



CROYDON CRASHING

Well, having last session pretty much awarded **Croydon Flyers** the title, and condemned **Bolton Wands** to finishing as runners-up at best, this week I have eaten my hat, and the best humble pie I could find, as the results have turned the race for the title on its head. Croydon had a nightmare of a session, tailing away at just the wrong moment, and picked up only 1 point from their two matches, while Bolton picked up 6 points, to go from four points behind to 1 point clear at the top. While Bolton were piling on the goals against **Nelsoners**, wrapping up an easy 4-0 victory, Croydon were sliding to defeat against a resurgent **Rapide Rapace**. FARMER's solitary goal made all the difference, as the midfielder headed home late in the first half. Croydon could not get a shot on target all afternoon, and crashed to defeat. Things got worse for Ashcroft in the second game, as Croydon again fired blanks, this time against struggling **Owlerton FC** who held on for a goalless draw. Meanwhile, Bolton and their star man KANDINSKY were taking **World News Utd** apart 2-0 to hit the top of the table at just the right time. **St Peters** aren't out of it either, taking four points from their two games to sit just one point further back. It all comes down to the final round of games, where 1st play 6th, 2nd play 4th and 3rd play 8th. The title could still go to any of the top three! Down at the bottom it's between **Belmont United** and **Owlerton FC** for the third relegation spot along with **Nelsoners** and **World News Utd**. Belmont will have to get something against Rapide Rapace, otherwise it will be Owlerton who will be putting off the seemingly inevitable relegation. If it's not this season, I'll be surprised if they survive next season!

THE VIKINGS ARE COMING!

The top two promotion places in Division Two were settled this week as both **Wycombe Town** and **The Family Cat** confirmed their places in the top flight picking up maximum points from their two games. Wycombe are champions and The Family Cat second - congratulations to both teams - and neither can now be caught. At the start of the session, there were three other teams still in contention for promotion, but that has now fallen to two. **Chiaroscuro** had a bad week, picking up a disastrous "nul points" from their two games to drop out of the race. They were tough games, against The Family Cat, and **Purple Hearts**, but you still need to win your hard games to go up! Purple Hearts needed to win that game, having crashed disappointingly to defeat against **Cryogenix** in their first match of the week. Both managers like their creative players, and truth be told, the visiting Purples should have won this one. They had the better chances, more on target, but found keeper RANGATANG in

imperious form. Just into the second half, home skipper PEPSINI arrived in the box to head home a cross from the left wing, and The Icemen had the points. At the same time, **Viking Raiders** were creeping closer to the Purple Hearts, drawing 0-0 with **FC West Trip**. As both teams then went on to win in the second round of matches, that leaves just one point in it, Purple Hearts slightly ahead, but Viking Raiders have a game in hand. The Hearts will have to hope that they can get something from their match against The Family Cat, while also hoping that the Vikings do not get too much from their matches. Sorry Neil, but my money is on Viking Raiders to take that promotion spot.

Down at the bottom, **Elegant Chaos** are already down, and, despite that win over Purple Hearts, so are Cryogenix, unless they can beat **Fulham Lumens** 7-0 in their last game! Other than that, it will be one of **Istel Palace** and Fulham Lumens who join them, though even **Crusaders FC** are not completely safe, and could still slide through



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the trap door if Isted Palace and Fulham can get good enough results. Still a lot riding on this last round of matches!

TURNED AROUND?

Just like in the First Division, **Blackburn Rovers** have come from behind to hit the top of the Third Division table at just the right time! Starting the day two points back, by the time the first round of matches was over, Blackburn and manager Lawton were sitting at the top of the tree, after an amazing 4-0 win over leaders **Paris Angels**. Humphries will point to the fact that Paris were missing two important players, but Lawton won't care. Front man BRAZIL was simply irresistible, scoring a superb hat-trick to take all the plaudits. SLOBARSSON added a fourth goal in the 69th minute and it was all over. Blackburn carried that form into their second game, smashing five goals past poor **Coral Sea City** who had no answer to the onslaught. The cheer at the final result from the Blackburn fans was then repeated as the score came through from Paris Angels, who were held to a goalless draw by **Holland Park West**. The results leave Blackburn Rovers on the cusp of winning the title, three points ahead of Paris, though with an inferior goal difference. Paris could still reclaim top spot, if they beat Coral Sea City, which they should, and **Red Star Ceville** beat Blackburn Rovers, which they could. **Twin Peaks FC** should be safe in the third promotion place, as they are playing bottom **Redden Court** in their final match, and should get something from that to ensure that Red Star Ceville remain in fourth.

CORELLA CONFIRMED CHAMPIONS

Having been surprisingly beaten last week, **AFC Corella** put the wheels back on and confirmed their position as Division Four champions this week. The decisive win came in the first round of matches, when AFC Corella were visiting **Uptown Funk**. Funk were tipped part way through the season as promotion candidates, and they certainly pushed Corella in this derby match, but just could not beat them. Manager Read got his marking spot on, and crushed the attacking threat

of the home side. When the ball fell to top scorer KOMPANY in the box just after half-time, there was only ever going to be one result. He picked his spot and absolutely hammered the ball into the corner of the net to give AFC Corella the three points. **Old Josephians** kept pace in that first round of games, old stagers WAG BUTLER and BURCOMP MANSELL scoring against **Walsall Heath** to give them the points. In the second round of games, AFC Corella won again, this time against wooden spoon winners **FC Skangers 04**, while Old Josephians were held goalless by stubborn **Bluesville FC**. This set of results leaves AFC Corella four points clear at the top, Old Josephians promoted, and will finish either second or third, with the final promotion place still to be decided between Uptown Funk and Bluesville FC. Bluesville could yet nick it, as their final game is against 11th placed Walsall Heath, while Uptown Funk have to play Old Josephians.

TROPHY TRAILS

SEMI-FINALS

"TAKE THAT" SAYS BARLOW

FC WEST TRIP 2 : 0 OLD JOSEPHIANS (AET)

FC West Trip have been made to work hard for success this season, being taken to extra time by another opponent in this semi-final. **Old Josephians** have been on a fine run themselves, knocking out Viking Raiders in the last round, and hoping to add another second division scalp here. However, the quality of West Trip told today, and, even though it took until extra time, they were just too good. One minute into extra time and FRERE put them ahead, picking up a loose ball and firing home. BARLOW was the man to secure the win, nodding home with just a few minutes left and that was it. Happy Samson will be leading his team out at Wembley for the final.

THE PLAN ALMOST WORKED

CRUSADERS FC 0 : 0 RED STAR CEVILE (AET)

CRUSADERS FC WIN PENALTY SHOOTOUT 5 - 3

Red Star Cevile were set up in an attempt to take their semi-final to penalties, manager Armstrong



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probably thinking that was his best chance against Crusaders FC. And to be fair, it almost worked. Crusaders created by far the better chances in the match, and in extra time, it was a case for Red Star of just hanging on. They managed it, and took it to penalties. However, that was where Colly's plan fell apart as top scorer BACH saw his penalty saved, and then the final man JAMIELYONS missed his. Meanwhile Crusaders scored all five and progress to meet West Trip in the final.

GOLDEN BOOT RACE

They both drew blanks this session, but JOSHUA BADNITZ (**Croydon Flyers**) and BLANCO (**Whitestar Bel.**) remain tied for top spot in the race for top scorer in the top flight. Can either of them score this week to nick the award on their own? The overall leader for the Golden Boot remains ROCHETAU of **The Family Cat** in Division Two with 26 goals, and I don't see anyone catching him now.

BEST of **Paris Angels** and BACH of **Red Star Cevile** continue to lead the way in the Third Division, BEST just ahead with 21 goals this season. Can BACH come back and take the award? In the Fourth Division it remains **Dark City's** MUHREN in first place, two ahead of KOMPANY of champs **AFC Corella**. Can he hold on?

MEANEST DEFENCES

The meanest defence competition is really tight in the First Division. **Croydon Flyers** have only conceded 4, **Bolton Wands** have conceded 5, so this last round of matches is going to be crucial. There is only one team at the races in Division Two, and that is **Viking Raiders** who have only conceded 1 goal all season. Unless things go really badly wrong this week, the award is theirs.

In the Third Division, it is **Blackburn Rvrs** who surge into the favourites spot this week, as everything goes right for them. While in the Fourth Division, it is still a tie between **AFC Corella** and **Bluesville FC**, both very difficult to score against, conceding only 6 each this season.

EURO QUALIFIERS FOR NEXT SEASON

CHAMPIONS TROPHY (Leave for gm to complete)

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

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)

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

MANAGER OF THE MONTH

DIVISION ONE: goes to manager BROOKS of **Bolton Wands**, two wins from two to take over at the top of the table

DIVISION TWO: goes to manager SAMSON of **FC West Trip**, two good league results and into the Trophy final

DIVISION THREE: goes to manager LAWTON of **Blackburn Rvrs**, beating the leaders convincingly and moving above them

DIVISION FOUR: goes to manager PATEL of **K.U. Clubbers**, two four goal victories can't be bad - maybe a glimmer of hope for next season?



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RESULTS ROUND-UP

TEMPERATURE: Warm

Week Forty-three

DIVISION 1

MARTINO FC Demba 33,59 Furushi 54 Att 51166 Pitch: Good	3 : 2 WORLD NEWS UTD (H - 1.3) Kopernicke 6 Sebio gomez 34 Wind: Brisk
BOLTON WANDS Davos lecherioiu 15 Neto 34 Bankrept nacion 45 Kandinsky 62	4 : 0 NELSONERS (H - 1.1) Att 55966 Wind: Light Pitch: Good
BELMONT UNITED bkd - Luis fernandez (55) Att 41638 Wind: Brisk Pitch: Wet	0 : 4 ST PETERS (A - 0.9) Sumbozo 35 Darmstadt 52 Bellisimo 56 Ankara 70
WHITESTAR BEL. Antwerp 69 Wind: Brisk	1 : 0 OWLERTON FC (H - 1.5) Att 40000* Pitch: Good
CROYDON FLYERS Att 44847* Wind: Brisk	0 : 1 RAPIDE RAPACE (A - 0.5) Farmer 36 Pitch: Good
HANNOVER96 Att 58488* Wind: Brisk	0 : 1 CHARLATANS FC (A - 0.7) Roby 13 Pitch: Muddy

DIVISION 2

VIKING RAIDERS off - Olinga (32) Wind: Brisk	0 : 0 FC WEST TRIP (A - 0.7) Att 40713 Pitch: Good
ISTEL PALACE Soiree 48 bkd - Hensen (2) Wind: Light	1 : 1 ELEGANT CHAOS (H - 0.3) Daniels 16(p) Att 36323 Pitch: Wet
CRYOGENIX Pepsini 49 Wind: Brisk	1 : 0 PURPLE HEARTS (H - 0.3) Att 31189* Pitch: Muddy
TYPHOON LOFTUS Lush 26 bkd - Bluster (34) Att 40999* Wind: Gale	1 : 3 WYCOMBE TOWN (A - 0.9) Litovchenko 23 Scusci 25 Palpatin 37 Pitch: Hard
CRUSADERS FC Armstrong 44 Att 30690* Pitch: Good	1 : 1 FULHAM LUMENS (H - 0.5) Pillini 71 Wind: Gale
THE FAMILY CAT Weah 28 Att 61000* Pitch: Good	1 : 0 CHIAROSCURO (H - 0.9) bkd - Iasi (74) Wind: Brisk

DIVISION 3

ANFIELD STARS Bertram 14,58 Wind: Brisk	2 : 0 WOLFPACK FC (H - 1.1) Att 22764 Pitch: Hard
REDDEN COURT Att 23511 Pitch: Good	0 : 0 RED STAR CEVILE (A - 2.7) Wind: Brisk

JOVIAN GIANTS Att 48121 Wind: Brisk	0 : 1 FC NOTTINGHAM (A - 0.5) Gorban 8(og) Pitch: Good
PARIS ANGELS Att 42552* Wind: Brisk Pitch: Good	0 : 4 BLACKBURN RVRS (A - 1.7) Brazil 16,48,56 Slobarsson 69
CORAL SEA CITY Joy 5 Tronstad 26 Weisser 49 Anderssen 70 Umbongo 87 bkd - Anderssen (81) Inj - Anderssen (6)/ Cadarn (1) *Derby Game*	5 : 5 HOLLAND PK WEST (H - 0.5) Veldhuis 4,57 Vanburgh 26 Lupescu 30 Roseman 36 bkd - Vanburgh (72) Att 35556 Wind: Light Pitch: Muddy
UNITED OB Lopez 9 Att 27395 Wind: Gale	1 : 2 TWIN PEAKS FC (A - 1.1) Amendiola 39 Figo 83 Pitch: Good

DIVISION 4

FC SKANGERS 04 Hudson 47 Wind: Brisk	1 : 0 TRAVELLERS FC (H - 0.1) Att 23478 Pitch: Good
UPTOWN FUNK bkd - Mariinsky (67) Att 26812 Wind: Brisk Pitch: Good *Derby Game*	0 : 1 AFC CORELLA (A - 0.7) Kompany 48 bkd - Watson (45)/ Leroux (32) Inj - Ajer (6)
DARK CITY Att 22150 Pitch: Good	0 : 0 BLUESVILLE FC (H - 0.7) Wind: Brisk
K.U.CLUBBERS Scholle 19 Haaland 53,60 Rollings 89	4 : 0 TRACHLOE VILLA (A - 0.3) Att 20312 Wind: Brisk Pitch: Good
REAL OLIVERO Jip van stamers 40 Bahia 77 Humo 86	3 : 0 TIVERTON TIGERS (H - 0.5) Att 24650 Wind: Brisk Pitch: Good
WALSALL HEATH Att 22313 Wind: Brisk Pitch: Good	0 : 2 OLD JOSEPHIANS (A - 1.3) Wag butler 31 Burcomp mansell 64

Week Forty-four

DIVISION 1

MARTINO FC Demba 5,17 Brexite tusk 66,73 Hoegaarden 77 Pitch: Good	5 : 1 NELSONERS (H - 1.5) Njumbu 69 Att 48941 Wind: Brisk
BOLTON WANDS Kandinsky 35,89 Wind: Brisk	2 : 0 WORLD NEWS UTD (H - 1.7) Att 58644 Pitch: Wet
CHARLATANS FC Att 60811* Pitch: Muddy	0 : 0 ST PETERS (A - 0.1) Wind: Light
OWLERTON FC Att 46845 Pitch: Wet	0 : 0 CROYDON FLYERS (A - 0.9) Wind: Brisk
HANNOVER96 Att 48334 Pitch: Muddy	0 : 0 BELMONT UNITED (H - 0.3) Wind: Brisk



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RESULTS

RAPIDE RAPACE
Att 57798
Pitch: Good

0 : 0 WHITESTAR BEL. (A - 0.3)
Wind: Gale

DIVISION 2

VIKING RAIDERS
Dunki 19
Wind: Brisk

1 : 0 ELEGANT CHAOS (H - 0.5)
Att 37579
Pitch: Hard

ISTEL PALACE
Keita 3(og)
Att 39290
Wind: Brisk

1 : 2 FC WEST TRIP (A - 1.5)
Roxette 25
Tor bleymann 62
Pitch: Wet

CHIAROSCURO
Leif 16
Att 49000*
Wind: Brisk
Pitch: Good

1 : 4 PURPLE HEARTS (A - 0.1)
Mulooney 3
Sahara 75
Hallstrom 78
O'shay 87

WYCOMBE TOWN
Kompany 51
Palpatin 73
Litovchenko 77

3 : 0 CRUSADERS FC (H - 1.3)
Att 56329
Wind: Brisk
Pitch: Good

THE FAMILY CAT
Michels 26
Conte 47
Weah 79
Rocheteau 89

4 : 0 CRYOGENIX (H - 0.9)
Att 51615
Wind: Light
Pitch: Good

FULHAM LUMENS
Inj - Telgruc (2)
Att 28088
Pitch: Wet

0 : 0 TYPHOON LOFTUS (H - 0.1)
bkd - Collins (48)
Wind: Gale

DIVISION 3

ANFIELD STARS
Nordtveit 72
Barba 84
Pitch: Hard

2 : 0 RED STAR CEVILE (A - 0.1)
Att 24496
Wind: Brisk

REDDEN COURT
bkd - Bunn (54)/
Klitchko (63)
Att 26185
Wind: Brisk
Derby Game

0 : 0 WOLFPACK FC (A - 0.7)
bkd - Jon (62)/
Galway (24)
off - Jon (90)
Pitch: Hard

TWIN PEAKS FC
Amendiola 49
bkd - Truman (5)/
Amendiola (79)
Derby Game

1 : 0 FC NOTTINGHAM (H - 0.1)
Att 39314
Wind: Brisk
Pitch: Muddy

BLACKBURN RVRS
D'accord 16,66
Volrik 40
Brazil 44
Zakopane 50

5 : 0 CORAL SEA CITY (H - 1.7)
Att 37764
Wind: Brisk
Pitch: Good

UNITED OB
bkd - Tronstad (51)/
Nevo (16)
Pitch: Good

0 : 0 JOVIAN GIANTS (A - 0.9)
Att 34928
Wind: Light

HOLLAND PK WEST
Att 38734
Pitch: Hard

0 : 0 PARIS ANGELS (A - 0.5)
Wind: Brisk

DIVISION 4

FC SKANGERS 04
Att 24500
Wind: Brisk
Pitch: Hard

0 : 2 AFC CORELLA (A - 1.7)
Ibsen 68
Watson 74

UPTOWN FUNK
Velazquez 16
A e housman 52
Pitch: Hard

2 : 0 TRAVELLERS FC (H - 1.7)
Att 21364
Wind: Brisk

OLD JOSEPHIANS
Att 32597
Pitch: Good

0 : 0 BLUESVILLE FC (H - 0.7)
Wind: Brisk

TRACHLOE VILLA
Humo 66(og)
Att 31780
Wind: Brisk
Pitch: Good

1 : 1 REAL OLIVERO (H - 0.3)
Constanta 27
bkd - Whitlock (14)
off - Bahia (14)
Derby Game

WALSALL HEATH
Att 17159
Wind: Brisk
Pitch: Good

0 : 3 DARK CITY (A - 1.5)
Piett 10
Bert-gerk 15
Muhren 31

TIVERTON TIGERS
Chavez 73
Att 23322
Wind: Gale
Pitch: Good

1 : 4 K.U.CLUBBERS (H - 0.5)
O'shay 17
Isaki 22
Rollings 63
Polanski 83

Week Forty-five

THE LIVINGSTONE TROPHY

Semi-finals

FC WEST TRIP
Frere 91
Barlow 111
Pitch: Muddy

2 : 0 OLD JOSEPHIANS (H - 0.9)
Att 39558
Wind: Brisk
[AET]

CRUSADERS FC
Att 32052
Pitch: Good

0 : 0 RED STAR CEVILE (H - 0.5)
Wind: Brisk
[AET]

CRUSADERS FC WIN PENALTY SHOOTOUT 5 - 3

LIVINGSTONE FRIENDLIES

AFC CORELLA **0 : 1 WYCOMBE TOWN** (A - 0.3)

UXBRIDGE(NL) **0 : 0 BELMONT UNITED** (H - 1.1)

CHARLATANS FC **3 : 0 BLACKBURN RVRS** (H - 0.7)

BLUESVILLE FC **0 : 0 TELFORD UTD(NL)** (-)

CROYDON FLYERS **0 : 0 WOLFPACK FC** (A - 1.3)

TYPHOON LOFTUS **0 : 3 CRYOGENIX** (A - 2.3)

DARK CITY **1 : 0 OWLERTON FC** (H - 1.5)

FC SKANGERS 04 **0 : 0 TRACHLOE VILLA** (A - 1.7)

ENFIELD(NL) **0 : 0 HOLLAND PK WEST** (A - 0.1)

ISTEL PALACE **1 : 0 WOKING(NL)** (-)

K.U.CLUBBERS **1 : 0 CARSHALTON(NL)** (H - 1.9)

BOLTON WANDS **0 : 9 PURPLE HEARTS** (A - 3.3)

WORLD NEWS UTD **0 : 0 SOUTHPORT(NL)** (A - 0.3)

VIKING RAIDERS **0 : 1 ALFRETON TOWN(NL)** (A - 2.5)

WEATHER FORECAST

Temperature next session: Hot

Predicted wind speed next session: Light



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TABLES

LIVINGSTONE LEAGUE. DIVISION 1

...TEAMNAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 BOLTON WANDS	21	5	5	1	11	1	7	3	0	20	4	26	44
2 CROYDON FLYERS	21	8	0	2	18	4	4	7	0	10	0	24	43
3 ST PETERS	21	7	2	1	17	2	5	4	2	17	6	26	42
4 WHITESTAR BEL.	21	5	4	2	14	11	6	2	2	9	3	9	39
5 MARTINO FC	21	5	5	1	11	4	3	3	4	4	4	7	32
6 CHARLATANS FC	21	3	4	3	9	7	4	5	2	12	8	6	30
7 RAPIDE RAPACE	21	4	4	3	8	10	4	2	4	8	8	-2	30
8 HANNOVER 96	21	2	7	2	7	4	4	4	2	9	5	7	29
9 OWLERTON FC	21	3	3	5	6	15	1	3	6	2	14	-21	18
10 BELMONT UNITED	21	1	5	4	3	10	2	3	6	5	10	-12	17
11 WORLD NEWS UTD	21	1	1	8	3	17	0	3	8	8	19	-25	7
12 NELSONERS	21	0	2	8	2	21	0	3	8	2	28	-45	5

LIVINGSTONE LEAGUE. DIVISION 2

...TEAMNAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 WYCOMBETOWN	21	8	2	1	32	7	7	2	1	27	6	46	49
2 THE FAMILY CAT	21	8	3	0	26	3	4	5	1	13	3	33	44
3 PURPLE HEARTS	21	6	1	3	23	11	6	2	3	18	9	21	39
4 VIKING RAIDERS	20	2	8	0	4	1	7	3	0	10	0	13	38
5 CHIAROSCURO	21	6	0	4	19	19	5	3	3	22	14	8	36
6 FC WEST TRIP	21	5	2	3	18	13	3	3	5	9	18	-4	29
7 TYPHOON LOFTUS	21	4	4	3	9	8	2	3	5	8	11	-2	25
8 CRUSADERS FC	20	2	6	2	7	9	1	4	5	3	12	-11	19
9 FULHAM LUMENS	21	1	5	5	2	13	2	3	5	13	19	-17	17
10 ISTEEL PALACE	21	1	4	6	5	13	1	6	3	4	8	-12	16
11 CRYOGENIX	21	2	3	5	6	11	1	2	8	3	27	-29	14
12 ELEGANT CHAOS	21	1	2	7	2	26	0	4	7	4	26	-46	9

LIVINGSTONE LEAGUE. DIVISION 3

...TEAMNAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 BLACKBURN RVRS	20	9	0	1	22	1	6	3	1	21	5	37	48
2 PARIS ANGELS	20	7	2	1	32	5	7	1	2	35	14	48	45
3 TWIN PEAKS FC	21	6	2	2	18	10	6	2	3	21	13	16	40
4 RED STAR CEVILE	20	8	0	2	26	4	2	5	3	3	5	20	35
5 FC NOTTINGHAM	21	6	3	1	13	6	3	2	6	6	15	-2	32
6 HOLLAND PK WEST	20	4	5	2	13	3	3	4	2	11	10	11	30
7 CORAL SEACITY	20	3	2	4	20	19	6	1	4	24	18	7	30
8 JOVIANGIANTS	21	4	3	3	12	7	1	6	4	5	7	3	24
9 WOLFPACK FC	20	3	2	5	11	21	1	2	7	3	15	-22	16
10 ANFIELD STARS	21	4	1	6	17	19	1	0	9	3	36	-35	16
11 UNITED OB	21	1	6	4	7	11	1	3	6	1	17	-20	15
12 REDDEN COURT	21	2	3	6	5	31	0	0	10	4	41	-63	9

LIVINGSTONE LEAGUE. DIVISION 4

...TEAMNAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 AFCCORELLA	21	7	2	1	27	4	7	4	0	22	2	43	48
2 OLD JOSEPHIANS	21	7	3	0	21	6	6	2	3	19	6	28	44
3 UPTOWN FUNK	21	7	1	3	12	3	6	2	2	23	9	23	42
4 BLUESVILLE FC	21	5	4	1	8	2	6	3	2	10	4	12	40
5 TIVERTON TIGERS	21	5	4	2	16	9	3	1	6	8	15	0	29
6 K.U. CLUBBERS	20	4	2	5	13	19	3	2	4	9	12	-9	25
7 DARK CITY	20	2	3	4	3	9	3	4	4	7	10	-9	22
8 TRAVELLERS FC	21	4	3	3	6	9	1	4	6	1	9	-11	22
9 REAL OLIVERO	21	3	2	5	9	18	1	5	5	9	13	-13	19
10 TRACHLOE VILLA	21	1	6	4	3	9	2	3	5	11	17	-12	18
11 WALSALL HEATH	21	3	3	5	5	17	1	3	6	2	11	-21	18
12 FCSKANGERS 04	21	1	3	7	3	18	1	3	6	2	18	-31	12



KICKABOUT STATS

LEADING SCORERS

DIVISION 1

1	JOSHUA BADNITZ	CROYDON FLYERS	20
2	BLANCO	WHITESTAR BEL.	20
3	SUMBOZO	ST PETERS	15
4	LINDQVIST	RAPIDE RAPACE	12
5	PELLEGRINI	CROYDON FLYERS	12
6	DE VREYSE	CHARLATANS FC	12
7	GRIFFITHS	ST PETERS	11
8	ANTWERP	WHITESTAR BEL.	9

DIVISION 2

1	ROCHETEAU	THE FAMILY CAT	26
2	PALPATIN	WYCOMBE TOWN	18
3	ULLOA	CHIAROSCURO	14
4	LEIF	CHIAROSCURO	13
5	STYLES	FC WEST TRIP	13
6	COLLINS	TYPHOON LOFTUS	12
7	FRINSKI	WYCOMBE TOWN	11
8	SCHENK	THE FAMILY CAT	10

DIVISION 3

1	BEST	PARIS ANGELS	21
2	BACH	RED STAR CEVILE	20
3	BRAZIL	BLACKBURN RVRS	17
4	AMENDIOLA	TWIN PEAKS FC	16
5	ZAKOPANE	BLACKBURN RVRS	15
6	JOY	CORAL SEA CITY	15
7	BAAVALE	PARIS ANGELS	14
8	GDANSK	PARIS ANGELS	13

DIVISION 4

1	MUHREN	DARK CITY	14
2	KOMPANY	AFC CORELLA	12
3	SHARAPOVA	OLD JOSEPHIANS	10
4	AMOAH	OLD JOSEPHIANS	9
5	CRUZ	AFC CORELLA	8
6	HAALAND	K.U.CLUBBERS	8
7	VAN DER SCORER	AFC CORELLA	7
8	WATSON	AFC CORELLA	7

Since a Home Defeat

Bolton Wands	27 games
Viking Raiders	14 games
The Family Cat	12 games
Fc Nottingham	10 games
Old Josephians	10 games
Holland Pk West	9 games
Blackburn Rvrs	6 games
Rapide Rapace	5 games

THE ROLE OF SHAME

The following players are all suspended next session for the number of games shown besides their name :- OLINGA [1] (VIKING RAIDERS) / JON [1] (WOLFPACK FC) / BUNN [1] (REDDEN COURT) / TRONSTAD [1] (UNITED OB) / BAHIA [1] (REAL OLIVERO) /

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - MPS

TOP

WALSALL HEATH - 0

TRAVELLERS FC - 2

ELEGANT CHAOS - 4

BOTTOM

NELSONERS - 68

CROYDON FLYERS - 68

BOLTON WANDS - 68

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - APPS

TOP

WORLD NEWS UTD - 0

MARTINO FC - 0

BOLTON WANDS - 0

BOTTOM

TYPHOON LOFTUS - 78

ISTEL PALACE - 78

NELSONERS - 78

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - YOUTH

TOP

RAPIDE RAPACE - 0

AFC CORELLA - 1

ST PETERS - 2

BOTTOM

PURPLE HEARTS - 45

OLD JOSEPHIANS - 46

WORLD NEWS UTD - 47

Consec. Away Defeats

Redden Court	11 games
World News Utd	5 games



KICKABOUT

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

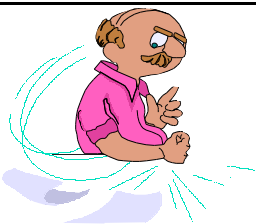
**The transfer deadline comes
into operation at the end of
Session thirteen**

IE NOW





KICKABOUT BITS



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 SUBSCRIBERS



KICKABOUT BITS

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 maxcch 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

THE MUSINGS AND MEANDERINGS OF THE KA MIND

Seems not to have ever percolated the understanding of some out there, but if you only have ten men and a SBY, you do not have to play the SBY and qualify him. You can ask for a NL player. This has never been a `rule' but long ago it was decided that this would be the case and you can `save' your SBY.



KICKABOUT

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!



KICKABOUT

FUN

FORTHCOMING KA WEEKENDS

We have four KA weekends planned for the future, taking to players recently it seems they might be very full, this is especially so with the Glasgow on next year, so you really need to get your names down if you are planning to attend any of these, to avoid disappointment. You don't need to send cash at present just get your name on the list

Spring 2025 Back To Norwich

Main house accomodation already booked for this

Tommo McTomface is first man in
Geraldo, Jens, Seamus, Craig, Gareth, Nigel, Rob, Chris Moore, Colly, Neil B &
Adrian have all indicated that they are coming
dates 9th-11th of May

Glasgow weekend dates 9th-12th October

Craig is first man in here

Gerard, Jens, Seamus, Gareth, Nigel, Rob, Cranners, Steadders, Neil B &
Adrianall recon that they will be coming along

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

Bo, Rob, Tim & Dennis are first men in
Craig, Gareth, Nigel, & Cranners have all said they will be there

October 2025 will be in the lovely city of Sheffield. Pete Condon has promised
to make an appearance as, I am told, will Danny Smith and we wil all be able to
shame Danny into returning to the fold

Kickabout will be forty years old in 2027, so perhaps somewhere special could
be planned for then?

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KICKABOUT FUN

MANAGERS NEEDED

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

Premier league is just coming to the end of another season. Hands on your own team with your own real life players, what fun. Got a couple of free teams, one of them very good indeed £30 credit to start you off both are ideal for those who have just one or two clubs to manage to bolster their stable??

VIRTUAL WEEKEND

We are hoping to run another virtual Kickabout weekend in 2025. tentatively the date is the weekend of the 22nd of February.

Cost for this extravaganza as always is £22.50 and will use Craig's new weekend set up and 16 team format (unless we are oversubscribed).

So have some fun during the dark nights of winter and get your name down.

Gerard, Scott, Wynne, Rob L, Gareth, Dag, Adrian & Craig have all said they will be taking part. Come on the rest of you sluggards



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KICKABOUT EUROS CHAMPIONS TROPHY

STEELCITY HAWKS 1 : 1 **CHINTZ CHIANTI** (H - 0.3)
 Harkes 62
 Att 67217
 Pitch: Good
COMP CITY 0 : 0 **DAKIN UNITED** (H - 0.7)
 Att 67414
 Pitch: Wet

CHAMPIONS TROPHY

Semi-final Draw

Steelcity Hawks v Chintz Chianti

Comp City v Dakin United

(To be played on S14 with replays)

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

CUP-WINNERS CUP

GILLESPIE ROAD 0 : 1 **ICI BOLTON** (A - 0.9)
 Att 61718
 Wind: Light
DAGGERS FC 0 : 0 **SOUTHLAND CITY** (A - 0.7)
 Att 62000*
 Pitch: Good

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

SUPER CUP

GESSLE WARRIORS 0 : 0 **SCAYNES HILL** (A - 0.3)
 Att 65106
 Pitch: Good
RHUDDLAN ROVERS 2 : 0 **MIDNIGHT HEROES** (H - 1.3)
 Mccrorie 5,25
 Wind: Light

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**

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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

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

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+

How to build a challenge side by Craig Lawton

Let's get right down to it. They are a challenge side because they are shit. More than likely it will be full of low to mid-level 20 somethings.

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 13 - 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 Trophy.

? 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.

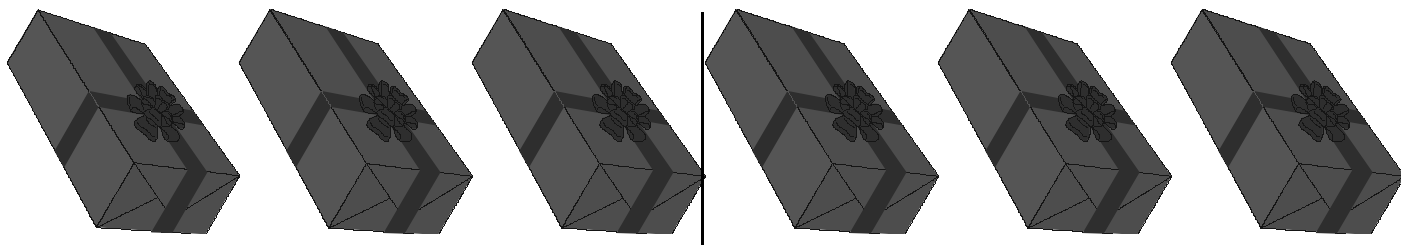
? Don't coach anyone over the age of 18 unless there is a really good reason to do so e.g. 23-10 MF specialist.

? 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!





COMPETITION TIME

We know that what you kickabout players like is a good competition, the chance to win something which doesn't involve skill (unlike in Kickabout). So as the nights get darker and longer we have decided TO REPEAT last year's xmas competition to brighten up your dull and dreary lives

We have a competition about to run with far, far more prizes up for grabs. So how is this going to work you ask. Well, for every £30 you pay into the credit of any account (in fact or every £30 you pay for any reason ? even Chris beer money ? you will get a ticket in a massive draw. A 100% chances to win something).

SO, what can you win? Well, Unfortunately, there will be some, 'tough titties Prizes, i.e. no win (25), but You will still win the joy of taking part

There are twenty prizes of double turn credit (any amount paid in)

There will be thirty prizes of between two and five turns credit

There will be one lifetime membership prize for one of your teams

There will be one prize of 100 free credit that can be spread around all your teams

There will be two prizes of 30 free turns

There will be two prizes of 20 free turns

There will be ten prizes of a new team in any league of your choosing with a Season free, plus every season there will be a chance (50%) of that team receiving another free season (until you get to a season where you have to pay, then it ends)

There will be five prizes of a free entry to a KA Weekend

Finally four mystery prizes that could be anything, a lifetime membership, a used pair of Cranners postie shoes, a bottle of lube recommended by Hattie, a pair of super ear plugs for use in KA weekends when Spud goes ballistic or Wadders does his Johnny Cash impression, or a copy of Adraans? latest snakes and ladder campaign, you just have to wait and see what and see!!!

So get in there before the big buck prizes disappear cos this competition only runs until all the postal leagues S16 are processed and sent out.

Oh nearly forgot. You have to claim your ticket when you send in the cash

