

Week 21

Arsenal FC v Manchester City 1-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 22 November 1969, Highbury, attendance: 42,939
 AFC: Barnett, Storey, R.McNab, Court, T.Neill (1), Simpson, J.Robertson, Sammels, Radford, G.Graham, G.Armstrong (George)
 MFCF: Corrigan, Book, Pardoe, Doyle, Booth, Oakes, Summerbee, C.Bell, F.Lee, N.Young, Bowyer (1)

West Ham United v Derby County 3-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 22 November 1969, Upton Park, attendance: 32,485
 WHU: Ferguson; Bonds, Lampard, Howe, Stephenson, R.Moore, Redknapp, Peters (1), Brooking, G.Hurst (2), C.Best
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Robson (A.Stewart), Durban, McFarland, Mackay, McGovern, Carlin, O'Hare, Hector, A.Hinton

West Bromwich Albion v Sheffield Wednesday 3-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 22 November 1969, The Hawthorns, attendance: 20,751
 WBA: Cumbes; Fraser, R.McNab, Court, T.Neill (1), Simpson, J.Robertson, Sammels, Radford, G.Graham, G.Armstrong (George)
 SWFC: P.Springett; Branfoot, K.Burton, G.Young, Prohett, T.Craig, A.Irvine, Pugh, Warboys, Whitham, A.Coleman

Sunderland AFC v Southampton FC 2-2 (0-0)
 Saturday, 22 November 1969, Roker Park, attendance: 15,385
 SAFC: Montgomery; C.Irwin, L.Ashurst, C.Todd, B.Heslop, McGiven, Park, Stuckey (1), Lathan (1), G.Harris, W.Hughes
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, A.Byrne, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon (2), R.Davies, Da.Walker, Sydenham

Stoke City v Ipswich Town 3-3 (2-1)
 Saturday, 22 November 1969, Victoria Ground, attendance: 19,285
 Stoke: Banks; Bernard, Pejic, Skeels, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Eastham (Conroy), J.Greenhoff, Ritchie (1), Dobia, Burrows (2)
 Town: Buggy; Carroll, M.Mills, P.Morris, W.Baxter, McNeil, C.M.Woods, Collard (1), M.Hill, Viljoen (1), Lambert (1)

Nottingham Forest v Chelsea FC 1-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 22 November 1969, City Ground, attendance: 23,808
 NFFC: Hill; Hindley, Winfield, O'Kane, Hennessey, H.Newton, Rees, B.Lyons, Hilley, C.Hall (Brindley), Storey-Moore
 CFC: Bonetti; D.Webb, R.Harris, Hollins, Dempsey, M.Hinton, C.Cooke (1), A.Hudson, P.Osgood, Hutchinson (McCreadie), Houseman

Manchester United v Tottenham Hotspur 3-1 (2-0)
 Saturday, 22 November 1969, Old Trafford, attendance: 53,053
 MUFC: Stepany; Fitzpatrick (P.Edwards), Dunne, F.Burns (1), Ure, Sadler, Sartori, Kidd, R.Charlton (2), G.Best, Aston
 Spurs: Jennings; Want, C.Knowles, Mullery, England, R.Morgan, Pearce, J.Greaves, M.Chivers (1), Perryman, Gilzean

Leeds United v Liverpool FC 1-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 22 November 1969, Elland Road, attendance: 43,293
 LUF: Sprake; Reaney, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, Madeley, M.Jones, Giles (1), E.Gray
 LFC: Lawrence; Lawler, Strong, T.Smith, Yeats (1), E.Hughes, Callaghan, Peplow, R.Graham, St. John, P.Thompson

Everton FC v Burnley FC 2-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 22 November 1969, Goodison Park, attendance: 46,530
 EFC: West; T.Wright, A.D.Brown, Kendall, Labone, T.Jackson, Husband (D'Arcy), Ball, Royle (1), J.Hurst (1), Morrissey
 BFC: Mellor; Docherty, Angus (J.Thomson), B.O'Neil, M.Dobson, Latcham, D.Thomas, Coates (1), Probert, Bellamy, Kindon

Coventry City v Newcastle United 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 22 November 1969, Highfield Road, attendance: 31,825
 CCFC: Glazier; Coop, D.Clements, E.Machin, R.Barry, Blockley, R.Hunt II (1), W.Carr, Setters, O'Rourke, Gibson
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig, F.Clark, Glib, A.Burton, Moncur, B.S.Robson, J.Smith, J.Scott, Arentoft, R.Guthrie

Southampton FC v Crystal Palace 1-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 29 November 1969, Roker Park, attendance: 19,876
 SFC: Marin; Kirkup, A.Byrne, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel (1), Paine, Channon, R.Davies, Da.Walker, Sydenham
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Hoadley, D.Payne, McCormick, Hynd, Kember (1), R.E.Hoy, Queen, Dawkins, Tomkins

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA	GR	Top Scorers	
01 Everton FC	21	16	03	02	35-07	43	19	2.26	01 Royle (Everton)	15 goals
02 Leeds United	21	10	10	01	30-12	40	18	2.22	02 G.Best (Man.U.)	11 "
03 Liverpool FC	21	10	08	03	28-14	37	23	1.61	03 P.Osgood (Chelsea)	10 "
04 Manchester City	20	10	06	04	26-14	33	18	1.83	04 Astle (West Bromwich)	9 "
05 Chelsea FC	21	08	10	03	26-16	28	20	1.40	H.Curran (Wolverhampton)	9 "
06 Derby County	21	10	05	06	25-17	31	20	1.55	C.Bell (Man.C.)	9 "
07 Wolverhampton Wanderers	21	08	09	04	25-17	30	24	1.25	G.Hurst (West Ham)	9 "
08 Stoke City	21	08	08	05	24-18	34	32	1.06	08 B.S.Robson (Newcastle)	8 "
09 Manchester United	21	08	07	06	23-19	32	32	1.00	Hector (Derby)	8 "
10 Tottenham Hotspur	21	09	05	07	23-19	28	29	0.97	Ritchie (Stoke)	8 "
11 Coventry City	21	08	06	07	22-20	23	22	1.05	Lorimer (Leeds)	8 "
12 Newcastle United	21	08	04	09	20-22	24	19	1.26	Burrows (Stoke)	8 "
13 Arsenal FC	21	05	10	06	20-22	23	22	1.05	13 Morrissey (Everton)	7 "
14 West Ham United	20	06	06	08	18-22	26	27	0.96	J.Greenhoff (Stoke)	7 "
15 West Bromwich Albion	21	06	05	10	17-25	26	29	0.90	Lorimer (Leeds)	7 "
16 Nottingham Forest	21	03	11	07	17-25	23	34	0.68	Giles (Leeds)	7 "
17 Burnley FC	21	04	08	09	16-26	23	30	0.77	Channon (Southampton)	7 "
18 Ipswich Town	21	04	07	10	15-27	22	35	0.63	Storey-Moore (Nottingham)	7 "
19 Crystal Palace	21	03	09	09	15-27	21	35	0.60	Bowyer (Man.C.)	7 "
20 Southampton FC	22	02	10	10	14-30	28	41	0.68	A.Clarke (Leeds)	7 "
21 Sunderland AFC	22	02	08	12	12-32	14	39	0.36	J.Greaves (Tottenham)	7 "
22 Sheffield Wednesday	21	03	05	13	11-31	18	39	0.46	F.Lee (Man.C.)	7 "
									23 R.Davies (Southampton)	6 "
									Ball (Everton)	6 "
									Casper (Burnley)	6 "
									Dougan (Wolverhampton)	6 "
									R.Graham (Liverpool)	6 "
									Husband (Everton)	6 "
									Durban (Derby)	6 "
									R.Hunt II (Coventry)	6 "
									M.Jones (Leeds)	6 "
									Kidd (Man.U.)	6 "
									Queen (Palace)	6 "
									R.Hunt (Liverpool)	6 "

Week 22

Burnley FC v Manchester United 1-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 29 November 1969, Turf Moor, attendance: 23,769
 BFC: Mellor; Docherty, Latcham, B.O'Neil, M.Dobson, Bellamy, D.Thomas (D.Wilson), J.Murray, Nulty (1), Coates, Kindon
 MUFC: Stepany; P.Edwards, Dunne, F.Burns, Ure, Sadler, G.Best (1), Kidd, R.Charlton, Stiles, Aston

Derby County v Nottingham Forest 0-2 (0-1)
 Saturday, 29 November 1969, Baseball Ground, attendance: 38,225
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Robson, Durban, McFarland, Mackay, McGovern, Carlin, O'Hare, Hector, A.Hinton
 NFFC: Hill; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, Hennessey, H.Newton, Rees, B.Lyons (1), Hilley, C.Hall, Storey-Moore (1)

Ipswich Town v West Ham United 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 29 November 1969, Portman Road, attendance: 17,456
 Town: Best; Carroll, M.Mills (1), P.Morris, W.Baxter, McNeil, C.M.Woods, Collard, M.Hill, Viljoen, Lambert
 WHU: Ferguson; Bonds, Lampard, Howe, Stephenson, R.Moore, Redknapp, Peters, Brooking, G.Hurst, C.Best

Liverpool FC v Arsenal FC 0-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 29 November 1969, Anfield Road, attendance: 40,295
 LFC: Lawrence; Lawler, Wall, Strong, Yeats, E.Hughes, Callaghan, R.Hunt, A.W.Evans, R.Graham (St. John), P.Thompson
 AFC: Barnett; Storey, R.McNab, Court, McLintock, Simpson, J.Robertson (1), Sammels, Radford, G.Graham, G.Armstrong

Manchester City v Leeds United 1-2 (0-1)
 Saturday, 29 November 1969, Maine Road, attendance: 44,590
 MFC: Mulhearn; Book, Pardoe, Doyle, Booth, Oakes, Summerbee, C.Bell, F.Lee (1), N.Young, Bowyer
 WHU: Ferguson; Reaney, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, Madeley, M.Jones (1), Giles, E.Gray (1)

Coventry City v Tottenham Hotspur 3-2 (2-2)
 Saturday, 6 December 1969, Highfield Road, attendance: 28,372
 CCFC: Glazier; Coop, D.Clements, E.Machin (1), R.Barry, Blockley, R.Hunt II, W.Carr (Setters), N.Martin, O'Rourke (1), Gibson (1)
 Spurs: Jennings; Want, C.Knowles, Mullery, England (1), Pratt, N.Johnson (P.Collins), J.Greaves, Gilzean (1), M.Chivers, Perryman

Crystal Palace v Derby County 0-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 6 December 1969, Selhurst Park, attendance: 20,833
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Loughlan, D.Payne, McCormick, Hynd, Kember, Hoadley, Queen, Dawkins, Tomkins
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Robson, Durban, McFarland, Mackay, McGovern, Carlin, O'Hare, Hector (1), A.Hinton

Stoke City v Newcastle United 0-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 6 December 1969, Victoria Ground, attendance: 17,767
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Skeels, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Eastham, J.Greenhoff, Conroy (Ritchie), Dobia, Burrows
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, A.Burton, Moncur, J.Scott, B.S.Robson (1), W.Davies, J.Smith (R.Guthrie), Foggon

West Ham United v Manchester City 0-4 (0-1)
 Saturday, 6 December 1969, Upton Park, attendance: 27,440
 WHU: Ferguson; Bonds, Lampard, Howe, Stephenson, R.Moore, Redknapp, Peters, Brooking, G.Hurst, C.Best
 MFCF: Corrigan, Book, Pardoe, Doyle (1), Booth, Oakes, Summerbee, C.Bell, F.Lee (1), N.Young (D.Connor), Bowyer (2)

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01 Everton FC	21	16	03	02	35-07	43	19	2.26	01 Royle (Everton)	15 goals
02 Leeds United	22	11	10	01	32-12	42	19	2.21	02 G.Best (Man.U.)	12 "
03 Manchester City	22	11	06	05	28-16	38	20	1.90	03 P.Osgood (Chelsea)	10 "
04 Liverpool FC	22	10	08	04	28-16	37	24	1.54	04 Astle (West Bromwich)	9 "
05 Derby County	23	11	05	07	27-19	32	22	1.45	F.Lee (Man.C.)	9 "
06 Chelsea FC	21	08	10	03	26-16	28	20	1.40	H.Curran (Wolverhampton)	9 "
07 Wolverhampton Wanderers	21	08	09	04	25-17	30	24	1.25	Hector (Derby)	9 "
08 Coventry City	22	09	06	07	24-20	26	24	1.08	Bowyer (Man.C.)	9 "
09 Stoke City	22	08	08	06	24-20	34	33	1.03	B.S.Robson (Newcastle)	9 "
10 Manchester United	22	08	08	06	24-20	33	33	1.00	C.Bell (Man.C.)	9 "
11 Tottenham Hotspur	22	09	05	08	23-21	30	32	0.94	G.Hurst (West Ham)	9 "
12 Newcastle United	22	09	04	09	22-22	25	19	1.32	12 Burrows (Stoke)	8 "
13 Arsenal FC	22	06	10	06	22-22	24	22	1.09	Ritchie (Stoke)	8 "
14 Nottingham Forest	22	04	11	07	19-25	25	34	0.74	Storey-Moore (Nottingham)	8 "
15 West Ham United	22	06	06	10	18-26	26	32	0.81	Lorimer (Leeds)	8 "
16 West Bromwich Albion	21	06	05	10	17-25	26	29	0.90	16 J.Greenhoff (Stoke)	7 "
17 Burnley FC	22	04	09	09	17-27	24	31	0.77	M.Jones (Leeds)	7 "
18 Ipswich Town	22	05	07	10	17-27	23	35	0.66	Morrissey (Everton)	7 "
19 Crystal Palace	22	03	09	10	15-29	21	36	0.58	Channon (Southampton)	7 "
20 Southampton FC	22	02	10	10	14-30	28	41	0.68	J.Greaves (Tottenham)	7 "
21 Sunderland AFC	22	02	08	12	12-32	14	39	0.36	Giles (Leeds)	7 "
22 Sheffield Wednesday	21	03	05	13	11-31	18	39	0.46	A.Clarke (Leeds)	7 "
									23 R.Hunt II (Coventry)	6 "
									R.Davies (Southampton)	6 "
									Casper (Burnley)	6 "
									Queen (Palace)	6 "
									Dougan (Wolverhampton)	6 "
									R.Hunt (Liverpool)	6 "
									Ball (Everton)	6 "
									Kidd (Man.U.)	6 "
									Durban (Derby)	6 "
									R.Graham (Liverpool)	6 "
									Husband (Everton)	6 "

Week 23

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Sunderland AFC 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 29 November 1969, Molineux, attendance: 21,120
 Wolves: Parkes: G.W.Taylor, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, Holsgrove, Woodfield, McCalliog, O'Grady, F.Munro (Lutton), H.Curran (1), Wagstaffe
 SAFC: Montgomery; C.Irwin, L.Ashurst, C.Todd, B.Heslop, McGiven, Park (Kerr), Stuckey, Lathan, G.Harris, Tueart

West Bromwich Albion v Burnley FC 0-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 6 December 1969, The Hawthorns, attendance: 18,871
 WBA: Osborne, Fraser, R.Wilson II, A.Brown, Potter, A.Robertson, Krzywicki (Cantello), Suggett, Astle, Hartford, R.Hope
 BFC: Mellor; Docherty, Merrington, B.O'Neil, M.Dobson, Latcham, D.Thomas, Coates, Nulty, J.Murray, Kindon (1)

Nottingham Forest v Sheffield Wednesday 2-1 (2-0)
 Saturday, 6 December 1969, City Ground, attendance: 19,039
 NFFC: Hill; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, H.Newton, Rees (1), B.Lyons, Hilley (1), C.Hall, Storey-Moore
 SWFC: P.Springett; W.Smith, K.Burton, G.Young, Prohett, T.Craig, Ford, Eustace, Pugh, Whitham (1), A.Coleman

Manchester United v Chelsea FC 0-2 (0-2)
 Saturday, 6 December 1969, Old Trafford, attendance: 49,244
 MUFC: Stepney; P.Edwards, Dunne, F.Burns, Ure, Sadler, G.Best, Kidd (Ryan), R.Charlton, Stiles, Aston
 CFC: Bonetti; D.Webb, McCreadie, Hollins, Dempsey, R.Harris, C.Cooke, A.Hudson, P.Osgood, Hutchinson (2), Houseman

Leeds United v Wolverhampton Wanderers 3-1 (2-0)
 Saturday, 6 December 1969, Elland Road, attendance: 33,090
 LUF: Sprake; Reaney, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton (1), N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clark (1), M.Jones, Giles, Madeley - 1 o.g. Holsgrove
 Wolves: Parkes: G.W.Taylor, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, Holsgrove, Woodfield, McCalliog, Lutton, L.Wilson (1), H.Curran, Wagstaffe (F.Munro)

Everton FC v Liverpool FC 0-3 (0-0)
 Saturday, 6 December 1969, Goodison Park, attendance: 57,026
 EFC: West; T.Wright, A.D.Brown, T.Jackson, Labone, Kendall, Whittle, Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, Morrissey
 LFC: Lawrence; Lawler, Wall, Strong, Yeats, E.Hughes (1), Callaghan, I.Ross, P.Thompson, St. John, R.Graham (1) - 1 o.g. A.D.Brown

Arsenal FC v Southampton FC 2-2 (1-1)
 Saturday, 6 December 1969, Highbury, attendance: 24,509
 AFC: Barnett; Storey, Nelson, Court, McLintock, Simpson, J.Robertson, Sammels (1), Radford (1), G.Graham, G.Armstrong
 SFC: Gurr; Kirkup, A.Byrne, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel (1), Paine, Channon, R.Davies (1), Da.Walker, D.Thompson

Sunderland AFC v Ipswich Town 2-1 (2-1)
 Saturday, 6 December 1969, Roker Park, attendance: 12,739
 SAFC: Montgomery; C.Irwin, L.Ashurst, C.Todd, B.Heslop, McGiven, Park (1), Stuckey (W.Hughes), Lathan, G.Harris (1), Tueart
 Town: Best; Carroll, M.Mills, P.Morris, W.Baxter, McNeil, C.M.Woods (F.Brogan), Collard, M.Hill, Viljoen (1), Lambert

Crystal Palace v Coventry City 0-3 (0-1)
 Saturday, 13 December 1969, Selhurst Park, attendance: 16,763
 Palace: Jackson, Sewell, Hoadley, D.Payne, McCormick, Hynd, Dawkins, Kember, Bartram (Vansittard), Queen, Blyth
 CCFC: Glazier; Coop, D.Clements, E.Machin, R.Barry, Blockley, R.Hunt II (1, Catlin), W.Carr, Joicey (2), O'Rourke, Setters

Manchester City v1 Tottenham Hotspurs 1-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 13 December 1969, Maine Road, attendance: 29,126
 MFC: Mulhearn; Book, Pardee, Doyle, Booth, Oakes (1), Summerbee, D.Connor, F.Lee, N.Young, Bowyer
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinneer, C.Knowles, Mullery, England, R.Evans, N.Johnson (1), J.Greaves, M.Chivers (Pearce), Gilzean, Perryman

West Ham United v Everton FC 0-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 13 December 1969, Upton Park, attendance: 26,670
 WHU: Ferguson; Bonds, Lampard, Howe, Stephenson (Brooking), R.Moore, Sissons, Peters, Boyce, G.Hurst, C.Best
 EFC: West; T.Wright (D'Arcy), A.D.Brown, Kendall, Labone, T.Jackson, Whittle (1), Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, Morrissey

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01 Everton FC	23	17	03	03	37	-09	44:22	2.00	01 Royle (Everton)	15 goals
02 Leeds United	23	12	10	01	34	-12	45:20	2.25	02 G.Best (Man.U.)	12 "
03 Liverpool FC	23	11	08	04	30	-16	40:24	1.67	03 P.Osgood (Chelsea)	10 "
04 Manchester City	23	11	07	05	29	-17	39:21	1.86	H.Curran (Wolverhampton)	10 "
05 Chelsea FC	22	09	10	03	28	-16	30:20	1.50	05 G.Hurst (West Ham)	9 "
06 Derby County	23	11	05	07	27	-19	32:22	1.45	B.S.Robson (Newcastle)	9 "
07 Wolverhampton Wanderers	23	09	09	05	27	-19	32:27	1.19	Astle (West Bromwich)	9 "
08 Coventry City	23	10	06	07	26	-20	29:24	1.21	Hector (Derby)	9 "
09 Stoke City	22	08	08	06	24	-20	34:33	1.03	F.Lee (Man.C.)	9 "
10 Tottenham Hotspur	23	09	06	08	24	-22	31:33	0.94	C.Bell (Man.C.)	9 "
11 Manchester United	23	08	08	07	24	-22	33:35	0.94	Bowyer (Man.C.)	9 "
12 Arsenal FC	23	06	11	06	23	-23	26:24	1.08	12 Lorimer (Leeds)	8 "
13 Newcastle United	22	09	04	09	22	-22	25:19	1.32	A.Clark (Leeds)	8 "
14 Nottingham Forest	23	05	11	07	21	-25	27:35	0.77	Burrows (Stoke)	8 "
15 Burnley FC	23	05	09	09	19	-27	25:31	0.81	Storey-Moore (Nottingham)	8 "
16 West Ham United	23	06	06	11	18	-28	26:33	0.79	Ritchie (Stoke)	8 "
17 West Bromwich Albion	22	06	05	11	17	-27	26:30	0.87	17 Morrissey (Everton)	7 "
18 Ipswich Town	23	05	07	11	17	-29	24:37	0.65	J.Greaves (Tottenham)	7 "
19 Southampton FC	23	02	11	10	15	-31	30:43	0.70	M.Jones (Leeds)	7 "
20 Crystal Palace	23	03	09	11	15	-31	21:39	0.54	Hutchinson (Chelsea)	7 "
21 Sunderland AFC	24	03	08	13	14	-34	16:41	0.39	Giles (Leeds)	7 "
22 Sheffield Wednesday	22	03	05	14	11	-33	19:41	0.46	R.Davies (Southampton)	7 "
									R.Hunt II (Coventry)	7 "
									J.Greenhoff (Stoke)	7 "
									Channon (Southampton)	7 "
									R.Graham (Liverpool)	7 "
									27 Husband (Everton)	6 "
									Kidd (Man.U.)	6 "
									Radford (Arsenal)	6 "
									Queen (Palace)	6 "
									Durban (Derby)	6 "
									Dougan (Wolverhampton)	6 "
									Casper (Burnley)	6 "
									Ball (Everton)	6 "
									R.Hunt (Liverpool)	6 "

Week 24

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Chelsea FC 3-0 (2-0)
 Saturday, 13 December 1969, Molineux, attendance: 26,775
 Wolves: Parkes: B.Shaw, D.Parkin, L.Wilson, Holsgrove, Woodfield, McCalliog, Lutton, F.Munro, H.Curran (2), Wagstaffe (1)
 CFC: Bonetti; D.Webb, McCreadie, Hollins, Dempsey, R.Harris, C.Cooke, A.Hudson, P.Osgood, Hutchinson, Houseman

Arsenal FC v Burnley FC 3-2 (2-1)
 Saturday, 13 December 1969, Highbury, attendance: 21,404
 AFC: Wilson; Storey, R.McNab, Court, McLintock (E.Kelly), Simpson, J.Robertson (1), Sammels, Radford (1), G.Graham, G.Armstrong (1)
 BFC: Mellor; Docherty, Merrington, B.O'Neil, M.Dobson, Latcham, D.Thomas, Coates, Nulty, J.Murray (Bellamy), Kindon (1) - 1 o.g. Storey

Derby County v Newcastle United 2-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 13 December 1969, Baseball Ground, attendance: 30,057
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Green, Durban, McFarland, Mackay, McGovern (1), Carlin, O'Hare, Hector, A.Hinton (1)
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, A.Burton, Moncur, J.Scott, B.S.Robson, W.Davies, Foggon, Hindson

Ipswich Town v West Bromwich Albion 0-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 13 December 1969, Portman Road, attendance: 18,364
 Town: Best; Carroll, M.Mills, P.Morris, W.Baxter, McNeil, Lambert, Collard (C.M.Woods), M.Hill, Viljoen, F.Brogan
 WBA: Osborne; L.Hughes, R.Wilson II, A.Brown, Potter, Kaye, N.Martin, Suggett, Astle (1, G.E.Williams), Hartford, R.Hope

Leeds United v Sheffield Wednesday 2-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 13 December 1969, Elland Road, attendance: 31,114
 LUF: Sprake; Reaney, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clark (2), Madeley, Giles, T.Hibbit
 SWFC: P.Springett; W.Smith, Megson, G.Young, Prohett, T.Craig, Ford, Eustace, Pugh (Warboys), Whitham, A.Coleman

Liverpool FC v Manchester United 1-4 (1-1)
 Saturday, 13 December 1969, Anfield Road, attendance: 47,682
 LFC: Lawrence; Lawler, Wall, Strong, Yeats, E.Hughes (1), Callaghan, I.Ross (R.Hunt), P.Thompson, St. John, R.Graham
 MUFC: Stepney; S.Brennan, Dunne, F.Burns, Ure (1), Sadler, W.Morgan (1), G.Best, R.Charlton (1), Crerand, Aston (Sartori) - 1 o.g. Yeats

Southampton FC v Nottingham Forest 1-2 (0-0)
 Saturday, 13 December 1969, The Dell, attendance: 20,153
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, A.Byrne, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon (Stokes), R.Davies (1), Da.Walker, T.Jenkins
 NFFC: Hill; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, H.Newton (1), Rees, B.Lyons, Hilley, P.Richardson, Storey-Moore (1)

Chelsea FC v Manchester City 3-1 (3-0)
 Saturday, 20 December 1969, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 34,791
 CFC: Bonetti; D.Webb (2), McCreadie, Hollins, Dempsey, R.Harris, C.Cooke, A.Hudson, P.Osgood, Hutchinson (1, Mulligan), Houseman
 MCFC: Corrigan; Book, D.Connor, Both, G.Heslop, Oakes, Summerbee (1), Bowles, R.Owen, N.Young, Bowyer

Stoke City v Crystal Palace 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 20 December 1969, Victoria Ground, attendance: 12,426
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Skeels, A.Bloor, W.Stevenson, Conroy (Herd), J.Greenhoff (1), Ritchie, Dobing, Burrows
 Palace: J.Jackson, Sewell, Hoadley, D.Payne, McCormick, Hynd, Kember, Queen, Vansittard, R.E.Hoy (Blyth), Tomkins

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA	GR	Top Scorers	
01 Everton FC	23	17	03	03	37	-09	44:22	2.00	01 Royle (Everton)	15 goals
02 Leeds United	24	13	10	01	36	-12	47:20	2.35	02 G.Best (Man.U.)	12 "
03 Liverpool FC	24	11	08	05	30	-18	41:28	1.46	H.Curran (Wolverhampton)	12 "
04 Chelsea FC	24	11	08	05	30	-18	33:24	1.38	04 P.Osgood (Chelsea)	10 "
05 Manchester City	24	11	07	06	29	-19	40:24	1.67	Astle (West Bromwich)	10 "
06 Derby County	24	12	05	07	29	-19	34:22	1.55	A.Clark (Leeds)	10 "
07 Wolverhampton Wanderers	24	10	09	05	29	-19	35:27	1.30	07 G.Hurst (West Ham)	9 "
08 Coventry City	23	10	06	07	26	-20	29:24	1.21	B.S.Robson (Newcastle)	9 "
09 Stoke City	23	09	08	06	26	-20	35:33	1.06	Hector (Derby)	9 "
10 Manchester United	24	09	08	07	26	-22	37:36	1.03	Storey-Moore (Nottingham)	9 "
11 Arsenal FC	24	07	11	06	25	-23	29:26	1.12	Bowyer (Man.C.)	9 "
12 Tottenham Hotspur	23	09	06	08	24	-22	31:33	0.94	F.Lee (Man.C.)	9 "
13 Nottingham Forest	24	06	11	07	23	-25	29:36	0.81	C.Bell (Man.C.)	9 "
14 Newcastle United	23	09	04	10	22	-24	25:21	1.19	14 R.Davies (Southampton)	8 "
15 West Bromwich Albion	23	07	05	11	19	-27	27:30	0.90	Ritchie (Stoke)	8 "
16 Burnley FC	24	05	09	10	19	-29	27:34	0.79	J.Greenhoff (Stoke)	8 "
17 West Ham United	23	06	06	11	18	-28	26:33	0.79	Hutchinson (Chelsea)	8 "
18 Ipswich Town	24	05	07	12	17	-31	24:38	0.63	Lorimer (Leeds)	8 "
19 Southampton FC	24	02	11	11	15	-33	31:45	0.69	Burrows (Stoke)	8 "
20 Crystal Palace	24	03	09	12	15	-33	21:40	0.53	20 M.Jones (Leeds)	7 "
21 Sunderland AFC	24	03	08	13	11	-35	16:41	0.39	Radford (Arsenal)	7 "
22 Sheffield Wednesday	23	03	05	15	11	-35	19:43	0.44	R.Hunt II (Coventry)	7 "
									Morrissey (Everton)	7 "
									Giles (Leeds)	7 "
									Channon (Southampton)	7 "
									R.Graham (Liverpool)	7 "
									J.Greaves (Tottenham)	7 "
									28 H.Newton (Nottingham)	6 "
									Husband (Everton)	6 "
									Ball (Everton)	6 "
									Dougan (Wolverhampton)	6 "
									Kidd (Man.U.)	6 "
									R.Charlton (Man.U.)	6 "
									Durban (Derby)	6 "
									Kindon (Burnley)	6 "
									Queen (Palace)	6 "
									E.Hughes (Liverpool)	6 "
									R.Hunt (Liverpool)	6 "
									Casper (Burnley)	6 "

Week 25

Sunderland AFC v Stoke City 0-3 (0-2)
 Saturday, 13 December 1969, Roker Park, attendance: 15,205
 SAFC: Montgomery, C.Irwin, L.Ashurst, C.Todd, B.Heslop, McGiven, Park, Stuckey, Lathan, G.Harris, Tueart
 LFC: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, W.Stevenson, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Eastham (Ritchie), J.Greenhoff, Conroy, Dobia (1), Burrows (2*)

Leeds United v West Ham United 4-1 (2-0)
 Wednesday, 17 December 1969, Elland Road, attendance: 30,699
 LUF: Sprake; Reaney, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter (Yorath), Lorimer (2), A.Clarke (1), M.Jones, Giles (1), Madeley
 WHU: Ferguson; Bonds, Lampard, Howe, Peters, Boyce, Redknapp, P.Bennett, Brooking, G.Hurst (1), Sissons

Everton FC v Derby County 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 20 December 1969, Goodison Park, attendance: 44,914
 EFC: West; T.Wright, K.Newton, Kendall, Labone, T.Jackson, Husband (A.D.Brown), Ball (1), Royle, J.Hurst, Morrissey
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Robson, Durban, McFarland, Mackay, J.Walker, Carlin, O'Hare, Hector, A.Hinton

Tottenham Hotspur v West Ham United 0-2 (0-2)
 Saturday, 20 December 1969, White Hart Lane, attendance: 28,375
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, Beal, R.Evans, N.Johnson, J.Greaves, Pearce, Perryman, R.Morgan
 WHU: Ferguson; Bonds, Lampard, Howe, R.Moore, Peters (1), Redknapp, Boyce, Brooking, G.Hurst (1), Sissons

Sheffield Wednesday v Arsenal FC 1-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 20 December 1969, Hillsborough, attendance: 17,165
 SWFC: P.Springett; Wilcockson, Megson, W.Smith, Prophet, G.Young, Sinclair, Pugh (K.Burton), Whitham (1), T.Craig, A.Coleman
 AFC: Wilson; Storey, R.McNab (George), Court, T.Neill, Simpson, J.Robertson, E.Kelly, Radford, Sammels (1), G.Armstrong

Nottingham Forest v Wolverhampton Wanderers 4-2 (2-2)
 Saturday, 20 December 1969, City Ground, attendance: 15,821
 NFFC: Hill; Hindley (1), Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, H.Newton, Rees, B.Lyons, P.Richardson, Hilley (2), Storey-Moore (1)
 Wolves: Parkes; G.W.Taylor, D.Parkin, L.Wilson (1), Holsgrove, Woodfield, Lutton, McCalliog (1), F.Munro, H.Curran (P.Walker), Wagstaffe

Newcastle United v Ipswich Town 4-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 20 December 1969, St.James Park, attendance: 19,390
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, A.Burton, Moncur, B.S.Robson (2), Arentoft, W.Davies, K.Dyson (1), Ford (1)
 Town: Best; Carroll, M.Mills, P.Morris, W.Baxter, McNeil, Lambert, Viljoen, M.Hill, C.M.Woods, F.Brogan

Everton v Manchester City 1-0 (0-0)
 Tuesday, 23 December 1969, Goodison Park, attendance: 51,864
 EFC: West; T.Wright, K.Newton, Kendall, Labone, T.Jackson, Whittle (1), Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, Humphreys
 MCFC: Corrigan; Book, D.Connor, Booth, G.Heslop, Oakes, Summerbee, Doyle, F.Lee, N.Young, Bowyer

Burnley FC v Liverpool FC 1-5 (0-3)
 Friday, 26 December 1969, Turf Moor, attendance: 22,944
 BFC: Mellor; Docherty, Latcham, B.O'Neil (1), M.Dobson, Merrington, J.Murray (Casper), Coates, Nulty, D.Thomas, Kindon
 LFC: Lawrence; Lawler (1), Wall, Strong, Yeats, E.Hughes, Callaghan (1), I.Ross (1), P.Thompson (1), St. John, R.Graham (1, B.Hall)

Chelsea FC v Southampton FC 3-1 (1-1)
 Friday, 26 December 1969, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 41,489
 CFC: Bonetti; D.Webb, McCreadie, Hollins (1), Dempsey, R.Harris, C.Cooke, A.Hudson, P.Osgood, Hutchinson (2), Houseman
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, A.Byrne, Fisher, Gabriel, Stokes, Paine, Channon (1), R.Davies (Kem'), Da.Walker, T.Jenkins

Tottenham Hotspur v Crystal Palace 2-0 (2-0)
 Friday, 26 December 1969, White Hart Lane, attendance: 32,845
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery (1, Pearce), Beal, R.Evans, N.Johnson, J.Greaves, Gilzean, R.Morgan, Perryman (1)
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Hoadley, Blyth, McCormick, Hynd, Dawkins, Kember, Tomkins (Pinkney), Queen, Vansittard

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01 Everton FC	25	19	03	03	41	-09	46:22	2.09	01 Royle (Everton) 15 goals
02 Leeds United	25	14	10	01	38	-12	51:21	2.43	02 H.Curran (Wolverhampton) 12 "
03 Liverpool FC	25	12	08	05	32	-18	46:29	1.59	G.Best (Man.U.) 12 "
04 Chelsea FC	25	11	10	04	32	-18	36:25	1.44	04 G.Hurst (West Ham) 11 "
05 Manchester City	25	11	07	07	29	-21	40:25	1.60	A.Clarke (Leeds) 11 "
06 Derby County	25	12	05	08	29	-21	34:23	1.48	B.S.Robson (Newcastle) 11 "
07 Wolverhampton Wanderers	25	10	09	06	29	-21	37:31	1.19	07 Storey-Moore (Nottingham) 10 "
08 Stoke City	24	10	08	06	28	-20	38:33	1.15	Astle (West Bromwich) 10 "
09 Coventry City	23	10	06	07	26	-20	29:24	1.21	Hutchinson (Chelsea) 10 "
10 Arsenal FC	25	07	12	06	26	-24	30:27	1.11	P.Osgood (Chelsea) 10 "
11 Manchester United	24	09	08	07	26	-22	37:36	1.03	Lorimer (Leeds) 10 "
12 Tottenham Hotspurs	25	10	06	09	26	-24	33:35	0.94	Burrows (Stoke) 10 "
13 Nottingham Forest	25	07	11	07	25	-25	33:38	0.87	13 F.Lee (Man.C.) 9 "
14 Newcastle United	24	10	04	10	24	-24	29:21	1.38	Hector (Derby) 9 "
15 West Ham United	25	07	06	12	20	-30	29:37	0.78	Bowyer (Man.C.) 9 "
16 West Bromwich Albion	23	07	05	11	19	-27	27:30	0.90	C.Bell (Man.C.) 9 "
17 Burnley FC	25	05	09	11	19	-31	28:39	0.72	17 R.Graham (Liverpool) 8 "
18 Ipswich Town	25	05	07	13	17	-33	24:42	0.57	J.Greenhoff (Stoke) 8 "
19 Southampton FC	25	02	11	12	15	-35	32:48	0.67	Ritchie (Stoke) 8 "
20 Crystal Palace	25	03	09	13	15	-35	21:42	0.50	Giles (Leeds) 8 "
21 Sunderland AFC	25	03	08	14	14	-36	16:44	0.36	Channon (Southampton) 8 "
22 Sheffield Wednesday	24	03	06	15	12	-36	20:44	0.45	R.Davies (Southampton) 8 "
									23 Radford (Arsenal) 7 "
									M.Jones (Leeds) 7 "
									Ball (Everton) 7 "
									J.Greaves (Tottenham) 7 "
									R.Hunt II (Coventry) 7 "
									Morrissey (Everton) 7 "
									29 Kidd (Man.U.) 6 "
									Queen (Palace) 6 "
									Durban (Derby) 6 "
									E.Hughes (Liverpool) 6 "
									Sammels (Arsenal) 6 "
									Kindon (Burnley) 6 "
									H.Newton (Nottingham) 6 "
									R.Charlton (Man.U.) 6 "
									Hilley (Nottingham) 6 "
									Dougan (Wolverhampton) 6 "
									Casper (Burnley) 6 "
									Husband (Everton) 6 "
									R.Hunt (Liverpool) 6 "

Week 26

Coventry City v Ipswich Town 3-1 (2-0)
 Friday, 26 December 1969, Highfield Road, attendance: 32,755
 CFC: McManus; Coop, Cattlin, D.Clements, R.Barry, Blockley, R.Hunt II (1), W.Carr, N.Martin (1), O'Rourke, Gibson (D.Mortimer) - 1 o.g. C.Harper
 Town: Best; Carroll, C.Harper, P.Morris, W.Baxter, McNeil, C.M.Woods, Wigg (1), M.Hill, Viljoen, F.Brogan

West Bromwich Albion v West Ham United 3-1 (1-1)
 Friday, 26 December 1969, The Hawthorns, attendance: 32,867
 WBA: Osborne; Fraser, R.Wilson II, A.Brown, Potter, Kaye, D.Martin, Suggett (2), Astle (1), Hartford, R.Hope (L.Hughes)
 WHU: Ferguson; Bonds, Lampard, Howe, R.Moore, Boyce, Redknapp, G.Hurst, P.Bennett, Sissons, Peters (1)

Stoke City v Derby County 1-0 (1-0)
 Friday, 26 December 1969, Victoria Ground, attendance: 37,456
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, W.Stevenson, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Eastham, J.Greenhoff, Conroy, Dobia, Burrows (1*)
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Robson, Durban, McFarland, Mackay, McGovern (Wignall), J.Walker, O'Hare, Hector, A.Hinton

Sheffield Wednesday v Sunderland AFC 2-0 (1-0)
 Friday, 26 December 1969, Hillsborough, attendance: 35,126
 SWFC: P.Springett; Wilcockson, Megson, G.Young, Prophet (1), T.Craig, Sinclair, Downes (1), Whitham (Eustace), W.Smith, A.Coleman
 SAFC: Montgomery; C.Irwin, L.Ashurst, C.Todd, Pitt, McGiven, Park, Stuckey (Tueart), Lathan, G.Harris, W.Hughes

Nottingham Forest v Arsenal FC 1-1 (0-1)
 Friday, 26 December 1969, City Ground, attendance: 39,918
 NFFC: Hill; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, H.Newton, Rees (1), Hilley, Ingram (McCaffrey), P.Richardson, Storey-Moore
 AFC: Wilson; Storey, R.McNab (1), Court, T.Neill, Simpson, J.Robertson, Sammels, Radford, E.Kelly, G.Armstrong

Newcastle United v Leeds United 2-1 (2-0)
 Friday, 26 December 1969, Elland Road, attendance: 54,527
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, A.Burton (McNamee), Moncur, B.S.Robson (1), K.Dyson, W.Davies (1), Arentoft, Ford
 LFC: Sprake; Reaney, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, Giles (1), M.Jones, A.Clarke, Madeley

Manchester United v Wolverhampton Wanderers 0-0
 Friday, 26 December 1969, Old Trafford, attendance: 52,732
 MUFC: Stepney; P.Edwards, Dunne, F.Burns, Ure, Sadler, W.Morgan, Crerand, R.Charlton, Kidd, G.Best
 Wolves: Parkes; G.W.Taylor, D.Parkin, L.Wilson, Holsgrove, Woodfield, McCalliog, F.Munro (P.Walker), Lutton, M.Bailey, Wagstaffe

Crystal Palace v Chelsea FC 1-5 (1-1)
 Saturday, 27 December 1969, Selhurst Park, attendance: 49,498
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Loughlan, Hoadley (Thor'u), McCormick, Hynd, Dawkins, Blyth, Pinkney, Queen (1), Vansittard
 CFC: Bonetti; D.Webb, McCreadie, Hollins, Dempsey, R.Harris, C.Cooke, A.Hudson, P.Osgood (4), Hutchinson, Houseman (1)

Southampton FC v Stoke City 0-0
 Saturday, 27 December 1969, The Dell, attendance: 23,215
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, A.Byrne, Fisher, Gabriel, Da.Walker, D.Thompson, Channon, Saul, Paine, T.Jenkins
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, W.Stevenson, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Eastham (Skeels), J.Greenhoff, Ritchie, Dobia, Burrows

Manchester City v Burnley FC 1-1 (0-1)
 Tuesday, 6 January 1970, Maine Road, attendance: 22,074
 MCFC: Corrigan; Book (G.Heslo'), Pardoe, Doyle, Booth, Oakes, Summerbee, C.Bell, F.Lee (1), Bowles, Bowyer
 BFC: Mellor; F.Smith, J.Thomson, B.O'Neil, M.Dobson (1), Merrington, Casper, Coates, D.Wilson, Bellamy, Kindon

Stoke City v Liverpool FC 0-2 (0-1)
 Saturday, 10 January 1970, Victoria Ground, attendance: 30,038
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, W.Stevenson, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Eastham (Herd), J.Greenhoff, Ritchie, Dobia, Burrows
 LFC: Lawrence; Lawler, Wall, Strong, Yeats, E.Hughes, Callaghan, I.Ross, R.Graham (1), St. John (Livermore), P.Thompson (1)

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01 Everton FC	25	19	03	03	41	-09	46:22	2.09	01 Royle (Everton) 15 goals
02 Leeds United	26	14	10	02	38	-14	52:23	2.26	02 P.Osgood (Chelsea) 14 "
03 Liverpool FC	26	13	08	05	34	-18	48:29	1.66	03 G.Best (Man.U.) 12 "
04 Chelsea FC	26	12	10	04	34	-18	41:26	1.58	H.Curran (Wolverhampton) 12 "
05 Stoke City	27	11	09	07	31	-23	39:25	1.11	B.S.Robson (Newcastle) 12 "
06 Manchester City	26	11	08	07	30	-22	41:26	1.58	06 A.Clarke (Leeds) 11 "
07 Wolverhampton Wanderers	26	10	10	06	30	-22	37:31	1.19	Astle (West Bromwich) 11 "
08 Derby County	26	12	05	09	29	-23	34:24	1.42	Burrows (Stoke) 11 "
09 Coventry City	24	11	06	07	28	-20	32:25	1.28	G.Hurst (West Ham) 11 "
10 Arsenal FC	26	07	13	06	27	-25	31:28	1.11	10 Storey-Moore (Nottingham) 10 "
11 Manchester United	25	09	09	07	27	-23	37:36	1.03	Lorimer (Leeds) 10 "
12 Newcastle United	25	11	04	10	26	-24	31:22	1.41	F.Lee (Man.C.) 10 "
13 Tottenham Hotspur	25	10	06	09	26	-24	33:35	0.94	Hutchinson (Chelsea) 10 "
14 Nottingham Forest	26	07	12	07	26	-26	34:39	0.87	14 Giles (Leeds) 9 "
15 West Bromwich Albion	24	08	05	11	21	-27	30:31	0.97	Hector (Derby) 9 "
16 West Ham United	26	07	06	13	20	-32	30:40	0.75	J.Greenhoff (Stoke) 9 "
17 Burnley FC	26	05	10	11	20	-32	29:40	0.73	R.Graham (Liverpool) 9 "
18 Ipswich Town	26	05	07	14	17	-35	25:45	0.56	C.Bell (Man.C.) 9 "
19 Southampton FC	26	02	12	12	16	-36	32:48	0.67	Bowyer (Man.C.) 9 "
20 Crystal Palace	26	03	09	14	15	-37	22:47	0.47	Channon (Southampton) 8 "
21 Sheffield Wednesday	25	04	06	15	14	-36	22:44	0.50	Ritchie (Stoke) 8 "
22 Sunderland AFC	26	03	08	15	14	-38	16:46	0.35	R.Davies (Southampton) 8 "
									23 Radford (Arsenal) 7 "
									Suggett (West Bromwich) 7 "
									Morrissey (Everton) 7 "
									M.Jones (Leeds) 7 "
									J.Greaves (Tottenham) 7 "
									Ball (Everton) 7 "
									Queen (Palace) 7 "

Week 27

Arsenal FC v Newcastle United 0–0
 Saturday, 27 December 1969, Highbury, attendance: 39,646
 AFC: Wilson, Storey, R.McNab, George, T.Neill, Simpson, J.Robertson, Sammels, Radford, E.Kelly, G.Armstrong
 NUFC: McFaul, D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, B.S.Robson, K.Dyson, W.Davies, Arentoft, Ford

Derby County v West Bromwich Albion 2–0 (2–0)
 Saturday, 27 December 1969, Baseball Ground, attendance: 35,581
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Robson, Durban, McFarland, Mackay, M.Coverly, Wignall, O'Hare (2), Hector, A.Hinton
 WBA: Osborne, G.E.Williams, R.Wilson II, A.Brown, Potter, L.Hughes, Hegan, Suggett, Astle, Hartford, D.Martin (Krzywicki)

Ipswich Town v Tottenham Hotspur 2–0 (2–0)
 Saturday, 27 December 1969, Portman Road, attendance: 24,657
 Town: Best; Carroll, C.Harper, P.Morris, W.Baxter, McNeil, C.M.Woods (1), Wigg, M.Hill (1), Viljoen, F.Brogan (Lambert)
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, Beal, R.Evans, N.Johnson, J.Greaves, Woolcott (Pearce), Perryman, Gilzean

Leeds United v Everton FC 2–1 (2–0)
 Saturday, 27 December 1969, attendance: 46,770
 LUF: Sprake; Reaney, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clark, M.Jones (2), Giles, Madeley
 EFC: West; T.Wright, K.Newton, Kendall, Labone, T.Jackson, Whittle (1), Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, Morrissey

Sunderland AFC v Manchester United 1–1 (0–1)
 Saturday, 27 December 1969, Roker Park, attendance: 36,504
 SAF: Montgomery; C.Irwin, M.Harvey, C.Todd, B.Heslop, McGiven, Park, Tueart, J.Baker (1), G.Harris, W.Hughes
 MUF: Stepany; P.Edwards, S.Brennan, F.Burns, Ure, Sadler, W.Morgan, Crerand, R.Charlton, Kidd (1), G.Best

West Ham United v Nottingham Forest 1–1 (1–0)
 Saturday, 27 December 1969, Upton Park, attendance: 31,770
 WHU: Ferguson; Bonds (1), Lampard, Howe, R.Moore, Boyce, Redknapp, Peters, Brooking (P.Bennett), G.Hurst, C.Best
 NFFC: Hill; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, H.Newton, Rees, B.Lyons (McCaffrey), Hilley, P.Richardson, Storey-Moore (1)

West Bromwich Albion v Crystal Palace 3–2 (2–2)
 Saturday, 10 January 1970, The Hawthorns, attendance: 20,907
 WBA: Osborne, Fraser, R.Wilson II, A.Brown, Talbut, Kaye, Krzywicki, Suggett, Astle (3), Hartford, R.Hope
 Palace: J.Jackson, Sewell, Loughlan, D.Payne, McCormick, Hynd, A.Taylor, Tambling, C.Jackson (1), Queen (1), Blyth

Coventry City v Manchester City 3–0 (2–0)
 Saturday, 10 January 1970, Highfield Road, attendance: 29,386
 CCFC: Glazier; Coop, Cattlin, Machin, R.Barry, Blockley, R.Hunt II, N.Martin (1), O'Rourke (2), D.Clements, W.Carr
 MCFC: Corrigan; D.Connor, Pardoe, Doyle, Booth, Oakes, Summerbee, C.Bell, F.Lee, Bowles, Bowyer

Burnley FC v Wolverhampton Wanderers 1–3 (0–2)
 Saturday, 10 January 1970, Turf Moor, attendance: 13,195
 BFC: Mellor; F.Smith, J.Thomson, Merrington, M.Dobson, B.O'Neil, Coates (1), D.Wilson, Casper, Bellamy, Kindon (D.Thomas)
 Wolves: Oldfield; G.W.Taylor, D.Parkin, M.Bailey (1), Holsgrove, Woodfield, McCalliog (1), O'Grady (1, L.Wilson), Dougan, F.Munro, Wagstaffe

Liverpool FC v West Bromwich Albion 1–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 17 January 1970, Anfield Road, attendance: 43,526
 LFC: Lawrence; Lawler (1), Wall, Strong, Yeats, E.Hughes, Callaghan, I.Ross, P.Thompson, St. John, R.Graham
 WBA: Osborne, Fraser, R.Wilson II, A.Brown (1), Talbut, Kaye, L.Hughes, Suggett, Krzywicki (D.Martin), Hartford, R.Hope

Southampton FC v Everton FC 2–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 17 January 1970, The Dell, attendance: 27,156
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, A.Byrne, Fisher, Gabriel, Da.Walker, D.Payne, Channon (2), R.Davies, Stokes, T.Jenkins
 EFC: West; T.Wright, K.Newton, Kendall, Labone, C.Harvey (T.Jackson), Husband, J.Hurst, Royle, A.D.Brown, Morrissey (1)

Sheffield Wednesday v Coventry City 0–1 (0–0)
 Wednesday, 28 January 1970, Hillsborough, attendance: 18,149
 SWFC: Grummitt; Wilcockson, K.Burton, W.Smith, Prohett, T.Craig, Sinclair, Whitham, Downes, Pugh (Warboys), A.Coleman
 CCFC: Glazier; Coop, Cattlin, D.Clements, R.Barry, Blockley, R.Hunt II, W.Carr, N.Martin, O'Rourke (1), Joyce

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA	GR	Top Scorers	
01 Everton FC	27	19	03	05	41	–13	48:26	1.85	01 Royle (Everton)	15 goals
02 Leeds United	27	15	10	02	40	–14	54:24	2.25	02 Astle (West Bromwich)	14 *
03 Liverpool FC	27	13	09	05	35	–19	49:30	1.63	P.Osgood (Chelsea)	14 *
04 Chelsea FC	26	12	10	04	34	–18	41:26	1.58	04 B.S.Robson (Newcastle)	12 *
05 Coventry City	26	13	06	07	32	–20	36:25	1.44	H.Curran (Wolverhampton)	12 *
06 Wolverhampton Wanderers	27	11	10	06	32	–22	40:32	1.25	G.Best (Man.U.)	12 *
07 Derby County	27	13	05	09	31	–23	36:24	1.50	07 Burrows (Stoke)	11 *
08 Stoke City	27	11	09	07	31	–23	39:25	1.11	Storey-Moore (Nottingham)	11 *
09 Manchester City	27	11	08	08	30	–24	41:29	1.41	A.Clark (Leeds)	11 *
10 Arsenal FC	27	07	14	06	28	–26	31:22	1.11	C.Hurst (West Ham)	11 *
11 Manchester United	26	09	10	07	28	–24	38:38	1.03	11 Lorimer (Leeds)	10 *
12 Newcastle United	26	11	05	10	27	–25	31:22	1.41	Hutchinson (Chelsea)	10 *
13 Nottingham Forest	27	07	13	07	27	–27	35:40	0.88	Channon (Southampton)	10 *
14 Tottenham Hotspur	26	10	06	10	26	–26	33:37	0.89	F.Lee (Man.C.)	10 *
15 West Bromwich Albion	27	09	06	12	24	–30	34:36	0.94	15 Giles (Leeds)	9 *
16 West Ham United	27	07	07	13	21	–33	31:41	0.76	Bowyer (Man.C.)	9 *
17 Burnley FC	27	05	10	12	20	–34	30:43	0.70	Hector (Derby)	9 *
18 Ipswich Town	27	06	07	14	19	–35	27:45	0.60	R.Graham (Liverpool)	9 *
19 Southampton FC	27	03	12	12	18	–36	34:49	0.69	C.Bell (Man.C.)	9 *
20 Crystal Palace	27	03	09	15	15	–39	24:50	0.48	M.Jones (Leeds)	9 *
21 Sunderland AFC	27	03	09	15	15	–39	17:47	0.36	21 Ritchie (Stoke)	8 *
22 Sheffield Wednesday	26	04	06	16	14	–38	22:45	0.49	J.Greenhoff (Stoke)	8 *
									R.Hunt II (Coventry)	8 *
									R.Davies (Southampton)	8 *
									Morrissey (Everton)	8 *
									Queen (Palace)	8 *
									27 Ball (Everton)	7 *
									Kidd (Man.U.)	7 *
									Suggett (West Bromwich)	7 *
									N.Martin (Coventry)	7 *
									Radford (Arsenal)	7 *
									J.Greaves (Tottenham)	7 *

Week 28

Chelsea FC v Leeds United 2–5 (2–1)
 Saturday, 10 January 1970, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 57,221
 CFC: Hughes; D.Webb, McCreadie, Hollins (1), Dempsey, R.Harris, C.Cooke, A.Hudson, P.Osgood (1), Hutchinson, Houseman
 LUF: Sprake; Reaney, Cooper (1), W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer (1), A.Clark (1, Bates), M.Jones (1), Giles (1), Madeley

Everton FC v Ipswich Town 3–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 10 January 1970, Goodison Park, attendance: 24,510
 EFC: West; T.Wright, K.Newton, Kendall (1), Labone, T.Jackson, Husband, Ball, Royle (2), J.Hurst, Morrissey
 Town: Best; Carrolls, C.Harper, P.Morris, McNeil, Jefferson, M.Mills, Wigg, M.Hill, Viljoen, F.Brogan (C.M.Woods)

Manchester United v Arsenal FC 2–1 (1–1)
 Saturday, 10 January 1970, Old Trafford, attendance: 42,005
 MUF: Stepany; P.Edwards, Dunne (Sartori 1), F.Burns, Ure, Sadler, W.Morgan (1), Crerand, R.Charlton, Kidd, Aston
 AFC: Wilson; Storey, Nelson, Court, T.Neill, Simpson, Marinello (1), George, Radford, Sammels, G.Armstrong

Sheffield Wednesday v West Ham United 2–3 (0–1)
 Saturday, 10 January 1970, Hillsborough, attendance: 28,135
 SWFC: P.Springett; Wilcockson, Megson, Pugh, Prohett (1), T.Craig (1), Sinclair, Whitham (Warboys), Downes, W.Smith, A.Coleman
 WHU: Ferguson; Bonds, Howe, Peters (2), Stephenson, R.Moore, Holland, J.Lindsay, G.Hurst (1), Eustace, C.Best

Tottenham Hotspur v Derby County 2–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 10 January 1970, White Hart Lane, attendance: 38,645
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, England, Beal, Pearce, J.Greaves (1), Gilzean, Perryman, R.Morgan (1)
 Derby: Green; Webster, P.Daniel, Durban, McFarland, McGovern, Carlin (1), Wignall, Hector, A.Hinton

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Newcastle United 1–1 (1–1)
 Saturday, 17 January 1970, Molineux, attendance: 29,665
 Wolves: Oldfield; G.W.Taylor, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, Holsgrove, Woodfield, McCalliog, O'Grady, Dougan, H.Curran (1), Wagstaffe
 NUFC: McFaul; Craggs, F.Clark, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, B.S.Robson, J.Smith, W.Davies, R.Guthrie (1), Ford

Sunderland AFC v Tottenham Hotspur 2–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 17 January 1970, Roker Park, attendance: 27,156
 SAF: Montgomery; C.Irwin, M.Harvey, C.Todd, B.Heslop, McGiven, Park, Tueart, J.Baker, G.Harris (1), W.Hughes (1)
 Spurs: Hancock; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, P.Collins, Beal, Pearce (M.Chivers), J.Greaves, Gilzean, Perryman, R.Morgan (1)

Manchester City v Stoke City 0–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 17 January 1970, Maine Road, attendance: 31,965
 MCFC: Mulhearn; Book (Bowles), Pardoe, Doyle, Booth, Oakes, Summerbee, C.Bell, F.Lee, N.Young, Bowyer
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, W.Stevenson, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Conroy, J.Greenhoff, Ritchie, Skeels, Burrows (1)

Crystal Palace v Nottingham Forest 1–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 17 January 1970, Selhurst Park, attendance: 22,531
 Palace: J.Jackson, Sewell, Loughlan, D.Payne (1), McCormick, Hynd, Tambling, R.E.Hoy, C.Jackson, Queen, A.Taylor
 NFFC: Hill; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman (1), Hennessey, H.Newton, B.Lyons, P.Richardson, Ingram, Hilley, Storey-Moore

Everton FC v Newcastle United 0–0
 Saturday, 24 January 1970, Goodison Park, attendance: 42,845
 EFC: West; T.Wright (A.D.Brown), K.Newton, Kendall, Labone, C.Harvey, Husband, Whittle, Royle, J.Hurst, Morrissey
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, B.S.Robson, J.Smith, R.Guthrie (Arentoft), W.Davies, Ford

Nottingham Forest v Liverpool FC 1–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 31 January 1970, City Ground, attendance: 30,838
 NFFC: Hill; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, H.Newton, B.Lyons, P.Richardson (1, Barnwell), Ingram, Hilley, Storey-Moore
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, Wall, Strong, Yeats, E.Hughes, Callaghan, T.Smith, St. John, I.Ross, R.Graham

Tottenham Hotspur v Southampton FC 0–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 31 January 1970, White Hart Lane, attendance: 27,693
 Spurs: Jennings; R.Evans, Want, Mullery, England, Beal, M.Chivers, Pratt, Pearce, D.Bond, R.Morgan
 SFC: Martin; K.Jones, A.Byrne, Fisher, Gabriel, Da.Walker, Paine, Channon, R.Davies (1), Stokes, T.Jenkins

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01 Everton FC	29	20	04	05	44	–14	51:26	1.96	01 Royle (Everton)	17 goals
02 Leeds United	28	16	10	02	42	–14	59:26	2.27	02 P.Osgood (Chelsea)	15 *
03 Liverpool FC	28	13	09	06	35	–21	49:31	1.58	03 Astle (West Bromwich)	14 *
04 Chelsea FC	27	12	10	05	34	–20	43:31	1.39	04 H.Curran (Wolverhampton)	13 *
05 Wolverhampton Wanderers	28	11	11	06	33	–23	41:33	1.24	05 B.S.Robson (Newcastle)	12 *
06 Stoke City	28	12	09	07	33	–23	40:35	1.14	G.Hurst (West Ham)	12 *
07 Coventry City	26	13	06	07	32	–20	36:25	1.44	G.Best (Man.U.)	12 *
08 Derby County	28	13	05	10	31	–25	37:26	1.42	A.Clark (Leeds)	12 *
09 Manchester City	28	11	08	09	30	–26	41:30	1.37	Burrows (Stoke)	12 *
10 Manchester United	27	10	10	07	30	–24	40:38	1.05	10 Lorimer (Leeds)	11 *
11 Nottingham Forest	29	08	14	07	28	–28	37:41	0.90	Storey-Moore (Nottingham)	11 *
12 Newcastle United	28	11	07	10	29	–27	32:23	1.39	12 Giles (Leeds)	10 *
13 Arsenal FC	28	07	14	07	28	–28	32:30	1.07	Hutchinson (Chelsea)	10 *
14 Tottenham Hotspur	29	11	06	12	28	–30	36:41	0.88	F.Lee (Man.C.)	10 *
15 West Bromwich Albion	27	09	06	12	24	–30	34:36	0.94	Channon (Southampton)	10 *
16 West Ham United	28	08	07	13	23	–33	34:43	0.79	M.Jones (Leeds)	10 *
17 Southampton FC	28	04	12	12	20	–36	35:49	0.71	17 C.Bell (Man.C.)	9 *
18 Burnley FC	27	05	10	12	20	–34	30:43	0.70	R.Davies (Southampton)	9 *
19 Ipswich Town	28	06	07	15	19	–37	27:48	0.56	R.Graham (Liverpool)	9 *
20 Sunderland AFC	28	04	09	15	17	–39	19:48	0.40	Bowyer (Man.C.)	9 *
21 Crystal Palace	28	03	10	15	16	–40	25:51	0.49	Hector (Derby)	9 *
22 Sheffield Wednesday	27	04	06	17	14	–40	24:48	0.50	22 J.Greaves (Tottenham)	8 *
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