



THE FAT LADY SINGS HERE

Yes, it's a big session this one, bigger than Pad Reiser's sandwich or Colly's flowing locks, and at the end of two games, everything is settled barring 3rd spot. After **Burnham** wrapped the championship up last week, **Brutus** grabbed 2nd place, despite only picking up a single point; and a poor session for handsome **Cranners** let Blackpool slip into 3rd. According to **Seamus**, **Colly** has a habit of slipping into things; most notably pink lingerie at weekends and coma's! Bit harsh but if anyone knows the truth it's that little Irish fecker from Galway.

So, all the attention zoomed in on the bottom of the table with 4 sides still in trouble or looking over their shoulders. **Abbey Road** grabbed just a point and whilst they dropped from 8th to 9th, our favourite hitman is safe. Down in Sussex, our little ex-cabbie friend **Steaders** made doubly sure of safety with a fantastic 6-pointer week. He'll be clamouring for manager of the month no doubt and given how shit he has been this season I might just give it to him to avoid endless nagging on our Ryanair flights, although it was only QUIZCRANS that won both games for him wasn't it so maybe I'll give it to me! So, the bottom three stayed as they were; **Bispham** picked up just a point so their fleeting appearance in the topflight is over, not unexpectedly, and manager **Hansford** will have to rebuild and come again. That lack of midfield strength hitting them hard. Pete's **Berry Brow** picked up a couple of solid draws, but again a final score of 14 points is not going to get you safe in any division. I'm sure he has other plans, and I expect a much better side next season from this wily 'old' northern sponge.

EXCITING DIV 2 APART FROM TOOTING WHO ARE BORING AS HELL

Yes, the race for promotion to the topflight has never been more interesting than here with a battle royale on the last day and plenty of conundrums to solve. **Fingers** has the title in one hand with Lancs (no jokes!), he needs just a point against **Newport Pagnell** but that will not be easy. Pagnell are a difficult lot, difficult to beat I mean; and they can ball winner you to death also! If they slip up, **Red Castle** can steal it. Dempsey is already crooning about how well he has done (living off the Cranners rebuild) but he's got to host **Manchester**, Fingers other side; and I have absolutely no doubt that **Fingers** is going to try and stick it up him, literally. Given the goal difference, 3rd spot **Boleyn** can't win it now and may not even go up, but Baddad won't care too much whilst he's sipping cocktails on holiday in his budgie smugglers, but lurking in 4th, yes lurking!, the **Galway** stalker has his ears pricked up like a not so well hung horse and he is roundly looking for two wins with his game in hand to steal it should **Fingers** and **Dumpster** mess it up, which, given their track record, is a distinct possibility! **Seamus** Babes has got **Zeldatree** (won't be easy) and **Vino Villa** (with their manager still

sporting that fake Debenhams leather jacket and trousers!). I'm looking forward to seeing how this all pans out nearly as much as I look forward to an episode of Eastenders or a Rick Astley song popping up on the radio. One thing is for sure, this lot are never gonna give it up yet!

Elsewhere, **Dynamo Tooting** are so boring I nearly fell asleep writing just this one line! 0 - 0 and then a 4 - 0 beating. Sort it out saaaaahn! What these results actually mean is that **Matron** is in trouble, and I don't mean bed-bath trouble. He's in the bottom three and he's got **Disco Dave** last game with **Wanderers**! Disco loves an upset; after all he gets upset every time he puts his shirt on and realises it doesn't fit anymore. Pop goes that button! Dave's already down, so are **Vegan**, but it's all to play for with **Matron**, **Zeldatree** and **Vino** - even **Manchester** could drop. Now that would be some fall from grace. Game on.

RISE OF THE CUCUMBER

The bottom three have all now gone so all focus is on the top of the table and what a race we have, both for 1st and 2nd, plus the final promotion slot. After so many victories this season, strangely enough both **Huddersfield** and **Brighton** forgot how to win. Four 0 - 0 draws - you would have got great odds on that happening, with **Lowfields** (twice), **Dutch** and **Two**



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Rivers all preventing them from taking a step nearer the title. Neither of their final games against **Hathershaw** and **FC Groovus** will be straightforward so either could win it from here.

That final promotion slot will be played out between Craigs **Dutch Courage** and unmanaged **Sirmione**, with the good news being they play each other! **Sirmione** closed the gap by 2 points this week after beating **Southport Kews** but Craig should be happy to come away from **Huddersfield** with a point before disappointingly only picking up another point against **Midlands Heath**. Good man marking easily kept the league leaders at bay but they outshot **Midlands** by quite a few and still had to fight back from a 1 - 0 deficit to earn the point here. The bookies fancy Craig, Seamus fancies him too (I've heard); cucumbers at the ready says the fans group.

BLACKBERRY ON THE MOVE - WOW

Could it be that the year-on-year decline of **Blackberry Rovers** and their manager Smith is finally at an end as they saunter back into the top three with a tremendous 6-point week. Yes, a derby win against **NJF** was probably expected but game two saw them visit **RYL Arsenal** and come away with a 1 - 0 win. Both sides packed their midfields, the visitors defence was slightly stronger but they were certainly more motivated. **Arsenal** manager Waddinghamham will probably say he's not too fussed as promotion is all but assured with their goal difference but deep down it's a defeat that may not let him sleep well tonight - knowing he still isn't fulfilling his promise to turn the game on its head and win everything. Johnny Cash being a bit rash!

Blackberry go to **Real Scorb** on the final day; certainly winnable that one while **Womble Town** visit **Athletic Lions** - much tougher. Let's see what mood Mr Hails is in shall we!

TROPHY TRAILS

SEMI-FINALS

BACK UP KEEPER PULLS IT OFF

Zeldatree 1 - 1 Newport Pagnell

(Newport Pagnell win on Pens)

Another close game between these two although Newport created most of the chances but as we know

Mr Wright's Zeldatree are a very tight knit bunch and there was once again very little troubling them here. It was a bit of a surprise when Zeldatree went ahead after 22 mins, striker DUNKEL heading into his own net after pressure from a corner; and with a 1 - 0 lead you might have expected them to go on and win it. However, a momentary lapse let BRITANY poke a loose ball home just after the break and despite a red card for keeper LOISS, Zeldatree couldn't find a winner. Penalties loomed; and it was Newport's stand in keeper that pulled off two fine saves to deny Wright a place in the final.

THE BETTER SIDE WINS

Manchester Devils 0 - 1 Huddersfield

With all-rounder BILLING out injured there was a chance here for Manchester to grab a place in the final but even then Huddersfield were still the stronger and deservedly won this game. Who else but hot shot striker DEGRYSE was going to pop up and win it and he did so in style, letting fly from 30-yards out. Fingers had his head in his hands, whilst Jack launched a Usain Bolt style celebration up the line, until the linesman told him off that is!

GOLDEN BOOT

JIGILO JENSEN has got this wrapped up already with 52!! As does 4th division ROBERTO of Sporting Porto. FJORD looks like he has Div 2 sewn up now and DEGRYSE has a little cushion in Div 3.

MEANEST DEFENCES

It's still between **Burnham** and **Wandsworth** in Div 1 - going down to the wire this one. Div 2 still heading to **Zeldatree**, whilst **Huddersfield** looks to have the 3rd now. **Sporting Porto** looks odds on for Div 4 now also despite those lesser mortals trying their best.

EURO QUALIFIERS FOR NEXT SEASON

CHAMPIONS TROPHY

Each league champion auto qualifies The league that wins the Trophy this season also gets an extra place while the four semi-finalists from this season also qualify again. The winners and runners up in the Cup-winners cup and Super cup also qualify. The final two



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places go to the league that wins the representative league.

So **Burnham & Wandsworth** are the two entarntts for the coming season

CUP-WINNERS CUP

The Cup and League Cup winners of each league qualify. The league that wins this seasons competition and the league that produces the runners-up also get an extra place. The beaten semi-finalists also play again. The final two places go to the league that wins the representative league (on league placings)

PSV Loftus qualify from the Cup this season. League cup winners will be from either **Ferenghi or Blackpool** depending on who finishes higher in the league. As Newton won the rep league **Wandsworth Town** and one of the above two will also qualify

SUPER CUP

The qualifiers will be the top two teams (on league placings) that have not qualified for the other two competition above. The beaten semi-finalists form this season's competition will also qualify again. The leagues that win and produce the runners-up form this season's competition will also get an extra place. (on league positions) . Two other places will be award by the KFA from Fair play award winners.

Looks as if we go right down the legaue table to find qualifiers here and it will be **Ajax** for sure with either **FC Amazonas or Abbey Road** getting in as well.

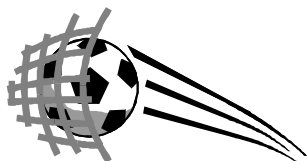
MANAGER OF THE MONTH

DIVISION ONE: goes to manager **Steadmanos of FC Amazonas**, finally coming good!

DIVISION TWO: goes to manager **Dempsey of Red Castle**, well done Cranners! (Cranners has never been known for being magnanimous!)

DIVISION THREE: goes to manager KP of **Lowfields FC**, two cracking draws against the top two.

DIVISION FOUR: goes to manager Smith of **Blackberry Rovers**, it's coming home!



RESULTS ROUND-UP

TEMPERATURE: Warm

Week Forty-three

DIVISION 1

FERENGHI Washington 57 Nerys 86 bkd - Washington (63)	2 : 0 NEW ELVET (H - 1.1) Att 50000* Wind: Light Pitch: Good
BISPHAM Att 33868 Wind: Light	0 : 1 FC AMAZONAS (A - 0.1) Quizcrans hoopl 24 Pitch: Good
PSV LOFTUS Att 66490 Wind: Light *Derby Game*	0 : 0 WANDSWORTH TOWN (H - 0.9) bkd - Brains (44) Pitch: Good
NEWARK FC Att 44589* Pitch: Good	0 : 0 BURNHAM DOWN (A - 0.7) Wind: Light
AJAX Att 38800 Pitch: Muddy	0 : 0 BERRY BROW UTD (H - 0.9) Wind: Light
ABBEY ROAD De ascentis 74 Att 35496* Pitch: Muddy	1 : 1 BLACKPOOL (A - 0.1) Brady 88 Wind: Light

DIVISION 2

DYNAMO TOOTING Att 53005 Pitch: Wet	0 : 0 ZELDATREE (H - 0.5) Wind: Light
VEGAN CITY Att 30703 Pitch: Good	0 : 0 MANCHESTER DEVS (H - 0.1) Wind: Light
BOLEYN BOYS Futre 68 Att 47017 Pitch: Good	1 : 1 GALWAY GAELS (H - 0.1) Culo-joder 58 Wind: Calm
NEWPORT PAGNELL Masson 84 Att 38219 Pitch: Good	1 : 1 VINO VILLA (H - 0.3) Oude-kaap 13 Wind: Light
LANCS VILLANS Haaland 30 Wind: Light	1 : 0 REAL REMMIGEL (A - 0.3) Att 31662 Pitch: Good
RED CASTLE Thompson 58 Wright 59 Wind: Light	2 : 1 WANDERERS FC (A - 0.1) Nooshas 59 Att 47000* Pitch: Good

DIVISION 3

HUDDERSFIELD FC bkd - Cecere (11)/ Gobern (72) Pitch: Good	0 : 0 DUTCH COURAGE (A - 0.1) Att 64000 Wind: Light *Derby Game*
BRIGHTON EXPO Att 32388 Pitch: Hard	0 : 0 LOWFIELDS FC (A - 0.3) Wind: Light
SIRMIONE Eu lagebra 3 Wind: Light	1 : 0 SOUTHPORT KEWS (H - 2.1) Att 24028 Pitch: Muddy
TWO RIVERS Fanta 29 Att 27018 Pitch: Good	1 : 1 MIDLANDS HEATH (H - 1.5) Watt 58 Wind: Light



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FERENCVAROS Att 24780 Pitch: Good	0 : 0 F.C GROOVUS (H - 1.1) Wind: Light
NEWTON BOROUGH bkd - Ricardo (28)/ Shackman (48)/ O'hennessey (42)/ Sheep (7)/ Quark (36)/ Pirlo (68) off - Sheep (16)	0 : 0 HATHERSHAW FC (A - 2.1) bkd - Jones (78)/ Tracynski (54) Att 33810 Wind: Light Pitch: Good *Derby Game*

DIVISION 4

FERGUSLIE PARK Sheep 37 Wind: Light	1 : 0 REAL SCORB (H - 0.9) Att 21849 Pitch: Good
SPORTING PORTO Roberto 19,28 Bodola 28,83 Timmosoara 46 Valeron 49,74	7 : 0 BELLE VUE (H - 2.1) Att 40000* Wind: Light Pitch: Wet
BLACKBERRY RVRS Bermejo 11 Parzych 86 Yxart 89 bkd - Bermejo (4)/ Tamames (22)/ Terlecki (63) Wind: Light *Derby Game*	3 : 0 NJF ATHLETIC (H - 2.1) bkd - Michalli (13)/ Lambert (70)/ O'dearie (55)/ Kola (2) Inj - Lewis (1) Att 28050 Pitch: Hard
ATHLETIC LIONS Ba ba sheep 65 Puji 72 Pitch: Muddy	2 : 0 GLENFABBA AFC (H - 1.1) Att 25996 Wind: Light
WOMBLE TOWN Inj - Tarrega (2) Att 28252 Wind: Light Pitch: Hard	0 : 2 R.Y.L. ARSENAL (A - 2.1) Bullfuk 15 Emerick 68 bkd - Sverge (26)/ Bonaventura (72)
L.A CRIMEWAVE Att 26003 Wind: Light	0 : 0 ALDERAAN FC (H - 0.3) bkd - Calrissian (30) Pitch: Hard

Week Forty-four

DIVISION 1

BLACKPOOL Jay garmley 7 Wind: Light	1 : 0 WANDSWORTH TOWN (H - 0.1) Att 50110 Pitch: Muddy
BISPHAM Att 31468 Pitch: Good	0 : 0 NEWARK FC (A - 0.3) Wind: Light
BURNHAM DOWN Jigilo jensen 15 Taffy 25 Davos lecherouiu 44 bkd - Guliyev (6)/ Davos junior (55)/ Van delft (5)/ Jigilo jensen (66) off - Jigilo jensen (69)	3 : 0 NEW ELVET (H - 1.5) bkd - Ciyzen serg (11)/ Balaton (26) Att 54555* Wind: Light Pitch: Good *Derby Game*
FC AMAZONAS Quizcrans hoop1 18 Att 50453 Wind: Light Pitch: Good	1 : 0 FERENGHI (H - 0.1) bkd - Nog (75)/ Merstam (81) off - Merstam (89)/ Scorchio (24)

AJAX Cabral 27 bkd - Del potro (83)/ Stanciu (8)/ Van buren (15)/ Vargas (77)	1 : 0 ABBEY ROAD (H - 0.7) Att 45148 Wind: Brisk Pitch: Hard *Derby Game*
BERRY BROW UTD Att 42827 Pitch: Good	0 : 0 PSV LOFTUS (A - 1.9) Wind: Light

DIVISION 2

WANDERERS FC Att 36737 Wind: Calm Pitch: Wet	0 : 2 GALWAY GAELS (H - 0.3) Haifa 8 Bjjorn 58
VEGAN CITY Att 34384 Wind: Light	0 : 1 NEWPORT PAGNELL (A - 0.9) Chase 83 Pitch: Good
VINO VILLA bkd - Oude-kaap (80)/ Robinson (41) Inj - Linz (3) Pitch: Good	0 : 0 ZELDATREE (H - 0.3) bkd - Gantz (79) Att 41838 Wind: Light *Derby Game*
MANCHESTER DEVS O'reagan 17 Tortellini 24,61 Hedegaard 72	4 : 0 DYNAMO TOOTING (A - 0.1) Att 33000* Wind: Light Pitch: Good
LANCS VILLANS Guevara 16 Att 38057 Wind: Light	1 : 2 RED CASTLE (A - 0.5) Wong 14 Fabian 71 Pitch: Hard
REAL REMMIGEL Cruz campo 69 Att 40000* Pitch: Hard	1 : 1 BOLEYN BOYS (H - 0.3) Stewsson 17 Wind: Brisk

DIVISION 3

HATHERSHAW FC Tracynski 10 Marcelo 43 Fanta 54 Jones 61	4 : 0 SOUTHPORT KEWS (H - 2.1) bkd - Fred (34) Att 28518 Wind: Light Pitch: Good
BRIGHTON EXPO Att 32764 Pitch: Good	0 : 0 TWO RIVERS (H - 0.5) Wind: Brisk
MIDLANDS HEATH Wozczzech 55 Att 26347 Pitch: Hard	1 : 1 DUTCH COURAGE (A - 1.1) Stella artois 81 Wind: Light
LOWFIELDS FC Att 40298 Pitch: Good	0 : 0 HUDDERSFIELD FC (A - 0.1) Wind: Light
FERENCVAROS Bellotto 4 Kharatin 17 San donato 27 Zanotti 30	4 : 0 NEWTON BOROUGH (H - 3.1) off - Shackman (12) Att 25994 Wind: Brisk Pitch: Good
F.C GROOVUS Chabala 30 Att 24591 Wind: Light	1 : 1 SIRMIONE (A - 0.1) Geometry 14 bkd - Py algebra (34) Pitch: Good

DIVISION 4

ALDERAAN FC off - Dack (49)	0 : 1 NJF ATHLETIC (H - 1.1) Moskovich 48
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RESULTS

Att 22830
Pitch: Good

Wind: Brisk

SPORTING PORTO 3 : 0 ATHLETIC LIONS (H - 1.7)

Argo ibramo 1,50
Timmosoara 59
Pitch: Wet

Att 38543
Wind: Light

GLENFABBA AFC 0 : 0 REAL SCORB (A - 1.1)

Att 23021
Pitch: Good

Wind: Light

BELLE VUE 1 : 3 FERGUSLIE PARK (H - 0.1)

Ballard 20
bkd - Boxxi (37)/
Ballard (22)/
Flaps (39)
Pitch: Wet

Popescu 33,88
Johnson 47
Att 51430
Wind: Calm
Derby Game

CONWAY SAVES PENALTY FOR FERGUSLIE PARK AFTER 11 MINS

WOMBLE TOWN 1 : 0 L.A CRIMEWAVE (A - 2.5)

(ab)walters 63
Wind: Light

Att 27393
Pitch: Good

R.Y.L. ARSENAL 0 : 1 BLACKBERRY RVRS (A - 0.3)

Att 27882
Wind: Light

Parzych 41
Pitch: Good

ROBERTS SAVES PENALTY FOR R.Y.L. ARSENAL AFTER 87 MINS

Week Forty-five

THE NEWTON TROPHY

Semi-finals

ZELDATREE 1 : 1 NEWPORT PAGNELL (A - 0.5)

Dunkel 22(og)
Att 43388
Wind: Light

Britany 52 [AET]
off - Loiss (78)
Pitch: Wet

NEWPORT PAGNELL WIN PENALTY SHOOTOUT 4 - 3

MANCHESTER DEVS 0 : 1 HUDDERSFIELD FC (A - 0.3)

Att 49203
Wind: Light

Degryse 59
Pitch: Good

NEWTON FRIENDLIES

ABBEY ROAD 4 : 0 DROYLSDEN(NL) (H - 2.9)

TWO RIVERS 6 : 0 ALDERAAN FC (H - 1.9)

ATHLETIC LIONS 2 : 1 SPORTING PORTO (A - 0.3)

BURNHAM DOWN 4 : 0 BLACKPOOL (H - 1.1)

BOLEYN BOYS 2 : 2 HATHERSHAW FC (A - 0.1)

DUTCH COURAGE 8 : 0 VINO VILLA (H - 0.9)

NEW ELVET 1 : 1 OXFORD CITY(NL) (A - 0.7)

LANCS VILLANS 1 : 0 STAFFORD(NL) (A - 0.9)

PSV LOFTUS 2 : 5 L.A CRIMEWAVE (A - 1.3)

WANDERERS FC 10 : 0 GALWAY GAELS (H - 3.3)

LEATHERHEAD(NL) 7 : 0 FERENGHI (H - 2.5)

FERENCVAROS 2 : 1 LEEK TOWN(NL) (H - 0.9)

off - Zanotti (12)

FC AMAZONAS 9 : 0 MIDLANDS HEATH (H - 6.9)

F.C GROOVUS 3 : 0 HERNE BAY(NL) (H - 0.7)

DYNAMO TOOTING 0 : 0 BERRY BROW UTD (H - 1.5)

BRIGHTON EXPO 1 : 0 WOMBLE TOWN (H - 1.3)

WANDSWORTH TOWN 4 : 1 ILFORD(NL) (A - 0.1)

REAL SCORB 4 : 0 TRURO CITY(NL) (H - 1.4)

TAMWORTH(NL) 2 : 1 R.Y.L. ARSENAL (A - 0.3)

SPORTING PORTO 3 : 3 BELLE VUE (A - 2.3)

WEATHER FORECAST

Temperature next session: Hot

Predicted wind speed next session: Calm

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TABLES

NEWTON LEAGUE. DIVISION 1

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 BURNHAMDOWN	21	9	2	0	41	0	7	3	0	32	2	71	53
2 WANDSWORTHTOWN	21	6	4	0	15	2	4	6	1	9	1	21	40
3 BLACKPOOL	21	6	3	2	31	19	4	3	3	23	17	18	36
4 PSVLOFTUS	21	5	5	1	17	5	4	3	3	7	6	13	35
5 FERENGHI	21	6	4	0	18	2	2	6	3	9	8	17	34
6 NEWARKFC	21	4	5	1	8	3	3	6	2	8	14	-1	32
7 AJAX	21	5	4	2	11	7	2	4	4	9	14	-1	29
8 FCAMAZONAS	21	4	2	5	15	17	2	2	6	9	25	-18	22
9 ABBEY ROAD	21	2	3	5	6	9	2	5	4	12	13	-4	20
10 BISPHAM	21	0	6	5	2	14	3	0	7	7	22	-27	15
11 BERRYBROW UTD	21	0	5	5	2	14	2	3	6	3	21	-30	14
12 NEW ELVET	21	1	0	9	3	36	0	2	9	0	26	-59	5

NEWTON LEAGUE. DIVISION 2

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 LANCS VILLANS	21	5	3	3	18	11	6	3	1	23	10	20	39
2 REDCASTLE	21	5	4	1	11	7	5	3	3	16	11	9	37
3 BOLEYN BOYS	21	6	4	1	17	9	4	2	4	17	16	9	36
4 GALWAY GAELS	20	7	1	2	17	5	3	3	4	10	10	12	34
5 NEWPORT PAGNELL	21	4	6	0	7	2	3	4	4	4	6	3	31
6 REAL REMMIGEL	21	4	5	1	10	4	1	5	5	4	10	0	25
7 MANCHESTER DEVS	21	6	1	4	22	15	1	3	6	9	21	-5	25
8 ZELDATREE	20	2	6	1	3	2	1	7	3	1	3	-1	22
9 VINO VILLA	21	4	3	4	13	12	1	4	5	5	11	-5	22
10 DYNAMO TOOTING	21	3	5	2	5	3	1	5	5	2	10	-6	22
11 VEGAN CITY	21	1	6	4	7	14	1	6	3	5	10	-12	18
12 WANDERERSFC	21	3	4	4	13	21	0	3	7	9	25	-24	16

NEWTON LEAGUE. DIVISION 3

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 HUDDERSFIELD FC	21	8	2	0	31	2	4	6	1	14	5	38	44
2 BRIGHTON EXPO	21	6	4	1	14	3	6	3	1	17	7	21	43
3 DUTCH COURAGE	21	7	2	1	12	3	5	2	4	14	10	13	40
4 SIRMIONE	21	8	3	0	20	2	2	5	3	5	12	11	38
5 HATHERSHAW FC	21	6	2	3	22	12	3	4	3	6	5	11	33
6 TWORIVERS	21	4	4	2	15	6	5	2	4	10	15	4	33
7 LOWFIELDSFC	21	6	3	2	17	6	1	5	4	2	13	0	29
8 F.C GROOVUS	21	5	3	2	9	4	0	6	5	1	9	-3	24
9 FERENCVAROS	21	3	5	3	10	9	1	3	6	4	11	-6	20
10 MIDLANDS HEATH	21	2	5	4	15	18	0	2	8	10	33	-26	13
11 SOUTHPORT KEWS	21	0	5	5	1	9	1	2	8	2	22	-28	10
12 NEWTONBOROUGH	21	2	3	5	4	13	0	1	10	2	28	-35	10

NEWTON LEAGUE. DIVISION 4

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 SPORTING PORTO	20	9	1	1	28	3	7	2	0	20	3	42	51
2 R.Y.L. ARSENAL	21	3	5	2	10	7	4	6	1	16	6	13	32
3 BLACKBERRY RVRS	21	4	3	4	9	6	4	3	3	11	8	6	30
4 WOMBLETOWN	21	4	4	3	14	14	3	4	3	8	9	-1	29
5 FERGUSLIE PARK	21	2	5	3	9	9	4	3	4	12	13	-1	26
6 ATHLETIC LIONS	21	3	6	1	11	7	2	4	5	2	13	-7	25
7 L.A CRIMEWAVE	21	2	6	2	2	8	1	8	2	3	8	-11	23
8 BELLE VUE	21	2	6	3	5	9	2	5	3	3	11	-12	23
9 REAL SCORB	21	3	6	1	7	4	0	7	4	1	5	-1	22
10 ALDERAAN FC	21	3	5	3	6	5	1	5	4	7	17	-9	22
11 GLENFABBA AFC	21	2	7	2	3	4	0	6	4	0	6	-7	19
12 NJFATHLETIC	20	2	2	5	5	11	2	3	6	4	10	-12	17



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LEADING SCORERS

DIVISION 1

1	JIGILO JENSEN	BURNHAM DOWN	52
2	HUGARDZ	BURNHAM DOWN	31
3	SALASAN	BLACKPOOL	21
4	SKARZ	BLACKPOOL	16
5	MOUNIE	WANDSWORTH TOWN	13
6	WARWICK	FC AMAZONAS	11
7	SCORCHIO	FERENGHI	11
8	SEELAAR	AJAX	10

DIVISION 2

1	FJORD	LANCS VILLANS	15
2	RANGER	RED CASTLE	11
3	GUEVARA	LANCS VILLANS	11
4	TORTELLINI	MANCHESTER DEVS	11
5	FABIAN	RED CASTLE	10
6	SNOWMAN	BOLEYN BOYS	10
7	NIGMATULLIN	BOLEYN BOYS	10
8	ROFFEY	MANCHESTER DEVS	9

DIVISION 3

1	DEGRYSE	HUDDERSFIELD FC	20
2	ZLATAN	BRIGHTON EXPO	18
3	QUANER	HUDDERSFIELD FC	15
4	GLUCK	BRIGHTON EXPO	10
5	FRIEDMANSZKY	FERENCVAROS	8
6	ZOLA	LOWFIELDS FC	8
7	KUNG	MIDLANDS HEATH	8
8	TIKOLO	BRIGHTON EXPO	8

DIVISION 4

1	ROBERTO	SPORTING PORTO	24
2	ARGO IBRAMO	SPORTING PORTO	12
3	(AB)WALTERS	WOMBLE TOWN	9
4	PINILLA	BLACKBERRY RVRS	9
5	MINCHIA	SPORTING PORTO	9
6	VASQUEZ	R.Y.L. ARSENAL	8
7	PARZYCH	BLACKBERRY RVRS	8
8	SHEEP	SPORTING PORTO	8

Since An Away Win

Wanderers Fc	20 games
New Elvet	13 games
Real Remmigel	13 games
Southport Kews	13 games
F.C Groovus	13 games

THE ROLE OF SHAME

The following players are all suspended next session for the number of games shown besides their name :- SCORCHIO [3] (FERENGHI) / MERSTAM [3] (FERENGHI) / JIGILO JENSEN [1] (BURNHAM DOWN) / LOISS [1] (NEWPORT PAGNELL) / PY ALGEBRA [1] (SIRMIONE) / FRED [3] (SOUTHPORT KEWS) / ZANOTTI [1] (FERENCVAROS) / QUARK [1] (NEWTON BOROUGH) / SHEEP [1] (NEWTON BOROUGH) / SHACKMAN [6] (NEWTON BOROUGH) / DACK [1] (ALDERAAN FC) / BERMEJO [1] (BLACKBERRY RVRS) /

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - ATTENDANCE

TOP

BURNHAM DOWN - 0

HUDDERSFIELD FC - 2

PSV LOFTUS - 4

BOTTOM

ALDERAAN FC - 90

SOUTHPORT KEWS - 92

REAL SCORB - 94

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - MPS

TOP

MIDLANDS HEATH - 0

SOUTHPORT KEWS - 2

GLENFABBA AFC - 2

BOTTOM

WANDERERS FC - 76

BISPHAM - 76

BLACKPOOL - 76

Consec. Away Wins

R.Y.L. Arsenal	4 games
Blackberry Rvrs	3 games

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AUCTION

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 session FOR ANY REASON WHATSOEVER. If you do that playing will be banned for life and you will lose him

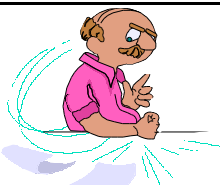
**The transfer deadline comes
into operation at the end of
Session thirteen**

IE NOW





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MARKING

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

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

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

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



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THE KICKABOUT COMMUNITY

EMAIL CHAT LIST -. 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.

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

(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 teampick maestro will change this

MUTTERINGS AND MEANDERINGS OF THE KA MIND

There has been chat about the usefulness of the FWS player type. Some don't seem to realise his attributes. Personally I would always have a FWS in my side. Why. Well if he gets a shot then it has more chance of beating the opposing keeper than does any other player type. He also acts like a star in gaining you extra shots at times. Finally he can play in any position without loss of levels and without notably losing his effectiveness. Personally I always play him in midfield, especially if he is a star. Hoping that somebody will play offside which will double his leathaliity. FWS are king



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MONEY

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.

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 email address for this

BULK PAYMENT OF TURN FEES - remember if you pay £63.75 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/fast leagues/veterans leagues or special offers monies!



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FUN

FORTHCOMING KA WEEKENDS

Spring 2025 Back To Norwich

Main house accomodation already booked for this

Tommo McTomface & Rbiie Lewis are first dogs in for this
Geraldo, Jens & Seamus say they will be putting in an appearance as well

dates 9th-11th of May

Craig is happy to plan another Glasgow weekend in October 2025
dates 9th-12th October

And Bo has offered to host us all at his place in Odense during the spring of 2026

Looking for somewhere new after that and Sheffield is in the frame

MANAGERS NEEDED

Got a good team free that might interest some of you out there.

Royston Vasey of the Churchill league, lay sixth, have just won the league cup, have four top specialists, a DFA-FWT combo and a deadly FWS. The product of one of those nasty dropout people, they are a team in the right hands could challenge at the very top. Power skill and a young squad, glory awaits you

£30 credit to start you off both are ideal for those who have just one or two clubs to manage to bolster their stable??



KICKABOUT EUROS CHAMPIONS TROPHY

STEELCITY HAWKS

Harkes 62
Att 67217
Pitch: Good

COMP CITY

Att 67414
Pitch: Wet

1 : 1 CHINTZ CHIANTI

Pedro captanez 81
Wind: Light

(H - 0.3)

0 : 0 DAKIN UNITED

Wind: Calm

(H - 0.7)

CHAMPIONS TROPHY

Semi-final Draw

Steelcity Hawks v Chintz Chianti

Comp City v Dakin United

Neither semi could be settled on the first attempt and by looks of it both will go to the wire in the replays

(To be played on S14 with replays)

CUP-WINNERS CUP

GILLESPIE ROAD

Att 61718
Wind: Light

DAGGERS FC

Att 62000*
Pitch: Good

0 : 1 ICI BOLTON

Santa barbara 86
Pitch: Hard

(A - 0.9)

0 : 0 SOUTHLAND CITY

Wind: Light

(A - 0.7)

CUP-WINNERS CUP

Semi-final Draw

Gillespie Road v r ICI Bolton

Daggers FC v Southland City

(To be played on S14 & 15)

The old Euro expert Brooksie looks as if he might be on the way to another Euro final with the benefit of a goal in the away tie. **Southland** look as if the final might be in sight for them

SUPER CUP

GESSLE WARRIORS

Att 65106
Pitch: Good

RHUDDLAN ROVERS

Mccrorie 5,25
Wind: Light

0 : 0 SCAYNES HILL

Wind: Light

(A - 0.3)

2 : 0 MIDNIGHT HEROES

Att 58538
Pitch: Wet

(H - 1.3)

SUPER CUP CUP

Semi-final Draw

Gessle Warriors v FC Scaynes Hill

Rhuddlan Rovers v Midnight Hero

To be played on S14 with replays))

All to play for in the first tie but **Rhuddlan** appear to be well in control against **Midnight Heroes**





KICKABOUT REPS

REPRESENTATIVE LEAGUE

RESULTS ROUND-UP

TEMPERATURE: Cool

DIVISION 1

NEWTON
Hugardz 23
Wind: Light
1 : 0 SHAKESPEARE (H - 0.3)
Att 46973
Pitch: Wet

WELLINGTON
Santos 15
Dripunkt padich 83
Wind: Calm
2 : 0 DISRAELI (A - 0.1)
off - Daniel clambake (48)
Att 60036
Pitch: Good

DIVISION 2

NELSON
Att 53642
Wind: Calm
Pitch: Wet
0 : 0 CHURCHILL (A - 0.3)
bkd - Lee chong yung (80)/
Darovic (48)/
Klose (34)

DIVISION 3

MONTGOMERY
off - Iamazulu (70)
Att 50279
Wind: Brisk
0 : 2 JACKSON (A - 0.1)
Matta 48
Woodcock 69
Pitch: Good

Newton, the come back kings, former winners but in the doldrums since their last triumph, see off the **Shakespeare** to lift the trophy once again. Stars will abound for them no doubt. Congrats to Mr Cranfield, showing acumen with an unbeaten but close season to pip current champs the **Ramsey**.

Down go the **Wellington**, slipped badly from second spot last season. A win in their final games was far, far too late to save them.

Mr Hails had already won division two and promotion for the **Raleigh** Four seasons since they were at the top of the pile. But at the bottom the **Churchill** go to the **Nelson** to get a goalless draw which keeps them up and sends down the Nelsoners.

Only needed a win for the **Jackson**, and they duly got it to leapfrog over the **Livingstone** and gain promotion. They did well with only one home game and finally get out of division three after a long sojourn there Mr Engslav Is The Man

REPRESENTATIVE LEAGUE. DIVISION 1

...TEAMNAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 NEWTON	4	1	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	8
2 RAMSEY	4	0	1	1	0	4	1	1	0	3	0	-1	7
3 DISRAELI	4	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	4	2	2	6
4 SHAKESPEARE	4	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	6
5 WELLINGTON	4	1	0	1	2	3	0	1	1	0	1	-2	5

CRANNERS
CAN WIN
SUMMAT!!

REPRESENTATIVE LEAGUE. DIVISION 2

...TEAMNAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 RALEIGH	3	2	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	1	1	3	8
2 GLADSTONE	3	1	1	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	6
3 CHURCHILL	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	-2	3
4 NELSON	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	-2	1

REPRESENTATIVE LEAGUE. DIVISION 3

...TEAMNAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 JACKSON	3	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	2	7
2 LIVINGSTONE	3	1	1	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	6
3 DRAKE	3	1	1	0	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	6
4 MONTGOMERY	3	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	2	1	6	-7	0

THE REPRESENTATIVE ROLE OF SHAME

The following players are all suspended next session for the number of games shown besides their name :- LEE CHONG YUNG [1] (CHURCHILL) / DANIEL CLAMBAKE [1] (DISRAELI) / IAMAZULU [1] (MONTGOMERY) /

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

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 **OVER** 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 **OVER** 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

so in the MF/A/D example a bid under 27K+ will be rejected, the DF/A minimum is 6.66K+

STARTING OUT TIPS

If you are lucky you may have a couple of million in the Bank but that won't be enough to turn things around in a couple of sessions. You need to be committed to be in this for the long haul.

?Have a plan. Base your coaching on getting 2 SPS per session. If you get a few more along the way as the season progresses then great either cash them or coach an extra youth player. Aim to coach your APP's & SBY's to level 12's by seasons end. Better to have 3 17/18 yr old level 12's than 5 level 8's.

?Clear out the 24-4's etc. to get them off the wage bill as they will be on relatively high wages. Either sell them to other managers at below NL price (you will still benefit vs selling to NL due to wages). If you can't get a buyer then hold on to them and run their contract down before selling to NL by session 10 _ sales to NL go to half price after that.

?Play 2 APPS or a SBY every game unless you have a realistic chance of winning but try to win your derby games. Keep your MP's for derby games, matches against fellow strugglers and for (hopefully) a bit of a run in the Bowl.

?Build up your cash balance. Keep building this until you have at least circa £8m. Try to pick up bargains (below NL value) from the auction so you can then sell them on at a profit.

?Invest money in youth. Don't rely on this producing multiple MF specialists, unless your name is Morten. What you will hopefully get is a few FUT's which you can coach at 0.5 SP per level or sell for cash. This is a good way of increasing your teams' skill level quickly.

?Choose a category for the team and aim to get all the players of the same category (P, S or P/S). Having a power team is easier to build up quickly as there are more of them, there are plenty of 95 BW's around and are cheap to buy. However, longer term you will need to change the category of them team as power teams don't become super teams.

?If you have players that don't match your chosen category look to trade them for another player who is. It is rare your team will be full of P/S players so if you have any it may be best to move them on to build up your cash balance or trade for another player.

?Look to get a good quality GK and SW. You may not win many matches but two level 12's at the back could bring in some extra SP's through 0-0 draws.

?Don't coach anyone over the age of 18 unless there is a really good reason to do so e.g. 23-10 MF specialist.

?You need a captain so you can afford one player over the age of 19 _ hopefully your captain will star or get rejuvenated.

?Within 2 seasons you should have a team full of level 12's and a decent cash balance as a solid platform to start your ascent to being the next KA super team.

Good luck!

