

# PREMIER LEAGUE SEASON SEVENTEEN START-UP

## ROLE OF HONOUR - Season SIXTEEN

### DIVISION ONE: Champions - Leeds Utd

Runners-up - Leeds City

Third Place - Liverpool

### DIVISION TWO: Champions - Chelsea

Runners-up - Wycombe Wanderers

Third Place - Nottingham Forest

### THE CUP: Winners - Glasgow Celtic

Runners-up - Leeds Utd

### THE LEAGUE CUP: Winners - Leeds Utd

Runners-up - Luton Town

### THE TROPHY Winners - Chelsea

Runners-up: Aberdeen

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## MANAGERIAL RATINGS

### DIVISION 1

Ian Read - Wycombe Wands - 1

Phil Stocks - Chelsea - 2

Seamus Mccrude - Everton - 3

### DIVISION 2

Craig Lawton - Aberdeen - 5

Rob Lewis - Crystal Palace - 7

Ian Cranfield - Q.P.R. - 12

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## PETER BROOKS

It is with great regret that we have to announce the passing of one of our longest serving and keenest players, Peter Brooks. He passed on new years eve, his wife telling us that one of the last things he said to her was that he hadn't filled in his latest turnsheet! Real dedication.

Peter was a great guy, a true gentleman and a man who helped many people with their KA problems. He will be greatly missed RIP Peter

## THE AWARDS

Manager of the Year goes to Kev Presland, Keeping the Leeds machine rolling along YET AGAIN. Come on the rest of you. Eight more times and he gets to keep it!

Most improved Team went to Chelsea

Performance of the Year was shared by Glasgow Celtic for their cup triumph, and Everton for their euro success

THE GMS Award was given to Crystal Palace the chuckle brothers have shown how to ruin a side, come on spend some money

The Fair Play Award was shared by Sunderland with zero DPPS for the second season running

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For the sake of competition I would like to say this is the season where KP relinquish his hold on the division, but sorry I can't!! Even though his team is ageing now they still have the best squad in the game and will be champs again I believe. Challengers, well **Aston Villa** might be nearest, with newly-promoted **Chelsea** looking as if they will do far better than their last appearance in the top flight. **Sheffield Wednesday** will be up there again for sure and there is a fair few quid floating around so perhaps somebody might pull off a big deal and make things happen.

Strugglers well **Sunderland** might have to pick up a few DPPS and up their game if they are to survive while **Glasgow Celtic** look as if they are a bit off the pace this time.

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Looks a very close division with no outstanding teams which perhaps gives a chance to all. **Brighton** might be up there and finally **Aberdeen** look set for a good un. Relegated **Crystal Palace** look as if their young squad might bounce straight back as well. To be honest apart from this pair the rest look very evenly-matched **Darlington** have plenty of dosh to splash but for the rest who knows? **QPR** unfortunately can't be relied on with a manager who votes for Seamus in all three categories Bah!!

# THE ROLE OF PAST HONOURS

## DIVISION ONE

2004	LUTON TOWN - 49	LEEDS UTD - 48	EVERTON - 45
2005-06	LUTON TOWN - 46	ARSENAL - 44	BARNLSLEY - 43
2006-07	ARSENAL - 41	GLASGOW CELTIC - 41	ASTON VILLA - 36
2008-09	LEEDS UTD - 47	BOLTON WANDS - 35	BARNLSLEY - 33
2010-11	LEEDS UTD - 53	WEST HAM UTD - 35	BARNLSLEY - 32
2011-12	LEEDS UTD - 52	IPSWICH TOWN - 45	GLASGOW CELTIC - 45
2013-14	WYCOMBE WANDS -50	GLASGOW CELTIC - 46	LUTON TOWN - 38
2014-15	WYCOMBE WANDS - 50	MANCHESTER UTD - 45	LUTON TOWN - 43
2016-17	LEEDS UTD - 58	BOLTON WANDERERS - 43	DARLINGTON - 43
2017-18	LEEDS UTD - 60	LUTON TOWN - 57	SUNDERLAND - 42
2019-20	LEEDS UTD - 63	ASTON VILLA -41	LIVERPOOL - 40
2020-21	LEEDS UTD - 52	ASTON VILLA - 50	ABERDEEN - 44
2022-23	LEEDS UTD - 58	ASTON VILLA - 47	LUTON TOWN - 44
2023	LEEDS UTD - 51	LUTON TOWN - 44	GLASGOW CELTIC - 39
2024	LEEDS UTD - 60	GLASGOW CELTIC - 42	LEEDS CITY - 42
2025	LEEDS UTD - 53	LEEDS CITY - 39	LIVERPOOL - 38

Eight in a row  
for **Leeds Utd**

## DIVISION TWO

2004	ALBION ROVERS - 53	SUNDERLAND - 38	ARSENAL - 31
2005-06	GREENOCK MORTON - 53	BIRMINGHAM CITY - 50	GLASGOW CELTIC - 40
2006-07	LEEDS UTD - 53	LIVERPOOL - 46	IPSWICH TOWN - 44
2008-09	WEST HAM UTD - 50	NORWICH CITY - 41	WATFORD FC - 39
2010-11	EVERTON - 48	LUTON TOWN - 46	TOTTENHAM - 44
2011-12	CHELSEA - 51	BIRMINGHAM CITY - 49	ASTON VILLA - 45
2013-14	MANCHESTER UTD - 57	ARSENAL - 41	WATFORD FC - 37
2014-15	LEEDS UTD - 58	SUNDERLAND - 48	DARLINGTON - 42
2016-17	CHELSEA - 40	BRIGHTON - 40	WIGAN ATHLETIC - 39
2017-18	SWANSEA CITY - 50	LIVERPOOL - 38	IPSWICH TOWN - 38
2019-20	ABERDEEN - 52	SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY - 46	GREENOCK MORTON - 39
2020-21	EVERTON - 52	SUNDERLAND - 44	GLASGOW CELTIC - 38
2022-23	BOLTON WANDERERS - 50	GREENOCK MORTON - 44	WIGAN ATHLETIC - 39
2023	LEEDS CITY - 53	LIVERPOOL - 44	CHELSEA - 43
2024	Q.P.R. - 51	CRYSTAL PALACE - 46	WALSALL - 39
2025	CHELSEA - 53	WYCOMBE WANDS - 49	NOTTINGHAM FOR - 40

## THE CUP

2004	ARSENAL	3 : 1	SUNDERLAND
2005-06	BARNLSLEY	3 : 0	GREENOCK MORTON
2006-07	LEEDS UTD	2 : 0	GLASGOW CELTIC)
2008-09	ALBION ROVERS	1 : 0	WATFORD FC (AET)
2010-11	LUTON TOWN	1 : 0	LEEDS UTD
2011-12	LUTON TOWN	2 : 1	BOLTON WANDERERS
2013-14	LUTON TOWN	2 : 0	WYCOMBE WANDS
2014-15	LEEDS UTD	4 : 3	WYCOMBE WANDS
2016-17	LEEDS UTD	5 : 0	BOLTON WANDERERS
2017-18	LUTON TOWN	3 : 1	WIGAN ATHLETIC

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2019-20	LEEDS UTD	4 : 1	WYCOMBE WANDERERS
2020-21	ASTON VILLA	4 : 0	CHELSEA
2022-23	ASTON VILLA	1 : 1	LEEDS UTD <b>(AET)</b>
<b>(Aston Villa win penalty shootout 5-4)</b>			
2023	LEEDS UTD	2 ; 1	SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY
2024	LEEDS UTD	2 : 0	LEEDS CITY
2025	SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY	1 : 0	LEEDS UTD

### THE LEAGUE CUP

2004	WEST HAM UTD	1 : 0	SUNDERLAND
2005-06	ALBION ROVERS	6 : 5	ARSENAL
2006-07	EVERTON	1 : 0	BOLTON WANDS
2008-09	BOLTON WANDS	1 : 0	LEEDS UTD (AET)
2010-11	LEEDS UTD	1 : 0	IPSWICH TOWN
2011-12	IPSWICH TOWN	1 : 0	ASTON VILLA <b>(AET)</b>
2013-14	ASTON VILLA	1 : 0	CHELSEA
2014-15	NEWCASTLE UTD	5 : 2	WTCOMBE WANDS
2016-17	LEEDS UTD	1 : 0	WIGAN ATHLETIC
2017-18	LEEDS UTD	5 : 1	DARLINGTON <b>(After 1-1)</b>
2019-20	ASTON VILLA	1 : 1	LEEDS UTD (After 1-1)
2020-21	ASTON VILLA	2 : 1	LEEDS UTD
2022-23	LEEDS UTD	1 : 0	ASTON VILLA (After 2-2)
2023	LEEDS CITY	1 : 0	ASTON VILLA
2024	LEEDS UTD	5 : 0	SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY
2025	LEEDS UTD	2 : 0	LUTON TOWN

### THE TROPHY

2004	BARNSELY	0 : 0	BIRMINGHAM CITY
(Barnsley win 5-4 on penalties)			
2005-06	ASTON VILLA	2 : 0	TOTTENHAM
2006-07	TOTTENHAM	1 : 0	BIRMINGHAM CITY
2008-09	NORWICH CITY	0 : 0	MANCHESTER UTD
(Norwich city win 4-3 on penalties)			
2010-11	LEEDS UTD	3 : 0	ALBION ROVERS
2011-12	ALBION ROVERS	1 : 0	ASTONVILL <b>(AET)</b>
2013-14	MANCHESTER UTD	2 : 0	LEEDS UTD
2014-15	LEEDS UTD	4 ; 1	SHEFFIELD WED
2016-17	WIGAN ATHLETIC	2 : 0	WATFORD
2017-18	SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY	1 : 0	MANCHESTER UTD
2019-20	SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY	2 : 0	ABERDEEN
2020-21	LEEDS CITY	2 : 1	GLASGOW CELTIC
2022-23	CHELSEA	2 : 0	DARLINGTON
2023	ABERDEEN	0 : 0	WALSALL <b>(AET)</b>
<b>(Aberdeen win penalty shoot out 4-1)</b>			
2024	ASTON VILLA	2 : 0	ABERDEEN
2025	CHELSEA	2 : 0	ABERDEEN

three finals in a  
row for **aberdeen**

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## THE CHAMPIONS TROPHY

2006-07	AC MILAN	0 : 0	LUTON TOWN
		(AC Milan win 4-2 on penalties)	
2008-09	ASTON VILLA	2 : 1	LEEDS UTD
2010-11	LEEDS UTD	3 : 0	ALBION ROVERS
2011-12	LEED UTD	1 : 0	ALBION ROVERS
2013-14	BAYERN MUNICH	3 : 0	LEEDS UTD
2014-15	BAYERN MUNICH	2 : 0	LEEDS UTD
2016-17	LEEDS UTD	2 : 0	BAYERN MUNCIH
2017-18	LUTON TOWN	3 : 2	REAL MADRID
2019-20	CLUB BRUGE	0 : 0	BARCELONA
		(CLUB BRUGGE win 6-5 on penalties)	
2020-21	ASTON VILLA	2 : 1	BARCELONA

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## EUFA CUP

2008-09	AEK ATHENS	1 : 0	ARSENAL
2010-11	SHAKTAR DONESK	2 : 0	ARSENAL
2011-12	IPSWICH TOWN	3 : 0	LILLE
2013-14	AS ROMA	2 : 0	ALBION ROVERS
2014-15	CHELSEA	6 : 0	MONACO
2016-17	GLASGOW CELTIC	2 : 1	REAL MADRID
2017-18	ASTON VILLA	0 : 0	BARCELONA
		(ASTON VILLA won 5-4 on penalties)	
2019-20	CHELSEA	0 : 0	BAYERN MUNICH
		(CHELSEA win 4-3 on penalties)	
2020-21	WYCOMBE WANDERERS	2 : 1	RP LEIPZIG
2022-23	PARIS ST GERMAIN	1 : 0	REAL MADRID
2023	EVERTON	3 : 2	BORUSSIA DORTMUND (AET)
2024	CLIFTONVILLE	1 ; 0	SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY
2025	EVERTON	1 ; 0	EINTRACHT FRANKFURT

They now call  
him Unai  
McCrudden

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## TOP SCORERS - 2004

Div.1 - Viduka (leeds utd) - 25

Div.2 - Yardley (Albion Rovers) - 15

## TOP SCORERS - 2005-06

Div.1 - Yardley (Albion Rovers) - 16

Div.2 - McGregor (Greenock Morton) - 18

## TOP SCORERS - 2007-08

Div.1 - Tony Cottee (Arsenal) - 14

Div.2 - Reyes (Tottenham) - 17

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## TOP SCORERS - 2008-09

Div.1 - Paul Dickov & Alan Smith (Both Leeds Utd) - 15

Div.2 - Jermaine Defoe (West ham Utd) - 15

## TOP SCORERS - 2010-11

Div.1 - Ashton & Robinson (Both Leeds Utd) - 28

Div.2 - John Mikel (Chelea) - 30

## TOP SCORERS - 2011-12

Div.1 - Allan Lee & Jermaine Beckford (Both leeds Utd) - 22

Div. 2 - Michael Owen - Newcastle Utd - 16

## TOP SCORERS 2013-2014

Div 1 - Allan Lee (Leeds Utd) - 20

Div 2 - Currie (Manchester Utd) - 17

## TOP SCORERS - 2014-15

Div 1 - Allan Lee (Bolton Wands) - 26

Div 2 - Jermaine Beckford (Leeds Utd) - 25

## TOP SCORERS 2015-16

Div 1 - Robert Snodgrass (Leeds Utd) - 24

Div 2 - Jermaine Backford (Aberdeen) - 18

## TOP SCORERS 2017-18

Div 1 - Robert Snodgrass (Leeds Utd) - 44

Div 2 - Hans Glihaus (Swanse City ) - 18

## TOPSCORERS 2019-20

Div1 - Robert Snodgrass (Leeds Utd) - 41

Div 2 - Ellis Rimmer (Sheffield Wednesday ) - 19

## TOPSCORERS 2020-21

Div1 - Graeme Armstrong (Aston Villa) - 30

Div 2 - John Lukic (Arsenal) - 16

## TOP SCORERS -2022-23

Div 1 - Alan Clarke (Leeds United) - 41

Div 2 - Alan Wheater (Bolton Wands) - 15

## TOP SCORERS -2023

Div 1 - Bamford (Leeds Utd) - 33

Div 2 - LuaLua (Leeds City) - 16

## TOP SCORERS -2024

Div 1- Bamford (Leeds Utd) - 44

Div 2 - Sanders (Wigan Athletic) - 12

## TOP SCORERS -2025

DIV 1 - Bamford (Leeds Utd) - 27

Div 2 - Beryly Lubala ((wycombe Wands) - 17

Sanders total  
is lowest ever  
for any  
divisional

Bamford  
equals the  
Record held  
by Snodgrass

## LEADING SCORERS (CAREER)

<u>DIVISION 1</u>			
1	BAMFORD	LEEDS UTD	105 (in 122 games)
2	ROBSON	LEEDS UTD	80 (in 436 games)
3	SINGH	GLASGOW CELTIC	77 (in 473 games)
4	SANTA	EVERTON	72 (in 180 games)
5	ANDREW SURMAN	LEEDS UTD	72 (in 386 games)
6	LAMBERT	GLASGOW CELTIC	66 (in 456 games)
7	GARY OLIVER	SUNDERLAND	56 (in 152 games)
8	LUALUA	LEEDS CITY	52 (in 155 games)

<u>DIVISION 2</u>			
1	ELLIS RIMMER	GREENOCK MORTON	59 (in 206 games)
2	GORDON STRACHAN	WALSALL	51 (in 453 games)
3	BOOTHMAN	WIGAN ATHLETIC	50 (in 269 games)
4	HESLOP	WEST HAM UTD	46 (in 328 games)
5	CLAYTON	WEST HAM UTD	42 (in 192 games)
6	TOM DAVIES	TOTTENHAM	34 (in 223 games)
7	MAGENNIS	WEST HAM UTD	31 (in 165 games)
8	VAN KINKEL	ABERDEEN	30 (in 222 games)

## MOST APPEARANCES (CAREER)

<u>DIVISION 1</u>			
1	SINGH	GLASGOW CELTIC	473
2	LAMBERT	GLASGOW CELTIC	456
3	ROBSON	LEEDS UTD	436
4	ANDREW SURMAN	LEEDS UTD	386
5	DECO	CHELSEA	365
6	SEAMUS COLEMAN	LEEDS UTD	301
7	PETER PAWLETT	ASTON VILLA	289
8	ROGER JUDD	LEEDS UTD	262

<u>DIVISION 2</u>			
1	GORDON STRACHAN	WALSALL	453
2	HESLOP	WEST HAM UTD	328
3	BOOTHMAN	WIGAN ATHLETIC	269
4	PETTER RUDI	NEWCASTLE UTD	259
5	KARI ARNASSON	Q.P.R.	259
6	BRUNO SALTOR	BRIGHTON	233
7	STEVE ARCHIBALD	TOTTENHAM	231
8	TOM DAVIES	TOTTENHAM	223

## ALL TIME HIGH SCORERS

Goals	Player Name	Team Name
166	SNODGRASS	LEEDS UTD
105	BAMFORD	LEEDS UTD
92	ALAN LEE	BOLTON WANDS
90	CLARKE	LEEDS UTD
80	ROBSON	LEEDS UTD
78	PEPE	ARSENAL
77	BECKFORD	ABERDEEN
77	SINGH	GLASGOW CELTIC
76	SIMON GARNER	WYCOMBE WANDS

## ALL TIME APPEARANCES

Games	Player Name	Team Name
473	SINGH	GLASGOW CELTIC
456	LAMBERT	GLASGOW CELTIC
453	GORDON STRACHAN	WALSALL
441	GOLOBART	WIGAN ATHLETIC
436	ROBSON	LEEDS UTD
430	PEPE	ARSENAL
417	SPRING	LUTON TOWN
386	ANDREW SURMAN	LEEDS UTD
365	DECO	CHELSEA

# AUCTION SESSION ONE

NO	POS	STATS	CAT	TYPE	COMMENTS
1)	GK	19-6	-	-	fast riser
2)	DF	26-12	PS	--	
3)	GIVE US A T (On any qualified FW to make FWT)			-	player age & Level reduces three to MIN19) (inj 6)
4)	MF	18-2	P	SBY	
5)	FW	23-7	S	SBY	[BW95] (except Marker)
6)	UT	20-13	PS -	STAR	FAST FADER
7)	FW	17-0	P	SBY	[
8)	DF	28-12	S	STAR	(BW90/CR70] Except marker (WILLIAM SALIBA)
9)	PP:5				
10)	YOUTH TRAINER			(Gives two extra apps)	

(You must name NATIONALITY when bidding or they will be ignored)

# SESSION TWO AUCTION

NO	POS	AGE/SK	CAT	TYPE	COMMENTS
1)	GK	24-11	S		riser
2)	SW	18-5	PS	APP	
3)	MF	22-9	P		(180 Captains Games)
4)	FW	18-6	S	SBY	
5)	UT	20-12	PS		RISER
6)	FW	17-5	P	SBY	FADER
7)	WG	21-12	PS	STAR	CR 90 (Anthony Gordon) (ANTHONY GORDON)
8)	FOLLOWING INCREASE:3000				

# SESSION THREE AUCTION

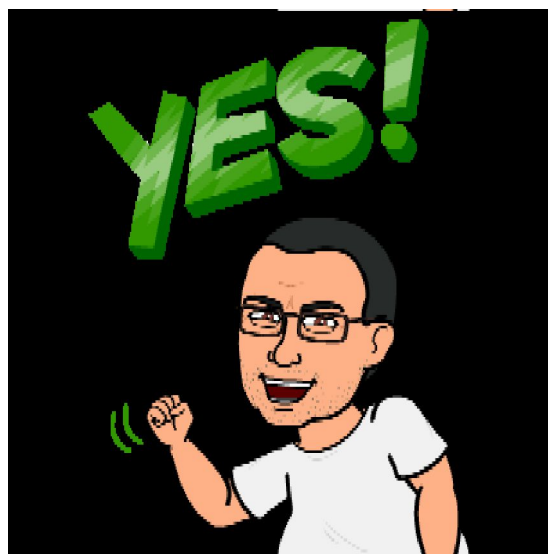
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1)	GK	18-9	-	APP	
2)	SW	22-7	PS	-	(Capt games 200)
3)	DF	18-4	PS	SBY	
					(MORGAN ROGERS - VERY FAST RISER )
5)	FWT	19-8	P	-	
6)	UT	32-12	S	STAR	wages 36 for 24 sessions (capt games 250)
7)	MP:7				

## ROLLER LEVELS

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

SESSIONS	MIN LEVEL
1 to 3	5
4 to 5	6
6 to 8	7
9 to 10	8
11+	9

These are also the same levels which decide whether a player will go straight to N/L when out of contract rather than being put into the auction



**THE LEAGUE CUP DRAW**  
**ROUND ONE GROUPINGS**

GROUP ONE

- 1) WIGAN ATHLETIC
- 2) WEST HAM UNITED
- 3) NOTTINGHAM FOREST
- 4) SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY

GROUP THREE

- 1) TOTTENHAM
- 2) GREENOCK MORTON
- 3) LEEDS UTD
- 4) EVERTON

GROUP FIVE

- 1) WALSALL
- 2) BRIGHTON
- 3) SUNDERLAND
- 4) LUTON TOWN

GROUPTWO

- 1) ARSENAL
- 2) DARLINGTON
- 3) QPR
- 4) WYCOMBE WANDS

GROUP FOUR

- 1) ASTON VILLA
- 2) NEWCASTLE UTD
- 3) LEEDS CITY
- 4) GLASGOW CELTIC

GROUP SIX

- 1) LIVERPOOL
- 2) CRYSTAL PALACE
- 3) ABERDEEN
- 4) CHELSEA

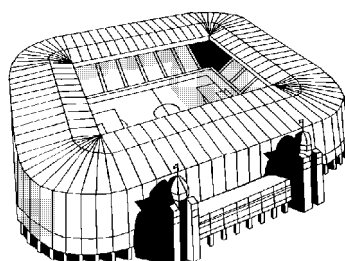
**PLAYING SCHEDULE**

**Session 2 - 1 v 2 & 3 v 4**

**Session 3 - 2 v 3 & 4 v 1**

**Session 5 - 3 v 1 & 4 v 2**

NB the six group winners will go directly through to the quarter-finals (remember away draw and wins get an extra point in the group stages). The four runners-up with the highest points totals (followed by the best goal dif, and then highest goals scored) will be drawn to play-off for the other two places (on neutral grounds) on session 6.



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## PREMIER SEASON SIXTEEN 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

**S4** 1st round

**S7** 2nd round

**S10** Quarter-finals

**S14** Semi-finals

**S16** final

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

### The League Cup

The league Cup will have six groups of four everybody playing each other in the group once (thus away wins and draws will get you an extra point in the table).

Group games will be on S2,3 & 5 (see elsewhere for the finer details)

Play-offs are on S6

**S8** Quarter-finals

**S12** Semi-finals

replays in both

**S14** Final

which if drawn now goes to a replay on S15

### THE TROPHY

This will consist of sixteen teams. All the second division along with the bottom four of the first division as at the end of S8

**1st** round is on S9

**2nd** round is on S11

**SF** are on S13

**Final** is on S15

all games go to replays if drawn except for the final which is decided by extra time and penalties

### Friendly Games

If there is no friendly pool or friendly league. If you do not have three matches in a session then you may play a friendly, but you have to arrange these yourself.

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