

KICKABOUT

THE PREMIER LEAGUE RESULTS ONLY NEWSLETTER

RESULTS ROUND-UP

TEMPERATURE: Warm

Week four

DIVISION 1

GLASGOW CELTIC bkd - Lambert (69) Wind: Brisk	0 : 0 WYCOMBE WANDS (-) Att 28248* Pitch: Good
LIVERPOOL Att 35125 Pitch: Good	0 : 0 CHELSEA (A - 0.3) Wind: Light
SHEFFIELD WED Att 45739* Wind: Light Pitch: Good *Derby Game*	0 : 3 LEEDS UTD (A - 0.1) Bremner 34 Seamus coleman 54,56 bkd - Roger judd (62)/ Bremner (8)
NOTTINGHAM FOR Att 26880* Wind: Light Pitch: Wet	0 : 3 LUTON TOWN (H - 0.1) Krauss 18,59 Mark mccabe 61
SUNDERLAND Caravanro 31 Niall quinn 67 Wind: Light	2 : 1 LEEDS CITY (A - 0.9) Thiago silva 7 Att 34430 Pitch: Good
EVERTON bkd - Bradley (53)/ Dixie dean (89)/ Santa (34) Pitch: Good	0 : 1 ASTON VILLA (A - 0.9) Watkins 58 Att 41187 Wind: Calm *Derby Game*

DIVISION 2

NEWCASTLE UTD Maxim 25 Petter rudi 65 Billy bremner 85	3 : 0 DARLINGTON (H - 0.7) Att 26861 Wind: Light Pitch: Good
GREENOCK MORTON Michael ledger 12 Stan collymore 17 Att 27072 Pitch: Muddy	2 : 2 WEST HAM UTD (H - 1.7) Clayton 1 Brown 20 Wind: Brisk
BRIGHTON Lallana 17 Att 26149 Pitch: Hard	1 : 1 Q.P.R. (A - 0.1) Jack recher 24 Wind: Light
TOTTENHAM Att 23006 Wind: Light Pitch: Good	0 : 2 WIGAN ATHLETIC (H - 1.5) Carrageher 5 Gursen 60
WALSALL Att 28584 Pitch: Hard	0 : 0 ABERDEEN (A - 0.5) Wind: Brisk
CRYSTAL PALACE Nat clyne 47 Jp matete 51 Martin kelly 78	3 : 0 ARSENAL (H - 1.9) Att 27175 Wind: Light Pitch: Wet

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Season 17
Session 2

PREMIER LEAGUE. DIVISION 1

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 ASTON VILLA	3	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	6	0	6	7
2 LEEDS UTD	3	1	0	0	5	0	1	0	1	3	1	7	6
3 LUTON TOWN	3	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	3	1	3	6
4 WYCOMBE WANDS	3	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	2	2	1	5
5 CHELSEA3	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	5	
6 GLASGOW CELTIC	3	1	1	0	5	2	0	0	1	0	2	1	4
7 SHEFFIELD WED	3	1	0	1	1	3	0	1	0	2	2	-2	4
8 LIVERPOOL	3	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	5	-4	4
9 LEEDS CITY	3	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	1	3	0	3
10 SUNDERLAND	3	1	0	1	2	6	0	0	1	2	5	-7	3
11 EVERTON3	0	1	1	2	3	0	0	1	0	1	-2	1	
12 NOTTINGHAM FOR	3	0	1	1	2	5	0	0	1	0	1	-4	1

BUBBLE
BURSTING TIME
FOR SEAMY?

Week five

THE PREMIER LEAGUE CUP

1st round Series one

WIGAN ATHLETIC Davis 28 bkd - Carrageher (47)/ Harris (26)/ Gursen (50)/ Weir (11)/ Davis (15)/ Sanders (55)/ Lloyd (43) Inj - Carrageher (4)	1 : 0 WEST HAM UTD bkd - (p)jones (79) off - Zuma (80) Inj - Paquetta (10) Att 30881 Wind: Light Pitch: Good *Derby Game*	(A - 1.1)
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NOTTINGHAM FOR Viv anderson 29 Att 26880* Wind: Light Pitch: Wet	1 : 7 SHEFFIELD WED Nig worthington 1 Sam saunders 39 John harkes 45,82 Puliscic 61 Hirst 81 Ian wright 84	(A - 1.5)
ARSENAL Att 25365 Wind: Brisk	0 : 1 DARLINGTON Allan nyom 55 Pitch: Hard	(A - 1.5)

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THE
HOMICIDAL

Q.P.R. Att 31377 Wind: Light	0 : 1 WYCOMBE WANDS Cole palmer 32 Pitch: Hard	(A - 0.5)
TOTTENHAM Jamie donley 10 Pape sarr 64 Att 23422* Wind: Light Pitch: Hard *Derby Game*	2 : 5 GREENOCK MORTON Stan collymore 2 Michael ledger 14 Ryan yates 40 Ellis rimmer 59(p) Alex storey 76	(A - 0.9)
LEEDS UTD Att 49401 Wind: Calm	0 : 1 EVERTON Mane 58 Pitch: Good	(H - 1.1)
ASTON VILLA Watkins 11 Att 40591 Pitch: Good	1 : 1 NEWCASTLE UTD Barton 76 Wind: Light	(H - 1.9)
LEEDS CITY Tony doriga 60 Att 41750 Pitch: Wet	1 : 1 GLASGOW CELTIC Ajer 62 Wind: Calm	(A - 0.5)
WALSALL Att 27383 Pitch: Good	0 : 0 BRIGHTON Wind: Brisk	(A - 0.5)
SUNDERLAND Gary oliver 2,19 Niall quinn 26,35 Aiden o'brien 38,70 Wind: Brisk	6 : 2 LUTON TOWN Leon hubert 33 Dougie bell 65 Att 34648 Pitch: Hard	(A - 0.3)
LIVERPOOL Alan hansen 26 Nunez 78 Pitch: Good	2 : 0 CRYSTAL PALACE Att 28294 Wind: Brisk	(H - 0.1)
ABERDEEN Newberry 10	1 : 1 CHELSEA Deco 55	(A - 0.9)

PREMIER LEAGUE. DIVISION 2

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 WEST HAM UTD	3	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	4	3	2	7
2 CRYSTAL PALACE	3	1	0	1	3	1	1	0	0	1	0	3	6
3 NEWCASTLE UTD	3	1	1	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	5
4 Q.P.R.	3	1	0	0	3	1	0	2	0	3	3	2	5
5 BRIGHTON	3	0	2	0	2	2	1	0	0	1	0	1	5
6 WIGAN ATHLETIC	3	0	1	0	2	2	1	0	1	2	1	1	4
7 DARLINGTON	3	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	3	-2	4
8 ABERDEEN	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	3
9 WALSALL3	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	
10 GREENOCK MORTON	3	0	1	1	2	3	0	0	1	1	3	-3	1
11 TOTTENHAM	3	0	0	2	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	-3	1
12 ARSENAL3	0	0	1	1	2	0	1	1	0	3	-4	1	

WADDERS
NO
ARTETA

Att 35899
Pitch: Good

Wind: Light

Week six

PREMIER FRIENDLIES

UXBRIDGE(NL)	5 : 0	GREENOCK MORTON	(H - 4.7)
GLASGOW CELTIC	2 : 1	SHEFFIELD WED	(A - 1.1)
BRIGHTON	1 : 0	MET POLICE(NL)	(A - 1.7)
ROMULUS(NL)	5 : 0	EVERTON	(H - 3.5)
WHITBY TOWN(NL)	2 : 0	ASTON VILLA	(H - 0.9)
ABERDEEN	1 : 0	WALSALL	(A - 1.9)
CRYSTAL PALACE	1 : 0	TAMWORTH(NL)	(A - 0.3)
DARLINGTON	2 : 0	LEEDS UTD	(A - 0.1)
TRURO CITY(NL)	5 : 0	ARSENAL	(H - 2.7)
WYCOMBE WANDS	7 : 0	NOTTINGHAM FOR	(H - 1.1)
LIVERPOOL	0 : 6	ILFORD(NL)	(A - 3.9)

HERNE BAY(NL)	6 : 0	TOTTENHAM	(H - 4.3)
bkd - Booker (2)			
LUTON TOWN	5 : 0	NEWCASTLE UTD	(H - 4.7)
LEEK TOWN(NL)	6 : 0	SUNDERLAND	(H - 2.3)
Q.P.R.	0 : 0	LEATHERHEAD(NL)	(A - 1.5)
Inj - Mikkel beck (10)		bkd - Foggart (63)	

WELCOME TO THE GAME

PLASTIC AXE

COMING SOON

STAFFORD(NL)	5 : 0	LEEDS CITY	(H - 4.4)
OXFORD CITY(NL)	6 : 1	WIGAN ATHLETIC	(H - 2.9)
DROYLSDEN(NL)	6 : 0	WEST HAM UTD	(H - 2.7)
WROXHAM(NL)	3 : 0	CHELSEA	(H - 1.7)

WEATHER FORECAST

Temperature next session: Warm

Predicted wind speed next session: Light

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

MANAGERS OF THE MONTH

Divison One goes to manager **STEVENS** of Sunderland first league win and slattering Luton in the League Cup as well

Divison two goes to manager **READ** of Wigan Athletic two wins, can't beat that can you

BITS N PIECES

LEADING SCORERS

DIVISION 1

1	WATKINS	ASTON VILLA	5
2	NIALL QUINN	SUNDERLAND	3
3	BAMFORD	LEEDS UTD	3
4	BERYLY LUBALA	WYCOMBE WANDS	2
5	TONY DORIGA	LEEDS CITY	2
6	KRAUSS	LUTON TOWN	2
7	LEON HUBERT	LUTON TOWN	2
8	GARY OLIVER	SUNDERLAND	2

DIVISION 2

1	CLAYTON	WEST HAM UTD	3
2	TROSSARD	BRIGHTON	2
3	RYAN YATES	GREENOCK MORTON	2
4	MICHAEL LEDGER	GREENOCK MORTON	2
5	STAN COLLYMORE	GREENOCK MORTON	2
6	MCGINN	Q.P.R.	2
7	JOAO PEDRO	Q.P.R.	2
8	GEORGE MEEK	DARLINGTON	1

PRIVATE DEALS

ABERDEEN sold ALMIRON (19-5 UT) to ARSENAL for 250K

GREENOCK MORTON sold EDDIE FALLOON (24-12 DF/A) to ABERDEEN for 0K

ABERDEEN sold ALAN LITHGOW (22-12 DF) {P/S} to GREENOCK MORTON for 0K

All deals completed successfully!

THE ROLE OF SHAME

The following players are all suspended next session for the number of games shown besides their name :- ZUMA [1] (WEST HAM UTD) /

Since A Home Win

Arsenal	6 games
Tottenham	4 games
Darlington	4 games

Consec. Away Defeats

Sunderland	7 games
Liverpool	3 games

Since An Away Defeat

Chelsea	14 games
Wycombe Wands	9 games
West Ham Utd	4 games
Aberdeen	3 games

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - DPS

TOP

ASTON VILLA - 0

SHEFFIELD WED - 0

NOTTINGHAM FOR - 0

BOTTOM

EVERTON - 63

WIGAN ATHLETIC - 66

WEST HAM UTD - 69

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - LEVELS PER PLAYER

TOP

LEEDS UTD - 0

ASTON VILLA - 3

ABERDEEN - 6

BOTTOM

WIGAN ATHLETIC - 63

WEST HAM UTD - 66

ARSENAL - 69

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - SQUAD AGE

TOP

CRYSTAL PALACE - 0

ARSENAL - 3

WYCOMBE WANDS - 6

BOTTOM

ASTON VILLA - 63

LEEDS CITY - 66

LEEDS UTD - 69

AUCTION PAGE

AUCTION RESULTS FOR SESSION TWO

AUCTION RESULTS

POS	STATS	NAME	CLUB	FEE	NO	NHIGH
1) GK	24-11	LEIGHTON	(ABERDEEN)	489K	2	139K
2) SW	18-5	MITOMA	(BRIGHTON)	494K	2	139K
3) MF	22-9	GEMMILL (SCO)	(NOTTINGHAM FOR)	77K	3	69K
4) FW	18-6	BRAIDEN GRAHAM	(EVERTON)	599K	4	542K
5) UT	20-12	SOUNESS (SCO)	(GREENOCK MORTON)	776K	1	0K
6) FW	17-5	LES PHILLPE	(NEWCASTLE UTD)	999K	4	453K
7) WG	21-12	ANTHONY GORDON	(LUTON TOWN)	1577K	5	1289K
8) CROWD:3000			(ARSENAL)	157K	5	131K
9) WG	99-99	14	(LEEDS CITY)	632K	4	95K
10) FW	17-0	RAMKILDE (DEN)	(Q.P.R.)	214K	2	90K

All players not shown were unsold.

AUCTION FOR SESSION THREE

<u>NO</u>	<u>POS</u>	<u>AGE/SK</u>	<u>CAT</u>	<u>TYPE</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>
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)	PP:3				

NAME PLAYER AND NAT when bidding or will be lost)

8)	FW	21-7	P	-	Jamie Donley of Tottenham {RES 250k - 95% BW/ 81% CR}
9)	DF	20-8	P	-	Cash of Aston Villa {RES 300k - 22% BW/ 10% CR}
10)	MF/D	24-4	P	-	Eddie Gray of Newcastle Utd {RES 70k - 59% BW/ 25% CR}
11)	FW	21-5	S	-	John Robertson of West Ham Utd {RES 200k - 95% BW/ 26% CR}

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 player will be banned for life and you will lose him

MIUTTERINGS AND MEANDERINGS OF THE KICKABOUT MIND

Remember that a decent reserve keeper can cost peanuts but might be the difference between success and failure if your first choice is unavailable.

Better to have a level seven than a level 2?

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 matches 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

SOCIAL MEDIA

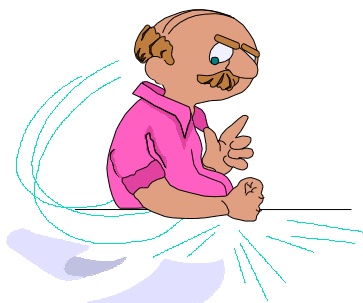
We have finally been dragged kicking and screaming into the 21st Century, pity all dinosaurs aren't like that and have upped our presence on social media sites. Links to our pages will soon appear on the web-site, but in the meantime we can be found on

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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.

BULK PAYMENT OF TURN FEES - remember if you pay £63.25 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 monies!



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.

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 Kickabout-subscribe@yahoogroups.com. For others you do the same except put the league, name with Ka- in front of subscribe. However, some league lists have an ending in .co.uk instead of .com, so if one doesn't work then please try eeh other!!

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.

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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.

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Premier Rules

This article is written for the several newcomers in this league and also as a refresher for the old timers of the league.

TEAM DIFFERENCES:

- ? 3 times rule: not applicable to the Premier. No team re-arrangement by the GM if one area is more than 3 times that total of another area.
- ? Minimum number of players in an area is reduced from 2 to 1 eg: 5-4-1. However the 5 levels given for the formation is only valid for the same formations as all the other leagues. **THE MAX however is still five in an area**
- ? Youth scheme: there is an enhanced possibility of discovering someone special.
- ? Player naming: naming must be relevant to the team and the position.

AUCTIONS

- ? Reduced auctions. Only auctions are on sessions 1+2 and 8+9.
- ? The auction criteria is for no MF specialists to be listed. Though the occasional add /A or /D has been known.
- ? Auction player bids must be named relevant to their club and position.
- ? You must state the correct and real nationality of the player else the bid is void.

EUROPE:

- ? The top4 of the div1 go through to play in the Champions League
- ? Cup finalists go in the UEFA Cup. If one of the teams is already in the Champions league then the best runner up takes the spot.

TIPS: Various long standing players of this league were asked if they were willing to provide a short piece of advice. Most either refused or ignored the request. There was allegedly a meeting of these managers which was so secret that not even News of the World could not sneak their hidden microphones in. The discussions centred around keeping the div1 an exclusive club. However 3 managers who would welcome new blood into the elite division have spoken out and here is their advice:

- ? Bolton Wands Peter Brooks: due to the lack of specialists in this division older players with special attributes are best kept and coached up.
- ? Leeds Utd David Hargraves: Youth Youth Youth.
- ? Luton Town Paul Sutton: ignore Dave Hargraves advice.

AND FINALLY?????????.In the first season all teams had the choice of creating their new team with either a MF/G, DF/A, FWT, FWS, WG or UT. All teams except 2 chose the MF/G. These MF/G's are now aged 24.

**Bo has offered to host us all at his place in Odense 14th-17th May
Bo, Rob, Tim, Dennis, Jens, Wadders & Peter Jorgie are first men in**

**Gareth, Nigel, Seamus, Gerard, Wadders, Nick Wilson, Adrian, Pete
Jorgie, Danny Brez & Morten have all said they will be there**



October 2026 will be in the lovely city of Sheffield.

8th to 11th of october

JENS is first man in

**Pete Condon has promised to make an appearance as, I am told, will
Danny Smith .**

Gerard, Seamus, Wadders, Cranners & Craig promise to be there



MAY 2027

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

**By universal accliation it was decided at the xmas pubmeet that we will
return to Norwich for the special one, it is easy to get to, every knows
and enjoys it there**

**To encourage the weaker bretheren amonsgt you to turn up for this the
normal weekend fee will be halved, ie £20 and during the weekend there
will be a draw for a lifetimes membership for one of your teams**



FUTURE DATES (ALL TENTATIVE)

OCTOBER 2027 - GALWAY

MAY 2028 - GLASGEE

CONTRACTS UPDATE

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+

NOTE THIS WELL ALSO

In the calculations above where it refers to WAGES, this also refers to wages + any experience the player as. This means that you are NOT ever sure about the calculation. Not that important for a normal player who does not have an * by his name, but where specialists are involved it can be important. So we suggest that when offering a contract to a player who is a specialist or has an * by his name, you add something extra to the calculation. I would say 5k is a good rule of thumb
