

Week 1

West Bromwich Albion v Derby County 0–0

Saturday, 18 August 1979, The Hawthorns, attendance: 24,484

WBA: Godden: Batson, D.Statham, Trewick, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, A.Brown II, A.Brown, G.Owen, P.Barnes

Derby: Middleton: Langan, S.Buckley, Rioch, McFarland, Wicks, McCaffrey, Moreland, Caskey (78. G.Daly), Greenwood, G.Hill

Tottenham Hotspur v Middlesbrough FC 1–3 (0–0)

Saturday, 18 August 1979, White Hart Lane, attendance: 32,743

Spurs: Daines: C.Lee, G.M.Smith, Yorath, Lacy, Perryman, J.Pratt (C.Jones), Ardiles, Falco, Hoddle, Villa

MFC: Platt: Craggs (P.Johnson), I.Bailey, C.Johnston, Ashcroft, McAndrew, D.Hodgson, Proctor, Janković, M.Burns, D.Armstrong

Scorers: 0–1 D.Armstrong (50.), 0–2 M.Burns (64.), 0–3 Janković (70.), 1–3 Hoddle (75.)

Stoke City v Coventry City 3–2 (1–0)

Saturday, 18 August 1979, Victoria Ground, attendance: 23,151

Stoke: Jones: R.Evans, G.Scott, S.Irvine, D.Smith, M.Doyle, V.Busby, A.Heath, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, Ursem (P.Richardson)

CFC: Blyth: D.R.Jones, R.McDonald, McGuire, Gooding, Holton, G.Collier, Hutchison, English, M.Ferguson, B.Powell, S.Hunt

Scorers: 1–0 V.Busby (34.), 2–0, 3–0 Crooks (50., 55.), 3–1, 3–2 B.Powell (64., pen., 71.)

Brighton & Hove Albion v Arsenal FC 0–4 (0–3)

Saturday, 18 August 1979, Goldstone Ground, attendance: 28,604

BHA: Steele: J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, Rollings, Lawrenson, G.Ryan, P.Ward, Maybank (Poskett), Sayer, O'Sullivan

AFC: Jennings: Rice, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady (Hollins), Sunderland, Stapleton, D.Price, Rix

Scorers: 0–1 Stapleton (32.), 0–2 Sunderland (38.), 0–3 Sunderland (44.), 0–4 Brady (74., pen.)

Everton FC v Norwich City 2–4 (2–3)

Saturday, 18 August 1979, Goodison Park, attendance: 26,539

EFC: Wood: J.Barton, J.Bailey, M.Lyons, W.Wright, T.Ross, C.Todd, Nulty, A.King, Kidd, Heard (71. Eastoe)

NFC: Keelan: K.Bond, McDowell, McGuire, Hoadley, A.Powell, Neighbour, K.Reeves, Fashanu (79. A.D.Taylor), Paddon, M.Peters

Scorers: 0–1 McGuire (10.), 1–1 T.Ross (14., pen.), 1–2 Fashanu (35.), 2–2 Nulty (40.), 2–3 M.Peters (44.), 2–4 Fashanu (65.)

Manchester City v Crystal Palace 0–0

Saturday, 18 August 1979, Maine Road, attendance: 40,681

MFC: Corrigan: Ranson (66. Viljoen), Stepanović, Caton, Booth, Power, S.MacKenzie, Silkman, M.Robinson, Deyna, Henry

CPFC: Burridge: P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, G.Francis, Swindlehurst, Flanagan, Hilaire

Ipswich Town v Nottingham Forest 0–1 (0–0)

Saturday, 18 August 1979, Portman Road, attendance: 27,371

Town: Sivel: M.Mills, Butcher, Thijssen, A.Hunter (74. A.Brazil), Osman, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, Gates, C.Woods

NFC: Shilton: V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, D.Needham, M.O'Neill, Hartford, Birtles, Woodcock, J.N.Robertson

Scorer: 0–1 Woodcock (46.)

Bristol City v Leeds United 2–2 (1–1)

Saturday, 18 September 1979, Ashton Gate, attendance: 22,845

BFC: Shaw: G.Sweeney, C.Whitehead, Gow, Rodgers, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, K.Mabbutt, Jantunen, Meijer

LUF: Harvey: Hird, B.Stevenson, B.Flynn, K.Parkinson, Hampton, Curtis, Cherry, Hankin, C.Harris, A.Graham

Scorers: 0–1 Curtis (9.), 1–1 T.Ritchie (34., pen.), 2–1 Jantunen (65.), 2–2 Curtis (82.)

Bolton Wanderers v Aston Villa 1–1 (0–0)

Saturday, 18 August 1979, Burnden Park, attendance: 19,795

WVFC: McDonagh: D.Clement, P.Nicholson, R.Greaves, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, Nowak, Whatmore, Gowling, Cantello, N.McNab

Villa: Rimmer: Swain, C.Gibson, A.Evans, K.McNaught, D.Mortimer, A.Morley, Little, Deehan, Cowans, Shelton

Scorers: 0–1 Cowans (72.), 1–1 Whatmore (76.)

Southampton FC v Manchester United 1–1 (1–1)

Saturday, 18 August 1979, The Dell, attendance: 21,768

SFC: Gennoe: Golac, Peach, S.Williams, C.Nicholl, M.Waldrton, G.E.Baker, Boyer, Hebbard, George, N.Holmes

MFC: Bailey: Albiston, J.Nicholl, McLroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, Jordan, Macari, M.Thomas

Scorers: 1–0 Peach (25., pen.), 1–1 McQueen (39.)

Table		P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA	Top Scorers
01 Arsenal FC		01	01	00	00	2–0	4:0		01 Fashanu (Norwich) 2 goals
02 Norwich City		01	01	00	00	2–0	4:2		Sunderland (Arsenal) 2 "
03 Middlesbrough FC		01	01	00	00	2–0	3:1		Crooks (Stoke) 2 "
04 Stoke City		01	01	00	00	2–0	3:2		Curtis (Leeds) 2 "
05 Nottingham Forest		01	01	00	00	2–0	1:0		B.Powell (Coventry) 2 "
06 Bristol City		01	00	01	00	1–1	2:2		
Leeds United		01	00	01	00	1–1	2:2		
08 Aston Villa		01	00	01	00	1–1	1:1		
Bolton Wanderers		01	00	01	00	1–1	1:1		
Manchester United		01	00	01	00	1–1	1:1		
Southampton FC		01	00	01	00	1–1	1:1		
12 Crystal Palace		01	00	01	00	1–1	0:0		
Derby County		01	00	01	00	1–1	0:0		
Manchester City		01	00	01	00	1–1	0:0		
West Bromwich Albion		01	00	01	00	1–1	0:0		
16 Coventry City		01	00	00	01	0–2	2:3		
17 Ipswich Town		01	00	00	01	0–2	0:1		
18 Everton FC		01	00	00	01	0–2	2:4		
19 Tottenham Hotspur		01	00	00	01	0–2	1:3		
20 Brighton & Hove Albion		01	00	00	01	0–2	0:4		

Week 2

Coventry City v Bristol City 3–1 (1–1)

Tuesday, 21 August 1979, Highfield Road, attendance: 19,293

CCFC: Blyth: D.R.Jones, R.McDonald, A.Blair, Holton, Gillespie, Hutchison, English, M.Ferguson, B.Powell, S.Hunt (Hateley)

BCFC: Shaw: G.Sweeney, C.Whitehead, Gow, Rodgers (Tainton), G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, K.Mabbutt, Jantunen, Meijer

Scorers: 1–0 English (24.), 1–1 T.Ritchie (38., pen.), 2–1 B.Powell (63., pen.), 3–1 Hutchison (84.)

Middlesbrough FC v Manchester City 3–0 (1–0)

Tuesday, 21 August 1979, Ayresome Park, attendance: 24,002

MFC: Platt: Craggs, I.Bailey, C.Johnston, Ashcroft, McAndrew, D.Hodgson, Proctor, Janković, M.Burns (79. Cummins), D.Armstrong

MFCF: Corrigan: Ranson, Stepanović, Caton, Booth, Power, S.MacKenzie, Silkman, M.Robinson, Deyna (Viljoen), Henry

Scorers: 1–0 C.Johnston (14.), 2–0 M.Burns (57.), 3–0 Cummins (89.)

Liverpool FC v Bolton Wanderers 0–0

Tuesday, 21 August 1979, Anfield Road, attendance: 45,900

LFC: Clemence: Neal (77. Heighway), A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalglish, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness

BWFC: McDonagh: D.Clement, P.Nicholson, R.Greaves, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, D.Burke, Whatmore, Gowling, Cantello, N.McNab

Arsenal FC v Ipswich Town 0–2 (0–1)

Tuesday, 21 August 1979, Highbury, attendance: 33,245

AFC: Jennings: Rice, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady, Sunderland, Stapleton, D.Price (73. Hollins), Rix

Town: Cooper: M.Mills, Butcher, Thijssen, A.Hunter, Osman, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, Gates, C.Woods

Scorers: 0–1 A.Hunter (21.), 0–2 Mühren (63.)

Crystal Palace v Southampton FC 0–0

Tuesday, 21 August 1979, Selhurst Park, attendance: 31,756

CPFC: Burridge: P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, G.Francis, Swindlehurst, Flanagan, Hilaire

SFC: Gennoe: G.E.Baker, Peach, S.Williams, C.Nicholl, M.Waldrton, A.Hayes (Shipley), Boyer, Hebbard, George, N.Holmes

Manchester United v West Bromwich Albion 2–0 (1–0)

Wednesday, 22 August 1979, Old Trafford, attendance: 53,393

MFC: Bailey: J.Nicholl, Albiston, McLroy (A.Ritchie), McQueen, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, Jordan, Macari, M.Thomas

WBA: Godden: Batson, D.Statham, A.Brown, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, A.Brown II, D.Mills, G.Owen, P.Barnes

Scorers: 1–0 McQueen (4.), 2–0 Coppell (52.)

Norwich City v Tottenham Hotspur 4–0 (0–0)

Wednesday, 22 August 1979, Carrow Road, attendance: 17,670

NFC: Keelan: K.Bond, McDowell, McGuire, Hoadley, Nightingale, Neighbour, K.Reeves, Fashanu, Paddon, M.Peters

Spurs: Daines: C.Lee, G.M.Smith, Yorath, Lacy, Perryman, Falco, Ardiles, C.Jones, Hoddle, Villa

Scorers: 1–0 K.Reeves (48.), 2–0 M.Peters (50.), 3–0 K.Reeves (59.), 4–0 Fashanu (89.)

Nottingham Forest v Stoke City 1–0 (0–0)

Wednesday, 22 August 1979, City Ground, attendance: 26,147

NFC: Shilton: V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, D.Needham, M.O'Neill, Hartford, Birtles, Woodcock, J.N.Robertson

Stoke: Fox: R.Evans, G.Scott, S.Irvine, D.Smith, M.Doyle, V.Busby, A.Heath, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, P.Richardson

Scorer: 1–0 M.O'Neill (81.)

Derby County v Wolverhampton Wanderers 0–1 (0–1)

Wednesday, 22 August 1979, Baseball Ground, attendance: 21,727

Derby: Middleton: Langan, S.Buckley, G.Daly, McFarland, Wicks, McCaffrey, Moreland, Caskey (74. Crawford), Greenwood, G.Hill

WVFC: Bradshaw: G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, G.Berry, E.Hughes, K.Hibbitt, W.Carr, Rafferty, Patching, W.Clarke (80. Eves)

Scorer: 0–1 W.Clarke (9.)

Leeds United v Everton FC 2–0 (0–0)

Wednesday, 22 August 1979, Elland Road, attendance: 30,000

LUF: Harvey: Hird, Hampton, B.Flynn, Hart, B.Stevenson, C.Harris, Cherry, Hankin, Curtis, A.Graham

EFC: Wood: J.Barton, J.Bailey, M.Lyons, Higgins, T.Ross, Nulty, C.Todd, A.King, Kidd, W.Wright

Scorers: 1–0 Hird (56.), 2–0 C.Harris (60.)

Aston Villa v Brighton & Hove Albion 2–1 (1–1)

Wednesday, 22 August 1979, Villa Park, attendance: 28,803

Villa: Rimmer: Swain, C.Gibson, A.Evans, K.McNaught, Cromptley (9. L.Jenkins), A.Morley, Little, Deehan, Cowans, Shelton

BHA: Steele: J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, Rollings, Lawrenson, G.Ryan (78. Poskett), P.Ward, Maybank, Sayer, O'Sullivan

Scorers: 1–0 A.Evans (15., pen.), 1–1 Maybank (45.), 2–1 A.Morley (66.)

Table		P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA	Top Scorers
01 Norwich City		02	02	00	00	4–0	8:2		01 B.Powell (Coventry) 3 goals
02 Middlesbrough FC		02	02	00	00	4–0	6:1		Fashanu (Norwich) 3 "
03 Nottingham Forest		02	02	00	00	4–0	2:0		03 Curtis (Leeds) 2 "
04 Leeds United		02	01	01	00	3–1	4:2		M.Burns (Middlesbrough) 2 "
05 Manchester United		02	01	01	00	3–1	3:1		McQueen (Manchester Utd.) 2 "
06 Aston Villa		02	01	01	00	3–1	3:2		Sunderland (Arsenal) 2 "
07 Arsenal FC		02	01	00	01	2–2	4:2		K.Reeves (Norwich) 2 "
08 Coventry City		02	01	00	01	2–2	5:4		T.Ritchie (Bristol C.) 2 "
09 Ipswich Town		02	01	00	01	2–2	2:1		Crooks (Stoke) 2 "
10 Wolverhampton Wanderers		01	01	00	00	2–0	1:0		M.Peters (Norwich) 2 "
11 Stoke City		02	01	00	01	2–2	3:3		
12 Bolton Wanderers		02	00	02	00	2–2	1:1		
Southampton FC		02	00	02	00	2–2	1:1		
14 Crystal Palace		02	00	02	00	2–2	0:0		
15 Liverpool FC		01	00	01	00	1–1	0:0		
16 Derby County		02	00	01	01	1–3	0:1		
17 Bristol City		02	00	01	01	1–3	3:5		
18 West Bromwich Albion		02	00	01	01	1–3	0:2		
19 Manchester City		02	00	01	01	1–3	0:3		
20 Everton FC		02	00	00	02	0–4	2:6		
21 Brighton & Hove Albion		02	00	00	02	0–4	1:6		
22 Tottenham Hotspur		02	00	00	02	0–4	1:7		

Week 3

Stoke City v Tottenham Hotspur 3–1 (2–0)

Saturday, 25 August 1979, Victoria Ground, attendance: 22,832

Stoke: Jones; R.Evans, G.Scott, S.Irvine, D.Smith, M.Doyle, V.Busby, A.Heath, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, Ursem (P.Richardson)

Spurs: Daines; C.Lee, G.M.Smith, Yorath, Lacy, Perryman, J.Pratt, Ardiles, Falco (D.McAllister), Hoddle, C.Jones

Scorers: 1–0, 2–0 Crooks (35., pen., 43.), 3–0 B.O'Callaghan (63.), 3–1 Perryman (82.)

Middlesbrough FC v Crystal Palace 1–1 (0–1)

Saturday, 25 August 1979, Ayresome Park, attendance: 24,521

MFC: Platt; Craggs, I.Bailey, C.Johnston, Ashcroft, McAndrew, D.Hodgson, Proctor, Cummins, M.Burns, D.Armstrong

CPFC: Burridge; P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, G.Francis, Flanagan, Swindlehurst, Hilaire (Fenwick)

Scorers: 0–1 Swindlehurst (40.), 1–1 Cummins (56.)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Ipswich Town 3–0 (1–0)

Saturday, 25 August 1979, Molineux, attendance: 22,025

WWFC: Bradshaw; G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, G.Berry, E.Hughes, K.Hibbitt, W.Clarke (80. Eves), Rafferty, W.Carr, Patching

Town: Cooper; M.Mills, Butcher, Thijssen, A.Hunter, Osman, Wark (A.Brazil), Mühren, Mariner, Gates, C.Woods

Scorers: 1–0 W.Carr (37.), 2–0 P.W.Daniel (53.), 3–0 Eves (85.)

Arsenal FC v Manchester United 0–0

Saturday, 25 August 1979, Highbury, attendance: 44,371

AFC: Jennings; Rice, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Gating (55. Walford), Sunderland, Stapleton, Hollins, Rix

MUFC: Bailey; J.Nicholl, Albiston, Mclroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Coppell (75. S.Paterson), R.Wilkins, Jordan, Macari, M.Thomas

Manchester City v Brighton & Hove Albion 3–2 (2–1)

Saturday, 25 August 1979, Maine Road, attendance: 34,557

MCFC: Corrigan; Ranson, Stepanović, Caton, Booth, Power, S.MacKenzie, Silkman, M.Robinson, Viljoen, Channon

BHA: Steele; J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, Rollings (46. P.Clark), Lawrenson, G.Ryan, P.Ward, Maybank, Sayer, O'Sullivan

Scorers: 1–0 Power (23.), 1–1 Maybank (34.), 2–1 Channon (43.), 3–1 M.Robinson (48., pen.), 3–2 P.Ward (88.)

Derby County v Everton FC 0–1 (0–1)

Saturday, 25 August 1979, Baseball Ground, attendance: 17,817

Derby: Middleton; Langan, S.Buckley, G.Daly, McFarland, Wicks, Rioch, McCaffrey, Caskey (46. Crawford), Greenwood, C.Hill

EFC: Steele; J.Gregory, J.Bailey, M.Lyons, Higgins, T.Ross, Nulty, C.Todd, A.King, Kidd, W.Wright

Scorer: 0–1 A.King (30.)

Nottingham Forest v Coventry City 4–1 (2–0)

Saturday, 25 August 1979, City Ground, attendance: 23,025

NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, M.O'Neill, Hartford, Birtles, Woodcock, J.N.Robertson

CCFC: Blyth; D.R.Jones (75. B.Roberts), R.McDonald, A.Blair, Holton, Gillespie, Hutchison, English, M.Ferguson, B.Powell, S.Hunt

Scorers: 1–0 Woodcock (18.), 2–0 McGovern (38.), 2–1 English (47.), 3–1 McGovern (63.), 4–1 J.N.Robertson (68., pen.)

Liverpool FC v West Bromwich Albion 3–1 (1–0)

Saturday, 25 August 1979, Villa Road, attendance: 48,021

LFC: Clemence; Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Cn.Irwin, Dalglish, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness

WBA: Godden; Batson, D.Statham, A.Brown, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, A.Brown II, D.Mills (83. Summerfield), G.Owen, P.Barnes

Scorers: 1–0 D.Johnson (11.), 2–0 T.McDermott (52.), 3–0 D.Johnson (59.), 3–1 P.Barnes (63.)

Aston Villa v Bristol City 0–2 (0–1)

Saturday, 25 August 1979, Villa Park, attendance: 25,526

Villa: Rimmer; Swain, C.Gibson, A.Evans, K.McNaught, G.Williams, A.Morley, Little (25. Linton), Deehan, Cowans, Shelton

BCFC: Shaw; Tainton, C.Whitehead, Gow, G.Sweeney, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, K.Mabbutt (J.Mann), Jantunen, Royle

Scorers: 0–1 K.Mabbutt (19.), 0–2 T.Ritchie (90., pen.)

Bolton Wanderers v Southampton FC 2–1 (2–0)

Saturday, 25 August 1979, Burnden Park, attendance: 14,714

BWFC: McDonagh; D.Clement, P.Nicholson, R.Greaves, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, Nowak, Whatmore, Gowling, Cantello, N.McNab

SFC: Gennoe; Golac (O.Williams), Peach, S.Williams, C.Nicholl, M.Waldron, Shipley, Boyer, Hebbard, George, N.Holmes

Scorers: 1–0 N.McNab (6.), 2–0 Whatmore (18.), 2–1 George (86.)

Norwich City v Leeds United 2–1 (2–1)

Saturday, 25 August 1979, Carrow Road, attendance: 18,444

NCFC: Keelan; K.Bond, McDowell, McGuire, Hoadley, A.Powell, Neighbour, K.Reeves, Fashanu (77. A.D.Taylor), Paddon, M.Peters

LUF: Harvey; Hird, Hampton (65. K.Parkinson), B.Flynn, Hart, B.Stevenson, C.Harris, Cherry, Hankin, Curtis, A.Graham

Scorers: 1–0 K.Bond (15., pen.), 1–1 Hart (16.), 2–1 K.Bond (46.)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA
01 Norwich City	03	03	00	00	6–0	10:3	
02 Nottingham Forest	03	03	00	00	6–0	6:1	
03 Middlesbrough FC	03	02	01	00	5–1	7:2	
04 Wolverhampton Wanderers	02	02	00	00	4–0	4:0	
05 Stoke City	03	02	00	01	4–2	6:4	
06 Manchester United	03	01	02	00	4–2	3:1	
07 Bolton Wanderers	03	01	02	00	4–2	3:2	
08 Arsenal FC	03	01	01	01	3–3	4:2	
09 Liverpool FC	02	01	01	00	3–1	3:1	
10 Leeds United	03	01	01	01	3–3	5:4	
11 Bristol City	03	01	01	01	3–3	5:5	
12 Crystal Palace	03	00	03	00	3–3	1:1	
13 Aston Villa	03	01	01	01	3–3	3:4	
14 Manchester City	03	01	01	01	3–3	3:5	
15 Southampton FC	03	00	02	01	2–4	2:3	
16 Coventry City	03	01	00	02	2–4	6:8	
17 Ipswich Town	03	01	00	02	2–4	2:4	
18 Everton FC	03	01	00	02	2–4	3:6	
19 Derby County	03	00	01	02	1–5	0:2	
20 West Bromwich Albion	03	00	01	02	1–5	1:5	
21 Brighton & Hove Albion	03	00	00	03	0–6	3:9	
22 Tottenham Hotspur	03	00	00	03	0–6	2:10	

Top Scorers

01 Crooks (Stoke)	4 goals
02 B.Powell (Coventry)	3 "
Fashanu (Norwich)	3 "
T.Ritchie (Bristol C.)	3 "
05 Woodcock (Nottingham)	2 "
McGovern (Nottingham)	2 "
English (Coventry)	2 "
K.Bond (Norwich)	2 "
M.Peters (Norwich)	2 "
Sunderland (Arsenal)	2 "
Cummins (Middlesbrough)	2 "
K.Reeves (Norwich)	2 "
Maybank (Brighton & Hove)	2 "
McQueen (Manchester Utd.)	2 "
M.Burns (Middlesbrough)	2 "
D.Johnson (Liverpool)	2 "
Curtis (Leeds)	2 "
Whatmore (Bolton)	2 "

Week 4

Everton FC v Aston Villa 1–1 (0–1)

Saturday, 1 September 1979, Goodison Park, attendance: 29,271

EFC: Wood; W.Wright, J.Bailey, M.Lyons, Higgins, T.Ross, Hartford, Stanley, A.King, Kidd, Eastoe

Villa: Rimmer; Linton, C.Gibson, A.Evans, K.McNaught, D.Mortimer, A.Morley, G.Shaw, Deehan, Cowans, Swain

Scorers: 1–0 A.Morley (15.), 1–1 Bailey (82.)

West Bromwich Albion v Nottingham Forest 1–5 (1–3)

Saturday, 1 September 1979, The Hawthorns, attendance: 26,026

WBA: Godden; Batson, D.Statham, A.Brown, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, Summerfield, D.Mills (63. Trewick), G.Owen, P.Barnes

NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, M.O'Neill, Bowyer, Birtles, Woodcock, J.N.Robertson

Scorers: 1–0 G.Owen (2.), 1–1 Lloyd (15.), 1–2 Birtles (28.), 1–3 Birtles (43.), 1–4 F.Gray (77.), 1–5 Birtles (81.)

Crystal Palace v Derby County 4–0 (1–0)

Saturday, 1 September 1979, Selhurst Park, attendance: 25,127, sent-off: G.Hill (18.)

CPFC: Burridge; P.Hinshelwood, Sansom (72. I.Walsh), P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, Kember, Swindlehurst, Flanagan, Hilaire

Derby: Middleton; Langan, S.Buckley, G.Daly (67. Crawford), McFarland, D.Webb, Rioch, McCaffrey, Duncan, Greenwood, G.Hill

Scorers: 1–0 Flanagan (10.), 2–0 P.Nicholas (54.9, 3–0 Flanagan (65.), 4–0 Swindlehurst (83.)

Manchester United v Middlesbrough FC 2–1 (1–0)

Saturday, 1 September 1979, Old Trafford, attendance: 51,015

MUFC: Baile; J.Nicholl, Albiston, Mclroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, Jordan, Macari, M.Thomas

MFC: Platt; Craggs, I.Bailey, C.Johnston, Ashcroft, McAndrew, D.Hodgson, Proctor (65. Hedley), Janković, M.Burns, D.Armstrong

Scorers: 1–0, 2–0 Macari (15., 51.), 2–1 C.Johnston (74.)

Southampton FC v Liverpool FC 3–2 (1–1)

Saturday, 1 September 1979, The Dell, attendance: 21,402

SFC: Gennoe; Golac, Peach, S.Williams, C.Nicholl, M.Waldron, G.E.Baker (66. A.Hayes), Boyer, Hebbard, George, Shipley

LFC: Clemence; Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Cn.Irwin, Dalglish, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness

Scorers: 1–0 Hebbard (12.), 1–1 D.Johnson (16.), 2–1 Boyer (68.), 3–1 George (67.), 3–2 Cn.Irwin (73.)

Tottenham Hotspur v Manchester City 2–1 (0–0)

Saturday, 1 September 1979, White Hart Lane, attendance: 30,901

Spurs: Daines; D.McAlister, Hughton, Yorath, P.Miller, Perryman, J.Pratt, Ardiles (14. Falco), C.Jones, Hoddle, C.Lee

MCFC: Corrigan; Ranson, Stepanović, Caton, Booth, Power, S.MacKenzie, Silkman, M.Robinson, Viljoen (75. Henry), Channon

Scorers: 1–0 Hoddle (13.), 2–0 C.Jones (68.), 2–1 S.MacKenzie (69.)

Coventry City v Norwich City 2–0 (0–0)

Saturday, 1 September 1979, Highfield Road, attendance: 18,181

CCFC: Murcott; B.Roberts, R.McDonald, A.Blair, Holton, Gillespie, Hutchison, English (85. Hateley), M.Ferguson, B.Powell, S.Hunt

NFC: Keelan; K.Bond, McDowell (60. J.G.Ryan), McGuire, Hoadley, R.Brown, Neighbour, K.Reeves, Fashanu, Paddon, M.Peters

Scorers: 1–0 R.McDonald (50.), 2–0 M.Ferguson (63.)

Brighton & Hove Albion v Bolton Wanderers 3–1 (2–0)

Saturday, 1 September 1979, Goldstone Ground, attendance: 20,171

BHA: Moseley; J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, Lawrenson, P.Clark (71. G.Ryan), P.Ward, Maybank, Sayer, O'Sullivan

MCFC: McDonagh; D.Clement, D.Burke, R.Greaves, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, F.Worthington (54. Nowak), Whatmore, Gowling, Cantello, N.McNab

Scorers: 1–0 P.Ward (12.), 2–0 P.Clark (23.), 2–1 M.Walsh (57.), 3–1 Horton (71.)

Ipswich Town v Stoke City 3–1 (2–1)

Saturday, 1 September 1979, Portman Road, attendance: 17,539

Town: Cooper; Burley, M.Mills, Thijssen, Butcher, Osman, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, A.Brazil (79. Gates), C.Woods

NFC: Keelan; K.Bond, McDowell (60. J.G.Ryan), McGuire, Hoadley, R.Brown, Neighbour, K.Reeves, Fashanu, Paddon, M.Peters

Scorers: 1–0 A.Brazil (11.), 1–1 Butcher (21., o.g.), 2–1 Mariner (45.), 3–1 Wark (90.)

Leeds United v Arsenal FC 1–1 (0–0)

Saturday, 1 September 1979, Elland Road, attendance: 23,245

LUF: Harvey; Hird, B.Stevenson, B.Flynn, Hart, K.Parkinson, B.Greenhoff, Cherry, Hawley, Curtis, A.Graham

AFC: Jennings; Rice, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Gating, Sunderland, Stapleton, Hollins, Rix

Scorers: 1–0 Hart (44.), 1–1 Nelson (46.)

Bristol City v Wolverhampton Wanderers 2–0 (1–0)

Saturday, 1 September 1979, Ashton Gate, attendance: 18,835

BCFC: Shaw; Tainton, C.Whitehead, Gow, G.Sweeney, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, Royle, Jantunen, K.Mabbutt

WWFC: Bradshaw; G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, G.Berry, E.Hughes, K.Hibbitt, W.Clarke, Rafferty, W.Carr, Patching

Scorers: 1–0 Gow (7.), 2–0 Royle (72.)

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01 Nottingham Forest	04	04	00	00	8–0	11:2	
02 Norwich City	04	03	00	01	6–2	10:5	
03 Manchester United	04	02	02	00	6–2	5:2	
04 Middlesbrough FC	04	02	01	01	5–3	8:4	
05 Crystal Palace	04	01	03	00	5–3	5:1	
06 Bristol City	04	02	01	01	5–3	7:5	
07 Arsenal FC	04	01	02	01	4–4	5:3	
08 Wolverhampton Wanderers	03	02	00	01	4–2	4:2	
09 Leeds United	04	01	02	01	4–4	6:5	
10 Coventry City	04	02	00	02	4–4	8:8	
11 Stoke City	04	02	00	02	4–4	7:7	
12 Ipswich Town	04	02	00	02	4–4	5:5	
Southampton FC	04	01	02	01	4–4	5:5	
14 Aston Villa	04	01	02	01	4–4	4:5	
Bolton Wanderers	04	01	02	01	4–4	4:5	
16 Liverpool FC	03	01	01	01	3–3	5:4	
17 Everton FC	04	01	01	02	3–5	4:7	
Manchester City	04	01	01	02	3–5	4:7	
19 Brighton & Hove Albion	04	01	00	03	2–6	6:10	
20 Tottenham Hotspur	04	01	00	03	2–6	4:11	
21 Derby County	04	00	01	03	1–7	0:6	
22 West Bromwich Albion	04	00	01	03	1–7	2:10	

Top Scorers

01 Crooks (Stoke)	4 goals
02 D.Johnson (Liverpool)	3 "
Birtles (Nottingham)	3 "
B.Powell (Coventry)	3 "
T.Ritchie (Bristol C.)	3 "
Fashanu (Norwich)	3 "
05 Woodcock (Nottingham)	2 "
McGovern (Nottingham)	2 "
English (Coventry)	2 "
K.Bond (Norwich)	2 "
M.Peters (Norwich)	2 "
Sunderland (Arsenal)	2 "
Cummins (Middlesbrough)	2 "
K.Reeves (Norwich)	2 "
Maybank (Brighton & Hove)	2 "
McQueen (Manchester Utd.)	2 "
M.Burns (Middlesbrough)	2 "
D.Johnson (Liverpool)	2 "
Curtis (Leeds)	2 "
Whatmore (Bolton)	2 "

Week 5

Stoke City v Everton FC 2–3 (2–2)

Saturday, 8 September 1979, Victoria Ground, attendance: 23,460

Stoke: Jaines; R.Evans, G.Scott, S.Irvine (81. V.Busby), D.Smith, M.Doyle, Randall, A.Heath, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, P.Richardson

EFc: Wood: W.Wright, J.Bailey, M.Lyons, Higgins, T.Ross, Hartford, Stanley, A.King, Kidd, Eastoe

Scorers: 0–1 A.King (12.), 0–2 J.Bailey (14.), 1–2 B.O'Callaghan (18.), 2–2 D.Smith (35.), 2–3 Kidd (81.)

Tottenham Hotspur v Brighton & Hove Albion 2–1 (1–0)

Saturday, 8 September 1979, White Hart Lane, attendance: 34,107

Spurs: Daines; Hughton, Southey, Yorath, P.Miller, Perryman, J.Pratt (77. Beavon), C.Jones, G.J.Armstrong, Hoddle, C.Lee

BHA: Steele; J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, Lawrenson (G.Ryan), P.Clark, P.Ward, Maybank, Sayer, O'Sullivan

Scorers: 1–0 G.J.Armstrong (13.), 2–0 Hoddle (76., pen.), 2–1 Horton (80.)

Nottingham Forest v Leeds United 0–0

Saturday, 8 September 1979, City Ground, attendance: 26,914

NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, M.O'Neill, Bowyer, Birtles, Woodcock, J.N.Robertson

LUFC: Harvey; Hird, Hampton, B.Flynn, Hart, Madeley, E.Gray, Cherry, Hankin, Curtis, A.Graham

Manchester City v Southampton FC 0–1 (0–1)

Saturday, 8 September 1979, Maine Road, attendance: 34,920

MCFC: Corrigan; Ranson, Stepanović, Caton, Donachie, Power, S.MacKenzie, Silkman, M.Robinson (82. Henry), S.Daley, St.Lee

SFC: Gennoe; Golac, Peach, S.Williams, C.Nicholl, M.Waldron, G.E.Baker, Boyer, Hebbard, A.Hayes, N.Holmes

Scorer: 0–1 N.Holmes (24.)

Middlesbrough FC v Norwich City 1–0 (1–0)

Saturday, 8 September 1979, Ayresome Park, attendance: 19,575

WFC: Platt; Craggs, I.Bailey, C.Johnston, Ashcroft, McAndrew, D.Hodgson, Proctor, Janković, Cummins, D.Armstrong

NFCF: Keelan; K.Bond, Symonds, Nightingale (J.G.Ryan), Hoadley, A.Powell, Neighbour, K.Reeves, Fashanu, Paddon, A.D.Taylor

Scorer: 1–0 Proctor (20.)

Aston Villa v Manchester United 0–3 (0–1)

Saturday, 8 September 1979, Villa Park, attendance: 34,859

Villa: Rimmer; Gidman, Shelton (75. J.Ward), A.Evans, K.McNaught, D.Mortimer, A.Morley, G.Shaw, Deehan, Cowans, Swain

MUFC: Bailely; J.Nicholl, Albiston, McLroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, Jordan (46. Grimes), Macari, M.Thomas

Scorers: 0–1 Coppell (17.), 0–2 M.Thomas (70., pen.), 0–3 Grimes (85.)

Ipswich Town v Bristol City 1–0 (0–0)

Saturday, 8 September 1979, Portman Road, attendance: 16,915

Town: Cooper; Burley, M.Mills, R.Osborne, Butcher, Osman, Wark, Mühren, Mariner (75. Gates), A.Brazil, C.Woods

BCFC: Shaw; Tainton, C.Whitehead, Gow, G.Sweeney, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, Royle, Jantunen (62. Cormack), K.Mabbutt

Scorers: 1–0 G.Woods (53.)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Crystal Palace 1–1 (0–1)

Saturday, 8 September 1979, Molineux, attendance: 24,580

WWFC: Bradshaw; G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, E.Hughes, G.Berry, K.Hibbitt, W.Carr, Rafferty, W.Clarke, Patching (79. Eves)

CPFC: Burridge; P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, G.Francis, Swindlehurst, Flanagan, Hilaire

Scorers: 0–1 Swindlehurst (32.), 1–1 W.Clarke (52.)

Derby County v Arsenal FC 3–2 (0–2)

Saturday, 8 September 1979, Baseball Ground, attendance: 16,429

Derby: Middleton; Langan, S.Buckley, S.Powell, Wicks, D.Webb, Moreland, McCaffrey, Duncan, Crawford (76. S.Carter), G.Hill

AFC: Jennings; Rice, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady, Sunderland, Stapleton, Hollins, Rix

Scorers: 0–1 Sunderland (19.), 0–2 Stapleton (39.), 1–2 Langan (47.), 2–2 McCaffrey (54.), 3–2 Duncan (89.)

Bolton Wanderers v West Bromwich Albion 0–0

Saturday, 8 September 1979, Burnden Park, attendance: 17,033

BWFC: McDonagh; D.Clement, P.Nicholson, R.Greaves, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, W.Morgan, Whatmore (59. F.Worthington), Gowling, Cantello, D.Burke

WBA: Godden; Batson, D.Statham, Trewick, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, A.Brown II, A.Brown, G.Owen, P.Barnes

Liverpool FC v Coventry City 4–0 (1–0)

Saturday, 8 September 1979, Anfield Road, attendance: 39,926

LFc: Clemence; Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Cn.Irwin, Dalglish, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness

CCFC: Sealey; B.Roberts, R.McDonald, G.Collier, Holton, Gillespie, Hutchison, English, M.Ferguson (62. A.Blair), B.Powell, S.Hunt

Scorers: 1–0 D.Johnson (27.), 2–0 Case (57.), 3–0 Dalglish (63.), 4–0 D.Johnson (90.)

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01 Nottingham Forest	05	04	01	00	9–1	11:2	
02 Manchester United	05	03	02	00	8–2	8:2	
03 Middlesbrough FC	05	03	01	01	7–3	9:4	
04 Norwich City	05	03	00	02	6–4	10:6	
05 Crystal Palace	05	01	04	00	6–4	6:2	
06 Ipswich Town	05	03	00	02	6–4	6:5	
Southampton FC	05	02	02	01	6–4	6:5	
08 Liverpool FC	04	02	01	01	5–3	9:4	
09 Wolverhampton Wanderers	04	02	01	01	5–3	5:3	
10 Bristol City	05	02	01	02	5–5	7:6	
11 Leeds United	05	01	03	01	5–5	6:5	
12 Bolton Wanderers	05	01	03	01	5–5	4:5	
13 Everton FC	05	02	01	02	5–5	7:9	
14 Arsenal FC	05	01	02	02	4–6	7:6	
15 Stoke City	05	02	00	03	4–6	9:10	
16 Coventry City	05	02	00	03	4–6	8:12	
17 Aston Villa	05	01	02	02	4–6	4:8	
18 Tottenham Hotspur	05	02	00	03	4–6	6:12	
19 Manchester City	05	01	01	03	3–7	4:8	
20 Derby County	05	01	01	03	3–7	3:8	
21 West Bromwich Albion	05	00	02	03	2–8	2:10	
22 Brighton & Hove Albion	05	01	00	04	2–8	7:12	

Top Scorers	Goals
01 D.Johnson (Liverpool)	5 goals
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Fashanu (Norwich)	3 "
B.Powell (Coventry)	3 "
T.Ritchie (Bristol C.)	3 "
Hoddle (Tottenham)	3 "
Sunderland (Arsenal)	3 "
Birtles (Nottingham)	3 "

Week 6

Leeds United v Liverpool FC 1–1 (0–0)

Saturday, 15 September 1979, Elland Road, attendance: 39,779

LUFC: Harvey; Hird, Hampton, B.Flynn, Hart, Madeley, E.Gray, Cherry, Hankin, Curtis, A.Graham

LFc: Clemence; Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, Cohen, Hansen, Dalglish, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness

Scorers: 0–1 T.McDermott (80.), 1–1 Curtis (87.)

Everton FC v Wolverhampton Wanderers 2–3 (1–0)

Saturday, 15 September 1979, Goodison Park, attendance: 31,807, sent-off: A.King

EFc: Wood: W.Wright, J.Bailey, M.Lyons, Higgins, T.Ross, Hartford, Stanley, A.King, Kidd, Eastoe (64. J.Barton)

WWFC: Bradshaw; G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, E.Hughes, G.Berry, K.Hibbitt, W.Carr, A.Gray, J.Richards (80. Brazier), Eves

Scorers: 1–0 Kidd (19.), 1–1 A.Gray (49.), 1–2 P.W.Daniel (59., pen.), 2–2 T.Ross (63.), 2–3 J.Richards (66.)

Southampton FC v Tottenham Hotspur 5–2 (0–1)

Saturday, 15 September 1979, The Dell, attendance: 22,573

SFC: Gennoe; Hebbard, Peach, S.Williams, C.Nicholl, M.Waldron, Ball, Boyer, Channon, G.E.Baker, N.Holmes

Spurs: Daines; Hughton, Villa, Yorath, Lacy, Perryman, J.Pratt, C.Jones, G.J.Armstrong, Hoddle, Beavon

Scorers: 0–1 Hoddle (25.), 1–1 Boyer (49.), 1–2 C.Jones (53.), 2–2 N.Holmes (60.), 3–2 G.E.Baker (67.), 4–2 Channon (71.), 5–2 N.Holmes (74.)

Bristol City v Stoke City 0–0

Saturday, 15 September 1979, Ashton Gate, attendance: 16,662

BCFC: Shaw; Tainton, C.Whitehead, Gow, G.Sweeney, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, Royle (70. Meijer), J.Mann, K.Mabbutt

Stoke: Jones; R.Evans, G.Scott, S.Irvine, D.Smith, M.Doyle, Dodd, A.Heath, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, P.Richardson

Norwich City v Nottingham Forest 3–1 (2–0)

Saturday, 15 September 1979, Carrow Road, attendance: 18,621

NFCF: Keelan; K.Bond, Symonds, McDowell, Hoadley, A.Powell, A.D.Taylor, K.Reeves, Fashanu, Paddon, K.Robson

NFCF: Shilton; W.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, M.O'Neill, Bowyer, Birtles, Woodcock, J.N.Robertson

Scorers: 1–0 K.Reeves (37.), 2–0 Fashanu (41.), 3–0 K.Robson (57.), 3–1 Woodcock (82.)

Manchester United v Derby County 1–0 (1–0)

Saturday, 15 September 1979, Old Trafford, attendance: 54,308

MUFC: Bailely; J.Nicholl, Albiston, McLroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, A.Ritchie, Macari, Grimes

Derby: Middleton; Langan, S.Buckley, S.Powell, Wicks, D.Webb, Moreland, McCaffrey, Duncan (75. Crawford), S.Carter, G.Hill

Scorer: 1–0 Grimes (20.)

Crystal Palace v Aston Villa 2–0 (1–0)

Saturday, 15 September 1979, Selhurst Park, attendance: 28,156

CPFC: Burridge; P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy (78. I.Walsh), G.Francis, Swindlehurst, Flanagan, Hilaire

Villa: Rimmer; Gidman, Pejic, A.Evans, K.McNaught, D.Mortimer, A.Morley, J.Ward (61. Ormsby), Deehan, Cowans, Swain

Scorer: 1–0, 2–0 J.Murphy (41., 65.)

Coventry City v Bolton Wanderers 3–1 (1–0)

Saturday, 15 September 1979, Highfield Road, attendance: 15,353

CCFC: Sealey; B.Roberts, R.McDonald, A.Blair, Holton, Gillespie, Hutchison, I.Wallace, M.Ferguson, B.Powell, S.Hunt

BWFC: McDonagh; D.Clement, P.Nicholson (72. C.Thompson), R.Greaves, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, W.Morgan, Whatmore, Gowling, Cantello, D.Burke

Scorers: 1–0 I.Wallace (8.), 2–0 B.Powell (49., pen.), 3–0 I.Wallace (62.), 3–1 W.Morgan (82.)

Arsenal FC v Middlesbrough FC 2–0 (1–0)

Saturday, 15 September 1979, Highbury, attendance: 30,341

AFC: Jennings; Rice, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady, Sunderland, Stapleton, Hollins, Rix

MFC: Platt; Craggs, I.Bailey, C.Johnston, Ashcroft, McAndrew, D.Hodgson, Proctor (73. M.Burns), Janković, Nattrass, D.Armstrong

Scorers: 1–0 Sunderland (24.), 2–0 Stapleton (65.)

West Bromwich Albion v Manchester City 4–0 (2–0)

Saturday, 15 September 1979, The Hawthorns, attendance: 22,236

WBA: Godden; Batson, D.Statham, Trewick, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, A.Brown, A.Brown II, G.Owen, P.Barnes (46. Summerfield)

MCFC: Corrigan; Ranson, Stepanović, Caton, Donachie, Power (46. P.Futcher), S.MacKenzie, Silkman, M.Robinson, S.Daley, St.Lee

Scorers: 1–0 A.Brown II (13.), 2–0 G.Owen (35.), 3–0, 4–0 B.Robson (67., 78.)

Brighton & Hove Albion v Ipswich Town 2–0 (1–0)

Saturday, 15 September 1979, Goldstone Ground, attendance: 23,608

BHA: Steele; J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, G.A.Stevens, S.Foster, P.Clark (73. G.Ryan), P.Ward, Maybank, Sayer, O'Sullivan

Town: Cooper; Burley, M.Mills, Thijssen, Butcher, Osman, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, A.Brazil, C.Woods (23. R.Osborne)

Scorers: 1–0 P.Clark (18.), 2–0 G.Ryan (85.)

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02 Nottingham Forest	06	04	01	01	9–3	12:5	
03 Crystal Palace	06	02	04	00	8–4	8:2	
04 Norwich City	06	04	00	02	8–4	13:7	
05 Southampton FC	06	03	02	01	8–4	11:7	
06 Middlesbrough FC	06	03	01	02	7–5	9:6	
07 Wolverhampton Wanderers	05	03	01	01	7–3	8:5	
08 Liverpool FC	05	02	02	01	6–4	10:5	
09 Arsenal FC	06	02	02	02	6–6	9:6	
10 Bristol City	06	02	02	02	6–6	7:6	
Leeds United	06	01	04	01	6–6	7:6	
12 Ipswich Town	06	03	00	03	6–6	6:7	
13 Coventry City	06	03	00	03	6–6	11:13	
14 Stoke City	06	02	01	03	5–7	9:10	
15 Everton FC	06	02	01	03	5–7	9:12	
16 Bolton Wanderers	06	01	03	02	5–7	5:8	
17 Brighton & Hove Albion	06	02	00	04	4–8	9:12	
18 West Bromwich Albion	06	01	02	03	4–8	6:10	
19 Aston Villa	06	01	02	03	4–8	4:10	
20 Tottenham Hotspur	06	02	00	04	4–8	8:17	
21 Derby County	06	01	01	04	3–9	3:9	
22 Manchester City	06	01	01	04	3–9	4:12	

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Fashanu (Norwich)	4 "
Crooks (Stoke)	4 "
07 Woodcock (Nottingham)	3 "
Birtles (Nottingham)	3 "
N.Holmes (Southampton)	3 "
Swindlehurst (Crystal Palace)	3 "
Stapleton (Arsenal)	3 "
Curtis (Leeds)	3 "
T.Ritchie (Bristol C.)	3 "
K.Reeves (Norwich)	3 "

Week 7

Aston Villa v Arsenal FC 0–0
 Saturday, 22 September 1979, Villa Park, attendance: 27,277
 Villa: Rimmer, Gidman, Pejic, A.Evans, K.McNaught, D.Mortimer, D.Bremner, Little, Geddis, Cowans, Swain
 AFC: P.Barron, Rice, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady, Sunderland, Stapleton, Hollins, Rix

Tottenham Hotspur v West Bromwich Albion 1–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 22 September 1979, White Hart Lane, attendance: 29,814
 Spurs: Daines; Hughton, D.McAllister, Yorath, P.Miller, Perryman, Ardiles, C.Jones, G.J.Armstrong, Hoddle, Villa
 WBA: Godden; Batson, D.Statham, Trewick, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, A.Brown II, Deehan, G.Owen (65. A.Brown), P.Barnes
 Scorers: 1–0 Hoddle (58., pen.), 1–1 A.Brown II (88.)

Stoke City v Crystal Palace 1–2 (1–0)
 Saturday, 22 September 1979, Victoria Ground, attendance: 19,255
 Stoke: Fox; R.Evans, G.Scott, S.Irvine, D.Smith, M.Doyle, V.Busby, P.Richardson, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks (41. Dodd), Ursem
 CPFC: Burridge; P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas (81. Kember), Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, G.Francis, Swindlehurst, Flanagan, Hilaire
 Scorers: 1–0 D.Smith (36.), 1–1 Hilaire (55.), 1–2 Cannon (86.)

Liverpool FC v Norwich City 0–0
 Saturday, 22 September 1979, Anfield Road, attendance: 44,120
 LFC: Clemence; Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, D.Fairclough, Cn.Irwin, Dalglish, Case, D.Johnson (26. Heighway), T.McDermott, Souness
 NCFC: Keelan; K.Bond, McDowell, A.D.Taylor (49. Symonds), Hoadley, A.Powell, K.Robson, K.Reeves, Fashanu, Paddon, M.Peters

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Manchester United 3–1 (1–1)
 Saturday, 22 September 1979, Molineux, attendance: 35,954
 WWFC: Bradshaw; G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, E.Hughes, G.Berry, K.Hibbitt, W.Carr, A.Gray, J.Richards, Eves
 MUF: Bailey, J.Nicholl, Albiston, McLroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Grimes, R.Wilkins, Coppell, Macari, M.Thomas
 Scorers: 0–1 Macari (8.), 1–1 K.Hibbitt (32.), 2–1 A.Gray (77.), 3–1 J.Richards (80.)

Ipswich Town v Everton FC 1–1 (0–1)
 Saturday, 22 September 1979, Portman Road, attendance: 19,251
 Town: Cooper; Burley, M.Mills, R.Osborne, Butcher, Osman, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, Gates, S.McCall
 EFC: Wood; J.Barton, J.Bailey, M.Lyons, Higgins, T.Ross, Hartford, W.Wright, Nulty, Kidd, Eastoe
 Scorers: 0–1 Kidd (9.), 1–1 Wark (86.)

Brighton & Hove Albion v Southampton FC 0–0
 Saturday, 22 September 1979, Goldstone Ground, attendance: 26,918
 BHA: Steele; J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, G.A.Stevens, P.Clark, P.Ward, Maybank, Sayer (65. G.Ryan), O'Sullivan
 SFC: Gennoe; Hebbard, Peach, S.Williams, C.Nicholl, M.Waldron, Ball (31. A.Hayes), Boyer, Channon, G.E.Baker, N.Holmes

Bolton Wanderers v Leeds United 1–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 22 September 1979, Burnden Park, attendance: 21,724, sent-off: N.McNab (13.), B.Flynn (13.)
 BWFC: McDonagh; D.Clement, D.Burke, R.Greaves, M.Walsh, Allardyce, W.Morgan, N.McNab, Gowling, Cantello (65. Whatmore), F.Worthington
 LUF: Harvey; Hird, Hampton, B.Flynn, Hart, Madeley, E.Gray (81. B.Greenhoff), Cherry, Hankin, Curtis, A.Graham
 Scorers: 1–0 E.Gray (60., pen.), 1–1 Allardyce (63.)

Derby County v Middlesbrough FC 1–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 22 September 1979, Baseball Ground, attendance: 18,620
 Derby: Middleton; Langan, S.Buckley, G.Daly (25. Greenwood), McFarland, McCaffrey, S.Carter, S.Powell, Rg.Davies, Duncan, Emery
 MFC: Platt; Craggs, I.Bailey, C.Johnston, Ashcroft (47. Natrass), McAndrew, M.Burns, Proctor, Janković, Cummins, D.Armstrong
 Scorer: 1–0 Duncan (78.)

Bristol City v Nottingham Forest 1–1 (1–0)
 Saturday, 22 September 1979, Ashton Gate, attendance: 22,759
 BCFC: Shaw; Tainton, C.Whitehead, Gow, G.Sweeney, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie (76. Royle), K.Mabbutt, J.Mann, Cormack
 NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, G.Mills, O'Hare, Birtles, Woodcock, J.N.Robertson
 Scorers: 1–0 J.Mann (34.), 1–1 G.Mills (72.)

Manchester City v Coventry City 3–0 (3–0)
 Saturday, 22 September 1979, Maine Road, attendance: 30,869
 MCFC: Corrigan; Ranson, Donachie, Stepanović, Caton, P.Futcher, S.MacKenzie, S.Daley, M.Robinson, Power, G.Bennett
 CCFC: Sealey; B.Roberts, R.McDonald, A.Blair, Holton, Gillespie, Hutchison, I.Wallace, M.Ferguson, B.Powell, S.Hunt
 Scorers: 1–0 M.Robinson (5.), 2–0 M.Robinson (20.), 3–0 S.MacKenzie (42.)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA
01 Nottingham Forest	07	04	02	01	10–4	13–6	
02 Crystal Palace	07	03	04	00	10–4	10–3	
03 Manchester United	07	04	02	01	10–4	10–5	
04 Norwich City	07	04	01	02	9–5	13–7	
05 Wolverhampton Wanderers	06	04	01	01	9–3	11–6	
06 Southampton FC	07	03	03	01	9–5	11–7	
07 Liverpool FC	06	02	03	01	7–5	10–5	
08 Arsenal FC	07	02	03	02	7–7	9–6	
09 Middlesbrough FC	07	03	01	03	7–7	9–7	
10 Bristol City	07	02	03	02	7–7	8–7	
Leeds United	07	01	05	01	7–7	8–7	
12 Ipswich Town	07	03	01	03	7–7	7–8	
13 Everton FC	07	02	02	03	6–8	10–13	
14 Bolton Wanderers	07	01	04	02	6–8	6–9	
15 Coventry City	07	03	00	04	6–8	11–16	
16 Stoke City	07	02	01	04	5–9	10–12	
17 Brighton & Hove Albion	07	02	01	04	5–9	9–12	
18 West Bromwich Albion	07	01	03	03	5–9	7–11	
19 Manchester City	07	02	01	04	5–9	7–12	
20 Derby County	07	02	01	04	5–9	4–9	
21 Aston Villa	07	01	03	03	5–9	4–10	
22 Tottenham Hotspur	07	02	01	04	5–9	9–18	

Top Scorers	Goals
01 Hoddle (Tottenham)	5 goals
D.Johnson (Liverpool)	5 "
03 Fashanu (Norwich)	4 "
Crooks (Stoke)	4 "
B.Powell (Coventry)	4 "
Sunderland (Arsenal)	4 "
07 Curtis (Leeds)	3 "
M.Robinson (Manchester C.)	3 "
Birtles (Nottingham)	3 "
K.Reeves (Norwich)	3 "
Swindlehurst (Crystal Palace)	3 "
Macari (Manchester Utd.)	3 "
N.Holmes (Southampton)	3 "
Woodcock (Nottingham)	3 "
Stapleton (Arsenal)	3 "
T.Ritchie (Bristol C.)	3 "

Week 8

Manchester United v Stoke City 4–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 29 September 1979, Old Trafford, attendance: 52,357
 MUF: Bailey; J.Nicholl, Albiston, McLroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Grimes, R.Wilkins, Coppell, Macari (46. Sloan), M.Thomas
 Stoke: Jones; R.Evans, G.Scott, S.Irvine, D.Smith, M.Doyle, Dodd, A.Heath (73. Randall), B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, P.Richardson
 Scorers: 1–0 R.Wilkins (35.), 2–0 McQueen (56.), 3–0 McLroy (80.), 4–0 McQueen (84.)

Nottingham Forest v Liverpool FC 1–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 29 September 1979, City Ground, attendance: 28,262
 NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, M.O'Neill, O'Hare, Birtles, Woodcock, J.N.Robertson
 LFC: Ogrizovic; Neal, A.Kennedy (88. Cn.Irwin), Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalglish, Case, D.Fairclough, T.McDermott, Souness
 Scorer: 1–0 Birtles (36.)

West Bromwich Albion v Brighton & Hove Albion 2–2 (2–0)
 Saturday, 29 September 1979, The Hawthorns, attendance: 20,024
 WBA: Godden; Batson, D.Statham, Trewick, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, A.Brown II, Deehan, G.Owen, P.Barnes
 BHA: Steele; J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, G.A.Stevens, P.Clark (62. G.Ryan), P.Ward, Poskett, Sayer, O'Sullivan
 Scorers: 1–0 B.Robson (15.), 2–0 A.Brown II (22.), 2–1 Poskett (84.), 2–2 O'Sullivan (87.)

Everton FC v Bristol City 0–0
 Saturday, 29 September 1979, Goodison Park, attendance: 24,733
 EFC: Wood; J.Barton (78. W.Wright), J.Bailey, M.Lyons, Higgins, T.Ross, Hartford, Stanley, A.King, Kidd, Eastoe
 BFCF: Shaw; Tainton, C.Whitehead, Gow, G.Sweeney, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie (26. A.Hay), Royle, J.Mann, K.Mabbutt

Southampton FC v Derby County 4–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 29 September 1979, The Dell, attendance: 22,583
 SFC: Gennoe; Hebbard, Peach, S.Williams, C.Nicholl, M.Waldron, Ball, Boyer, Channon, George, N.Holmes
 Derby: Middleton; Langan, S.Buckley, Emery, McFarland (46. Greenwood), McCaffrey, S.Carter, S.Powell, Duncan, Rg.Davies, Moreland
 Scorers: 1–0 Boyer (31.), 2–0 Channon (53.), 3–0 Boyer (57.), 4–0 Boyer (84., pen.)

Middlesbrough FC v Aston Villa 0–0
 Saturday, 29 September 1979, Ayresome Park, attendance: 16,107
 MFC: Platt; Craggs, I.Bailey, C.Johnston, Ramage, McAndrew, D.Hodgson, Proctor, D.Shearer (69. Cochrane), Cummins, D.Armstrong
 Villa: Rimmer, Gidman (46. G.Williams), Pejic, A.Evans, K.McNaught, D.Mortimer, D.Bremner, Little, Geddis, Cowans, Swain

Coventry City v Tottenham Hotspur 1–1 (0–1)
 Saturday, 29 September 1979, Highfield Road, attendance: 20,125
 CCFC: Sealey; B.Roberts, R.McDonald, Whitton (D.Thomas II), Holton, Gillespie, Hutchison, I.Wallace, English, B.Powell, S.Hunt
 Spurs: Daines; Hughton, D.McAllister, Yorath, P.Miller, Perryman, Ardiles, C.Jones, G.J.Armstrong, Hoddle, Villa
 Scorers: 1–0 I.Wallace (37.), 1–1 C.Jones (61.)

Norwich City v Bolton Wanderers 2–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 29 September 1979, Carrow Road, attendance: 16,500
 NCF: Keelan; K.Bond, J.G.Ryan, D.P.Bennett, Hoadley, A.Powell, K.Robson, K.Reeves, Fashanu, Paddon, M.Peters
 BWFC: McDonagh; D.Clement, D.Burke, R.Greaves, Allardyce, M.Walsh, W.Morgan, Whatmore, Gowling, Cantello, F.Worthington
 Scorers: 1–0 Fashanu (47.), 2–0 M.Peters (59.), 2–1 Whatmore (60.)

Leeds United v Manchester City 1–2 (0–0)
 Saturday, 29 September 1979, Elland Road, attendance: 29,592, sent-off: Hart (44.)
 LUF: Harvey; Hird, Hampton, B.Greenhoff, Hart, Madeley (25. J.Chandler), C.Harris, Cherry, Hankin, Curtis, A.Graham
 WFC: Corrigan; Ranson, Donachie, Stepanović, Caton, P.Futcher, S.MacKenzie, S.Daley, M.Robinson, Power, Deyna
 Scorers: 1–0 Hankin (49.), 1–1 Power (51.), 1–2 Deyna (60.)

Crystal Palace v Ipswich Town 4–1 (3–1)
 Saturday, 29 September 1979, Selhurst Park, attendance: 29,885
 CPFC: Burridge; P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, G.Francis, Swindlehurst, Flanagan, Hilaire
 WFC: McDonagh; Langan, S.Buckley, Emery, McFarland (46. Greenwood), Thijssen, Osman, Butcher, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, Gates, S.McCall
 Scorers: 1–0 Swindlehurst (17.), 2–0 P.Hinshelwood (29.), 3–0 G.Francis (34., pen.), 3–1 Gates (45.), 4–1 Cannon (60.)

Arsenal FC v Wolverhampton Wanderers 2–3 (0–2)
 Saturday, 29 September 1979, Highbury, attendance: 41,844
 AFC: Jennings; Rice, Nelson, Talbot (46. D.Price), Walford, W.Young, Brady, Sunderland, Stapleton, Hollins, Rix
 WWFC: Bradshaw; G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, E.Hughes, G.Berry, K.Hibbitt, W.Carr, A.Gray, J.Richards, Eves
 Scorers: 0–1 K.Hibbitt (19.), 0–2 A.Gray (27.), 1–2 Stapleton (49.), 1–3 A.Gray (71.), 2–3 Hollins (78.)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA
01 Crystal Palace	08	04	04	00	12–4	14–4	
02 Manchester United	08	05	02	01	12–4	14–5	
03 Nottingham Forest	08	05	02	01	12–4	14–6	
04 Southampton FC	08	04	03	01	11–5	15–7	
05 Norwich City	08	05	01	02	11–5	15–8	
06 Wolverhampton Wanderers	07	05	01	01	11–3	14–8	
07 Middlesbrough FC	08	03	02	03	8–8	9–7	
08 Bristol City	08	02	04	02	8–8	8–7	
09 Liverpool FC	07	02	03	02	7–7	10–6	
10 Arsenal FC	08	02	03	03	7–9	11–9	
11 Leeds United	08	01	05	02	7–9	9–9	
12 Everton FC	08	02	03	03	7–9	10–13	
13 Manchester City	08	03	01	04	7–9	9–13	
14 Ipswich Town	08	03	01	04	7–9	8–12	
15 Coventry City	08	03	01	04	7–9	12–17	
16 Brighton & Hove Albion	08	02	02	04	6–10	11–14	
17 West Bromwich Albion	08	01	04	03	6–10	9–13	
18 Bolton Wanderers	08	01	04	03	6–10	7–11	
19 Aston Villa	08	01	04	03	6–10	4–10	
20 Tottenham Hotspur	08	02	02	04	6–10	10–19	
21 Stoke City	08	02	01	05	5–11	10–16	
22 Derby County	08	02	01	05	5–11	4–13	

Top Scorers	Goals
01 Fashanu (Norwich)	5 goals
Boyer (Southampton)	5 "
Hoddle (Tottenham)	5 "
D.Johnson (Liverpool)	5 "
05 Swindlehurst (Crystal Palace)	4 "
Crooks (Stoke)	4 "
A.Gray (Wolverhampton)	4 "
Birtles (Nottingham)	4 "
McQueen (Manchester Utd.)	4 "
B.Powell (Coventry)	4 "
Sunderland (Arsenal)	4 "
Stapleton (Arsenal)	4 "

Week 9

Leeds United v Ipswich Town 2-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 6 October 1979, Eland Road, attendance: 19,342
 LUF: Harvey, Hird, Hampton, B.Flynn, B.Greenhoff, K.Parkinson, Hamson, Cherry, Hankin, Curtis, A.Graham
 Town: Cooper, Burley, Butcher, Thijssen, A.Hunter, Osman, Wark, Mühren (46. A.Brazil), Mariner, R.Turner, S.McCall
 Scorers: 0-1 Mariner (35.), 1-1 Cherry (49.), 2-1 Hird (62., pen.)

Nottingham Forest v Wolverhampton Wanderers 3-2 (3-1)
 Saturday, 6 October 1979, City Ground, attendance: 27,569
 NFFC: Shilton: V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, T.Francis, O'Hare, Birtles, Woodcock, J.N.Robertson
 WWC: Bradshaw, G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, E.Hughes, G.Berry, K.Hibbitt, W.Carr, A.Gray, J.Richards, Eves
 Scorers: 0-1 T.Francis (1.), 2-0 J.N.Robertson (24., pen.), 3-0 Birtles (37.), 3-1 J.Richards (44.), 3-2 P.W.Daniel (86., pen.)

Arsenal FC v Manchester City 0-0
 Saturday, 6 October 1979, Highbury, attendance: 34,688
 AFC: Jennings: Rice, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady, Sunderland, Stapleton, Hollins, Rix
 MFC: Corrigan, Ranson, Shinton, Stepanović (76. G.Bennett), Caton, P.Futcher, S.MacKenzie, S.Daley, M.Robinson, Power, Deyna

Coventry City v Everton FC 2-1 (1-0)
 Saturday, 6 October 1979, Highfield Road, attendance: 17,250
 CCFC: Sealey, Coop, R.McDonald, Gooding, Holton, Gillespie, Hutchison, I.Wallace, English (28. D.Thomas II), B.Powell, S.Hunt
 EFC: Wood: J.Barton, J.Bailey, M.Lyons, Higgins, Nulty, Hartford, Stanley, Latchford (69. Varadi), Kidd, A.King
 Scorers: 1-0 2-0 I.Wallace (34., 48.), 2-1 A.King (78.)

Manchester United v Brighton & Hove Albion 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 6 October 1979, Old Trafford, attendance: 52,641
 MUF: Bailey, J.Nicholl, Albiston, McLroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Grimes, R.Wilkins, Coppell, Macari, M.Thomas
 BHA: Steele: J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, G.A.Stevens, P.Clark, P.Ward (70. G.Ryan), Maybank, Sayer, O'Sullivan
 Scorers: 1-0 Coppell (27.), 2-0 Macari (58.)

Crystal Palace v Tottenham Hotspur 1-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 6 October 1979, Selhurst Park, attendance: 45,296
 CPFC: Burridge: P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, G.Francis, Swindlehurst (71. I.Walsh), Flanagan, Hilaire
 Spurs: Daines: Hughton, D.McAllister, Yorath, P.Miller, Perryman, Ardiles (74. J.Pratt), C.Jones, G.J.Armstrong, Hoddle, Villa
 Scorers: 0-1 Villa (3.), 1-1 I.Walsh (72.)

Aston Villa v Southampton FC 3-0 (2-0)
 Saturday, 6 October 1979, Villa Park, attendance: 24,377
 Villa: Rimmer: C.Gibson, Pejic, A.Evans, Ormsby, D.Mortimer, D.Bremner, Little, Geddis, Cowans, Swain
 SFC: Gennoe: Hebbard, Peach, S.Williams, George, M.Waldron, Ball, Boyer, Channon, G.E.Baker, N.Holmes
 Scorers: 1-0 D.Bremner (34.), 2-0 D.Mortimer (44.), 3-0 A.Evans (79., pen.)

Liverpool FC v Bristol City 4-0 (3-0)
 Saturday, 6 October 1979, Anfield Road, attendance: 38,213
 LFC: Clemence: Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalglish, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness
 BFC: Shaw: Tainton, C.Whitehead, Gillies, G.Sweeney, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, Jantunen (60. Cormack), K.Mabbutt
 Scorers: 1-0 D.Johnson (3.), 2-0 Dalglish (30.), 3-0 R.Kennedy (35.), 4-0 T.McDermott (80.)

Norwich City v Stoke City 2-2 (0-1)
 Saturday, 6 October 1979, Carrow Road, attendance: 17,060
 NCF: Keelan: K.Bond, McDowell, D.P.Bennett, Hoadley, A.Powell, K.Robson (74. McGuire), K.Reeves, Fashanu, Paddon, M.Peters
 Stoke: Jones: R.Evans, G.Scott, S.Irvine, D.Smith, Dodd, P.A.Johnson, A.Heath, Randall, Crooks, P.Richardson (78. V.Busby)
 Scorers: 0-1 S.Irvine (12.), 1-1 K.Bond (58., pen.), 1-2 P.Richardson (73., pen.), 2-2 K.Reeves (76.)

Derby County v Bolton Wanderers 4-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 6 October 1979, Baseball Ground, attendance: 16,810
 Derby: Middleton: Langan, S.Buckley, Rioch, McCaffrey, K.Osgood, Emery, Moreland, Duncan, Rg.Davies, Emson
 BWFC: McDonagh: D.Clement, D.Burke, R.Greaves, Allardyce, M.Walsh, W.Morgan, Whatmore, Gowling (46. Cantello), F.Worthington, N.McNab
 Scorers: 1-0 Duncan (25.), 2-0 Emson (61.), 3-0 Duncan (73.), 4-0 Emson (88.)

Middlesbrough FC v West Bromwich Albion 2-1 (1-0)
 Saturday, 6 October 1979, Ayresome Park, attendance: 16,312
 MFC: Platt: Craggs, I.Bailey, C.Johnston, Ashcroft, McAndrew, D.Hodgson, Proctor, Janković (74. Cochrane), M.Burns, D.Armstrong
 WBA: Godden: Batson, D.Statham, D.Mills, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, A.Brown II, Deehan, G.Owen (86. A.Brown), P.Barnes
 Scorers: 1-0 M.Burns (15.), 1-1 G.Owen (78.), 2-1 D.Armstrong (85., pen.)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA	Top Scorers
01 Manchester United	09	06	02	01	14-4	16-5		01 D.Johnson (Liverpool) 6 goals
02 Nottingham Forest	09	06	02	01	14-4	17-8		02 Boyer (Southampton) 5 "
03 Crystal Palace	09	04	05	00	13-5	15-5		Fashanu (Norwich) 5 "
04 Norwich City	09	05	02	02	12-6	17-10		I.Wallace (Coventry) 5 "
05 Wolverhampton Wanderers	08	05	01	02	11-5	16-11		Hoddle (Tottenham) 5 "
06 Southampton FC	09	04	03	02	11-7	15-10		Birtles (Nottingham) 5 "
07 Middlesbrough FC	09	04	02	03	10-8	11-8		07 Macari (Manchester Utd.) 4 "
08 Liverpool FC	08	03	03	02	9-7	14-6		K.Reeves (Norwich) 4 "
09 Leeds United	09	02	05	02	9-9	11-10		Sunderland (Arsenal) 4 "
10 Coventry City	09	04	01	04	9-9	14-18		Swindlehurst (Crystal Palace) 4 "
11 Arsenal FC	09	02	04	03	8-10	11-9		A.Gray (Wolverhampton) 4 "
12 Bristol City	09	02	04	03	8-10	8-11		Crooks (Stoke) 4 "
13 Aston Villa	09	02	04	03	8-10	7-10		Stapleton (Arsenal) 4 "
14 Manchester City	09	03	02	04	8-10	9-13		Duncan (Derby) 4 "
15 Everton FC	09	02	03	04	7-11	11-15		McQueen (Manchester Utd.) 4 "
16 Ipswich Town	09	03	01	05	7-11	9-14		B.Powell (Coventry) 4 "
17 Derby County	09	03	01	05	7-11	8-13		
18 Tottenham Hotspur	09	02	03	04	7-11	11-20		
19 Brighton & Hove Albion	09	02	02	05	6-12	11-16		
20 West Bromwich Albion	09	01	04	04	6-12	10-15		
21 Stoke City	09	02	02	05	6-12	12-18		
22 Bolton Wanderers	09	01	04	04	6-12	7-15		

Week 10

Bolton Wanderers v Liverpool FC 1-1 (0-0)
 Tuesday, 9 October 1979, Burnden Park, attendance: 25,571
 BWFC: McDonagh: D.Clement, D.Burke, Allardyce, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh (87. F.Worthington), W.Morgan, Whatmore, Gowling, P.Nicholson, C.Thompson
 LFC: Clemence: Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalglish, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness
 Scorers: 1-0 Whatmore (64.), 1-1 Dalglish (80.)

Southampton FC v Crystal Palace 4-1 (2-0)
 Tuesday, 9 October 1979, The Dell, attendance: 23,174
 SFC: Gennoe: Hebbard, Peach, S.Williams, Andruszewski, M.Waldron, Ball, Boyer, Channon, George, N.Holmes
 CPFC: Burridge: P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, Kember (I.Walsh), Swindlehurst, Flanagan, Hilaire
 Scorers: 1-0 Boyer (16.), 2-0 N.Holmes (27.), 3-0 Boyer (61.), 3-1 P.Hinshelwood (63.), 4-1 Boyer (89.)

Ipswich Town v Arsenal FC 1-2 (0-1)
 Tuesday, 9 October 1979, Portman Road, attendance: 21,527
 Town: Cooper: M.Mills, Butcher, Thijssen, A.Hunter, Osman, Wark, R.Osborne (R.Turner), Mariner, A.Brazil, C.Woods
 AFC: Jennings: Walford, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady, Sunderland, Stapleton, Hollins, Rix
 Scorers: 0-1 Sunderland (36.), 0-2 Rix (71.), 1-2 A.Brazil (89.)

Bristol City v Coventry City 1-0 (0-0)
 Tuesday, 9 October 1979, Ashton Gate, attendance: 14,853
 BFC: Shaw: G.Sweeney, C.Whitehead, Gow, Rodgers, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, Royle, J.Mann, Tainton
 CCFC: Sealey, Coop, R.McDonald, Gooding, Holton, Gillespie, Nardiello, I.Wallace, Hutchison, B.Powell, S.Hunt
 Scorer: 1-0 T.Ritchie (58.)

Manchester City v Middlesbrough FC 1-0 (0-0)
 Tuesday, 9 October 1979, Maine Road, attendance: 29,384
 MFC: Corrigan: Ranson, Stepanović, Shinton, Caton, P.Futcher, S.MacKenzie, S.Daley, M.Robinson, Power, Deyna
 MFC: Platt: Craggs, I.Bailey, C.Johnston, Ashcroft, McAndrew, Cochrane, Proctor, D.Shearer, M.Burns, D.Armstrong
 Scorer: 1-0 Deyna (89.)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Derby County 0-0
 Tuesday, 9 October 1979, Molineux, attendance: 30,131
 WWC: Bradshaw: C.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, E.Hughes, G.Berry, K.Hibbitt, W.Carr, A.Gray, J.Richards, D.Thomas
 Derby: Middleton: Langan, S.Buckley, Rioch, McCaffrey, K.Osgood, Emery, Moreland, Duncan (Greenwood), Rg.Davies, Emson

Tottenham Hotspur v Norwich City 3-2 (2-2)
 Wednesday, 10 October 1979, White Hart Lane, attendance: 26,488
 Spurs: Daines: Hughton, D.McAllister, Yorath (J.Pratt), P.Miller, Perryman, Ardiles, C.Jones, G.J.Armstrong, Hoddle, Villa
 NCF: Keelan: K.Bond, McDowell, McGuire, Hoadley, A.Powell, K.Robson, K.Reeves, Fashanu, D.P.Bennett, M.Peters
 Scorers: 1-0 Hoddle (1.), 1-1 M.Peters (7.), 1-2 K.Reeves (21.), 2-2 Villa (34.), 3-2 Hoddle (78.)

West Bromwich Albion v Manchester United 2-0 (0-0)
 Wednesday, 10 October 1979, The Hawthorns, attendance: 26,851
 WBA: Godden: Batson, D.Statham, D.Mills, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, A.Brown II, Deehan, G.Owen, P.Barnes
 MUF: Bailey, J.Nicholl, Albiston, McLroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Grimes, R.Wilkins, Coppell, Macari, M.Thomas
 Scorers: 1-0 B.Robson (62.), 2-0 Deehan (75.)

Stoke City v Nottingham Forest 1-1 (0-0)
 Wednesday, 10 October 1979, Victoria Ground, attendance: 28,514
 Stoke: Jones: R.Evans, G.Scott, S.Irvine, D.Smith, Dodd, P.A.Johnson, A.Heath, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, P.Richardson
 NFFC: Shilton: V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, T.Francis, G.Mills, Birtles, Woodcock, J.N.Robertson
 Scorers: 1-0 B.O'Callaghan (62.), 1-1 Birtles (81.)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA	Top Scorers
01 Nottingham Forest	10	06	03	01	15-5	18-9		01 Boyer (Southampton) 8 goals
02 Manchester United	10	06	02	02	14-6	16-7		02 Hoddle (Tottenham) 7 "
03 Southampton FC	10	05	03	02	13-7	19-11		03 D.Johnson (Liverpool) 6 "
04 Crystal Palace	10	04	05	01	13-7	16-9		Birtles (Nottingham) 6 "
05 Norwich City	10	05	02	03	12-8	19-13		05 Sunderland (Arsenal) 5 "
06 Wolverhampton Wanderers	09	05	02	02	12-6	16-11		06 Wolverhampton Wanderers 5 "
07 Liverpool FC	09	03	04	02	10-8	15-7		K.Reeves (Norwich) 5 "
08 Arsenal FC	10	03	04	03	10-10	13-10		Fashanu (Norwich) 5 "
09 Middlesbrough FC	10	04	02	04	10-10	11-9		09 N.Holmes (Southampton) 4 "
10 Bristol City	10	03	04	03	10-10	9-11		Whatmore (Bolton) 4 "
11 Manchester City	10	04	02	04	10-10	10-13		Crooks (Stoke) 4 "
12 Leeds United	09	02	05	02	9-9	11-10		A.Gray (Wolverhampton) 4 "
13 Coventry City	10	04	01	05	9-11	14-19		Stapleton (Arsenal) 4 "
14 Tottenham Hotspur	10	03	03	04	9-11	14-22		B.Robson (West Bromwich) 4 "
15 West Bromwich Albion	10	02	04	04	8-12	12-15		M.Peters (Norwich) 4 "
16 Aston Villa	09	02	04	03	8-10	7-10		Swindlehurst (Crystal Palace) 4 "
17 Derby County	10	03	02	05	8-12	8-13		Duncan (Derby) 4 "
18 Everton FC	09	02	03	04	7-11	11-15		McQueen (Manchester Utd.) 4 "
19 Stoke City	10	02	03	05	7-13	13-19		T.Ritchie (Bristol C.) 4 "
20 Ipswich Town	10	03	01	06	7-13	10-16		B.Powell (Coventry) 4 "
21 Bolton Wanderers	10	01	05	04	7-13	8-16		Macari (Manchester Utd.) 4 "
22 Brighton & Hove Albion	09	02	02	05	6-12	11-16		

Week 11

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Norwich City 1–0 (1–0)

Saturday, 13 October 1979, Molineux, attendance: 28,060

WFFC: Bradshaw, G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, E.Hughes, G.Berry, K.Hibbitt, W.Carr, A.Gray, J.Richards, D.Thomas

NFCF: Keelan, K.Bond, McDowell, Symonds, Hoadley, A.Powell, A.D.Taylor, McGuire, Fashanu, D.P.Bennett, M.Peters

Scorer: 1–0 W.Carr (8.)

Brighton & Hove Albion v Leeds United 0–0

Saturday, 13 October 1979, Goldstone Ground, attendance: 27,002

BHA: Steele; Rollings, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, G.A.Stevens, P.Clark, P.Ward, Maybank, Sayer (60. G.Ryan), O'Sullivan

LUFC: Lukic; Hird, Hampton, B.Flynn, K.Parkinson, B.Stevenson, Hamson, Cherry, Hankin, Curtis, A.Graham

Tottenham Hotspur v Derby County 1–0 (1–0)

Saturday, 13 October 1979, White Hart Lane, attendance: 33,269

Spurs: Daines; Hughton, D.McAllister, J.Pratt, P.Miller, Perryman, Ardiles, C.Jones, C.J.Armstrong (69. C.Lee), Hoddle, Villa

Derby: Middleton; Langan, S.Buckley, Rioch, McCaffrey, K.Osgood, Emery, Moreland, Caskey, Greenwood, Emson (46. Spooner)

Scorer: 1–0 G.J.Armstrong (41.)

Bristol City v Manchester United 1–1 (1–1)

Saturday, 13 October 1979, Ashton Gate, attendance: 28,783

BCFC: Shaw, G.Sweeney, C.Whitehead, Gow, Rodgers (68. K.Mabbutt), G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, Royle, J.Mann, Tainton

MUFC: Bailey, J.Nicholl, Albiston, Mclroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Grimes, R.Wilkins, Coppell, Macari, M.Thomas

Scorers: 0–1 Macari (20.), 1–1 Rodgers (38.)

Ipswich Town v Liverpool FC 1–2 (0–1)

Saturday, 13 October 1979, Portman Road, attendance: 25,310

Town: Cooper; Burley, Butcher, Thijssen, A.Hunter, Osman, Wark, M.Mills, Mariner, A.Brazil (79. R.Turner), C.Woods

LFC: Clemence; Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalglish, Case, D.Johnson, Heighway, Souness

Scorers: 0–1 A.Hunter (18., o.g.), 0–2 D.Johnson (54.), 1–2 Mariner (69.)

Bolton Wanderers v Arsenal FC 0–0

Saturday, 13 October 1979, Burnden Park, attendance: 17,032

BWFC: McDonagh, D.Clement, D.Burke, Allardyce, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, W.Morgan, Whatmore, F.Worthington, P.Nicholson, C.Thompson

AFC: Jennings; Rice, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady, Sunderland, Stapleton, Hollins, Rice

Manchester City v Nottingham Forest 1–0 (0–0)

Saturday, 13 October 1979, Maine Road, attendance: 41,683

MCFC: Corrigan; Ranson, N.Reid, D.Bennett, Caton, P.Futcher, S.MacKenzie, Viljoen, M.Robinson, Power, Deyna

NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, T.Francis, G.Mills, Birtles, Woodcock, J.N.Robertson

Scorer: 1–0 Deyna (47.)

Everton FC v Crystal Palace 3–1 (1–1)

Saturday, 13 October 1979, Goodison Park, attendance: 30,645

EFC: Wood; W.Wright, J.Bailey, M.Lyons, Higgins, T.Ross, Hartford (46. Nulty), Stanley, Latchford, Kidd, A.King

CPFC: Burridge; P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy (72. Swindlehurst), G.Francis, I.Walsh, Flanagan, Hilaire

Scorers: 0–1 Flanagan (13.), 1–1 Kidd (35.), 2–1 Latchford (51.), 3–1 A.King (65.)

Stoke City v Middlesbrough FC 0–0

Saturday, 13 October 1979, Victoria Ground, attendance: 18,406

Stoke: Jones; R.Evans, G.Scott, M.Doyle, D.Smith, Dodd, S.Irvine (V.Busby), A.Heath, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, P.Richardson

MFC: Platt; Craggs, I.Bailey, C.Johnston, Ashcroft (Ramage), McAndrew, Cochrane, Proctor, D.Hodgson, M.Burns, D.Armstrong

Aston Villa v West Bromwich Albion 0–0

Saturday, 13 October 1979, Villa Park, attendance: 36,007

Villa: Rimmer; Swain, Pejic, A.Evans, Ormsby, D.Mortimer, D.Bremner, Little, Geddis, Cowans, G.Shaw

WBA: Godden; Batson, D.Statham, D.Mills, Wile, A.Robertson (24. A.Brown), B.Robson, A.Brown II, Deehan, G.Owen, P.Barnes

Southampton FC v Coventry City 2–3 (0–0)

Saturday, 13 October 1979, The Dell, attendance: 22,986

SFC: Gennie; Hebbard, Peach, S.Williams, Andruszewski, M.Waldron, Ball, Boyer, Channon, George, N.Holmes

CCFC: Sealey; Coop, R.McDonald, Gooding, Holton, Gillespie, Hutchison, I.Wallace, Nardiello, A.Blair, S.Hunt

Scorers: 1–0 Boyer (46.), 1–1 I.Wallace (55.), 1–2 I.Wallace (62.), 2–2 George (70.), 2–3 Gooding (84.)

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02 Nottingham Forest	11	06	03	02	15–7	18:10	02 I.Wallace (Coventry)	7 "
03 Wolverhampton Wanderers	10	06	02	02	14–6	17:11	D.Johnson (Liverpool)	7 "
04 Southampton FC	11	05	03	03	13–9	21:14	Hoddle (Tottenham)	7 "
05 Crystal Palace	11	04	05	02	13–9	17:12	05 Birtles (Nottingham)	6 "
06 Liverpool FC	10	04	04	02	12–8	17:8	06 Sunderland (Arsenal)	5 "
07 Norwich City	11	05	02	04	12–10	19:14	Macari (Manchester Utd.)	5 "
08 Manchester City	11	05	02	04	12–10	11:13	K.Reeves (Norwich)	5 "
09 Arsenal FC	11	03	05	03	11–11	13:10	Fashanu (Norwich)	5 "
10 Middlesbrough FC	11	04	03	04	11–11	11:9	10 Whatmore (Bolton)	4 "
11 Bristol City	11	03	05	03	11–11	10:12	N.Holmes (Southampton)	4 "
12 Coventry City	11	05	01	05	11–11	17:21	B.Powell (Coventry)	4 "
13 Tottenham Hotspur	11	04	03	04	11–11	15:22	McQueen (Manchester Utd.)	4 "
14 Leeds United	10	02	06	02	10–10	11:10	T.Ritchie (Bristol C.)	4 "
15 Everton FC	10	03	03	04	9–11	14:16	Stapleton (Arsenal)	4 "
16 West Bromwich Albion	11	02	05	04	9–13	12:15	Crooks (Stoke)	4 "
17 Aston Villa	10	02	05	03	9–11	7:10	A.King (Everton)	4 "
18 Stoke City	11	02	04	05	8–14	13:19	M.Peters (Norwich)	4 "
19 Derby County	11	03	02	06	8–14	8:14	Swindlehurst (Crystal Palace)	4 "
20 Bolton Wanderers	11	01	06	04	8–14	8:16	B.Robson (West Bromwich)	4 "
21 Brighton & Hove Albion	10	02	03	05	7–13	11:16	A.Gray (Wolverhampton)	4 "
22 Ipswich Town	11	03	01	07	7–15	11:18	Duncan (Derby)	4 "

Week 12

Norwich City v Manchester City 2–2 (0–1)

Saturday, 20 October 1979, Carrow Road, attendance: 18,000

NFCF: Keelan; K.Bond, McDowell, A.D.Taylor, Hoadley, A.Powell, Goble, K.Reeves, Fashanu (72. McGuire), Paddon, M.Peters

MCFC: Corrigan; Ranson, Power, N.Reid, Caton, P.Futcher, S.MacKenzie (76. Stepanović), Viljoen, M.Robinson, D.Bennett, Deyna

Scorers: 0–1 D.Bennett (19.), 1–1 M.Peters (50.), 2–1 K.Bond (63., pen.), 2–2 D.Bennett (77.)

Middlesbrough FC v Wolverhampton Wanderers 1–0 (0–0)

Saturday, 20 October 1979, Ayresome Park, attendance: 18,393

LFC: Godden; Batson, D.Statham, D.Mills, Wile, Pendrey, B.Robson, A.Brown II, Deehan, G.Owen (62. Trewick), A.Brown

WFFC: Bradshaw, G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, E.Hughes, G.Berry, K.Hibbitt, W.Carr, A.Gray, J.Richards, D.Thomas

Scorer: 1–0 Proctor (55.)

West Bromwich Albion v Southampton FC 4–0 (3–0)

Saturday, 20 October 1979, The Hawthorns, attendance: 22,500

WBA: Godden; Batson, D.Statham, D.Mills, Wile, Pendrey, B.Robson, A.Brown II, Deehan, G.Owen (62. Trewick), A.Brown

SFC: Gennie; Hebbard, Peach, S.Williams, D.Watson, M.Waldron, Ball, Boyer, Channon, George, N.Holmes

Scorer: 1–0 Deehan (30.), 2–0 G.Owen (32.), 3–0 B.Robson (44.), 4–0 A.Brown II (60.)

Crystal Palace v Bristol City 1–1 (0–0)

Saturday, 20 October 1979, Selhurst Park, attendance: 27,333

CPFC: Burridge; P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, Kember, I.Walsh, Flanagan, Hilaire

BCFC: Shaw, G.Sweeney, C.Whitehead, Gow (33. K.Mabbutt), Rodgers, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, Royle, J.Mann, Tainton

Scorers: 0–1 Royle (68.), 1–1 Cannon (78., pen.)

Leeds United v Tottenham Hotspur 1–2 (1–1)

Saturday, 20 October 1979, Elland Road, attendance: 25,203, sent-off: P.Miller (27.)

LUF: Lukic; Hird, Hampton, B.Flynn, B.Greenhoff (91. J.Chandler), Madeley, E.Gray, Cherry, Hankin, Curtis, Entwistle

Spurs: Daines (14. J.Pratt); Hughton, Perryman, Ardiles, C.Jones, D.McAllister, Yorath, P.Miller, G.J.Armstrong, Hoddle, Villa

Scorers: 0–1 G.J.Armstrong (17.), 1–1 Hankin (40.), 1–2 C.Jones (74.)

Arsenal FC v Stoke City 0–0

Saturday, 20 October 1979, Highbury, attendance: 31,591

AFC: Jennings; Rice, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady, Sunderland, Stapleton, Hollins, Rice

Stoke: Jones; R.Evans, G.Scott, S.Irvine, D.Smith, Dodd, P.A.Johnson, A.Heath, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, P.Richardson

Manchester United v Ipswich Town 1–0 (0–0)

Saturday, 20 October 1979, Old Trafford, attendance: 50,816

MUFC: Bailey, J.Nicholl, Albiston, Mclroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Grimes, R.Wilkins, Coppell, Macari, M.Thomas

Town: Cooper; Burley, M.Mills, Thijssen, Osman, Butcher, Wark, R.Turner (70. A.Brazil), Mariner, Gates, C.Woods

Scorer: 1–0 Grimes (68.)

Liverpool FC v Everton FC 2–2 (1–1)

Saturday, 20 October 1979, Anfield Road, attendance: 52,201, sent-off: T.McDermott, Stanley

LFC: Clemence; Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalglish, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness

EFC: Wood; W.Wright, J.Bailey, M.Lyons, Higgins, Nulty, T.Ross, Stanley, Latchford, Kidd, A.King

Scorers: 1–0 M.Lyons (8., o.g.), 1–1 Kidd (20.), 2–1 R.Kennedy (54.), 2–2 A.King (68.)

Coventry City v Brighton & Hove Albion 2–1 (1–1)

Saturday, 20 October 1979, Highfield Road, attendance: 17,328

CCFC: Sealey; D.R.Jones, R.McDonald, Gooding, Holton, Coop, Hutchison, I.Wallace, English, A.Blair, S.Hunt

BHA: Moseley; Rollings, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, G.A.Stevens, G.Ryan, P.Ward (56. M.Chivers), Maybank, Sayer, O'Sullivan

Scorers: 0–1 Rollings (16.), 1–1 R.McDonald (19.), 2–1 English (82.)

Nottingham Forest v Bolton Wanderers 5–2 (3–0)

Saturday, 20 October 1979, City Ground, attendance: 24,564

NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, T.Francis, G.Mills (58. Bowyer), Birtles, Woodcock, J.N.Robertson

BWFC: McDonagh; D.Clement (28. McNab), D.Burke, Allardyce, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, W.Morgan, Whatmore, Gowling, P.Nicholson, C.Thompson

Scorers: 1–0 Lloyd (6.), 2–0 Woodcock (18.), 3–0 T.Francis (44.), 4–0 J.N.Robertson (52., pen.), 4–1 C.Thompson (66.), 5–1 V.Anderson (67.), 5–2 W.Morgan (80., pen.)

[other source gives min 75 for Mills' substitution]

Derby County v Aston Villa 1–3 (1–1)

Saturday, 20 October 1979, Baseball Ground, attendance: 20,152

Derby: Middleton; Langan, S.Buckley, Rioch, McCaffrey, K.Osgood, Emery, Moreland, Greenwood, Rg.Davies, Emson

Villa: Rimmer; Swain, Pejic, A.Evans, Ormsby, D.Mortimer, D.Bremner, Little, Geddis, Cowans, G.Shaw

Scorers: 0–1 Little (6.), 1–1 Emson (44.), 1–2 G.Shaw (55.), 1–3 D.Mortimer (72.)

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02 Manchester United	12	07	03	02	17–7	18:8	02 Hoddle (Tottenham)	7 "
03 Crystal Palace	12	04	06	02	14–10	18:13	I.Wallace (Coventry)	7 "
04 Wolverhampton Wanderers	11	06	02	03	14–8	17:12	D.Johnson (Liverpool)	7 "
05 Liverpool FC	11	04	05	02	13–9	19:10	05 Birtles (Nottingham)	6 "
06 Norwich City	12	05	03	04	13–11	21:16	06 M.Peters (Norwich)	5 "
07 Southampton FC	12	05	03	04	13–11	21:18	Fashanu (Norwich)	5 "
08 Middlesbrough FC	12	05	03	04	13–11	12:9	Sunderland (Arsenal)	5 "
09 Manchester City	12	05	03	04	13–11	13:15	K.Reeves (Norwich)	5 "
10 Coventry City	12	06	01	05	13–11	19:22	A.King (Everton)	5 "
11 Tottenham Hotspur	12	05	03	04	13–11	17:23	Macari (Manchester Utd.)	5 "
12 Arsenal FC	12	03	06	03	12–12	13:10	B.Robson (West Bromwich)	5 "
13 Bristol City	12	03	06	03	12–12	11:13		
14 West Bromwich Albion	12	03	05	04	11–13	16:15		
15 Aston Villa	11	03	05	03	11–11	10:11		
16 Leeds United	11	02	06	03	10–12	12:12		
17 Everton FC	11	03	04	04	10–12	16:18		
18 Stoke City	12	02	05	05	9–15	13:19		
19 Derby County	12	03	02	07	8–16	9:17		
20 Bolton Wanderers	12	01	06	05	8–16	10:21		
21 Ipswich Town	12	03	01	08	7–17	11:19		
22 Brighton & Hove Albion	11	02	03	06	7–15	12:18		

Week 13

West Bromwich Albion v Coventry City 4-1 (2-0)
 Saturday, 27 October 1979, The Hawthorns, attendance: 22,721
 WBA: Godden: Batson, D.Statham, D.Mills, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, A.Brown II, Deehan, G.Owen, A.Brown
 CCFC: Sealey: D.R.Jones, R.McDonald, Gooding, Holton, Coop, Hutchison, I.Wallace, English, A.Blair, S.Hunt
 Scorers: 1-0 A.Brown II (15.), 2-0 A.Brown (37.), 2-1 Coop (63., pen.), 3-1 A.Brown (84.), 4-1 A.Brown (89., pen.)

Tottenham Hotspur v Nottingham Forest 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 27 October 1979, White Hart Lane, attendance: 49,038
 Spurs: Aleksic: Hughton, G.M.Smith, Yorath, D.McAllister, Perryman, Ardiles, C.Jones, G.J.Armstrong (66. C.Lee), Hoddle, Villa
 NFFC: Shilton: V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, G.Mills, T.Francis, Birtles, Woodcock, J.N.Robertson
 Scorer: 1-0 Hoddle (3.)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Aston Villa 1-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 27 October 1979, Molineux, attendance: 36,267, sent-off: J.Richards, Ormsby
 WWCFC: Bradshaw: G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, E.Hughes, G.Berry, K.Hibbitt, W.Carr, A.Gray, J.Richards, D.Thomas (78. Eves)
 Villa: Rimmer: Swain, C.Gibson, A.Evans, Ormsby, D.Mortimer, D.Bremner, Little, Geddis, Cowans, G.Shaw
 Scorers: 1-0 A.Gray (15.), 1-1 G.Shaw (44.)

Manchester City v Liverpool FC 0-4 (0-2)
 Saturday, 27 October 1979, Maine Road, attendance: 48,128
 MFCFC: Corrigan: Ranson, Power, D.Bennett, Caton, P.Futcher, S.MacKenzie, Viljoen, M.Robinson, N.Reid, Deyna
 LFC: Clemence: Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, DalGLISH, Case, D.Johnson, Heighway, Souness
 Scorers: 0-1 D.Johnson (12.), 0-2, 0-3 DalGLISH (31., 67.), 0-4 R.Kennedy (86.)

Bristol City v Arsenal FC 0-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 27 October 1979, Ashton Gate, attendance: 23,029
 BCFC: Shaw: G.Sweeney, C.Whitehead, K.Mabbutt, Rodgers, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, Royle, J.Mann, Tainton
 AFC: Jennings: Rice, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady, Sunderland, Stapleton, Hollins, Rix
 Scorers: 0-1 Sunderland (65.)

Everton FC v Manchester United 0-0
 Saturday, 27 October 1979, Goodison Park, attendance: 37,708
 EFC: Wood: Gidman, J.Bailey, M.Lyons, Higgins, T.Ross, Nulty, W.Wright, Latchford, Kidd, Eastoe
 MUFC: Bailey: J.Nicholl, Albiston (79. Sloan), Mclroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Grimes, R.Wilkins, Coppell, Macari, M.Thomas

Bolton Wanderers v Crystal Palace 1-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 27 October 1979, Burnden Park, attendance: 15,132
 CPFC: McDonagh: P.Nicholson, D.Burke, Allardyce, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, W.Morgan, Whatmore, Gowling, Cantello, C.Thompson
 BWFC: Burridge: P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert (46. Smillie), Kember, G.Francis, I.Walsh, Flanagan, Hilaire
 Scorers: 1-0 Gowling (46.), 1-1 Smillie (82.)

Ipswich Town v Middlesbrough FC 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 27 October 1979, Portman Road, attendance: 17,593
 Town: Cooper: Burley, Butcher, Thijssen, Osman, Beattie, Wark, M.Mills, Mariner (R.Turner), A.Brazil, Gates
 MFC: Platt: Craggs, I.Bailey, C.Johnston, Ashcroft, McAndrew, Cochrane (Janković), Proctor, D.Hodgson, M.Burns, D.Armstrong
 Scorer: 1-0 A.Brazil (65.)

Stoke City v Derby County 3-2 (2-0)
 Saturday, 27 October 1979, Victoria Ground, attendance: 18,530
 Stoke: Jones: R.Evans, P.Johnson II, P.A.Johnson, D.Smith, Dodd, A.Heath, S.Irvine, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, P.Richardson
 Derby: Middleton: Langan (Greenwood), S.Buckley, Rioch, McCaffrey, K.Osgood, Emery, S.Powell, Duncan, Rg.Davies, G.Hill
 Scorers: 1-0 P.Richardson (10.), 2-0 A.Heath (31.), 2-1 G.Hill (51.), 2-2 G.Hill (54.), 3-2 Crooks (65.)

Southampton FC v Leeds United 1-2 (1-1)
 Saturday, 27 October 1979, The Dell, attendance: 23,259
 SFC: Gennoe: Hebbard, Peach, S.Williams, D.Watson, M.Waldron, Ball, Boyer, Channon, George, N.Holmes
 LUTC: Lukic: B.Stevenson, Hampton, J.Chandler, K.Parkinson, Madeley, E.Gray, Cherry, Hankin, Curtis, Entwistle
 Scorers: 1-0 Boyer (20.), 1-1 Entwistle (33.), 1-2 Curtis (80.)

Brighton & Hove Albion v Norwich City 2-4 (1-1)
 Saturday, 27 October 1979, Goldstone Ground, attendance: 23,180, sent-off: Rollings (82.)
 BHA: Moseley: Rollings, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, G.A.Stevens, G.Ryan, P.Ward, M.Chivers (72. P.Clark), Sayer, O'Sullivan
 NCFC: Keelan: K.Bond, Downs, A.D.Taylor, R.Brown, A.Powell, Goble, K.Reeves, Fashanu, Paddon, M.Peters
 Scorers: 0-1 Goble (9.), 1-1 S.Foster (20.), 2-1 G.Ryan (46.), 2-2 Paddon (50.), 2-3 A.D.Taylor (67.), 2-4 K.Reeves (80.)

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03 Liverpool FC	12	05	05	02	15-9	23-10		D.Johnson (Liverpool) 8 "
04 Norwich City	13	06	03	04	15-11	25-18		04 I.Wallace (Coventry) 7 "
05 Crystal Palace	13	04	07	02	15-11	19-14		05 Sunderland (Arsenal) 6 "
06 Wolverhampton Wanderers	12	06	03	03	15-9	18-13		A.Brown II (West Bromwich) 6 "
07 Tottenham Hotspur	13	06	03	04	15-11	18-23		K.Reeves (Norwich) 6 "
08 Arsenal FC	13	04	06	03	14-12	14-10		Birtles (Nottingham) 6 "
09 West Bromwich Albion	13	04	05	04	13-13	20-16		09 A.King (Everton) 5 "
10 Southampton FC	13	05	03	05	13-13	22-20		DalGLISH (Liverpool) 5 "
11 Middlesbrough FC	13	05	03	05	13-13	12-10		Macari (Manchester Utd.) 5 "
12 Coventry City	13	06	01	06	13-13	20-26		M.Peters (Norwich) 5 "
13 Manchester City	13	05	03	05	13-13	13-19		A.Gray (Wolverhampton) 5 "
14 Leeds United	12	03	06	03	12-12	14-13		Crooks (Stoke) 5 "
15 Aston Villa	12	03	06	03	12-12	11-12		Fashanu (Norwich) 5 "
16 Bristol City	13	03	06	04	12-14	11-14		B.Robson (West Bromwich) 5 "
17 Everton FC	12	03	05	04	11-13	16-18		
18 Stoke City	13	03	05	05	11-15	16-21		
19 Ipswich Town	13	04	01	08	9-17	12-19		
20 Bolton Wanderers	13	01	07	05	9-17	11-22		
21 Derby County	13	03	02	08	8-18	11-20		
22 Brighton & Hove Albion	12	02	03	07	7-17	14-22		

Week 14

Aston Villa v Bolton Wanderers 3-1 (2-0)
 Saturday, 3 November 1979, Villa Park, attendance: 24,744
 Villa: Rimmer: Swain, C.Gibson, A.Evans, K.McNaught, D.Mortimer, D.Bremner, Little, Geddis, Cowans, G.Shaw
 BWFC: McDonagh: P.Nicholson, D.Burke, Allardyce (25. R.Greaves), P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, W.Morgan, Whatmore, Gowling, Cantello, C.Thompson
 Scorers: 1-0 G.Shaw (15.), 2-0 A.Evans (41.), 2-1 Whatmore (81.), 3-1 D.Mortimer (89.)

Middlesbrough FC v Tottenham Hotspur 0-0
 Saturday, 3 November 1979, Ayresome Park, attendance: 20,079
 MFC: Platt: Craggs, J.Peters, C.Johnston, Ashcroft, McAndrew, M.Burns (65. Cochrane), Proctor, D.Hodgson, Janković, D.Armstrong
 Spurs: Aleksic: Hughton, D.McAllister, Yorath, G.M.Smith, Perryman, Ardiles, C.Jones, G.J.Armstrong, Hoddle, Villa

Norwich City v Everton FC 0-0
 Saturday, 3 November 1979, Carrow Road, attendance: 18,349
 NCFC: Keelan: K.Bond, Downs, McGuire, R.Brown, A.Powell, Goble, D.Evans (74. Nightingale), Fashanu, Paddon, M.Peters
 EFC: Wood: Gidman, J.Bailey, M.Lyons, Higgins, T.Ross, Stanley, W.Wright, Latchford, Kidd, A.King

Coventry City v Stoke City 1-3 (1-2)
 Saturday, 3 November 1979, Highfield Road, attendance: 16,761
 CCFC: Sealey: D.R.Jones (46. Whitton), R.McDonald, A.Blair, Holton, Coop, Hutchison, Gooding, English, I.Wallace, S.Hunt
 Stoke: Jones: R.Evans, G.Scott, P.A.Johnson, D.Smith, Dodd, S.Irvine, A.Heath, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, P.Richardson
 Scorers: 0-1 D.R.Jones (23., o.g.), 0-2 A.Heath (26.), 1-2 R.McDonald (41.), 1-3 Crooks (75.)

Derby County v West Bromwich Albion 2-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 3 November 1979, Baseball Ground, attendance: 21,408
 Derby: McKellar: Langan, S.Buckley, Rioch, McCaffrey, K.Osgood, Emery, S.Powell, Duncan, Rg.Davies, G.Hill
 WBA: Godden: Batson, D.Statham, D.Mills, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, A.Brown II, Deehan, G.Owen, A.Brown (C.Regis)
 Scorers: 0-1 B.Robson (9.), 1-1 G.Hill (43.), 2-1 Emery (67.)

Crystal Palace v Manchester City 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 3 November 1979, Selhurst Park, attendance: 29,443
 CPFC: Burridge: P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, Kember, I.Walsh, Swindlehurst, Hilaire (85. Smillie)
 MFCFC: Corrigan: Ranson, Power, D.Bennett, Caton, P.Futcher, S.MacKenzie, S.Daley, M.Robinson, N.Reid (60. Henry), Silkman
 Scorers: 1-0 Swindlehurst (28.), 2-0 I.Walsh (70.)

Manchester United v Southampton FC 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 3 November 1979, Old Trafford, attendance: 50,215
 MUFC: Bailey: J.Nicholl, Houston, Mclroy, K.Moran, M.Buchan, Grimes, R.Wilkins, Coppell, Macari, M.Thomas
 SFC: Wells: Hebbard, Peach, S.Williams, Andruszewski, M.Waldron, G.E.Baker (82. A.Hayes), Boyer, Channon, George, N.Holmes
 Scorer: 1-0 Macari (8.)

Arsenal FC v Brighton & Hove Albion 3-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 3 November 1979, Highbury, attendance: 34,400
 AFC: Jennings: Devine, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady, Sunderland (87. Gatting), Stapleton, Hollins, Rix
 WBA: Moseley: Rollings, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, G.A.Stevens, G.Ryan, R.Clarke, Maybank (55. P.Ward), Sayer, O'Sullivan
 Scorers: 1-0 Rix (58.), 2-0 Brady (71., pen.), 3-0 Sunderland (85.) *[other source has Maybank subbed out in minute 78]*

Leeds United v Bristol City 1-3 (1-1)
 Saturday, 3 November 1979, Elland Road, attendance: 17,376
 LUTC: Lukic: Cherry, B.Stevenson, Hampton (57. C.Harris), Hart, Madeley, J.Chandler, Entwistle, Hankin, Curtis, E.Gray
 BCFC: Shaw: G.Sweeney, C.Whitehead, K.Mabbutt, A.Hay, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, Royle, J.Mann, Tainton
 Scorers: 1-0 E.Gray (1.), 1-1 K.Mabbutt (20.), 1-2 K.Mabbutt (51.), 1-3 G.Merrick (54.)

Nottingham Forest v Ipswich Town 2-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 3 November 1979, City Ground, attendance: 24,593
 NFFC: Shilton: V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, T.Francis, O'Hare, Birtles (53. G.Mills), Woodcock, J.N.Robertson
 Town: Cooper: Burley, Butcher, Thijssen, Osman, Beattie, Wark, Mühren (73. R.Turner), Mariner, M.Mills, Gates
 Scorer: 1-0, 2-0 T.Francis (50., 87.)

Liverpool FC v Wolverhampton Wanderers 3-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 3 November 1979, Anfield Road, attendance: 49,541
 LFC: Clemence: Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, DalGLISH, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness
 WWCFC: Bradshaw: G.Palmer, D.Parkin, Patching, E.Hughes, G.Berry, K.Hibbitt, W.Carr, A.Gray, J.Richards, D.Thomas
 Scorers: 1-0, 2-0 DalGLISH (4., 51.), 3-0 R.Kennedy (66.)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA	Top Scorers
01 Manchester United	14	08	04	02	20-8	19-8		01 Boyer (Southampton) 10 goals
02 Nottingham Forest	14	08	03	03	19-9	25-13		02 D.Johnson (Liverpool) 8 "
03 Liverpool FC	13	06	05	02	17-9	26-10		Hoddle (Tottenham) 8 "
04 Crystal Palace	14	05	07	02	17-11	21-14		04 DalGLISH (Liverpool) 7 "
05 Norwich City	14	06	04	04	16-12	25-18		I.Wallace (Coventry) 7 "
06 Arsenal FC	14	05	06	03	16-12	17-10		Sunderland (Arsenal) 7 "
07 Tottenham Hotspur	14	06	04	04	16-12	18-23		07 Macari (Manchester Utd.) 6 "
08 Wolverhampton Wanderers	13	06	03	04	15-11	18-16		A.Brown II (West Bromwich) 6 "
09 Middlesbrough FC	14	05	04	05	14-14	12-10		K.Reeves (Norwich) 6 "
10 Aston Villa	13	04	06	03	14-12	14-13		Crooks (Stoke) 6 "
11 Bristol City	14	04	06	04	14-14	14-15		B.Robson (West Bromwich) 6 "
12 West Bromwich Albion	14	04	05	05	13-15	21-18		Birtles (Nottingham) 6 "
13 Southampton FC	14	05	03	06	13-15	22-21		13 A.King (Everton) 5 "
14 Stoke City	14	04	05	05	13-15	19-22		Fashanu (Norwich) 5 "
15 Coventry City	14	06	01	07	13-15	21-29		Whatmore (Bolton) 5 "
16 Manchester City	14	05	03	06	13-15	13-21		M.Peters (Norwich) 5 "
17 Leeds United	13	03	06	04	12-14	15-16		Swindlehurst (Crystal Palace) 5 "
18 Everton FC	13	03	06	04	12-14	16-18		A.Gray (Wolverhampton) 5 "
19 Derby County	14	04	02	08	10-18	13-21		
20 Ipswich Town	14	04	01	09	9-19	12-21		
21 Bolton Wanderers	14	01	07	06	9-19	12-25		
22 Brighton & Hove Albion	13	02	03	08	7-19	14-25		

Week 15

Manchester City v Manchester United 2–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 10 November 1979, Maine Road, attendance: 50,067
 MFC: Corrigan, Ranson, Donachie, D.Bennett, Caton, Booth, Henry, S.Daley, M.Robinson, Power, Deyna
 MUFC: Bailey, J.Nicholl, Houston, McLroy, K.Moran, M.Buchan, Grimes, R.Wilkins, Coppell, Macari, M.Thomas
 Scorers: 1–0 Henry (54.), 2–0 M.Robinson (73.)

Brighton & Hove Albion v Liverpool FC 1–4 (0–1)
 Saturday, 10 November 1979, Goldstone Ground, attendance: 29,692
 BHA: Moseley, J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, G.A.Stevens, G.Ryan, P.Ward, R.Clark, Sayer (64. P.Clark), O'Sullivan
 LFC: Clemence, Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalglish, Case, D.Johnson (84. Heighway), T.McDermott, Souness
 Scorers: 0–1 R.Kennedy (18.), 0–2 Dalglish (64.), 0–3 R.Clark (75.), 1–4 Dalglish (83.)

Everton FC v Middlesbrough FC 0–2 (0–1)
 Saturday, 10 November 1979, Goodison Park, attendance: 25,155
 EFC: Wood: Gidman, J.Bailey, W.Wright, Higgins, T.Ross, Hartford (80. M.Lyons), Stanley, Latchford, Kidd, A.King
 MFC: Platt: Craggs, J.Peters, C.Johnston, Ashcroft, McAndrew, I.Bell, Nattrass, D.Hodgson, M.Burns, D.Armstrong
 Scorer: 0–1 C.Johnston (16.), 0–2 C.Johnston (77.)

Southampton FC v Nottingham Forest 4–1 (2–0)
 Saturday, 10 November 1979, The Dell, attendance: 22,072
 SFC: Wells: Golac, N.Holmes, S.Williams, D.Watson, M.Waldron, Ball, Boyer, Channon, G.E.Baker, Hebbard
 NFFC: Shilton: V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns (77. D.Needham), T.Francis, Bowyer, Birtles, Woodcock, J.N.Robertson
 Scorers: 1–0 D.Watson (27.), 2–0 Channon (30.), 2–1 Birtles (56.), 3–1, 4–1 Boyer (57., 64.)

Tottenham Hotspur v Bolton Wanderers 2–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 10 November 1979, White Hart Lane, attendance: 33,155
 Spurs: Aleksic: Hughton, D.McAllister, Yorath, G.M.Smith, Perryman, Ardiles, C.Jones, G.J.Armstrong, Hoddle, Villa
 BWFC: McDonagh, D.Clement, D.Burke, R.Greaves, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, W.Morgan, Whatmore, Gowling, N.McNab, C.Thompson
 Scorers: 1–0 Yorath (28.), 2–0 Hoddle (88., pen.)

West Bromwich Albion v Norwich City 2–1 (1–1)
 Saturday, 10 November 1979, The Hawthorns, attendance: 19,341
 WBA: Godden: Trewick, Pendrey, D.Mills, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, A.Brown II, Deehan, G.Owen, P.Barnes
 NCFC: Keelan: K.Bond, Downs, J.C.Ryan, R.Brown, A.Powell, McGuire, K.Reeves, Fashanu (87. D.Jones), Paddon, M.Peters
 Scorers: 0–1 M.Peters (7.), 1–1 Wile (28.), 2–1 B.Robson (70.)

Crystal Palace v Arsenal FC 1–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 10 November 1979, Selhurst Park, attendance: 42,887
 CFC: Burridge: P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, G.Francis, I.Walsh, Swindlehurst, Hilaire
 AFC: Jennings: Devine, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady, Gating, Stapleton, D.Price, Rix
 Scorer: 1–0 Swindlehurst (42.)

Bristol City v Derby County 0–2 (0–2)
 Saturday, 10 November 1979, Ashton Gate, attendance: 16,401
 BCFC: Shaw: G.Sweeney, Kenyon, K.Mabbutt, A.Hay (50. Mejier), G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, Royle, J.Mann, Tainton
 Derby: McKellar: Langan, S.Buckley, J.Clark, McCaffrey, K.Osgood, Emery, B.Powell, Duncan, Rg.Davies, Moreland
 Scorers: 0–1 Moreland (33.), 0–2 Duncan (44.)

Coventry City v Leeds United 3–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 10 November 1979, Highfield Road, attendance: 19,402
 CCFC: Sealey: Coop, R.McDonald, Gooding, Holton, Gillespie, Hutchison, A.Blair, M.Ferguson (81. Whitton), I.Wallace, S.Hunt
 LUF: Lukic: Cherry, B.Stevenson, B.Flynn (40. Entwistle), Hart, Madeley, Hird, B.Greenhoff, Hankin, Curtis, E.Gray
 Scorers: 1–0 M.Ferguson (38.), 2–0 I.Wallace (67.), 3–0 M.Ferguson (79.)

Ipswich Town v Aston Villa 0–0
 Saturday, 10 November 1979, Portman Road, attendance: 17,807
 Town: Cooper: Burley, Butcher, Thijssen, Osman, Beattie, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, M.Mills, R.Turner
 Villa: Rimmer: Swain, C.Gibson, A.Evans, K.McNaught, D.Mortimer, D.Bremner, Little, Geddis, Cowans, G.Shaw

Stoke City v Wolverhampton Wanderers 0–1 (0–1)
 Saturday, 10 November 1980, Victoria Ground, attendance: 26,061
 Stoke: Jones: R.Evans, G.Scott, P.A.Johnson (71. Randall), D.Smith, Dodd, A.Heath, S.Irvine, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, P.Richardson
 WWFC: Bradshaw: G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, McAlle, G.Berry, K.Hibbitt, W.Carr, A.Gray, W.Clarke, J.Richards
 Scorer: 0–1 K.Hibbitt (33.)

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01 Manchester United	15	08	04	03	20–10	19:10		01 Boyer (Southampton) 12 goals
02 Liverpool FC	14	07	05	02	19–9	30:11		02 Dalglish (Liverpool) 9 "
03 Nottingham Forest	15	08	03	04	19–11	26:17		D.Johnson (Liverpool) 9 "
04 Crystal Palace	15	06	07	02	19–11	22:14		Hoddle (Tottenham) 9 "
05 Tottenham Hotspur	15	07	04	04	18–12	20:23		05 I.Wallace (Coventry) 8 "
06 Wolverhampton Wanderers	14	07	03	04	17–11	19:16		06 Sunderland (Arsenal) 7 "
07 Norwich City	15	06	04	05	16–14	26:20		B.Robson (West Bromwich) 7 "
08 Arsenal FC	15	05	06	04	16–14	17:11		Birtles (Nottingham) 7 "
09 Middlesbrough FC	15	06	04	05	16–14	14:10		09 Swindlehurst (Crystal Palace) 6 "
10 Southampton FC	15	06	03	06	15–15	26:22		A.Brown II (West Bromwich) 6 "
11 West Bromwich Albion	15	05	05	05	15–15	23:19		K.Reeves (Norwich) 6 "
12 Aston Villa	14	04	07	03	15–13	14:13		Macari (Manchester Utd.) 6 "
13 Coventry City	15	07	01	07	15–15	24:29		M.Peters (Norwich) 6 "
14 Manchester City	15	06	03	06	15–15	15:21		Crooks (Stoke) 6 "
15 Bristol City	15	04	06	05	14–16	14:17		15 A.Gray (Wolverhampton) 5 "
16 Stoke City	15	04	05	06	13–17	19:23		Whatmore (Bolton) 5 "
17 Leeds United	14	03	06	05	12–16	15:19		Fashanu (Norwich) 5 "
18 Derby County	15	05	02	08	12–18	15:21		R.Kennedy (Liverpool) 5 "
19 Everton FC	14	03	06	05	12–16	16:20		Duncan (Derby) 5 "
20 Ipswich Town	15	04	02	09	10–20	12:21		A.King (Everton) 5 "
21 Bolton Wanderers	15	01	07	07	9–21	12:27		
22 Brighton & Hove Albion	14	02	03	09	7–21	15:29		

Week 16

Everton FC v Leeds United 5–1 (4–0)
 Tuesday, 13 November 1979, Goodison Park, attendance: 23,000
 EFC: Hodge: Gidman, J.Bailey, W.Wright, Higgins, T.Ross, Hartford, Stanley, Latchford (46. M.Lyons), Kidd, A.King
 LUF: Lukic: Cherry, B.Stevenson, B.Greenhoff, Hart, Madeley, Hird, Entwistle, Hamson, Curtis, E.Gray
 Scorers: 1–0 Latchford (4.), 2–0 Kidd (6.), 3–0, 4–0 Latchford (22., 43.), 4–1 Hird (47.), 5–1 Hart (83., o.g.)

Manchester United v Crystal Palace 1–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 17 November 1979, Old Trafford, attendance: 52,800
 MUFC: Bailey: J.Nicholl, Houston, McLroy, K.Moran, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, Jordan, Macari, M.Thomas (73. Grimes)
 CFC: Burridge: P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, G.Francis (11. I.Walsh), Flanagan, Swindlehurst, Hilaire
 Scorers: 0–1 Swindlehurst (77.), 1–1 Jordan (89.)

Derby County v Ipswich Town 0–1 (0–1)
 Saturday, 17 November 1979, Baseball Ground, attendance: 16,699
 Derby: McKellar: Langan, S.Buckley, Rioch (46. J.Clark), McCaffrey, K.Osgood, Emery, B.Powell, Duncan, Rg.Davies, G.Hill
 Town: Cooper: Burley, M.Mills, Thijssen, Osman, Butcher, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, A.Brazil, Gates
 Scorer: 0–1 Mariner (40.)

Liverpool FC v Tottenham Hotspur 2–1 (1–0)
 Saturday, 17 November 1979, Anfield Road, attendance: 51,092
 LFC: Clemence: Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalglish, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness
 Spurs: Aleksic: Hughton, D.McAllister, Yorath, G.M.Smith, Perryman, Ardiles, C.Jones, G.J.Armstrong, Hoddle, Villa
 Scorers: 1–0 T.McDermott (34.), 1–1 C.Jones (62.), 2–1 T.McDermott (70.)

Aston Villa v Stoke City 2–1 (1–1)
 Saturday, 17 November 1979, Villa Park, attendance: 27,086, sent-off: D.Smith
 Villa: Rimmer: Swain, Pejic, A.Evans, K.McNaught, D.Mortimer, D.Bremner, Little, Geddis, Cowans, G.Shaw
 Stoke: Jones: R.Evans, G.Scott, P.A.Johnson, D.Smith, Dodd, A.Heath, S.Irvine, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, Randall
 Scorers: 0–1 G.Scott (11.), 1–1 D.Mortimer (23.), 2–1 A.Evans (90., pen.)

Norwich City v Southampton FC 2–1 (0–1)
 Saturday, 17 November 1979, Carrow Road, attendance: 18,215
 NCFC: Keelan: K.Bond, Downs, McGuire, R.Brown, A.Powell, Goble, K.Reeves, Fashanu, Paddon, M.Peters
 SFC: Wells: Golac, N.Holmes, S.Williams, D.Watson, M.Waldron, Ball, Boyer, Channon, Andruszewski, Hebbard
 Scorers: 0–1 Andruszewski (26.), 1–1 Fashanu (80.), 2–1 McGuire (87.)

Nottingham Forest v Brighton & Hove Albion 0–1 (0–1)
 Saturday, 17 November 1979, City Ground, attendance: 25,837
 NFFC: Shilton: V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, D.Needham, M.O'Neill, T.Francis, Birtles, Woodcock (46. Bowyer), J.N.Robertson
 BHA: Moseley: G.A.Stevens, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, Suddaby, G.Ryan, P.Ward, R.Clark, Lawrenson, O'Sullivan
 Scorer: 0–1 G.Ryan (11.)

Bolton Wanderers v Manchester City 0–1 (0–1)
 Saturday, 17 November 1979, Burnden Park, attendance: 25,515
 BWFC: McDonagh: D.Clement, D.Burke, R.Greaves, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, W.Morgan, Whatmore, Gowling, Cantello, N.McNab
 MFC: Corrigan: Ranson, Donachie, D.Bennett, Caton, Stepanović, Henry, S.Daley, M.Robinson, Power, Deyna
 Scorer: 0–1 S.Daley (33.)

Leeds United v West Bromwich Albion 1–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 17 November 1979, Elland Road, attendance: 17,481
 LUF: Lukic: Cherry, B.Stevenson, Hird, Hart, Madeley (15. T.Connor), E.Gray, Hamson, Entwistle, Curtis, C.Harris
 BHA: Godden: Swain, Pendrey, D.Mills, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, A.Brown II, Deehan, A.Brown, P.Barnes
 Scorer: 1–0 T.Connor (85.)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Coventry City 0–3 (0–1)
 Saturday, 17 November 1979, Molineux, attendance: 22,805
 WWFC: Bradshaw: G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel (70. E.Hughes), G.Berry, K.Hibbitt, W.Carr, A.Gray, J.Richards, Eves
 CCFC: Sealey: Coop, R.McDonald, Gooding, Holton, Gillespie, Hutchison, I.Wallace, M.Ferguson, A.Blair, S.Hunt
 Scorers: 0–1 I.Wallace (8.), 0–2, 0–3 M.Ferguson (57., 77.)

Arsenal FC v Everton FC 2–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 17 November 1979, Highbury, attendance: 33,637
 AFC: Jennings: Devine, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady (82. Gating), Vaessen, Stapleton, D.Price, Rix
 EFC: Hodge: Gidman, J.Bailey, W.Wright, Higgins, T.Ross, Hartford, Stanley, Latchford (46. M.Lyons), Kidd, A.King
 Scorer: 1–0, 2–0 Stapleton (57., 78.)

Middlesbrough FC v Bristol City 1–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 17 November 1979, Ayresome Park, attendance: 14,494
 MFC: Platt: Craggs, J.Peters, Nattrass, Ashcroft, McAndrew, Cochrane, I.Bell, D.Hodgson, M.Burns, D.Armstrong
 BCFC: Fitz: G.Sweeney, Gillies, Tainton, Rodgers, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, K.Mabbutt (46. Pritchard), J.Mann, Garland
 Scorer: 1–0 D.Armstrong (71.)

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01 Liverpool FC	15	08	05	02	21–9	32:12		01 Boyer (Southampton) 12 goals
02 Manchester United	16	08	05	03	21–11	20:11		02 D.Johnson (Liverpool) 9 "
03 Crystal Palace	16	06	08	02	20–12	23:15		Dalglish (Liverpool) 9 "
04 Nottingham Forest	16	08	03	05	19–13	26:18		Hoddle (Tottenham) 9 "
05 Arsenal FC	16	06	06	04	18–14	19:11		I.Wallace (Coventry) 9 "
06 Norwich City	16	07	04	05	18–14	28:21		06 Swindlehurst (Crystal Palace) 7 "
07 Middlesbrough FC	16	07	04	05	18–14	15:10		Sunderland (Arsenal) 7 "
08 Tottenham Hotspur	16	07	04	05	18–14	21:25		B.Robson (West Bromwich) 7 "
09 Aston Villa	15	05	07	03	17–13	16:14		Birtles (Nottingham) 7 "
10 Wolverhampton Wanderers	15	07	03	05	17–13	19:19		10 Stapleton (Arsenal) 6 "
11 Coventry City	16	08	01	07	17–15	27:29		A.Brown II (West Bromwich) 6 "
12 Manchester City	16	07	03	06	17–15	16:21		Crooks (Stoke) 6 "
13 Southampton FC	16	06	03	07	15–17	27:24		K.Reeves (Norwich) 6 "
14 West Bromwich Albion	16	05	05	06	15–17	23:20		Fashanu (Norwich) 6 "
15 Everton FC	16	04	06	06	14–18	21:23		Macari (Manchester Utd.) 6 "
16 Bristol City	16	04	06	06	14–18	14:18		M.Peters (Norwich) 6 "
17 Leeds United	16	04	06	06	14–18	17:24		17 A.Gray (Wolverhampton) 5 "
18 Stoke City	16	04	05	07	13–19	20:25		T.McDermott (Liverpool) 5 "
19 Derby County	16	05	02	09	12–20	15:22		Whatmore (Bolton) 5 "
20 Ipswich Town	16	05	02	09	12–20	13:21		C.Jones (Tottenham) 5 "
21 Brighton & Hove Albion	15	03	03	09	9–21	16:29		R.Kennedy (Liverpool) 5 "
22 Bolton Wanderers	16	01	07	08	9–23	12:28		Duncan (Derby) 5 "
								M.Ferguson (Coventry) 5 "
								Kidd (Everton) 5 "
								A.King (Everton) 5 "

Week 17

Aston Villa v Leeds United 0-0
 Saturday, 24 November 1979, Villa Park, attendance: 29,736
 Villa: Rimmer; Swain, Pejic, A.Evans, K.McNaught, D.Mortimer, D.Bremner, Little, Geddis, Cowans, G.Shaw
 LUFC: Lukic; Cherry, B.Stevenson, Hamson, Hart, B.Greenhoff, Hird, A.Graham, T.Connor, Curtis, E.Gray

Crystal Palace v Coventry City 0-0
 Saturday, 24 November 1979, Selhurst Park, attendance: 26,209
 CPFC: Burridge; P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, G.Francis, Flanagan, Swindlehurst, Hilaire (80. I.Walsh)
 CCFC: Sealey; Coop, R.McDonald, Gooding, Holton, Gillespie, Hutchison, I.Wallace, M.Ferguson, A.Blair, S.Hunt

Bristol City v Manchester City 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 24 November 1979, Ashton Gate, attendance: 18,296
 BCFC: Shaw; G.Sweeney, C.Whitehead, Gow, Rodgers, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, Tainton (73. T.Ritchie), Royle, J.Mann, Garland
 MCFC: Corrigan; Ranson, Donachie, D.Bennett, Caton, Stepanović, Henry, S.Daley, M.Robinson, Power, Devna
 Scorer: 1-0 Rodgers (29.)

Arsenal FC v Liverpool FC 0-0
 Saturday, 24 November 1979, Highbury, attendance: 55,561
 AFC: Jennings; Devine, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Gating, Sunderland, Stapleton, D.Price, Rix
 LFC: Clemence; Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalglish, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness

Everton FC v Tottenham Hotspur 1-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 24 November 1979, Goodison Park, attendance: 31,071
 EFC: Hodge; Gidman (74. M.Lyons), J.Bailey, W.Wright, Higgins, T.Ross, Hartford, Stanley, Latchford, Kidd, A.King
 Spurs: Aleksic; Hughton, D.McAllister, Yorath, G.M.Smith, Perryman, Ardles, C.Jones, G.J.Armstrong, Hoddie, Villa
 Scorers: 1-0 Latchford (15.), 1-1 C.Jones (31.)

Derby County v Nottingham Forest 4-1 (3-0)
 Saturday, 24 November 1979, Baseball Ground, attendance: 27,729
 Derby: McKellar; Langan, S.Buckley, G.Daly (81. Emson), D.Webb, K.Osgood, Emery, B.Powell, Duncan, Rg.Davies, J.Clark
 NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Uloyd, D.Needham, M.O'Neill, G.Mills, Birtles, T.Francis, J.N.Robertson
 Scorers: 1-0 G.Daly (13.), 2-0 Duncan (15.), 3-0 Emery (16.), 3-1 J.N.Robertson (47., pen.), 4-1 Duncan (77.)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v West Bromwich Albion 0-0
 Saturday, 24 November 1979, The Hawthorns, attendance: 32,564
 WWC: Bradshaw; G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, E.Hughes, G.Berry, K.Hibbit, W.Carr, A.Gray, J.Richards, D.Thomas
 WBA: Godden; Trewick, Pendrey, D.Mills, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, A.Brown II, Deehan, G.Owen, C.Regis

Manchester United v Norwich City 5-0 (3-0)
 Saturday, 24 November 1979, Old Trafford, attendance: 46,540
 MUFC: Bailey; J.Nicholl, Grimes, McIlroy, K.Moran, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, Jordan, Macari, M.Thomas
 NFFC: Keelan; K.Bond, Downs, A.D.Taylor, R.Brown, A.Powell, McGuire, K.Reeves, Fashanu (66. Barham), Paddon, M.Peters
 Scorers: 1-0 Macari (17.), 2-0 K.Moran (22.), 3-0 Coppell (42.), 4-0, 5-0 Jordan (54., 78.)

Stoke City v Bolton Wanderers 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 24 November 1979, Victoria Ground, attendance: 15,435
 Stoke: Jones; R.Evans, Dodd, P.Johnson II, P.A.Johnson, M.Doyle, S.Irvine, A.Heath, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, Randall
 BWFC: McDonagh; D.Clement (D.Burke), P.Nicholson, R.Greaves, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, W.Morgan, Whatmore, Gowling, Cantello, N.McNab
 Scorer: 1-0 B.O'Callaghan (44.)

Ipswich Town v Southampton FC 3-1 (3-0)
 Saturday, 24 November 1979, Portman Road, attendance: 18,685
 Town: Cooper; Burley, Butcher, M.Mills, Osman, Beattie, Wark (79. D'Avray), Mühren, Mariner, A.Brazil, Gates
 SFC: Wells; Golac (74. Andruszewski), N.Holmes, S.Williams, D.Watson, M.Waldron, Ball, Boyer, Channon, C.Nicholl, Hebbard
 Scorers: 1-0 Gates (12.), 2-0 Wark (13.), 3-0 A.Brazil (31.), 3-1 S.Williams (88.)

Middlesbrough FC v Brighton & Hove Albion 1-1 (1-0)
 Saturday, 24 November 1979, Ayresome Park, attendance: 16,010
 MFC: Platt; Craggs, J.Peters, Natrass, Ashcroft, McAndrew, C.Johnston, I.Bell (75. Cochrane), D.Hodgson, M.Burns, D.Armstrong
 BHA: Moseley; Suddaby, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, G.A.Stevens (P.Clark), G.Ryan, P.Ward, Maybank, Sayer, O'Sullivan
 Scorers: 1-0 M.Burns (32.), 1-1 C.Williams (65.)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA	Top Scorers
01 Manchester United	17	09	05	03	23-11	25:11		01 Boyer (Southampton) 12 goals
02 Liverpool FC	16	08	06	02	22-10	32:12		02 Hoddie (Tottenham) 9 "
03 Crystal Palace	17	06	09	02	21-13	23:15		I.Wallace (Coventry) 9 "
04 Arsenal FC	17	06	07	04	19-15	19:11		Dalglish (Liverpool) 9 "
05 Nottingham Forest	17	08	03	06	19-15	27:22		D.Johnson (Liverpool) 9 "
06 Middlesbrough FC	17	07	05	05	19-15	16:11		07 Swindlehurst (Crystal Palace) 7 "
07 Tottenham Hotspur	17	07	05	05	19-15	22:26		B.Robson (West Bromwich) 7 "
08 Norwich City	17	07	04	06	18-16	28:26		Macari (Manchester Utd.) 7 "
09 Aston Villa	16	05	08	03	18-14	16:14		Sunderland (Arsenal) 7 "
10 Wolverhampton Wanderers	16	07	04	05	18-14	19:19		Duncan (Derby) 7 "
11 Coventry City	17	08	02	07	18-16	27:29		Birtles (Nottingham) 7 "
12 Manchester City	17	07	03	07	17-17	16:22		13 M.Peters (Norwich) 6 "
13 West Bromwich Albion	17	05	06	06	16-18	23:20		Crooks (Stoke) 6 "
14 Bristol City	17	05	06	06	16-18	15:18		C.Jones (Tottenham) 6 "
15 Southampton FC	17	06	03	08	15-19	28:27		K.Reeves (Norwich) 6 "
16 Everton FC	17	04	07	06	15-19	22:24		Fashanu (Norwich) 6 "
17 Stoke City	17	05	05	07	15-19	21:25		A.Brown II (West Bromwich) 6 "
18 Leeds United	17	04	07	06	15-19	17:24		Stapleton (Arsenal) 6 "
19 Derby County	17	06	02	09	14-20	19:23		
20 Ipswich Town	17	06	02	09	14-20	16:22		
21 Brighton & Hove Albion	16	03	04	09	10-22	17:30		
22 Bolton Wanderers	17	01	07	09	9-25	12:29		

Week 18

Bolton Wanderers v Bristol City 1-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 1 December 1979, Burnden Park, attendance: 12,074
 BWFC: McDonagh; P.Nicholson, D.Burke, R.Greaves, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, W.Morgan, Whatmore, Gowling (42. M.Carter), Cantello, N.McNab
 BCFC: Shaw; G.Sweeney, C.Whitehead, Gow, Rodgers, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, Tainton, Royle, J.Mann, Garland
 Scorers: 0-1 T.McDermott (5.), 1-1 R.Greaves (90.)

Liverpool FC v Middlesbrough FC 4-0 (2-0)
 Saturday, 1 December 1979, Anfield Road, attendance: 39,885
 LFC: Clemence; Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalglish, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness
 MFC: Platt; Craggs, J.Peters, C.Johnston (12. D.Shearer), Ashcroft, McAndrew, D.Hodgson, Proctor, Natrass, Janković, D.Armstrong
 Scorers: 1-0 T.McDermott (5.), 2-0 Hansen (13.), 3-0 D.Johnson (73.), 4-0 R.Kennedy (84.)

Brighton & Hove Albion v Derby County 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 1 December 1979, Goldstone Ground, attendance: 22,980
 BHA: Moseley; G.A.Stevens, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, Suddaby, G.Ryan, P.Ward, R.Clarke, Sayer, O'Sullivan
 Derby: McKellar; Langan, S.Buckley, G.Daly, D.Webb, K.Osgood, Emery, B.Powell, Duncan, Bartlett (62. McCaffrey), J.Clark
 Scorers: 1-0 P.Ward (26.), 2-0 R.Clarke (46.)

Southampton FC v Stoke City 3-1 (1-0)
 Saturday, 1 December 1979, The Dell, attendance: 20,095
 SFC: Wells; Golac, Peach, S.Williams, D.Watson, C.Nicholl, Ball, Boyer, Channon, N.Holmes, Hebbard
 Stoke: Jones; R.Evans, G.Scott, P.A.Johnson, Dodd, M.Doyle, S.Irvine, A.Heath, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, Randall (84. L.R.Chapman)
 Scorers: 1-0 Boyer (19.), 1-1 S.Irvine (68.), 2-1 Channon (88.), 3-1 Boyer (89.)

Leeds United v Crystal Palace 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 1 December 1979, Elland Road, attendance: 21,330
 LUFC: Lukic; Cherry, B.Stevenson, Hamson, Hart, B.Greenhoff, E.Gray, Hird, T.Connor, Curtis, A.Graham
 CPFC: Burridge; P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy (70. Kember), G.Francis, I.Walsh, Swindlehurst, Hilaire
 Scorer: 1-0 Hird (38.)

Nottingham Forest v Arsenal FC 1-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 1 December 1979, City Ground, attendance: 27,925
 NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, M.O'Neill, O'Hare, Birtles, T.Francis, J.N.Robertson
 AFC: Jennings; Devine, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, Walford, Gating, Sunderland, Stapleton, D.Price, Rix
 Scorers: 0-1 Stapleton (4.), 1-1 Birtles (89.)

Tottenham Hotspur v Manchester United 1-2 (1-0)
 Saturday, 1 December 1979, White Hart Lane, attendance: 51,389
 Spurs: Aleksic; Hughton, D.McAllister, J.Pratt, G.M.Smith, Perryman, Ardles, C.Jones, G.J.Armstrong, Hoddie, Villa
 MUFC: Bailey; J.Nicholl, Grimes, McIlroy, K.Moran, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, Jordan, Macari, M.Thomas
 Scorers: 1-0 Hoddie (31.), 1-1 Macari (61.), 1-2 Coppell (87.)

Norwich City v Aston Villa 1-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 1 December 1979, Carrow Road, attendance: 15,885, sent-off: Fashanu, D.Mortimer
 NCF: Keelan; K.Bond, Downs, Mendham, R.Brown, A.Powell, K.Robson, K.Reeves, Fashanu, Paddon, M.Peters
 Villa: Rimmer; Swain, Pejic, A.Evans, K.McNaught, D.Mortimer, D.Bremner, Little, Geddis, Cowans, G.Shaw
 Scorers: 0-1 A.Evans (21.), 1-1 K.Bond (88., pen.)

Manchester City v Wolverhampton Wanderers 2-3 (1-2)
 Saturday, 1 December 1979, Maine Road, attendance: 33,984
 MCFC: Corrigan; Ranson, Donachie, Booth, Caton, Stepanović (44. St.Lee), Henry, S.Daley, D.Bennett, Devna, R.Palmer
 WWFC: Bradshaw; G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, E.Hughes, G.Berry, K.Hibbit, W.Carr, A.Gray, J.Richards, D.Thomas
 Scorers: 0-1 A.Gray (18.), 1-1 R.Palmer (40.), 1-2 K.Hibbit (41.), 1-3 P.W.Daniel (55.), 2-3 Devna (89.)

Coventry City v Ipswich Town 4-1 (1-0)
 Saturday, 1 December 1979, Highfield Road, attendance: 16,439
 CCFC: Sealey, Coop, R.McDonald, Gooding, Holton, Gillespie, Hutchison, I.Wallace, M.Ferguson, A.Blair, S.Hunt
 Town: Cooper; Burley, Butcher, M.Mills, Osman, Beattie, Wark, Mühren, D'Avray, Mariner, Gates
 Scorers: 1-0, 2-0, 3-0 M.Ferguson (10., 50., 62.), 3-1 Wark (68., pen.), 4-1 M.Ferguson (70.)

West Bromwich Albion v Everton FC 1-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 1 December 1979, The Hawthorns, attendance: 21,294
 WBA: Godden; Trewick, Pendrey, A.Brown, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, A.Brown II, C.Regis, G.Owen, P.Barnes
 EFC: Hodge; Gidman, J.Bailey, W.Wright, Higgins, T.Ross, Hartford, Stanley, Latchford, Kidd, A.King
 Scorers: 1-0 C.Regis (12.), 1-1 A.King (15.)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA	Top Scorers
01 Manchester United	18	10	05	03	25-11	27:12		01 Boyer (Southampton) 14 goals
02 Liverpool FC	17	09	06	02	24-10	36:12		02 Hoddie (Tottenham) 10 "
03 Crystal Palace	18	06	09	03	21-15	23:16		D.Johnson (Liverpool) 10 "
04 Arsenal FC	18	06	08	04	20-16	20:12		04 Dalglish (Liverpool) 9 "
05 Nottingham Forest	18	08	04	06	20-16	28:23		M.Ferguson (Coventry) 9 "
06 Coventry City	18	09	02	07	20-16	31:30		I.Wallace (Coventry) 9 "
07 Wolverhampton Wanderers	17	08	04	05	20-14	22:21		07 Macari (Manchester Utd.) 8 "
08 Norwich City	18	07	05	06	19-17	29:27		Birtles (Nottingham) 8 "
09 Aston Villa	17	05	09	03	19-15	17:15		09 B.Robson (West Bromwich) 7 "
10 Middlesbrough FC	18	07	05	06	19-17	16:15		Swindlehurst (Crystal Palace) 7 "
11 Tottenham Hotspur	18	07	05	06	19-17	23:28		Duncan (Derby) 7 "
12 Southampton FC	18	07	03	08	17-19	31:28		Sunderland (Arsenal) 7 "
13 West Bromwich Albion	18	05	07	06	17-19	24:21		Stapleton (Arsenal) 7 "
14 Bristol City	18	05	07	06	17-19	16:19		14 A.Gray (Wolverhampton) 6 "
15 Leeds United	18	05	07	06	17-19	18:24		M.Peters (Norwich) 6 "
16 Manchester City	18	07	03	08	17-19	18:25		C.Jones (Tottenham) 6 "
17 Everton FC	18	04	08	06	16-20	23:25		Fashanu (Norwich) 6 "
18 Stoke City	18	05	05	08	15-21	22:28		R.Kennedy (Liverpool) 6 "
19 Derby County	18	06	02	10	14-22	19:25		Crooks (Stoke) 6 "
20 Ipswich Town	18	06	02	10	14-22	17:26		K.Reeves (Norwich) 6 "
21 Brighton & Hove Albion	17	04	04	09	12-22	19:30		A.Brown II (West Bromwich) 6 "
22 Bolton Wanderers	18	01	08	09	10-26	13:30		T.McDermott (Liverpool) 6 "
								A.King (Everton) 6 "

Week 21

Aston Villa v Coventry City 3–0 (1–0)
 Wednesday, 19 December 1979, Villa Park, attendance: 24,446
 Villa: Jimmer; Swain, C.Gibson, Ormsby, K.McNaught, Bullivant, D.Bremner, Little, Donovan, Cowans, G.Shaw
 CFCF: Sealey, B.Roberts, R.McDonald, Gooding, Holton, Gillespie, Hutchison, I.Wallace, M.Ferguson (66. Whitton), A.Blair, S.Hunt
 Scorers: 1–0 Donovan (8.), 2–0, 3–0 Little (51., 60.)

Stoke City v Leeds United 0–2 (0–2)
 Friday, 21 December 1979, Victoria Ground, attendance: 16,878
 Town: Jones; R.Evans, P.Johnson II, P.A.Johnson (V.Busby), Dodd, M.Doyle, A.Heath, P.Richardson, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, Randall
 LUF: Lukic; Cherry, B.Stevenson, Hamson, Hart, B.Greenhoff, E.Gray, Hird, T.Connor, Curtis, C.Harris (Entwistle)
 Scorers: 0–1 C.Harris (28.), 0–2 T.Connor (37.)

Ipswich Town v Tottenham Hotspur 3–1 (2–1)
 Friday, 21 December 1979, Portman Road, attendance: 18,852
 Town: Cooper; Burley, M.Mills, Thijssen, Osman, Butcher, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, Gates, A.Brazil
 Spurs: Daines; Hughton, P.Miller, Yorath, D.McAllister, Perryman, Ardiles, C.Jones, C.Lee, Hoddle, Villa
 Scorers: 0–1 D.McAllister (16.), 1–1 Mariner (33.), 2–1 Mühren (37.), 3–1 Gates (50.)

Arsenal FC v Norwich City 1–1 (0–0)
 Friday, 21 December 1979, Highbury, attendance: 18,869
 AFC: Jennings; Devine, Nelson (12. B.McDermott), Talbot, O'Leary, Walford, Brady, Sunderland, Stapleton, Hollins, Rix
 NCF: Keelan; K.Bond, Downs, J.G.Ryan, R.Brown, D.Jones, Mendham, A.D.Taylor, K.Robson, Paddon, M.Peters
 Scorers: 1–0 Stapleton (52.), 1–1 K.Bond (88.)

Middlesbrough FC v Bolton Wanderers 3–1 (2–0)
 Friday, 21 December 1979, Ayresome Park, attendance: 11,813
 MFC: Platt; Craggs, P.Johnson, Hedley, Ashcroft, McAndrew, Cochrane, Proctor, D.Hodgson, Janković, D.Armstrong
 BWFC: McDonagh; M.Graham, D.Burke, R.Greaves, Allardye, M.Walsh, W.Morgan, Whatmore, Gowling, Cantello (M.Carter), P.Nicholson
 Scorers: 1–0 D.Armstrong (3.), 2–0 Craggs (20.), 3–0 Cochrane (60.), 3–1 W.Morgan (69., pen.)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Brighton & Hove Albion 1–3 (0–2)
 Friday, 21 December 1979, Molineux, attendance: 15,807
 WWFC: Bradshaw; G.Palmer, D.Parkin, McAlle (57. Brazier), E.Hughes, G.Berry, K.Hibbitt, W.Carr, W.Clarke, Eves, D.Thomas
 BHA: Moseley; J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, C.A.Stevens, Suddaby, G.Ryan, P.Ward, R.Clarke, Lawrenson, O'Sullivan
 Scorers: 0–1 P.Ward (37.), 0–2 P.Ward (44.), 0–3 P.Ward (69.), 1–3 Eves (82.)

Bristol City v Southampton FC 0–1 (0–0)
 Friday, 21 December 1979, Ashton Gate, attendance: 12,489
 BFCF: Shaw; G.Sweeney, C.Whitehead, Gow, Kenyon, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, Tainton, Royle, T.Ritchie, J.Mann (K.Mabbutt)
 SFC: Wells; Golac, Peach, S.Williams, D.Watson, C.Nicholl, Ball, Boyer, Channon, N.Holmes, Hebberd
 Scorer: 0–1 Channon (53.)

Derby County v Liverpool 1–3 (1–1)
 Saturday, 22 December 1979, Baseball Ground, attendance: 24,945
 Derby: McKellar; Langan, S.Buckley, G.Daly, D.Webb, K.Osgood, Emery, B.Powell, Whymark, Rg.Davies, Rioch
 LFC: Clemence; Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalgligh, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness
 Scorers: 1–0 Rg.Davies (1., pen.), 1–1 Rg.Davies (16., o.g.), 1–2 T.McDermott (53., pen.), 1–3 D.Johnson (57.)

Everton FC v Manchester City 1–2 (0–2)
 Saturday, 22 December 1979, Goodison Park, attendance: 26,305
 EFC: Hodge; Gidman, J.Bailey, W.Wright, M.Lyons, T.Ross, Hartford, Stanley (81. Varadi), Latchford, Kidd, A.King
 MFCF: Corrigan; Ranson, Donachie, Booth, Caton, D.Bennett, Henry, S.Daley, M.Robinson, Power, Shinton
 Scorers: 0–1 S.Daley (11.), 0–2 Henry (26.), 1–2 Kidd (64.)

Manchester United v Nottingham Forest 3–0 (3–0)
 Saturday, 22 December 1979, Old Trafford, attendance: 54,522
 MUFC: Bailey; J.Nicholl, Houston, McLroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, Jordan, Macari, M.Thomas
 NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, M.O'Neill, Bowles, Birtles, T.Francis, J.N.Robertson
 Scorers: 1–0, 2–0 Jordan (2., 16.), 3–0 McQueen (23.)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA	Top Scorers
01 Liverpool FC	20	12	06	02	30–10	45:14		01 Boyer (Southampton) 15 goals
02 Manchester United	21	12	06	03	30–12	33:14		02 Hoddle (Tottenham) 12 "
03 Arsenal FC	21	07	10	04	24–18	26:16		03 D.Johnson (Liverpool) 11 "
04 Southampton FC	21	10	03	08	23–19	34:28		04 Dalgligh (Liverpool) 10 "
05 Crystal Palace	20	07	09	04	23–17	24:19		M.Ferguson (Coventry) 10 "
06 Norwich City	21	08	07	06	23–19	32:28		Stapleton (Arsenal) 10 "
07 Aston Villa	20	07	09	04	23–17	23:19		07 Crooks (Stoke) 9 "
08 Leeds United	21	07	08	06	22–20	24:25		T.McDermott (Liverpool) 9 "
09 Wolverhampton Wanderers	20	09	04	07	22–18	26:28		Macari (Manchester Utd.) 9 "
10 Middlesbrough FC	20	08	05	07	21–19	19:17		I.Wallace (Coventry) 9 "
11 Tottenham Hotspur	21	08	05	08	21–21	28:34		11 Sunderland (Arsenal) 8 "
12 Manchester City	21	09	03	09	21–21	23:30		B.Robson (West Bromwich) 8 "
13 Nottingham Forest	20	08	04	08	20–20	28:27		A.Gray (Wolverhampton) 8 "
14 Ipswich Town	21	09	02	10	20–22	25:27		Birtles (Nottingham) 8 "
15 Coventry City	21	09	02	10	20–22	33:38		15 Swindlehurst (Crystal Palace) 7 "
16 West Bromwich Albion	20	05	08	07	18–22	28:26		R.Kennedy (Liverpool) 7 "
17 Everton FC	21	05	08	08	18–24	26:28		Duncan (Derby) 7 "
18 Stoke City	21	06	06	09	18–24	25:32		Kidd (Everton) 7 "
19 Bristol City	21	05	07	09	17–25	17:25		A.King (Everton) 7 "
20 Brighton & Hove Albion	20	05	05	10	15–25	22:33		20 Gates (Ipswich) 6 "
21 Derby County	21	06	03	12	15–27	20:31		P.Ward (Brighton & Hove) 6 "
22 Bolton Wanderers	21	01	08	12	10–32	15:37		K.Bond (Norwich) 6 "
								Fashanu (Norwich) 6 "
								C.Jones (Tottenham) 6 "
								A.Brown II (West Bromwich) 6 "
								McQueen (Manchester Utd.) 6 "
								Whatmore (Bolton) 6 "
								K.Reeves (Norwich) 6 "
								Channon (Man.C./Southampton) 6 "
								M.Peters (Norwich) 6 "

Week 22

Arsenal FC v Tottenham Hotspur 1–0 (1–0)
 Wednesday, 26 December 1979, Highbury, attendance: 48,357
 AFC: Jennings; Rice, Devine, Tallbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady, Sunderland, Stapleton, Hollins, Rix
 Spurs: Aleksic; Hughton, D.McAllister, Yorath, G.M.Smith, Perryman, Ardiles, C.Jones, G.J.Armstrong (75. T.Gibson), Hoddle, J.Pratt
 Scorers: 1–0 Sunderland (14.)

Brighton & Hove Albion v Crystal Palace 3–0 (2–0)
 Wednesday, 26 December 1979, Goldstone Ground, attendance: 28,358
 BHA: Moseley; J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, G.A.Stevens, G.Ryan, P.Ward, R.Clarke, Lawrenson, O'Sullivan
 CFCF: Burridge; P.Hinshelwood, Sansom (55. Fenwick), P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, G.Francis, Flanagan, Swindlehurst, Hilaire
 Scorers: 1–0 Horton (5., pen.), 2–0 P.Ward (33.), 3–0 G.Ryan (59.)

Liverpool FC v Manchester United 2–0 (1–0)
 Wednesday, 26 December 1979, Anfield Road, attendance: 51,073
 LFC: Clemence; Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalgligh, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness
 MUFC: Bailey; J.Nicholl, Houston, McLroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, Jordan, Macari, M.Thomas (77. Grimes)
 Scorers: 1–0 Hansen (14.), 2–0 D.Johnson (85.)

Bolton Wanderers v Everton FC 1–1 (0–0)
 Wednesday, 26 December 1979, Burnden Park, attendance: 18,220
 BWFC: McDonagh; D.Clement, D.Burke, R.Greaves, Allardye, M.Walsh, W.Morgan, Whatmore (70. M.Carter), Gowling, Cantello, N.McNab
 EFC: Hodge; Gidman, J.Bailey, W.Wright, M.Lyons, O'Keefe, Hartford, Stanley, Varadi, Kidd, McBride
 Scorers: 0–1 McBride (79.), 1–1 M.Carter (89.)

Norwich City v Ipswich Town 3–3 (2–1)
 Wednesday, 26 December 1979, Carrow Road, attendance: 24,335
 NCF: Keelan; K.Bond, Downs, J.G.Ryan, R.Brown (Fashanu), D.Jones, Mendham, A.D.Taylor, K.Robson, Paddon, M.Peters
 Town: Cooper; Burley, Butcher, Thijssen, A.Hunter, Osman, Wark, Mühren, M.Mills, Gates, A.Brazil
 Scorers: 0–1 Gates (16.), Mendham (23.), 2–1 A.D.Taylor (43.), 2–2 Mühren (53.), 2–3 Wark (69.), 3–3 K.Robson (90.)

Manchester City v Stoke City 1–1 (1–1)
 Wednesday, 26 December 1979, Maine Road, attendance: 36,286
 MFC: Corrigan; Ranson, Donachie, D.Bennett, Caton, Booth, Henry, S.Daley, M.Robinson, Power, Shinton
 Stoke: Fox; R.Evans, P.Johnson II, M.Doyle, D.Smith, Dodd, A.Heath, S.Irvine, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, Randall
 Scorers: 0–1 Dodd (4.), 1–1 Power (16.)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Southampton FC 0–0
 Wednesday, 26 December 1979, Molineux, attendance: 22,808
 WWFC: Bradshaw; G.Palmer, Brazier, P.W.Daniel, M.Calle, G.Berry, K.Hibbitt, W.Carr, A.Gray, J.Richards, Eves
 SFC: Wells; Golac, Peach, S.Williams, D.Watson, C.Nicholl, Ball, Boyer, Channon, N.Holmes, Hebberd

Middlesbrough FC v Leeds United 3–1 (2–1)
 Wednesday, 26 December 1979, Ayresome Park, attendance: 26,655
 MFC: Platt; Craggs, P.Johnson, Hedley, Ashcroft, McAndrew, Cochrane, Proctor, D.Hodgson, Janković, D.Armstrong
 LUF: Lukic; Cherry, B.Stevenson, Hamson, Hart, B.Greenhoff (Entwistle), E.Gray, Hird, T.Connor, Curtis, C.Harris
 Scorers: 1–0 Janković (25.), 1–1 Entwistle (26.), 2–1 D.Armstrong (43), 3–1 Janković (46.)

Nottingham Forest v Aston Villa 2–1 (0–0)
 Wednesday, 26 December 1979, City Ground, attendance: 30,979
 NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, Bowyer, Bowles, Birtles, T.Francis, J.N.Robertson
 Villa: Spinik; Swain, C.Gibson, Ormsby, K.McNaught, D.Mortimer, D.Bremner, Little, Donovan, Cowans, G.Shaw
 Scorers: 1–0 J.N.Robertson (50., pen.), 2–0 Bowles (57.), 2–1 G.Shaw (64.)

Derby County v Coventry City 1–2 (1–0)
 Wednesday, 26 December 1979, Baseball Ground, attendance: 15,531, sent-off: Gooding
 Derby: McKellar; Langan, S.Buckley, G.Daly, D.Webb, K.Osgood, J.Clark, B.Powell, Whymark (46. Emery), Rg.Davies, Emson
 CFCF: Sealey, B.Roberts, R.McDonald, Gooding, Holton, Gillespie, Hutchison, I.Wallace, M.Ferguson, A.Blair, English
 Scorers: 1–0 J.Clark (20.), 1–1 R.McDonald (58.), 1–2 English (80.)

West Bromwich Albion v Bristol City 3–0 (0–0)
 Wednesday, 26 December 1979, The Hawthorns, attendance: 19,564
 WBA: Godden; Batson, Pendrey, Trewick, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, Deehan, C.Regis, G.Owen, P.Barnes
 BFCF: Shaw; G.Sweeney, C.Whitehead, Gow, Kenyon, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, Tainton, Royle, K.Mabbutt, J.Mann (86. Meijer)
 Scorers: 1–0 G.Owen (73.), 2–0 P.Barnes (78.), 3–0 P.Barnes (89.)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA	Top Scorers
01 Liverpool FC	21	13	06	02	32–10	47:14		01 Boyer (Southampton) 15 goals
02 Manchester United	22	12	06	04	30–14	33:16		02 D.Johnson (Liverpool) 12 "
03 Arsenal FC	22	08	10	04	26–18	27:16		Hoddle (Tottenham) 12 "
04 Southampton FC	22	10	04	08	24–20	34:28		04 M.Ferguson (Coventry) 10 "
05 Norwich City	22	08	08	06	24–20	35:31		Dalgligh (Liverpool) 10 "
06 Middlesbrough FC	21	09	05	07	23–19	22:18		Stapleton (Arsenal) 10 "
07 Aston Villa	21	07	09	05	23–19	24:21		07 Macari (Manchester Utd.) 9 "
08 Crystal Palace	21	07	09	05	23–19	24:22		Sunderland (Arsenal) 9 "
09 Wolverhampton Wanderers	21	09	05	07	23–19	26:28		T.McDermott (Liverpool) 9 "
10 Nottingham Forest	21	09	04	08	22–20	30:28		I.Wallace (Coventry) 9 "
11 Leeds United	22	07	08	07	22–22	25:28		Crooks (Stoke) 9 "
12 Coventry City	22	10	02	10	22–22	35:39		12 B.Robson (West Bromwich) 8 "
13 Manchester City	22	09	04	09	22–22	24:31		A.Gray (Wolverhampton) 8 "
14 Ipswich Town	22	09	03	10	21–23	28:30		Birtles (Nottingham) 8 "
15 Tottenham Hotspur	22	08	05	09	21–23	28:35		15 Duncan (Derby) 7 "
16 West Bromwich Albion	21	06	08	07	20–22	31:26		R.Kennedy (Liverpool) 7 "
17 Everton FC	22	05	09	08	19–25	27:29		Kidd (Everton) 7 "
18 Stoke City	22	06	07	09	19–25	26:33		A.King (Everton) 7 "
19 Brighton & Hove Albion	21	06	05	10	17–25	25:33		Swindlehurst (Crystal Palace) 7 "
20 Bristol City	22	05	07	10	17–27	17:28		Gates (Ipswich) 7 "
21 Derby County	22	06	03	13	15–29	21:33		P.Ward (Brighton & Hove) 7 "
22 Bolton Wanderers	22	01	09	12	11–33	16:38		

Week 23

Brighton & Hove Albion v Manchester City 4–1 (3–0)
 Saturday, 29 December 1979, Goldstone Ground, attendance: 28,093
 BHA: Moseley, J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton (76. Stille), S.Foster, G.A.Stevens, G.Ryan, P.Ward, R.Clarke, Lawrenson, O'Sullivan
 MFC: Corrigan; Ranson, Donachie, D.Bennett, Caton, Booth, Henry, S.Daley, Power, N.Reid, St.Lee
 Scorers: 1–0 R.Clarke (1.), 2–0 P.Ward (27.), 3–0 R.Clarke (35.), 3–1 St.Lee (75.), 4–1 G.Ryan (75.)

Bristol City v Aston Villa 1–3 (0–0)
 Saturday, 29 December 1979, Ashton Gate, attendance: 18,221
 BCFC: Shaw, G.Sweeney, C.Whitehead, Gow, Rodgers, G.Merrick, Pritchard, Tainton, K.Mabbutt, J.Mann, Garland
 Villa: Rimmer; Swain, C.Gibson, Ormsby, K.McNaught, D.Mortimer, D.Bremner, Little, Donovan, Cowans, G.Shaw
 Scorers: 0–1 G.Shaw (53.), 0–2 G.Shaw (56.), 1–2 Gow (75., pen.), 1–3 G.Shaw (88.)

Everton FC v Derby County 1–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 29 December 1979, Goodison Park, attendance: 22,559
 EFC: Hodge; Gidman, J.Bailey, W.Wright, M.Lyons, A.King, Hartford, Stanley, Latchford, Kidd, McBride
 Derby: McKellar; Langan, S.Buckley, G.Daly, D.Webb, K.Osgood, J.Clark, B.Powell, Duncan, Rg.Davies, Emson
 Scorers: 0–1 Rg.Davies (53.), 1–1 A.King (77.)

Leeds United v Norwich City 2–2 (2–1)
 Saturday, 29 December 1979, Elland Road, attendance: 23,493
 LUF: Lukic; Chery, B.Stevenson, Hamson, Hart, Madeley, E.Gray, Hird, T.Connor, Hankin, C.Harris
 NFC: Keelan; K.Bond, Downs, Mendham (82. Nightingale), R.Brown, D.Jones, J.G.Ryan, A.D.Taylor, Fashanu, Paddon, M.Peters
 Scorers: 0–1 Mendham (11.), 1–1 Hird (26.), 2–1 Hankin (44.), 2–2 A.D.Taylor (74.)

Tottenham Hotspur v Stoke City 1–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 29 December 1979, White Hart Lane, attendance: 28,810
 Spurs: Aleksic; Hughton, G.M.Smith, Yorath, D.McAllister, Perryman, Ardiles, C.Jones, T.Gibson (80. A.Galvin), Hoddle, J.Pratt
 Stoke: Fox, R.Evans, P.Johnson II, M.Doyle, D.Smith, Dodd, A.Heath, S.Irvine, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, Sheldon
 Scorer: 1–0 Pratt (42.)

Coventry City v Nottingham Forest 0–3 (0–0)
 Saturday, 29 December 1979, Highfield Road, attendance: 24,737
 CCFC: Sealey, B.Roberts, R.McDonald, Coop, Holton, Gillespie, Hutchison, English, M.Ferguson, A.Blair, S.Hunt (60. Whittton)
 NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, F.Cray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, T.Francis, Bowles, Birtles, Bowyer, J.N.Robertson
 Scorers: 0–1 J.N.Robertson (50., pen.), 0–2 J.N.Robertson (66.), 0–3 Bowles (68.)

Southampton FC v Bolton Wanderers 2–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 29 December 1979, The Dell, attendance: 21,605
 SFC: Wells; Golac, Peach, S.Williams, D.Watson, C.Nicholi, Ball, Boyer, Channon, N.Holmes, Hebberd
 BWF: McDonagh; D.Clement, P.Nicholson, R.Greaves, Allardyce, M.Walsh, Nowak, M.Carter, Gowling, Cantello, C.Thompson (63. D.Burke)
 Scorers: 1–0 Boyer (37.), 2–0 Peach (65., pen.)

West Bromwich Albion v Liverpool FC 0–2 (0–2)
 Saturday, 29 December 1979, The Hawthorns, attendance: 34,915
 WBA: Godden; Batson, Pendrey, Trewick, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, Deehan, C.Regis, G.Owen (78. A.Brown II), P.Barnes
 AFC: Clemence; Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalgligh, Case, D.Johnson (70. Heighway), T.McDermott, Souness
 Scorer: 0–1, 0–2 D.Johnson (23., 44.)

Crystal Palace v Middlesbrough FC 1–2 (0–1)
 Saturday, 29 December 1979, Selhurst Park, attendance: 24,880, sent-off: Cochrane (85.)
 CPFC: Burridge; P.Hinshelwood, Fenwick, Cannon, W.Gilbert, P.Nicholas, J.Murphy, G.Francis, Flanagan, Swindlehurst (46. I.Walsh), Hilaire
 AFC: Platt; Craggs, P.Johnson, Hedley, Ashcroft, McAndrew, Cochrane, Proctor, D.Hodgson, Jankovic, D.Armstrong (46. Ramage)
 Scorers: 0–1 Hedley (24.), 0–2 D.Hodgson (68.), 1–2 G.Francis (69., pen.)

Manchester United v Arsenal FC 3–0 (2–0)
 Saturday, 29 December 1979, Old Trafford, attendance: 54,295
 MUF: Bailey; J.Nicholl, Houston, McLroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, Jordan, Macari, M.Thomas
 AFC: Jennings; Devine, Rice, Talbot, O'Leary (75. Walford), W.Young, Brady, Sunderland, Stapleton, Hollins, Rix
 Scorers: 1–0 McQueen (7.), 2–0 Jordan (24.), 3–0 McLroy (72., pen.)

Ipswich Town v Wolverhampton Wanderers 1–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 29 December 1979, Portman Road, attendance: 22,333
 Town: Cooper; Burley, M.Mills, Thijssen, Osman, Butcher, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, Gates, A.Brazil
 WWFC: Bradshaw; G.Palmer (80. W.Clarke), Brazier, P.W.Daniel, McAlle, G.Berry, K.Hibbitt, W.Carr, A.Gray, J.Richards, Eves
 Scorer: 1–0 Butcher (55.)

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01 Liverpool FC	22	14	06	02	34–10	49:14		01 Boyer (Southampton)
02 Manchester United	23	13	06	04	32–14	36:16		02 D.Johnson (Liverpool)
03 Southampton FC	23	11	04	08	26–20	36:28		03 Hoddle (Tottenham)
04 Arsenal FC	23	08	10	05	26–20	27:19		04 M.Ferguson (Coventry)
05 Aston Villa	22	08	09	05	25–19	27:22		DalGLISH (Liverpool)
06 Middlesbrough FC	22	10	05	07	25–19	24:19		Stapleton (Arsenal)
07 Norwich City	23	08	09	06	25–21	37:33		07 Crooks (Stoke)
08 Nottingham Forest	22	10	04	08	24–20	33:28		T.McDermott (Liverpool)
09 Crystal Palace	22	07	09	06	23–21	25:24		Macari (Manchester Utd.)
10 Ipswich Town	23	10	03	10	23–23	29:30		Sunderland (Arsenal)
11 Leeds United	23	07	09	07	23–23	27:30		I.Wallace (Coventry)
12 Wolverhampton Wanderers	22	09	05	08	23–21	26:29		12 A.King (Everton)
13 Tottenham Hotspur	23	09	05	09	23–23	29:35		P.Ward (Brighton & Hove)
14 Coventry City	23	10	02	11	22–24	35:42		B.Robson (West Bromwich)
15 Manchester City	23	09	04	10	22–24	25:35		A.Gray (Wolverhampton)
16 West Bromwich Albion	22	06	08	08	20–24	31:28		Birtles (Nottingham)
17 Everton FC	23	05	10	08	20–26	28:30		17 Duncan (Derby)
18 Brighton & Hove Albion	22	07	05	10	19–25	29:34		McQueen (Manchester Utd.)
19 Stoke City	23	06	07	10	19–27	26:34		G.Shaw (Aston Villa)
20 Bristol City	23	05	07	11	17–29	18:31		Swindlehurst (Crystal Palace)
21 Derby County	23	06	04	13	16–30	22:34		Kidd (Everton)
22 Bolton Wanderers	23	01	09	13	11–35	16:40		R.Kennedy (Liverpool)
								Gates (Ipswich)
								J.N.Robertson (Nottingham)

Week 24

Southampton FC v Arsenal FC 0–1 (0–1)
 Tuesday, 1 January 1980, The Dell, attendance: 22,473
 SFC: Wells; Golac, G.E.Baker, S.Williams, D.Watson, C.Nicholl, Ball, Boyer, Channon, N.Holmes, Hebberd
 AFC: Jennings; Rice, Devine, Talbot, Walford, W.Young, Gating, Sunderland, Stapleton, Hollins, Rix
 Scorer: 0–1 W.Young (40.)

Leeds United v Derby County 1–0 (0–0)
 Tuesday, 1 January 1980, Elland Road, attendance: 24,271
 LUF: Lukic; Chery, B.Stevenson, Hamson, Hart, Madeley, E.Gray, Hird, T.Connor, Hankin, C.Harris
 Derby: McKellar; Langan, S.Buckley, G.Daly, D.Webb (46. S.Powell), K.Osgood, J.Clark, B.Powell, Greenwood, Rg.Davies, Emson
 Scorer: 1–0 Hird (78.)

Crystal Palace v Norwich City 0–0
 Tuesday, 1 January 1980, Selhurst Park, attendance: 30,254
 CPFC: Burridge; P.Hinshelwood, Fenwick, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy (67. Kember), G.Francis, Flanagan, I.Walsh, Hilaire
 NFC: Keelan; K.Bond, Downs, J.G.Ryan, R.Brown, A.Powell, A.D.Taylor (47. Nightingale), Mendham, Fashanu, Paddon, M.Peters

Ipswich Town v West Bromwich Albion 4–0 (2–0)
 Tuesday, 1 January 1980, Portman Road, attendance: 22,477
 Town: Cooper; Burley, M.Mills, Thijssen, Osman, Butcher, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, Gates, A.Brazil
 BHA: Moseley; J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, G.A.Stevens, G.Ryan, P.Ward, R.Clarke, Lawrenson, O'Sullivan
 Scorers: 1–0 Mariner (7.), 2–0 Wark (9., pen.), 3–0 Osman (59.), 4–0 Thijssen (67.)

Bristol City v Brighton & Hove Albion 2–2 (1–0)
 Tuesday, 1 January 1980, Ashton Gate, attendance: 19,259
 BCFC: Shaw; Tainton, C.Whitehead, Gow, Rodgers, G.Merrick, Pritchard, A.Fitzpatrick, K.Mabbutt, J.Mann, Garland
 BHA: Moseley; J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, G.A.Stevens, G.Ryan, P.Ward, R.Clarke, Lawrenson, O'Sullivan
 Scorers: 1–0 Gow (23., pen.), 1–1 R.Clarke (54.), 2–1 Gow (70., pen.), 2–2 Rodgers (74., o.g.)

Everton FC v Nottingham Forest 1–0 (1–0)
 Tuesday, 1 January 1980, Goodison Park, attendance: 34,616
 EFC: Hodge; Gidman, J.Bailey, W.Wright, M.Lyons, A.King, Hartford, Stanley, Latchford, Kidd, McBride
 NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, T.Francis, Bowles, Birtles, T.Francis, J.N.Robertson
 Scorer: 1–0 Kidd (24.)

Coventry City v Middlesbrough FC 2–0 (2–0)
 Tuesday, 1 January 1980, Highfield Road, attendance: 17,096
 CCFC: Sealey, B.Roberts, R.McDonald, Gooding, Holton, Gillespie, Nardiello, English, M.Ferguson, A.Blair, Hutchison
 MFC: Platt; Craggs, P.Johnson, Hedley, Ashcroft, McAndrew, Woolf (80. Ramage), Proctor, D.Hodgson, Jankovic, D.Armstrong
 Scorers: 1–0 A.Blair (12.), 2–0 Gillespie (35.)

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01 Liverpool FC	22	14	06	02	34–10	49:14		01 Boyer (Southampton)
02 Manchester United	23	13	06	04	32–14	36:16		02 D.Johnson (Liverpool)
03 Arsenal FC	24	09	10	05	28–20	28:19		03 Hoddle (Tottenham)
04 Southampton FC	24	11	04	09	26–22	36:29		04 M.Ferguson (Coventry)
05 Norwich City	24	08	10	06	26–22	37:33		DalGLISH (Liverpool)
06 Aston Villa	22	08	09	05	25–19	27:22		Stapleton (Arsenal)
07 Ipswich Town	24	11	03	10	25–23	33:30		07 Sunderland (Arsenal)
08 Middlesbrough FC	23	10	05	08	25–21	24:21		T.McDermott (Liverpool)
09 Leeds United	24	08	09	07	25–23	28:30		Macari (Manchester Utd.)
10 Nottingham Forest	23	10	04	09	24–22	33:29		Crooks (Stoke)
11 Crystal Palace	23	07	10	06	24–22	25:24		I.Wallace (Coventry)
12 Coventry City	24	11	02	11	24–24	37:42		12 A.King (Everton)
13 Wolverhampton Wanderers	22	09	05	08	23–21	26:29		Kidd (Everton)
14 Tottenham Hotspur	23	09	05	09	23–23	29:35		P.Ward (Brighton & Hove)
15 Everton FC	24	06	10	08	22–26	29:30		Birtles (Nottingham)
16 Manchester City	23	09	04	10	22–24	25:35		A.Gray (Wolverhampton)
17 West Bromwich Albion	23	06	08	09	20–26	31:32		B.Robson (West Bromwich)
18 Brighton & Hove Albion	23	07	06	10	20–26	31:36		18 Duncan (Derby)
19 Stoke City	23	06	07	10	19–27	26:34		G.Shaw (Aston Villa)
20 Bristol City	24	05	08	11	18–30	20:33		Swindlehurst (Crystal Palace)
21 Derby County	24	06	04	14	16–32	22:35		Gates (Ipswich)
22 Bolton Wanderers	23	01	09	13	11–35	16:40		R.Kennedy (Liverpool)
								McQueen (Manchester Utd.)
								J.N.Robertson (Nottingham)

Week 27

West Bromwich Albion v Tottenham Hotspur 2–1 (1–0)

Saturday, 9 February 1980, The Hawthorns, attendance: 26,320

WBA: Godden; Batson, Pendrey, Moses, Wile, M.Bennett, B.Robson, A.Brown II, C.Regis, G.Owen, P.Barnes
 Spurs: Daines; Hughton, P.Miller, Yorath, D.McAllister, Naylor, Ardiles, C.Jones, G.J.Armstrong, Hoddle, Villa
 Scorers: 1–0 C.Regis (10.), 1–1 Hoddle (54.), 2–1 C.Regis (65.)

Everton FC v Ipswich Town 0–4 (0–1)

Saturday, 9 February 1980, Goodison Park, attendance: 31,218

EF: Hodge; Gidman, J.Bailey, W.Wright, M.Lyons, O'Keefe, Megson, Eastoe, Latchford, Hartford, McBride
 Town: Cooper; Burley, Beattie, Thijssen, Osman, Butcher, Wark (77. K.O'Callaghan), Mühren, Mariner, Gates, A.Brazil
 Scorers: 0–1 Mariner (4.), 0–2 A.Brazil (56.), 0–3 Gates (62.), 0–3 A.Brazil (75.)

Norwich City v Liverpool FC 3–5 (2–2)

Saturday, 9 February 1980, Carrow Road, attendance: 25,624

NCFC: Keelan; K.Bond, Downs, J.G.Ryan, R.Brown, D.Jones, Mendham (55. McGuire), K.Reeves, Fashanu, Paddon, M.Peters
 LFC: Clemence; Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalglish, Case, D.Fairclough, T.McDermott, S.Lee
 Scorers: 1–0 M.Peters (1.), 1–1 D.Fairclough (4.), 1–2 D.Fairclough (18.), 2–2 K.Reeves (32.), 2–3 D.Fairclough (75.), 3–3 Fashanu (80.), 3–4 Dalglish (88.), 3–5 Case (89.)

Leeds United v Bolton Wanderers 2–2 (1–1)

Saturday, 9 February 1980, Elland Road, attendance: 16,428

LUF: Lukic; Cherry, Hampton, B.Flynn, B.Greenhoff, Madeley, Hankin, Hird, T.Connor, Hamson, A.Graham
 BWFC: McDonagh; D.Clement, M.Walsh, R.Greaves, Allardyce, Gowling (D.Burke), W.Morgan, Whatmore, M.Carter, Cantello, P.Reid
 Scorers: 0–1 Whatmore (1.), 1–1 Hird (3., pen.), 2–1 A.Graham (46.), 2–2 R.Greaves (48.)

Middlesbrough FC v Derby County 3–0 (2–0)

Saturday, 9 February 1980, Ayresome Park, attendance: 15,587, sent-off: McFarland

MFC: Platt; Craggs, P.Johnson, Hedley, Ashcroft, McAndrew, Cochrane, Proctor, D.Hodgson, M.Burns (85. Natrass), D.Armstrong
 Derby: McKellar; Langan, S.Buckley, K.Osgood, McFarland, D.Webb, McCaffrey, G.Daly, Bileg, Rg.Davies, B.Powell (60. Emson)
 Scorers: 1–0 M.Burns (24.), 2–0 Ashcroft (26.), 3–0 D.Armstrong (79.)

Manchester City v Coventry City 0–0

Saturday, 9 February 1980, Maine Road, attendance: 17,114

MCFC: Corrigan; Ranson, Donachie, Henry, Caton, Booth, S.MacKenzie, S.Daley, M.Robinson, Power, D.Bennett
 CCFC: Blyth; Coop, R.McDonald, Gooding, P.Dyson, Gillespie, English, I.Wallace (70. Bannister), G.Thompson, A.Blair, Hutchison

Nottingham Forest v Bristol City 0–0

Saturday, 9 February 1980, City Ground, attendance: 23,421

NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, Gunn, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, M.O'Neill, Bowles, Birtles, George, J.N.Robertson
 BCFC: Cashley; G.Sweeney, C.Whitehead, Tainton, Rodgers, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatric, T.Ritchie, Royle, Pritchard, I.Doyle

Manchester United v Wolverhampton Wanderers 0–1 (0–1)

Saturday, 9 February 1980, Old Trafford, attendance: 51,568

MUFC: Bailey; J.Nicholl, Houston, Mcllroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins (63. Grimes), Jordan, Macari, M.Thomas
 WWC: Bradshaw; G.Palmer, D.Parkin, McAlle, G.Berry, P.W.Daniel, K.Hibbit (80. Brazier), W.Carr, A.Gray, J.Richards, Eves
 Scorer: 0–1 Eves (23.)

Crystal Palace v Stoke City 0–1 (0–0)

Saturday, 9 February 1980, Selhurst Park, attendance: 21,181

CPFC: Burridge; P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, Kember, Fenwick (J.Murphy), Swindlehurst, Flanagan, Hilaire
 Stoke: Fox; R.Evans, P.Johnson II, M.Doyle, D.Smith, Dodd, A.Heath, P.Richardson, L.R.Chapman, Crooks, S.Irvine
 Scorers: 0–1 L.R.Chapman (67.)

Southampton FC v Brighton & Hove Albion 5–1 (2–0)

Saturday, 9 February 1980, The Dell, attendance: 21,853

SFC: Wells; Golac, M.Waldron, G.E.Baker, D.Watson, C.Nicholl, Ball, Boyer, Channon, N.Holmes, Hebbard
 BHA: Moseley; J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, Suddaby, G.Ryan, P.Ward, R.Clarke (58. N.McNab), Lawrenson, O'Sullivan
 Scorers: 1–0 D.Watson (8.), 2–0 Channon (20.), 3–0 Boyer (64.), 3–1 P.Ward (73.), 4–1 N.Holmes (77.), 5–1 Hebbard (80.)

Arsenal FC v Aston Villa 3–1 (1–0)

Saturday, 9 February 1980, Highbury, attendance: 33,816

AFC: Jennings; Rice, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady, Sunderland, Stapleton, D.Price, Rix
 Villa: Rimmer; Swain, C.Gibson, A.Evans, K.McNaught, D.Mortimer, D.Bremner, Little, Donovan, Cowans, G.Shaw (64. Geddis)
 Scorers: 1–0 Sunderland (26.), 2–0 Rix (48.), 3–0 Sunderland (65.), 3–1 D.Mortimer (68.)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA	Top Scorers
01 Liverpool FC	25	15	07	03	37–13	55	19	18 goals
02 Manchester United	26	14	07	05	35–17	40	19	02 Hoddle (Tottenham)
03 Southampton FC	28	13	06	09	32–24	46	32	D.Johnson (Liverpool)
04 Arsenal FC	27	11	10	06	32–22	33	21	04 Sunderland (Arsenal)
05 Ipswich Town	28	14	04	10	32–24	42	31	P.Ward (Brighton & Hove)
06 Nottingham Forest	26	12	05	09	29–23	38	31	Dalglish (Liverpool)
07 Aston Villa	25	10	09	06	29–21	32	26	07 T.McDermott (Liverpool)
08 Crystal Palace	28	09	11	08	29–27	30	30	M.Ferguson (Coventry)
09 Middlesbrough FC	25	11	06	08	28–22	28	22	Stapleton (Arsenal)
10 Norwich City	26	09	10	07	28–24	41	38	11 Crooks (Stoke)
11 Wolverhampton Wanderers	26	11	06	09	28–24	30	30	A.Gray (Wolverhampton)
12 Leeds United	27	09	10	08	28–26	32	34	Macari (Manchester Utd.)
13 Coventry City	27	12	03	12	27–27	38	43	Mariner (Ipswich)
14 Tottenham Hotspur	27	10	07	10	27–27	33	38	I.Wallace (Coventry)
15 West Bromwich Albion	27	08	09	10	25–29	39	39	Gates (Ipswich)
16 Manchester City	27	09	06	12	24–30	28	43	Birtles (Nottingham)
17 Everton FC	27	06	11	10	23–31	30	36	17 B.Robson (West Bromwich)
18 Stoke City	26	08	07	11	23–29	28	35	Kidd (Everton)
19 Brighton & Hove Albion	27	08	07	12	23–31	35	44	Channon (Man. C./Southampton)
20 Bristol City	28	05	09	14	19–37	20	40	A.Brazil (Ipswich)
21 Derby County	28	06	04	18	16–40	24	45	A.King (Everton)
22 Bolton Wanderers	25	01	10	14	12–38	18	44	22 Duncan (Derby)

Week 28

Nottingham Forest v Middlesbrough FC 2–2 (0–0)

Saturday, 16 February 1980, City Ground, attendance: 28,889

NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, M.O'Neill, Bowles (10. Bowyer), Birtles, T.Francis, J.N.Robertson
 MFC: Platt; Craggs, P.Johnson, Hedley, Ashcroft, McAndrew, Cochrane, Proctor, D.Hodgson, M.Burns, D.Armstrong
 Scorers: 0–1 M.Burns (61.), 1–1 J.N.Robertson (62., pen.), 1–2 M.Burns (63.), 2–2 M.O'Neill (72.)

Brighton & Hove Albion v West Bromwich Albion 0–0

Saturday, 16 February 1980, Goldstone Ground, attendance: 22,633

BHA: Moseley; J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, Suddaby, N.McNab, P.Ward, R.Clarke, Lawrenson, O'Sullivan
 WBA: Godden; Batson (D.Mills), Pendrey, Moses, Wile, M.Bennett, B.Robson, Deehan, C.Regis, A.Brown II, P.Barnes

Stoke City v Manchester United 1–1 (0–0)

Saturday, 16 February 1980, Victoria Ground, attendance: 28,068

Stoke: Fox; R.Evans, Dodd, P.Richardson, D.Smith, M.Doyle (B.O'Callaghan), A.Heath, S.Irvine, J.Cook, Crooks, L.R.Chapman
 MUFC: Bailey; J.Nicholl, Houston, Mcllroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, Jordan, Macari (A.Ritchie), Grimes
 Scorers: 1–0 S.Irvine (48.), 1–1 Coppell (84.)

Bristol City v Everton FC 2–1 (0–1)

Saturday, 16 February 1980, Ashton Gate, attendance: 15,119

BCFC: Cashley; G.Sweeney, C.Whitehead, Gow, Rodgers, G.Merrick, Pritchard, A.Fitzpatrick, Royle, T.Ritchie, Tainton
 LFC: Lukic; Golan, J.Bailey, W.Wright, M.Lyons, T.Ross, Megson, Eastoe, Hartford, Kidd, McBride
 Scorers: 1–0 T.Ritchie (37.), 1–1 T.Ross (44.), 2–1 Rodgers (67.)

Derby County v Southampton FC 2–2 (1–0)

Saturday, 16 February 1980, Baseball Ground, attendance: 16,534

Derby: Cherry; Langan, S.Buckley, S.Powell (J.Clark), D.Webb, McCaffrey, Emery, B.Powell, Biley, Rg.Davies, Emson
 SFC: Wells; Golac, M.Waldron, G.E.Baker, D.Watson, C.Nicholl, Ball, Boyer, Channon, N.Holmes, George
 Scorers: 1–0 Rg.Davies (16.), 1–1 D.Watson (60.), 2–1 B.Powell (61.), 2–2 G.E.Baker (66.)

Manchester City v Leeds United 1–1 (0–1)

Saturday, 16 February 1980, Maine Road, attendance: 34,392

MCFC: Corrigan; Ranson, Donachie, Henry, Caton, Booth, S.MacKenzie, S.Daley (61. N.Reid), R.Palmer, Power, D.Bennett
 LUF: Lukic; Cherry, Hampton, B.Flynn, B.Greenhoff, Madeley, E.Gray, Hird, T.Connor, Firm, A.Graham
 Scorers: 0–1 A.Graham (10.), 1–1 Power (61.)

Liverpool FC v Nottingham Forest 2–0 (0–0)

Tuesday, 19 February 1980, Anfield Road, attendance: 45,093

LFC: Clemence; Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalglish, Case, D.Fairclough, T.McDermott, Souness
 NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, M.O'Neill, Bowyer, Birtles, T.Francis, J.N.Robertson
 Scorers: 1–0 T.McDermott (78.), 2–0 R.Kennedy (83.)

Ipswich Town v Crystal Palace 3–0 (2–0)

Tuesday, 19 February 1980, Portman Road, attendance: 23,012

Town: Cooper; Burley, M.Mills, Thijssen, Osman, Butcher, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, Gates, A.Brazil
 CPFC: Burridge; P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, G.Francis, I.Walsh, Flanagan, Hilaire
 Scorers: 1–0 Gates (25.), 2–0 Wark (34.), 3–0 A.Brazil (62.)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA	Top Scorers
01 Liverpool FC	26	16	07	03	39–13	57	19	01 Boyer (Southampton)
02 Manchester United	27	14	08	05	36–18	41	20	02 D.Johnson (Liverpool)
03 Ipswich Town	29	15	04	10	34–24	45	31	Hoddle (Tottenham)
04 Southampton FC	29	13	07	09	33–25	48	34	04 Sunderland (Arsenal)
05 Arsenal FC	27	11	10	06	32–22	33	21	Dalglish (Liverpool)
06 Nottingham Forest	28	12	06	10	30–26	40	35	P.Ward (Brighton & Hove)
07 Aston Villa	25	10	09	06	29–21	32	26	T.McDermott (Liverpool)
08 Middlesbrough FC	26	11	07	08	29–23	30	24	08 Gates (Ipswich)
09 Leeds United	28	09	11	08	29–27	33	35	M.Ferguson (Coventry)
10 Crystal Palace	29	09	11	09	29–29	30	33	Stapleton (Arsenal)
11 Norwich City	26	10	07	09	28–24	41	38	11 A.Gray (Wolverhampton)
12 Wolverhampton Wanderers	26	11	06	09	28–24	30	30	Mariner (Ipswich)
13 Coventry City	27	12	03	12	27–27	38	43	I.Wallace (Coventry)
14 Tottenham Hotspur	27	10	07	10	27–27	33	38	Macari (Manchester Utd.)
15 West Bromwich Albion	28	08	10	10	26–30	39	39	Crooks (Stoke)
16 Manchester City	28	09	07	12	25–31	29	44	A.Brazil (Ipswich)
17 Stoke City	27	08	08	11	24–30	29	36	Birtles (Nottingham)
18 Brighton & Hove Albion	28	08	08	12	24–32	35	44	18 B.Robson (West Bromwich)
19 Everton FC	28	06	11	11	23–33	31	38	Wark (Ipswich)
20 Bristol City	29	06	09	14	21–37	22	41	Kidd (Everton)
21 Derby County	29	06	05	18	17–41	26	47	A.King (Everton)
22 Bolton Wanderers	25	01	10	14	12–38	18	44	R.Kennedy (Liverpool)

Week 33

Liverpool FC v Brighton & Hove Albion 1–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 22 March 1980, Anfield Road, attendance: 42,747
 LFC: Clemence, Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalglish, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott (68. D.Fairclough), Souness
 BHA: Moseley, J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster (74. G.A.Stevens), G.Ryan, N.McNab, P.Ward, R.Clarke, Lawrenson, O'Sullivan
 Scorer: Hansen (69.)

Norwich City v West Bromwich Albion 1–1 (0–1)
 Saturday, 22 March 1980, Carrow Road, attendance: 14,811
 NCF: Hansbury, K.Bond, Nightingale, A.D.Taylor, D.Jones, A.Powell (Mendham), C.Woods, Fashanu, K.Robson, Paddon, M.Peters
 WBA: Godden: Batson, Cowdrill, Moses, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, A.Brown II, Deehan, G.Owen, P.Barnes
 Scorers: 0–1 K.Bond (45., o.g.), 1–1 K.Bond (65., pen.)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Stoke City 3–0 (2–0)
 Saturday, 22 March 1980, Molineux, attendance: 27,968
 WWFC: Bradshaw, G.Palmer, D.Parkin, H.Atkinson, E.Hughes, G.Berry, Brazier, W.Carr, A.Gray, J.Richards, Eves
 Stoke: Fox; R.Evans, P.Johnson II, A.Heath, D.Smith, Dodd, B.O'Callaghan, P.Richardson, L.R.Chapman, Crooks, J.Cook (53. Bracewell)
 Scorers: 1–0 A.Gray (14.), 2–0 Eves (28.), 3–0 J.Richards (47.)

Middlesbrough FC v Everton FC 2–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 22 March 1980, Ayresome Park, attendance: 17,587
 MFC: Platt; Craggs, P.Johnson, C.Johnston, Ramage, McAndrew, Cochrane, Proctor, Ashcroft, D.Hodgson, D.Armstrong
 EFC: Hodge; Gidman, J.Bailey, W.Wright, M.Lyons, Eastoe, Megson, A.King, Latchford, Hartford, McBride
 Scorers: 1–0 D.Hodgson (52.), 1–1 Hartford (65.), 2–1 McAndrew (79.)

Nottingham Forest v Southampton FC 2–0 (2–0)
 Saturday, 22 March 1980, City Ground, attendance: 27,625
 NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, M.O'Neill, Bowles, Birtles, T.Francis, J.N.Robertson
 SFC: Wells; Andruszewski, M.Waldron (70. A.Hayes), G.E.Baker, D.Watson, C.Nicholl, Heberder, Boyer, Channon, N.Holmes, George
 Scorers: 1–0 J.N.Robertson (36., pen.), 2–0 Birtles (44.)

Bolton Wanderers v Tottenham Hotspur 2–1 (1–0)
 Saturday, 22 March 1980, Burnden Park, attendance: 14,474
 BWFC: McDonagh; D.Clement, P.Nicholson, Cantello, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, Nowak, Whatmore, M.Carter, P.Wilson, P.Reid
 Spurs: Daines; Naylor, Hughton, P.Miller, D.McAllister, Perryman, Ardiles, C.Jones, G.J.Armstrong, Hoddle, P.Taylor
 Scorers: 1–0 M.Carter (26.), 2–0 Whatmore (65.), 2–1 C.Jones (69.)

Leeds United v Coventry City 0–0
 Saturday, 22 March 1980, Elland Road, attendance: 14,967
 LFC: Lukic; Hird, K.Parkinson, J.Chandler, Hart, Madeley, Hamson, Cherry, T.Connor, Parlane, A.Graham
 CCFC: Blyth; Coop, R.McDonald, N.Phillips, P.Dyson, Gillespie, Bannister (85. B.Roberts), English, G.Thompson, S.Hunt, Hutchison

Arsenal FC v Crystal Palace 1–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 22 March 1980, Highbury, attendance: 37,606
 AFC: Jennings; Devine, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady, Sunderland, Stapleton (Gatting), D.Price, Rix
 CPFC: Fry; P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, G.Francis, I.Walsh, Flanagan, Hilaire
 Scorers: 1–0 Brady (41.), 1–1 Sansom (74.)

Manchester United v Manchester City 1–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 22 March 1980, Old Trafford, attendance: 56,384
 MUFC: Bailey; J.Nicholl, Albiston, McIlroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, Jordan, Macari, M.Thomas (72. Grimes)
 MCFC: Corrigan; Ranson, N.Reid, Booth, Caton, Power, Henry, S.Daley, K.Reeves, Tueart, D.Bennett (68. R.Palmer)
 Scorers: 1–0 M.Thomas (47.)

Aston Villa v Ipswich Town 1–1 (0–1)
 Saturday, 22 March 1980, Villa Park, attendance: 22,386
 Villa: Rimmer; Linton, C.Gibson, Ormsby, K.McNaught, Bullivant, D.Bremner, Swain, A.Evans, Cowans, A.Morley
 Town: Cooper; Burley, M.Mills, Thijssen, A.Hunter, Osman, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, Gates, A.Brazil
 Scorers: 0–1 Wark (15.), 1–1 A.Morley (73.)

Derby County v Bristol City 3–3 (1–2)
 Saturday, 22 March 1980, Baseball Ground, attendance: 17,020
 Derby: McKellar; Langan, S.Buckley, S.Powell, McFarland, K.Osgood, Emery (82. McCaffrey), B.Powell, Biley, Swindlehurst, Emson
 BCFC: Cashley; G.Sweeney, C.Whitehead, J.Mann, Gillies, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, Royle, K.Mabbutt, Tainton
 Scorers: 0–1 T.Ritchie (20.), 0–2 T.Ritchie (27., pen.), 1–2 Biley (45.), 2–2 Biley (49.), 3–2 Biley (59., pen.)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA
01 Liverpool FC	33	21	08	04	50–16	69:23	
02 Manchester United	33	17	10	06	44–22	48:26	
03 Ipswich Town	34	17	07	10	41–27	55:34	
04 Arsenal FC	32	14	12	06	40–24	42:24	
05 Middlesbrough FC	33	14	10	09	38–28	38:29	
06 Nottingham Forest	32	15	06	11	36–28	50:36	
07 Southampton FC	34	14	08	12	36–32	51:42	
08 Wolverhampton Wanderers	31	15	06	10	36–26	41:33	
09 Aston Villa	33	12	12	09	36–30	40:38	
10 Crystal Palace	34	11	14	09	36–32	37:36	
11 Leeds United	34	10	13	11	33–35	37:42	
12 West Bromwich Albion	34	09	14	11	32–36	48:47	
13 Norwich City	33	09	14	10	32–34	45:48	
14 Coventry City	33	13	06	14	32–34	46:51	
15 Tottenham Hotspur	33	12	08	13	32–34	41:50	
16 Brighton & Hove Albion	34	08	13	13	29–39	40:50	
17 Stoke City	33	10	09	14	29–37	38:48	
18 Everton FC	34	07	14	13	28–40	37:44	
19 Manchester City	34	09	09	16	27–41	31:56	
20 Derby County	34	08	07	19	23–45	35:55	
21 Bristol City	34	06	11	17	23–45	26:53	
22 Bolton Wanderers	33	04	11	18	19–47	28:58	

Top Scorers	Goals
01 Boyer (Southampton)	18 goals
Hoddle (Tottenham)	18 "
03 D.Johnson (Liverpool)	17 "
04 Mariner (Ipswich)	14 "
05 Dalglish (Liverpool)	13 "
06 Sunderland (Arsenal)	12 "
P.Ward (Brighton & Hove)	12 "
Stapleton (Arsenal)	12 "
09 T.McDermott (Liverpool)	11 "
Whatmore (Bolton)	11 "
Crooks (Stoke)	11 "
A.Brazil (Ipswich)	11 "
P.Barnes (West Bromwich)	11 "
Gates (Ipswich)	11 "
T.Francis (Nottingham)	11 "
16 M.Ferguson (Coventry)	10 "
A.Gray (Wolverhampton)	10 "
Birtles (Nottingham)	10 "
19 Macari (Manchester Utd.)	9 "
I.Wallace (Coventry)	9 "
G.Shaw (Aston Villa)	9 "
Channon (Man. C./Southampton)	9 "
R.Kennedy (Liverpool)	9 "
Wark (Ipswich)	9 "
B.Robson (West Bromwich)	9 "
J.N.Robertson (Nottingham)	9 "

Week 34

Aston Villa v Norwich City 2–0 (0–0)
 Wednesday, 26 March 1980, Villa Park, attendance: 17,956
 Villa: Rimmer; Linton (92. R.Hopkins), C.Gibson, Ormsby, K.McNaught, Heard, D.Bremner, Swain, A.Evans, Cowans, A.Morley
 NCF: Hansbury; K.Bond, Downs, Nightingale (Paddon), D.Jones, Hoadley, C.Woods, Fashanu, A.D.Taylor, K.Robson, M.Peters
 Scorers: 1–0 Cowans (71., pen.), 2–0 R.Hopkins (83.)

Everton FC v Arsenal FC 0–1 (0–0)
 Friday, 28 March 1980, Goodison Park, attendance: 28,185
 EFC: Hodge; Gidman, J.Bailey, W.Wright, M.Lyons, Eastoe, Megson (75. T.Ross), A.King, Latchford, Hartford, McBride
 AFC: P.Barron; Rice, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Gatting, Sunderland, Vaessen, D.Price, Rix
 Scorers: 0–1 Gatting (62.)

Coventry City v Wolverhampton Wanderers 1–3 (0–2)
 Saturday, 29 March 1980, Highfield Road, attendance: 19,507
 CCFC: Blyth; Coop, R.McDonald, Hutchison, P.Dyson, Gillespie, van Gool, English, G.Thompson, S.Hunt, Bannister (60. A.Blair)
 WWFC: Bradshaw; G.Palmer, D.Parkin, H.Atkinson, E.Hughes, G.Berry, Brazier, W.Carr, A.Gray, J.Richards, Eves
 Scorers: 0–1 H.Atkinson (12.), 0–2 J.Richards (27.), 1–2 English (55.), 1–3 J.Richards (72.)

Tottenham Hotspur v Liverpool FC 2–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 29 March 1980, White Hart Lane, attendance: 32,114
 Spurs: Daines; Naylor, Hughton, Yorath, D.McAllister, Perryman, Ardiles, C.Jones, J.Pratt, Hoddle, P.Taylor (86. G.J.Armstrong)
 LFC: Clemence; Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalglish, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness
 Scorers: 1–0 Hoddle (36., pen.), 2–0 J.Pratt (65.)

West Bromwich Albion v Leeds United 2–1 (2–1)
 Saturday, 29 March 1980, The Hawthorns, attendance: 18,898
 WBA: Godden; Batson, Cowdrill, Moses, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson (35. Monaghan), Deehan, C.Regis, G.Owen, P.Barnes
 LFC: Lukic; Hird, K.Parkinson (60. B.Greenhoff), B.Flynn, Hart, Madeley, Cherry, E.Gray, J.Chandler, Parlane, A.Graham
 Scorers: 1–0 P.Barnes (21., pen.), 1–1 J.Chandler (22.), 2–1 Deehan (35.)

Crystal Palace v Manchester United 0–2 (0–1)
 Saturday, 29 March 1980, Selhurst Park, attendance: 33,003
 CPFC: Fry; P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, Fenwick, G.Francis, I.Walsh, Flanagan, Hilaire
 MUFC: Bailey; J.Nicholl, Albiston, McIlroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, Jordan, Macari, M.Thomas
 Scorers: 0–1 Jordan (30.), 0–2 M.Thomas (81.)

Ipswich Town v Derby County 1–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 29 March 1980, Portman Road, attendance: 19,718
 Town: Cooper; Burley, M.Mills, R.Osborne (63. K.O.Callaghan), Osman, Beattie, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, Gates, A.Brazil
 Derby: McKellar; Langan, S.Buckley, S.Powell, McFarland, K.Osgood, G.Daly, B.Powell, Biley, Swindlehurst, Emson (70. McCaffrey)
 Scorers: 0–1 Swindlehurst (60.), 1–1 Gates (84.)

Stoke City v Aston Villa 2–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 29 March 1980, Victoria Ground, attendance: 16,234
 Stoke: Fox; R.Evans, P.Johnson II, A.Heath (15. Bracewell), M.Doyle, Dodd, B.O'Callaghan, P.Richardson, L.R.Chapman, Crooks, J.Cook
 Villa: Rimmer; Linton, C.Gibson, Ormsby, K.McNaught, Heard, D.Bremner, Swain, A.Evans, Cowans, A.Morley (66. R.Hopkins)
 Scorers: 1–0 R.Evans (20., pen.), 2–0 L.R.Chapman (63.)

Manchester City v Bolton Wanderers 2–2 (1–0)
 Saturday, 29 March 1980, Maine Road, attendance: 33,500
 MCFC: Corrigan; Ranson, N.Reid, Booth, Caton, Power, Henry, S.Daley, K.Reeves, Tueart, R.Palmer
 MFC: McDonagh; D.Clement, P.Nicholson, Cantello, P.B.Jones (69. M.Bennett II), M.Walsh, Nowak, Whatmore, M.Carter, P.Wilson, P.Reid
 Scorers: 1–0 Tueart (9.), 2–0 Tueart (47.), 2–1 Whatmore (48.), 2–2 P.Reid (89., pen.)

Brighton & Hove Albion v Nottingham Forest 1–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 29 March 1980, Goldstone Ground, attendance: 25,128
 BHA: Moseley; J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, G.Ryan (71. G.A.Stevens), N.McNab, P.Ward, R.Clarke, Lawrenson, O'Sullivan
 NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, M.O'Neill, Bowles, Birtles, T.Francis, J.N.Robertson
 Scorer: 1–0 G.P.Williams (87.) *[other source has Ryan subbed out in minute 81]*

Southampton FC v Norwich City 2–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 29 March 1980, The Dell, attendance: 18,921
 SFC: Katalinic; Golac, Andruszewski, G.E.Baker, D.Watson, C.Nicholl, S.Williams, Boyer, Channon, N.Holmes, George
 NCF: Hansbury; K.Bond, Downs, McGuire, Mendham, D.Jones, C.Woods, K.Robson, A.D.Taylor, Paddon, M.Peters
 Scorers: 1–0 C.Nicholl (72.), 2–0 G.E.Baker (81.)

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01 Liverpool FC	34	21	08	05	50–18	69:25		01 Hoddle (Tottenham)	19 goals
02 Manchester United	34	18	10	06	46–22	50:26		02 Boyer (Southampton)	18 "
03 Ipswich Town	35	17	08	10	42–28	56:35		03 D.Johnson (Liverpool)	17 "
04 Arsenal FC	33	15	12	06	42–24	43:24		04 Mariner (Ipswich)	14 "
05 Southampton FC	35	15	08	12	38–32	53:42		05 Dalglish (Liverpool)	13 "
06 Wolverhampton Wanderers	32	16	06	10	38–26	44:34		06 Sunderland (Arsenal)	12 "
07 Middlesbrough FC	33	14	10	09	38–28	38:29		Gates (Ipswich)	12 "
08 Aston Villa	35	13	12	10	38–32	42:40		P.Barnes (West Bromwich)	12 "
09 Nottingham Forest	33	15	06	12	36–30	50:37		P.Ward (Brighton & Hove)	12 "
10 Crystal Palace	35	11	14	10	36–34	37:38		Whatmore (Bolton)	12 "
11 West Bromwich Albion	35	10	14	11	34–36	50:48		Stapleton (Arsenal)	12 "
12 Tottenham Hotspur	34	13	08	13	34–34	43:50		12 A.Brazil (Ipswich)	11 "
13 Leeds United	35	10	13	12	33–37	38:44		T.McDermott (Liverpool)	11 "
14 Coventry City	34	13	06	15	32–36	47:54		Crooks (Stoke)	11 "
15 Norwich City	35	09	14	12	32–38	45:52		T.Francis (Nottingham)	11 "
16 Brighton & Hove Albion	35	09	13	13	31–39	41:50		16 M.Ferguson (Coventry)	10 "
17 Stoke City	34	11	09	14	29–37	40:48		A.Gray (Wolverhampton)	10 "
18 Everton FC	35	07	14	14	28–42	37:45		Birtles (Nottingham)	10 "
19 Manchester City	35	09	10	16	28–42	33:58		19 Jordan (Manchester Utd.)	9 "
20 Derby County	35	08	08	19	24–46	36:56		Channon (Man. C./Southampton)	9 "
21 Bristol City	34	06	11	17	23–45	26:53		I.Wallace (Coventry)	9 "
22 Bolton Wanderers	34	04	12	18	20–48	30:60		Swindlehurst (Crystal Palace/ Derby)	9 "
								Macari (Manchester Utd.)	9 "
								R.Kennedy (Liverpool)	9 "
								J.N.Robertson (Nottingham)	9 "
								English (Coventry)	9 "
								Wark (Ipswich)	9 "
								G.Shaw (Aston Villa)	9 "
								J.Richards (Wolverhampton)	9 "
								B.Robson (West Bromwich)	9 "

Week 35

Liverpool FC v Stoke City 1–0 (1–0)
 Tuesday, 1 April 1980, Anfield Road, attendance: 36,415
 LFC: Clemence, Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalgligh, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness
 Stoke: Fox, R.Evans, P.Johnson II, Bracewell, M.Doyle, Dodd, B.O'Callaghan, P.Richardson, L.R.Chapman (81. Randall), Crooks, J.Cook
 Scorers: 1–0 Dalglish (34.)

West Bromwich Albion v Crystal Palace 3–0 (0-0)
 Tuesday, 1 April 1980, The Hawthorns, attendance: 17,090
 WBA: Godden; Batson, Cowdrill, Moses, Wile, A.Robertson, Trewick, Deehan, C.Regis, G.Owen, P.Barnes
 CPFC: Fry; P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, Fenwick, G.Francis (Smillie), I.Walsh, Flanagan, Hilaire
 Scorers: 1–0 Trewick (55.), 2–0, 3–0 P.Barnes (72., 80.)

Nottingham Forest v Manchester United 2–0 (0–0)
 Wednesday, 2 April 1980, City Ground, attendance: 31,417, sent-off: McLroy
 NFFC: Lukic; V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, M.O'Neill, Bowles, Birtles, T.Francis, J.N.Robertson
 MUFC: Bailey, J.Nicholl, Albiston, McLroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, Jordan, Macari, M.Thomas
 Scorers: 1–0 J.N.Robertson (80., pen.), 2–0 Birtles (88.)

Leeds United v Middlesbrough FC 2–0 (1–0)
 Wednesday, 2 April 1980, Elland Road, attendance: 17,906, sent-off: McAndrew (75.)
 LUF: Lukic; Hird, B.Greenhoff, B.Flynn, Hart, Dickinson, E.Gray, Cherry, J.Chandler, Parlane, A.Graham
 MFC: Platt; Craggs, P.Johnson, C.Johnston, Ramage, McAndrew, Cochrane, Proctor, Ashcroft, D.Hodgson, D.Armstrong
 Scorers: 1–0 Cherry (43.), 2–0 B.Flynn (51.)

Manchester City v Everton FC 1–1 (1–1)
 Wednesday, 2 April 1980, Maine Road, attendance: 33,437
 MFC: Corrigan; Ranson, N.Reid, Booth, Caton, Power, Henry, S.Daley, Deyna, Tueart, K.Reeves
 EFC: Hodge; Gidman, J.Bailey, W.Wright, M.Lyons, Eastoe, Megson, A.King, Kidd, Hartford, T.Ross
 Scorers: 1–0 Deyna (30.), 1–1 A.King (72.)

Tottenham Hotspur v Ipswich Town 0–2 (0–1)
 Wednesday, 2 April 1980, White Hart Lane, attendance: 26,423
 Spurs: Daines; Naylor, Hughton, Yorath, D.McAllister, Perryman, Ardiles, C.Jones, J.Pratt, Hoddle, P.Taylor
 Town: Cooper; Burley, M.Mills, Thijssen, A.Hunter, Osman, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, Gates, A.Brazil
 Scorers: 0–1 Mariner (42.), 0–2 Osman (82.)

Norwich City v Arsenal FC 2–1 (1–1)
 Wednesday, 2 April 1980, Carrow Ground, attendance: 16,923
 NFFC: Hansbury; K.Bond, Symonds, McDowell (Downs), Hoadley, D.Jones, C.Woods, Fashanu, K.Robson, Paddon, M.Peters
 AFC: Jennings; Devine, Nelson (Vaessen), Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady, Sunderland, Stapleton, D.Price, Rix
 Scorers: 0–1 Rix (10.), 1–1 D.Jones (31.), 2–1 Fashanu (65.)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA	Top Scorers
01 Liverpool FC	35	22	08	05	52–18	70:25	01 Hoddle (Tottenham)	19 goals
02 Manchester United	35	18	10	07	46–24	50:28	02 Boyer (Southampton)	18 "
03 Ipswich Town	36	18	08	10	44–28	58:35	03 D.Johnson (Liverpool)	17 "
04 Arsenal FC	34	15	12	07	42–26	44:26	04 Mariner (Ipswich)	15 "
05 Aston Villa	36	14	12	10	40–32	45:42	05 P.Barnes (West Bromwich)	14 "
06 Nottingham Forest	34	16	06	12	38–30	52:37	Dalglish (Liverpool)	14 "
07 Southampton FC	35	15	08	12	38–32	53:42	07 Sunderland (Arsenal)	12 "
08 Wolverhampton Wanderers	32	16	06	10	38–26	44:34	Gates (Ipswich)	12 "
09 Middlesbrough FC	34	14	10	10	38–30	38:31	P.Ward (Brighton & Hove)	12 "
10 West Bromwich Albion	36	11	14	11	36–36	53:48	Whatmore (Bolton)	12 "
11 Crystal Palace	36	11	14	11	36–36	37:41	Stapleton (Arsenal)	12 "
12 Leeds United	36	11	13	12	35–37	40:44	12 T.McDermott (Liverpool)	11 "
13 Norwich City	36	10	14	12	34–38	47:53	A.Brazil (Ipswich)	11 "
14 Tottenham Hotspur	35	13	08	14	34–36	43:52	Crooks (Stoke)	11 "
15 Coventry City	34	13	06	15	32–36	47:54	T.Francis (Nottingham)	11 "
16 Brighton & Hove Albion	35	09	13	13	31–39	41:50	Birtles (Nottingham)	11 "
17 Stoke City	35	11	09	15	31–39	40:49	17 M.Ferguson (Coventry)	10 "
18 Everton FC	36	07	15	14	29–43	38:46	J.N.Robertson (Nottingham)	10 "
19 Manchester City	36	09	11	16	29–43	34:59	A.Gray (Wolverhampton)	10 "
20 Derby County	35	08	08	19	24–46	36:56	20 R.Kennedy (Liverpool)	9 "
21 Bristol City	34	06	11	17	23–45	26:53	Macari (Manchester Utd.)	9 "
22 Bolton Wanderers	34	04	12	18	20–48	30:60	Channon (Man. C./Southampton)	9 "
							Wark (Ipswich)	9 "
							I.Wallice (Coventry)	9 "
							B.Robson (West Bromwich)	9 "
							Swindlehurst (Crystal Palace/Derby)	9 "
							Jordan (Manchester Utd.)	9 "
							A.King (Everton)	9 "
							English (Coventry)	9 "
							C.Shaw (Aston Villa)	9 "
							J.Richards (Wolverhampton)	9 "

Week 36

Aston Villa v Nottingham Forest 3–2 (2–1)
 Saturday, 5 April 1980, Villa Park, attendance: 29,156
 Villa: Rimmer; Swain, C.Gibson, A.Evans, Ormsby, Heard, D.Bremner, Geddis, Donovan, Cowans, Linton
 NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, M.O'Neill, Bowles (66. Bowyer), Birtles, T.Francis, J.N.Robertson
 Scorers: 1–0 D.Bremner (13.), 1–1 Birtles (28.), 2–1 A.Evans (41.), 3–1 Lloyd (47., o.g.), 3–2 Bowyer (76.)

Ipswich Town v Norwich City 4–2 (1–0)
 Saturday, 5 April 1980, Portman Road, attendance: 28,968
 Town: Cooper; Burley, M.Mills, Thijssen, A.Hunter, Osman, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, Gates (90. S.McCall), A.Brazil
 NFFC: Hansbury; K.Bond, Symonds, McDowell, Hoadley, D.Jones, C.Woods, K.Robson, A.D.Taylor, Paddon, M.Peters
 Scorers: 1–0 Wark (21.), 2–0 Wark (22., pen.), 3–0 Wark (70., pen.), 3–1 K.Bond (82.), 4–1 Mariner (85.), 4–2 K.Robson (90.)

Crystal Palace v Brighton & Hove Albion 1–1 (0–1)
 Saturday, 5 April 1980, Selhurst Park, attendance: 31,466
 CPFC: BurrIDGE; P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, G.Francis, Kember, Flanagan, Hilaire
 BHA: Moseley; J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, G.Ryan (70. Suddaby), N.McNab, P.Ward, R.Clarke, Lawrenson, O'Sullivan
 Scorers: 0–1 P.Ward (6.), 1–1 Cannon (57.)

Manchester United v Liverpool FC 2–1 (1–1)
 Saturday, 5 April 1980, Old Trafford, attendance: 57,342
 MUFC: Bailey; J.Nicholl, Albiston, J.Greenhoff, McQueen, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, Jordan, Macari, M.Thomas
 LFC: Clemence; Neal, A.Kennedy (80. S.Lee), Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalgligh, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness
 Scorers: 0–1 Dalglish (14.), 1–1 M.Thomas (19.), 2–1 J.Greenhoff (64.)

Arsenal FC v Southampton FC 1–1 (1–1)
 Saturday, 5 April 1980, Highbury, attendance: 34,593
 AFC: Jennings; Devine, Walford, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady, Sunderland, Stapleton, D.Price (4. Vaessen), Rix
 SFC: Katalinic; Golac, Andruszewski, G.E.Baker (71. Heberd), D.Watson, C.Nicholl, S.Williams, Boyer, Channon, N.Holmes, George
 Scorers: 1–0 Sunderland (20.), 1–1 Boyer (60.)

Bristol City v West Bromwich Albion 0–0
 Saturday, 5 April 1980, Ashton Gate, attendance: 15,677
 BCFC: Cashley; G.Sweeney, C.Whitehead (89. Tainton), Cow, Rodgers, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, Royle, K.Mabbutt, J.Mann
 WBA: Godden; Batson, Cowdrill, Moses, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, Deehan, C.Regis, G.Owen, P.Barnes

Stoke City v Manchester City 0–0
 Saturday, 5 April 1980, Victoria Ground, attendance: 20,451
 Stoke: Fox; R.Evans, M.Doyle, A.Heath (B.O'Callaghan), D.Smith, Dodd, P.Johnson II, P.Richardson, L.R.Chapman, Crooks, J.Cook
 MFC: Corrigan; Ranson, N.Reid, Booth, Caton, Power, Henry, S.Daley, Deyna, Tueart, K.Reeves

Derby County v Leeds United 2–0 (2–0)
 Saturday, 5 April 1980, Baseball Ground, attendance: 22,745
 Derby: McKellar; Langan, S.Buckley, S.Powell, McFarland, K.Osgood, G.Daly (60. McCaffrey), B.Powell, Biley, Swindlehurst, Emson
 LUF: Lukic; Hird, Cherry, B.Flynn, Hart, B.Greenhoff, E.Gray, Dickinson, J.Chandler, Parlane, A.Graham (46. T.Connor)
 Scorers: 1–0 Emson (18.), 2–0 B.Powell (21.)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Tottenham Hotspur 1–2 (1–2)
 Saturday, 5 April 1980, Molineux, attendance: 30,713
 WWFC: Bradshaw; G.Palmer, D.Parkin, H.Atkinson, E.Hughes, G.Berry, Brazier, W.Carr, A.Gray, J.Richards (46. W.Clarke), Eves
 Spurs: Daines; Yorath, Hughton, P.Miller, D.McAllister, Perryman, Ardiles, C.Jones, A.Galvin, Hoddle, J.Pratt
 Scorers: 0–1 C.Jones (10.), 0–2 A.Galvin (32.), 1–2 J.Richards (38.)

Everton FC v Bolton Wanderers 3–1 (2–0)
 Saturday, 5 April 1980, Goodison Park, attendance: 28,030
 EFC: Hodge; Gidman, J.Bailey, W.Wright, M.Lyons, Eastoe, Megson, A.King, Kidd, Hartford, T.Ross
 BWF: McDonagh; D.Clement, P.Nicholson (62. M.Bennett III), Cantello, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, Nowak, Whatmore, M.Carter, P.Wilson, P.Reid
 Scorers: 1–0 Megson (15.), 2–0 Eastoe (41.), 2–1 Whatmore (48.), 3–1 Kidd (60.)

Middlesbrough FC v Coventry City 1–2 (1–1)
 Saturday, 5 April 1980, Ayresome Park, attendance: 15,398
 MFC: Platt; Craggs, P.Johnson, C.Johnston, Ramage, Nattrass, Cochrane, Proctor, D.Hodgson, Ashcroft (77. Janković), D.Armstrong
 CFC: Blyth; Coop, R.McDonald, A.Blair, P.Dyson, Gillespie, I.Wallace, English, G.Thompson, S.Hunt, Hutchison
 Scorers: 1–0 D.Hodgson (2.), 1–1 I.Wallace (15.), 1–2 I.Wallace (88.)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA	Top Scorers
01 Liverpool FC	36	22	08	06	52–20	71:27	01 Hoddle (Tottenham)	19 goals
02 Manchester United	36	19	10	07	48–24	52:29	Boyer (Southampton)	19 "
03 Ipswich Town	37	19	08	10	46–28	62:37	03 D.Johnson (Liverpool)	17 "
04 Arsenal FC	35	15	13	07	43–27	45:27	04 Mariner (Ipswich)	16 "
05 Aston Villa	36	14	12	10	40–32	45:42	05 Dalglish (Liverpool)	15 "
06 Southampton FC	36	15	09	12	39–33	54:43	06 P.Barnes (West Bromwich)	14 "
07 Nottingham Forest	35	16	06	13	38–32	54:40	08 P.Ward (Brighton & Hove)	13 "
08 Wolverhampton Wanderers	33	16	06	11	38–28	45:36	Sunderland (Arsenal)	13 "
09 Middlesbrough FC	35	14	10	11	38–32	39:33	Whatmore (Bolton)	13 "
10 West Bromwich Albion	37	11	15	11	37–37	53:48	10 Wark (Ipswich)	12 "
11 Crystal Palace	37	11	15	11	37–37	38:42	Gates (Ipswich)	12 "
12 Tottenham Hotspur	36	14	08	14	36–36	45:53	Stapleton (Arsenal)	12 "
13 Leeds United	37	11	13	13	35–39	40:46	Birtles (Nottingham)	12 "
14 Coventry City	35	14	06	15	34–36	49:55	14 I.Wallace (Coventry)	11 "
15 Norwich City	37	10	14	13	34–40	49:57	T.McDermott (Liverpool)	11 "
16 Brighton & Hove Albion	36	09	14	13	32–40	42:51	A.Brazil (Ipswich)	11 "
17 Stoke City	36	11	10	15	32–40	40:49	Crooks (Stoke)	11 "
18 Everton FC	37	08	15	14	31–43	41:47	T.Francis (Nottingham)	11 "
19 Manchester City	37	09	12	16	30–44	34:59	19 J.Richards (Wolverhampton)	10 "
20 Derby County	36	09	08	19	26–46	38:56	A.Gray (Wolverhampton)	10 "
21 Bristol City	35	06	12	17	24–46	26:53	M.Ferguson (Coventry)	10 "
22 Bolton Wanderers	35	04	12	19	20–50	31:63	J.N.Robertson (Nottingham)	10 "
							23 R.Kennedy (Liverpool)	9 "
							Kidd (Everton)	9 "
							K.Bond (Norwich)	9 "
							Swindlehurst (Crystal Palace/Derby)	9 "
							Macari (Manchester Utd.)	9 "
							B.Robson (West Bromwich)	9 "
							Channon (Man. C./Southampton)	9 "
							English (Coventry)	9 "
							Jordan (Manchester Utd.)	9 "
							A.King (Everton)	9 "
							C.Shaw (Aston Villa)	9 "

Week 37

Coventry City v Derby County 2–1 (1–0)

Monday, 7 April 1980, Highfield Road, attendance: 19,538
 CFCF: Blyth; Coop, R.McDonald, A.Blair (80, B.Roberts), P.Dyson, Gillespie, Hutchison, I.Wallace, G.Thompson, English, S.Hunt
 Derby: McKellar; Langan, S.Buckle, McCaffrey, McFarland, K.Osgood, Emery, B.Powell (46, J.Clark), Biley, Swindlehurst, Emson
 Scorers: 1–0 I.Wallace (27.), 1–1 McCaffrey (73.), 2–1 S.Hunt (83.)

Southampton FC v Wolverhampton Wanderers 0–3 (0–1)

Monday, 7 April 1980, The Dell, attendance: 22,307
 SFC: Katalinic; Golac, Andruszewski, G.E.Baker, D.Watson, C.Nicholl, S.Williams, Boyer, Channon, N.Holmes, George
 WWC: Bradshaw; Humphrey, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, E.Hughes, G.Berry, Brazier, W.Carr, A.Gray, W.Clark (82, N.Bell), Eves
 Scorers: 0–1 A.Gray (26.), 0–2 A.Gray (67.), 0–3 N.Bell (85.)

Brighton & Hove Albion v Bristol City 0–1 (0–0)

Monday, 7 April 1980, Goldstone Ground, attendance: 23,171
 BHA: Moseley; J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, G.Ryan, N.McNab, P.Ward, R.Clarke (63, Suddaby), Lawrenson, O'Sullivan
 BCFC: Cashley; G.Sweeney, C.Whitehead, Gow, Rodgers, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, Royle, J.Mann, Pritchard
 Scorer: 0–1 T.Ritchie (52.)

Norwich City v Crystal Palace 2–1 (1–1)

Monday, 7 April 1980, Carrow Road, attendance: 17,562
 NCFC: Hansbury; K.Bond, Symonds, Mendham, McDowell, D.Jones, C.Woods, Fashanu, K.Robson (72, A.D.Taylor), Paddon, M.Peters
 CPFC: Burridge; P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy (73, Fenwick), G.Francis, Kember, Flanagan, Hilaire
 Scorers: 0–1 G.Francis (10.), 1–1, 2–1 Fashanu (28., 58.)

West Bromwich Albion v Ipswich Town 0–0

Monday, 7 April 1980, The Hawthorns, attendance: 19,844
 WBA: Coddien; Batson, Cowdrill, Moses, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, Deehan (Trewick), C.Regis, G.Owen, P.Barnes
 Town: Cooper; Burley, Butcher, Thijssen, A.Hunter (S.McCall), Osman, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, A.Brazil, K.O'Callaghan

Bolton Wanderers v Manchester United 1–3 (1–1)

Monday, 7 April 1980, Burnden Park, attendance: 31,902
 BWFC: McDonagh; M.Graham, M.Bennett II, Cantello, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, Nowak, Whatmore, M.Carter, P.Wilson, P.Reid
 MUFC: Bailey; J.Nicholl, Albiston, McLroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins (30, A.Ritchie), Jordan, Grimes, M.Thomas
 Scorers: 1–0 Whatmore (18.), 1–1 McQueen (41.), 1–2 M.Thomas (58.), 1–3 Coppell (72.)

Tottenham Hotspur v Arsenal FC 1–2 (0–0)

Monday, 7 April 1980, White Hart Lane, attendance: 41,365
 Spurs: Daines; P.Miller, Hughton, Yorath, D.McAllister, Perryman, Ardiles, C.Jones, J.Pratt, Hoddle, A.Galvin
 AFC: P.Barron; Rice, Walford, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady (60, Sunderland), Devine, Vaessen, Hollins, P.Davis
 Scorers: 0–1 Vaessen (84.), 0–2 Sunderland (87.), 1–2 C.Jones (88.)

Manchester City v Aston Villa 1–1 (0–1)

Monday, 7 April 1980, Maine Road, attendance: 42,584, sent-off: Geddis
 MFCF: Corrigan; Ranson, N.Reid, Booth, Caton, Power, Henry, S.Daley, Deyna, Tueart, K.Reeves
 Villa: Rimmer; Swain, C.Gibson, A.Evans, Ormsby, Heard, D.Bremner, Geddis, A.Morley, Cowans, Linton
 Scorers: 0–1 Geddis (42.), 1–1 Power (53.)

Bolton Wanderers v Middlesbrough FC 2–2 (1–1)

Tuesday, 8 April 1980, Burnden Park, attendance: 10,613
 BWFC: McDonagh; M.Graham, D.Burke, Cantello (C.Thompson), P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, Nowak, Whatmore, M.Carter, P.Wilson, P.Reid
 MFC: Platt; Craggs, P.Johnson, C.Johnston, Ramage, McAndrew, Cochrane, Proctor, D.Hodgson, M.Burns, D.Armstrong
 Scorers: 1–0 Nawak (10.), 1–1 D.Hodgson (32.), 1–2 M.Burns (87.), 2–2 Whatmore (88.)

Brighton & Hove Albion v Wolverhampton Wanderers 3–0 (1–0)

Tuesday, 8 April 1980, Goldstone Ground, attendance: 27,026
 BHA: Moseley; J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, Suddaby, N.McNab, P.Ward, R.Clarke, Lawrenson, G.A.Stevens
 WWC: Bradshaw; Humphrey, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, E.Hughes, G.Berry, Brazier, W.Carr, A.Gray, W.Clark, Eves
 Scorers: 1–0, 2–0 T.Ward (24., 78.), 3–0 W.Carr (80., o.g.)

Liverpool FC v Derby County 3–0 (1–0)

Tuesday, 8 April 1980, Anfield Road, attendance: 40,932
 LFC: Clemence; Neal, Cn.Irwin, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalglish, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott (46, D.Fairclough), Souness
 Derby: McKellar; Langan, S.Buckle, McCaffrey, McFarland, K.Osgood, Emery, J.Clark, Biley, Swindlehurst, Emson (74, K.Wilson)
 Scorers: 1–0 Cn.Irwin (20.), 2–0 D.Johnson (49.), 3–0 K.Osgood (84., o.g.)

Leeds United v Stoke City 3–0 (1–0)

Tuesday, 8 April 1980, Elland Road, attendance: 15,541
 LUFC: Lukic; Hird, Cherry, B.Flynn, Hart, Madeley, E.Gray, J.Chandler, C.Harris, Parlane, Dickinson
 Stoke: Fox; R.Evans, M.Doyle, Bracewell, D.Smith, Dodd, P.Johnson II, P.Richardson, B.O'Callaghan, Randall (L.R.Chapman), J.Cook
 Scorers: 1–0 Parlane (5.), 2–0, 3–0 C.Harris (48., 84.)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA	Top Scorers
01 Liverpool FC	37	23	08	06	54–20	74:27	19 goals	
02 Manchester United	37	20	10	07	50–24	55:30	Hoddle (Tottenham)	
03 Ipswich Town	38	19	09	10	47–29	62:37	03 D.Johnson (Liverpool)	
04 Arsenal FC	36	16	13	07	45–27	47:28	04 Mariner (Ipswich)	
05 Aston Villa	37	14	13	10	41–33	46:43	05 P.Ward (Brighton & Hove)	
06 Wolverhampton Wanderers	35	17	06	12	40–30	48:39	Dalglish (Liverpool)	
07 Southampton FC	37	15	09	13	39–35	54:46	Whatmore (Bolton)	
08 Middlesbrough FC	36	14	11	11	39–33	41:35	08 Sunderland (Arsenal)	
09 Nottingham Forest	35	16	06	13	38–32	54:40	P.Barnes (West Bromwich)	
10 West Bromwich Albion	38	11	16	11	38–38	53:48	10 A.Gray (Wolverhampton)	
11 Leeds United	38	12	13	13	37–39	43:46	Gates (Ipswich)	
12 Crystal Palace	38	11	15	12	37–39	39:44	Wark (Ipswich)	
13 Coventry City	36	15	06	15	36–36	51:56	I.Wallace (Coventry)	
14 Norwich City	38	11	14	13	36–40	51:58	Stapleton (Arsenal)	
15 Tottenham Hotspur	37	14	08	15	36–38	46:55	Birtles (Nottingham)	
16 Brighton & Hove Albion	38	10	14	14	34–42	45:52	16 A.Brazil (Ipswich)	
17 Stoke City	37	11	10	16	32–42	40:52	T.McDermott (Liverpool)	
18 Everton FC	37	08	15	14	31–43	41:47	Crooks (Stoke)	
19 Manchester City	38	09	13	16	31–45	35:60	T.Francis (Nottingham)	
20 Derby County	38	09	08	21	26–50	39:61	20 J.Richards (Wolverhampton)	
21 Bristol City	36	07	12	17	26–46	27:53	Fashanu (Norwich)	
22 Bolton Wanderers	37	04	13	20	21–53	34:68	M.Ferguson (Coventry)	
							J.N.Robertson (Nottingham)	

Week 38

Stoke City v Southampton FC 1–2 (1–0)

Saturday, 12 April 1980, Victoria Ground, attendance: 15,030
 Stoke: Fox; R.Evans, M.Doyle, Bracewell, D.Smith, Dodd, P.Johnson II, P.Richardson (79, Randall), L.R.Chapman, B.O'Callaghan, J.Cook
 SFC: Wells; Golac, Andruszewski, S.Williams, D.Watson, C.Nicholl, Hebbard, Boyer, Channon, N.Holmes, A.Hayes
 Scorers: 1–0 B.O'Callaghan (13.), 1–1 Golac (63.), 1–2 Boyer (77.)

Bristol City v Bolton Wanderers 2–1 (1–0)

Saturday, 12 April 1980, Ashton Gate, attendance: 13,584
 BCFC: Cashley; G.Sweeney, C.Whitehead, Gow, Rodgers, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, Royle, J.Mann, Pritchard (84, Tainton)
 BWFC: McDonagh; M.Graham, M.Bennett II, Hoggan, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, Nowak, Whatmore (69, Allardyce), M.Carter, P.Wilson, P.Reid
 Scorers: 1–0 T.Ritchie (40., pen.), 2–0 J.Mann (58.), 2–1 Allardyce (75.)

Manchester United v Tottenham Hotspur 4–1 (1–0)

Saturday, 12 April 1980, Old Trafford, attendance: 53,151
 MUFC: Bailey; J.Nicholl, Albiston, McLroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, Jordan, A.Ritchie, M.Thomas
 Spurs: Daines; P.Miller, Hughton, Yorath, D.McAllister, Perryman, Ardiles, C.Jones, J.Pratt, Hoddle, A.Galvin (68, G.J.Armstrong)
 Scorers: 1–0 T.Ritchie (11.), 2–0 J.Mann (16.), 3–0 A.Ritchie (16., 51., 55.), 3–1 Ardiles (67.), 4–1 R.Wilkins (76.)

Ipswich Town v Coventry City 3–0 (3–0)

Saturday, 12 April 1980, Portman Road, attendance: 20,502
 Town: Cooper; Burley, Butcher, Thijssen, A.Hunter, Osman, Wark, Mühren (84, S.McCall), Mariner, Gates, A.Brazil
 CFCF: Blyth; Coop, R.McDonald, B.Roberts, P.Dyson, Gillespie, I.Wallace (46, Gooding), English, G.Thompson, S.Hunt, Hutchison
 Scorers: 1–0 Butcher (11.), 2–0 Mariner (16.), 3–0 A.Brazil (29.)

Derby County v Brighton & Hove Albion 3–0 (0–0)

Saturday, 12 April 1980, Baseball Ground, attendance: 17,252
 Derby: McKellar; Langan, S.Buckle, McCaffrey, McFarland, K.Osgood, Emery, J.Clark, Biley, Swindlehurst (83, Emson), K.Wilson
 BHA: Moseley; J.Gregory, G.P.Williams (72, O'Sullivan), Horton, S.Foster, Suddaby, N.McNab, P.Ward, R.Clarke, Lawrenson, G.A.Stevens
 Scorers: 1–0, 2–0 Biley (54., 84., pen.), 3–0 K.Osgood (90.)

Crystal Palace v Leeds United 1–0 (0–0)

Saturday, 12 April 1980, Selhurst Park, attendance: 25,318
 LUFC: Lukic; Hird, B.Stevenson, Dickinson, Hart, Madeley, E.Gray, J.Chandler, T.Connor, G.Thomas, C.Harris
 CPFC: Burridge; P.Hinshelwood (72, Brooks), Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, Fenwick, G.Francis, Kember, Flanagan, Hilaire
 Scorer: 1–0 Hilaire (89.)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Manchester City 1–2 (1–1)

Saturday, 12 April 1980, Molineux, attendance: 23,850
 WWC: Bradshaw; G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, E.Hughes, G.Berry, Brazier, W.Carr, A.Gray (64, N.Bell), W.Clarke, Eves
 MFCF: Corrigan; Ranson, N.Reid, P.Futcher, Caton, Power, Henry, S.Daley, Deyna, Tueart, K.Reeves
 Scorers: 0–1 K.Reeves (11.), 1–1 Futcher (20., o.g.), 1–2 Tueart (53., pen.)

Bolton Wanderers v Coventry City 1–1 (1–1)

Tuesday, 15 April 1980, Burnden Park, attendance: 8,995
 BWFC: McDonagh; M.Graham, M.Bennett II, Hoggan, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, Nowak, Whatmore, M.Carter, P.Wilson, P.Reid
 CFCF: Blyth; Coop, D.Barnes, Gooding, P.Dyson, Gillespie, Hutchison, van Gool, G.Thompson, English, S.Hunt
 Scorers: 1–0 P.Wilson (13.), 1–1 G.Thompson (21.)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA	Top Scorers
01 Liverpool FC	37	23	08	06	54–20	74:27	01 Boyer (Southampton)	20 goals
02 Manchester United	38	21	10	07	52–24	59:31	02 Hoddle (Tottenham)	19 "
03 Ipswich Town	39	20	09	10	49–29	65:37	03 D.Johnson (Liverpool)	18 "
04 Arsenal FC	36	16	13	07	45–27	47:28	04 Mariner (Ipswich)	17 "
05 Southampton FC	38	16	09	13	41–35	56:47	05 P.Ward (Brighton & Hove)	15 "
06 Aston Villa	37	14	13	10	41–33	46:43	Dalglish (Liverpool)	15 "
07 Wolverhampton Wanderers	36	17	06	13	40–32	49:41	Whatmore (Bolton)	15 "
08 Middlesbrough FC	36	14	11	11	39–33	41:35	08 Sunderland (Arsenal)	14 "
09 Crystal Palace	39	12	15	12	39–39	40:44	P.Barnes (West Bromwich)	14 "
10 Nottingham Forest	35	16	06	13	38–32	54:40	10 Wark (Ipswich)	12 "
11 West Bromwich Albion	38	11	16	11	38–38	53:48	A.Gray (Wolverhampton)	12 "
12 Leeds United	39	12	13	14	37–41	43:47	I.Wallace (Coventry)	12 "
13 Coventry City	38	15	07	16	37–39	52:60	Gates (Ipswich)	12 "
14 Norwich City	38	11	14	13	36–40	51:58	A.Brazil (Ipswich)	12 "
15 Tottenham Hotspur	38	14	08	16	36–40	47:59	Stapleton (Arsenal)	12 "
16 Brighton & Hove Albion	39	10	14	15	34–44	45:55	Birtles (Nottingham)	12 "
17 Manchester City	39	10	13	16	33–45	37:61	17 T.McDermott (Liverpool)	11 "
18 Stoke City	38	11	10	17	32–44	41:54	Crooks (Stoke)	11 "
19 Everton FC	37	08	15	14	31–43	41:47	T.Francis (Nottingham)	11 "
20 Derby County	39	10	08	21	28–50	42:61	20 Fashanu (Norwich)	10 "
21 Bristol City	37	08	12	17	28–46	29:54	J.Richards (Wolverhampton)	10 "
22 Bolton Wanderers	39	04	14	21	22–56	36:71	T.Ritchie (Bristol C.)	10 "
							M.Ferguson (Coventry)	10 "
							J.N.Robertson (Nottingham)	10 "

Week 39

Manchester City v Bristol City 3–1 (3–0)
Saturday, 19 April 1980, Maine Road, attendance: 32,745
MFCF: Corrigan, Ranson, N.Reid, P.Futcher, Caton, Power, Henry, S.Daley, Deyna, Tueart, M.Robinson
BCFC: Cashley, G.Sweeney, C.Whitehead, Gow, Rodgers, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, Royle, J.Mann, Pritchard (46. Tainton)
Scorers: 1–0 M.Robinson (12.), 2–0 Deyna (31.), 3–0 Tueart (61.), 3–1 Rodgers (70.)

Brighton & Hove Albion v Middlesbrough FC 2–1 (0–0)
Saturday, 19 April 1980, Goldstone Ground, attendance: 20,427
BHA: Moseley, R.Evans, S.Stevens, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, Suddaby (G.Ryan), N.McNab, P.Ward, R.Clarke, Lawrenson, O'Sullivan
MFC: J.Stewart, Craggs, Nattrass (Hedley), C.Johnston, Ashcroft, McAndrew, Cochrane, Proctor, D.Hodgson, M.Burns, D.Armstrong
Scorers: 1–0 R.Clarke (47.), 1–1 M.Burns (57.), 2–1 P.Ward (88.)

Coventry City v Crystal Palace 2–1 (2–1)
Saturday, 19 April 1980, Highfield Road, attendance: 14,401, sent-off: I.Wallace, Sansom
CCFC: Blyth; Coop, D.Barnes, van Gool (N.Phillips), P.Dyson, Gillespie, Hutchison, I.Wallace, G.Thompson, English, S.Hunt
CPFC: Burridge; P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, Boyle, J.Murphy, G.Francis, Flanagan, Smillie, Hilaire
Scorers: 1–0 English (4.), 1–1 Hilaire (5.), 2–1 G.Thompson (18.)

Norwich City v Manchester United 0–2 (0–0)
Saturday, 19 April 1980, Carrow Road, attendance: 24,697
NFCF: Hansbury; Symonds, McDowell, Mendham, Nightingale (77. A.D.Taylor), D.Jones, C.Woods, Fashanu, K.Robson, Paddon, M.Peters
MFCF: Bailey, J.Nicholl, Albiston, Mcleroy, K.Moran, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, Jordan, A.Ritchie, M.Thomas
Scorer: 0–1 Jordan (58.), 0–2 Jordan (90.)

Liverpool FC v Arsenal FC 1–1 (1–0)
Saturday, 19 April 1980, Anfield Road, attendance: 46,878
LFC: Clemence; Neal, Cn.Irwin, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalglish, D.Fairclough, D.Johnson (71. Heighway), S.Lee, Souness
AFC: Jennings; Rice, Walford, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Gatting, Sunderland, Stapleton (79. Vaessen), D.Price, Hollins
Scorers: 1–0 Dalglish (11.), 1–1 Talbot (78.)

West Bromwich Albion v Wolverhampton Wanderers 0–0
Saturday, 19 April 1980, The Hawthorns, attendance: 30,010
WBA: Godden; Batson, Cowdrill, Moses, Wile, A.Robertson, Trewick, A.Brown II, C.Regis, G.Owen, P.Barnes
WWFC: Kearns; G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, Brazier, G.Berry, H.Atkinson (80. N.Bell), W.Carr, A.Gray, W.Clarke, Eves

Tottenham Hotspur v Everton FC 3–0 (2–0)
Saturday, 19 April 1980, White Hart Lane, attendance: 25,245
Spurs: Daines; P.Miller, Hughton, Hazard (72. P.Taylor), D.McAllister, Perryman, Ardiles, C.Jones, G.J.Armstrong, Hoddle, A.Galvin
EFC: Hodge; W.Wright, J.Balley (53. McBride), Gidman, M.Lyons, K.Ratcliffe, Megson, Eastoe, Kidd, Hartford, T.Ross
Scorers: 1–0 P.Miller (28.), 2–0 Ardiles (35.), 3–0 A.Galvin (60.)

Nottingham Forest v Derby County 1–0 (1–0)
Saturday, 19 April 1980, City Ground, attendance: 32,366
NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, D.Needham, M.O'Neill, Bowles, Birtles, T.Francis, J.N.Robertson
Derby: McKellar; Langan, S.Buckley, McCaffrey, McFarland, K.Osgood, S.Powell, J.Clark, Biley, Swindlehurst, K.Wilson (68. Emson)
Scorer: 1–0 F.Gray (42.)

Southampton FC v Ipswich Town 0–1 (0–0)
Saturday, 19 April 1980, The Dell, attendance: 22,028
SFC: Wells; Golac, Andruszewski, S.Williams, D.Watson, C.Nicholl, Hebbard (79. A.Rogers), Boyer, Channon, N.Holmes, A.Hayes
Town: Cooper; Burley, Butcher, Thijssen, A.Hunter, Osman, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, Gates, A.Brazil
Scorer: 0–1 Mühren (86.)

Leeds United v Aston Villa 0–0
Saturday, 19 April 1980, Elland Road, attendance: 15,840
LUF: Lukić; Hird, B.Stevenson, Dickinson, Hart (53. T.Connor), B.Greenhoff, E.Gray, J.Chandler, Parlane, G.Thomas, C.Harris
Villa: Rimmer; Swain, Deacy, A.Evans, Ormsby, Heard, D.Bremner, Little (A.Morley), Linton, Cowans, G.Shaw

Bolton Wanderers v Stoke City 2–1 (0–1)
Saturday, 19 April 1980, Burnden Park, attendance: 11,304
BWFC: McDonagh; M.Graham, M.Bennett II, P.Wilson, Allardyce, M.Walsh, Nowak, Whatmore, M.Carter, P.Nicholson, P.Reid
Stoke: Fox; R.Evans, M.Doyle, A.Heath, D.Smith, Dodd, P.A.Johnson, P.Richardson, L.R.Chapman, P.Johnson II (B.O'Callaghan), Crooks
Scorers: 0–1 Crooks (44.), 1–1 M.Carter (60.), 2–1 Whatmore (66.)

Table							Top Scorers
	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF GA	
01 Liverpool FC	38	23	09	06	55–21	75:28	
02 Manchester United	39	22	10	07	54–24	61:31	
03 Ipswich Town	40	21	09	10	51–29	66:37	
04 Arsenal FC	37	16	14	07	46–28	48:29	
05 Aston Villa	38	14	14	10	42–34	46:43	
06 Southampton FC	39	16	09	14	41–37	56:48	
07 Wolverhampton Wanderers	37	17	07	13	41–33	49:41	
08 Nottingham Forest	36	17	06	13	40–32	55:40	
09 West Bromwich Albion	39	11	17	11	39–39	53:48	
10 Middlesbrough FC	38	14	11	13	39–37	43:40	
11 Crystal Palace	40	12	15	13	39–41	41:46	
12 Coventry City	39	16	07	16	39–39	54:61	
13 Leeds United	40	12	14	14	38–42	43:47	
14 Tottenham Hotspur	39	15	08	16	38–40	50:59	
15 Norwich City	39	11	14	14	36–42	51:60	
16 Brighton & Hove Albion	40	11	14	15	36–44	47:56	
17 Manchester City	40	11	13	16	35–45	40:62	
18 Stoke City	39	11	10	18	32–46	42:56	
19 Everton FC	38	08	15	15	31–45	41:50	
20 Bristol City	39	09	12	18	30–48	33:58	
21 Derby County	40	10	08	22	28–52	42:62	
22 Bolton Wanderers	40	05	14	21	24–56	38:72	

01 Boyer (Southampton)	20 goals
02 Hoddle (Tottenham)	19 "
03 D.Johnson (Liverpool)	18 "
04 Mariner (Ipswich)	17 "
05 P.Ward (Brighton & Hove)	16 "
Dalglish (Liverpool)	16 "
Whatmore (Bolton)	16 "
08 Sunderland (Arsenal)	14 "
P.Barnes (West Bromwich)	14 "
10 A.Gray (Wolverhampton)	12 "
Gates (Ipswich)	12 "
I.Wallace (Coventry)	12 "
Wark (Ipswich)	12 "
08 Southampton FC	12 "
11 Crystal Palace	12 "
12 Coventry City	12 "
13 Tottenham Hotspur	11 "
14 Leeds United	11 "
15 Norwich City	11 "
16 Brighton & Hove Albion	11 "
17 Manchester City	11 "
18 Stoke City	11 "
19 T.McDermott (Liverpool)	11 "
Jordan (Manchester Utd)	11 "
T.Francis (Nottingham)	11 "
22 J.Richards (Wolverhampton)	10 "
English (Coventry)	10 "
Fashanu (Norwich)	10 "
M.Burns (Middlesbrough)	10 "
M.Ferguson (Coventry)	10 "
J.N.Robertson (Nottingham)	10 "

Week 40

Manchester United v Aston Villa 2–1 (1–0)
Wednesday, 23 April 1980, Old Trafford, attendance: 45,201
MFCF: Bailey, J.Nicholl, Albiston, Mcleroy, K.Moran, M.Buchan, Coppell, J.Greenhoff, Jordan, Macari, M.Thomas
Villa: Rimmer; Swain, Deacy (A.Morley), A.Evans, Ormsby, Heard, D.Bremner, Little, Linton, Cowans, G.Shaw
Scorers: 1–0, 2–0 Jordan (4., 69.), 2–1 D.Bremner (90.)

Stoke City v Liverpool FC 0–2 (0–1)
Wednesday, 23 April 1980, Victoria Ground, attendance: 32,000
Stoke: Fox; R.Evans, P.Johnson II, A.Heath, D.Smith, Dodd, P.A.Johnson, P.Richardson (82. J.Cook), B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, Ursem
LFC: Clemence; Neal, Cn.Irwin (Cohen), Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalglish, D.Fairclough, D.Johnson, S.Lee, Souness
Scorers: 0–1 D.Johnson (34.), 0–2 D.Fairclough (61.)

Tottenham Hotspur v Wolverhampton Wanderers 2–2 (0–2)
Wednesday, 23 April 1980, White Hart Lane, attendance: 19,843
Spurs: Daines; P.Miller, Hughton, Yorath, D.McAllister, Perryman, Ardiles, C.Jones (73. P.Taylor), G.J.Armstrong, Hazard, A.Galvin
WWFC: Bradshaw; G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, E.Hughes (80. H.Atkinson), G.Berry, Brazier, W.Carr, N.Bell, K.Hibbitt, Eves
Scorers: 0–1 K.Hibbitt (14.), 0–2 N.Reid (15., o.g.), 3–0 Biley (44., pen.), 3–1 Tueart (83.)

Derby County v Manchester City 3–1 (3–0)
Saturday, 26 April 1980, Baseball Ground, attendance: 22,572
Derby: Cherry; Langan, S.Buckley, McCaffrey, McFarland, G.Daly, S.Powell, B.Powell, Biley, Swindlehurst, Emson
MFCF: Corrigan; Ranson, N.Reid, P.Futcher, Caton, Power, Henry, S.Daley, Deyna (S.MacKenzie), Tueart, K.Reeves
Scorers: 1–0 Swindlehurst (6.), 2–0 N.Reid (15., o.g.), 3–0 Biley (44., pen.), 3–1 Tueart (83.)

Bristol City v Norwich City 2–3 (0–1)
Saturday, 26 April 1980, Ashton Gate, attendance: 16,123
BCFC: Cashley; G.Sweeney, C.Whitehead, Gow, Rodgers, G.Merrick (39. Tainton), A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, Royle, J.Mann, Pritchard
NFCF: Hansbury; K.Bond, Symonds, Barham, McDowell, D.Jones, C.Woods, Fashanu, K.Robson, Paddon, M.Peters
Scorers: 0–1 K.Robson (26.), 0–2 M.Peters (46.), 1–2 Rodgers (65.), 1–3 K.Robson (74.), 2–3 T.Ritchie (88.)

Ipswich Town v Bolton Wanderers 1–0 (0–0)
Saturday, 26 April 1980, Portman Road, attendance: 21,447
Town: Cooper; Burley, M.Mills, Thijssen, A.Hunter, Osman, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, Cates, A.Brazil
BWFC: McDonagh; M.Graham, M.Bennett II, P.Nicholson, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, Cantello, Whatmore, M.Carter, P.Wilson, Cowling
Scorer: 1–0 Gates (64.)

Everton FC v Southampton FC 2–0 (0–0)
Saturday, 26 April 1980, Goodison Park, attendance: 23,549
EFC: Wood; Gidman, J.Balley, W.Wright, M.Lyons, T.Ross, Eastoe, Stanley, Latchford, Hartford, McBride
SFC: Katalinic; M.Waldron, Andruszewski, S.Williams, D.Watson (77. Golac), C.Nicholl, Hebbard, Boyer, Channon, N.Holmes, A.Hayes
Scorers: 1–0 Stanley (65.), 2–0 Gidman (72., pen.)

Arsenal FC v West Bromwich Albion 1–1 (0–0)
Saturday, 26 April 1980, Highbury, attendance: 30,027
AFC: P.Barron; Rice, Devine, Talbot, Walford, W.Young (74. Gatting), Brady, Sunderland, Stapleton, Hollins, Vaessen
WBA: Godden; Batson, Cowdrill, Moses, Wile, A.Robertson, Trewick, A.Brown II, C.Regis, G.Owen, P.Barnes
Scorers: 0–1 P.Barnes (8.), 1–1 Stapleton (85.)

Middlesbrough FC v Nottingham Forest 0–0
Saturday, 26 April 1980, Ayresome Park, attendance: 17,021
MFC: J.Stewart; Craggs, I.Balley, Hedley, Ramage, McAndrew, Cochrane, Proctor, D.Hodgson, M.Burns, D.Armstrong
NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, D.Needham, G.Mills, Bowyer, Birtles, T.Francis, J.N.Robertson

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Leeds United 3–1 (1–0)
Saturday, 26 April 1980, Molineux, attendance: 22,746
WWFC: Kearns; G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, Brazier, G.Berry, K.Hibbitt, W.Carr, A.Gray, J.Richards (75. E.Hughes), Eves
LUF: Lukić; Hird, B.Greenhoff, B.Flynn, Dickinson (B.Stevenson), Madeley, J.Chandler, Cherry, Parlane, T.Connor, G.Thomas
Scorers: 1–0 J.Richards (20.), 2–0 Eves (46.), 3–0 K.Hibbitt (61.), 3–1 B.Flynn (89.)

Stoke City v Brighton & Hove Albion 1–0 (1–0)
Saturday, 26 April 1980, Victoria Ground, attendance: 14,422
Stoke: Fox; R.Evans, P.A.Johnson, A.Heath, D.Smith, Dodd, P.Johnson II, P.Richardson, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, Ursem
BHA: Moseley; J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, Suddaby, N.McNab, P.Ward, R.Clarke, Lawrenson (Sayer), O'Sullivan
Scorer: 1–0 A.Heath (36.)

Manchester United v Coventry City 2–1 (1–0)
Saturday, 26 April 1980, Old Trafford, attendance: 52,154
MFCF: Bailey, J.Nicholl, Albiston, Mcleroy, K.Moran, M.Buchan, Coppell, J.Greenhoff (82. Sloan), Jordan, Macari, M.Thomas
CCFC: Blyth; Coop, D.R.Jones, A.Blair, P.Dyson, Gillespie, van Gool, English (70. Bannister), G.Thompson, S.Hunt, Hutchison
Scorers: 1–0 Mcleroy (5., pen.), 1–1 G.Thompson (53.), 2–1 Mcleroy (68.)

Crystal Palace v Liverpool FC 0–0
Saturday, 26 April 1980, Selhurst Park, attendance: 45,583
CPFC: Burridge; P.Hinshelwood, Fenwick, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy (67. Boyle), G.Francis, Flanagan, I.Walsh, Hilaire
LFC: Clemence; Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalglish, D.Fairclough, D.Johnson, S.Lee, Souness

Aston Villa v Tottenham Hotspur 1–0 (0–0)
Saturday, 26 April 1980, Villa Park, attendance: 29,549
Villa: Rimmer; Swain, C.Gibson, N.Blake, Ormsby, Heard, D.Bremner, G.Shaw, Geddis, Cowans, Linton
Spurs: Daines; Hughton, D.McAllister, Perryman, P.Miller, Yorath, Ardiles, C.Jones, A.Galvin, Hoddle, G.J.Armstrong (65. Falco)
Scorer: 1–0 Cowans (67.)

Table							Top Scorers
	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF GA	
01 Liverpool FC	40	24	10	06	58–22	77:28	
02 Manchester United	41	24	10	07	58–24	65:33	
03 Ipswich Town	41	22	09	10	53–29	67:37	
04 Arsenal FC	38	16	15	07	47–29	49:30	
05 Wolverhampton Wanderers	39	18	08	13	44–34	54:44	
06 Aston Villa	40	15	14	11	44–36	48:45	
07 Nottingham Forest	37	17	07	13	41–33	55:40	
08 Southampton FC	40	16	09	15	41–39	56:50	
09 West Bromwich Albion	40	11	18	11	40–40	54:49	
10 Middlesbrough FC	39	14	12	13	40–38	43:40	
11 Crystal Palace	41	12	16	13	40–42	41:46	
12 Coventry City	40	16	07	17	39–41	55:63	
13 Tottenham Hotspur	41	15	09	17	39–43	52:62	
14 Leeds United	41	12	14	15	38–44	44:50	
15 Norwich City	40	12	14	14	38–42	54:62	
16 Brighton & Hove Albion	41	11	14	16	36–46	47:57	
17 Manchester City	41	11	13	17	35–47	41:65	
18 Stoke City	41	12	10	19	34–48	43:58	
19 Everton FC	39	09	15	15	33–45	43:50	
20 Derby County	41	11	08	22	30–52	45:63	
21 Bristol City	40	09	12	19	30–50	35:61	
22 Bolton Wanderers	41	05	14	22	24–58	38:73	

01 Boyer (Southampton)	20 goals
02 D.Johnson (Liverpool)	19 "
Hoddle (Tottenham)	19 "
04 Mariner (Ipswich)	17 "
05 Whatmore (Bolton)	16 "
P.Ward (Brighton & Hove)	16 "
Dalglish (Liverpool)	16 "
09 P.Barnes (West Bromwich)	15 "
10 Sunderland (Arsenal)	14 "
11 Gates (Ipswich)	13 "
T.Ritchie (Bristol C.)	13 "
Jordan (Manchester Utd.)	13 "
Stapleton (Arsenal)	13 "
14 A.Gray (Wolverhampton)	12 "
Wark (Ipswich)	12 "
Crooks (Stoke)	12 "
I.Wallace (Coventry)	12 "
18 Stoke City	12 "
19 Everton FC	12 "
20 T.McDermott (Liverpool)	11 "
J.Richards (Wolverhampton)	11 "
T.Francis (Nottingham)	11 "
23 Fashanu (Norwich)	10 "
J.N.Robertson (Nottingham)	10 "
English (Coventry)	10 "
Swindlehurst (Crystal Palace/ Derby)	10 "
M.Ferguson (Coventry)	10 "
M.Burns (Middlesbrough)	10 "

Games and Goals

Liverpool FC

Kenneth DalGLISH 42/16, Phillip Thompson 42/0, Phillip Neal 42/1, Graeme Souness 41/1, Raymond Clemence 41/0, Raymond Kennedy 40/9, Alan Hansen 38/4, Alan Kennedy 37/1, David Johnson 37/21, Terence McDermott 37/11, James Case 37/3, David Fairclough 14/5, Stephen Highway 9/0, Colin Irwin 8/2, Samuel Lee 7/0, Avraham Cohen 4/1, Steven Ogrizovic 1/0.

Manchester United

Martin Buchan 42/0, James Nicholl 42/0, Gary Bailey 42/0, Stephen Coppell 42/8, Samuel McIlroy 41/6, Luigi Macari 39/9, Raymond Wilkins 37/2, Michael Thomas 35/8, Gordon McQueen 33/9, Joseph Jordan 32/13, Ashley Grimes 26/3, Arthur Albiston 25/0, Andrew Ritchie 18/3, Stewart Houston 14/0, James Greenhoff 5/1, Thomas Sloan 5/0, Nikola Jovanović 2/0, Christopher McGrath 1/0, Steven Paterson 1/0.

Ipswich Town

Russell Osman 42/2, John Wark 41/12, Paul Mariner 41/17, Paul Cooper 40/0, George Burley 38/0, Arnold Mühren 37/4, Michael Mills 37/1, Frans Thijssen 37/2, Terence Butcher 36/2, Eric Gates 36/12, Allan Brazill 35/12, Allan Hunter 16/2, Kevin Beattie 10/0, Stephen McCall 10/0, Clive Woods 9/1, Robin Turner 7/0, Roger Osborne 6/0, Kevin O'Callaghan 4/0, Laurence Sivell 2/0, Michael D'Avray 2/0.

Arsenal FC

Brian Talbot 42/1, Francis Stapleton 39/14, William Young 38/3, Graham Rix 38/4, Patrick Jennings 37/0, Samuel Nelson 35/2, David O'Leary 34/1, William Brady 34/7, Alan Sunderland 34/14, Patrick Rice 26/0, John Hollins 26/1, David Price 22/1, John Devine 20/0, Stephen Walford 19/1, Stephen Gattling 14/1, Paul Vaessen 14/2, Paul Barron 5/0, Paul Davis 2/0, Brian McDermott 1/0.

Nottingham Forest

Peter Shilton 42/0, Laurence Lloyd 42/3, Garry Birtles 42/12, John Neilson Robertson 42/11, Vivian Anderson 41/3, Francis Gray 41/2, John McGovern 41/2, Kenneth Burns 34/3, Trevor Francis 30/14, Martin O'Neill 28/3, Alan Bowyer 19/1, Anthony Woodcock 16/4, Gary Mills 13/1, David Needham 10/1, John O'Hare 7/0, Richard Hartford 3/0, Charles George 2/0, Brynley Gunn 2/0.

Wolverhampton Wanderers

George Berry 41/0, Geoffrey Palmer 40/1, Derek Parkin 40/0, William Carr 40/2, Peter William Daniel 37/6, Paul Bradshaw 37/0, Emlyn Hughes 35/0, Andrew Gray 35/12, Kenneth Hibbitt 32/9, Melvyn Eves 31/6, John Richards 29/13, Colin Brazier 20/1, Wayne Clarke 16/2, David Thomas 10/0, John McAlie 8/0, Hugh Atkinson 7/1, Norman Bell 5/3, Martin Patching 5/0, Michael Kearns 5/0, William Rafferty 4/0, John Humphrey 2/0, Craig Moss 1/0.

Aston Villa

Gordon Cowans 42/6, John Rimmer 41/0, Kenneth Swain 41/0, Desmond Bremner 36/3, Allan Evans 35/8, Colin Gibson 31/2, Kenneth McNaught 30/1, Brian Little 29/5, Gary Shaw 28/9, Dennis Mortimer 26/6, Brendan Ormsby 23/0, David Geddis 20/2, Anthony Morley 18/3, Ivor Linton 15/0, Michael Pejic 10/0, Terence Donovan 9/2, Timothy Heard 9/0, John Deehan 6/0, Terence Bullivant 6/0, Gary Shelton 4/0, John Gidman 4/0, Eamonn Deacy 3/0, Noel Blake 3/0, Joseph Ward 2/0, Gary Williams 2/0, Robert Hopkins 2/1, Nigel Spink 1/0, Alexander Cromptley 1/0, Lee Jenkins 1/0.

Southampton FC

Philip Boyer 42/23, Nicholas Holmes 41/5, Michael Channon 37/10, Trevor Heberd 36/2, Christopher Nicholl 33/1, Steven Williams 32/2, Ivan Golac 31/2, David Watson 30/4, Malcolm Waldron 30/2, Alan Ball 26/1, Peter Wells 25/0, Graham Edgar Baker 23/4, David Peach 21/2, Charles George 20/3, Terence Genroe 13/0, Emanuel Andruszewski 12/1, Austin Hayes 11/2, Ivan Katalinic 4/0, George Shipley 3/0, Andrew Rogers 2/0, Oshor Williams 1/0, Stephen Moran 1/1, Martin McGrath 1/0.

Middlesbrough FC

John Craggs 42/1, David Armstrong 42/11, David Hodgson 40/7, Anthony McAndrew 39/1, Mark Proctor 38/2, James Platt 37/0, William Ashcroft 35/3, Craig Johnston 30/5, Terence Cochrane 29/1, Michael Burns 24/10, Graeme Hedley 20/2, Bozo Janković 19/3, Ian Bailey 18/0, Peter Johnson 18/0, Alan Ramage 16/1, Irving Nattrass 13/0, Jeffrey Peters 6/0, Stanley Cummins 5/2, David Shearer 5/1, James Stewart 5/0, Ian Bell 3/0, William Woof 1/0, Michael Angus 1/0, William Askew 1/0.

West Bromwich Albion

John Wile 42/1, Anthony Godden 42/0, Brendon Batson 40/0, Alistair Robertson 38/1, Peter Barnes 38/15, Gary Owen 37/5, Bryan Robson 35/9, Alistair Brown 29/6, John Deehan 28/3, Cyrille Regis 26/8, John Trewick 20/2, Remi Moses 18/1, Gary Pendrey 18/0, David Mills 17/0, Derek Statham 16/0, Anthony Brown 16/2, Barry Cowdrell 9/0, Martyn Bennett 4/0, Derek Monaghan 4/0, Kevin Summerfield 3/0.

Leeds United

Trevor Cherry 39/2, Kevin Hird 39/8, John Lukic 33/0, Edwin Gray 30/2, Paul Hart 30/3, Arthur Graham 27/3, Byron Stevenson 26/0, Paul Madeley 25/0, Brian Flynn 24/3, Brian Greenhoff 24/0, Terence Connor 23/6, Alan Curtis 22/4, Gary Hamson 19/1, Jeffrey Chandler 17/2, Peter Hampton 17/0, Raymond Hankin 16/3, Carl Harris 15/4, Derek Parlane 11/3, Keith Parkinson 11/0, Wayne Entwistle 11/2, David Harvey 9/0, Martin Dickinson 6/0, Gwyn Thomas 3/0, Neil Firm 3/0, John Hawley 1/0.

Norwich City

Martin Peters 40/8, Kevin Bond 40/9, Graham Paddon 40/2, Justin Fashanu 34/11, Kevin Keelan 26/0, Alan David Taylor 24/5, Keith Robson 23/8, Kevin Reeves 23/8, David Jones 23/1, John McDowell 21/0, Anthony Powell 21/0, Peter Mendham 20/2, Michael McGuire 19/2, Gregory Downs 18/0, Roger Hansbury 16/0, Roger Brown 16/0, Richard Symonds 15/0, Phillip Hoadley 15/0, John G. Ryan 12/0, Clive Woods 11/1, Mark Nightingale 9/0, James Neighbour 5/0, Stephen Goble 5/1, David P. Bennett 4/0, Mark Barham 4/0, Mark Halsey 2/0, Douglas Evans 1/0, Philip Lythgoe 1/0, Greig Shepard 1/0.

Crystal Palace

Paul Hinshelwood 42/2, Vincent Hilaire 42/5, James Cannon 42/4, William Gilbert 40/1, Peter Nicholas 39/2, Jeremy Murphy 37/3, Kenneth Sansom 36/1, John Burridge 36/0, Michael Flanagan 36/5, Gerald Francis 34/3, Ian Walsh 29/6, David Swindlehurst 25/7, Terence Fenwick 15/0, Stephen Kember 13/1, Neil Smillie 8/1, David Fry 6/0, Terence Boyle 5/0, Gary Goodchild 1/0, Shaun Brooks 1/0.

Tottenham Hotspur

Glenn Hoddle 41/19, Osvaldo Ardiles 40/2, Stephen Perryman 40/1, Christopher Hughton 39/1, Christopher Jones 37/9, Donald McAllister 36/1, Terence Yorath 33/1, Barry Daines 32/0, Gerald Joseph Armstrong 30/4, Paul Miller 27/2, John Pratt 24/2, Ricardo Villa 22/3, Gordon M. Smith 14/0, Colin Lee 10/0, Anthony Galvin 10/4, Peter Taylor 9/0, Mark Falco 9/2, Milija Aleksic 8/0, Terence Naylor 7/0, John Lacy 4/0, Stuart Beavon 3/0, Michael Hazard 3/0, Mark Kendall 2/0, Peter Southey 1/0, Terence Gibson 1/0.

Coventry City

Thomas Hutchison 40/1, Gary Gillespie 38/1, Robert McDonald 37/4, Stephen Hunt 35/1, Andrew Blair 32/1, Michael Coop 31/1, Thomas English 30/10, Ian Wallace 25/13, Raymond Gooding 24/2, James Holton 24/0, James Blyth 21/0, Leslie Sealey 20/0, Paul Dyson 18/2, Carry Thompson 17/6, Michael Ferguson 17/10, Brian Roberts 14/0, Barry Powell 10/4, Roger van Cool 8/0, Stephen Whitton 7/0, David Ronald Jones 7/0, Gary Bannister 7/0, Nicholas Phillips 5/0, Mark Hateley 4/0, Donato Nardiello 4/0, Daniel Joseph Thomas 3/0, David Barnes 3/0, Gary Collier 2/0, Stephen Murrcott 1/0, Stephen Jacobs 1/0.

Brighton & Hove Albion

Gary P. Williams 42/2, Brian Horton 42/4, Peter Ward 42/16, Peter O'Sullivan 39/1, Stephen Foster 38/1, Gerard Ryan 35/5, Mark Lawrenson 33/1, John Gregory 33/0, Graham Moseley 33/0, Raymond Clarke 30/8, Gary Andrew Stevens 26/1, Peter Suddaby 23/0, Peter Sayer 17/0, Neil McNab 16/0, Paul Clark 11/2, Edward Maybank 11/2, Eric Steele 9/0, Andrew Rollings 7/1, Malcolm Poskett 3/1, Martin Chivers 2/0, Giles Stille 1/0.

Manchester City

Joseph Corrigan 42/0, Thomas Caton 42/0, Paul Power 41/7, Raymond Ranson 40/0, Stephen Daley 33/2, Anthony Henry 32/4, Michael Robinson 30/8, David Bennett 25/2, Thomas Booth 24/0, Nicholas Reid 23/0, Kazimierz Deyna 22/6, William Donachie 19/0, Stephen MacKenzie 19/2, Dragoslav Stepanović 14/0, Paul Futcher 13/0, Dennis Tueart 11/5, Colin Viljoen 11/0, Kevin Reeves 9/2, Roger Palmer 7/1, Barry Silkman 7/0, Stuart Lee 7/2, Robert Shinton 5/0, Michael Channon 2/1, Paul Sugrue 1/0.

Stoke City

Garth Crooks 40/12, Raymond Evans 40/1, Adrian Heath 38/5, Alan Dodd 37/1, Brendan O'Callaghan 36/5, Paul Richardson 36/2, Dennis Smith 34/2, Michael Doyle 28/0, Samuel Irvine 26/3, Paul Johnson 25/0, Peter Fox 23/0, Roger Jones 19/0, Lee Roy Chapman 17/3, Paul Randall 16/0, Geoffrey Scott 16/1, Paul Anthony Johnson 15/0, Jeffrey Cook 14/4, Vivian Busby 10/1, Loek Ursem 7/0, Paul Bracewell 6/0, Kevin Sheldon 1/0, Melvin Pejic 1/0, John Watson Lumsden 1/0.

Everton FC

John Bailey 42/2, William Wright 41/0, Michael Lyons 39/0, Richard Hartford 35/1, Trevor Ross 32/2, Brian Kidd 31/9, John Gidman 31/1, Andrew King 29/9, Peter Eastoe 26/6, Robert Latchford 26/6, Garry Stanley 24/1, Martin Hodge 23/0, Mark Higgins 19/0, George Wood 19/0, Joseph McBride 18/1, Gary Megson 13/1, Geoffrey Nulty 10/1, John Barton 7/0, Imre Varadi 4/0, Eamonn O'Keefe 4/0, Colin Todd 3/0, Kevin Ratcliffe 2/0, Graeme Sharp 2/0, Timothy Heard 1/0.

Bristol City

Gerald Sweeney 41/0, Anthony Fitzpatrick 41/0, Clive Whitehead 40/0, Geoffrey Merrick 39/1, Trevor Tainton 39/0, Thomas Ritchie 38/13, Joseph Royle 35/3, Gerald Gow 31/4, James Mann 29/3, John Shaw 28/0, Kevin Mabbutt 27/6, David Rodgers 26/6, Howard Pritchard 16/0, Raymond Cashley 14/0, Christopher Garland 10/0, Donald Gillies 8/0, Pertti Jantunen 7/1, Geert Meijer 6/0, Peter Cormack 4/0, Alan Hay 4/0, Roger Kenyon 4/0, Ian Doyle 2/0.

Derby County

Steven Buckley 42/0, David Langan 40/1, Keith Osgood 32/3, Aiden McCaffrey 31/4, Stephen Emery 27/2, Paul Emson 26/4, David McKellar 25/0, Barry Powell 25/3, Roger Davies 22/3, Gerard Daly 21/1, Roy McFarland 20/0, Stephen Powell 20/0, Alan Biley 18/9, David Webb 16/0, John Duncan 16/7, Jonathan Clark 14/1, John Middleton 13/0, Bruce Rioch 13/0, David Swindlehurst 12/4, Victor Moreland 11/1, Roy Greenwood 11/0, Gordon Hill 9/3, Stephen Wicks 5/0, Andrew Crawford 5/0, William Caskey 4/0, Stephen Carter 4/0, Kevin Wilson 4/0, Steven Cherry 4/0, Trevor Whymark 2/0, Stephen Spooner 1/0, Paul Bartlett 1/0, Wayne Richards 1/0.

Bolton Wanderers

Michael Walsh 42/1, Seamus McDonagh 42/0, Neil Whatmore 41/16, Paul Bernard Jones 32/1, Leonard Cantello 31/0, Peter Nicholson 30/0, David Clement 29/0, David Burke 27/0, Alan Gowling 24/1, Michael Carter 22/5, Roy Greaves 21/2, William Morgan 21/3, Tadeusz Nowak 20/1, Samuel Allardyce 17/2, Peter Reid 17/3, Phillip Wilson 17/1, Christopher Thompson 15/1, Neil McNab 12/1, Michael Graham 9/0, Michael Bennett 8/0, Frank Worthington 7/0, David Hoggan 3/0.