

RESULTS ROUND-UP

TEMPERATURE: Cool

Week thirteen

DIVISION 1

THE WARRIORS Att 56424 Wind: Light	0 : 1 FIORENTINA (A - 0.5) Haaland 77 Pitch: Wet
PORT GLASGOW Foreman 15 Dahli 79 Pitch: Wet	2 : 0 LEMMINGS FC (H - 1.3) Att 47196 Wind: Calm
STARBUG ESME bkd - Ajer (19)/ De bob (81) Att 46186 Wind: Light *Derby Game*	0 : 2 REAL POTATO (A - 0.9) Moussaka 51 Zico 88 Inj - Parmentier (2) Pitch: Good
SV BOTTROP bkd - Breitner (34) Att 45679 Pitch: Hard	0 : 1 SANTIAGO SIRENS (H - 1.1) Cric 8(p) Wind: Brisk *Derby Game*
SWAN DISTRICTS bkd - Bastille (5)/ Bonnie (35) Wind: Light *Derby Game*	0 : 1 FC FIRM (H - 0.1) Dacia 51 Att 73094 Pitch: Muddy
PARISIAN FOXES Att 55923 Wind: Light Pitch: Good	0 : 5 AC MAILAN (A - 1.9) King 25,36 Mark 66 Mpenza 66 Telkatzir 87

CRITICAL WIN FOR THE BO BOYS

Could be an important victory for **FC Firm** this session as they stole a victory away against their rivals and derby opponents by a single goal. Manager HUMPHRIES was frustrated after his side hammered away at the **Firm** goal but could not find a way past super keeper PRADA. A single early goal was well defended. Could this be the season when manager GREGERSEN finally lifts the tile. After this you have to say it looks like they could, but there are plenty of clubs still in it.

Relief nearer the bottom as **Santiago Sirens** got their second away win of the season. A Single penalty settled it but for all their possession it was a disappointment showing for **Bottrup** against their derby opponents as they failed to turn this into real chances. Lack of goals is staring to look as if it could be the HANSFORD nemesis this season.

DIVISION 2

EUSTON PHEONIX Ebongue 13(p) Wind: Calm	1 : 0 ORDSALL ROVERS (H - 0.3) Att 50778 Pitch: Good
ENDOR EAGLES Setitupavic 37 Wind: Light	1 : 0 CLIFTON STARS (H - 1.5) Att 31720 Pitch: Hard
MILPITAS GALAXY Boddington 90 Att 28266 Wind: Light Pitch: Good	1 : 2 CHANCELLOR (A - 1.1) Flee zimbabwe 10 Petrovaradin 58 bkd - Wang lee (30)
EAST JERUSALEM Cinzentto 17 bkd - Watchya (88) Att 42336 Wind: Light *Derby Game*	1 : 4 LEEDS RHINOS (A - 0.1) Meriopul 40 Kim jong un 47,66,66 bkd - Gaza (41) Pitch: Good
NEWARK ALBION Michu pichu 70 Wind: Calm	1 : 0 FC VAN OUTEN (H - 1.1) Att 25857 Pitch: Good
REALE GLIMMER Donald 36 Klotzen 85 Pitch: Hard	2 : 0 CAMDEN TOWN (H - 0.5) Att 27857 Wind: Light

NEWARK OUT OF DANGER

Newark Albion left it quite late before converting overwhelming possession into a goal to win their bottom of the table battle with **FC Van Outen** today. If they could turn their midfield brilliance into more goals they'd shoot up the table Still the three points were welcome for sure. Not so good news for the Outies, bottom and pointless, Oh dear

Top three all won again this session, welcome points for them and they are certainly setting the pace. Taking up closer order were **Reale Glimmer** who even without the talents of BRAZILIAS in midfield were well worth their victory over fourth-placed **Camden Town** today. Manager LAWTON must be thinking his lads can get amongst the top three after this.

DIVISION 3

OAKLEY RANGERS Sherwood 28,46,55 Wind: Light	3 : 0 ANTARCTICA FC (H - 4.5) Att 20787 Pitch: Wet
GALWAY UTD Att 21491 Pitch: Wet	0 : 0 HUDDYMANIA FC (A - 0.3) Wind: Light

ARUWA REDS Att 20058 Wind: Light Pitch: Good	0 : 2 NEW JERSEY FC (A - 1.3) Fredga 28 Roosevelt 86
RED STAR LOFTUS Brubaker 56 Accula 88 Att 27483 Wind: Light	2 : 3 STREAMWOOD TOWN (A - 0.3) Colfax 38,47 Prospect 39 bkd - Champaign (16) Pitch: Good
TRAVELLERS UTD Att 22728 Pitch: Good	0 : 0 UBERWALD (H - 0.3) Wind: Light
CANTICLES Stanic 70 Att 28888 Wind: Light	1 : 0 FC PETERS HILL (H - 1.1) Inj - Theobald (6)/ Kilen (1) Pitch: Wet

PETERS PLAYERS LIMP OFF

Two injuries this session for struggling **FC Peters Hill**, as they went down again. Big miss will be the defensive abilities of the experienced midfielder **THEOBALD** whose injury will keep him sidelined for sometime. Still without a win this season the Hill Boys go from bad to worse. Outplayed by **Canticles** things are looking black for them, whereas hope are rising down at **STADE DE CANTICLES** where the Fisherman are moving up the table. After two home defeats this victory was most welcomes for the Man from Luton garage and they are now in reach of the top three. About time some fans are saying, they have languished in the lower reaches of the division for far too many seasons. Pay up Sutton is the cry!

Another team getting a much awaited victory were **Streamwood Town** whose 3-2 win at third-placed **Red Star** means they are unbeaten away in the league this season. Pity they can't win at home. Still three goals in nine minutes either side of half-time, two from unknown striker **COLFAX** seemed to have decided this. Not so after half time as the Hoops fired on by a wadders unique half-time team talk, almost fought back to get something from the game.

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THE VULCANO CUP

2nd Round

ENDOR EAGLES Fjord 56 Setitupavic 59 Wind: Light	2 : 1 STARBUG ESME (H - 0.9) De bob 25 Att 36816 Pitch: Wet
CAMDEN TOWN Mee 14,36 Kluft 27 Charlie sky 37 Giroud 63 Odysseus 65 Zollemarch 75 Inj - Benetton (11)	7 : 1 ROMULUS(NL) (H - 3.3) Calfield 77 bkd - Stewart (9)/ Jones (82) Att 25525 Wind: Light Pitch: Good
STREAMWOOD TOWN Colfax 58 Att 30427 Pitch: Wet	1 : 1 CLIFTON STARS (A - 0.7) Seggus 20 Wind: Light
FC VAN OUTEN Att 35160 Wind: Light	0 : 1 SANTIAGO SIRENS (A - 1.1) Klodt 59 Pitch: Wet

LEEDS RHINOS Oglala lakota 25 Att 56776 Wind: Light Pitch: Good	1 : 3 SWAN DISTRICTS (A - 0.3) Paris 19 Cooper 74 Strikeavic 90
NORTHWICH(NL) Att 16070 Wind: Light Pitch: Muddy	0 : 7 GALWAY UTD (A - 2.9) Mariupol 10 Jambongan 23,50 Zubiansli 38,40 Bi bi trumpie 57,74
EAST JERUSALEM Att 40616 Wind: Light Pitch: Good	0 : 8 AC MAILAN (A - 0.9) Mpenza 36,67,87 King 49,89 O'mulley 49,66 Splijt 59
HASTINGS UTD(NL) bkd - Flinders (42) Att 18838 Wind: Light Pitch: Wet	0 : 6 REALE GLIMMER (A - 2.1) Reid 18 Cannie 24 Donald 28 Nuremburg 59(p) Chesinka 66,81
FC FIRM Dacia 4,25,37,40 Pendlebury 48 Pitch: Good	5 : 0 TRAVELLERS UTD (H - 1.3) Att 51319 Wind: Light
MILPITAS GALAXY Boddington 54 Wind: Light	1 : 0 ORDSALL ROVERS (A - 0.3) Att 29621 Pitch: Good
REAL POTATO Mazh 80 Wind: Calm	1 : 0 PORT GLASGOW (H - 0.3) Att 20731* Pitch: Wet
LEMMINGS FC Att 28615 Wind: Light Pitch: Good	0 : 4 SV BOTTROP (A - 2.5) Breitner 25 Van himst 35 Ceulemans 49 Gotze 62
FIorentina Soderlund 67 Att 59098 Wind: Brisk	1 : 2 EUSTON PHEONIX (H - 0.9) Ebongue 31 Caires 42 Pitch: Muddy

SHOCK AS GK DAVIES STANDS FIRM AGAINST DAGGINS

NEW JERSEY FC Kennedy (j) 10 Clinton (b) 26 Fredga 39 Tavenier 49 Hung lo 76	5 : 0 HEDNESFORD (NL) (H - 2.5) bkd - Pethick (1)/ Thompson (45) Att 23614 Wind: Brisk Pitch: Good
ARUWA REDS Att 19399 Wind: Brisk	0 : 0 NEWARK ALBION (A - 0.9) bkd - Roaztic (30) Pitch: Good
THE WARRIORS Montgomerie 33 Mihai viteazul 50,81 Quito mex 59 Emeil barbarosa 80 Vo nguyen 90 Pitch: Muddy	6 : 1 PARISIAN FOXES (H - 1.7) Handy henry 90 off - Bratseth (8) Inj - Stoichov (6) Att 54584 Wind: Calm

Oh dear **BRATSETH** off after just eight minutes opened the floodgates for **The Warriors** to drive holes through the **Foxes** defence for sure. An injury to **Stoichov** as well. Whose smiling out their??



Week fifteen

THE VULCANO LEAGUE CUP

1st round Series Five

MILPITAS GALAXY Att 27249 Pitch: Wet	0 : 0 REAL POTATO Wind: Light	(A - 0.5)
HUDDYMANIA FC Att 27640* Wind: Light	0 : 1 THE WARRIORS Montgomerie 7 Pitch: Wet	(A - 0.5)
SANTIAGO SIRENS Podlaski 4,49 Klodt 10,51 Boyce 30 Ottesen 32 Cric 77	7 : 0 ANTARCTICA FC Att 44027 Wind: Brisk Pitch: Good	(H - 5.5)
TRAVELLERS UTD Att 32932* Pitch: Wet	0 : 0 FIORENTINA Wind: Light	(H - 0.3)
ARUWA REDS Wakayama 15,73 Hamamatsu 68 Pitch: Hard	3 : 0 FC VAN OUTEN Att 19044 Wind: Light	(H - 0.1)
STARBUG ESME Att 37432 Pitch: Good	0 : 0 RED STAR LOFTUS Wind: Brisk	(-)
FC PETERS HILL Inj - Ingstad (1) Att 29501 Pitch: Wet	0 : 1 NEWARK ALBION Bruce 58 Wind: Light	(A - 1.1)
LEMMINGS FC Att 30486* Pitch: Good	0 : 0 LEEDS RHINOS Wind: Light	(A - 1.1)
ENDOR EAGLES Dantooinie 28,36 Att 42384 Wind: Brisk Pitch: Good	2 : 5 SWAN DISTRICTS Ali ratz 1,52 Kim wan kon 20 Strikeavic 33 Laarson 78	(A - 1.1)
NEW JERSEY FC Att 41149 Wind: Light Pitch: Good	0 : 7 FC FIRM Nemiroff 1 Gucci 21 Dacia 27,50 Kaltz 40 Sobi 57,90	(A - 1.9)
UBERWALD Sula 34 Wind: Light	1 : 0 CANTICLES Att 22888* Pitch: Good	(A - 0.1)
CHANCELLOR Coomassie 10 Flee zimbabwe 54 Petrovaradin 75	3 : 0 GALWAY UTD Att 26438 Wind: Light Pitch: Good	(H - 1.1)
PORT GLASGOW Att 57943 Pitch: Muddy	0 : 0 AC MAILAN Wind: Light	(A - 0.9)
STREAMWOOD TOWN Att 27456 Pitch: Good	0 : 0 OAKLEY RANGERS Wind: Light	(A - 0.1)
REALE GLIMMER Reid 44 Klotzen 82 bkd - Reid (46) Wind: Light	2 : 2 EUSTON PHEONIX Ebongue 21 Modise 40 Att 38290 Pitch: Hard	(A - 0.7)
PARISIAN FOXES Ciccolino 23,42 Wemo 29 Stoichov 72 Att 46025 Wind: Light	4 : 5 CAMDEN TOWN Zollemarch 9 Mee 12,76 Charlie sky 48 Kluft 90 Pitch: Wet	(A - 0.3)
EAST JERUSALEM Hagi 48 Att 31967 Pitch: Good	1 : 1 ORDSALL ROVERS Kyiv 24 Wind: Light	(A - 0.1)
CLIFTON STARS bkd - Kleitus (57) Att 30006 Pitch: Good	0 : 1 SV BOTTROP Steenkamp 20 Wind: Light	(A - 1.9)

VULCANO LEAGUE. DIVISION 1

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 FC FIRM	6	5	1	0	17	1	16	16
2 FIORENTINA	6	5	0	1	10	3	7	15
3 REAL POTATO	6	4	1	1	7	2	5	13
4 SWAN DISTRICTS	6	3	2	1	16	3	13	11
5 PORT GLASGOW	6	3	2	1	10	5	5	11
6 AC MAILAN	6	3	1	2	11	7	4	10
7 SANTIAGO SIRENS	6	3	0	3	10	14	-4	9
8 THE WARRIORS	6	2	1	3	9	5	4	7
9 SV BOTTROP	6	2	1	3	3	4	-1	7
10 PARISIAN FOXES	6	1	1	4	11	17	-6	4
11 STARBUG ESME	6	0	0	6	2	20	-18	0
12 LEMMINGS FC	6	0	0	6	0	25	-25	0

VULCANO LEAGUE. DIVISION 2

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 ENDOR EAGLES	6	5	1	0	13	4	9	16
2 LEEDS RHINOS	6	5	0	1	15	2	13	15
3 EUSTON PHEONIX	6	5	0	1	10	3	7	15
4 REALE GLIMMER	6	4	1	1	13	6	7	13
5 CHANCELLOR	6	4	0	2	6	6	0	12
6 CAMDEN TOWN	6	3	1	2	10	6	4	10
7 MILPITAS GALAXY	6	2	1	3	6	11	-5	7
8 EAST JERUSALEM	6	2	0	4	6	12	-6	6
9 NEWARK ALBION	6	2	0	4	6	13	-7	6
10 ORDSALL ROVERS	6	1	0	5	3	7	-4	3
11 CLIFTON STARS	6	1	0	5	3	11	-8	3
12 FC VAN OUTEN	6	0	0	6	3	13	-10	0

VULCANO LEAGUE. DIVISION 3

...TEAM NAME...	PL	W	D	L	F	A	Dif	Pts
1 TRAVELLERS UTD	6	4	2	0	7	0	7	14
2 GALWAY UTD	6	4	1	1	14	3	11	13
3 NEW JERSEY FC	6	4	1	1	10	3	7	13
4 RED STAR LOFTUS	6	3	1	2	10	6	4	10
5 STREAMWOOD TOWN	6	3	1	2	11	8	3	10
6 CANTICLES	6	3	1	2	6	5	1	10
7 OAKLEY RANGERS	6	2	2	2	6	3	3	8
8 HUDDYMANIA FC	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	6
9 UBERWALD	6	1	3	2	2	4	-2	6
10 ARUWA REDS	6	1	2	3	7	8	-1	5
11 FC PETERS HILL	6	0	2	4	3	8	-5	2
12 ANTARCTICA FC	6	0	0	6	1	29	-28	0

VULCANO FRIENDLIES

UBERWALD	1 : 0 CANTICLES	(A - 0.3)
ANTARCTICA FC	0 : 1 HUDDYMANIA FC	(A - 7.5)
CHANCELLOR	0 : 1 UXBRIDGE(NL)	(A - 2.7)
ROMULUS(NL)	0 : 0 FC PETERS HILL	(A - 0.5)
RED STAR LOFTUS	1 : 0 TAMWORTH(NL)	(A - 1.5)
ILFORD(NL)	4 : 0 OAKLEY RANGERS	(H - 1.7)

WEATHER FORECAST

Temperature next session: Cool
Predicted wind speed next session: Brisk

THE VULCANO LEAGUE CUP

Quarter-final draw

FC Firm v Chancellor

Swan Districts v Port Glasgow

Fiorentina v SV Bottrup

AC Mailan v The Warriors

(To be played on sessions 8 & 9)

Both last season's finalists on the road again

TASTY 1ST DIV TIES HERE AS DIV 1 EXCELS

MANAGERS OF THER MONTH

Division One goes to manager HAILS of **Santiago Sirens**. making the Sirens sing a bit

Division Two goes to manager MCAULAY of **Euston Phoenix** what a cup win

Division Three goes to manager Sutton of **Canticles**, is this the new Migs team?

THE VULCANO CUP

3rd Round

Milpitas Galaxyv Clifton Stars or Streamwood Town

Reale Glimmer v Endor Eagles

New Jersey FC v AC Mailan

Galwy Utd v Real Potato

Camden Town v Swan Districts

SV Bottrup v Newar Labio or Aruwa Reds

Santiago Sirens v Euston Phoenix

The Warriorsv FC Firm

(To be played on Session Seven with replays)

WHAT A GAME THE DANISH BOYS CLASH

**your newsletter-writer
is Chris**



**THIS
YEAR?**

STATISTICS & RECORDS PAGE

LEADING SCORERS

DIVISION 1

1	DACIA	FC FIRM	19
2	SOBI	FC FIRM	13
3	STRIKEVIC	SWAN DISTRICTS	12
4	KELATAVIC	SWAN DISTRICTS	11
5	HAALAND	FIorentina	8
6	MPENZA	AC MAILAN	8
7	MONTGOMERIE	THE WARRIORS	8
8	ANGLAZE	PARISIAN FOXES	6

DIVISION 2

1	ZOLLEMARCH	CAMDEN TOWN	8
2	EBONGUE	EUSTON PHEONIX	8
3	DANTOOINE	ENDOR EAGLES	7
4	MEE	CAMDEN TOWN	7
5	KIM JONG UN	LEEDS RHINOS	7
6	OGLALA LAKOTA	LEEDS RHINOS	6
7	REID	REALE GLIMMER	5
8	BRUGGE	EAST JERUSALEM	5

DIVISION 3

1	BI BI TRUMPIE	GALWAY UTD	6
2	EGYPTUS	TRAVELLERS UTD	5
3	AL SWEARANGEN	TRAVELLERS UTD	5
4	ACCUA	RED STAR LOFTUS	5
5	FREDGA	NEW JERSEY FC	5
6	JAMBONGAN	GALWAY UTD	5
7	ODEGAARD	GALWAY UTD	5
8	SHERWOOD	OAKLEY RANGERS	5

THE ROLE OF SHAME

The following players are all suspended next session for the number of games shown besides their name :- BRATSETH [1] (PARISIAN FOXES) /

Consec. Home Draws

Huddymania Fc 5 games

Since A Home Draw

East Jerusalem 14 games
 Antarctica Fc 13 games
 Port Glasgow 11 games
 Canticles 11 games
 Sv Bottrop 10 games
 Euston Pheonix 9 games

PRIVATE DEALS

REAL POTATO sold CHIPPIO (18-2 DF) {APP} to CANTICLES for 150K

REAL POTATO sold GOALSPUDDIO (18-2 FW) {APP} to CANTICLES for 150K

CLIFTON STARS sold SINNER (18-2 MF) {P/S} {APP} to ANTARCTICA FC for 160K

HUDDYMANIA FC sold PAULI HUDDINI (18-2 FW) {APP} to TRAVELLERS UTD for 500K

All deals completed successfully!

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - SQUAD AGE

TOP

ANTARCTICA FC - 0

FC PETERS HILL - 3

CANTICLES - 6

BOTTOM

CHANCELLOR - 99

FC FIRM - 102

PARISIAN FOXES - 105

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - ATTENDANCE

TOP

FC FIRM - 0

AC MAILAN - 2

SWAN DISTRICTS - 4

BOTTOM

UBERWALD - 66

GALWAY UTD - 68

ARUWA REDS - 70

MANAGERIAL RATINGS - MPS

TOP

PARISIAN FOXES - 0

ENDOR EAGLES - 2

UBERWALD - 2

BOTTOM

STARBUG ESME - 64

REAL POTATO - 68

GALWAY UTD - 70

AUCTION PAGE

AUCTION RESULTS FOR SESSION FIVE

AUCTION RESULTS

POS	STATS	NAME	CLUB	FEE	NO	NHIGH
1) UT	30-12	FENIX KOMDOM	(PARISIAN FOXES)	2369K	4	2307K
2) DF	18-4	KALTZ	(SV BOTTROP)	509K	2	155K
3) DF	18-3	SCHWARZ	(SANTIAGO SIRENS)	688K	3	387K
4) DF	17-2	WEPPER	(PARISIAN FOXES)	1469K	8	1332K
5) MF	18-4	KOEBLER	(EUSTON PHEONIX)	456K	2	187K
6) MF	18-3	PAULO HUDDOLFSK	(HUDDYMANIA FC)	568K	3	378K
7) MF	18-2	HANZ	(ENDOR EAGLES)	877K	2	808K
8) FW	18-4	HITLER	(SWAN DISTRICTS)	333K	1	0K
9) FW	18-3	WELDT	(UBERWALD)	789K	4	758K
10) FW	17-0	PAULO HUDDINK	(HUDDYMANIA FC)	659K	1	0K
11) UT	23-7	KLEIN	(PARISIAN FOXES)	469K	4	387K

TORLEIV LOOKS TO SAVE HIS SEASON

HUDDY PLANNINS AHEAD?

All players not shown were unsold.

ROLLING AUCTION FOR SESSION SIX

SOMETHING DIFFERENT

This is a Bosman Auction (name of player must start BOS) then the player name by the way

You are bidding for the contract of the player x 10 sessions

i.e. I might bid 20K for a player and name him BOS CRANFIELD - if I won the player he would join my side for 20K and arrive on a contract of 20K for nine sessions

Be careful though!!! if you offer 500K you will have to pay wages of 500K for ten sessions So be careful you could bankrupt yourself

Players bought in this auction CANNOT be transferred to other teams this season, though you CAN sell them to the non-league

- 1) 18-10 SW P NON APP
- 2) 19-10 DF/A PS
- 3) 30-12 DF P 101 capt games 90 BW
- 4) 18-9 MF P NON App [8.5 Qual]
- 5) 21-12 MF S RISER
- 6) 18-11 FW S NON APP
- 7) 26-13 STAR WG PS Fader

(All players are of Finnish NAT)

8) DF 21-5 P -Diolch of Huddymania Fc
{RES 150k - 74% BW/ 49% CR}

EURO CHAMPIONS TROPHY GAMES

1st round - group games will be played on S2

1st round - group games will be played on S4

1st round - group games will be played on S7

Quarter finals - (over two legs) - on S8 & 10

Semi-finals (over one leg and neutral grounds) on S13

Final on neutral ground on S16

EURO CUP-WINNERS CUP GAMES

1st round - 1st legs will be played on S2

1st round - 2nd legs will be played on S4

2nd round - 1st legs will be played on S7

2nd round - 2nd legs will be played on S8

Semi-final - 1st legs will be played on S10

Semi-final - 2nd legs will be played on S13

Final on neutral ground on S16

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)

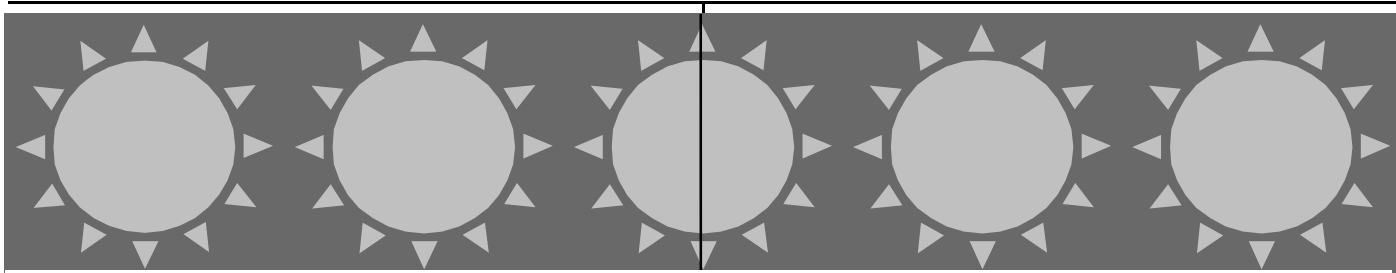
LEAGUE CUP GAMES

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)

Please note that from now onwards it is illegal to sell any player and then buy him back in the next three sessions FOR ANY REASON WHATSOEVER. If you do that playing will be banned for



CHAMPIONS TROPHY

GROUP ONE

WAMPHYRI LORDS (GIO)
CLUB CRUCZEIRO (COP)
INTER EAST HAM (MOO)
STALIN CITY (CLO)

GROUP TWO

BELFAST BAY (GIO)
BITTESWELL (ROB))
GLOBAL TITANS (MOO)
AC MAILAN (VUL)

GROUP THREE

FC CITY (GIO)
SALVATION FC (ROB)
UPTON PARK (MOO)
SV BOTRRUP(VUL)

GROUP FOUR

MAILERS (COP)
NATIONALISTAS (ROB))
SEASIDE TOWN (CLO)
FC FIRM (VUL)

SCHEDULE

s2 A V B / C V D

S4 B V C / D V A

S7 A V C / D V B

as normal an away win / draw gets you an
extra point and top two in each group

CUP-WINNERS CUP

1ST ROUND DRAW

COMICS UTD (CLO) V THE WARRIOORS (VUL)
PAPEETE (COP) V PIEDRA DE ORO (MOO)
TAMUDA BAY(GIO)V ESCHTERGOM (CLO)
YOUNG LIONS (CLO)V TRENTO (COP)
TORONTO STORM (ROB) V FIORENTINA (VUL)
WATCHMEN (MOO) V TATTOINE REBELS (GIO)
TERROIRS (ROB) V GRIM LEMERAEL (GIO)
SWAN DISTRICTS (VUL) V RED STAR (MOO)

(To be played on s2 & 4)



Champions Trophy

CLUB CRUZEIRO Lukakii 26 Vanat 39,72 Faseser 49 Pitch: Hard	4 : 1 INTER EAST HAM (H - 0.5) Pikui 35 Att 60643 Wind: Gale
STALIN CITY Att 56018* Wind: Brisk Pitch: Hard	0 : 0 WAMPHYRI LORDS (H - 0.3) bkd - Alma (62)/ Liam king (78)/ Beru (2)
BITTESWELL Brudle 51(p) Eguisheim 85 Scottish 87 Pitch: Hard	3 : 0 GLOBAL TITANS (H - 0.9) off - Jerusalem (73) Att 54491 Wind: Brisk
AC MAILAN King 26 Remicade 31 Pitch: Hard	2 : 0 BELFAST BAY (H - 1.1) Att 57107 Wind: Brisk
SALVATION FC Att 50960* Pitch: Hard	0 : 0 UPTON PARK FC (H - 1.3) Wind: Brisk
SV BOTTRUP Bonhof 48 Inj - Ceulemans (1) Pitch: Wet	1 : 0 FC CITY (H - 0.3) Att 29603 Wind: Brisk
NATIONALISTAS Att 45968 Pitch: Good	0 : 0 SEASIDE TOWN FC (A - 0.7) Wind: Brisk
FC FIRM (t)raul 16 Wind: Gale	1 : 0 MAILERS (H - 0.5) Att 63769 Pitch: Hard
THE WARRIORS	0 : 1 COMICS UNITED (A - 0.3)

THE INTERNATIONAL ROLE OF SHAME

The following players are all suspended next session for the number of games shown besides their name :- JERUSALEM [1] (GLOBAL TITANS) /

CUP-WINNERS CUP

Quarter-final Draw

Trento v Comics Utd

Watchmen v Tamuda Bay

Papeete v Fiorentina

Grim Lemereal v Swan Districts

(To be played on sessions 7 & 8 two legged)

Group One

Club Cruzeiro 5
Stalin City 5
Wamphyri Lords 3
Inter East Ham 0

Club top the group with one to go after **Stalin & Wamphyri** battled to a draw. Big one now is Club v Stalin in the final match

Group Two

All four teams on three points one win one defeat a piece

Final game sees **Bitteswell** against **AC Mailan**. One of these is going out I would guess

Group Three

Upton Park 5
Salvation FC 3
SV Bottrup 3
FC City 1

Upton Park faves here while **Salvation & Bottrup** meet perhaps to decide who goes through

Group Four

FC Firm 5
Nationalistas 3
Seaside Town 3
Mailers 1

Firm look on their way to qualifying. Second place up for grabs can **Seaside** go through

CUP-WINNERS CUP

Att 51331 Wind: Brisk	PIEDRA DE ORO	0 : 2 PAPEETE	(A - 0.1)
Att 41362 Wind: Brisk Pitch: Hard	ESCHTERGOM UTD	1 : 1 TAMUDA BAY	(H - 0.3)
Chernev 78 Att 32514* Pitch: Hard	TRENTO	3 : 1 YOUNG LIONS FC	(H - 0.7)
Ruud gullible 14 Hall 42 Minhiriath 88 Pitch: Hard	FIorentina	1 : 0 TORONTO STORM	(H - 1.5)
Soderlund 29 Wind: Brisk	TATOOINE REBELS	1 : 1 WATCHMEN	(A - 0.1)
Zelensky 12(og) Att 28325 Pitch: Hard	GRIM LEMAREAL	3 : 1 TERROIRS	(H - 0.9)
Otan 17,67,83 Att 29564 Pitch: Hard	RED STAR ODESSA	2 : 2 SWAN DISTRICTS	(A - 0.7)
Enguiso 49,77 Att 38664 Wind: Brisk		Laquin 12 Pitch: Good	
		Mukuh 37 Popescu 57	
		Rhine 25 Wind: Gale	
		Lothbrook 57 Att 29634 Wind: Brisk	
		Att 49482 Pitch: Wet	
		Colding 7(p) Wind: Brisk	
		Aqua 83 Wind: Brisk	
		Mitchell 71 Bastille 88 Pitch: Good	

INTERNATIONAL SQUADS

FRANCE INTERNATIONAL SQUAD

1)	GARDIEN	GK	23-12	SV BOTTROP
2)	JIM BAPI	GK	18-10	CLIFTON STARS
3)	DUVERNE	SW	20-11	P/S PORT GLASGOW
4)	BASTILLE	DF	23-12	P/S SWAN DISTRICTS
5)	DE MOLAY	DF	21-12	S THE WARRIORS
6)	MOULINS	DF	20-9	S ENDOR EAGLES
7)	PONTIVY	DF	20-9	S STARBUG ESME
8)	ROCHELLE	DF	21-8	S CANTICLES
9)	HANDY HENRY	MF/A/D	29-12	P/S PARISIAN FOXES
10)	LA BELLE	MF/A/D	30-12	S ENDOR EAGLES
11)	STRAVIUS	MF/A	21-12	S CANTICLES
12)	AUCUNRISQUE	MF/D	19-10	S EAST JERUSALEM
13)	GIROUD	MF	19-11	S CAMDEN TOWN
14)	PARIS	FW	20-12	P/S SWAN DISTRICTS
15)	VERCINGETORIX	FW	20-12	S THE WARRIORS
16)	BENZEMA	FW	19-10	P LEMMINGS FC
17)	LOUIS VITTON	FW	22-9	P/S PARISIAN FOXES
18)	NUCLEAIRE	FW	19-10	P/S CANTICLES

GERMANY INTERNATIONAL SQUAD

1)	HOUFF	GK	24-12	UBERWALD
2)	MAIER	GK	18-5	GALWAY UTD
3)	FRITZ	SW	20-8	P REAL POTATO
4)	TIRPITZ	SW	18-3	P/S SWAN DISTRICTS
5)	NUREMBURG	DF	23-13	S REALE GLIMMER
6)	KALTZ	DF	19-11	P/S FC FIRM
7)	BREITNER	DF	20-12	P SV BOTTROP
8)	BECKENBAUER	DF	19-12	S GALWAY UTD
9)	SAMMER	DF	23-12	P SV BOTTROP
10)	SANE	MF/G	22-13	S NEW JERSEY FC
11)	MATTHAUS	MF	25-14	P SV BOTTROP
12)	EMEIL BARBAROSAMF/A/D	21-12	S THE WARRIORS	
13)	SEEBOHM	MF/A	20-11	S FC VAN OUTEN
14)	BONHOF	MF	23-12	P/S SV BOTTROP
15)	GOTZE	FW	24-13	P SV BOTTROP
16)	KLOTZEN	FW	20-12	S REALE GLIMMER
17)	KLODT	FW	19-11	S SANTIAGO SIRENS
18)	HANNO MAG	FW	20-9	S REALE GLIMMER
19)	GERHARD	WG	21-7	P/S EAST JERUSALEM
20)	FENIX KOMDOM	UT	30-12	P PARISIAN FOXES
21)	AMADEUS	UT	21-12	S SANTIAGO SIRENS
22)	GOTZE	UT	25-12	S UBERWALD

ITALY INTERNATIONAL SQUAD

1)	PRADA	GK	19-12	FC FIRM
2)	WADDI	SW	18-2	S RED STAR LOFTUS
3)	GUCCI	DF/A	20-12	P/S FC FIRM
4)	PASTATELLO	DF	18-12	S UBERWALD
5)	SIGNIFER	DF	20-10	S ARUWA REDS
6)	TUSCLONI	DF	20-10	P CLIFTON STARS
7)	SCUSI	DF	18-6	S ENDOR EAGLES
8)	ZIPELLI	MF/A/D	35-12	S ORDSALL ROVERS
9)	MALDINI	MF/D	22-12	S EUSTON PHEONIX
10)	BIANCO	MF	19-12	S EUSTON PHEONIX
11)	TITIAN	MF/A	24-10	P HUDDYMANIA FC
12)	MASSA	MF	19-9	P LEMMINGS FC
13)	CINZENTO	FW	20-12	S EAST JERUSALEM
14)	PANTANI	FW	19-11	S ENDOR EAGLES
15)	CICCOLINO	FWT	27-9	P/S PARISIAN FOXES
16)	ZUPPA DI PATATE	WG	20-10	S ARUWA REDS
17)	TESSERARIUS	FWS	26-4	P/S FC FIRM

NORWAY INTERNATIONAL SQUAD

1)	RASPEBALL	GK	18-12	REAL POTATO
2)	GALSKAP	GK	18-12	STARBUG ESME
3)	BRATSETH	SW	21-12	P PARISIAN FOXES
4)	ODEGAARD	DF	22-12	S GALWAY UTD
5)	PETADO	DF	20-11	P/S CHANCELLOR
6)	LANGELAND	DF	19-10	P FC PETERS HILL
7)	AJER	DF	19-10	P STARBUG ESME
8)	OSTIGAARD	DF	19-10	P OAKLEY RANGERS
9)	LAARSON	MF/A/D	33-12	P/S SWAN DISTRICTS
10)	OVERLI	MF/A/D	32-12	S FIORENTINA
11)	DAHLI	MF/A/D	25-12	S PORT GLASGOW
12)	BERGE	MF/A	22-12	S SANTIAGO SIRENS
13)	SOLBAKKEN	MF	19-12	P MILPITAS GALAXY
14)	HAALAND	FW	21-12	P/S FIORENTINA
15)	SODERLUND	FW	23-12	P/S FIORENTINA
16)	KING	FW	20-9	P/S AC MAILAN
17)	KILEN	FW	19-9	P/S FC PETERS HILL
18)	KLIPPENBERG	FW	20-9	P FC VAN OUTEN
19)	CHIPS	UT	24-12	P/S SWAN DISTRICTS
20)	FJORD	UT	27-12	S ENDOR EAGLES
21)	WILJA	UT	24-12	P/S NEWARK ALBION

SCOTLAND INTERNATIONAL SQUAD

1)	OBAN	GK	18-11	LEMMINGS FC
2)	HAGGIS	GK	18-11	LEEDS RHINOS
3)	CLEWS	SW	18-5	P/S EAST JERUSALEM
4)	REID	DF/A	21-12	S REALE GLIMMER
5)	CORUSCANT	DF	19-10	P/S EAST JERUSALEM
6)	RUSH	DF	20-9	P LEMMINGS FC
7)	MACANRANI	DF	18-2	S REALE GLIMMER
8)	CANNIE	MF/A/D	34-12	S REALE GLIMMER
9)	LUDLEY	MF/A	31-12	S MILPITAS GALAXY
10)	HENDERSON	MF/G	24-12	P/S LEEDS RHINOS
11)	MITCHELL	MF	20-12	P/S SWAN DISTRICTS
12)	DALGLISH	MF/A	23-10	S ORDSALL ROVERS
13)	DIAMOND	FW	20-11	P/S CANTICLES
14)	CHESTNUTY	FW	21-11	S OAKLEY RANGERS
15)	CANNIE	FW	20-9	P REAL POTATO
16)	BRUCE	FW	21-8	P/S NEWARK ALBION
17)	PROVAN	FW	22-6	P/S LEEDS RHINOS
18)	MCSTAY	UT	23-6	P/S ORDSALL ROVERS

SERBIA INTERNATIONAL SQUAD

1)	RANKAVIC	GK	23-12	THE WARRIORS
2)	SAVEAVIC	GK	20-9	ENDOR EAGLES
3)	KATOVICH	DF	23-12	P LEMMINGS FC
4)	MECHANIC	DF	20-11	P REAL POTATO
5)	KOSOVO	DF	19-10	S ORDSALL ROVERS
6)	SPRAGGIC	DF	21-8	P FC PETERS HILL
7)	TERZIC	DF	18-2	P/S ANTARCTICA FC
8)	SPLIJT	MF/A/D	23-12	P/S AC MAILAN
9)	STANIC	MF/G	23-12	S CANTICLES
10)	SASA KALAJDZIC	MF	21-12	P/S CHANCELLOR
11)	JURASSIC	MF	19-11	P CHANCELLOR
12)	PASSAVIC	MF	20-9	P SV BOTTROP
13)	STRIKEAVIC	FWT	20-12	P/S SWAN DISTRICTS
14)	KELATAVIC	FW	20-12	P/S SWAN DISTRICTS
15)	CRIC	FWT	24-12	S SANTIAGO SIRENS
16)	ARCHROMA	FWS	22-12	P NEWARK ALBION
17)	SETITUPAVIC	FW	19-11	S ENDOR EAGLES
18)	STURCAVIC	UT	19-11	S ENDOR EAGLES
19)	POTATOVSKI	UT	21-9	P/S CAMDEN TOWN
20)	DAVOLJA VAROSUT	UT	20-8	P TRAVELLERS UTD

USA INTERNATIONAL SQUAD**WALES INTERNATIONAL SQUAD**

1) BEZOS	GK	18-12	TRAVELLERS UTD
2) COCHISE	GK	19-9	THE WARRIORS
3) GALESBURG	SW	20-8	S STREAMWOOD TOW
4) CHAMPAIGN	SW	18-8	P STREAMWOOD TOW
5) KENNEDY (J)	DF	20-12	S NEW JERSEY FC
6) LINCOLN	DF	20-12	S NEW JERSEY FC
7) BONNIE	DF/A	20-11	S SWAN DISTRICTS
8) CARTER	DF	21-12	P/S CHANCELLOR
9) ROOSEVELT	DF	21-12	P NEW JERSEY FC
10) FOX	MF/D	23-12	P/S STREAMWOOD TOW
11) AXEL	MF/A	29-12	S CHANCELLOR
12) ROBB	MF/D	24-12	S EUSTON PHEONIX
13) WASHINGTON	MF/A	20-12	S TRAVELLERS UTD
14) WASHINGTON	MF	21-13	P/S LEEDS RHINOS
15) JACKSON	WG	28-12	P/S LEEDS RHINOS
16) CLINTON (B)	FW	20-12	P NEW JERSEY FC
17) GLENBARD	FWS	19-12	S STREAMWOOD TOW
18) ANDERSON	FW	24-12	S PORT GLASGOW
19) OGLALA LAKOTA	FW	22-12	P/S LEEDS RHINOS
20) BI BI TRUMPIE	UT	31-13	P GALWAY UTD
21) DONALD	UT	22-12	S REALE GLIMMER
22) GARCHA	UT	22-12	S EUSTON PHEONIX

1) MURENSEN	GK	19-12	AC MAILAN
2) DAVIES	GK	20-12	EUSTON PHEONIX
3) JOVASAY	SW	21-8	P OAKLEY RANGERS
4) BOYCE	DF/A	28-12	S SANTIAGO SIRENS
5) ERNST	DF	19-10	P/S AC MAILAN
6) ROBERTS	DF	20-10	S PORT GLASGOW
7) YORATH	DF	22-7	P/S NEWARK ALBION
8) DIOLCH	DF	21-6	P HUDDYMANIA FC
9) REMICADE	MF/D	27-12	P/S AC MAILAN
10) BALE	MF/G	21-12	P/S HUDDYMANIA FC
11) SHADWELL	MF/G	22-12	S SWAN DISTRICTS
12) ABAAARYSTWYTHM	MF/D22-12	P/S	LEEDS RHINOS
13) MARK	MF	21-12	P/S AC MAILAN
14) SAM ASHFORD	FWS	19-12	S MILPITAS GALAXY
15) SHERWOOD	FW	20-12	P OAKLEY RANGERS
16) FENCHURCH	FW	21-12	S TRAVELLERS UTD
17) DAFFODIL	FWS	22-7	P OAKLEY RANGERS
18) EVANS	UT	21-12	P/S MILPITAS GALAXY
19) ALEX	UT	22-7	P/S AC MAILAN
20) EFFRON	UT	21-8	S RED STAR LOFTUS

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

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

MIUTTERINGS AND MEANDERINGS OF THE KICKABOUT MIND

Every now and again a manger comes begging, silly me, I've fooked up something in a deal, can you action it. Answer always is NO, tough shit fella, be more careful, and got other things to do. Only way we'll do this is - action the deal, but you can't use the player in the next session. moral, check your turns

FORTHCOMING KA WEEKENDS

**And Bo has offered to host us all at his place in Odense 14th-17th
May**

**Bo, Rob, Tim, Dennis & Jens 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**

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

Gerard, Seamus, Jens, 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?**

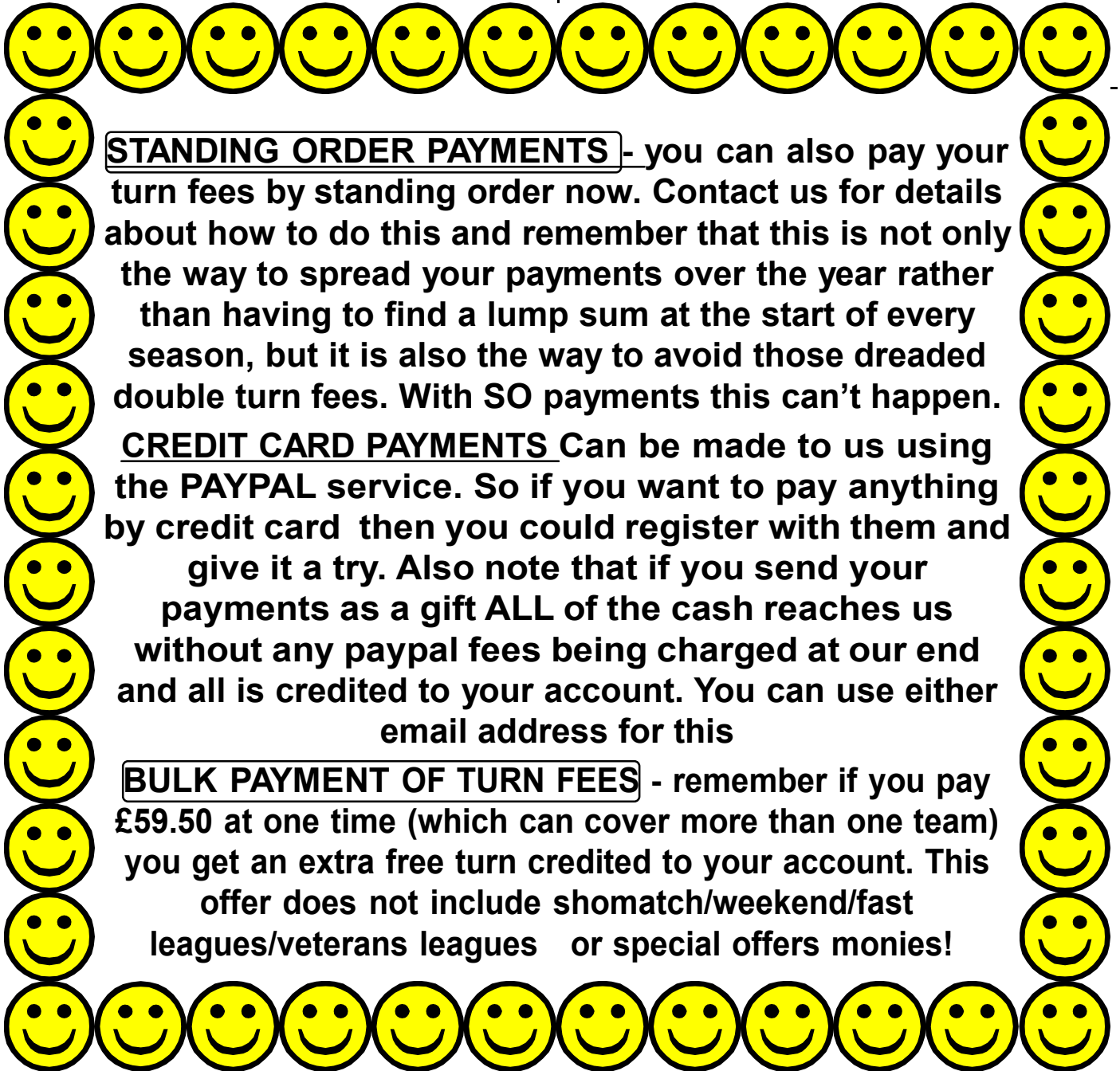
**By universal accliation it was decided at the xmas pubmeet that we will return
to Norwich for the special one, it is easy to get to, every knows and enjoys it
there**

**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

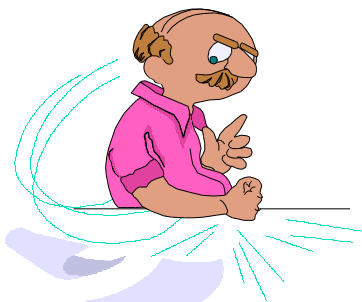
MAY 2028 - GLASGEE



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.

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 use either email address for this

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/fast leagues/veterans leagues or special offers monies!



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.

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 newsletters, etc.

The latest version now available at

<http://dodge.me.uk/markinfo.exe>



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](#)

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.

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



VIRTUAL WEEKEND

SATURDAY 7th February 2026

Pul Hudson, Adrtian, Scott Abraham, Paul Waddingham, Gerard, Craig Lawton, Tim Roberts, Dag & Pete Condon

Come on the rest of you

Plan to hold another virtual in february if there is enough support.

Get your names down quickly if you are interested



STARTING OUT TIPS

If you are lucky you may have a couple of million in the Bank but that won't be enough to turn things around in a couple of sessions. You need to be committed to be in this for the long haul.

?Have a plan. Base your coaching on getting 2 SPS per session. If you get a few more along the way as the season progresses then great either cash them or coach an extra youth player. Aim to coach your APP's & SBY's to level 12's by seasons end. Better to have 3 17/18 yr old level 12's than 5 level 8's.

?Clear out the 24-4's etc. to get them off the wage bill as they will be on relatively high wages. Either sell them to other managers at below NL price (you will still benefit vs selling to NL due to wages). If you can't get a buyer then hold on to them and run their contract down before selling to NL by session 10 _ sales to NL go to half price after that.

?Play 2 APPS or a SBY every game unless you have a realistic chance of winning but try to win your derby games. Keep your MP's for derby games, matches against fellow strugglers and for (hopefully) a bit of a run in the Bowl.

?Build up your cash balance. Keep building this until you have at least circa £8m. Try to pick up bargains (below NL value) from the auction so you can then sell them on at a profit.

?Invest money in youth. Don't rely on this producing multiple MF specialists, unless your name is Morten. What you will hopefully get is a few FUT's which you can coach at 0.5 SP per level or sell for cash. This is a good way of increasing your teams' skill level quickly.

?Choose a category for the team and aim to get all the players of the same category (P, S or P/S). Having a power team is easier to build up quickly as there are more of them, there are plenty of 95 BW's around and are cheap to buy. However, longer term you will need to change the category of them team as power teams don't become super teams.

?If you have players that don't match your chosen category look to trade them for another player who is. It is rare your team will be full of P/S players so if you have any it may be best to move them on to build up your cash balance or trade for another player.

?Look to get a good quality GK and SW. You may not win many matches but two level 12's at the back could bring in some extra SP's through 0-0 draws.

?Don't coach anyone over the age of 18 unless there is a really good reason to do so e.g. 23-10 MF specialist.

?You need a captain so you can afford one player over the age of 19 _ hopefully your captain will star or get rejuvenated.

?Within 2 seasons you should have a team full of level 12's and a decent cash balance as a solid platform to start your ascent to being the next KA super team.

Good luck!

MY TEAMS

This is a new section where managers get to write something about their teams. A team you love, a team you have had success with, a team that frustrates you, anything, even a team you had in the past. We don't want a novel just a few lines or so about that team. Have asked the newsletter-writers to start the ball rolling, but open to all of you?

The Rise and Fall and Fall of Cinema FC (Montgomery)

I started playing this game in 1995 when I met a guy called Graham Steadman in a new job. His brown envelope got me curious and as we both loved football, I was hooked. I'd read the Montgomery newsletter from back to front on the train to Brighton, I knew who managed every club and knew all the players in the Internationals! My team was Cinema FC, and as I gradually learned the game, they got better, went fully P/S and within a couple of seasons I won the UEFA Cup with them (edging out Tommo at Thomoslavia in the Ramsey). They didn't win the league but we went close. Then, we spiralled downwards to Division Three. They really are my worst non-star team, about 3 or 4 stars only since about 1998 - crazy. I've tried to turn them around but season after season, we've not got any better. We had a crowd walkout one year which damaged the finances further and without cash the squad is looking more desperate than Colly after finding out last orders had already been called 20 minutes ago. They are my first team so will never be dropped but I'm still looking for something magical to happen for us to start making the long road back to Div One seem possible.

GM - One of the iconic KA chants comes from Cranners, 'I ain't got no stars'!!

My Most Frustrating Team (by Dave Hails)

I have many teams across the leagues. Some of them I am really happy with, some are really frustrating, and some I just don't understand what is going on! Some are challenging for honours, others are in various stages of rebuild. But the team I am currently most frustrated with is AFC Europa in the Raleigh league. Tipped to do well this season, they are currently bottom of division 3 with no wins in the league yet. The start of the season was OK, dominating matches, but struggling to get shots on target. Then the injuries kicked in! 7 injuries so far, in 6 sessions. 7 injuries, and none of them training injuries. They were all incurred in matches - so all involved lost levels and players unavailable. Time and again, I have been unable to field my best team, because of injuries. Aargh! Oh well, I think I have them all back fit again now - at least I will do once I've dealt with the potentially career threatening injury to my SBY! Now all I have to do is train them to actually get shots on target. It's a bit like watching Brighton play! Lots of possession, but no end product.

GM - another Brighton supporter, nuff said, keep on trucking Mr Hails