

THE MESSI LEAGUE

MESSI LEAGUE. DIVISION 1

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 MISTIQUE	4	2	0	0	5	0	1	1	0	2	0	7	10
2 GLOBE TROTTERS	4	2	0	0	7	0	1	0	1	3	2	8	9
3 SHROPSHIRE STAR	4	1	1	0	6	1	1	1	0	1	0	6	8
4 PRIMROSE HILL	4	1	1	0	2	0	1	1	0	2	1	3	8
5 DEFCON1 FC	4	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	2	0	3	8
6 HAVERING TOWN	4	2	0	0	10	0	0	0	2	0	6	4	6
7 DYNAMO TEST	4	2	0	0	3	1	0	0	2	0	5	-3	6
8 RADFORD SEMELE	4	1	0	1	3	3	0	1	1	0	1	-1	4
9 BRECON WARRIORS	4	1	0	1	1	2	0	0	2	1	7	-7	3
10 CITY COLTS	4	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	3	-3	2
11 REQUIEM	4	0	0	2	0	3	0	1	1	1	5	-7	1
12 REAL AYELL	4	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	9	-10	1

MESSI LEAGUE. DIVISION 2

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 LES FERDINAND	4	1	1	0	2	1	2	0	0	2	0	3	10
2 TECHNO TERRIERS	4	1	0	1	2	2	2	0	0	8	2	6	9
3 BERMONDSEY BM	4	2	0	0	4	2	1	0	1	1	4	-1	9
4 HOTH WAMPAS	4	2	0	0	5	0	0	2	0	0	0	5	8
5 UTOPIA	4	1	1	0	3	1	1	0	1	4	2	4	7
6 WESSEX RANGERS	4	1	0	1	4	1	1	0	1	2	1	4	6
7 WELSH WIZARDS	4	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	5
8 THE GREEKS	4	1	0	1	1	2	0	2	0	1	1	-1	5
9 FRALKA	4	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	2	1	4	-3	2
10 SPORTING SPUDS	4	0	1	1	1	3	0	1	1	1	2	-3	2
11 VIPPEROED BK	4	0	1	1	1	4	0	1	1	2	3	-4	2
12 OLD STEINE FC	4	0	0	2	1	6	0	0	2	1	6	-10	0

MESSI LEAGUE. DIVISION 3

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 THE BLIND RABBI	4	2	0	0	6	3	1	1	0	4	1	6	10
2 IB 2301	4	2	0	0	6	2	1	0	1	3	4	3	9
3 NEWTON HEATH FC	4	1	1	0	2	0	1	1	0	5	3	4	8
4 JERSEY BOYS	4	1	1	0	4	3	1	1	0	2	0	3	8
5 PARK END BLUES	4	2	0	0	8	0	0	0	2	0	3	5	6
6 DAL RIADA	4	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	6
7 SCI FI ELITE	4	1	1	0	3	2	0	1	1	4	6	-1	5
8 BRECON RANGERS	4	1	0	1	2	3	0	1	1	1	2	-2	4
9 SYDSIDEN	4	0	1	1	0	2	1	0	1	1	1	-2	4
10 BARNBY PARK	4	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	-2	2
11 CLIFTON MIGHTY	4	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	2	-3	2
12 THE LEVELLERS	4	0	0	2	1	5	0	0	2	1	9	-12	0

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Messi League - Session Three

Season 35

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ROUND-UP TIME

Buy every player in sight to supercharge the attempt to retain the title and put them all on the pitch. Results, play like dead men walking and get well and truly thumped at **Globe Trotters**. Title gone gone gone Adie!! Surprise pace-steers now are **Mistique** (Suttoners seems to have got a liking for topping tables now). Though the two tipped teams are just Behind him and hunting.

Big names at the bottom. Long sojourn in top flight might be over for **Requiem, Colts** on their way to being a yo-yo team, while **Ayell**, bah!!

In the second **Techno** have started with a bang an looking good. Looks like another bash at the top flight coming up for them. Can they stay up is the question though if they gain promotion. Top four all win this session which is somewhat ominous for the rest. Bottom four all look in trouble points being at a premium already.

Wadds goes joint top in the third. Success at last. Of a sorts. **Newton Heath** head then on goal difference but will they have any fans to support them after the league cup Watch out for the mighty **Park End** moving into fourth but that isn't difficult in this division!

RESULTS ROUND-UP

TEMPERATURE: Warm

Week Seven

DIVISION 1

REAL AYELL Att 41544 Pitch: Good	0 : 0	MISTIQUE Wind: Calm	(H - 0.5)
RADFORD SEMELE Roy 42 Att 53571 Wind: Calm	1 : 3	GLOBE TROTTERS Calypso 43 Salarino 59,77 Pitch: Good	(H - 0.9)
REQUIEM Att 25967 Wind: Light Pitch: Good	0 : 2	DEFCON1 FC Williams 19 Thomas 30	(A - 0.3)
HAVERING TOWN Arthur m 42 Huyghe 45 Zoumas cat 47 Raducanu 84	5 : 0	BRECON WARRIORS Att 26973 Wind: Calm Pitch: Good	(H - 1.9)

A POINT A POINT AYELL CELEBRATE

Bullock 85

PRIMROSE HILL

Staroprarnen 28

Mooy 67

Pitch: Good

CITY COLTS

Att 40414

Pitch: Hard

2 : 0 **DYNAMO TEST** **(H - 0.1)**

Att 53186

Wind: Calm

0 : 0 **SHROPSHIRE STAR** **(A - 0.3)**

Wind: Calm

DIVISION 2

TECHNO TERRIERS

Att 26830

Wind: Light

WESSEX RANGERS

Lainas 24,65

Grevinge 49

Fontainbleau 80

VIPPEROED BK

Att 30752

Pitch: Wet

SPORTING SPUDS

Att 27636

Pitch: Wet

FRALKA

off - Nirvana (69)

Wind: Calm

LES FERDINAND

Colback 61

Wind: Calm

0 : 1 **BERMONDSEY BM** **(H - 0.3)**

Layton 29

Pitch: Good

4 : 0 **OLD STEINE FC** **(H - 1.3)**

Att 28180

Wind: Calm

Pitch: Wet

0 : 0 **THE GREEKS** **(A - 0.9)**

Wind: Calm

0 : 0 **HOTH WAMPAS** **(A - 1.1)**

Wind: Calm

0 : 0 **WELSH WIZARDS** **(A - 0.3)**

Att 27922

Pitch: Good

1 : 0 **UTOPIA** **(A - 0.5)**

Att 27044

Pitch: Good

DIVISION 3

JERSEY BOYS

Frampton 10

Jakobczak 22

Att 25465

Pitch: Good

CLIFTON MIGHTY

Att 22477

Wind: Calm

NEWTON HEATH FC

Att 20752

Pitch: Good

BARNBY PARK

Att 20749*

Wind: Calm

THE LEVELLERS

Maszczyk 9

Att 24472

Wind: Calm

Pitch: Hard

BRECON RANGERS

Burak yilmaz 54

Wind: Calm

2 : 2 **SCI FI ELITE** **(H - 0.3)**

Bo-katan kryze 16

Kiefer 23

Wind: Calm

0 : 1 **SYDSIDEN** **(H - 0.3)**

Ferdrickshaven 22

Pitch: Wet

0 : 0 **DAL RIADA** **(A - 0.7)**

Wind: Calm

0 : 1 **IB 2301** **(A - 0.1)**

Vidunderbarn 38

Pitch: Good

1 : 4 **THE BLIND RABBI** **(A - 1.7)**

Keownadams 16

Bergstrop 27

Dal ilama 30

Abdul bulbas 38

1 : 0 **PARK END BLUES** **(H - 0.7)**

Att 24324

Pitch: Hard

Week Eight

THE MESSI CUP

1st Round Replays

SCI FI ELITE

Shatner panties 54

Bo-katan kryze 100

Dwayne dibbley 112

Merlin 114

BARNBY PARK

4 : 1 **SYDSIDEN** **(H - 0.7)**

Day 29

Att 25534

Wind: Light

Pitch: Wet

0 : 0 **CLIFTON MIGHTY** **(A - 0.7)**

Att 20749* Wind: Calm [AET]
Pitch: Good

CLIFTON MIGHTY WIN PENALTY SHOOTOUT 4 - 3

Week Nine

THE MESSI LEAGUE CUP

Round One Series Two

TECHNO TERRIERS Sunak rish 33 Wind: Calm	1 : 0	HOTH WAMPAS Att 27099 Pitch: Good	(A - 0.1)
BARNBY PARK Att 20749* Wind: Calm Pitch: Good	0 : 2	HAVERING TOWN Badger 3 Surly 31	(A - 1.1)

Havering Town 7/ Techno & Hoth W 3 / Barnby Pk 0

WESSEX RANGERS Belcher 54 Wind: Calm	1 : 0	JERSEY BOYS Att 27109 Pitch: Hard	(H - 0.7)
BRECON RANGERS Att 26115 Wind: Calm Pitch: Hard	0 : 2	DEFCON1 FC Williams 76 Lieutenant.pigeon 78	(A - 0.9)

Wessex Rangers & Defcon 5 / Jersey Boys 3 /

Brecon Rangers 0

THE GREEKS Att 40172 Wind: Calm	0 : 1	SPORTING SPUDS Aegisgarthur 40 Pitch: Wet	(A - 0.9)
OLD STEINE FC Verstappen 11 El cortes 37 Asimov 45 Karsavina 88 Pitch: Wet	4 : 2	BRECON WARRIORS Corrigan 14 Kobenhavn 50 Att 23695* Wind: Calm	(H - 0.3)

Sporting Spuds 7 / Old Steine & Brecon War 3 / The

Greeks 0

DAL RIADA Dal cava 4,45 Hoof 22 Wind: Light	3 : 1	IB 2301 Williams 42 Att 25379 Pitch: Good	(H - 0.9)
RADFORD SEMELE Fields 38,60,65 Karla 87 Pitch: Good	4 : 0	BERMONDSEY BM Att 44786 Wind: Calm	(H - 1.3)

Radford Semele & Dal Raida 5 / IB & Bermondsey 1

CLIFTON MIGHTY Att 31257 Wind: Calm Pitch: Muddy	0 : 5	REAL AYELL Kingston 32 Sandblaster 44,82 Inia 67 Haki nebuta 69	(A - 2.3)
MISTIQUE Adnaan 5 Att 29612* Pitch: Hard	1 : 1	CITY COLTS Chippy jensen 34(og) Wind: Calm	(H - 0.7)

City Colts & Real Aye 5 / Mistique 3 / Clifton Mighty 0

WELSH WIZARDS Benedict 19 Ramsey 55 Newport 83	3 : 0	THE BLIND RABBI Att 28698 Wind: Calm Pitch: Hard	(H - 1.3)
SYDSIDEN Att 23739 Wind: Calm Pitch: Good	0 : 10	UTOPIA Tenenblat 22,58 Dal harley 27 Gerbil 29,57 Ndongo bastos 40 Gabriel 50 Yom kippur 64 Hagia sophia 80 Rafael 82	(A - 6.1)

SYDSIDEN PLAYED A WEAK TEAM. SOME OF THEIR

FANS HAVE WALKED OUT!

Utopia 7 / Welsh Wizard 3 / Sysdien 2/ Blind Rabbi 1

VIPPEROED BK Att 23143 Pitch: Good	0 : 0	THE LEVELLERS Wind: Light	(H - 0.9)
REQUIEM Att 24201 Pitch: Good	0 : 0	PARK END BLUES Wind: Calm	(H - 1.3)

Requiem 5 & Park End 5 / Levellers 2 / Vipperod 0

NEWTON HEATH FC Att 27516* Wind: Calm Pitch: Muddy	0 : 4	DYNAMO TEST Ketchum 20,33 Matson 75 Glasner 85	(A - 1.5)
LES FERDINAND off - Dunne (37) Att 26756 Pitch: Muddy	0 : 1	FRALKA Stoneheart 7(p) Wind: Calm	(A - 0.5)

Fralka & Dynamo Tests7 / Les Ferdinand & Newton

Heath 0

GLOBE TROTTERS Att 41740* Pitch: Good	0 : 0	PRIMROSE HILL Wind: Calm	(A - 0.9)
SHROPSHIRE STAR Bryan roy 28 Moretoncorbet 28 Petro 42 Ohio 48 Grated rosti 65 Defi bleu 75 Cohen 87	7 : 0	SCI FI ELITE Att 46243 Wind: Calm Pitch: Good	(H - 2.1)

Shropshire Stars 7 / Globe Trotters 5 / Primrose Hill

2 / Sci Fi Elite 0

MESSI FRIENDLIES

SUTTON UTD(NL)	8 : 0	BRECON RANGERS	(H - 3.9)
BERMONDSEY BM	1 : 3	WEYMOUTH(NL)	(A - 4.1)
MARGATE(NL)	8 : 0	CITY COLTS	(H - 4.5)
DEFCON1 FC	5 : 0	STEVENAGE(NL)	(H - 0.5)
RUNCORN(NL)	8 : 1	BRECON WARRIORS	(H - 2.7)
GLOBE TROTTERS	0 : 2	HASTINGS UTD(NL)	(A - 1.9)
NORTHWICH(NL)	3 : 0	DYNAMO TEST	(H - 1.9)
DAL RIADA	1 : 1	WELLING(NL)	(A - 2.5)
KETTERING(NL)	7 : 0	FRALKA	(H - 3.5)
LES FERDINAND	0 : 2	STAFFORD(NL)	(A - 5.5)
SLOUGH(NL)	3 : 1	HOTH WAMPAS	(A - 0.1)
IB 2301	1 : 1	BATH(NL)	(A - 2.9)
WYCOMBE(NL)	5 : 1	JERSEY BOYS	(H - 2.7)
HAVERING TOWN	0 : 3	STOWMARKET(NL)	(A - 4.9)
COLWYN BAY(NL)	4 : 0	SPORTING SPUDS	(H - 2.3)
NEWTON HEATH FC	1 : 0	THURROCK(NL)	(A - 0.5)
AFC HAYES(NL)	5 : 0	OLD STEINE FC	(H - 2.9)
RADFORD SEMELE	0 : 2	DIDCOT TOWN(NL)	(A - 3.9)
ALTRINCHAM(NL)	5 : 0	REAL AYELL	(H - 2.5)
MISTIQUE	2 : 4	WROXHAM(NL)	(A - 2.7)
DROYLSDEN(NL)	5 : 0	PRIMROSE HILL	(H - 1.1)
REQUIEM	2 : 2	OXFORD CITY(NL)	(A - 3.5)
STAFFORD(NL)	5 : 1	SHROPSHIRE STAR	(H - 3.7)
WESSEX RANGERS	1 : 2	LEATHERHEAD(NL)	(A - 1.3)
LEEK TOWN(NL)	7 : 0	THE GREEKS	(H - 3.1)
WELSH WIZARDS	0 : 3	HERNE BAY(NL)	(A - 3.5)
ILFORD(NL) bkd - Garside (10)	1 : 0	THE LEVELLERS	(H - 2.7)
VIPPEROED BK	3 : 3	TRURO CITY(NL)	(A - 5.5)
TAMWORTH(NL)	8 : 0	TECHNO TERRIERS	(H - 3.9)
THE BLIND RABBI	2 : 0	WHITBY TOWN(NL)	(H - 0.1)
ROMULUS(NL)	4 : 0	PARK END BLUES	(H - 2.1)

MESSI CUP

2nd Round

Sci-fi Elite v Clifton Mighty
The Levellers v The Blind Rabbi
Sporting Spuds v Old Steine F.C.
Requiem v IB2301
Primrose Hill v Defcon1
Techno Terriers v Welsh Wizards
Dal Raida v The Greeks
Newton Heath v Les Ferdinand
Utopia v Bermondsey BM
Dynamo Test v Radford Semele
Fralka v Jersey Boys
Vipperoe BK v Real Ayell
Brecon Warriors v Havering Town
Wessex Rangers v Hoth Wampas
Globe Trotters v City Colts
Mistique v Shropshire Stars

CHAMPIONS TROPHY

First Round Session S4 & S6

Semis S9 & S11

Final one leg S13

Globe Trotters v Memorial Park

Brutus Awakens v Dynamo Test

Radford Semele v The Migs

Lamington Spa v Real Ayell

WEATHER FORECAST

Temperature next session: Cold

Predicted wind speed next session: Light



STATISTICS PAGE

LEADING SCORERS

DIVISION 1

1	HUYGHE	HAVERING TOWN	7
2	SALARINO	GLOBE TROTTERS	5
3	RIGBY	REQUIEM	4
4	FIELDS	RADFORD SEMELE	4
5	MORETONCORBET	SHROPSHIRE STAR	3
6	COHEN	SHROPSHIRE STAR	3
7	CALYPSO	GLOBE TROTTERS	3
8	BAGGINSWOOD	GLOBE TROTTERS	3

DIVISION 2

1	GYROS BRUTUS	TECHNO TERRIERS	5
2	GERBIL	UTOPIA	4
3	TENENBLAT	UTOPIA	4
4	DARWIN	FRALKA	3
5	EL CORTES	OLD STEINE FC	3
6	BELCHER	WESSEX RANGERS	3
7	SOIDINTIE	TECHNO TERRIERS	3
8	DAL HARLEY	UTOPIA	2

DIVISION 3

1	ABDUL BULBAS	THE BLIND RABBI	4
2	DUNDEE	SCI FI ELITE	3
3	DAL CAVA	DAL RIADA	3
4	FRAMPTON	JERSEY BOYS	3
5	DWAYNE DIBBLEY	SCI FI ELITE	2
6	KIEFER	SCI FI ELITE	2
7	BO-KATAN KRYZE	SCI FI ELITE	2
8	WILLIAMS	IB 2301	2

THE ROLE OF SHAME

The following players are all suspended next session for the number of games shown besides their name :-
NIRVANA [1] (FRALKA) / DUNNE [1] (LES FERDINAND) /

PRIVATE DEALS

RADFORD SEMELE sold DAVENPORT (18-2 DF) {P/S} {SBY} to BRECON WARRIORS for 0K

BRECON WARRIORS sold GENT (18-2 UT) {SBY} to RADFORD SEMELE for 0K

THE LEVELLERS sold NAG WADDINGHAM (22-12 FW) to REQUIEM for 950K

HOTH WAMPAS sold VAN DER VOLKIN (19-9 UT) to UTOPIA for 0K

UTOPIA sold KUBLA KHAN (19-9 MF) to HOTH WAMPAS for 0K

THE LEVELLERS sold BALCONE (19-10 FW) to LES FERDINAND for 600K

All deals completed successfully!

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - APPS

TOP

CITY COLTS - 0

REAL AYELL - 2

DYNAMO TEST - 2

BOTTOM

BARNBY PARK - 66

WESSEX RANGERS - 66

GLOBE TROTTERS - 70

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - YOUTH

TOP

REAL AYELL - 0

WESSEX RANGERS - 1

HOTH WAMPAS - 2

BOTTOM

SYDSIDEN - 33

HAVERING TOWN - 34

WELSH WIZARDS - 35

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - SPs

Consec. Away Draws

The Greeks 4 games

Since A Home Draw

Mistique	11 games
Techno Terriers	8 games
Hoth Wampas	8 games
The Levellers	8 games
Dynamo Test	7 games
Wessex Rangers	6 games
The Blind Rabbi	6 games
Ib 2301	5 games

AUCTION PAGE

AUCTION SESSION THREE

AUCTION RESULTS

POS	STATS	NAME	CLUB	FEE	NO	NHIGH
1) GK	24-10	MAKIIVKA	(TECHNO TERRIERS)	402K	3	280K
2) DF/A	20-7	PILSUDSKI	(OLD STEINE FC)	345K	2	79K
3) DF	19-12	CHIPZ	(SPORTING SPUDS)	610K	3	555K
4) MF	18-3	KEIV	(HOTH WAMPAS)	1073K	5	600K
5) FWS	23-7	LITCHENKO	(HOTH WAMPAS)	477K	6	387K
6) WG99-99	SEE NOTE TO GM		(REAL AYELL)	513K	3	344K
7) UT	19-10	NEZKOV	(DEFCON1 FC)	800K	5	788K
8) SUPERScout			(WESSEX RANGERS)	556K	7	377K
9) FW	18-4	GLUSHKOV	(RADFORD SEMELE)	365K	2	206K
10) FWS	20-13	CHERNIHIV	(IB 2301)	765K	8	612K
11) YOUTH TRAINER			(GLOBE TROTTERS)	59K	1	0K
12) GK	20-9	CARRUTHERS	(REQUIEM)	820K	1	719K

All players not shown were unsold.

ROLLING AUCTION SESSION FOUR

- 1) REVERSE THE BW/CR STATS OF TWO NOMINATED PLAYERS (Not transfereed reversed on the same players)
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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 KICKABOUT COMMUNITY

EMAIL CHAT LIST - yes, you can subscribe to our email discussion group. There is a list for general Kickabout topics, a list for each individual league, one for the vulcano, one for teampick subscribers, even one for the weekend players. Learn more about the game, talk to other players and the Gm. To subscribe to the main list send a blank email to KA-kickabout+subscribe@groups.io. For others you do the same except put the league, name with Ka- in front of +subscribe.

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

MARKING UPDATE

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



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

THE 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.

FORTHCOMING KA WEEKENDS

We have three 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,
Wadders, 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,
Adrian& Colly all reckon 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?**



SOMETHING FOR EVERYBODY TO REMEMBER

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

ORDER OF MATCHES IS

LEAGUE GAME ONE

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

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

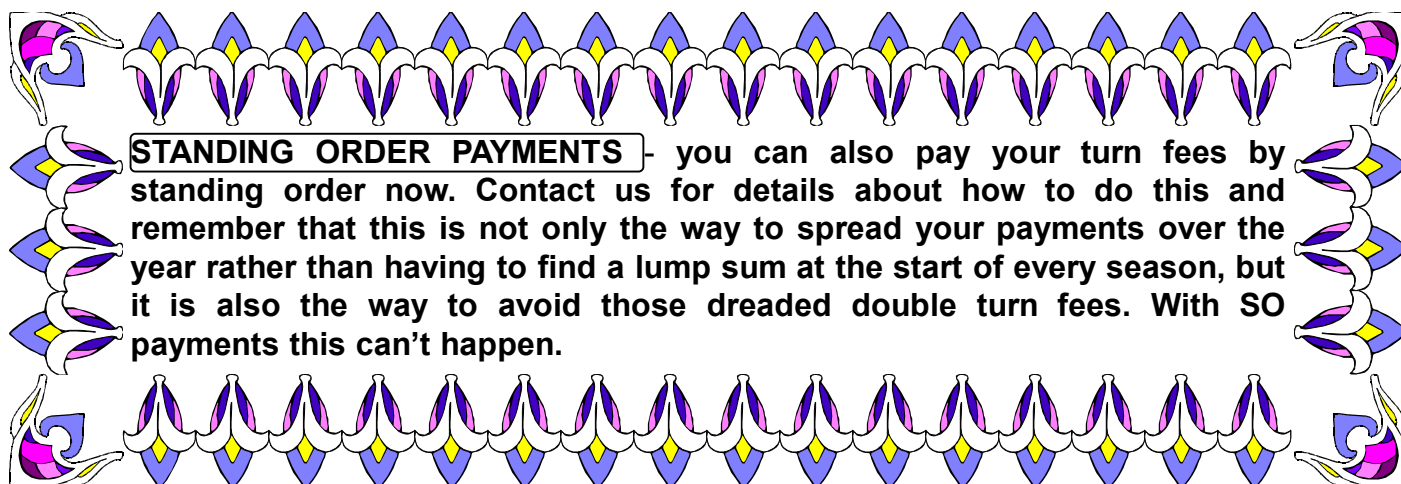
LEAGUE CUP GAMES

EURO GAMES

FRIENDLIES

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

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



CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS

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kickaboutonline.co.uk

Payments can now be made via paypal on our either of our email addresses.

SEASON THIRTY DETAILS

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

The Cup

S2 1st round (bottom eight teams from last season)

S4 2nd round (4 winners plus thirty-two byes from 1st round)

S7 3rd round

S10 Quarter-finals

S14 SF

S16 final

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

The League Cup

See front page for fixture schedule

The two group winners with the lowest points total will play off on session six

S8 Quarter-finals

S12 Semi-finals

S14 Final

One game. If drawn there will be replays on the following sessions (inc final)

THE TROPHY

This will consist of twenty teams. All the third division along with the bottom eight of the second division as at the end of S10

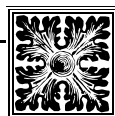
1st round is on S11 - bottom eight in division three play off (no replays)

2nd round is on S12 - sixteen teams (no replays)

3rd round is on S13 - eight teams (no replays)

Semi-finals are on S14 - (no replays)

and so Final is on S15 with no replay



MARKING INFO - Tim Dodge has put together a clever little program that allows 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

New 2014 version now available at
<http://dodge.me.uk/markinfoexe>

**NEW
LINK**



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

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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

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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+

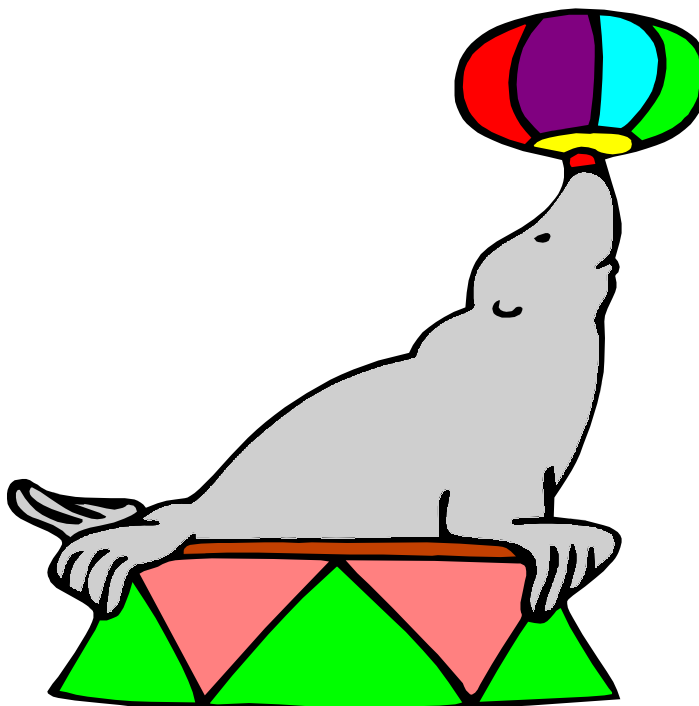
VIRTUAL WEEKEND

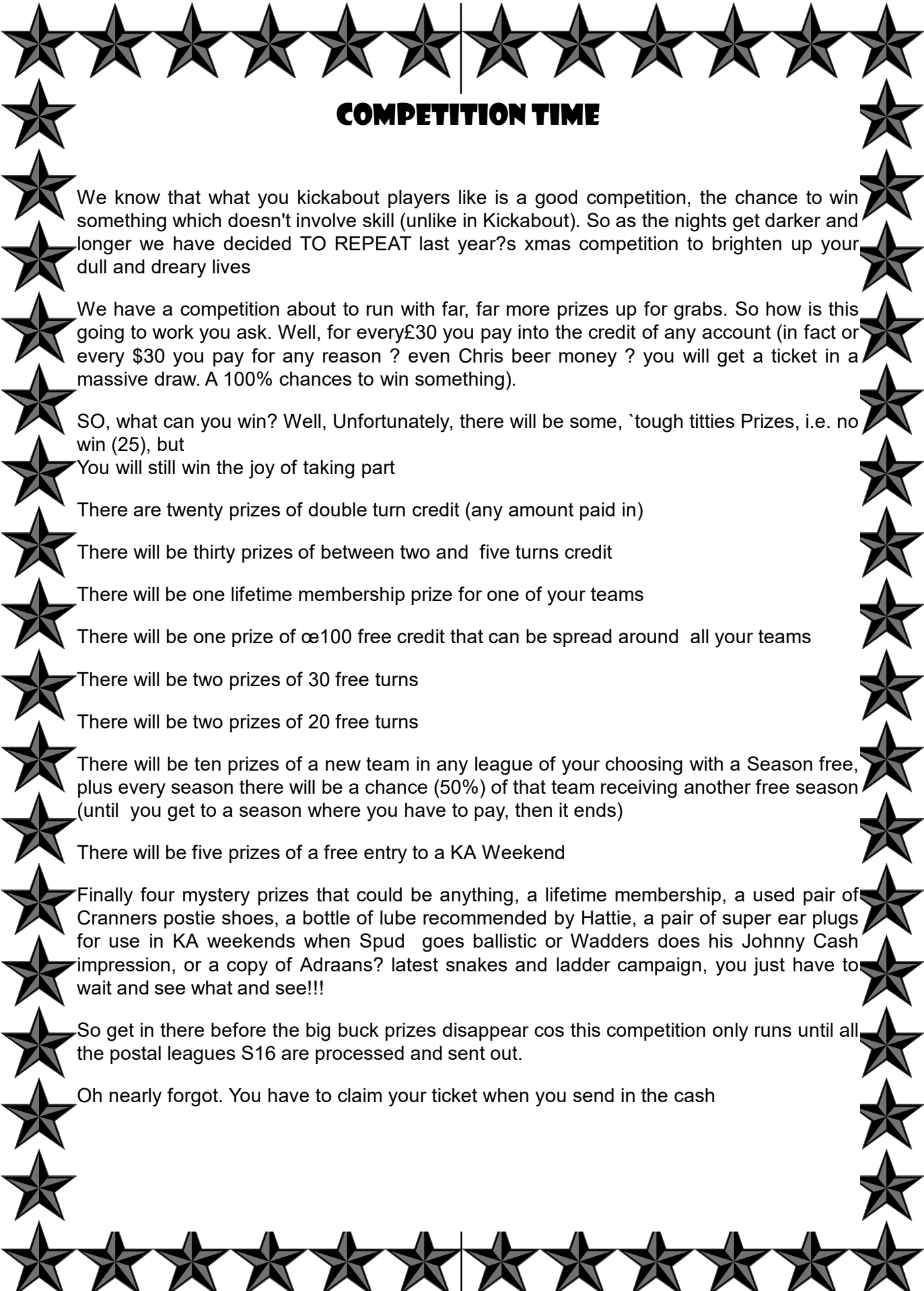
We are hoping to run another virtual Kickabout weekend in 2025. tentatively the date is the weekend of the 22nd of February.

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, Adria, Craig, Morten, Jens & bo have all said they will be taking part.
Come on the rest of you sluggards





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