

Season 24/25 - Newsletter 8

The 13/1 bet nearly came off this round, Forest's late equaliser ensured the bookies kept the money.

This was the first round this season, everyone scored more than zero. An accomplishment I'm sure you'd agree, all the GuessWork is on The Archives tab if you want to check it out.

In the table, the top two hold their places, Tumbledwyer have a 25 point lead at the top, with last season's Champs in second.

Chelsea Hawks moved up 5 places to third, and the winners this round, 58 Years Of Hurt, moved up 14 (FOURTEEN) places to fourth spot.

Early days, titles aren't decided in Round 7, no need to start taking pictures of the crowd yet.

THE TABLE (CLICK 4 TABLE)	PTS	+/-	S	R	W
Tumbledwyer	343.34		17	26	41
Lard Lovers XI	318.75		12	38	34
Chelsea Hawks	314.22	5	13	33	38
58 Years Of Hurt	307.86	14	13	35	36
Wigstown Rovers	306.27	2	11	35	38
Bachman & Robin	305.59	-2	15	27	42
GraniteCity Fox	304.35	-4	10	32	42
Lady Harney Of Yanchep	289.92	7	13	28	43
I Did Warne You	289.49	-4	14	31	39
Canada Knows Best	285.82	-4	12	34	38

23/09/2024 04:07:06	Score	58 Years Of Hurt	Addicks Fan	Lady Harney Of Yanchep
GAMES & POINTS FOR RD 7		84.63	67.89	64.31
West Ham vs Chelsea	0 3	1 2	2 2	1 1
Aston Villa vs Wolves	3 1	2 1 G	1 0	3 1 G
Fulham vs Newcastle	3 1	1 2	2 1	1 2
Leicester vs Everton	1 1	2 2	2 0	1 2
Liverpool vs Bournemouth	3 0	3 0 G	3 0 G	2 0
Southampton vs Ipswich	1 1	1 1	2 2	2 0
Tottenham vs Brentford	3 1	2 0 E	2 0 G	3 1 E
Crystal Palace vs Manchester United	0 0	1 2	3 1	1 2
Brighton vs Nottingham Forest	2 2	2 1	1 1	2 0
Manchester City vs Arsenal	2 2	2 2	3 1	1 1
Arsenal W vs Man City W	2 2	2 2	2 2	1 1
Inter Milan vs AC Milan	1 2	2 2	3 2	1 0

As per the previous weeks, Guaranteed Bankers pushed the top three forward.

58 Years Of Hurt backed up the Liverpool 3-0 banker with three more correct scores to score 84.63 points.

Addicks Fan also had Liverpool's 3-0 Banked, and added another correct score, in amongst the 67.89 total they had.

Lady Harney Of Yanchep Banked on Villa, and also had Spurs 3-1 win in their 64.31 point total.

A good round for many, and as

mentioned earlier, no negative scores this round.

Kanu Feel It topped The Picks this round.

It followed a strong round for them last time, and sees them now top of The Picks Table.

You'll Never Guess Alone were second this round, and moved up 4 places to second in the table also

THE PICKS TOP 5 (R7)	PTS
Kanu Feel It	327.66
You'll Never Guess Alone	320.55
Man Utd 4 The Win	307.52
Lard Lovers XI	305.78
Empire of the Son	305.06

THE PICKS	PTS	+/-	L	C	P
Kanu Feel It	1767.63	1	957	110	676
You'll Never Guess Alone	1722.85	4	1010	94	619
Jurgena-Like-It... Not A Slot	1695.96	-2	885	178	633
Bachman & Robin	1683.38	-1	898	150	586
Super Maresca	1665.92	2	877	95	694
Red Dogs	1645.96	-2	973	64	608
Tumbledwyer	1637.67	-2	913	94	581
The Old Apprentices	1630.72	3	871	82	678
Lard Lovers XI	1620.93	11	926	49	646
Borussia Munchingflapjack	1620.79		942	24	655
Chelsea Hawks	1616.17	-3	945	57	608
The Sedgley Stalker	1610.98	9	906	60	637
Canada Knows Best	1597.90	-4	868	141	589

Man Utd 4 The Win were third, Lard Lovers XI fourth in Round 7

The Previous leaders have dropped a couple of places to third after this round.

The table will remain fluid for some time, and we have another midweek of cup games to add points, with Picks in the Carabao and Europa League starting to add points to all our totals (hopefully).

Players are starting to add some serious points to Picks totals as well, and also, of course, counting in 'The Manager' of the season.

The Squad you have assembled will have an impact, and the first of three transfer windows this season, opens over the next couple of Rounds, closing when we get to the deadline for Round 8, with the transfers taking place once that round ends.

You can make up to four transfers in each round. The same rules apply as were in place at the start, no forwards or keepers in the wild card picks, and you can pick anyone from the leagues we cover.....

The top players from this Round are shown here. Interestingly, top was Chelsea's Keeper (!) in a game they won 3-0. I didn't watch the game, but a win, clean sheet and 7 saves all added to Sanchez's total. A total shared by no-one, as he's not been picked by anyone, yet.

Top Players This Round	Pts	(G - A - CS - S)
Robert Sanchez (0)	27.72	(--1-7)
Dean Henderson (2)	24.67	(--1-7)
Luis Diaz (1)	21.10	(2--1-)
Nicolas Jackson (2)	20.30	(2-1--)
Ivan Toney (4)	18.43	(2-1--)
Samuel Omorodion (0)	17.90	(2---)
Andre Onana (12)	17.37	(--1-4)
Christian Pulisic (3)	16.91	(1--0-)
Emile Smith Rowe (2)	16.80	(1--0-)
Fran Kirby (1)	16.26	(1--1-)
David Raya (19)	16.17	(--0-9)
Ezri Konsa (2)	15.09	(1--0-)
Kepa Arrizabalaga (0)	14.88	(--0-9)
James Maddison (12)	14.61	(1--0-)

Also worth mentioning the others to make the top this round that no-one's picked, are a forward Chelsea couldn't sign, and a keeper they've got rid of!!

In the Fans League, Derby have stayed top despite losing to Man City Fans 1-2. They are ahead of Newcastle, who beat Plymouth 1-3 and Chelsea Fans, who beat Liverpool Fans 2-0, on goal difference. More on the Dashboard

THE GRAND PRIX TOP 5 (R7)	PTS	GP PTS
58 Years Of Hurt	61.42	1st = 25
Racing Todabogs	49.51	2nd = 18
Borussia Munchingflapjack	49.22	3rd = 15
The WolfPack	47.96	4th = 12
Chelsea Hawks	46.62	5th = 10

58 Years Of Hurt's Round also saw them top the Grand Prix 'race', this time.

The 25 points for the win were the first they've accumulated in the competition.

GRAND PRIX	PTS	# Top 10s
Tumbledwyer	62	3
I Did Warne You	49	3
KaneAndDisable	42	4
Chelsea Hawks	40	3
Lard Lovers XI	37	3
Canada Knows Best	33	2
McGinn & Tonic	31	2
Chips & Gravy	26	2
Racing Todabogs	26	2
58 Years Of Hurt	25	1
Empire Of The Son	25	1
Muzzy's Allstars	25	1

Racing Todabogs came in second, just ahead of Borussia Munchingflapjack, and picked up 18 points, with Flapjack taking 15 points.

Tumbledwyer stay top overall, from I Did Warne You in 2nd place.

KaneAndDisable have now appeared in the top 10 in 4 of the 7 Rounds contested so far, and move up into 3rd place.

There's another 25 points on offer for the winner of Round 8 this midweek.

And so onto Round 8, a 'Midweek' with Carabao and Europa League games making up the bulk of the fixtures. It was meant to be last week and the Champions League but, TBH, I forgot!!!. So this week instead.

Now if you've read this, there's a chance to have **TWO EXTRA Banker points this round**, that's 2 additional Enhanced Games or one extra Guaranteed. All you need to do is WhatsApp "+2" to me and I will make sure you're OK for 7 Banker points this round.

That could be useful in a round that is, honestly, filled with pretty easy games to predict the outcome of, so 7 bankers might come in useful.

The Deadline for RD8 is Tuesday at 5PM. That's 5PM UK time... Tuesday the 24th September.

Tomorrow.

I will chase you, possibly more than once.... You know I will

Steve
AKA.. Denied By The WoodWork