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1. Introduction

Refer to GM's ramble, section 14.

2. Broadcast messages

Jaap Smolders, Ajax: «This season we just try to live!»

Håvard Pettersen, Flaaklypa FK: «Hello all, and welcome to a new season!!!!»

Ryoga Hibiki, Furinkan Matsudai Doshitemo: «Furinkan koko wa doko nan da?»

Jørgen Vehusheia, Jedi Order: «A lord of the Sith is controlling the Senate. Also, Endor is made completely out of cheese!»
GM's comment: Mmmmmmm.... cheese!

Nestor Aparatschik, Party Chief, Kremlin: «The revolution has succeeded, and the Comrades are ready to bring a red flavour to the corrupt Rosedale environment. We will stick at nothing to reach our goals, which mean wiping out all our enem... *uhm* opponents. Too bad the Republican Party is already buried, we would love to eat their members, dead or alive, we couldn't care less.»

Jørgen Bjørnelv, Manager Rosewich: «OH MY GOD! TIME FOR A NEW SEASON!!! YAHOOOOO!!!!»

«We will, we will, Eat You! (stomp - stomp clap. Stomp-stomp clap) We will, we will, Eat You! (stomp - stomp clap. Stomp-stomp clap).
----Monsters Team fight song.»

Jørgen Bjørnelv, Norwegian Vikings: «Hi again everybody, Its so nice to start a new season;) Welcome to all the new noobs;P (I am an old one...) lol! GL to everyone. HAVE FUN!»

Håvard Pettersen, Odd Athletics: «Prepare for odd events!»

Jaap Smolders, PSV: «Well a lot of new teams, all new managers good luck!»

Alex Trenev, Sofia Inseminaters: «Bring me virgins. More virgins. Female, if possible. Thanx.»

Gordon Cole, Twin Peaks Owls: «WE'VE GOT A DIFFERENT PROBLEM HERE, COOP. TWO PLUS TWO DOES NOT ALWAYS EQUAL FOUR!»

3. Apprentices discovered

Call of Cthulhu:	Shudde M'ell, Ythogtha, Zoth-Ommog
Grunts United:	Karato, Potato, Tomato
Monkey Business:	Captain Rottingham, Dinghy Dog, Vegetarian Cannibal
World Ambassadors:	Beau Barnett, Lou Giacobbi, Paul M. Brillantes
Gangsters United:	Tony Soprano
Sale Savoyards:	Josephine, Ruth
Mishima Zaibatsu:	Armor King, Baek Doo San, Jack 5
Batt in Blax:	James Franklin, James Marshall
Camarilla Divided:	Geen the mysterious, Jerry 'distant' Time, Tom 'the late' Woods
Lower Tadfield Apocalypse:	Buggre Alle Thif Bible, Marvin O. Bagman, R.P. Tyler
Saturday Morning FC:	Inspector Gadget, Rainbow Brite, Voltron
Dangermouse:	Colonel K, Dangermouse, Penfold
Flaaklypa FK:	Carlos van Dangio, Jimmy McQuick, Rubino Gazzolini
Dead Dino Storage:	3rd And The Mortal, Shining, White Willow
the Ancients:	Cladontannus, Hexaplidusarus, Raksiakus
The 5 Percent Community:	Kjetil Loevvik, Per Egil Swift, Sture Fladmark
Ajax:	Babel, Galasek, van der Vaart
First Men of Rome:	Cato, Catullus, Trajan
Really New Bremen Cyberdruids:	Lyse Lue, Snikende Ullteppe, Sure Sokk
Sleep Wanderers:	Brute, Delirium, Glob
Desassossego Blues:	Raphael Baldaya, Thomas Crosse
Les Gaulois:	Alambix, Goudurix, Segregationnix
Rosedale Quest:	Go With The Flow Gargoyle, Goal Kick Genie, Tackling Tentacle
Dial Square FC:	Edu, Quinzy, Senderos
Pocket Valley Philosophers:	Anaximander, Popper, Pythagoras
Odd Athletics:	Odd Five, Odd Nando Papaya, Odd Player
Marvel Comics:	Iceman, Storm, Vampire
Monster Time:	Gamera, Godzilla, Mothra
Jedi Order:	Anakin Skywalker, Count Dooku, Exar Kun
Lords:	Jaroslav Sakala, Kamniski Vlado, Pustme Stat
Brazil Star Conquerors:	Mauro Galvao, Ricardo Rocha, Socrates
Sheffield Thursday:	Jeff Gordon, Manda Ryan
Dummys:	Harmless Headache, Les Paul, Saucy Jack
Car Park Rangers:	Bruce Wayne, Clark Kent, Tommy Monaghan
Twin Peaks Owls:	Albert Rosenfield, Benjamin Horne, Tommy 'Hawk' Hill
Erkrath Gladiators:	Hartmut Borawski, Joerg Sieslack
Fluffy Bunny Eaters:	Bunny Eater jr., Honey jr., Sugar jr.
Coventry:	Fred Berg, Geoff Hallam, Roger Markham
Disney Classics:	Elastigirl, Mowgli, Peter Pan
Greensleeves United:	Fred Rogers, Mark Robinson
New Underdogs FC:	Alex Nyarko, Jon Midtun Lie, Marius Johnsen
Wizards of Oz:	TicToc, Tinman, Toto
Real Johto:	Swablu, Togepi
March of the Black Queen:	Pietro Vierchowood, Simone Barone, Vincenzo Montella

4. League results

Rosedale Open Match day 1

Call of Cthulhu - Sale Savoyards 0 : 0

The season starts infernally boring at Arkham Asylum, as Trond Botnen's lads successfully ride off the odd attack from the Singers for a goalless draw.

World Ambassadors - Grunts United 1 : 0

Scorers: Haavard Pettersen (60.) ***---

Both teams had great respect for their opponents, but the Stabbers had more fighting spirit, and together with the home advantage this was a noticeable play advantage. However, a goalless draw would have been more fair.

Gangsters United - Monkey Business 8 : 0

Scorers: Svarte Petter (16., 23., 27., 55.), Nina Myers (8., 84.), Tony Blundetto (68.), Dr. Evil (79.) ***---

Booked: B-gjengen ***---

Gangsters saw no need to slow down after promotion, and brushed spiritless Monkey Business aside with slaughter digits.

Mishima Zaibatsu - Dangermouse 17 : 0

Scorers: Kazuya Mishima (6 goal\$s), Christie Monteiro (2., 23., 53., 65., 81.), Feng Wei (4., 22., 55.), True Ogre (32., 52.), Squirtle (39.) ***---

Those who heed the call felt they couldn't be outdone by their European counterparts, and Yakuza got entire 17 goals to cheer for.

Camarilla Divided - Batt in Blax 4 : 1

Scorers: Bill the Mighty Brujah (20., 22., 83.), Sebastien 'Decisive' Gibraltar (72.) ***Martin Crowe (87.)

Penalties: - (1 missed) ***-

Booked: --- ***Hamish Marshall
Manager Scarborough forgot to distribute his home advantage, but the crowd cheered Generation X on anyway, to a fairly well deserved home win - although the score was a bit flattering.

Saturday Morning FC - Lower Tadfield Apocalypse 0 : 0
Booked: --- ***Chalky, Jaime Hernez, Marvin O. Bagman, Mrs. Beryl Ormerod
A very even and entertaining match, where the goalposts must have been alive and hostile to save all the chances. The Apocalypse's fighting spirit left them a tiny play advantage, but all in all a draw was the only fair result.

Rosedale Open Match day 2
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Grunts United - Gangsters United 2 : 6
Scorers: Zala Zalmer (26.) ***Nina Myers (16., 66., 83.), Tony Blundetto (58.), Little Carmine (7.), Svarte Petter (25.)

Penalties: 1 ***-
Booked: --- ***Little Carmine, Nina Myers
Coach Brill fucks up the 3:1 rule (apparently knowingly - he had summed it up showing a 3:1-fudge), and cannot complain as the Gangsters take good advantage racing to the top of the table.

Monkey Business - Call of Cthulhu 2 : 0
Scorers: Wally (32.), The SCUMM bar chef (79.) ***---
Booked: --- ***Glaaki, Will Hayward
The Lurking Fear attempted lurking against CoCCCG champion Brill, which is a very bad idea - he just finishes off the stories before you get going. 0 points from this match, Trond!

Sale Savoyards - World Ambassadors 1 : 0
Scorers: Fitzbattleaxe (78.) ***---
The Singers were the stronger team at the Savoy, and managed to capitalise it into a 1 goal win with Fitzbattleaxe's late game goal.

Batt in Blax - Saturday Morning FC 2 : 2
Scorers: Martin Crowe (34., 82.) ***Squirtle (70.)
Penalties: - ***1
Booked: Geoff Wilson ***---
The 2Ds had some play advantage at Eden Park, but were very sloppy in defense and allowed Martin Crowe to even the score 8 minutes before the end.

Lower Tadfield Apocalypse - Mishima Zaibatsu 4 : 7
Scorers: Jaime Hernez (76.), Chalky (4.), Warlock Dowling (39.), Mrs. Beryl Ormerod (68.) ***Jin Kazama (13., 23., 29.), Kazuya Mishima (8., 17., 41.), Asuka Kazama (74.)

Penalties: - ***- (1 missed)
Booked: Chalky, Mrs. Beryl Ormerod, Warlock Dowling ***Armor King
The Apocalypse was duly crushed at Tadfield Manor, after their foolish attempt to match those who heed the call in martial arts. Water pistols??

Dangermouse - Camarilla Divided 2 : 11
Scorers: Agent 57 (35., 71.) ***Sebastien 'Decisive' Gibraltar (1., 42., 56., 88.), Radomir Wise and Mighty Brujah (39., 73.), the little boy (43., 69.), Bill the Mighty Brujah (17.), Catherine 'Secrets' Blum (8.), Raymond "Knowhow" Ash (46.)

Blump is the sound of Mouseketeers hitting the ground after a head-on crash with Generation X that should have won the match more easily than the show n score indicates.

Lexington League Match day 1
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Flaaklypa FK - First Men of Rome 8 : 6
Scorers: Solan Gundersen (7 goal\$s), Roger Jurtappen (60.) ***Virgil (16., 26., 68.), Horace (56.), Plutarch (64.)

Penalties: - ***1
Booked: Jimmy McQuick, Solan Gundersen ***---
Solan Gundersen demonstrates his ambition does not stop with Lexington League , giving Flaaklypa an impressive win against the Toga Boys with his 7 goals.

The 5 Percent Community - Dead Dino Storage 1 : 0
Scorers: Arne Sandsto (20.) ***---
Penalties: - (1 missed) ***-
Booked: --- ***Popol Vuh, The Tangent
Hahaa! DDS fielded 9 men who played like a bunch of wrestlers, and aaaaalmost managed to draw a far superior team of Greedy Retards.

Ajax - the Ancients 0 : 4
Scorers: --- ***Opisthocoelicaudia (29., 80.), Rhamphorhynchus (67.), Raksiakus

(9.)

There is no Trabelsi. There is only Zool.

Really New Bremen Cyberdruids - Dial Square FC 0 : 1

Scorers: --- ***Senderos (8.)

Penalties: - (1 missed) ***-

The Cyberdruids were the strongest team, but were very sloppy in defense and missed their penalty, and thus Dial Square got the 1-0 win they were chasing.

Desassossego Blues - Sleep Wanderers 9 : 0

Scorers: Vicente Guedes (39., 45., 58., 90.), Fernando Pessoa (9., 12.),

Alberto Caeiro (22., 86.), Pantaleao (81.) ***----

Booked: Pantaleao, Raphael Baldaya ***----

the Blues and the Night Terrors weren't far apart on the table last season, but judging from this match, they will be this season!

Rosedale Quest - Les Gaulois 1 : 1

Scorers: Dribbling Dragon (85.) ***Homeopatix (10.)

Booked: --- ***Segregationnix

Les Gaulois had a key player out with suspension, but gambled strongly, which paid off - only the home advantage and immense crowd support towards the end of second half allowed the Wandering Enraged Mommy Fungus to escape with a point.

Lexington League Match day 2

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Dead Dino Storage - Ajax 1 : 2

Scorers: Popol Ace (58.) ***van Mul (44., 68.)

Penalties: - (1 missed) ***-

Booked: --- ***Babel, Charisteas

There is still no Trabelsi, but apparently a big karma leak from the DDS clubhouse, as they lose a match that was an obvious home win from play and chances.

the Ancients - Flaaklypa FK 1 : 0

Scorers: Rhamphorhynchus (85.) ***----

Booked: --- ***Sindre Piltingsrud

The home advantage was the difference between the teams, and the Oldtimers had enough routine to see that through to a fairly deserved one goal win.

First Men of Rome - The 5 Percent Community 5 : 0

Scorers: Horace (36., 65.), Virgil (25., 52.), Caligula (84.) ***----

If T5PC hope to return to the premiership, they will have to do better than this - one-way play at the Colosseum.

Sleep Wanderers - Rosedale Quest 0 : 5

Scorers: --- ***Long Ball Lich (55., 89.), Yellow Goal Elemental (10., 30.)

Penalties: - ***1

Booked: Dream ***----

The Fungus got a far easier game here, and gets no bonus experience point for mortal danger from this one.

Les Gaulois - Really New Bremen Cyberdruids 6 : 0

Scorers: Abraracourcix (19., 60., 80.), Orthopedix (48.), Joerre Kjemperud

(86.), Beaufix (33.) ***----

Booked: Beaufix, Panoramix ***----

Once again manager Chaumoitre reads his opponent perfectly, and his gamble pays off with a comfortable 6 goal win.

Dial Square FC - Desassossego Blues 0 : 0

Booked: Adams ***----

The Blues were the strongest team at Plumstead Common, but couldn't score, and had to leave with just one point.

Berkeley Conference Match day 1

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Pocket Valley Philosophers - Jedi Order 0 : 1

Penalties: - ***1

Booked: --- ***Qui-Gon Jinn

The match was infernally boring, but Qui-Gon Jinn's mind tricks were the main attractions. First it only got him booked, but on the second attempt the referee awarded him the penalty he asked for, which he promptly converted, and the Lightside wins 1-0 a match that should in any parallel universe have ended 0-0.

Monster Time - Odd Athletics 19 : 0

Scorers: The Hand (27., 33., 39., 55., 84.), The Creature (10., 45., 49., 70.),

Blob (23., 61., 72., 78.), Franky (6., 17., 62.), Wolfman (11., 36.)

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Penalties: 1 ***-

Booked: --- ***Odd Bondevik, Odd Feet

Oupsie... Manager Pettersen loses 5 points to the 3:1 rule. Not that it'd matter, of course. 19-0 depicted the match pretty well!

the Blitzball Team - Marvel Comics 3 : 0

Scorers: Quinn (24., 55.), Alexis (9.) ***---

Blitzball Team had decided to get a strong start to the season, and didn't discover any new talents for the first issue. As expected, they were way out of Marvel's league at home with a first 11 lineup, and claim their first two points of the season.

Lords - Twin Peaks Owls 1 : 1

Scorers: Nen Ires (19.) ***---

Penalties: - ***1

Sent off: Skorec M. (24.) ***---

Booked: Anna Williams, Tisik Reten ***---

Lords should pay more attention to their suspension card - what could have been a fairly straightforward win, ended in a draw as suspended Rudi Rojc was attempted included in the lineup, and his replacement skewing the home team's strategy.

Sheffield Thursday - Brazil Star Conquerors 2 : 1

Scorers: Chris Tabay (30., 56.) ***Falcao (22.)

Booked: Michael Richard ***Ricardo Rocha

An even match between two quite different teams, where the home advantage allowed the Owls to take a deserved home win.

Car Park Rangers - Dummys 7 : 0

Scorers: Logan (10., 36., 50., 70., 85.), Number Four (23.) ***---

Penalties: 1 ***-

Booked: Bobby Drake ***Kanta Zelja, Vegetarian Food

The Powers easily overpowers the Geeky Dummys, but seem to have had some sort of magical protection of their own goal - in fact, the Greengrocers were mumbling amongst themselves that Felicia Hardy must have some superpowers!

Berkeley Conference Match day 2

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Odd Athletics - the Blitzball Team 7 : 9

Scorers: Odd O. Ocean (72., 81., 85.), Odd Nordstoga (33., 44.), Odd Feet (61.), Odd Pondus (53.) ***Alexis (32., 66., 73.), Sir Jecht (11., 49., 80.), Quinn (1.)

Penalties: - ***2

Booked: Odd Feet ***---

The Weirdoes also fall prey to the Blitzballers' good start strategy, in a match that in all fairness should have ended in a much larger away win. How the Weirdoes managed to score 7 is a mystery!

Marvel Comics - Pocket Valley Philosophers 1 : 1

Scorers: Wolverine (82.) ***Leonardo (4.)

Penalties: - ***- (1 missed)

Booked: Vampire ***Confucius

The home team was soemwhat stronger, but needed 82 minutes to score and save a point against the Drunken Thinkers.

Jedi Order - Monster Time 4 : 1

Scorers: Mara Jade Skywalker (30., 54., 78.), Mace Windu (80.) ***Franky (32.)

Booked: Jocasta Nu ***---

This was one of those matches where there was little the home team could do, but... then he picks the least of all evils and gives Monster Time only a marginal play advantage - which is promptly turned into a home win!

Brazil Star Conquerors - Car Park Rangers 6 : 5

Scorers: Rivaldo (6., 32., 87.), Aldair (59., 71.), Abel (44.) ***Number Four (16., 86.), Kitty Pryde (43.), Bobby Drake (85.), Scott Summers (22.)

Although the 5-Stars were significantly stronger, Car Park gave them a real run for it, with a reducing goal and an equaliser in the 85th and 86th, only to see Rivaldo take the win home with his goal in the 87th.

Dummys - Lords 13 : 0

Scorers: Infrared Banana (7., 35., 39.), Vegetarian Food (43., 76.), Stains (29., 37.), Andrew Card (57., 75.), Kanta Zelja (79.) ***---

Penalties: 3 ***-

Sent off: Saucy Jack (23.) ***---

Booked: Andrew Card, Infrared Banana ***Anna Williams, Jaroslav Sakala, Pustme Stat, Skorec M., Tisik Reten

The prestigious Gorjan derby was won very easily by Dummys. Can Lords have chances of surviving in Berkeley after a start like this?

Twin Peaks Owls - Sheffield Thursday 0 : 4

Scorers: --- ***Steve Telofski (54.), Kurt Bernhard (39.), Mark White (2.), Brian Strandskov (79.)

Booked: --- ***Brian Strandskov, Jeff Gordon

Twin Peaks Owls fall prey to significantly stronger Owls, who add to the humiliation with impeccable efficiency.

Kirkwood Showdown Match day 1
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Erkrath Gladiators - Norwegian Vikings 15 : 3
Scorers: Heiner Johanns (9 goal\$), Martin Geiss (3., 68.), Dietmar Augustin (7., 19.), Ragnar Blumke (49.) ***Eirik Haakonsson Ladejarl (34.), Haakon Eiriksson jarl (3.), Olav II den hellige (86.)
Penalties: 1 ***-
Booked: Hartmut Borawski ***Haakon I den gode
The Lunatics rolled over the Vikings here, and not even a cute goal from Olav den Deilige towards the end could change anything.

G.I.D. - Sofia Inseminators 3 : 0
Scorers: Drag-queen (61.), Trance (72.) ***---
Penalties: 1 (1 missed) ***-
Booked: Crazy, Thoughts ***Ahmed Yosuf, Muhamar Giazri, Sali Yashar
Between teams fresh from the starting blocks, the home team usually wins. So too today - Sofia struggled really hard to compete.

Knights of the Round Ball - Fluffy Bunny Eaters 0 : 1
Scorers: --- ***Titchy (64.)
Booked: Greidyawl Enemy Subduer ***---
Fluffy Bunny Eaters attempted to field 12 players, but with Bunny Eater himself leaving the field, the game could begin. The game was almost completely mathematically even, but the strongest team scored, and the almost-as-strong didn't, and we have ourselves an away win.

Coventry - Disney Classics 8 : 0
Scorers: Geoff Kenny (41., 55.), David Hendry (8., 84.), Walter Mitty (72.), Destruction (21.), Freddie Foot (25.), Goldie (12.) ***---
Disney Classics give a mountain of points to the 3:1 rule, and are duly outplayed by the Sky Blues.

Scrubs - Furinkan Matsudai Doshitemo 2 : 2
Scorers: JD (58.), The Janitor (41.) ***---
Penalties: - ***2
Booked: Carla ***Kinnosuke Kashao, Kogane Musashi, Rinko
The GM learns a new rule today, and fudges up his strategy - but what strategy can't do, luck can, and that the Nerimaniacs get a point from this match is a true robbery. Scrubs should have won easily.

FC Mokum - PSV 6 : 3
Scorers: van Basten (2., 23., 45., 69., 90.), Charisteads (75.) ***Venegoor (7.), Beasley (28.), Farfan (82.)
Booked: --- ***Alex
A fairly even match, but where the home advantage pushes FC Mokum ahead just a little, and they convert it to their first win, in their first match.

Kirkwood Showdown Match day 2
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Sofia Inseminators - Knights of the Round Ball 1 : 3
Scorers: Khaled al-Mifsud (4.) ***Kynddilig the guide (13.), Thathal Honest Deceitful (52.)
Penalties: - ***1
Booked: Hasan Toktu ***---
Knights of the Round Ball gets a flattering scoreline, but were the strongest team and deserved to win.

Fluffy Bunny Eaters - Erkrath Gladiators 0 : 0
Penalties: - (1 missed) ***-
Booked: --- ***Dietmar Augustin
An even match where the away team was marginally closer to scoring, despite the home team's missed penalty - but all in all, a draw is a very fair result from this match.

Norwegian Vikings - G.I.D. 5 : 1
Scorers: Olav II den hellige (2., 35., 42., 77.), Eirik Haakonsson Ladejarl (65.) ***Drag-queen (35.)
Norwegian Vikings show they have a good grip on the swords and the hairdryers, and pushes through a 4-goal win where a 1-goal win would've been the fairest result.

Furinkan Matsudai Doshitemo - FC Mokum 0 : 0
Booked: Genji Heita, Kinnosuke Kashao, Rinko, Ryoga Hibiki ***---
The GM's bad knowledge of the rules plays into this game too, and FC Mokum was closest to winning. However, the luck seems to have stuck to the Nerimaniacs.... can they keep that up?

PSV - Coventry 14 : 2

Scorers: Venegoor (6 goal\$), Beasley (4., 23., 58., 62., 78.), Park (11., 70., 84.) ***Geoff Kenny (2.), Destruction (62.)

Goodnight Coventry, you are the weakest link, goodbye :)

Disney Classics - Scrubs 0 : 12

Scorers: --- ***Dr Cox (29., 51., 77.), Ted (21., 38., 78.), The Janitor (14., 73.), Nurse Roberts (30., 87.), JD (64.), Carla (57.)

The 3:1 monster should never again become hungry, now that it's got over 100 points through two matches from Disney Classics... but perhaps we'll even see it get dessert in the cup!

South Keys Slugfest Match day 1
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All Black Moonlighters - Greensleeves United 2 : 3

Scorers: Grant 'Pinpoint' Fox (21., 64.) ***David Collins (10., 41.), Edward Sykes (16.)

Greensleeves give the AB's a rough welcome to the league, beating them rather solidly at Whangamata International.

Harestua IL - Manager Rosewich 1 : 1

Scorers: Ola Oeverli (17.) ***Sean Cable (26.)

Sent off: --- ***Espen Brill (39.)

Booked: Lars Pettersvold, Morten Skjaerstad, Simon Oesterhus ***---

Harestua IL had fairly good control at Harestua Stadion, but could only score once, and that was only enough for a draw.

Kremlin - 20th Century Dictators 1 : 0

Penalties: 1 ***-

Booked: --- ***Antonescu, Nicholas II

In line with the theme, Kremlin are awarded a penalty that was converted, and thus they got their deserved win at Kremlin Wall.

Extreme - Cevapi 0 : 1

Penalties: - (1 missed) ***1

Booked: Howard, Keane, Ronaldo ***Misa Molk

In all fairness, Extreme should have won with two - but Cevapi tops even the Nerimaniac luck (for one match, anyway), and pulls off a 1-0 win on a dubious penalty!

Wizards of Oz - New Underdogs FC 5 : 1

Scorers: Pug (33., 51., 78.), Toto (73.), Rincewind (25.) ***Fredrik Stroemstad (84.)

Booked: Gandalf ***Lars Martin Engedal

Wizards of Oz appears to have promotion ambitions this year, judging by the play they did show in this match. Can they make it?

March of the Black Queen - Real Johto 1 : 5

Scorers: Bruno Conti (85.) ***Gengar (5., 47.), Pikachu (62.), King (86.), Mareep (76.)

Booked: --- ***Pikachu

March of the Black Queen were weakened by suspensions, and had a rather poor conversion rate, leading to the deserved away win being larger than expected.

South Keys Slugfest Match day 2
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Manager Rosewich - Kremlin 0 : 0

the Believers were closest to nailing this one, but heroic defense saved Kremlin a point.

20th Century Dictators - All Black Moonlighters 0 : 0

Booked: Ceausescu ***---

A slow match where the away team had the little play there were, but unable to convert, the match ends a goalless draw.

Greensleeves United - Harestua IL 3 : 0

Scorers: David Collins (6., 35.), Tetsujin (69.) ***---

Sent off: --- ***Simen Braendhaugen (80.)

Booked: --- ***Kenneth Skaarud, Simon Oesterhus

Greensleeves show solid form and advance up as a primary promotion candidate after a fine first pair of matches.

New Underdogs FC - March of the Black Queen 0 : 0

Penalties: - (1 missed) ***-

Booked: --- ***Giuseppe Giannini

March of the Black Queen had their players back from suspension, and plays an even match to a draw at the Kennel.

Real Johto - Extreme 8 : 2

Scorers: Pikachu (26., 38., 64.), King (16., 56.), Gengar (5., 89.), Ghastly (77.) ***Giggs (87.), David Beckham (20.)

Penalties: - (2 missed) ***-

Booked: --- ***Ronaldo, van Nistelrooy

Extreme put up a better fight than digits indicate, but the Pocket Monsters' win was never really threatened.

Cevapi - Wizards of Oz 0 : 11

Scorers: --- ***Pug (15., 32., 48., 69., 71.), Gandalf (45., 60.), Rincewind (9., 85.), Fizban (5., 56.)

Booked: --- ***Fizban, Gandalf

Almost a dozen for the Magi, winning easily.

5. League tables

Rosedale Open

	home	away	diff	goals	points	DP	VP	Cash	Manager
1) Mishima Zaibat.	1 0 0	1 0 0	+ 20	24: 4	4: 0	4	5	2658	Erlend Janbu
2) Camarilla Div.	1 0 0	1 0 0	+ 12	15: 3	4: 0	0	5.5	2500	Henry Scarborough
3) Gangsters Utd	1 0 0	1 0 0	+ 12	14: 2	4: 0	20	5	2300	Sigurd Eskeland
4) Sale Savoyards	1 0 0	0 1 0	+ 1	1: 0	3: 1	0	4.5	2691	Stephen Othen
5) Saturday Morn.	0 1 0	0 1 0	0	2: 2	2: 2	0	3	1991	Ian Moes
6) W. Ambassadors	1 0 0	0 0 1	0	1: 1	2: 2	14	4.5	-920	Daniel Ingesson
7) Monkey Business	1 0 0	0 0 1	- 6	2: 8	2: 2	0	4.5	733	Espen Brill
8) Call of Cthulhu	0 1 0	0 0 1	- 2	0: 2	1: 3	8	3.5	2066	Trond K. Botnen
9) Lower Tadfield	0 0 1	0 1 0	- 3	4: 7	1: 3	32	3.5	6502	Erlend Janbu
10) Batt in Blax	0 1 0	0 0 1	- 3	3: 6	1: 3	12	4	3065	Darius Molloy
11) Grunts United	0 0 1	0 0 1	- 5	2: 7	0: 4	4	2	656	Espen Brill
12) Dangermouse	0 0 1	0 0 1	- 26	2: 28	0: 4	0	2.5	2568	Darius Molloy

Lexington League

	home	away	diff	goals	points	DP	VP	Cash	Manager
1) the Ancients	1 0 0	1 0 0	+ 5	5: 0	4: 0	0	5	1647	Henry Scarborough
2) Desassossego B.	1 0 0	0 1 0	+ 9	9: 0	3: 1	8	5	707	Oyvind H. Henriksen
3) Les Gaulois	1 0 0	0 1 0	+ 6	7: 1	3: 1	12	4.5	-460	Olivier Chaumoitre
4) Rosedale Quest	0 1 0	1 0 0	+ 5	6: 1	3: 1	0	4.5	2892	Erlend Janbu
5) Dial Square FC	0 1 0	1 0 0	+ 1	1: 0	3: 1	8	4.5	702	Morten Odegaard
6) FMO Rome	1 0 0	0 0 1	+ 3	11: 8	2: 2	0	3	3737	Ian Moes
7) Flaaklypa FK	1 0 0	0 0 1	+ 1	8: 7	2: 2	12	4	653	Haavard Pettersen
8) Ajax	0 0 1	1 0 0	- 3	2: 5	2: 2	22	4	1225	Jaap Smolders
9) T5PC	1 0 0	0 0 1	- 4	1: 5	2: 2	0	4	1200	Knut Brennhaug
10) Dead Dino Stor.	0 0 1	0 0 1	- 2	1: 3	0: 4	8	3.5	171	Trond K. Botnen
11) RNB Cyberdruids	0 0 1	0 0 1	- 7	0: 7	0: 4	0	2	458	Computer
12) Sleep Wanderers	0 0 1	0 0 1	- 14	0: 14	0: 4	12	2	-1000	Paul Riley

Berkeley Conference

	home	away	diff	goals	points	DP	VP	Cash	Manager
1) Blitzball Team	1 0 0	1 0 0	+ 5	12: 7	4: 0	0	4.5	905	Grete Scarborough
2) Sheffield Thu.	1 0 0	1 0 0	+ 5	6: 1	4: 0	22	4.5	2606	Steve Janecek
3) Jedi Order	1 0 0	1 0 0	+ 4	5: 1	4: 0	8	4	240	Jorgen B. Vehusheia
4) Monster Time	1 0 0	0 0 1	+ 16	20: 4	2: 2	0	4.5	277	Ray Setzer
5) Dummys	1 0 0	0 0 1	+ 6	13: 7	2: 2	40	4	1971	Jaka Gorjan
6) Carpark Rangers	1 0 0	0 0 1	+ 6	12: 6	2: 2	4	4	-758	Paul Riley
7) Brazil Star C.	1 0 0	0 0 1	0	7: 7	2: 2	4	4.5	2012	Egbert Ferreira
8) Pocket Valley P	0 0 1	0 1 0	- 1	1: 2	1: 3	14	3	641	Simen F. Jorgensen
9) Marvel Comics	0 1 0	0 0 1	- 3	1: 4	1: 3	8	4	1848	Egbert Ferreira
10) Twin Peaks Owls	0 0 1	0 1 0	- 4	1: 5	1: 3	0	3	1159	Knut Brennhaug
11) Lords	0 1 0	0 0 1	- 13	1: 14	1: 3	50	4	1238	Jaka Gorjan
12) Odd Athletics	0 0 1	0 0 1	- 21	7: 28	0: 4	12	2.5	2307	Haavard Pettersen

Kirkwood Showdown

	home	away	diff	goals	points	DP	VP	Cash	Manager
1) Erkrath Glad.	1 0 0	0 1 0	+ 12	15: 3	3: 1	8	5	2586	Robert Koehnen
2) Scrubs	0 1 0	1 0 0	+ 12	14: 2	3: 1	12	3.5	647	Darius Molloy
3) FC Mokum	1 0 0	0 1 0	+ 3	6: 3	3: 1	0	4.5	2200	Daniel Hogetoorn
4) Fluffy Bunny E.	0 1 0	1 0 0	+ 1	1: 0	3: 1	0	4	-764	Espen Brill
5) PSV	1 0 0	0 0 1	+ 9	17: 8	2: 2	4	3	2140	Jaap Smolders
6) Knights otRB	0 0 1	1 0 0	+ 1	3: 2	2: 2	8	3	-960	Paul Riley

7) Furinkn Matsu.	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2: 2	2: 2	48	3	1915	Erlend Janbu
8) G.I.D.	1	0	0	0	0	1	- 1	4: 5	2: 2	8	4	2180	Henry Scarborough
9) Coventry	1	0	0	0	0	1	- 4	10: 14	2: 2	0	3.5	11	Peter J. Richardson
10) Norweg. Vikings	1	0	0	0	0	1	- 8	8: 16	2: 2	16	3	2140	Joergen Bjoernelv
11) Sofia Insemina.	0	0	1	0	0	1	- 5	1: 6	0: 4	32	2	2100	Alex Trenev
12) Disney Classics	0	0	1	0	0	1	- 20	0: 20	0: 4	0	2.5	1540	Grete Scarborough

South Keys Slugfest

	home	away	diff	goals	points	DP	VP	Cash	Manager
1) Wizards of Oz	1 0 0	1 0 0	+ 15	16: 1	4: 0	16	4	1763	Ian Moes
2) Real Johto	1 0 0	1 0 0	+ 10	13: 3	4: 0	8	5.5	-807	Paul Riley
3) Greensleeves U	1 0 0	1 0 0	+ 4	6: 2	4: 0	0	4	147	Peter J. Richardson
4) Kremlin	1 0 0	0 1 0	+ 1	1: 0	3: 1	0	4.5	2200	Knut Brennhaug
5) Man. Rosewich	0 1 0	0 1 0	0	1: 1	2: 2	26	4	2180	Joergen Bjoernelv
6) Cevapi	0 0 1	1 0 0	- 10	1: 11	2: 2	8	3	2140	Aleksej Stevanovic
7) AB Moonlighters	0 0 1	0 1 0	- 1	2: 3	1: 3	0	2.5	620	Lance Johnstone
8) 20thC Dictators	0 1 0	0 0 1	- 1	0: 1	1: 3	30	2.5	2120	Simen F. Jorgensen
9) Harestua IL	0 1 0	0 0 1	- 3	1: 4	1: 3	30	2.5	2120	John Ola Tollefsrud
10) New Underdogs	0 1 0	0 0 1	- 4	1: 5	1: 3	4	2.5	1645	Tor Magne Tonnessen
MOT Black Queen	0 0 1	0 1 0	- 4	1: 5	1: 3	4	3.5	1289	Jan-Aage A. Brill
12) Extreme	0 0 1	0 0 1	- 7	2: 9	0: 4	28	2	2100	Stig-Erik Halvorsen

6. Scorer's lists

Rosedale Open

9 Kazuya Mishima	(Mishima Zaibatsu)
5 Nina Myers	(Gangsters United)
5 Svarte Petter	(Gangsters United)
5 Christie Monteiro	(Mishima Zaibatsu)
5 Sebastien 'Decisive' Gibraltar	(Camarilla Divided)
4 Bill the Mighty Brujah	(Camarilla Divided)
3 Jin Kazama	(Mishima Zaibatsu)
3 Feng Wei	(Mishima Zaibatsu)
3 Martin Crowe	(Batt in Blax)
2 Tony Blundetto	(Gangsters United)

Lexington League

7 Solan Gundersen	(Flaaklypa FK)
5 Virgil	(First Men of Rome)
4 Vicente Guedes	(Desassossego Blues)
3 Horace	(First Men of Rome)
3 Abraracourcix	(Les Gaulois)
2 Rhamphorhynchus	(the Ancients)
2 Opisthocoelicaudia	(the Ancients)
2 van Mul	(Ajax)
2 Fernando Pessoa	(Desassossego Blues)
2 Alberto Caeiro	(Desassossego Blues)

Berkeley Conference

5 The Hand	(Monster Time)
5 Logan	(Car Park Rangers)
4 Blob	(Monster Time)
4 The Creature	(Monster Time)
4 Franky	(Monster Time)
4 Alexis	(the Blitzball Team)
3 Odd O. Occean	(Odd Athletics)
3 Sir Jecht	(the Blitzball Team)
3 Quinn	(the Blitzball Team)
3 Mara Jade Skywalker	(Jedi Order)

Kirkwood Showdown

9 Heiner Johanns	(Erkrath Gladiators)
7 Venegoor	(PSV)
6 Beasly	(PSV)
5 Olav II den hellige	(Norwegian Vikings)
5 van Basten	(FC Mokum)
3 Geoff Kenny	(Coventry)
3 Dr Cox	(Scrubs)
3 The Janitor	(Scrubs)
3 Ted	(Scrubs)
3 Park	(PSV)

South Keys Slugfest

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8 Pug (Wizards of Oz)
4 David Collins (Greensleeves United)
4 Gengar (Real Johto)
4 Pikachu (Real Johto)
3 Rincewind (Wizards of Oz)
3 King (Real Johto)
2 Grant 'Pinpoint' Fox (All Black Moonlighters)
2 Gandalf (Wizards of Oz)
2 Fizban (Wizards of Oz)
1 Sean Cable (Manager Rosewich)

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7. Suspensions

World Ambassadors: Scott Troemel (1)
Ajax: Pienaar (1)
Pocket Valley Philosophers: Sun Tzu (1)
Lords: Skorec M. (1)
Sheffield Thursday: Dave Kaplan (1)
Dummys: Saucy Jack (1), Pineapple (1)
Furinkan Matsudai Doshitemo: Kinnosuke Kashao (1)
Manager Rosewich: Espen Brill (1)
20th Century Dictators: Gheorghiu-Dej (1)
Harestua IL: Simen Braendhaugen (1)

8.GM's Auction

1) Paul Kitchin	DM I 9	(Value: 2600) for 1917 to World Ambassadors
2) Arthur Curry	D VII 7	(Value: 636) for 705 to Car Park Rangers
3) Corinthian	G sb 10	(Value: 9335) for 4163 to Sleep Wanderers
4) Porcupine Tree	D I 6	(Value: 1115) for 864 to Dead Dino Storage
5) Lonnie	F VII 10	(Value: 1557) for 1513 to Scrubs
6) Jay Garrick	M VIII 11	(Value: 1986) for 1802 to Car Park Rangers
7) Barao de Teive	SD IV 9, [0.5]	(Value: 2301) for 2345 to Desassossego Blues
8) Pendragon	MF II 5	(Value: 434) for 528 to Dead Dino Storage
9) Corvil Bervach	G I 6	(Value: 1896) for 1907 to Knights of the
Round Ball		
10) Qbert jr.	G ap 4	(Value: 2295) for 2200 to Grunts United
11) Pidgey	M V 11	(Value: 1986) for 1872 to Real Johto
12) Griswold Goudsoup	M ap 5, >11	(Value: 1782) for 2001 to Monkey Business
13) Carlos 'Lady's Man' Spencer	D I 7	(Value: 1675) for 1500 to All Black
Moonlighters		
14) Gwynn son of Esni	M VI 8, [0.5]	(Value: 910) for 1093 to Knights of the
Round Ball		
15) Kyle Rayner	F I 5	(Value: 563) for 809 to Car Park Rangers
16) Tragicomix	M ap 10	(Value: 5182) for 3000 to Les Gaulois

New offers

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1) DF III 7 (NL value 308)
2) S II 10 (NL value 1200)
3) D ap 7 (NL value 700)
4) G V 9, [ 1.5] (NL value 0)
5) MF III 2, >12 (NL value 88)
6) D III 6, >12 (NL value 240)
7) S I 9, [ 0.5] (NL value 1440)
8) D ap 1, >11 (NL value 100)
9) M sb 12 (NL value 1440)
10) F VIII 6 (NL value 0)
11) D III 4 (NL value 160)
12) MF I 1, [ 2.0] (NL value 88)
13) F I 7 (NL value 560)
14) G I 9, [ 0.5] (NL value 1440)
15) D ap 6 (NL value 600)

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9.Transferlist

New offer

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1) From Saturday Morning FC: (min 650 kKj)
 Sponge Bob Square Pants G III 6, coachable up to 9, 0 DP (NL value 480)
2) From Saturday Morning FC: (min 400 kKj)
 The Brain MF III 4, coachable up to 7, 0 DP (NL value 176)
3) From Flaaklypa FK:
 Rudolf Blodstrupmoen D III 6, coachable up to 9, 0 DP (NL value 240)
4) From Flaaklypa FK:

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- Mysil Bergsprekken F III 6, coachable up to 9, 0 DP (NL value 240)
- 5) From First Men of Rome: (min 400 kKj)  
Lucius Cornelius Sulla G III 4, coachable up to 7, 0 DP (NL value 320)
  - 6) From Odd Athletics:  
Odd Laughsalot M I 3, coachable up to 6, 0 DP (NL value 240)
  - 7) From Twin Peaks Owls:  
Gordon Cole F X 2, coachable up to 5, 0 DP (NL value 0)
  - 8) From Erkrath Gladiators:  
Daniel Koehnen S III 4, coachable up to 7, 0 DP (NL value 320)
  - 9) From New Underdogs FC: (min 400 kKj)  
Ben Wright F III 6, coachable up to 9, 0 DP (NL value 240)

#### 10. Sales to the non-league

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Batt in Blax: Daryl Tuffey (80 kKj)  
World Ambassadors: Newton Pulsifer (22 kKj)  
Dead Dino Storage: OSI (160 kKj), The Tangent (156 kKj)  
Really New Bremen Cyberdruids: Malek (0 kKj), Maurice P. Schmidt (22 kKj), Xen  
Xiaoping (24 kKj), Skrat Bolfenk (320 kKj)  
Monster Time: Slime (0 kKj), Monster 8 (20 kKj), Ian Bond (40 kKj)

#### 11. Private trade

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Lower Tadfield Apocalypse gives: Stanley Kellett  
Monster Time gives in return: 725 kKj

World Ambassadors gives: John Milardovic, Russ Bynum and 500 kKj  
Furinkan Matsudai Doshitemo gives in return: Bishamonten

Monster Time gives: Drac  
Furinkan Matsudai Doshitemo gives in return: 725 kKj

#### 12. League matches next issue

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##### Rosedale Open

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| match day 3     |                   | match day 4       |                   |   |
|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---|
| Call of Cthulhu | - Grunts United   | : Grunts United   | - Sale Savoyards  | : |
| W. Ambassadors  | - Monkey Business | : Monkey Business | - Camarilla Div.  | : |
| Sale Savoyards  | - Lower Tadfield  | : Gangsters Utd   | - Call of Cthulhu | : |
| Batt in Blax    | - Dangermouse     | : Mishima Zaibat. | - Saturday Morn.  | : |
| Camarilla Div.  | - Mishima Zaibat. | : Lower Tadfield  | - Batt in Blax    | : |
| Saturday Morn.  | - Gangsters Utd   | : Dangermouse     | - W. Ambassadors  | : |

##### Lexington League

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| match day 3     |                   | match day 4       |                   |   |
|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---|
| Flaaklypa FK    | - Dead Dino Stor. | : Dead Dino Stor. | - FMO Rome        | : |
| T5PC            | - the Ancients    | : the Ancients    | - Desassossego B. | : |
| FMO Rome        | - Les Gaulois     | : Ajax            | - Flaaklypa FK    | : |
| Sleep Wanderers | - Dial Square FC  | : RNB Cyberdruids | - Rosedale Quest  | : |
| Desassossego B. | - RNB Cyberdruids | : Les Gaulois     | - Sleep Wanderers | : |
| Rosedale Quest  | - Ajax            | : Dial Square FC  | - T5PC            | : |

##### Berkeley Conference

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| match day 3     |                   | match day 4       |                   |   |
|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---|
| Pocket Valley P | - Odd Athletics   | : Odd Athletics   | - Jedi Order      | : |
| Monster Time    | - Marvel Comics   | : Marvel Comics   | - Sheffield Thu.  | : |
| Jedi Order      | - Dummys          | : Blitzball Team  | - Pocket Valley P | : |
| Brazil Star C.  | - Twin Peaks Owls | : Lords           | - Carpark Rangers | : |
| Sheffield Thu.  | - Lords           | : Dummys          | - Brazil Star C.  | : |
| Carpark Rangers | - Blitzball Team  | : Twin Peaks Owls | - Monster Time    | : |

##### Kirkwood Showdown

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| match day 3     |                   | match day 4       |                   |   |
|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---|
| Erkrath Glad.   | - Sofia Insemina. | : Sofia Insemina. | - Norweg. Vikings | : |
| G.I.D.          | - Fluffy Bunny E. | : Fluffy Bunny E. | - Scrubs          | : |
| Norweg. Vikings | - PSV             | : Knights otRB    | - Erkrath Glad.   | : |
| Furinkan Matsu. | - Disney Classics | : Coventry        | - FC Mokum        | : |
| Scrubs          | - Coventry        | : PSV             | - Furinkan Matsu. | : |
| FC Mokum        | - Knights otRB    | : Disney Classics | - G.I.D.          | : |

South Keys Slugfest

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| match day 3                     |   | match day 4                     |   |
| AB Moonlighters - Man. Rosewich | : | Man. Rosewich - Greensleeves U  | : |
| Harestua IL - 20thC Dictators   | : | 20thC Dictators - Wizards of Oz | : |
| Greensleeves U - Real Johto     | : | Kremlin - AB Moonlighters       | : |
| New Underdogs - Cevapi          | : | Extreme - MOT Black Queen       | : |
| Wizards of Oz - Extreme         | : | Real Johto - New Underdogs      | : |
| MOT Black Queen - Kremlin       | : | Cevapi - Harestua IL            | : |

13.Rosedale Knockout first round results

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the Ancients - Knights of the Round Ball 7 : 1  
Scorers: Dromiceiomimus (10., 33., 60., 69., 90.), Tyrannosaurus (23.) \*\*\*  
Bedwyr (27.)  
Penalties: 1 \*\*\*-  
Booked: --- \*\*\*Gwythyr son of Greidyawl  
Dromiceiomimus wins the game almost alone as the Oldtimers comfortably advance to the second round.

G.I.D. - Furinkan Matsudai Doshitemo 1 : 0  
Penalties: 1 \*\*\*-  
Booked: --- \*\*\*Bishamonten, Higuma Torajiro, Kinnosuke Kashao, Ryoga Hibiki, Toramasa Kobayashi  
The Furinkan lineup was still the same, and G.I.D. advances on a penalty against weakened Nerimaniacs.

Camarilla Divided - All Black Moonlighters 2 : 0  
Scorers: Catherine 'Secrets' Blum (70.), Bill the Mighty Brujah (46.) \*\*\*---  
A very harsh welcome for the Moonlighters, and a lucky draw for the Generation X brought the result everyone expected.

Real Johto - Wizards of Oz 7 : 3  
Scorers: Pikachu (11., 61.), King (44., 76.), Gengar (36., 84.) \*\*\*Belgarath (15.), Pug (4.), Rincewind (58.)  
Penalties: 1 \*\*\*-  
Booked: Swablu \*\*\*Rincewind  
A very even match, where Real Johto takes their small play advantage and more than doubles the Magi's score. That's the second round, but Rosedale Sun has from reliable sources that they are heading for the third round this year!

Kremlin - Sofia Inseminaters 2 : 0  
Scorers: Nikolai Shootemdedsky (60., 72.) \*\*\*---  
Penalties: - (1 missed) \*\*\*-  
Booked: --- \*\*\*Hasan Toktu, Japar Muhamad, Muhamar Giazri, Sali Yashar  
Most of the chances went to Kremlin, and it was only fair they qualified for the second round.

Car Park Rangers - Pocket Valley Philosophers 5 : 2  
Scorers: Logan (1., 49., 70.), Number Four (19.) \*\*\*Machiavelli (53.), Rousseau (77.)  
Penalties: 1 \*\*\*-  
Sent off: --- \*\*\*Sun Tzu (76.)  
Car Park Rangers were slightly stronger, but dominated completely early, making the Drunken Thinkers more and more frustrated, and Sun Tzu even got sent off for warring late in the second half - after which PVP reduced promptly with 10 men.

Jedi Order - Desassossego Blues 4 : 8  
Scorers: Mara Jade Skywalker (58., 82.), Mace Windu (37.), Qui-Gon Jinn (71.) \*\*\*Vicente Guedes (19., 41., 58., 89.), Pantaleao (38., 64., 77.)  
Penalties: - \*\*\*1  
The Lightside weren't too far from even here, but had spent their karma in the league, and the Blues advance deservedly to the second round with a flattering scoreline.

Andeby FK - DC Red Hot and Blues 3 : 1  
Andeby defeats the Riblets - who will be the lucky winner to meet them in the second round?

Brazil Star Conquerors - Twin Peaks Owls 4 : 0  
Scorers: Abel (37.), Roberto Carlos (80.), Richard Ripley (21.), Rivaldo (61.) \*\*\*---  
The Bookhouse Boys felt it was time to let the new talents play, and they got to see how it is to be knocked out of the cup in the first round.

World Ambassadors - Saturday Morning FC 2 : 0  
Scorers: Steph Mabie (8., 50.) \*\*\*---  
Sent off: Scott Troemel (80.) \*\*\*---  
Booked: John Milardovic \*\*\*---

The 2Ds lines up a full set of apprentices, and thus play advantage went to the Stabbers, who nevertheless had to struggle more for the win than the result indicates.

Odd Athletics - Call of Cthulhu 2 : 9

Scorers: Odd Harald Rex (33.), Odd O. Ocean (69.) \*\*\*Glaaki (11., 76., 83.),  
Night-Gaunt (14., 29., 49.), Ubbo-Sathla (44., 46.), Mi-Go (55.)

The Weirdoes go for the combination of playing all the apprentices and feeding Trion against Rosedale Open opposition. Bye bye, have a nice trip back to Strangeworld!

Fluffy Bunny Eaters - Manager Rosewich 0 : 1

Scorers: --- \*\*\*Erlend Janbu (63.)

Booked: --- \*\*\*Haavard Pettersen, Ian Moes, Jan Aage Brill, Joergen 'Kaalhue'  
Bjoernelv

Bunny Eater once again had to leave the field before the the game, but the Tubbies were still stronger... but what can you do, when I save the day against the run of play and send the Believers to the second round?

Greensleeves United - Flaaklypa FK 0 : 3

Scorers: --- \*\*\*Roger Jurtappen (34., 74.), Reodor Felgen (58.)

Neither taem thought this match was very important - perhaps they both thought they knew the result in advance and didn't really need to try?

PSV - Les Gaulois 0 : 5

Scorers: --- \*\*\*Joerre Kjemperud (34., 57.), Orthopedix (44.), Abraracourcix  
(25.), Asterix (57.)

Les Gaulois fielded only one apprentice as opposed to earlier, and had all the play, all the chances, and all the goals.

Ajax - Sheffield Thursday 10 : 1

Scorers: Charisteads (34., 40., 67., 79., 89.), de Ridder (8., 29.), Sonck (49.,  
57.), Mitea (64.) \*\*\*Brian Strandskov (63.)

Sent off: Pienaar (66.) \*\*\*Dave Kaplan (3.)

Booked: Sneider \*\*\*---

No cup bomb here except perhaps the two red cards in a quite fairly played match.  
The Lexington team on to the next round, better luck next year Owls!

Monster Time - Harestua IL 4 : 0

Scorers: IT! (4.), Blob (8.), Wolfman (65.), The Creature (46.) \*\*\*---

Harestua IL gave this match up before it started, and were chanceless in the Dungeon.

Lower Tadfield Apocalypse - Grunts United 2 : 0

Scorers: Pepper (85.) \*\*\*---

Penalties: 1 \*\*\*- (1 missed)

Booked: Pepper \*\*\*Terry Toopatch

These teams usually meet up around the semifinal, but drew each other in the first round, and the Apocalypse successfully converted their play advantage into a two goal win.

First Men of Rome - Sale Savoyards 0 : 21

Scorers: --- \*\*\*Aline (6 goal\$), Fitzbattlease (20., 34., 50., 63., 84.),  
Goldbury (5., 28., 39., 58.), Mabel (3., 21., 64.), Constance (35.,  
48.), Chancellor (87.)

The Toga Boys play all new apprentices and feeds Trion a good bunch of points, and thus were obviously completely chanceless against the Singers.

Lords - Extreme 5 : 3

Scorers: Rudi Rojc (38.), Mali Vili (13.), Pizdo Lizec (16.), Skorec M. (73.),  
Tisik Reten (40.) \*\*\*Ferdinand (45.), Brown (77.)

Penalties: - (1 missed) \*\*\*1

Booked: Neb Luzi, Nes Eri, The delivery man \*\*\*Giggs, Scholes

A fairly even match, but Lords' better team on paper came through in the end after a hard battle.

Dead Dino Storage - Norwegian Vikings 4 : 0

Scorers: Transatlantic (55.), The Door Shut Properly (72.), OSI (89.), Hole in  
the Wall (57.) \*\*\*---

Booked: --- \*\*\*Eirik Haakonsson Ladejarl, Harald Gudroedsson Grenske, Knut den  
mektige

DDS had little trouble advancing against the fresh-from-the-oven Vikings.

Mishima Zaibatsu - Dangermouse 12 : 1

Scorers: True Ogre (7., 66., 71., 84.), Christie Monteiro (9., 35., 78.), Lei  
Wulong (18., 37.), Kazuya Mishima (27., 53.), Jin Kazama (61.) \*\*\*Miss  
Boathook (38.)

The Mouseketeers got fellow top division team MZ in the first round, and fielded their new players, and got duly crushed. K.O.!

The 5 Percent Community - Coventry 3 : 0

Scorers: Finn Orjan Saele (69., 74.), Christer George (40.) \*\*\*---

For every invested goal, you get three back in your cup match! Join now, before your

opponent will get two digits worth of goals!

20th Century Dictators - Marvel Comics 0 : 3  
Scorers: --- \*\*\*Groxo (27., 72.), Wolverine (87.)  
Penalties: - \*\*\*- (1 missed)  
Sent off: Gheorghiu-Dej (57.) \*\*\*---  
Booked: Antonescu, Wilhelm II \*\*\*Iceman  
As expected, Marvel Comics' experienced lineup were too much for the new Happy Tyrants.

Erkrath Gladiators - New Underdogs FC 3 : 0  
Scorers: Rolf Hanns (65.), Lutz Mertens (32.), Dietmar Augustin (59.) \*\*\*---  
Kirkwooders Erkrath smack South Keyers Underdogs out of the cup smoothly and efficiently.

Disney Classics - Rosedale Quest 0 : 12  
Scorers: --- \*\*\*Dribbling Dragon (42., 47., 66.), Long Ball Lich (12., 16., 58.), Goalscorer Golem (23., 28.), Unicorn of Underhanded Fouls (2., 20.), Offside Orc (18.), Yellow Goal Elemental (61.)  
Disney Classics hands a pile of points to Trion again, and the Enraged Mommy Fungus wanders to the second round.

March of the Black Queen - Scrubs 1 : 0  
Scorers: Giuseppe Giannini (69.) \*\*\*---  
Penalties: - \*\*\*- (1 missed)  
Booked: --- \*\*\*Nurse Roberts, Ted  
The Black Knights smack freshmen Scrubs out of the cup with a late-game goal by Giuseppe Giannini.

Camlutman City - FC Mokum 0 : 3  
Scorers: --- \*\*\*Advocaat (85.), van Basten (10.), Charisteads (21.)  
Against conference league opposition, FC Mokum advances comfortably, albeit with a flattering scoreline.

Sleep Wanderers - Gangsters United 1 : 6  
Scorers: --- \*\*\*Svarte Petter (18., 66.), Nina Myers (4., 77.), Little Carmine (81.), Tony Blundetto (36.)  
Penalties: 1 \*\*\*- (1 missed)  
Booked: Death, Wanda Mann \*\*\*Svarte Petter, Tony Soprano  
Last year, Gangsters were promoted, and the Night Terrors weren't. This match gives some indication why.

Cevapi - Dial Square FC 1 : 2  
Scorers: --- \*\*\*Fabregas (22.), Vieira (76.)  
Penalties: 1 \*\*\*-  
Booked: Sancho Pancha \*\*\*Flamini  
Neither team found it worth it to field their best team, and Dial Square FC as the strongest team pulls through.

Monkey Business - the Blitzball Team 1 : 0  
Scorers: Rum Rogers (65.) \*\*\*---  
A very slow and well-defended match, but where Rum Rogers snuck past the Blitzballer defense with his retort - "I hope you have a boat ready for swift escape!" - "Why, did you want to borrow one?"

Batt in Blax - Really New Bremen Cyberdruids 11 : 1  
Scorers: Michael Papps (14., 21., 43., 53., 74.), Hamish Marshall (48., 78., 90.), Matt Horne (29.), Martin Crowe (55.), Matthew Sinclair (59.) \*\*\*  
Chris Standbracker (82.)  
Booked: Geoff Wilson \*\*\*---  
The Black Caps crushes their Lexington opposition easily and without remorse.

Dummys - Stranraer Reserves 7 : 1  
Scorers: Vegetarian Food (54., 70., 89.), Tomatoes (39., 65.), Andrew Card (17.), Zwiebel (63.) \*\*\*---  
Penalties: - \*\*\*1  
Sent off: Pineapple (12.) \*\*\*---  
Booked: Infrared Banana \*\*\*---  
Dummys advance comfortably against the conference opposition, but gets themselves a suspension in the process.

#### 14. GM's ramble

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Everyone submitted orders for this issue... very nice indeed! Let's keep that up. Many also simplified their submission processing, thanks a lot for that!

In Rosedale Open, Mishima Zaibatsu, Camarilla Divided and Gangsters United take the lead, with a full set of four points each. In the relegation battle, we find Call of Cthulhu, Lower Tadfield Apocalypse and Batt in Blax with 1 point each, and Grunts United and Dangermouse

still without points. The luckiest team if Rosedale Open so far is Call of Cthulhu, and the unluckiest is Grunts United.

The Ancients take the lead alone in Lexington with 4 points, with Desassossego Blues, Les Gaulois, Rosedale Quest and Dial Square FC chasing one point behind. The relegation zone is made up of Dead Dino Storage, Really New Bremen Cyberdruids and Sleep Wanderers, all without points. The luckiest team of Lexington so far is Dial Square FC, and the unluckiest is Dead Dino Storage.

In Berkeley Conference, three teams have got a two point lead: the Blitzball Team, Sheffield Thursday and Jedi Order all with 4 points. The bottom five are Pocket Valley Philosophers, Marvel Comics, Twin Peaks Owls and Lords with 1 point each, and Odd Athletics still without points. Jedi Order is the luckiest of Berkeley so far, while Pocket Valley Philosophers have been most unlucky.

Kirkwood Showdown features four teams in the lead with three points each: Erkrath Gladiators, Scrubs, FC Mokum and Fluffy Bunny Eaters. Sofia Inseminaters and Disney Classics are trailing the pack, still without points. The karma kings of Kirkwood are Furinkan Matsudai Doshitemo, and the karma drain is Scrubs.

Wizards of Oz, Real Johto and Greensleeves United starts with a full four in South Keys Slugfest, with Kremlin following a point behind. Extreme is currently at the bottom without points, whereas five teams have 1 point. The South Keys luck gravitates to Cevapi, and most of it seems to come from Extreme.

The luckiest of all is Jedi Order, followed by Dial Square FC and Cevapi. The unluckiest is Dead Dino Storage, followed by Extreme and Pocket Valley Philosophers.

The home advantage is still 6 VP. In the next issue, round 3 and 4 will be played.

The deadline for issue 3 is Friday, April 15, at 2130 CET.

I will send out the teams tonight.

#### 15. Address list

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