RALEIGH KICKABOUT Season 20 16

CUP FINAL

HUMILIATED!

REGIONAL ROVERS 8 VS 0 SANNY'S ROVERS

In all my years of playing Kickabout I have never seen a more one side final. I'm unsure why The Welsh Cat Lover chose to play 3 apprentices, drop all the key midfield men and play a quite ridiculous offside trap in the most important game of the season. Surely in a Cup final you would give it your all even if you were the underdogs? As for the new man at **Regional**, Dave Hails will never have an easier game for any of his sides and you can only beat what is put in front of you. Budapesty was the star man on the day with four goals, all scored within the opening half an hour. It was 7-0 at half time with the remaining 45 minutes played as if it was a training match of attack against defence. The game could, and should, have ended in a double figures scoreline for **Regional** but for an outstanding performance from keeper Limpopo who ended the game with a sprained back after saving an incredible 77 of the 85 shots on target he faced.

DAGGINS CHOPPED FROM DIVISION 1

Daggins knew that nothing less than a win against **Langland Bay** would do if he was going to keep **Kelchester** in the top flight. Even if he did win he was still reliant on Steadders losing to Darth Faders Champions. At half time of both games it was looking promising, **Kelchester** were holding on despite not creating much and MacAulay's marking had gone badly wrong which had reduced their ability to get in behind the **Kelchester** rearguard. Steadders meanwhile had seen his side largely outplayed by **Lichfield** but had only conceded one goal, courtesy of young striker Joburg. Most of the key action in both games came between the 70th and 79th minute. On 71 minutes a clumsy challenge by Ramsey on Moa resulted in a penalty being awarded and the **Langland** striker composed himself before confidently putting his side 1-0 ahead. Seven minutes later it was all over for Daggins after Morris curled home a beauty of a free-kick which made Hajos' strike for **Lichfield** irrelevant. It's not all doom and gloom for **Kelchester** though. With three stars and a couple of 19 year old all purposes who have yet to achieve their potential Daggins could steer his side straight back up next season provided the rejuvenation spot goes to the right player.

Champions - **Lichfield Tigers**

Relegated - **Kelchester, Barneys** and **Aero Force**

RELEGATION SURVIVAL PUTS PHIL INTER TROUBLE

After last sessions morale boosting 5-0 win over The Welsh Cat Lover whose aversion to getting promoted to the top flight has reared itself yet again Phil Stocks knew another win over the same opponents this week would see his **Inter Dene** side safe from relegation. When the team sheets of both sides were announced it was a game of spot the first team regular as both managers decided to give youth their chance. The home fans voiced their disapproval blaming Stocks for a lack of ambition. Unfortunately for Phil, the Welsh Cat Lover is the master at throwing a game and his side on the day was even worse than his. Defender Lewandowski scored the only goal of the game after 72 minutes with his boss bizarrely remonstrating with the 4th official claiming his player was in an offside position when he scored! **Inter Dene** survive and Phil will need a much better campaign next season to keep the fans and the chairman onside, perhaps opening the purse strings to spend some of the millions he has been hoarding away in his cellar is called for?

There was some relief in the Lewis household this week, first a long overdue trip around Europe meant no visits from hairy Brutus for the next few weeks and 2nd was seeing his **Aberystwyth** side win a game this

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year. A 3-0 win over Effu Sutton's relegated **Viking** side was a happy send off before setting off for the land of no Brexit.

Champions - **West Yarkshire**

Relegated - **Greyhawk, Viking Conquest** and **Springfield**

MOSCOW ARE THE STARS

All Butts needed to do in his final game away at Daggins **Topaz Impact** strugglers to clinch the last promotion spot was not lose. It's easier said than done and Daggins needed a win to ensure he didn't suffer a double relegation season in the Raleigh with his sides. Any chance Daggins had was virtually wiped out when the physio's confirmed Casey hadn't recovered from his thigh injury and without the midfield maestro **Moscow** were dominant all over the pitch, not giving the home side a sniff of goal. It was a 0-0 stalemate at half time and the question Butts needed to resolve was how to pick the lock of the **Topaz** defence. On 61 minutes Butts question was answered when Overmars set off on a jinking run down the left wing before delivering a peach of a cross to the unmarked Dulia to fire home on the half volley. There were to be no further goals but it was enough for Butts to seal his sides promotion back to Division 2 where his great pal Double Spunky managed this team for many years. Daggins was also a happy man after hearing **Mitcham Metro's** had slipped to a 1-0 defeat to **Hearts Brigade** which meant **Topaz** were safe from the drop.

This newsletter writer timed his holidays to perfection to visit Hopless Seamy for his sides last game of the season against derby opponents **Scarlett City** managed by old stalwart KP (I hope you are recovering well KP). Poor Hopless seemed to be in a bit of an agitated state on the morning of the game when I bumped into him on the way to the club bar. "Have you had the Drake, have you seen the Drake?" he kept asking. I hope he found it! The game was supposed to be a celebration of the **Wookies** promotion but old KP loves to pee on anyone's parade and he did so today after he celebrated a fortunate 1-0 win after Vincent's 73rd minute own goal gifted **Scarlett** all three points. There was more trouble for Hopless after the game after I innocently asked in the post match press conference what had happened to the clubs pool table? Many a Galway KA attendee had expressed concerns it hadn't been re-installed post Covid. It turns out Hopless had plans to install it in his own back garden (don't get excited Brutus, it's not a euphemism) but had failed to get approval from his better half Joanne who already had designs on a hot tub. Watch out next season for an update on pool table gate!

Champions - **Gt Britain Utd**

Relegated - **Mitcham Metro's, RKA Flugels** and **Chigley Town**

KINGS FOR THE DAY

Over 33k fans rocked up to see promoted **Norwegian Kings** face Division 4 champions **Loftus Rangers**. It wasn't exactly a footballing feast of attacking football but when the visitors have only conceded two league goals all season an all out charge of the light brigade type of attacking style was wisely avoided. **Norwegian** boss Petersen had his side line up in a traditional 4-4-2 formation with Cervantes and Vasques pushing on from midfield. Butts had Putin in his familiar sweeper role behind a three man defence and four strung out across midfield with Greenway free to move across the pitch at will despite his ageing years. Both sides had chances but it was the **Kings** who would end up collecting all three points. With just one minute left on the clock a well worked free-kick straight off the training ground saw Cervantes and Griffin exchange passes before crossing for Nordveit to head home to ensure Bo's side end the season in 2nd place.

Champions - **Loftus Rangers**

Promoted - **Norwegian Kings** and **Cedar Athletic**

Wooden spoon - **Dantooine City**

BOWLING FINAL

COLLY'S A WEE DEVIL!

CLIFTON REDS 2 VS 0 BARNEYS DEVILS

Who says power teams can't win Trophies? Florida Colly did his homework, set his traps and then waited for opposite number Wells to walk straight into them, which he duly did. Wells set his side up to take the game to 3rd Division **Clifton**. Five men upfront with captain Gierek leading the line with Nilis and Boeckman supporting in midfield and defence. It looked a good game plan on paper. Out on the pitch though it some became clear our Colly's been around the KA block a few times. Sweeper Lech was employed deep behind a resolute tough tackling defence boosted by O'Shay and with Nilis and Prickle marked out of the game **Barneys** were finding it tough to get a foothold in the game. A free-kick on 13 minutes taken by Kwadlovungu was missed by everyone except McTominay stealing in at

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the back post who thundered a volley past a startled Gorman. **Clifton's** midfield bossed the game but they had to wait until the 73rd minute to confirm victory. Logan Tom used all his predatory instincts to sniff out half a chance in the box to poke home from 6 yards. With the Bowl secured it was time for Colly to turn his attention to the final he really wanted to win, the Trophy????.

TROPHY FINAL

BATTLE OF THE BELFAST BOYS

CLIFTON REDS 2 VS 1 BAIRSTOW WOOKIE

I have been around long enough to remember two small 17 year old Belfast Boys turning up in Wath all those years ago for their 1st ever KA weekend. It only took them a week to get there and they didn't have a clue what they were doing. Move forward many years and they are both just as small but certainly much older, larger round the belly, greyer and possibly even wiser. As a result, there was no pre-match piss up as both took this game seriously and wanted to win. Florida Colly employed the same tactics as the Bowl final, sweeper Lech in his preferred position, a solid defence and good man marking. Hopless Seamy employed a well worked offside trap and zonal marking whilst hoping his sides creativity would swing the game his way. Just seven minutes into the game and Logan Tom struck in yet another final, this time with a near post flicked header. Just after the half hour mark Hopless Seamy was up and out of his seat doing an unusual celebration which looked like he was taking a pool shot as Pontivedra blasted one home from 20 yards. Just before half time **Wookies** keeper Healy had a senior moment after forgetting to check who was behind him and rolled the ball out in front of him only for O'Donnell to nip around him and gleefully strike the ball home. Florida Colly roared his approval with tears streaming down his face with a mixture of laughter and joy. Despite promises of a years supply of Little Fawns at Padraicins if they won there was to be no 2nd half come back and it was left to Florida Colly to lift his 2nd Trophy in a week. The beers are on Hopless in October when the KA weekend rolls into Glasgow apparently.

GOLDEN BOOT

One more goal for Rekjavik in the Cup final sees him finish on an impressive 25 goals for the season to win both the Golden Boot and Division 1 titles.

No change in the 2nd Division as Hidean Sikh claims the Division 2 title with 23 goals.

It's Sanders of **Bairstow Wookies** who finishes two goals clear of fellow club striker Molde despite being injured over the last few weeks of the season.

In Division 4 two players share the award with Clough of **Cedar Athletic** and Rickshaw of **Loftus Rangers** ending the season on 12 goals apiece

MEANEST DEFENCES

Another shut out for **Regional Rovers** ensure they pick up the best defence award in Division 1 to go alongside having the Golden Boot winner.

West Yarkshire concede their 9th goal of the season this week but easily have the best defensive record in Division 2.

Gt Britain Utd concede four fewer goals than nearest rivals **Clifton** to get the Division 3 award.

Butts wasn't best pleased with that loss in the League against **Norwegian Kings** or his side conceding their third goal of the campaign but they still easily claim the title of best defence in the bottom tier.

MANAGER OF THE MONTH

DIVISION ONE: goes to manager MACAULAY of **Langland Bay**, final day win to secure a top 3 finish and condemn **Kelchester** to Division 2

DIVISION TWO: goes to manager READ of **PSV Wycombe**, goals galore in the final weeks of the season show signs they will be the team to beat next season

DIVISION THREE: goes to manager FLORIDA COLLY of **Clifton Reds**, what a way to end the season, well done Champ!

DIVISION FOUR**:** goes to manager PETERSEN of **Norwegian Reds**, too late to win the title but a great victory over champs **Loftus**

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KICKABOUT RESULTS

EURO QUALIFIERS FOR NEXT SEASON

Champions automatically qualify for the CHAMPIONS TROPHY from each league. The league that WINS the Champions Trophy also gets an extra place, while the four semi-finalists from this season will also qualify again. . The winners & runners-up of the Cup-winners cup and the Super Cup will also qualify. The final two places go to the league that wins the representative league.

So **Lichfield Tigers** will qualify here

The cup-winners and league cup winners of each league qualify for the CUP-WINNERS CUP. The league that wins the CWC this season and the league that produces the runners-up will also get another place. The beaten semi-finalists will also play again. the final two places will go to the league that wins the rep league on league placings.

Regional Rovers will qualify from the League cup while **Sannys Rovers** will qualify from the cup.

The SUPER CUP qualifiers will be the top two teams form each league that have not qualified form the above two competitions. The beaten semi-finalist from this season's competition will also qualify while the league that wins this seasons competition and produces the runners-up will also get another place bade on league positions. two other places will be awarded by the KFA from FAIR PLAY WARD WINNERS.

Lanfland Bay, Kelchester Utd & Lutterworth Town qualify here.

RESULTS ROUND-UP

TEMPERATURE: Hot

Week forty-six

DIVISION 1

LUTTERWORTH TWN Inj - Reykjavic (2) Wind: Light *Derby Game*	**0 : 0**	**ROYALLE FC** Att 58280* Pitch: Good	**(A - 0.7)**
BARNEYS DEVILS Att 27996 Wind: Calm	**0 : 0**	**AERO FORCE FC** off - Mcgin (79) Pitch: Good	**(A - 0.7)**
LANGLAND BAY Moa 71(p) Morris 78 Wind: Light	**2 : 0**	**KELCHESTER UTD** bkd - Norild (42) Att 57252 Pitch: Hard	**(H - 0.5)**
AUTO FC Negri 51 Toyota 59,77 Pitch: Hard	**3 : 0**	**DEANE RANGERS** Att 38449 Wind: Light	**(H - 1.1)**
ROCK-A-NORE FC Att 52515 Wind: Light Pitch: Good	**0 : 2**	**LICHFIELD TIGER** Joburg 39 Hajos 79	**(A - 1.7)**
REGIONAL ROVERS Mullaghmore 43 Wind: Light	**1 : 0**	**THISTLE ROVERS** Att 54500* Pitch: Hard	**(H - 0.7)**

DIVISION 2

BUCKSBURN FC Skallagrimson 9,39,67,76 Pokrovsky 53 Trescothick 71	**6 : 0**	**SPRINGFIELD CTY** Att 35271 Wind: Light Pitch: Wet	**(H - 2.7)**
INTER DENE Lewandowski 72 Wind: Light	**1 : 0**	**SANNY'S ROVERS** Att 31011 Pitch: Hard	**(H - 1.3)**
ABERYSTWYTH FC Zeuas deewater 24,46 Schultz 62 bkd - Blackadder (59)/ Cortez (56)/ Zeuas deewater (88) Pitch: Good	**3 : 0**	**VIKING CONQUEST** bkd - Taggart (6) off - Governor inccie (40) Inj - Sanders (3) Att 33152 Wind: Light	**(H - 0.9)**
SATURNALIA FC Johnson 18 Drinkwater 21 D brakha 25 Kokkedal 47,68 Att 41903 Pitch: Hard	**5 : 6**	**RIVER PLATE** Nadia comaneci 5,26,70 Mushie morten 26 Neilo baddio 55 Matabele 90 Wind: Light	**(A - 0.3)**
GREYHAWK UTD Att 29605 Wind: Light Pitch: Good	**0 : 9**	**PSV WYCOMBE** Readsi 1,23 Klose 6,13 Rio 6,39 Mcreadie 20 Spring 59,80	**(A - 1.9)**
HOLLYWOOD HAWKS Ali oops 21 Att 46747* Wind: Light	**1 : 2**	**WEST YORKSHIRE** Messi 12 Oscar 50 Pitch: Hard	**(A - 0.7)**

DIVISION 3

CLIFTON REDS Novland 29 Wind: Light	**1 : 0**	**TUATH DE DANAN** Att 31703 Pitch: Hard	**(H - 0.7)**
PIE TOWN Berisha 20 Att 32939* Wind: Light Pitch: Hard	**1 : 4**	**GT BRITAIN UTD** Mandzukic 19,47 Sergi 51 Sikorski 88	**(A - 1.3)**
TOPAZ IMPACT FC Att 29647 Wind: Light	**0 : 1**	**RED STAR MOSCOW** Dulia 61 Pitch: Good	**(A - 0.9)**

MICRA SAVES PENALTY FOR RED STAR MOSCOW AFTER 6 MINS

BAIRSTOW WOOKIE bkd - Molde (59) Inj - Escobedo (1) Att 38076 Pitch: Hard	**0 : 1**	**SCARLETT CITY** Vincent 73(og) Inj - Paddy o'reilly (6) Wind: Light *Derby Game*	**(H - 0.3)**
RKA FLUGELS Agostino 11,81 Normandie 34 Balazs 40 Neal 51 Roche 62	**6 : 1**	**CHIGLEY TOWN** Porto 12 Att 23969 Wind: Light Pitch: Hard	**(H - 0.7)**
HEARTS BRIGADE Sheep 36 Wind: Light	**1 : 0**	**MITCHAM METRO'S** Att 27876 Pitch: Hard	**(H - 0.7)**

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DIVISION 4

ESPORTE BAHIA	**0 : 0**	**AC COKE**	**(A - 0.3)**
Att 26118		Wind: Light	
Pitch: Hard			
GATESHEAD UTD	**0 : 3**	**AFC EUROPA**	**(A - 1.5)**
Att 22802		Toure 28	
Wind: Light		Wessex 33	
Pitch: Good		Skrobowski 55	
DANTOOINE CITY	**0 : 3**	**SPRING TOWN**	**(A - 1.1)**
Att 21824		Stalin 32	
Wind: Light		Williams 48	
Pitch: Hard		O'shay 57	
NORWEGIAN KINGS	**1 : 0**	**LOFTUS RANGERS**	**(H - 0.1)**
Nordveit 89		Att 33002	
Inj - Castillo (4)		Wind: Light	
Pitch: Good			
CELTA ILFORD	**1 : 0**	**GERMANIA FC**	**(H - 1.1)**
Uno 78		Att 26104	
Wind: Light		Pitch: Hard	
CEDAR ATHLETIC	**0 : 0**	**MOTOR TOWN FC**	**(H - 0.9)**
Att 31121		Wind: Light	
Pitch: Good			

BRADLEY SAVES PENALTY FOR CEDAR ATHLETIC AFTER 82 MINS

Week forty-seven

Re-arranged Match

DIVISION 1

LUTTERWORTH TWN	**2 : 0**	**ROCK-A-NORE FC**	**(A - 0.5)**
Reykjavic 74		Att 54167	
Zassenhaus 77		Wind: Calm	
Pitch: Good			

Week forty-eight

THE RALEIGH CUP

FINAL

REGIONAL ROVERS	**8 : 0**	**SANNY'S ROVERS**	**(H - 5.7)**
Budapesty 5,15,27,29		Att 54736	
Bergen 14,58		Wind: Light	
Rekjavik 16		Pitch: Good	
Mullaghmore 31			

THE RALEIGH BOWL

FINAL

CLIFTON REDS	**2 : 0**	**BARNEYS DEVILS**	**(H - 0.7)**
Mctominay 13		bkd - Prickle (89)	
Logan tom 73		Att 29746	
Wind: Light		Pitch: Hard	

THE RALEIGH TROPHY

FINAL

CLIFTON REDS	**2 : 1**	**BAIRSTOW WOOKIE**	**(A - 0.3)**
Logan tom 7		Pontivedra 32	
O'donnell 45		Att 33176	
Wind: Light		Pitch: Hard	

RALEIGH FRIENDLIES

BUCKSBURN FC	**4 : 1**	**AC COKE**	**(H - 1.7)**
AERO FORCE FC	**3 : 1**	**BAIRSTOW WOOKIE**	**(H - 0.1)**
AUTO FC	**4 : 1**	**ROCK-A-NORE FC**	**(A - 0.1)**
LICHFIELD TIGER	**0 : 1**	**ROYALLE FC**	**(A - 0.9)**
LOFTUS RANGERS	**2 : 0**	**ENFIELD(NL)**	**(H - 0.7)**
RED STAR MOSCOW	**0 : 0**	**WOKING(NL)**	**(H - 0.9)**
REGIONAL ROVERS	**0 : 6**	**CELTA ILFORD**	**(A - 2.3)**
CARSHALTON(NL)	**4 : 0**	**THISTLE ROVERS**	**(H - 0.3)**
WEST YORKSHIRE	**7 : 1**	**ESPORTE BAHIA**	**(H - 0.3)**
LANGLAND BAY	**0 : 1**	**SOUTHPORT(NL)**	**(A - 0.9)**

WEATHER FORECAST

Temperature next session: Hot

Predicted wind speed next session: Calm

A KICKABOUT MEET



KICKABOUT TABLES

RALEIGH LEAGUE. DIVISION 1

	...TEAMNAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1	LICHFIELDTIGER	22	9	2	0	28	3	9	1	1	35	10	50	57
2	REGIONALROVERS	22	7	2	2	19	3	6	3	2	21	4	33	44
3	LANGLAND BAY	22	6	3	2	21	11	5	3	3	20	12	18	39
4	LUTTERWORTHTWN	22	6	2	3	14	7	4	4	3	12	10	9	36
5	AUTO FC	22	5	5	1	14	3	3	4	4	12	9	14	33
6	THISTLEROVERS	22	6	3	2	18	5	2	5	4	6	5	14	32
7	ROYALLE FC	22	3	5	3	6	9	5	2	4	13	16	-6	31
8	DEANERANGERS	22	3	6	2	7	7	2	3	6	4	15	-11	24
9	ROCK-A-NORE FC	22	4	2	5	7	16	1	6	4	3	14	-20	23
10	KELCHESTERUTD	22	1	6	4	5	15	3	2	6	5	14	-19	20
11	BARNEYSDEVILS	22	0	2	9	3	18	1	5	5	3	12	-24	10
12	AEROFORCEFC	22	0	3	8	9	42	0	3	8	5	30	-58	6

RALEIGH LEAGUE. DIVISION 2

	...TEAMNAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1	WESTYORKSHIRE	22	11	0	0	47	5	7	3	1	21	4	59	57
2	RIVERPLATE	22	8	1	2	32	21	8	0	3	27	25	13	49
3	HOLLYWOOD HAWKS	22	6	2	3	25	6	7	2	2	21	12	28	43
4	SANNY'SROVERS	22	8	0	3	24	12	6	1	4	25	12	25	43
5	PSVWYCOMBE	22	6	2	3	21	9	4	5	2	20	6	26	37
6	BUCKSBURNFC	22	5	5	1	18	2	4	3	4	12	11	17	35
7	ABERYSTWYTHFC	22	6	0	5	25	14	2	1	8	15	37	-11	25
8	SATURNALIA FC	22	3	4	4	16	13	2	5	4	10	20	-7	24
9	INTER DENE	22	2	6	3	11	15	3	0	8	9	29	-24	21
10	GREYHAWKUTD	22	2	3	6	12	28	2	0	9	12	32	-36	15
11	VIKINGCONQUEST	22	2	2	7	9	20	1	2	8	6	25	-30	13
12	SPRINGFIELDCTY	22	2	0	9	11	33	0	3	8	0	38	-60	9

RALEIGH LEAGUE. DIVISION 3

	...TEAMNAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1	GTBRITAINUTD	22	9	1	1	39	6	9	2	0	24	5	52	57
2	BAIRSTOWWOOKIE	22	8	1	2	19	6	6	2	3	32	16	29	45
3	RED STAR MOSCOW	22	8	1	2	23	7	4	2	5	11	9	18	39
4	CLIFTONREDS	22	8	2	1	14	2	2	4	5	4	13	3	36
5	HEARTSBRIGADE	22	6	4	1	22	9	2	4	5	15	15	13	32
6	PIETOWN	22	6	3	2	19	12	3	1	7	11	18	0	31
7	SCARLETTCITY	22	5	3	3	18	17	3	2	6	11	20	-8	29
8	TUATHDE DANAN	22	5	2	4	26	20	2	3	6	6	20	-8	26
9	TOPAZ IMPACT FC	22	3	4	4	13	12	2	2	7	12	27	-14	21
10	MITCHAMMETRO'S	22	3	4	4	4	11	2	2	7	2	17	-22	21
11	RKAFLUGELS	22	4	2	5	23	25	1	3	7	9	26	-19	20
12	CHIGLEYTOWN	22	0	2	9	2	18	2	2	7	8	36	-44	10

RALEIGH LEAGUE. DIVISION 4

	...TEAMNAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1	LOFTUSRANGERS	22	9	2	0	30	1	7	2	2	17	2	44	52
2	NORWEGIANKINGS	22	7	3	1	21	1	8	1	2	21	7	34	49
3	CEDAR ATHLETIC	22	8	2	1	28	4	6	5	0	13	3	34	49
4	CELTA ILFORD	22	6	0	5	15	15	4	2	5	12	16	-4	32
5	SPRINGTOWN	22	2	8	1	5	1	3	4	4	13	12	5	27
6	MOTORTOWNFC	22	2	7	2	7	6	3	5	3	3	11	-7	27
7	ACCOKE	22	3	4	4	13	7	3	3	5	11	11	6	25
8	GERMANIAFC	22	5	1	5	15	15	1	6	4	1	7	-6	25
9	AFC EUROPA	22	4	4	3	13	6	2	2	7	9	17	-1	24
10	ESPORTEBAHIA	22	3	5	3	6	3	0	9	2	2	7	-2	23
11	GATESHEADUTD	22	2	4	5	2	10	3	2	6	5	16	-19	21
12	DANTOOINECITY	22	0	1	10	4	40	0	0	11	2	50	-84	1

KICKABOUT STATS

LEADING SCORERS

DIVISION 1

1	REKJAVIK	REGIONAL ROVERS	25
2	BUDAPESTY	REGIONAL ROVERS	21
3	BARTOSZ	LICHFIELD TIGER	19
4	ODEGAARD	LICHFIELD TIGER	19
5	STAPLETON	ROCK-A-NORE FC	13
6	JIGALO JENSON	ROCK-A-NORE FC	13
7	NEGRI	AUTO FC	11
8	PRICLI	REGIONAL ROVERS	10

DIVISION 2

1	HIDEAN SIKH	SANNY'S ROVERS	23
2	READSI	PSV WYCOMBE	21
3	NEILO BADDIO	RIVER PLATE	19
4	OSCAR	WEST YORKSHIRE	19
5	MCCOIST	WEST YORKSHIRE	18
6	BROOKLYN SPICE	SANNY'S ROVERS	17
7	SWAROVSKI	INTER DENE	15
8	RIO	PSV WYCOMBE	15

DIVISION 3

1	SANDERS	BAIRSTOW WOOKIE	19
2	MOLDE	BAIRSTOW WOOKIE	17
3	FAAAADER	HEARTS BRIGADE	15
4	O'KIEFFE	GT BRITAIN UTD	13
5	MANDZUKIC	GT BRITAIN UTD	13
6	DOOKU	HEARTS BRIGADE	12
7	GHEZZAL	HEARTS BRIGADE	11
8	DULIA	RED STAR MOSCOW	11

DIVISION 4

1	CLOUGH	CEDAR ATHLETIC	12
2	RICKSHAW	LOFTUS RANGERS	12
3	LARSON	NORWEGIAN KINGS	11
4	RODINOV	AC COKE	10
5	CHRISTIANSEN	AC COKE	7
6	TOMA	NORWEGIAN KINGS	7
7	FROOZER	LOFTUS RANGERS	7
8	PIRLO	CEDAR ATHLETIC	6

THE ROLE OF SHAME

The following players are all suspended next session for the number of games shown besides their name :- MCGIN [1] (AERO FORCE FC) / GOVERNOR INCCIE [1] (VIKING CONQUEST) / MOLDE [1] (BAIRSTOW WOOKIE) /

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - MPS

TOP

INTER DENE - 0

HOLLYWOOD HAWKS - 2

MITCHAM METRO'S - 4

BOTTOM

THISTLE ROVERS - 22

BARNEYS DEVILS - 22

LICHFIELD TIGER - 22

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - APPS

TOP

LICHFIELD TIGER - 0

LUTTERWORTH TWN - 0

BARNEYS DEVILS - 0

BOTTOM

NORWEGIAN KINGS - 90

MITCHAM METRO'S - 90

CHIGLEY TOWN - 90

MANAGERIAL RATINGS

DIVISION 1

Gareth Ashcroft - Auto Fc - 1

Craig Lawton(nw - Lichfield Tiger - 2

Kev Presland - Lutterworth Twn - 4

DIVISION 2

A.Williamson - Bucksburn Fc - 3

Andrew Walters - Hollywood Hawks - 6

David Hargraves - West Yorkshire - 10

DIVISION 3

Colin Armstrong - Clifton Reds - 7

Dave Hails - Gt Britain Utd - 8

Kev Presland - Scarlett City - 19

DIVISION 4

Jack - Cedar Athletic - 13

Warwick Mansell - Celta Ilford - 16

Paul Hudson - Motor Town Fc - 21

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Remember the transfer deadline comes into operation at the end of session thirteen ie NOW

ROLLING AUCTION 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 then being put into the auction

AUCTION NOTES

From now onwards we would like you to always write, `don't sell if he turns star in the messages to GM box EVEN IF HE IS A LEVEL TWELVE STAR, as well as ticking the relevant DON'T SELL box in teampick. NOTE THAT TICKING THE BOX IS THE MAIN DECISION-MAKER IN WHETHER A PLAYER IS SOLD OR NOT, the GM Message is just to help the GM as during the transfers we have no way of knowing whether a player has become level twelev in THAT SESSION.!

Also PLEASE DO NOT leave partially-completed transfers in your transfer section, i.e. leaving the team name or the player, etc., it is laziness on your part and might result in strange things happening to your team!!!

And you MUST spell the names of the players included in any deal correctly. If you don't then the program might refuse them and they don't go through, so be careful.

In future, you are allowed multiple conditional bids from which the program will attempt to purchase just one item. However, you are also allowed multiple Unconditional bids from which the program will attempt to purchase all. teampick users just have to use the relevant boxes in the program, those who don't use teampick must ensure they stick to these rules and make it clear on their turns just what they want to happen in their bidding process.

LSO, be careful when doing deals etc. The program works on team order, which can cause problems. Best idea is NOT to have 25 players in your squad at the start of a turn and do deals and sell to NL, cos if the manager you are doing a deal with has a lower team number than yours, the program will say you have no space in your squad, even though you are trying to sell players to the non-league. His orders will be processed before yours!!

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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

SOMETHING FOR EVERYBODY TO REMEMBER

It seems that even old stagers of the game still can'rt work out what order games are to be played in. SO emblazon the following on your minds please

ORDER OF MATCHES IS

LEAGUE GAME ONE

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

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

LEAGUE CUP GAMES

EURO GAMES

FRIENDLIES

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

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

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SOCIAL MEDIA

We have finally been dragged kicking and screaming into the 21st Century , pity all dinsoaurs 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 foudn on

FACEBOOK - kickabout online

and Twitter

Online Kickabout

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.

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 pay by card/paypal through our new web-site

kickaboutonline.co.uk

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KICKABOUT BITS

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- infront 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.

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 SERVICES

MAILING - rather than sending SELF-SEALING SSAE's, rather than getting charged a £1 postage when you neglect to send one in or if they don't arrive. Pay for all-season mailing and we provide the envelope, the stamp, and the sticky label as well. No sweat. A season costs £25.00 overseas, £15.00 UK, or pro rataish if started during the season.

ALL EMAIL - if you have shomatch/ teampick then you can elect not to have any hardcopies sent to you at all as everything can be done by email. Just let us know if you wish to do this in future. Handy for those abroad or in difficult postal areas. If you play in more than one league, and paid for all season mailing it's actually cheaper to buy shomatch and do it this way.

TEAMPICK/ SHOMATCH/ MARKINFO - all the info you need for these programs is at - www.Teampick.co.uk

NEW WEB-SITE is now up and running, www.Kickaboutonline. co.uk to see the goodies

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.

Latest version now available at

https://cloud.invisibles.org/index.php/s/lRZTnvG4zmbNXBt



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BULK PAYMENT OF TURN FEES -

remember if you pay £59.50 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 or special offers 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.

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PLEASE NOTE

You will all notice a new stat on your turnsheets. In the space where BW/CR stats are listed there will be a X% number against all goalkeepers. This will rate your GK on his shot-saving ability and will be cumulative.

Two points to note. It does not include penalties and own goals, but does include friendlies. And before shouting that it is wrong, remember that all shots aginst you are tested against the sweeper for blocking them before the GK.

I have some ideas about how to use this stat in the future so watch this space

MUTTERINGS AND MEANDERINGS OF THE KA MIND

Recently been a lot of moaning regarding training injuries. Well, they happen and of course if it hits your 2018 MF/A/D it is a pain, though how many of you have a nice 20-12 UT in your reserves to help ease the pain. Suck it up basically, you don't complain when random numbers make your ageing and critical specialist go star do you?

Even worse are those who complain that at training injury hit their goalkeeper before a crucial game. No sympathy there. You can always pick up a mid level keeper or better during the seaosn and if you don't have one then tough for you, again suck it up instead of moaning. How many of you have millions in the bank just waiting to buy that specialist who you will probably be outbid for RATHER than investing a fraction of it in a reserve keeper??

Remember to use the teampick start up sheet rather than the one at the end of your turn which is wrong. Paul ***will*** amend this in due course

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FORTHCOMING KA WEEKENDS

GLASGOW 2022 13th-16th October

Rooms booked Fees paid

1 MOI

2 CRAIGINS

3CAT WOMAN

4 COLLY

5 SEAMUS

6 QUIZCRANS

7 HATTIE THE KING

8 THE FADING GOD

9 NATO'S FINEST SCOT

10 GIGOLO JENSEN

11 CRISPY BALLANTYNE

12 BRUTUS ASLEEP

13 DENNIS THE JUMPER

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FIRST COME FIRST SERVED SO TO SPEAK

Morten, Dag, r & Andy Baker say they are coming to Glasgow

possibles are, Neil B, , Wynne &, Thomas

Danny the B where are you?

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ODENSE MAY 2023

now set for 11th to 14th of May

Dave Hargraves says he and his son are coming to Odense next May as are Geraldo, Jens, Seamus, Graeme **& firsty-in Neil H**

Looks like October 2023 will be back to Norwich

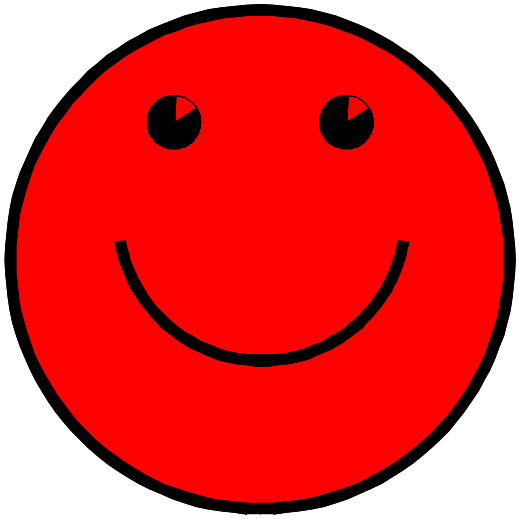
VIRTUAL WEEKEND NOVEMBER

Plans are afoot to hold another Virtual weekend in November this year

Looks like saturday the 19th of November is the date for this under present plans.

Cosdt as per usual is £22.50 per player

Make a note in your diaries boys



KICKABOUT EUROS

CHAMPIONS TROPHY
Semi-Final Replay

EASTWOOD FOREST	**0 : 0**	**SUTTON ROVERS**	**(H - 0.3)**
Att 64806		Wind: Brisk	
Pitch: Good			

SANKERIB SAVES PENALTY FOR EASTWOOD FOREST AFTER 39 MINS

COMP CITY	**0 : 4**	**BURNHAM DOWN**	**(A - 0.7)**
Att 68496		Sydney 16	
Wind: Brisk		Van delft 17	
Pitch: Wet		Hugardz 17,54	

Must be a frightening thought for the others having to face **Burnham Down** in the final after seeing the way that the Newton champs crushed a sife like **Comp City !** Cannot see either **Eastwood or Sutton** stopping them from finally writing their name on the trophy.

CUP-WINNERS CUP
Semi-final 1st legs

FURZE HILL	**1 : 0**	**CATTON OLD BOYS**	**(H - 0.5)**
Nogan 66		Att 64731*	
Wind: Brisk		Pitch: Good	
BOLTON WANDS	**0 : 0**	**ROYSTON VASEY**	**(H - 0.5)**
Att 67282		Wind: Light	
Pitch: Wet			

Really close here, it would be a brave man who bet on the finalaitsts Both matches could go either way.

SUPER CUP
Semi-finals

LAIZY TOWN	**1 : 0**	**CLUB PARADISIO**	**(A - 0.5)**
Mpenza 9		bkd - Town (55)	
Att 60690		off - Tai kwan do (47)	
Wind: Brisk		Pitch: Wet	
KELCHESTER UTD	**0 : 4**	**NEPTUNES NOV.**	**(A - 0.3)**
off - Roche (32)		Maalskaarson 16(p)	
Att 60771		Silva 45	
Wind: Brisk		Tolsov 46	
Pitch: Good		Chilwell 90	

Both smeis saw one side have a man sent off which probbaly didn't help at all. **Club Paradison** might have doen better with elevn men though **Kelchester** were well and truly hammered so perhaps the extra man might not have halped much

THE EURO ROLE OF SHAME

The following players are all suspended next session for the number of games shown besides their name :- TAI KWAN DO [1] (CLUB PARADISIO) / TOWN [1] (CLUB PARADISIO) / ROCHE [1] (KELCHESTER UTD) /

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MANAGER'S NEEDED

SEASON'S END, NEW SEASON'S ABOUT TO START AND CLUBS NEED MANAGERS FOR THE NEW CAMPAIGN

So special offer time. takeover one of these teams and you get the whole season credit to play with free of charge AND AND AND at the end of the seaosn you then have a 50% chance of getting another free season and so on ad nauseum.

What can you lose??

Or try the Veterans league which is just about to finish. test your managerial mettle in a league where you have to scratch around for money. No cash generated, building squads far more difficult, wow a 22-6 and you can't afford him. But you can start in this 12 session league with a winning side. **South Sea Rovers,** top of the third and been managerless all season. What could be done with them for sure?

Or how about a team in the Premier league just finished. Have your own favourite side with their real-life players. Chance to build from scratch, and challenge the greats of this league **(KP&*^$).** Get to grips with new formations and rules as well!

Or what about a decent though oldish team in the Livingstone league with 15million in the bank. Show them boys how to spend, spend, spend

COMING SEASON NEWSLETTERS

We are trying an experiment for the coming season to try to even out the fluctuations between sessions and make the seaSOn flow the better. This season odd-numberd session newsletters will be written ones, even numbered will be result-only or stats-only ones. Once we get to S13 all the last four sessions will ALL have written newsletters.

KICKABOUT NEW SEASON

TEAMPICK

Teampick is a program available for all PC owners who have windows on their machine. It allows you to manipulate your team on screen to look at differing formations and conditions. This automatically works out the factors which will affect your team, helps prevent errors, and all sorts of things into the bargain. It also prints out your team sheet, and you can then get the program to format an Email team sheet for submitting instead of the normal order sheets, if you so choose. The program also has an on-line rulebook, i.e., you can dial up the relevant section of the rulebook at the click of the mouse and read that part of the rules while selecting your team. If you can't remember how the weather affects things, when your captain moves onto an extra level, or the formulas that govern transfer negotiations and marking, well just ask the computer! Subscribers also get a .kik file which upgrades your team details every session as well making it even easier for you. Even better news is that the program is FREE to all players who sign up for Shomatch.

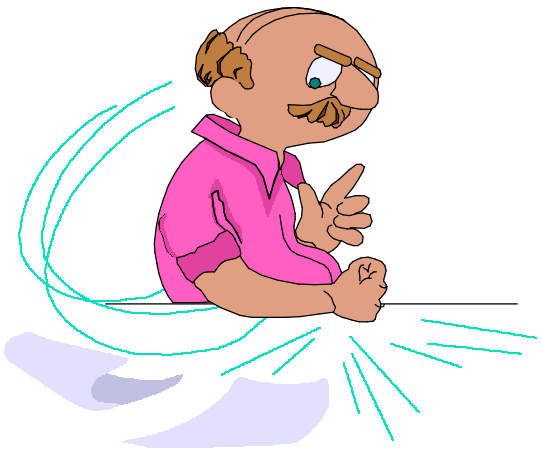
Finally, you'll find some other goodies that are useful to a keen player on the teampick web-site, while Paul has now released V1.17 for the new season which will allow you to use teampick for int/rep games and generate the proper teamsheets as a result for sending into us.

REMEMBER WE DO NOT ACCEPT TEAMPICK ORDERS PRODUCED BY ANYTHING OTHER THAN VERSION V.1.17 SO ENSURE YOU USE THIS OR THEY WILL BE RETURNED TO YOU.

ALSO if you are NOT a registered user please be aware that not every option on teampick will work 100% due to you needing the .kik files which are only sent to registered users.

So why not try:-

www.Teampick.co.uk and explore??



SHOMATCH

For those who don't already know Shomatch is our very own tele-printer in which you get the results, the newsletter and league tables on it, plus a minute by minute printout of the state of your game. Nail-biting to watch if you've got a particularly important game to play. Far better, and definitely more nerve-wracking than just tearing the newsletter open and seeing your fate decided in the flash of a micro-second. This is only available to those who have email players as everything is sent to you as an email which shomatch interprets and displays to you on your PC screen. But not only do you get the tele-printer printout and the league tables, but we send you a number of extra files which include the results, suspensions, Euro results, international results, rep results and the like. All of these can be displayed and watched as they tick through minute by minute as well. Thanks to the programming skills of Paul Sutton, shomatch now runs under windows, with pictures, sound effects and the like making it an even more gripping experience for the real masochists amongst you!!

If you are playing the game from abroad by Email, and who doesn't receive any hardcopy newsletters (mainly those who are playing from outside of continental Europe, MUST purchase shomatch as it is via this that we send your results, newsletters (in PDF format now), and the like. It's up to the rest of you whether you subscribe to this and get your results earlier than the hardcopy comes out. But for the overseas player it is a boon allowing them a little bit extra time to complete their orders - something that they were always moaning about in the past!

What is the cost then. Well you have to pay a single fee of £17.95 which covers a season of sign-ups for Shomatch. For this you get all the information above, and for this one fee you can request shomatch and related details for any league you want to. You aren't restricted to just the leagues you are playing in,. Euro contestants can watch their rivals and plan for when they meet them in this way. You'll see a box on your season start-up sheets which says sign me up for Shomatch. Tick this, enclose the cash and indicate which league you want to subscribe to and we'll do the rest. Remember it's a once-only £17.95 amount for all the

THE NEW SEASON COMETH

Ok, attached to your printouts this session is your Start-up sheet for next season. This you have to send back to us with any monies or instructions you might have. Sooner you get it back sooner the new season can start.

Please send the start-up sheet on one sheet of paper (**DAG/JOHN SAMSON!**), please do not send the whole of your printouts back, or send the start-up with part of your orders (this usually happens with Email sets of orders!). The team name should be the first thing on the start-up papers you send back to us (makes it much easier for filing at our end!). And on one sheet, please don't put extra blank lines in your start up (some people do!0

If you need to re-do a team for some reason then all you get is 100 levels + 100K, , please contact us before you re-do any team to talk about it.

Also, your subscription for Shomatch/Teampick will be taken from the first league that you receive a start-up for so please ensure you have enough to cover it

Remember you may only re-name your side if it is not a first division side and if you took them over during THIS season. Certain teams with a history who are now in the lower divisions cannot be re-named either.

Also, please DO NOT, say same as lasts season for nicknames (**Paul STEVENS** note), ground colours, put something in the box to save us from having to look up what your last decisions were. some of you might enjoy playing in asshole park, which is what we are likely to choose for you!! If you use the teampick start up sheet then you only have to do this once and never again

Finally, get your start up sheet back soonest with any payment, then we can get the new season going, it is a pain having to chase people for things.

And good luck in the new season to you all