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## WEST HAM UNITED

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<b>DON McALLISTER</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>KEVIN LOCK</b>
<b>JOHN PRATT</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>BILLY BONDS</b>
<b>WILLIE YOUNG</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>TOMMY TAYLOR</b>
<b>KEITH OSGOOD</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>KEITH COLEMAN</b>
<b>RALPH COATES</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>ALAN TAYLOR</b>
<b>STEVE PERRYMAN</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>GRAHAM PADDON</b>
(Captain)		
<b>MARTIN CHIVERS</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>PAT HOLLAND</b>
<b>CHRIS JONES</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>TREVOR BROOKING</b>
<b>JIMMY NEIGHBOUR</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>KEITH ROBSON</b>

Substitute:

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Scorers:

Scorers:

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Linesmen: **Mr. H. DEMPSEY**, Essex (Red Flag)  
**Mr. D. A. PATTEN**, Hants (Yellow Flag)

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## FIRST HOME CUP-TIE

**F**OR this evening we put aside the cares of League football to concentrate all our application and effort into our first home cup-tie of the season.

We could scarcely be staging a more attractive match. After defeating Watford and Crewe Alexandra away from home in the earlier rounds, we now face West Ham United in the fourth round of the Football League Cup, and extend a cordial welcome to our friends and rivals from Upton Park.

Although held to a draw at home by Coventry City on Saturday, that point enabled the Hammers to take over at the top of the First Division on goal average. As F.A. Cup-holders, and a club now through to the quarter-finals of the European Cup-winners' Cup, West Ham have every reason to feel confident.

We have our own reasons, however, for approaching tonight's big test in optimistic mood.

On Saturday we visited Queen's Park Rangers and acquitted ourselves well by holding them to a draw on a ground where no visiting team had won this season at the time this programme went to press.

The absence of goals was the only defect in a first-class match, and for much of the first half, the pattern of play on the field contradicted the respective positions of the two clubs on the First Division chart.

It's true a shot by Don Givens struck our crossbar just before half-time, but there were times when Phil Parkes, Rangers' goalkeeper, had to be at his best to keep Spurs out. Twice in the early minutes of the second half, Parkes made fine saves from Martin Chivers, who was forced off the field by injury as early as the 57th minute.

It was tough luck on Chivers, who had always been a threat to Rangers, although John Duncan, his substitute, nearly won the match for Spurs with a header from a free-kick by Ralph Coates, the ball passing just wide of the post.

Team: Jennings; Naylor, McAllister, Pratt, Young, Osgood, Coates, Perryman, Chivers (sub. Duncan), Jones and Neighbour.

If tonight's match ends in a draw, the replay will take place at West Ham on Monday, 24th November, kick-off 7.30 p.m.

A head-on view of Jimmy Neighbour's fine opening goal against Wolves in our last home League match. Note the expression of alarm on the face of goalkeeper Gary Pierce!

## ★ SPURS v WOLVERHAMPTON WANDERERS ★

Photos by Bob Hayden, Carleton Photographic Services, Cheshunt

Chris Jones just fails to add to our score, scooping the ball over the bar from close range.



## TONIGHT'S REFEREE



**MR. MALCOLM SINCLAIR** of Guildford has been on the Football League List of Referees since 1966.

He started refereeing in the Isle of Wight when he was only 17, later graduating through the Surrey Senior League and Football Combination.

Mr. Sinclair refereed the England v. Iceland amateur international in 1970, and has been on the line in a European Cup match in Russia in 1973 and in F.A. Cup semi-finals in both 1968 and 1970.

A bricklayer by trade, he is married with two children, and enjoys watching cricket in the summer. He is chairman of Guildford Referees' Society.

## THE OTHER TIES

The other ties in the fourth round of the League Cup, most of which were due to be played last night, are as follows:

<b>Doncaster Rovers</b>	v.	<b>Hull City</b>
<b>Burnley</b>	v.	<b>Leicester City</b>
<b>Mansfield Town</b>	v.	<b>Wolverhampton Wanderers</b>
<b>Queen's Park Rangers</b>	v.	<b>Newcastle United</b>
<b>Everton</b>	v.	<b>Notts County</b>
<b>Manchester City</b>	v.	<b>Manchester United</b>
<b>Middlesbrough</b>	v.	<b>Peterborough United</b>

**HOME TO STOKE . . .** On Saturday we are at home again in the League to Stoke City . . . Last season Stoke defeated us here by 2-0, their first-ever victory on this ground . . . Last Saturday they defeated Everton 3-2 in a home match . . . The referee of Saturday's match will be Mr. Ray Tinkler of Boston, who is now in his last season on the Football League List . . . Jimmy Robertson, our former winger, is still playing for Stoke.

## SOME RECORD!

At last month's A.G.M., we were interested to learn from Mr. Frank Perry a Club shareholder, that he has completed 77 years as a Spurs supporter!

Mr. Perry, who is 83, was a 6-year-old when he first saw Spurs play. He lives at Sunninghill, Berkshire, and still travels to watch the team whenever he can. May you long continue to do so, Mr. Perry.

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**INTRODUCING . . . SAMANTHA CONN.** Congratulations to Sue and Alfie Conn on the birth last week of their first child, a daughter, Samantha Lee.

## QUESTION TIME

1. Which club knocked Spurs out of the Football League Cup last season?
2. West Ham have contested five Wembley Cup finals, winning four and losing one. Can you recall the details?
3. Which Fourth Division club reached the semi-final of the League Cup last season?
4. Who scored the goal by which Aston Villa defeated Norwich City in the final of the League Cup last season?
5. Which London club knocked West Ham out of the League Cup last season?

The answers will be found on page 15



**Leicester City v. Spurs** Steve Perryman is seen crashing home a powerful drive to give Spurs victory by 3-2 in the match at Filbert Street.

**West Ham United v. Spurs** Martin Chivers gives West Ham a troublesome moment when we were last in action against tonight's opponents at Upton Park in August. The Hammers won the game 1-0.

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The Reserves were held to a 1—1 draw by Bristol City in the Football Combination here on Saturday, the visitors taking a first-half lead.

Spurs had started brightly and it was disappointing that we should have found ourselves in arrears until a late stage of the game.

The equaliser was scored by **MARTIN ROBINSON** following a corner on the left by Glenn Hoddle. Team: Cranstone; Stead, M., Walford, Keeley, Knowles, Smith, Brotherston, Hoddle, McGrath, Robinson and McNab.

The Youth team lost at Cheshunt 2—1 to Chelsea in the South East Counties League, Div. 1 on Saturday. **BARRY PACE** gave us the lead midway through the first half, but Chelsea were level with a twice-taken penalty by half-time, and they won the match with a second penalty in the second half.

The Juniors crashed 7—1 away to Chelsea in the S.E. Counties League, Div. 2 Cup. Our goal was scored by **GARY O'BRIEN**. Team: Kendall; P. Stephens, K. Hillsden, M. Rodney, P. Miller, C. Hughton, M. Wallace, K. Ducker, G. O'Brien, Bowman and J. Mathias.

Our home League match with Everton, scheduled originally for Wednesday, 24th September, has now been rearranged for the evening of Wednesday, December 10th. In the event of either Spurs or Everton being engaged in a replayed Football League Cup-tie that week, the League match with the Merseysiders would again have to be postponed.

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## ROLL-CALL

Football League appearances and goalscorers to date with Football League Cup in brackets.

Jennings . 15 (1)	Neighbour 13 (2)	McNab . 8 (1)	Smith . 2
Pratt . 15 (2)	Naylor . 12 (2)	Knowles . 8	Kinnear . 1
Osgood . 15 (2)	McAllister 12 (2)	Young . 8 (1)	Daines . — (1)
Jones . 14 (1)	Chivers . 10 (2)	Conn . 6 (1)	
Perryman 14 (1)	Duncan . 9 (2)	Coates . 3 (1)	

Substitutes used—League only: Duncan, McNab and Chivers 2 each; Jones, Coates and Hoddle 1 each. Goalscorers—League: Duncan 5; Jones and Pratt 4 each; Chivers 3; Perryman 2; Young, Neighbour and Coates 1 each. League Cup: Jones, Pratt and Conn 1 each.

### Football Combination

Brotherston 14	McGrath . 11	Conn . 4	Stead, K. . 1
Walford . 14	Hoddle . 10	Wade . 3	Cavanagh, S. 1
Robinson . 13	Daines . 8	Chivers . 3	Bradbury . 1
Stead, M. . 13	Boyle, T. . 8	Knowles . 2	Hyams . 1
Bacon . 12	Cranstone . 7	Duncan . 2	
Smith . 12	Coates . 6	McNab . 2	
Keeley . 11	Barwick . 5	Beavon . 1	

Substitutes used: Boyle, T., Barwick, Robinson, Bacon and Beavon 1 each. Goalscorers: Robinson 11; Hoddle (2 pens.) 3; Brotherston, McGrath and Barwick 2 each; Conn, Bacon, Duncan and Chivers 1 each.

South East Counties League, Div. 1, with London Youth Cup, South East Counties League Cup and Southern Junior Floodlit Cup in combined figure in brackets.

Markwick 11 (2)	Beavon . 8 (3)	T. King . 2	Smith . — (1)
M. Cleaver 11 (3)	Cavanagh, S. 8 (4)	P. Miller . 2 (1)	Stead, M. . — (1)
Stead, K. . 10 (4)	Holyoak . 8 (2)	M. Carrigan 2	Walford . — (3)
Bradbury . 10 (2)	Bowman . 6 (1)	Hoddle . 1 (3)	Bacon . — (1)
Hyams . 9 (4)	Barwick . 6 (4)	G. O'Brien 1 (1)	Brotherston — (1)
Pace . 9 (2)	Boyle, T. . 4 (3)	M. Hazard 1	Robinson — (1)
Wade . 9 (4)	G. Lucas . 3 (1)	Cranstone . — (1)	Kendall . — (2)

Substitutes used—League: G. Lucas 3; G. O'Brien, B. Douglas, Beavon and J. Johnson 1 each. London Youth Cup: Beavon 1. Southern Junior Floodlit Cup: Bradbury 1. South East Counties League Cup: G. O'Brien, J. Mathias, M. Rodney, Pace and M. Cleaver 1 each. Goalscorers—League: Boyle, T. 4; Stead, K. 3; Hyams (1 pen.), Pace, M. Cleaver and Beavon (both pens.) 2 each; Bradbury and M. Hazard 1 each. London Youth Cup: Robinson 2; Hoddle and Boyle, T. 1 each; Coker (Crystal Palace) own goal. South East Counties League Cup: Hyams and Pace 3 each; Cavanagh, S., Stead, K. and Beavon 1 each.

## ANSAPHONE

Information regarding match details, i.e. tickets, interim scores and results, can be obtained by telephoning 01-808 1020 on a 24-hour service.

All records played here this evening are supplied by A1 Record Stores, 475 High Road, Tottenham N17 (Bruce Grove).

### NEXT MATCHES HERE—

Saturday, 15th November, 1975

## STOKE CITY

Football League, Division 1

Kick-off 3 p.m.

Wednesday, 19th November, 1975

## CHELSEA RESERVES

Football Combination

Kick-off 7.30 p.m.



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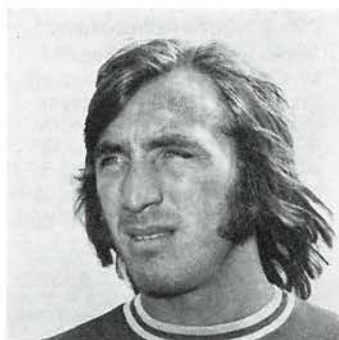
## our visitors WEST HAM UNITED

**WEST HAM UNITED** visit us this evening as holders of the F.A. Cup and as one of the top flight of First Division clubs. There seems a strong likelihood that the Hammers will finish this season in a higher position in the League than in 1974-75, when they occupied 13th place on the final chart. They did, in fact, recover well from a bad start last season. In the closing days of September they were in joint bottom position with Luton Town, and at that time we were four places above them. Such was the West Ham recovery, however, that before October was out they had reached the top half of the table. In beating Fulham at Wembley, West

Ham won the F.A. Cup for the second time in their history. They are, however, one of the minority of clubs in the First Division never to have carried off the League championship. The highest final position in the First Division of West Ham was sixth. They finished in that position in 1927, 1959 and 1973. The Hammers therefore have every chance of reaching their highest-ever final League position this season. The Hammers have reached the final of the Football League Cup, the competition that concerns us most this evening, in one year only. That was in 1966, the last year in which the final was played in two legs. They were beaten on a 5-3 aggregate by West Bromwich Albion.



MERVYN DAY



BILLY BONDS



TOMMY TAYLOR



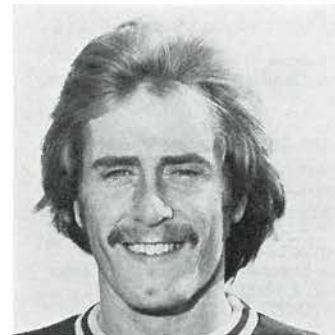
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KEITH ROBSON



## WEST HAM'S PLAYERS

**MERVYN DAY**, West Ham's goalkeeper, has something in common with our own Barry Daines. Both played for the Chelmsford Boys team, and both have been married at Great Baddow this year! Day, who was born in Chelmsford, has played for the England Under-23s.

**KEITH COLEMAN, TOMMY TAYLOR, JOHN McDOWELL** and **KEVIN LOCK** are back-four players. Coleman was born at Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and entered professional football with Sunderland. He was transferred to West Ham in September 1973 after a period on loan to the Upton Park Club.

Taylor was born at Hornchurch and made his name with Orient. West Ham signed him from the Leyton club in October 1970 and he made his debut for them against Spurs at Upton Park in that month.

McDowell was born at East Ham and played for Newham and Essex schools teams. A former Youth international, he has made several appearances in the England Under-23 team.

Lock is also an England Under-23 player. He was born at Plaistow. He played for the Newham and Essex Boys teams, and developed through the apprentice ranks at Upton Park.

The midfield positions may be filled by **TREVOR BROOKING, PAT HOLLAND** and **GRAHAM PADDON**. Brookings, a full English international,

was born at Barking and was a school-boy international. He has also played for the Under-23s and the Football League.

Holland is another of West Ham's local products. He was born at Poplar, and played for East London Boys. He made his League debut for West Ham against Arsenal on the day he was upgraded from apprentice to full professional.

Paddon is a northerner from Manchester. He joined the apprentice ranks of Coventry City, graduated to League rank with the Midlands and moved to Norwich City in 1969. West Ham signed him from Norwich in 1973.

**BILLY BONDS** is also a midfield player. Born at Woolwich, he made a big name with Charlton Athletic, and moved to West Ham in May, 1967. He is a former England Under-23 player.

**BOBBY GOULD, ALAN TAYLOR** and **KEITH ROBSON** are all strikers. Gould, born in Coventry, is a much-travelled player. He has also played for Coventry City, Arsenal, Wolverhampton Wanderers, West Bromwich Albion and Bristol City. He left the Bristol club for West Ham in 1973.

Taylor, scorer of West Ham's two goals against Fulham in last season's F.A. Cup final, was signed from Rochdale last November. He was born at Lancaster.

Robson was born at Hetton-le-Hole in County Durham, which is also the birthplace of Ralph Coates. Robson joined West Ham from Newcastle United in September 1974.

## MATCH CHECK

Saturday, 1st November

**SPURS 2, WOLVERHAMPTON WANDERERS 1** (Football League, Division 1)

Team: Jennings; Pratt, McAllister, Coates, Young, Osgood, Conn (sub. McNab), Perryman, Chivers, Jones and Neighbour. Goalscorers: Neighbour, Young.

**FULHAM RES. 1, SPURS RES. 3** (Football Combination)

Team: Cranstone; Stead, M., Walford, Keeley, Boyle, T., Smith, Brotherston, Hoddle, McGrath, Bacon and Duncan. Goalscorers: McGrath 2, Duncan.

**MILLWALL YOUTH 1, SPURS YOUTH 1** (South East Counties League, Division 1)

Team: Markwick; Wade, Cavanagh, S., M. Cleaver, Holyoak, M. Hazard, Bradbury, Barwick, Stead, K., Pace (sub. Beavon) and Hyams. Goalscorer: M. Hazard.

**SPURS JUNIORS 3, ORIENT JUNIORS 1** (South East Counties League, Division 2 Cup)

Team: Kendall; P. Stephens, K. Hillsden, M. Rodney, K. Ducker, Bowman, C. Hughton, W. Spence, M. Wallace, J. Mathias and G. O'Brien. Goalscorers: G. O'Brien 2, J. Mathias pen.

Monday, 3rd November

**SPURS YOUTH 2, WATFORD YOUTH 0**

(South East Counties, Div. 1 Cup, 2nd Round replay). Played at White Hart Lane

Team: Kendall; Wade, Cavanagh, S., Walford, Boyle, T. (sub. M. Cleaver), Barwick, Bradbury (sub. Pace), Hoddle, Stead, K., Beavon and Hyams. Goalscorers: Beavon, Pace.

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## THE MATCHES BEFORE

Here is the full list of all past matches between Spurs and West Ham in the Football League, F.A. Cup and Football League Cup. Spurs' score is shown first.

FOOTBALL LEAGUE				Season	Home	Away	
Season	Home	Away					
1919-20	2-0	1-2	Div. 2	1965-66	1-4	0-2	Div. 1
1923-24	0-1	0-0	Div. 1	1966-67	3-4	2-0	Div. 1
1924-25	1-1	1-1	Div. 1	1967-68	5-1	1-2	Div. 1
1925-26	4-2	1-3	Div. 1	1968-69	1-0	2-2	Div. 1
1926-27	1-3	2-1	Div. 1	1969-70	0-2	1-0	Div. 1
1927-28	5-3	1-1	Div. 1	1970-71	2-2	2-2	Div. 1
1932-33	2-2	0-1	Div. 1	1971-72	0-1	0-2	Div. 1
1935-36	1-3	2-2	Div. 2	1972-73	1-0	2-2	Div. 1
1936-37	2-3	1-2	Div. 2	1973-74	2-0	1-0	Div. 1
1937-38	2-0	3-1	Div. 2	1974-75	2-1	1-1	Div. 1
1938-39	2-1	2-0	Div. 2	1975-76	—	0-1	Div. 1
1946-47	0-0	2-2	Div. 2	F.A. CUP			
1947-48	2-2	1-1	Div. 2	1919-20	3-0	—	Old Rd. 3
1948-49	1-1	0-1	Div. 2	1925-26	5-0	—	Rd. 3
1949-50	4-1	1-0	Div. 2	1926-27	—	2-3	Rd. 3
1958-59	1-4	1-2	Div. 1	1933-34	4-1	—	Rd. 4
1959-60	2-2	2-1	Div. 1	1938-39	1-1	3-3	Rd. 4
1960-61	2-0	3-0	Div. 1	2nd replay (Highbury) 1-2			
1961-62	2-2	1-2	Div. 1	1955-56	3-3	2-1	Rd. 6
1962-63	4-4	6-1	Div. 1	1958-59	2-0	—	Rd. 3
1963-64	3-0	0-4	Div. 1	LEAGUE CUP			
1964-65	3-2	2-3	Div. 1	1966-67	—	0-1	Rd. 2

The past record-holder congratulates the record-breaker. Ted Ditchburn, our former English international goalkeeper, whose record total of 418 League appearances for Spurs was passed by Pat Jennings last month, makes a presentation to our Irish international before the home match with Manchester City.

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## CUP-TIE MEMORIES . . .

THE clash tonight of Spurs and West Ham will stir many memories of past cup-ties between the two clubs. We meet for the second time in the Football League Cup, and it is a point of interest that West Ham were our first-ever opponents in this particular competition.



Cliff Jones

Our first match in the League Cup was away to the Hammers in September, 1966, and it was not an occasion on which we can reflect with any pleasure.

A crowd of 34,000 saw **GEOFF HURST** score the only goal of the game for West Ham in the eighth minute, and as Spurs were reduced to 10 men after Alan Gilzean had been sent off in the second half, it was not surprising that we trooped off at the end as losers.

In past years there have been plenty of clashes between Spurs and West Ham in the F.A. Cup. We have been paired with them in that competition on no fewer than seven occasions, and replays were necessary both in 1956 and 1939 before the ties were settled.

Our last F.A. Cup clash with the Hammers was in the third round on this ground in 1959. There were no goals at half-time, but **CLIFF JONES** gave Spurs the lead in the second half, and **BOBBY SMITH**, our captain that day, added to the score to give us a comfortable 2-0 win before a crowd of 56,252.

The meeting in the sixth round in 1956 was much more eventful. Spurs were drawn at home, and there were nearly 70,000 people here.

It was a game brimming with thrills and excitement. **JOHN DICK** shook us with two early goals, and after **TOMMY HARMER** had improved our outlook from the penalty spot, the Scot completed his hat-trick for the visitors.

### GREAT RELIEF

A second Spurs goal by **GEORGE ROBB** left us trailing by only 3-2 at half-time, and **LEN DUQUEMIN** brought us great relief and a replay by scoring the only goal of the second half. The replay took place at Upton Park on the following Thursday afternoon, and play again reached a high standard. In that match Spurs were first to score, Harmer heading us into the lead just before half-time.

A capacity crowd saw West Ham equalise in the second half, centre-forward **BILLY DARE** finding the net with a header. West Ham then applied a lot of pressure, but Spurs regained their grip, and Duquemin drove in the winner with a fine shot. That goal put Spurs in the semi-final, but our Wembley hopes were dashed by Manchester City, who defeated us 1-0 at Villa Park.

The fourth-round tie in 1939 took even longer to settle. It started at Upton Park and the first match was drawn 3-3.

The gate figure at West Ham was 42,716. **JOHNNY MORRISON** opened the score for Spurs and **FRED SARGENT** added a second goal before **ARCHIE MACAULAY** converted a penalty for West Ham.

Spurs led 2-1 at half-time, and after the change-over, **ANDY DUNCAN** scored a third. In an exciting home rally, **STAN FOXALL** scored twice to earn the Hammers a replay.

A heavy fall of snow caused a postponement of the replay on the following Wednesday, but the game was played five days later. It was another tense cup-tie and at the end of extra time the score stood at 1-1. Sargent scored for Spurs and Foxall for West Ham. Percy Hooper, our goalkeeper, saved a penalty taken by Macaulay.

The second replay was on Arsenal's ground three days later. Morrison gave Spurs the lead with an oblique shot, but after another period of extra time, the Hammers were winners by 2-1. Their goals were scored by Foxall and Macaulay.

Dick Walker, who has been a full-time member of our scouting staff for many years, played centre-half for West Ham in each of those three matches in 1939.



Fred Sargent



# **FIXTURES AND RESULTS 1975-76** **FIRST TEAM—FOOTBALL LEAGUE, DIVISION I**

Date 1975	Opponents	Gr.	Goals F. A.	Goalscorers	Att'ce
July 23	Rot-Weiss Essen (Friendly)	A	1 1	Jones	
" 25	Karlsruhe (Friendly)	A	1 2	Kinnear (p)	
" 29	Hanover 96 (Friendly)	A	1 1	Jones	
Aug. 3	NAC Breda (Friendly)	A	1 0	Jones	
" 8	Bristol Rovers (Friendly)	A	4 1	Chivers 2, Jones, Coates	
" 16	Middlesbrough	H	1 0	Perryman	25,502
" 20	Ipswich Town	H	1 1	Duncan	28,351
" 23	Liverpool	A	2 3	Duncan, Jones	42,729
" 25	West Ham United	A	0 1	—	35,914
" 30	Norwich City	H	2 2	Pratt, Duncan	23,140
Sept. 6	Manchester United	A	2 3	Jones, Chivers	51,641
" 9	Watford, League Cup 2nd Rd.	A	1 0	Jones	14,997
" 13	Derby County	H	2 3	Duncan, Chivers	28,455
" 20	Leeds United	A	1 1	Pratt	27,376
" 27	Arsenal	H	0 0	—	37,064
Oct. 4	Newcastle United	A	2 2	Pratt, Duncan	33,290
" 8	Crewe A., League Cup 3rd Rd	A	2 0	Pratt, Conn	10,561
" 11	Aston Villa	A	1 1	Pratt	40,048
" 18	Manchester City	H	2 2	Jones 2	30,550
" 22	Arsenal (Cyril Knowles Match)	H	2 2	Knowles, C., McAllister	17,343
" 25	Leicester City	A	3 2	Coates, Chivers, Perryman	22,088
" 27	Millwall (Kitchener Testimonial)	A	1 3	McNab	7,006
Nov. 1	Wolverhampton Wanderers	H	2 1	Neighbour, Young	26,102
" 8	Queen's Park Rangers	A	0 0	—	28,454
" 12	West Ham U. League Cup 4th Rd.	H			
" 15	Stoke City	H			
" 22	Manchester City	A			
" 29	Burnley	H			
Dec. 3	League Cup 5				
" 6	Sheffield United	A			
" 10	Everton	H			
" 13	Liverpool	H			
" 20	Middlesbrough	A			
" 26	Birmingham City	H			
" 27	Coventry City	A			
1976					
Jan. 3	F.A. Cup 3				
" 10	Derby County	A			
" 14	League Cup Semi-final (1st Leg)				
" 17	Manchester United	H			
" 21	League Cup Semi-final (2nd Leg)				
" 24	F.A. Cup 4				
" 31	Ipswich Town	A			
Feb. 7	West Ham United	H			
" 14	Queen's Park R. (F.A. Cup 5)	H			
" 21	Stoke City	A			
" 24	Everton	A			
" 28	Leicester City (League Cup F.)	H			
Mar. 6	Wolverhampton W. (F.A. Cup 6)	A			
" 13	Aston Villa	H			
" 20	Burnley	A			
" 27	Sheffield United	H			
Apr. 3	Arsenal (F.A. Cup Semi-final)	A			
" 10	Leeds United	H			
" 17	Birmingham City	A			
" 19	Coventry City	H			
" 20	Norwich City	A			
" 24	Newcastle United	H			
May 1	F.A. Cup Final				

F.A. Cup Rounds in brackets subject to alteration

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# **LEAGUE TABLES**

FOOTBALL LEAGUE												
DIVISION I												
Up to and incl. 8th Nov.												
	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Ps.	Goals				
West Ham Un.	15	9	4	2	26	17	22					
Derby County	16	9	4	3	24	20	22					
Queen's Park R.	16	7	7	2	23	10	21					
Liverpool	15	8	5	2	23	12	21					
Manchester Un.	16	9	3	4	26	16	21					
Leeds United	15	8	3	4	25	17	19					
Stoke City	16	8	3	5	20	16	19					
Manchester City	16	6	6	4	25	15	18					
Middlesbrough	16	7	4	5	17	13	18					
Everton	15	7	4	4	23	22	18					
Newcastle United	16	6	3	7	30	26	15					
Ipswich Town	16	5	5	6	15	15	15					
Aston Villa	16	5	5	6	19	23	15					
Tottenham H.	15	3	8	4	21	22	14					
Norwich City	16	5	4	7	23	27	14					
Coventry City	16	4	6	6	15	19	14					
Arsenal	15	4	5	6	18	18	13					
Burnley	16	3	6	7	18	25	12					
Leicester City	16	1	10	5	17	26	12					
Wolverhampton W.	16	3	4	9	17	26	10					
Birmingham City	16	3	3	10	20	32	9					
Sheffield United	16	1	2	13	9	37	4					

FOOTBALL COMBINATION												
Up to and incl. 8th Nov.												
	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Ps.	Goals				
Birmingham City	17	11	3	3	24	9	25					
West Ham United	17	12	1	4	48	23	25					
Southampton	16	9	4	3	27	14	22					
Ipswich Town	15	10	2	3	28	16	22					
Bristol City	16	8	4	4	30	12	20					
Chelsea	17	7	6	4	29	20	20					
Luton Town	16	7	5	4	27	19	19					
Plymouth Argyle	15	7	3	5	20	20	17					
AFC Bournemouth	17	3	9	5	21	22	15					
Fulham	15	3	9	3	14	15	15					
Queen's Park R.	17	6	3	8	25	29	15					
Arsenal	15	4	6	5	15	15	14					
Norwich City	16	5	4	7	19	20	14					
Cardiff City	15	6	2	7	19	24	14					
Swindon Town	15	6	2	7	19	28	14					
Leicester City	17	5	3	9	24	28	13					
Crystal Palace	16	5	3	8	24	34	13					
Reading	14	4	5	5	17	22	13					
Oxford United	16	5	2	9	17	29	12					
Tottenham H.	15	4	4	7	24	24	12					
Orient	16	0	8	8	16	32	8					
Bristol Rovers	17	3	2	12	21	50	8					

## **SOUTH EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE**

DIVISION I												
Up to and incl. 8th Nov.												
	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Ps.	Goals				
Ipswich Town	11	11	0	0	33	10	22					
Fulham	10	9	1	0	21	5	19					
Southend United	11	8	1	2	29	15	17					
Chelsea	11	7	2	2	28	11	16					
West Ham United	11	5	2	4	22	15	12					
Queen's Park R.	12	4	3	5	22	19	11					
Tottenham H.	11	5	1	5	17	19	11					
Portsmouth	7	4	2	1	18	9	10					
Gillingham	10	4	1	5	14	19	9					
Arsenal	11	3	3	5	13	20	9					
Crystal Palace	12	3	1	8	17	25	7					
Watford	10	1	5	4	8	15	7					
Orient	11	2	3	6	9	26	7					
Charlton Athletic	12	1	4	7	18	28	6					
Millwall	11	1	3	7	8	23	5					
Norwich City	11	2	1	8	9	27	5					

DIVISION II CUP												
Up to and incl. 8th Nov.												
	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Ps.	Goals				
Tottenham H.	9	6	2	1	28	15	14					
Chelsea	6	4	2	0	23	8	10					
Peterborough Un.	8	3	3	2	23	17	9					
West Ham United	7	2	1	4	10	17	5					
Watford	7	1	1	5	8	21	3					
Orient	5	0	1	4	3	17	1					

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## **WERE YOU RIGHT? Answers to "Question Time"**

- Spurs were knocked out of the League Cup last season by Middlesbrough, who won 4—0 on this ground in the second round.
- West Ham's four victories at Wembley were by 3—2 against Preston North End in 1964 and by 2—0 against Fulham this year, both in the F.A. Cup; by 1—0 against Blackburn Rovers in the Football League War Cup in 1940; and by 2—0 against Munich in the European Cup-Winners' Cup in 1965. Their only defeat was in losing 2—0 to Bolton Wanderers in Wembley's first-ever F.A. Cup final in 1923.
- Chester, then in the Fourth Division, reached the semi-finals of the League Cup last season.
- Ray Graydon scored the goal by which Aston Villa defeated Norwich City in last season's League Cup final.
- Last season West Ham were knocked out of the League Cup in the third round by Fulham.