in the league.

At the bottom of the table, KVH's recent point might have secured their safety for another season. By earning a point, they have likely accumulated enough points to avoid relegation and remain in the division for another season?



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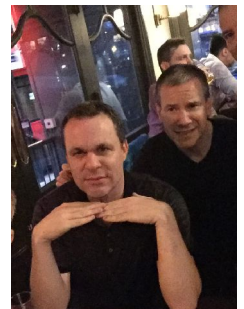
The situation in the second division seems highly competitive, with a lot at stake for the teams chasing behind the current leaders, Tamuda Bay. The teams in contention still have everything to play for as they strive to catch up and potentially surpass the front-runners.

However, there was a potential setback for Coco's team, as they had a home draw against a midtable team, Mallorean. A draw against a team from the middle of the table could be perceived as a missed opportunity to secure a victory and gain valuable points in the race for promotion.



STARTFORD STILL BITING THEIR NAILS

In a recent match, Stratford suffered a defeat on the road against the league leaders, Cudmon. Despite their best efforts, Stratford was unable to secure a victory against the formidable Cudmon team. This allowed Pele to keep their hopes of promotion alive with a late penalty that resulted in a victory at Spirit 79. This win would likely provide a significant boost to their aspirations of advancing to a higher division.



GIORGIOS CUP SEMIS

In the cup semifinals, both matches ended in closely contested goalless draws. The teams involved must have put up a strong defensive performance to keep the opposing sides from scoring throughout the match.

Cook Rangers with promotion hopes perhaps now gone, might have breathed a sigh of relief as they live to fight again, holding on for another chance despite playing with ten men for the second half. Their player, Lando, received a red card and was sent off, forcing Cook to play with a numerical disadvantage. Despite this setback, they were able to maintain a solid defensive display and avoid conceding a goal. Two intriguing replays in prospect

The closely fought nature of these matches indicates the intensity and competitiveness of the cup semi finals.

TROPHY SECOND ROUND

Highlights

Highland need extra time to see off Conquistadores *****

A dreadful day for San Desperados as two men were sent off and they crash out against derby rivals Spirit 79 *****

Bottom of second division Red Star get a much needed win against Mallorean *****

Ramsgate thrash Pele Rovers, who are perhaps concentrating on league success, Delia Smith hits four goals for the Rovers *****

Malin win in extra time to grab a surprise but great win at Hoth which could be considered a great result for the team.

GIORGIOS TROPHY

Quarter-final draw

Malin Park Rangers v Red Star Odessa

Highland Rovers v Spirit of 79

Stratford City v Cudmon Rovers

Cook Rangers v Ramsgate Rovers
(no replays, extra time and penalties to decide)

I go for Malin Park, Highland Rovers, Cudmon Rovers & Cook Rangers to progress to the semis - perhaps!

AUCTION ROUND-UP

Nothing to report as the deadline gate crashed down

RESULTS ROUND-UP

TEMPERATURE: Cool

Week thirty-seven

DIVISION 1

TATOOINE REBELS Att 43948 Wind: Light	0 : 0 NORWEGIAN REDS (H - 0.1) Inj - Quaresma (1) Pitch: Muddy
FC CITY bkd - Eldorado (47)/ Mehadia (60) Att 50000 Pitch: Muddy	0 : 2 DEN BERGKAMP (A - 0.9) Kravchuk 15 Schildt 41 Wind: Light *Derby Game*
KVH FOXES Taggart 87 Stoichov 87 Att 42072 Pitch: Good	2 : 2 OWLERTON TITANS (H - 0.3) Majour hazard 14,76(p) bkd - Majour hazard (56) Wind: Calm
BELFAST BAY Gylfi 64,86 Pitch: Hard	2 : 0 GRIM LEMAREAL (A - 0.5) Att 52869 Wind: Light
WAMPHYRI LORDS Att 53720 Pitch: Good	0 : 0 FC POZNAN (H - 1.1) Wind: Calm
VILLATALK CREW Tintafor 46 Wind: Calm	1 : 0 STAR EXPRESS (H - 0.7) Att 49712 Pitch: Good

DIVISION 2

COOK RANGERS bkd - Palermo (24)/ James martin (76) off - Daniel clambake (39) Pitch: Wet	0 : 0 MALIN PARK RVRS (A - 0.1) Inj - Kinshasa (3) Att 31491 Wind: Light
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COCO CABANA Vasnetsov 34 Dundarick 37 Mcnelly 61 bkd - Mcnelly (63) Wind: Light	3 : 3 MALLOREAN UTD (A - 0.3) Milano 5,84 Giallorosso 26 bkd - Aarons (83) Att 39598 Pitch: Wet
TAMUDA BAY Helmüt 55 Danube 79,84 Galway bay 82 Pitch: Hard	4 : 1 HIGHLAND ROVERS (H - 0.7) Van de kerkhof 44 Att 30972* Wind: Calm
RAMSGATE ROVERS Shaka zulu 90 Att 35407 Wind: Calm	1 : 2 EL CRANFIELD (A - 0.3) Jewel 41 Fabianne 58 Pitch: Good
RED STAR ODESSA Koll 27 Att 35146 Pitch: Wet	1 : 1 CONQUISTADORES (H - 0.1) De soto 55 Wind: Calm
EXCHEQUER Solophenyl 84 Wind: Calm	1 : 0 HOTH RANGERS (A - 0.1) Att 51919 Pitch: Wet

DIVISION 3

NEW YORK CITY Bermondsey 58 Att 27701 Pitch: Good	1 : 1 SAN DESPERADOS (H - 0.1) Ruud gullible 29 Wind: Calm
ROCK ROVERS Maika 51 Jones 87(p) bkd - Tyuchaf (25)/ Loire (30)/ Intrepid (86) Pitch: Hard	2 : 0 GRACE ACADEMY (A - 0.5) bkd - Hudson (58)/ Bi bi trumpie. (76)/ Holmes (20) Att 38703 Wind: Calm *Derby Game*
SPIRIT OF 79 Gretzky 7 bkd - Efron (29) Att 40376 Wind: Light Pitch: Good	1 : 2 PELE ROVERS (H - 0.1) Euphoriesa 3 Stewart 82(p) bkd - Mikel (58)/ Stewart (77) *Derby Game*
NEWARK VALE Cohen 1,34 Lagoon 28,44 (e)hazard 30 Meadows 60 Dolan 62	7 : 1 DETROIT MAGIC (H - 1.5) Fenchurch 83 Att 17000 Wind: Calm Pitch: Good
CUDMON ROVERS Schnell 11 Wind: Calm	1 : 0 STRATFORD CITY (A - 0.7) Att 29407 Pitch: Good
GOLAN HEIGHTS bkd - Belgarion (54) Att 30684 Pitch: Hard	0 : 1 BACKSTAIRS UTD (A - 0.7) Artoodeto 14 Wind: Calm *Derby Game*

Week thirty-eight

THE GIORGIOS CUP

Semi-finals

GRIM LEMAREAL Att 44736 Pitch: Wet	0 : 0 DEN BERGKAMP (A - 0.7) Wind: Calm
COOK RANGERS off - Lando (47) Wind: Calm	0 : 0 WAMPHYRI LORDS (H - 0.1) Att 50533 Pitch: Good

THE GIRGIOS TROPHY

2nd Round

HOTH RANGERS Att 30052 Wind: Calm	0 : 1 MALIN PARK RVRS (A - 0.5) [AET] Zacinto 94 Pitch: Muddy
BACKSTAIRS UTD Durie 32 Att 28020 Wind: Calm	1 : 2 CUDMON ROVERS (H - 0.1) Hansolo 5 Jondahl 38 Pitch: Muddy
HIGHLAND ROVERS Wallace 97,102,109 Loz futre simmo 103 Att 32181 Pitch: Good	4 : 1 CONQUISTADORES (H - 0.1) [AET] Bergen 118 off - Solo (79) Wind: Calm
SPIRIT OF 79 Prince buster 97 Gretzky 98	2 : 0 SAN DESPERADOS (H - 1.3) [AET] off - Hart (56)/ Castillo (112)

GIORGIOS LEAGUE. DIVISION 1

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 BELFAST BAY	18	13	2	3	34	11	23	41
2 WAMPHYRI LORDS	18	12	4	2	40	5	35	40
3 NORWEGIAN REDS	18	11	4	3	28	12	16	37
4 DEN BERGKAMP	18	9	7	2	21	5	16	34
5 TATOOINE REBELS	18	9	7	2	20	8	12	34
6 GRIM LEMAREAL	18	7	7	4	21	6	15	28
7 VILLATALK CREW	18	7	6	5	19	13	6	27
8 FC CITY	18	4	4	10	11	38	-27	16
9 KVH FOXES	18	2	6	10	7	24	-17	12
10 STAR EXPRESS	18	1	5	12	8	33	-25	8
11 OWLERTON TITANS	18	1	5	12	17	50	-33	8
12 FC POZNAN	18	0	7	11	6	27	-21	7

GIORGIOS LEAGUE. DIVISION 2

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 TAMUDA BAY	18	16	1	1	47	5	42	49
2 COCO CABANA	18	9	7	2	18	9	9	34
3 EL CRANFIELD	18	9	5	4	25	14	11	32
4 EXCHEQUER	18	8	6	4	16	11	5	30
5 COOK RANGERS	17	6	8	3	9	6	3	26
6 HOTH RANGERS	18	6	5	7	20	24	-4	23
7 MALLOREAN UTD	18	6	4	8	19	20	-1	22
8 HIGHLAND ROVERS	18	6	3	9	19	24	-5	21
9 MALIN PARK RVRS	17	4	5	8	10	16	-6	17
10 CONQUISTADORES	17	3	5	9	16	27	-11	14
11 RAMSGATE ROVERS	18	3	4	11	22	32	-10	13
12 RED STAR ODESSA	17	2	3	12	4	37	-33	9

GIORGIOS LEAGUE. DIVISION 3

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 CUDMON ROVERS	18	12	4	2	35	12	23	40
2 BACKSTAIRS UTD	18	11	3	4	26	16	10	36
3 STRATFORD CITY	17	9	6	2	35	8	27	33
4 PELE ROVERS	18	9	3	6	34	20	14	30
5 NEWARK VALE	18	8	5	5	26	9	17	29
6 NEW YORK CITY	18	7	8	3	21	11	10	29
7 SPIRIT OF 79	18	8	4	6	30	21	9	28
8 SAN DESPERADOS	18	3	8	7	6	16	-10	17
9 ROCK ROVERS	17	2	9	6	6	17	-11	15
10 GRACE ACADEMY	18	3	5	10	7	26	-19	14
11 GOLAN HEIGHTS	18	2	4	12	5	30	-25	10
12 DETROIT MAGIC	18	3	1	14	19	64	-45	10

bkd - Joey (45)/ Vukojevic (58)/ Vorrei (2) *Derby Game*	Att 38539 Wind: Calm Pitch: Good
RED STAR ODESSA Danny babble 53 bkd - Tenby (73)/ Umbungo (25) off - Sanchez (66)	1 : 0 MALLOREAN UTD (A - 0.3) Att 38569 Wind: Calm Pitch: Wet
GRACE ACADEMY Att 20894 Wind: Calm Pitch: Wet	0 : 3 STRATFORD CITY (A - 1.5) Cheetah 29,59 Yossi 60
RAMSGATE ROVERS Delia smith 12,15,76,81 Bongo 35 Grandola 51 Knopers 51	7 : 0 PELE ROVERS (H - 0.1) Att 28623 Wind: Calm Pitch: Wet
COOK RANGERS Palermo 27 Daniel clambake 33 James martin 51 Impeach 61 bkd - James martin (32)	4 : 0 NEW YORK CITY (H - 1.5) Att 31018 Wind: Calm Pitch: Good

GIORGIOS FRIENDLIES

CONQUISTADORES	0 : 3	BELFAST BAY	(A - 1.9)
COCO CABANA	0 : 3	MALLOREAN UTD	(A - 4.1)
DEN BERGKAMP	0 : 1	STRATFORD CITY	(A - 2.5)
NEWARK VALE	2 : 0	DETROIT MAGIC	(H - 0.7)
STAR EXPRESS	0 : 2	EL CRANFIELD	(H - 0.7)
CUDMON ROVERS	0 : 2	TELFORD UTD(NL)	(A - 4.9)
Inj - Harris (2)			
HOTH RANGERS	0 : 0	EXCHEQUER	(A - 0.7)
ENFIELD(NL)	1 : 0	BACKSTAIRS UTD	(H - 1.9)
WOKING(NL)	0 : 0	FC CITY	(A - 1.1)
OWLERTON TITANS	0 : 0	HIGHLAND ROVERS	(H - 0.9)
CARSHALTON(NL)	0 : 0	GRIM LEMAREAL	(A - 0.5)
KVH FOXES	0 : 0	SOUTHPORT(NL)	(A - 3.3)
ALFRETON TOWN(NL)	0 : 0	MALIN PARK RVR	(H - 0.5)
PELE ROVERS	5 : 0	ROCK ROVERS	(H - 4.9)
HEDNESFORD (NL)	0 : 0	NORWEGIAN REDS	(H - 1.1)
SUTTON UTD(NL)	0 : 2	SAN DESPERADOS	(A - 1.7)
VILLATALK CREW	0 : 1	WEYMOUTH(NL)	(A - 3.7)
MARGATE(NL)	0 : 3	TATOOINE REBELS	(A - 1.3)
RED STAR ODESSA	0 : 1	STEVENAGE(NL)	(A - 2.7)
RUNCORN(NL)	2 : 3	GRACE ACADEMY	(A - 0.1)
SPIRIT OF 79	0 : 1	HASTINGS UTD(NL)	(A - 1.9)
NORTHWICH(NL)	2 : 0	GOLAN HEIGHTS	(H - 1.7)

WEATHER FORECAST

Temperature next session: Hot

Predicted wind speed next session: Light

POSTPONED GAMES

Remember to get your postponed games played before end of season otherwise the game will be awarded to your opponents and you WILL be fined

MUTTERINGS AND MEANDERINGS OF THE KA MIND

ESPECIALLY FOR WARWICK

Why does my FWT not work even when playing with a WG(Best option) or a DFA (not quite as good). Simple answer is that he will only get you those crucial extra shots if your opponent is not playing a Sweeper. The sweeper automatically latches onto the FWT and tries to stop him playing. This depends though on the relative levels of the players involved. A level two SW will get blown away by a level 12 FWT etc.

BULK PAYMENT OF TURN FEES -

remember if you pay £59.50 at one time (which can cover more than one team) you get an extra free turn credited to your account. This offer does not include shomatch/weekend or special offers monies!

STATISTICS & RECORDS PAGE

LEADING SCORERS

DIVISION 1

1	JAMES COOK	WAMPHYRI LORDS	36
2	VAN KUYP	WAMPHYRI LORDS	16
3	SAMIR	BELFAST BAY	15
4	PALYADINOV	DEN BERGKAMP	13
5	GARANGANI	VILLATAALK CREW	11
6	BERGE	NORWEGIAN REDS	11
7	KARLSSON	NORWEGIAN REDS	11
8	TRENCHTOWN	GRIM LEMAREAL	11

DIVISION 2

1	HELMUT	TAMUDA BAY	24
2	VASNETSOV	COCO CABANA	11
3	DE VALDIVIA	TAMUDA BAY	10
4	CICCOLINA	HIGHLAND ROVERS	10
5	GIALLOROSSO	MALLOREAN UTD	10
6	GALWAY BAY	TAMUDA BAY	9
7	DANUBE	TAMUDA BAY	9
8	BELLAMY	HOTH RANGERS	8

DIVISION 3

1	BRUMA	NEW YORK CITY	15
2	GRETZKY	SPIRIT OF 79	12
3	JONDAHL	CUDMON ROVERS	10
4	STRIKERSSON	PELE ROVERS	10
5	RIVIERE	STRATFORD CITY	9
6	STEWART	PELE ROVERS	9
7	GELLETTI	BACKSTAIRS UTD	7
8	MEADOWS	NEWARK VALE	7

THE ROLE OF SHAME

The following players are all suspended next session for the number of games shown besides their name :- LANDO [4] (COOK RANGERS) / DANIEL CLAMBAKE [3] (COOK RANGERS) / JAMES MARTIN [4] (COOK RANGERS) / TENBY [3] (RED STAR ODESSA) / SANCHEZ [3] (RED STAR ODESSA) / SOLO [3] (CONQUISTADORES) / HUDSON [1] (GRACE ACADEMY) / BI BI TRUMPIE. [1] (GRACE ACADEMY) / CASTILLO [1] (SAN DESPERADOS) / HART [1] (SAN DESPERADOS) / LOIRE [1] (ROCK ROVERS) /

PRIVATE DEALS

PELE ROVERS sold SEINE (19-12 MF) to NEW YORK CITY for 620K

PELE ROVERS sold VLADM (19-10 FW) to BELFAST BAY for 520K

All deals completed successfully!

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - ATTENDANCE

TOP

WAMPHYRI LORDS - 0

NORWEGIAN REDS - 2

BELFAST BAY - 4

BOTTOM

DETROIT MAGIC - 66

GRACE ACADEMY - 68

NEWARK VALE - 70

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - MPS

TOP

RAMSGATE ROVERS - 0

KVH FOXES - 2

BELFAST BAY - 4

BOTTOM

CUDMON ROVERS - 66

MALLOREAN UTD - 66

GRIM LEMAREAL - 66

Since An Away Draw

Detroit Magic	36 games
Red Star Odessa	11 games
Backstairs Utd	11 games
Tamuda Bay	8 games
Hoth Rangers	5 games



AUCTION PAGE

AUCTION RESULTS

POS	STATS	NAME	CLUB	FEE	NO	NHIGH
1)	WG99-99 FADER REMOVAL		(BELFAST BAY)	889K	5	888K
2)	WG99-99 SHAVOOR NEFSHIT		(EXCHEQUER)	99K	2	59K
3)	WG99-99 33		(TAMUDA BAY)	355K	4	256K
4)	WG99-99 NUMBER 22		(FC CITY)	500K	6	455K

All players not shown were unsold.

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

ROLLER 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 UNLESS YOU
SUBSCRIBE TO TEAMPICK/SHOMATCH
THEN YOUR TEAMSHEETS WILL ALWAYS

MARKING INFO - Tim Dodge has put together a clever little program that allowss 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 than ploughing through back newsletters, etc.

The latest version now available at

<http://dodge.me.uk/markinfo.exe>

**NEW
LINNK**

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 media sites. Links to our pages will soon appear on the web-site, but in the meantime we can be foudn on

[FACEBOOK - kickabout online](#)

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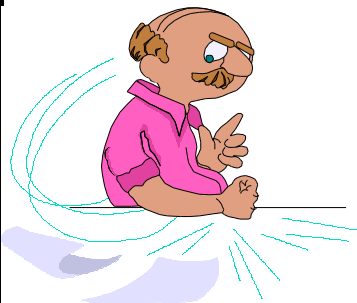
THE KICKABOUT COMMUNITY

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.

Remember the transfer deadline
comes into operation at the end
of session thirteen

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

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 use either meail address for this

You can pay by card/paypal through our new web-site
kickaboutonline.co.uk

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.

EURO CHAMPIONS TROPHY GAMES

1st round - group games will be played on S2

1st round - group games will be played on S4

1st round - group games will be played on S7

Quarter finals - (over two legs) - on S8 & 10

Semi-finals (over one leg and neutral grounds) on S13

Final on neutral ground on S16

EURO CUP-WINNERS CUP GAMES

1st round - 1st legs will be played on S2

1st round - 2nd legs will be played on S4

2nd round - 1st legs will be played on S7

2nd round - 2nd legs will be played on S8

Semi-final - 1st legs will be played on S10

Semi-final - 2nd legs will be played on S13

Final on neutral ground on S16

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 league 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

EURO RESULTS

Champions Trophy

Quarter-final

2nd legs

WRAITH

Gol 3
Arabtarabt 76
Att 48330*
Wind: Calm
CLUB CRUZEIRO
Att 54557
Wind: Calm

2 : 3 **SALVATION FC** (A - 0.9)

Chislehurst 3
Awougine 4
Ronalfigo 30
Pitch: Frozen
0 : 0 REAL POTATO (H - 0.3)
off - Fritz (118) [AET]
Pitch: Muddy

No problems for **Salvation** with that three goal lead from the first leg. Could this be their season?

REAL POTATO WIN PENALTY SHOOTOUT 4 - 3

WAMPHYRI LORDS 1 : 0 **INTER EAST HAM** (H - 0.5)

James cook 39
Wind: Calm

Att 63609*
Pitch: Frozen

Another tight game between **Cruzeiro & Real Potato** with the crucial penalty shootout winning it for

SEMI-FINAL DRAW

Real Potato v Wamphyri Lords

Seaside Town v Salvation FC

(to be played on a neutral ground on S13, with extra time and penalties to decide)

SUPER CUP

Semi-final

1st legs

ROCKODROMO

Alan faget 24
bkd - Osterhofen (73)
Att 53035
Pitch: Frozen
AC MAILAN
Alex 62
Telkatzir 83
bkd - Mark (11)
Pitch: Muddy

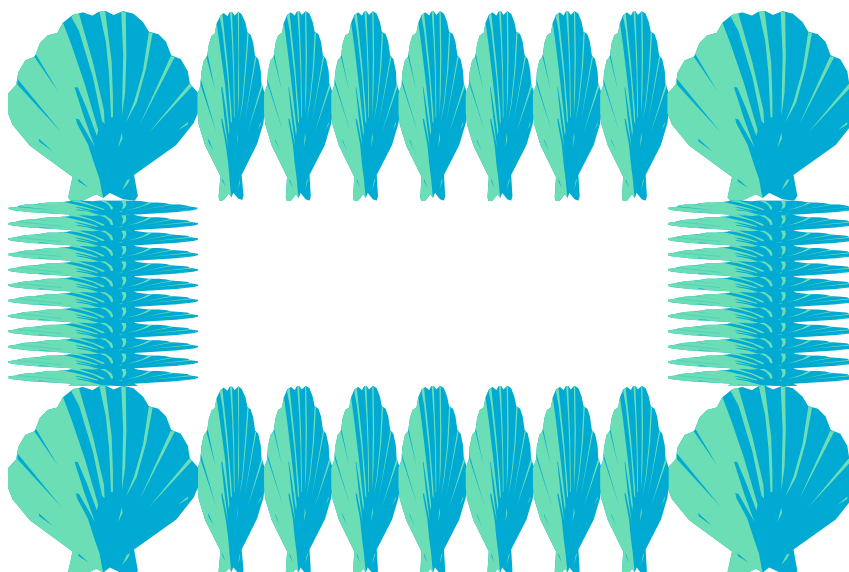
1 : 2 **UPTON PARK FC** (H - 0.3)

Qbert 8
Pacman 72
Wind: Calm

2 : 0 **FAMAGUSTA KIDS** (H - 0.3)

Inj - Bonnucci (2)
Att 60296
Wind: Calm

Slightly against the run of play **Upton Park** snatch a lateish goal to go into the home leg with a crucial lead to make things difficult for the Hattie man.





MANAGERS NEEDED

We have some spare teams in most leagues which would like to fill up.

SPECIAL OFFER

What about having a tilt at **Crewe Alexandra** in the Ramsey league? Near the bottom of the fourth they have a weak squad though no problem in the age department as two stars apart most of their squad are 19YO. A top rank keeper performs miracles for them. Best though this is a team to work with as they have almost 10 million in the bank. Come on chaps, TEN MILL IN THE BANK TO SQUANDER. WHY NOT TAKE THE PLUNGE. WILL EVEN GIVE YOU TWO SEASONS FREE



It isn't often that a decent team comes available, along with oodles of cash to spend. Well in Clough division three side **Castle Duloc**, there comes a team who have a decent base to build on plus cash in the bank.

The Castle are currently sixth in division three, perhaps still with an outside chance of promotion, and definitely would have been real promotion candidates if managed all season long.

What have these boys got to offer then. Well 7.5 million in the bank. Four stars in their ranks, plus other good players Inc. a 24.7 MF/D & a 1907 MF/G RISER

Plenty to work with here, plus a good GK AND three risers in their ranks.

Get in there boys, Send £25 quid and you can have them for two seasons free

FORTHCOMING KA WEEKENDS

looks like norwich again in october 2023
13-14th

Cost £40, more details in due course

First taker is Super Thommo

NOVEMBER VIRTUAL WEEKEND

I have settled on a date for this. So you have plenty of time to plan and not book anything else.. Going to be on saturday the 18th of november.

Cosst is £22.50 for a weekend of fun and games ok

FUTURE WEEKENDS

Spring next years looks like we may well be back in Glasgow

Autumn next year could be back in Sunny Galway

2025 back to Denmark perhaps, Copenhagen even

Fun, fun, fun, get them in your diaries

CONTRACTS UPDATE

We have listened to the moaners who in contract negotiations have lost very good players cos they cannot get them to agree to a new contract. Galling to see their prized possession in the expired section of the autumn. Ok you will no doubt get some recompense for him, but the reserve bid is always painfully low and you never never know who might snaffle his arse with a cheeky bid do you.

So from now onwards if your prized player is on the last week of his contract

AND THIS ONLY RELATES TO THE LAST WEEK OF HIS CONTRACT PLEASE NOTE

Then there is a wage that if offered he will ALWAYS accept.

This has to be calculated by you (Oh shite!!)

The formula is as follows :

3 X basic wage where the basic wage = player level X PS Bonus X Div Bonus X POS Bonus X Type bonus

player level is obvious

P/S bonus increase the basic wage by 20%

Div Bonus - 125% for div 1/ 110% for div2 / 100% for divs 3/ 75% for div 4

Pos bonus refers to STARS/FUT/SBY which require 50% uplift

Type bonus is equal to the players expected wage rates , ie MF/A/D x3 - Df/A X 2 / UT/WG/FWS x1.5 / GK SW X 2/ FW/MF/DF X 1

We suggest that you always add 1K to your bids

AND THIS ONLY RELATES TO THE LAST WEEK OF HIS CONTRACT PLEASE NOTE

as an example a DIV ONE 20/12 PS MF/A/D STAR would require a wage offer of basic wage (81K) X 3 to accept unconditionally , i.e. 243K per week

or a 20-10 DIV THREE S DF/A would require a wage offer of basic wage(20K) X 3, i.e. 60K

On the last week of the contract there is no optimum length of contract though we suggest you opt for four weeks so you have time to bid again

I REPEAT - AND THIS ONLY RELATES TO THE LAST WEEK OF HIS CONTRACT PLEASE NOTE

One last change to note as well. In future at whatever stage of the contract negotiation you are at with a player, the min he will now accept is one third of his basic wage
