

THE MESSI LEAGUE

MESSI LEAGUE. DIVISION 1

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 PRIMROSE HILL	15	3	5	0	11	3	4	3	0	10	1	17	29
2 GLOBE TROTTERS	15	5	2	1	15	4	4	0	3	9	13	7	29
3 SHROPSHIRE STAR	15	4	3	0	11	2	3	3	2	7	6	10	27
4 REAL AYELL	15	3	3	1	3	1	4	1	3	6	10	-2	25
5 RADFORD SEMELE	15	5	1	1	13	4	0	6	2	1	3	7	22
6 DYNAMO TEST	15	4	3	1	9	5	1	3	3	3	7	0	21
7 MISTIQUE1	5	3	3	2	6	3	2	2	3	3	5	1	20
8 DEFCON1 FC	15	2	2	3	2	4	2	3	3	3	7	-6	17
9 HAVERING TOWN	15	3	2	3	16	5	0	3	4	1	13	-1	14
10 BRECON WARRIORS	15	3	1	4	9	8	1	1	5	2	15	-12	14
11 CITY COLTS	15	0	5	2	1	3	1	3	4	3	6	-5	11
12 REQUIEM	15	1	1	5	6	12	1	3	4	6	16	-16	10

MESSI LEAGUE. DIVISION 2

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 HOTH WAMPAS	15	6	2	0	19	4	2	5	0	7	0	22	31
2 BERMONDSEY BM	15	4	4	0	8	4	4	1	2	5	5	4	29
3 TECHNO TERRIERS	15	4	1	2	9	6	4	1	3	16	10	9	26
4 LES FERDINAND	15	2	4	1	10	6	4	2	2	9	6	7	24
5 UTOPIA	15	4	2	1	10	3	3	0	5	13	13	7	23
6 WELSH WIZARDS	15	1	6	1	1	1	3	4	0	3	0	3	22
7 FRALKA	15	3	4	1	7	7	1	3	3	8	10	-2	19
8 WESSEX RANGERS	15	2	3	2	6	3	2	2	4	4	5	2	17
9 OLD STEINE FC	15	3	1	4	12	16	1	3	3	4	12	-12	16
10 THE GREEKS	15	2	2	3	2	6	0	4	4	1	11	-14	12
11 SPORTING SPUDS	15	0	3	5	3	9	0	6	1	6	7	-7	9
12 VIPPEROED BK	15	1	2	4	4	13	0	3	5	2	12	-19	8

MESSI LEAGUE. DIVISION 3

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 THE BLIND RABBI	15	4	3	1	10	4	5	2	0	9	1	14	32
2 BRECON RANGERS	15	5	1	1	10	3	4	2	2	19	8	18	30
3 DAL RIADA	15	4	2	1	9	1	3	4	1	3	1	10	27
4 IB 2301	15	4	2	2	18	8	4	0	3	18	13	15	26
5 CLIFTON MIGHTY	15	3	3	1	11	6	4	1	3	14	6	13	25
6 NEWTON HEATH FC	15	3	3	1	15	5	3	2	3	13	16	7	23
7 BARNBY PARK	15	3	2	3	12	4	1	5	1	1	1	8	19
8 PARK END BLUES	15	3	1	3	10	7	3	0	5	7	7	3	19
9 JERSEY BOYS	15	3	2	2	6	7	2	1	5	7	19	-13	18
10 SCI FI ELITE	15	3	1	4	18	18	1	2	4	15	16	-1	15
11 SYDSIDEN	15	1	3	4	5	8	1	4	2	1	2	-4	13
12 THE LEVELLERS	15	0	0	8	2	37	0	0	7	1	36	-70	0

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Messi League - Session Eleven

Season 35

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ROUND-UP TIME

Sessions 11 ^ 12 are usually make or break ones for the hopes of many teams with four games in quick succession. This was defo the case this session as **Globe Trotters** were propelled into the promotion battle in stunning fashion as two wins while the top pair could only manage a couple of draws apiece, saw them into second spot and level on points with **Primrose**. Looking likely to be in the Champions trophy final this is proving to be quite a season for Mr Lawton (at last some might say).

Three teams in 1st and would have been four if Mr Williamson had got his ducks in a row earlier in the season. two more wins this session for **Real Ayell**. Is it too much to think that after his early season's struggles, the mid season struggles of the those aiming for the title, might still allow him a shot at retaining the title. perhaps too much to ask, but up into fourth place.

At the other end of the table still difficult for any of the bottom four to put any wins in the bag. **Haivering** (my tip for the team to watch next season) moved out of the bottom three though still all to play for. Five teams in it though bottom two in deep trouble now.

Draw between the top pair and more **Techno** dalliance allowed **Bermondsey** to move into second spot. Nobody is really looking like promotion certainties here and looks like it is going down to the wire.

Wessex beating **Sporting** looks a as if it has consigned the later to relegation I feel, and the bottom three look increasingly doomed alround.

Brecon close the gap on Waddingham the thrush in the third. Both look on course for promotion Behind them Dal Raida find **IB** breathing down their necks as Mr Reiser girds up for promotion Four points though cover form third to sixth.

Welcome back to Paul Hudson, sliding into the very hot seat at **Park End**

HOTH ARE TITANIUM

RESULTS ROUND-UP

TEMPERATURE: Cold

Week Thirty-one

DIVISION 1

DYNAMO TEST Bruuutut 58 Komplykate 67 Strandhusene 73 Pitch: Muddy	3 : 1 REQUIEM Jakeman 53(p) Att 48805 Wind: Light	(H - 0.7)
HAVERING TOWN Arthur m 41 Att 37132 Pitch: Muddy	1 : 1 RADFORD SEMELE Skorokhod 52 Wind: Light	(A - 0.7)
GLOBE TROTTERS Calypso 89 Wind: Light	1 : 0 MISTIQUE Att 43840* Pitch: Good	(H - 0.3)
PRIMROSE HILL Snatch 33 Staropramen 54 Att 58870 Pitch: Wet	2 : 2 SHROPSHIRE STAR Bryan roy 33 Grated rosti 44 Wind: Light	(H - 0.5)
BRECON WARRIORS Att 38413* Wind: Light Pitch: Muddy	0 : 2 REAL AYELL Andersson 22 Kingston 43	(A - 1.9)
CITY COLTS Att 29501 Wind: Light	0 : 1 DEFCON1 FC Abelini 71 Pitch: Wet	(H - 0.1)

DIVISION 2

WELSH WIZARDS Att 28254 Pitch: Good	0 : 0 VIPPEROED BK Wind: Light	(H - 1.3)
SPORTING SPUDS Seamy u donut 87 Att 29734 Wind: Light Pitch: Wet *Derby Game*	1 : 2 WESSEX RANGERS Dean 14 Lainas 57 bkd - Blazer (35)/ Belcher (6)	(A - 0.5)

LIA SAVES PENALTY FOR WESSEX RANGERS AFTER 75 MINS

OLD STEINE FC bkd - Mccubbin (38) Att 23695* Wind: Light Pitch: Muddy	0 : 2 BERMONDSEY BM Guinness 14 Gamorrean 61 bkd - Gamorrean (67) *Derby Game*	(A - 0.9)
FRALKA Mobile 17,81 Amstel 69 Att 27740 Pitch: Muddy	3 : 2 UTOPIA Hagia sophia 10 Gerbil 14 Wind: Light	(H - 0.1)
HOTH WAMPAS Ogrady 40 Att 31199 Pitch: Muddy	1 : 1 TECHNO TERRIERS Gyros brutus 75 Wind: Light	(H - 0.7)
LES FERDINAND Jensbaby 27 Dembele 56,59,87 bkd - Dunne (85) off - Balcone (32)	4 : 0 THE GREEKS Att 40000 Wind: Light Pitch: Muddy *Derby Game*	(H - 1.9)

DIVISION 3

THE BLIND RABBI Goofy 13,79 Ying sah 62 Pitch: Good	3 : 0 NEWTON HEATH FC Att 24187 Wind: Light	(H - 0.2)
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BARNBY PARK Bartos 14,86 Wind: Light	2 : 0 CLIFTON MIGHTY (H - 0.5) Att 20749* Pitch: Good
SYDSIDEN Saabye 59 Pasvik 79 Att 19691 Pitch: Good	2 : 2 SCI FI ELITE (H - 0.9) Shatner panties 8 Kiefer 31 Wind: Brisk
THE LEVELLERS Att 20984 Wind: Light Pitch: Muddy	0 : 3 PARK END BLUES (A - 2.9) De grasse 29 Gabriel 42 Eddie dinkum 79
IB 2301 Wittmann 5,11 Horridge 27 Zihron 31 Karla 34 Sondero 36 Young collins 41,46 Pitch: Muddy	8 : 1 JERSEY BOYS (H - 0.7) Jakobczak 47 bkd - Hammerfest (22) off - Mattice (44) Inj - Mattice (1) Att 29916 Wind: Light *Derby Game*
BRECON RANGERS Burak yilmaz 57 Wind: Light	1 : 0 DAL RIADA (A - 0.7) Att 28405 Pitch: Muddy

Week Thirty-two

<u>DIVISION 1</u>	
DYNAMO TEST Dordond 62 Att 50138* Wind: Light	1 : 2 GLOBE TROTTERS (H - 0.1) Thaisa 27 Salarino 34 Pitch: Good
DEFCON1 FC Att 25323 Pitch: Muddy	0 : 0 REQUIEM (A - 0.1) Wind: Brisk
PRIMROSE HILL Boiled wadders 29 Att 48887 Pitch: Wet	1 : 1 CITY COLTS (H - 0.9) Kobenhavn 58 Wind: Light
BRECON WARRIORS Kp thoroughbred 51 Att 30392 Pitch: Wet	1 : 1 HAVERING TOWN (A - 0.5) Rob da eagle 55 Wind: Brisk
SHROPSHIRE STAR Att 58029* Pitch: Muddy	0 : 0 RADFORD SEMELE (A - 0.3) Wind: Light
MISTIQUE Att 29612* Wind: Brisk Pitch: Muddy	0 : 2 REAL AYELL (A - 0.3) Haulm lawton 36 Kingston 46

<u>DIVISION 2</u>	
WELSH WIZARDS Att 35000 Wind: Calm Pitch: Good	0 : 0 OLD STEINE FC (H - 1.1) Inj - Pilsudski (1)/ Bubbles wonky (1) *Derby Game*
THE GREEKS Att 37786 Pitch: Good	0 : 0 VIPPEROED BK (H - 0.5) Wind: Light

SANDSKREDET SAVES PENALTY FOR VIPPEROED BK
AFTER 46 MINS

FRALKA Att 28067 Pitch: Frozen	0 : 0 LES FERDINAND (A - 0.3) Wind: Light
HOTH WAMPAS Litchenko 81 Att 30943 Pitch: Muddy	1 : 1 SPORTING SPUDS (H - 1) Gnocchi butler 24 Wind: Light
UTOPIA Gabriel 81 Wind: Light	1 : 0 WESSEX RANGERS (H - 0.1) Att 23325* Pitch: Frozen
BERMONDSEY BM Layton 33 Overli 88 Wind: Light	2 : 1 TECHNO TERRIERS (H - 0.9) S.bruce 2 Att 24000* Pitch: Good

DIVISION 3

THE BLIND RABBI Att 23469 Pitch: Good	0 : 0 SYDSIDEN (H - 0.1) Wind: Light
DAL RIADA Dal noose 28 Dal cava 51 Hoof 56	3 : 0 NEWTON HEATH FC (H - 1.5) Att 23741 Wind: Light Pitch: Wet
THE LEVELLERS bkd - Knight (84)/ Bobby pires (66) off - Whelan (54) Att 29692 Wind: Calm *Derby Game*	0 : 6 BRECON RANGERS (A - 3.5) Phillips 22,35,62,69 Svealand 45,66 bkd - Svealand (75) Inj - Svealand (99) Pitch: Good
IB 2301 Att 24330 Pitch: Wet	0 : 0 BARNBY PARK (A - 0.1) Wind: Light
PARK END BLUES Marley 8 bkd - Smithson (46) off - Bartosz (10) Att 20368 Wind: Light	1 : 4 CLIFTON MIGHTY (A - 1.1) Shea kearney 28 Gadocha 50 Chip ballantyne 62 Wylie 83 Pitch: Muddy
SCI FI ELITE Bo-katan kryze 6,74 Merlin 71 Att 26009 Pitch: Frozen	3 : 2 JERSEY BOYS (A - 0.3) The turpinator 48 Gerwyn 88 Wind: Light

Week Thirty-three

THE MESSI CUP

Quarter-final replay

DEFCON1 FC Gonzalez 108 Att 24986 Pitch: Muddy	1 : 1 DAL RIADA (A - 0.3) Dal everton 111 Wind: Light [AET]
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DEFCON1 FC WIN PENALTY SHOOTOUT 6 - 5

THE MESSI TROPHY

1st Round

IB 2301 Att 24286 Pitch: Wet	0 : 0 BARNBY PARK (H - 0.1) Wind: Light [AET]
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IB 2301 WIN PENALTY SHOOTOUT 5 - 4

PARK END BLUES Bukoski 3 Rabat 7 Bartosz 43 Eddie dinkum 47 De grasse 48	5 : 0 THE LEVELLERS (H - 3.3) Att 19537 Wind: Light Pitch: Frozen
SCI FI ELITE Dundee 17,41,88 Dwayne dibbley 42 Kiefer 50 Jean-luc picard 69	6 : 0 JERSEY BOYS (A - 0.3) Att 26091 Wind: Light Pitch: Muddy
SYDSIDEN Ferdrickshaven 37,75 Att 19014 Wind: Light Pitch: Good	2 : 3 CLIFTON MIGHTY (-) John gold 18 Wylie 53 Shea kearney 61

***Due to the Virtual
weekend S12 will be
processed next sunday***

MESSI CUP**Semi-finals**

Defcon1 v Shropshire Stars

Real Ayell v Dynamo Test

(To be played on session fourteen with replays)

MESSI LEAGUE CUP**Quarter-finals**

Havering Town v Shropshire Stars

Real Ayell v Radford Semele

(played on session 12 with replays)

Ayell may have lost their elague title
but still in three cups!

THE MESSI TROPHY**2nd Round**

(to be played on session twelv e no replays)

The Blind Rabbi v Welsh Wizards

Utopia v Viperoed Bk

The Greeks v Sci-f i Elite

Sporting Spuds v Newton Heath

Wessex Rangers v

Fralka v Old Steine FC

Park End Blues v Dal Raida

Clifton Mighty v IB 2301

CHAMPIONS TROPHY**First Round Session S4 & S6****Semis S9 & S11****Final one leg S13****Semi-final 1st legs****BRUTUS AWAKENS**

Mandaloredag 25

Att 33783*

Wind: Light

Pitch: Muddy

1 : 3 GLOBE TROTTERS**(A - 0.3)**

Billy 25

Calypso 56

Salarino 64

THE MIGS

Att 30283*

Pitch: Frozen

0 : 0 REAL AYELL**(A - 0.3)**

Wind: Light

MESSI FRIENDLIES**CITY COLTS****1 : 1 HERNE BAY(NL)****(A - 1.5)****ILFORD(NL)****6 : 0 DYNAMO TEST****(H - 4.3)****BRECON RANGERS****0 : 0 TRURO CITY(NL)****(A - 1.9)****BRECON WARRIORS****1 : 0 TAMWORTH(NL)****(A - 1.3)****WHITBY TOWN(NL)****2 : 1 BERMONDSEY BM****(H - 1.5)****OLD STEINE FC****2 : 1 ROMULUS(NL)****(A - 0.1)****MET POLICE(NL)****2 : 0 PRIMROSE HILL****(H - 0.3)****HAVERING TOWN****0 : 3 UXBRIDGE(NL)****(A - 2.5)****TELFORD UTD(NL)****4 : 1 HOTH WAMPAS****(H - 2.5)****FRALKA****0 : 1 ENFIELD(NL)****(A - 0.9)****WOKING(NL)****6 : 0 LES FERDINAND****(H - 3.5)****CARSHALTON(NL)****3 : 1 MISTIQUE****(H - 3.1)****SOUTHPORT(NL)****1 : 1 WESSEX RANGERS****(H - 0.3)**

bkd - Oakes (40)

RADFORD SEMELE**1 : 1 ALFRETON TOWN(NL)****(A - 3.1)****THE BLIND RABBI****0 : 2 HEDNESFORD (NL)****(A - 1.1)****SUTTON UTD(NL)****3 : 0 REQUIEM****(H - 1.7)****THE GREEKS****0 : 1 WEYMOUTH(NL)****(A - 4.3)****MARGATE(NL)****1 : 2 SHROPSHIRE STAR****(H - 0.5)****WELSH WIZARDS****0 : 5 STEVENAGE(NL)****(A - 2.5)****UTOPIA****0 : 5 RUNCORN(NL)****(A - 3.5)****HASTINGS UTD(NL)****8 : 2 TECHNO TERRIERS****(H - 5.3)****NORTHWICH(NL)****2 : 1 NEWTON HEATH FC****(A - 0.7)****WEATHER FORECAST****Temperature next session: Warm****Predicted wind speed next session: Light****Special offer all teams £100 Credit**

STATISTICS PAGE

LEADING SCORERS

DIVISION 1

1	HAULM LAWTON	REAL AYELL	13
2	SALARINO	GLOBE TROTTERS	12
3	SILVA	PRIMROSE HILL	11
4	CALYPSO	GLOBE TROTTERS	9
5	BAGGINSWOOD	GLOBE TROTTERS	9
6	COHEN	SHROPSHIRE STAR	8
7	FIELDS	RADFORD SEMELE	8
8	PERCIVALE	BRECON WARRIORS	7

DIVISION 2

1	GERBIL	UTOPIA	9
2	HAKIEM	HOTH WAMPAS	8
3	GYROS BRUTUS	TECHNO TERRIERS	8
4	DEMBELE	LES FERDINAND	7
5	TENENBLAT	UTOPIA	6
6	OGRADY	HOTH WAMPAS	6
7	MOBILE	FRALKA	6
8	EL CORTES	OLD STEINE FC	6

DIVISION 3

1	BO-KATAN KRYZE	SCI FI ELITE	12
2	DUNDEE	SCI FI ELITE	9
3	DAL CAVA	DAL RIADA	8
4	KIEFER	SCI FI ELITE	7
5	CHERNIHIV	IB 2301	7
6	WITTMANN	IB 2301	7
7	KARLA	IB 2301	7
8	GOOFY	THE BLIND RABBI	7

Consec. Draws

Welsh Wizards	6 games
Radford Semele	4 games
Shropshire Star	3 games

Consec. Defeats

The Levellers	15 games
Jersey Boys	4 games
Newton Heath Fc	3 games

Since A Defeat

Hoth Wampas	21 games
Primrose Hill	16 games
Welsh Wizards	12 games
Real Ayell	9 games
The Blind Rabbi	9 games

THE ROLE OF SHAME

The following players are all suspended next session for the number of games shown besides their name :-
BALCONE [3] (LES FERDINAND) / MATTICE [1] (JERSEY BOYS) / WHELAN [1] (THE LEVELLERS) / BARTOSZ [3] (PARK END BLUES) / SMITHSON [1] (PARK END BLUES) /

PRIVATE DEALS

GLOBE TROTTERS sold HIPPOLYTA (18-2 MF) {FUT} to REAL AYELL for 130K

TECHNO TERRIERS sold VIDIC (17-2 FW) {SBY} to REAL AYELL for 425K

CITY COLTS sold OLD MAN DING (18-4 FW) {FUT} to DYNAMO TEST for 350K

IB 2301 sold JENSEN (19-1 MF) {P/S} to RADFORD SEMELE for 25K

CITY COLTS sold NEIGH DEMPSEY (18-2 MF/A) {APP} to BRECON WARRIORS for 2200K

All deals completed successfully!

Warriors must be happy!

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - SQUAD AGE

TOP

THE LEVELLERS - 0

THE GREEKS - 3

VIPPEROED BK - 6

BOTTOM

REAL AYELL - 99

SHROPSHIRE STAR - 102

HAVERING TOWN - 105

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - ATTENDANCE

TOP

SHROPSHIRE STAR - 0

REAL AYELL - 2

DYNAMO TEST - 4

BOTTOM

PARK END BLUES - 66

NEWTON HEATH FC - 68

SYDSIDEN - 70

AUCTION PAGE

AUCTION RESULTS FOR SESSION TEN

AUCTION RESULTS

POS	STATS	NAME	CLUB	FEE	NO	NHIGH
1) SW	18-5	NEYMAN	(RADFORD SEMELE)	745K	5	580K
2) DF	18-5	LEAR	(GLOBE TROTTERS)	589K	4	483K
3) MF	18-5	BOLOKOV	(SPORTING SPUDS)	355K	3	180K
4) FW	18-5	IZAEEK	(DEFCON1 FC)	690K	4	376K
5) UT	18-5	NEGEV	(REAL AYELL)	434K	3	180K

All players not shown were unsold.

Let's hope these laddies don't get injured or suspended

ROLLING AUCTION SESSION ELEVEN

1) FADER REMOVAL Nominate player on bidding

2)DF	20-11	S	-	Thames of Ib 2301 {RES 490k - 57% BW/ 63% CR}
3)UT	24-12	P	-	Mccubbin of Old Steine Fc {RES 295k - 66% BW/ 90% CR}
4)GK	22-12	-	STAR	Helnwein of Jersey Boys {RES 1250k - 1% BW/ 79% CR}

OUT-OF-CONTRACT PLAYERS

5)GK	18-12	-	-	Barley Wine of Brecon Warriors {RES 1440k - 2% BW/ 27% CR}
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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 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.



FORTHCOMING KA WEEKENDS

Spring 2025 Back To Norwich

Main house accomodation already booked for this

**Tommo McTomfaceand Richard Pickup are first men 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?**

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY

**The social secretary Mr Cranners has arranged a Beermile on Saturday
March 22nd usual place usual clientele. Why not come along and join the
happy throng?**



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)

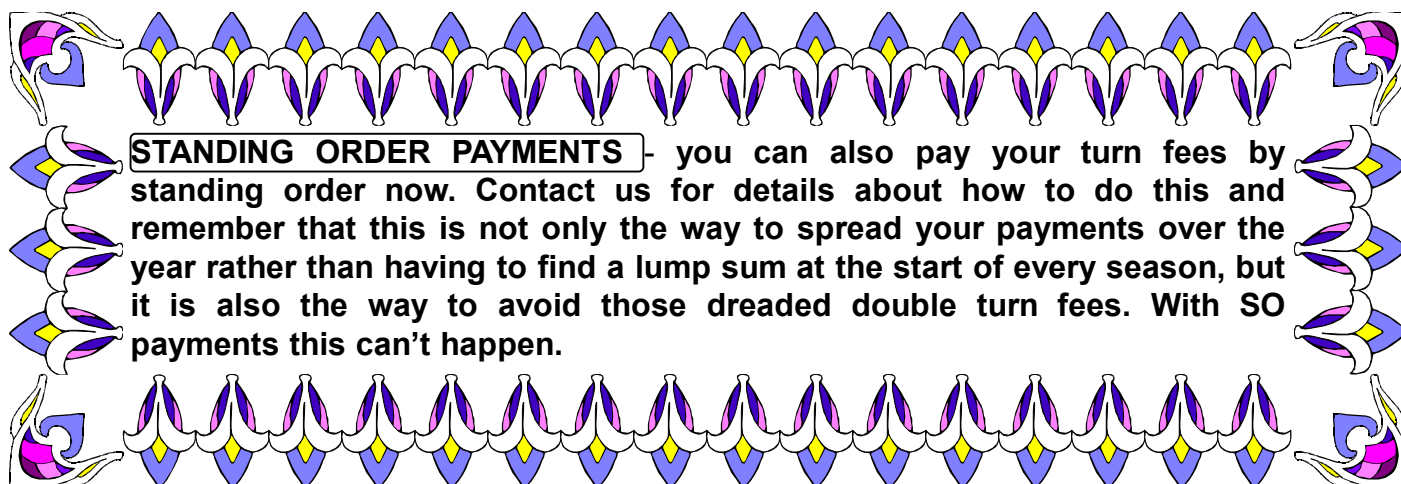
LEAGUE CUP GAMES

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

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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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

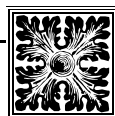
1st round is on S11 - bottom eight in division three play off (no replays)

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**



MANAGERS NEEDED

SHAKESPEARE league - METROPLE IF. Big challenge but some interesting old boys to sell on?

PREMIER league - WALSALL TOWN - decent side but in a tough division and will have to fight for it

DISRAELI league - THE PUBLICANS - just promoted to division one. Won't win it but with a good manager at the helm it could be a good season to build on for the future

SPECIAL OFFER

Each of these teams has a credit balance from nil to 100, take them on and whatever the balance it is yours to play with



CONTRACTS UPDATE

We have listened to the moaners who in contract negotiations have lost very good players cos they cannot get them to agree to a new contract. Galling to see their prized possession in the expired section of the autumn. Ok you will no doubt get some recompense for him, but the reserve bid is always painfully low and you never never know who might snaffle his arse with a cheeky bid do you.

So from now onwards if your prized player is on the last week of his contract

AND THIS ONLY RELATES TO THE LAST WEEK OF HIS CONTRACT PLEASE NOTE

Then there is a wage that if offered he will ALWAYS accept.

This has to be calculated by you (Oh shite!!)

The formula is as follows :

3 X basic wage where the basic wage = player level X PS Bonus X Div Bonus X POS Bonus X Type bonus

player level is obvious

P/S bonus increase the basic wage by 20%

Div Bonus - 125% for div 1/ 110% for div2 / 100% for divs 3/ 75% for div 4

Pos bonus refers to STARS/FUT/SBY which require 50% uplift

Type bonus is equal to the players expected wage rates , ie MF/A/D x3 - **Df/A X 2 / UT/WG/FWS x1.5** / GK SW X 2/ FW/MF/DF X 1

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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+
