

Week 1

Everton FC v Stoke City 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 27 August 1983, Goodison Park, attendance: 22,658
 EFC: Arnold, A.Harper, J.Bailey, Mountfield, Higgins, K.Richardson, Steven, A.Heath, Sharp, A.King, Sheedy
 Stoke: Fox: N.Chamberlain, Savage, R.James, P.Dyson, Bould, P.Griffiths (McIlroy), Painter, B.O'Callaghan, M.Thomas, P.Maguire
 Scorer: Sharp (1)

Aston Villa v West Bromwich Albion 4-3 (3-3)
 Saturday, 27 August 1983, Villa Park, attendance: 29,522
 Villa: Spink; G.Williams, C.Gibson, A.Evans, Ormsby, D.Mortimer, Curbishley, G.Shaw, Withe, McMahon, Walters
 WBA: P.Barron; A.Webb, C.Whitehead, Zondervan (G.Robson), K.McNaught, M.Bennett, Jol, G.Thompson, C.Regis, G.Owen, N.Cross
 Scorers: A.Evans (1), Walters (1), G.Shaw (1), Ormsby (1) - Zondervan (1), G.Thompson (1), C.Regis (1)

Ipswich Town v Tottenham Hotspur 3-1 (1-0)
 Saturday, 27 August 1983, Portman Road, attendance: 26,185
 Town: Cooper; Burley, Gernon, T.Parkin (K.O'Callaghan), Osman, Butcher, Wark, S.McCall, Mariner, Gates, Putney
 Spurs: Clemence; D.Thomas II, G.Mabbutt, G.Roberts, G.A.Stevens, Perryman, Hazard (Falco), Archibald, A.Galvin, Hoddle, A.Brazil
 Scorers: Gates (2), Mariner (1) - Archibald (1)

Manchester United v Queens Park Rangers 3-1 (2-0)
 Saturday, 27 August 1983, Old Trafford, attendance: 48,742
 MUFC: Bailey; Duxbury, Albiston, R.Wilkins, K.Moran, McQueen, B.Robson, Mühren, Stapleton, Whiteside (Macari), A.Graham
 QPR: Hucker; W.Neill, Daves, Waddock, R.Hazell, Roeder, Micklewhite, Flanagan (Fillery), C.Allen, Stainrod, J.Gregory
 Scorers: Mühren (2), Stapleton (1) - C.Allen (1)

Nottingham Forest v Southampton FC 0-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 27 August 1983, City Ground, attendance: 14,626
 NFFC: van Breukelen; V.Anderson, Swain, C.Todd, Hart, Bowyer, C.Walsh (Wigley), I.Wallace, Birtles, Hodge, Davenport
 SFC: Shilton; Agboola, M.Mills, S.Williams, K.Armstrong, M.Wright, N.Holmes, S.Moran, F.Worthington, D.Armstrong, D.Wallace
 Scorer: D.Wallace (1)

West Ham United v Birmingham City 4-0 (3-0)
 Saturday, 27 August 1983, Upton Park, attendance: 19,729
 WHU: Parkes II; R.Stewart, Walford, Bonds, A.Martin, Devonshire, Whitton, Cottee, Swindlehurst, Brooking (Orr), Pike
 BCFC: Coton; Hagan, B.Stevenson, N.Blake, W.Wright, Broadhurst, Handysides (A.Rees), L.M.Phillips, Harford, van den Hauwe, R.Hopkins
 Scorers: Cottee (2), A.Martin (1), Swindlehurst (1)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Liverpool FC 1-1 (1-0)
 Saturday, 27 August 1983, Molineux, attendance: 26,249
 WWC: Burridge; Humphrey, G.Palmer, G.M.Smith, Pender, Dodd, P.W.Daniel, Rudge (Towner), Eves, A.Gray, Kellock
 LFC: Grobbelaar; Neal, A.Kennedy, Lawrenson, C.Johnston, Hansen, Dalglish, S.Lee, Rush, M.Robinson, Souness
 Scorers: G.Palmer (1) - Rush (1)

Arsenal FC v Luton Town 2-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 27 August 1983, Highbury, attendance: 39,348
 AFC: Jennings; S.Robson, Sansom, Talbot, O'Leary, C.Hill, B.McDermott, P.Davis, C.Nicholas, Woodcock, Rix
 Luton: Sealey, Stephens, W.Turner, Horton, P.Elliott, Donaghy, R.Hill, P.Walsh, B.Stein, Bunn, D.Moss
 Scorers: Woodcock (1), B.McDermott (1) - S.Robson (1 o.g.)

Sunderland AFC v Norwich City 1-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 27 August 1983, Roker Park, attendance: 17,057
 SAFC: C.Turner; Venison, I.Munro, Atkins, Chisholm, Proctor, Bracewell, Rowell, C.West, N.Pickering, P.Atkinson
 NCFC: Woods; Devine, Downs, Mendham, W.Young, D.Watson II, Barham, van Wijk, Deehan, Bertschin, D.P.Bennett
 Scorers: C.West (1) - Bertschin (1)

Leicester City v Notts County 0-4 (0-2)
 Saturday, 27 August 1983, Filbert Street, attendance: 14,838
 LCFC: Grew; P.Ramsey, R.Smith, K.MacDonald, Banks, J.O'Neill, Lynex, Lineker, A.Smith, R.Jones, I.Wilson
 Notts: McDonagh; Lahtinen, N.Worthington, M.Goodwin, Kilcline, D.Hunt, Chiedozie (McParland), Fashanu, Christie, Harkouk, M.O'Neill
 Scorers: Christie (3), M.O'Neill (1)

Watford FC v Coventry City 2-3 (0-1)
 Saturday, 27 August 1983, Vicarage Road, attendance: 15,533
 WFC: Sherwood; P.Rice, Rostron, L.Taylor, Sims (Jobson), I.Bolton, N.Callaghan, Gilligan, Terry, Lohman, J.Barnes
 CCFC: Suckling; Hormantschuk, B.Roberts, Grimes, I.Butterworth, S.Jacobs, Gynn (Platnauer), G.Daly, Bamber, T.Gibson, K.Thompson
 Scorers: J.Barnes (1), Jobson (1) - I.Bolton (1 o.g.), T.Gibson (1), Rice (1 o.g.)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA
01 Notts County	01	01	00	00	3	4:0	
West Ham United	01	01	00	00	3	4:0	
03 Ipswich Town	01	01	00	00	3	3:1	
Manchester United	01	01	00	00	3	3:1	
05 Aston Villa	01	01	00	00	3	4:3	
06 Coventry City	01	01	00	00	3	3:2	
07 Arsenal FC	01	01	00	00	3	2:1	
08 Everton FC	01	01	00	00	3	1:0	
Southampton FC	01	01	00	00	3	1:0	
10 Liverpool FC	01	00	01	00	1	1:1	
Norwich City	01	00	01	00	1	1:1	
Sunderland AFC	01	00	01	00	1	1:1	
Wolverhampton Wanderers	01	00	01	00	1	1:1	
14 West Bromwich Albion	01	00	00	01	0	3:4	
15 Watford FC	01	00	00	01	0	2:3	
16 Luton Town	01	00	00	01	0	1:2	
17 Nottingham Forest	01	00	00	01	0	0:1	
Stoke City	01	00	00	01	0	0:1	
19 Queens Park Rangers	01	00	00	01	0	1:3	
Tottenham Hotspur	01	00	00	01	0	1:3	
21 Birmingham City	01	00	00	01	0	0:4	
22 Leicester City	01	00	00	01	0	0:4	

Top Scorers	Goals
01 Christie (Notts County)	3 goals
02 Cottee (West Ham Utd.)	2 "
Mühren (Manchester Utd.)	2 "
Gates (Ipswich)	2 "

Week 2

Manchester United v Nottingham Forest 1-2 (1-0)
 Monday, 29 August 1983, White Hart Lane, attendance: 43,005
 MUFC: Bailey; Duxbury (Macari), Albiston, R.Wilkins, K.Moran, McQueen, B.Robson, Mühren, Stapleton, Whiteside, A.Graham
 NFFC: Suckling; Hormantschuk, B.Roberts, Singleton (Withey), T.Peake, S.Jacobs, Grimes, Platnauer, Bamber, T.Gibson, M.Adams
 Scorers: K.Moran (1) - V.Anderson (1), Davenport (1)

Tottenham Hotspur v Coventry City 1-1 (1-0)
 Monday, 29 August 1983, White Hart Lane, attendance: 35,854
 Spurs: Clemence; Bowen, D.Thomas II, G.Roberts, G.A.Stevens, Perryman, G.Mabbutt, Archibald, A.Galvin, Hoddle, A.Brazil (Falco)
 CCFC: Suckling; Hormantschuk, B.Roberts, Singleton (Withey), T.Peake, S.Jacobs, Grimes, Platnauer, Bamber, T.Gibson, M.Adams
 Scorers: Hoddle (1) - Withey (1)

Southampton FC v Queens Park Rangers 0-0
 Saturday, 29 August 1983, The Dell, attendance: 19,522
 SFC: Shilton; Agboola, M.Mills, S.Williams, K.Armstrong, M.Wright, N.Holmes, S.Moran, F.Worthington, D.Armstrong, D.Wallace
 QPR: Hucker; W.Neill, Daves, Waddock, R.Hazell, Fenwick, Micklewhite, Fillery (Flanagan), C.Allen, Stainrod, J.Gregory

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Arsenal FC 1-2 (1-1)
 Monday, 29 August 1983, Molineux, attendance: 18,571
 WWC: Burridge; Humphrey, G.Palmer, G.M.Smith, Pender, Dodd, W.Clarke, Eves, A.Gray (Towner), Kellock, P.W.Daniel
 AFC: Jennings; S.Robson, Sansom, Talbot, O'Leary, C.Hill, B.McDermott, P.Davis, Woodcock, C.Nicholas, Rix
 Scorers: W.Clarke (1) - C.Nicholas (2)

Stoke City v West Bromwich Albion 3-1 (2-1)
 Monday, 29 August 1983, Victoria Ground, attendance: 16,156
 Stoke: Fox; Bould, Savage, R.James, P.Dyson, G.Berry, Painter, McIlroy, B.O'Callaghan, M.Thomas, P.Maguire
 WBA: P.Barron; A.Robertson, C.Whitehead, G.Robson, K.McNaught, M.Bennett, Jol, G.Thompson, C.Regis, G.Owen, N.Cross
 Scorers: Painter (2), P.Maguire (1) - N.Cross (1)

Aston Villa v Sunderland AFC 1-0 (0-0)
 Monday, 29 August 1983, Villa Park, attendance: 20,390
 Villa: Spink; G.Williams, C.Gibson, A.Evans, Ormsby, A.Blair, N.Curbishley, G.Shaw, Withe, P.Birch, Walters
 SAFC: C.Turner; Venison, I.Munro, Atkins, Chisholm, Bracewell (J.Cooke), N.Pickering, Rowell, C.West, Proctor, P.Atkinson
 Scorer: Walters (1)

Everton FC v West Ham United 0-1 (0-0)
 Monday, 29 August 1983, Goodison Park, attendance: 20,375
 EFC: Arnold; A.Harper, J.Bailey, Mountfield, Higgins, K.Richardson (D.Johnson), Steven, A.Heath, Sharp, A.King, Sheedy
 WHU: Parkes II; R.Stewart, Walford, Bonds, A.Martin, Devonshire, Whitton, Cottee, Swindlehurst, Orr, Pike
 Scorer: Walford (1)

Notts County v Birmingham City 2-1 (1-1)
 Tuesday, 30 August 1983, Meadow Lane, attendance: 11,031
 Notts: McDonagh; Lahtinen, N.Worthington, M.Goodwin (McCulloch), Kilcline, D.Hunt, Chiedozie, Fashanu, Christie, Harkouk, M.O'Neill
 BCFC: Coton; Hagan, van den Hauwe, N.Blake, W.Wright, Broadhurst, A.Rees (Handysides), L.M.Phillips, Harford, Halsall, R.Hopkins
 Scorers: Harkouk (2) - Harford (1)

Watford FC v Ipswich Town 2-2 (2-2)
 Tuesday, 30 August 1983, Vicarage Road, attendance: 15,388
 WFC: Sherwood; P.Rice, Rostron, L.Taylor, I.Bolton, Franklin, N.Callaghan, J.Barnes, Reilly, Lohman, Sterling
 Town: Cooper; Burley, Gernon, Putney, Osman, Butcher, Wark, S.McCall (T.Parkin) Mariner, Gates, K.O'Callaghan
 Scorers: Lohman (1), N.Callaghan (1) - Mariner (1), Gates (1)

Leicester City v Luton Town 0-3 (0-2)
 Wednesday, 31 August 1983, Filbert Street, attendance: 11,939
 LCFC: Grew; P.Ramsey, R.Smith, K.MacDonald, Banks, J.O'Neill, Lynex, Lineker, A.Smith, A.Peake, I.Wilson
 LFC: Grobbelaar; Neal, A.Kennedy, Lawrenson, C.Johnston, Hansen, Dalglish, S.Lee, Rush, M.Robinson, Souness
 Scorers: Bunn (1), D.Moss (1), R.Hill (1)

Norwich City v Liverpool FC 0-1 (0-1)
 Wednesday, 31 August 1983, Carrow Road, attendance: 23,859
 NCFC: Woods; Haylock, Downs, Mendham, W.Young, D.Watson II, Barham, Channon, Deehan, Bertschin, D.P.Bennett
 LFC: Grobbelaar; Neal, A.Kennedy, Lawrenson, C.Johnston, Hansen, Dalglish, S.Lee, Rush, M.Robinson, Souness
 Scorer: Souness (1)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA	Top Scorers
01 Notts County	02	02	00	00	6	6:1		01 Gates (Ipswich) 3 goals
02 West Ham United	02	02	00	00	6	5:0		Christie (Notts County) 3 "
03 Aston Villa	02	02	00	00	6	5:3		03 Mühren (Manchester Utd.) 2 "
04 Arsenal FC	02	02	00	00	6	4:2		Painter (Stoke) 2 "
05 Ipswich Town	02	01	01	00	4	5:3		Cottee (West Ham Utd.) 2 "
06 Coventry City	02	01	01	00	4	4:3		Harkouk (Notts County) 2 "
07 Liverpool FC	02	01	01	00	4	2:1		Mariner (Ipswich) 2 "
08 Southampton FC	02	01	01	00	4	1:0		C.Nicholas (Arsenal) 2 "
09 Luton Town	02	01	00	01	3	4:2		Walters (Aston Villa) 2 "
10 Manchester United	02	01	00	01	3	4:3		
11 Stoke City	02	01	00	01	3	3:2		
12 Nottingham Forest	02	01	00	01	3	2:2		
13 Everton FC	02	01	00	01	3	1:1		
14 Watford FC	02	00	01	01	1	4:5		
15 Wolverhampton Wanderers	02	00	01	01	1	2:3		
16 Norwich City	02	00	01	01	1	1:2		
Sunderland AFC	02	00	01	01	1	1:2		
18 Tottenham Hotspur	02	00	01	01	1	2:4		
19 Queens Park Rangers	02	00	01	01	1	1:3		
20 West Bromwich Albion	02	00	00	02	0	4:7		
21 Birmingham City	02	00	00	02	0	1:6		
22 Leicester City	02	00	00	02	0	0:7		

Week 3

Birmingham City v Watford FC 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 3 September 1983, St. Andrew's, attendance: 11,931
 BFCF: Coton; Hagan, van den Hauwe, N.Blake, W.Wright, Broadhurst, A.Rees, L.M.Phillips, Harford, Halsall, R.Hopkins
 WFC: Sherwood; P.Rice, Rostron, Patching (Jobson), Terry, Franklin, N.Callaghan, J.Barnes, Reilly, Jackett, Lohman
 Scorers: R.Hopkins (1), Halsall (1)

Tottenham Hotspur v West Ham United 0-2 (0-2)
 Saturday, 3 September 1983, White Hart Lane, attendance: 38,042
 Spurs: Clemence; Hughton, D.Thomas II, G.Roberts, G.A.Stevens, Perryman, G.Mabbutt, Falco, A.Galvin, Hoddle (P.Miller), Crooks
 WHU: Parkes II; R.Stewart, Walford, Bonds, A.Martin, Devonshire, Whitton, Cottee, Swindlehurst, Brooking, Pike
 Scorers: Whitton (1), Swindlehurst (1)

Liverpool FC v Nottingham Forest 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 3 September 1983, Anfield Road, attendance: 31,376
 LFC: Grobbelaar; Neal, A.Kennedy, Lawrenson, C.Johnston, Hansen, Dalglish, S.Lee, Rush, M.Robinson (D.Hodgson), Souness
 NFCF: Arnold; V.Anderson, Swain, C.Todd, Hart, Bowyer, C.Walsh, I.Wallace, Birtles, Hodge, Davenport
 Scorer: Rush (1)

Coventry City v Everton FC 1-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 3 September 1983, Highfield Road, attendance: 12,532
 CCFC: Suckling; Hormantschuk, B.Roberts, Grimes, T.Peake, S.Jacobs, Singleton (Withey), G.Daly, Platnauer, T.Gibson, M.Adams
 EFC: Arnold; A.Harper, J.Bailey, K.Ratcliffe, Higgins, K.Richardson, Steven, A.Heath (D.Johnson), Sharp, A.King, Sheedy
 Scorers: M.Adams (1) - Sheedy (1)

West Bromwich Albion v Leicester City 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 3 September 1983, The Hawthorns, attendance: 12,016
 WBA: P.Barron; Zondervan, C.Whitehead, G.Robson, K.McNaught, M.Bennett, Jol, G.Thompson, C.Regis, G.Owen, N.Cross
 LFCF: Grew; P.Ramsey, R.Smith, K.MacDonald, Banks (R.Jones), J.O'Neill, Lynex, Lineker, A.Smith, Rennie, I.Wilson
 Scorer: C.Whitehead (1)

Notts County v Ipswich Town 0-2 (0-0)
 Saturday, 3 September 1983, Meadow Lane, attendance: 9,023
 Notts: McDonagh; Lahtinen, N.Worthington, M.Goodwin (Christie), Kilcline, D.Hunt, Chiedozie, Fashanu, McCulloch, Harkouk, M.O'Neill
 Town: Cooper; Burley, Gernon, Putney (T.Parkin), Osman, Butcher, Wark, S.McCall, Mariner, Gates, K.O'Callaghan
 Scorers: Fashanu (1 o.g.), Mariner (1)

Stoke City v Manchester United 0-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 3 September 1983, Victoria Ground, attendance: 23,704
 Stoke: Fox; Bould, Savage, R.James, P.Dyson, G.Berry, Painter, Mclroy, B.O'Callaghan, M.Thomas, P.Maguire (M.Chamberlain)
 MUFC: Bailey, Gidman, Albiston, R.Wilkins, K.Moran, McQueen, B.Robson, Mühren, Stapleton, Whiteside, A.Graham
 Scorer: Mühren (1)

Queens Park Rangers v Aston Villa 2-1 (1-0)
 Saturday, 3 September 1983, Loftus Road, attendance: 16,922
 QPR: Hucker; W.Neill, Dawes, Waddock, R.Hazell, Fenwick, Micklewhite, Fillery, C.Allen, Stainrod, J.Gregory (I.Stewart)
 Villa: Spink; G.Williams, C.Gibson, A.Evans, Ormsby, D.Mortimer, Curbishley, G.Shaw, Withe, McMahon, Walters (Rideout)
 Scorers: Stainrod (1), Withe (1 o.g.) - Withe (1)

Luton Town v Sunderland AFC 4-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 3 September 1983, Kenilworth Road, attendance: 10,846
 Luton: Sealey; Stephens, W.Turner, Horton, P.Elliott, Donaghy, R.Hill, B.Stein, P.Walsh, Bunn, D.Moss
 SAFC: Turner; Venison, I.Munro, Atkins, Chisholm, S.Elliott, N.Pickering, Rowell, C.West, Proctor, P.Atkinson
 Scorers: C.Hill (1), P.Walsh (1), I.Munro (1 o.g.), B.Stein (1) - C.West (1)

Southampton FC v Arsenal FC 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 3 September 1983, The Dell, attendance: 19,377
 SFC: Shilton; Agboola, M.Mills, S.Williams, K.Armstrong, M.Wright, N.Holmes, Baird, F.Worthington, D.Armstrong, D.Wallace
 AFC: Jennings; S.Robson, Sansom, Talbot, O'Leary, C.Hill, B.McDermott (C.Whyte), P.Davis, Woodcock, C.Nicholas, Rix
 Scorers: Baird (1)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Norwich City 0-3 (0-2)
 Saturday, 3 September 1983, Molineux, attendance: 13,713
 WWFC: Burridge; Humphrey, G.Palmer, G.M.Smith, Pender, Dodd, Townner, P.W.Daniel, Eves, W.Livingstone, Kellock (W.Clarke)
 NCFC: Woods; Haylock, Downs, Mendham, W.Young, D.Watson II, Barham, Channon, Deehan, Bertschin, van Wijk
 Scorers: Deehan (2), Bertschin (1)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA
01 West Ham United	03	03	00	00	9	7:0	
02 Ipswich Town	03	02	01	00	7	7:3	
03 Liverpool FC	03	02	01	00	7	3:1	
04 Southampton FC	03	02	01	00	7	2:0	
05 Luton Town	03	02	00	01	6	8:3	
06 Notts County	03	02	00	01	6	6:3	
07 Manchester United	03	02	00	01	6	5:3	
08 Aston Villa	03	02	00	01	6	6:5	
09 Arsenal FC	03	02	00	01	6	4:3	
10 Coventry City	03	01	02	00	5	5:4	
11 Norwich City	03	01	01	01	4	4:2	
12 Everton FC	03	01	01	01	4	2:2	
13 Queens Park Rangers	03	01	01	01	4	3:4	
14 Stoke City	03	01	00	02	3	3:3	
15 Nottingham Forest	03	01	00	02	3	2:3	
16 West Bromwich Albion	03	01	00	02	3	5:7	
17 Birmingham City	03	01	00	02	3	3:6	
18 Watford FC	03	00	01	02	1	4:7	
19 Sunderland AFC	03	00	01	02	1	2:6	
Tottenham Hotspur	03	00	01	02	1	2:6	
Wolverhampton Wanderers	03	00	01	02	1	2:6	
22 Leicester City	03	00	00	03	0	0:8	

Top Scorers	Goals
01 Mariner (Ipswich)	3 goals
02 Mühren (Manchester Utd.)	3 "
Christie (Notts County)	3 "
Gates (Ipswich)	3 "
05 C.Nicholas (Arsenal)	2 "
Harkouk (Notts County)	2 "
Walters (Aston Villa)	2 "
08 Aston Villa	2 "
R.Hill (Luton)	2 "
Rush (Liverpool)	2 "
10 Arsenal FC	2 "
Deehan (Norwich)	2 "
11 Birmingham City	2 "
C.West (Sunderland)	2 "
12 Norwich City	2 "
Cottee (West Ham Utd.)	2 "
13 Queens Park Rangers	2 "
Swindlehurst (West Ham Utd.)	2 "
14 Stoke City	2 "
Bertschin (Norwich)	2 "
15 West Bromwich Albion	2 "
Painter (Stoke)	2 "

Week 4

Liverpool FC v Southampton FC 1-1 (0-0)
 Tuesday, 6 September 1983, Anfield Road, attendance: 26,331
 LFC: Grobbelaar; Neal, A.Kennedy, Lawrenson, C.Johnston, Hansen, Dalglish, S.Lee, Rush, M.Robinson, Souness
 SFC: Shilton; Agboola, M.Mills, S.Baker, K.Armstrong, M.Wright, N.Holmes, Baird, F.Worthington (Foyle), D.Armstrong, D.Wallace
 Scorers: Rush (1) - M.Mills (1)

Queens Park Rangers v Watford FC 1-1 (1-1)
 Tuesday, 6 September 1983, Loftus Road, attendance: 17,111
 QPR: Hucker; W.Neill, Dawes, Waddock, R.Hazell, Fenwick, Micklewhite, I.Stewart (Flanagan), C.Allen, Stainrod, J.Gregory
 SFC: Sherwood; C.A.Palmer, Jackett, Jobson, Sims, Franklin, N.Callaghan, J.Barnes, Reilly, Lohman, Rostron
 Scorers: Stainrod (1) - J.Barnes (1)

West Ham United v Leicester City 3-1 (1-1)
 Tuesday, 6 September 1983, Upton Park, attendance: 22,131
 WHU: Parkes II; R.Stewart, Walford, Bonds, A.Martin, Devonshire, Whitton, Cottee, Swindlehurst, Brooking, Pike
 LFCF: Grew; P.Ramsey, R.Smith, K.MacDonald, Rennie, A.Peake, Lynex, Lineker, A.Smith, R.Jones (English), I.Wilson
 Scorers: Walford (1), Swindlehurst (1), Cottee (1) - Lineker (1)

Luton Town v Norwich City 2-2 (0-2)
 Tuesday, 6 September 1983, Kenilworth Road, attendance: 11,095
 Luton: Sealey; Stephens, W.Turner, Horton, P.Elliott, Donaghy, R.Hill, B.Stein, P.Walsh, Bunn (Antic), D.Moss
 NCFC: Woods; Haylock, Downs, Mendham, W.Young, D.Watson II, Barham, Channon, Deehan, Bertschin, van Wijk
 Scorers: P.Elliott (1), B.Stein (1) - Channon (1), Mendham (1)

Coventry City v Notts County 2-1 (0-1)
 Tuesday, 6 September 1983, Highfield Road, attendance: 10,912
 CCFC: Suckling; Hormantschuk, B.Roberts, Grimes, T.Peake, S.Jacobs, Singleton (Withey), G.Daly, Platnauer, T.Gibson, M.Adams
 NCFC: McDonagh; Lahtinen, N.Worthington, M.Goodwin, Kilcline, D.Hunt, Chiedozie, Fashanu, McCulloch, Harkouk, M.O'Neill
 Scorers: T.Gibson (1), Platnauer (1) - Fashanu (1)

Arsenal FC v Manchester United 2-3 (1-3)
 Tuesday, 6 September 1983, Highbury, attendance: 42,704
 AFC: Jennings; S.Robson, Sansom, Talbot, O'Leary, C.Hill, B.McDermott (Sunderland), P.Davis, Woodcock, C.Nicholas, Rix
 MUFC: Bailey, Gidman, Albiston, R.Wilkins, K.Moran, McQueen, B.Robson, Mühren, Stapleton, Whiteside, A.Graham (Moses)
 Scorers: Woodcock (1), Talbot (1) - K.Moran (1), Stapleton (1), B.Robson (1)

Birmingham City v Stoke City 1-0 (1-0)
 Tuesday, 6 September 1983, City Ground, attendance: 13,728
 BFCF: Coton; Hagan, van den Hauwe, N.Blake, W.Wright, Broadhurst, A.Rees (McCarrick), L.M.Phillips, Harford, Halsall, R.Hopkins
 Stoke: Fox; N.Chamberlain, Savage, R.James, P.Dyson, Bould, Painter, Mclroy, B.O'Callaghan, M.Thomas (P.Maguire), M.Chamberlain
 Scorer: N.Blake (1)

Ipswich Town v Everton FC 3-0 (0-0)
 Tuesday, 7 September 1983, Portman Road, attendance: 16,543
 Town: Cooper; Burley, Gernon, T.Parkin, Osman, Butcher, Wark, S.McCall, Mariner, Gates (R.Turner), K.O'Callaghan
 EFC: Arnold; A.Harper, J.Bailey (P.Reid), K.Ratcliffe, Higgins, K.Richardson, E.Curran, Steven, Sharp, D.Johnson, Sheedy
 Scorers: Mariner (1), Wark (1), R.Turner (1)

Nottingham Forest v Aston Villa 2-2 (1-1)
 Wednesday, 7 September 1983, City Ground, attendance: 16,363
 NFFC: van Breukelen; V.Anderson, Swain, C.Todd, Hart, Bowyer, C.Walsh, I.Wallace, Birtles, Hodge, Davenport
 Villa: Spink; G.Williams, C.Gibson, A.Evans, Ormsby, D.Mortimer, Curbishley, G.Shaw (Rideout), Withe, McMahon, Walters
 Scorers: Davenport (1), Birtles (1) - Withe (1), G.Shaw (1)

Sunderland AFC v Wolverhampton Wanderers 3-2 (1-0)
 Wednesday, 7 September 1983, Roker Park, attendance: 12,961
 SAFC: P.Turner; Venison, I.Munro, Atkins, Chisholm, N.Pickering, L.James (Hindmarch), Rowell, C.West, Proctor, P.Atkinson
 WWFC: Burridge; Humphrey, G.Palmer, I.Cartwright, Pender, Dodd, Townner, P.W.Daniel, W.Livingstone (W.Clarke), Eves, Rudge
 Scorers: Rowell (1), P.W.Daniel (1 o.g.), P.Atkinson (1) - Townner (1), Eves (1)

West Bromwich Albion v Tottenham Hotspur 1-1 (0-1)
 Wednesday, 7 September 1983, The Hawthorns, attendance: 14,989
 WBA: P.Barron; Zondervan, C.Whitehead, Cowdrill, K.McNaught, M.Bennett, Jol (Perry), G.Thompson, C.Regis, G.Owen, N.Cross
 Spurs: Clemence; G.O'Reilly, Hughton, G.Roberts, G.A.Stevens, Perryman, G.Mabbutt, Falco, A.Galvin, Brooke, Crooks
 Scorers: C.Regis (1) - G.Roberts (1)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA
01 West Ham United	04	04	00	00	12	10:1	
02 Ipswich Town	04	03	01	00	10	10:3	
03 Manchester United	04	03	00	01	9	8:5	
04 Coventry City	04	02	02	00	8	7:5	
05 Liverpool FC	04	02	02	00	8	4:2	
06 Southampton FC	04	02	02	00	8	3:1	
07 Luton Town	04	02	01	01	7	10:5	
08 Aston Villa	04	02	01	01	7	8:7	
09 Notts County	04	02	00	02	6	7:5	
10 Arsenal FC	04	02	00	02	6	6:6	
11 Birmingham City	04	02	00	02	6	4:6	
12 Norwich City	04	01	02	01	5	6:4	
13 Queens Park Rangers	04	01	02	01	5	4:5	
14 Nottingham Forest	04	01	01	02	4	4:5	
15 West Bromwich Albion	04	01	01	02	4	6:8	
16 Sunderland AFC	04	01	01	02	4	5:8	
17 Everton FC	04	01	01	02	4	2:5	
18 Stoke City	04	01	00	03	3	3:4	
19 Watford FC	04	00	02	02	2	5:8	
20 Tottenham Hotspur	04	00	02	02	2	3:7	
21 Wolverhampton Wanderers	04	00	01	03	1	4:9	
22 Leicester City	04	00	00	04	0	1:11	

Top Scorers	Goals
01 Mariner (Ipswich)	4 goals
02 Rush (Liverpool)	3 "
Cottee (West Ham Utd.)	3 "
Christie (Notts County)	3 "
Mühren (Ipswich)	3 "
Swindlehurst (West Ham Utd.)	3 "
Gates (Ipswich)	3 "
08 Davenport (Nottingham)	2 "
Stapleton (Manchester Utd.)	2 "
C.West (Sunderland)	2 "
Harkouk (Notts County)	2 "
Withe (Aston Villa)	2 "
Walters (Aston Villa)	2 "
K.Moran (Manchester Utd.)	2 "
J.Barnes (Watford)	2 "
Painter (Stoke)	2 "
Bertschin (Norwich)	2 "
C.Nicholas (Arsenal)	2 "
Walford (West Ham Utd.)	2 "
R.Hill (Luton)	2 "
T.Gibson (Coventry)	2 "
G.Shaw (Aston Villa)	2 "
C.Regis (West Bromwich)	2 "
Stainrod (Queens Park Rangers)	2 "
B.Stein (Luton)	2 "
Deehan (Norwich)	2 "

Week 5

Aston Villa v Norwich City 1–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 10 September 1983, Villa Park, attendance: 18,887
 Villa: Spink; G.Williams, C.Gibson, A.Evans, Ormsby, D.Mortimer, Curbishley, Rideout, Withe, McMahon, Walters
 NCFE: Woods: Haylock (Devine), Downs, Mendham, W.Young, D.Watson II, Barham, Channon, Deehan, Bertschin, van Wijk
 Scorer: D.Mortimer (1)

Ipswich Town v Stoke City 5–0 (3–0)
 Saturday, 10 September 1983, Portman Road, attendance: 16,315
 Town: Cooper, Burley, Gernon, T.Parkin (Putney), Osman, Butcher, Wark, S.McCall, Mariner, Gates, K.O'Callaghan
 NCFE: Fox: N.Chamberlain, Hampton, R.James, P.Dyson, G.Berry, Painter, McLroy (B.O'Callaghan), P.Maguire, M.Thomas, M.Chamberlain
 Scorers: Wark (2'), Burley (1), Gates (1), Mariner (1)

Leicester City v Tottenham Hotspur 0–3 (0–2)
 Saturday, 10 September 1983, Filbert Street, attendance: 15,538
 LCFC: Grew; P.Ramsey, R.Smith, K.MacDonald, Rennie, A.Peake, Lynex (English), Lineker, A.Smith, R.Jones, I.Wilson
 Spurs: Clemence; Hughton, G.O'Reilly, G.Roberts, G.A.Stevens, Perryman, G.Mabbutt, Falco, A.Galvin, Brooke (Bowen), Crooks
 Scorers: Crooks (1), G.Mabbutt (1), G.A.Stevens (1)

Watford FC v Notts County 3–1 (2–1)
 Saturday, 10 September 1983, Vicarage Road, attendance: 12,763
 WF: Sherwood; C.A.Palmer, Jackett, Jobson, Sims, Franklin, N.Callaghan, J.Barnes, Reilly, Lohman (Gilligan), Rostron
 Notts: McDonagh; Lahtinen, N.Worthington, M.Goodwin (Christie), Kilcline, D.Hunt, Chiedozie, Fashanu, McCulloch, Harkouk, M.O'Neill
 Scorers: Reilly (1), C.A.Palmer (1), J.Barnes (1) – Harkouk (1)

Everton FC v West Bromwich Albion 0–0
 Saturday, 10 September 1983, Goodison Park, attendance: 15,548
 EFC: Arnold; A.Harper, J.Bailey, K.Ratcliffe, Higgins, Steven, E.Curran (K.Richardson), A.Heath, Sharp, D.Johnson, Sheedy
 WBA: P.Barron; C.Whitehead, Cowdrill, Zondervan, K.McNaught, M.Bennett, G.Robson (N.Cross), G.Thompson, C.Regis, G.Owen, Perry

Manchester United v Luton Town 2–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 10 September 1983, Old Trafford, attendance: 41,013
 MUFC: Bailey; Gidman, Albiston, R.Wilkins, K.Moran, McQueen, B.Robson (Moses), Mühren, Stapleton, Whiteside, A.Graham
 Luton: Sealey; Stephens, W.Turner, Horton, P.Elliott, Donaghy, R.Hill, B.Stein, P.Walsh, Bunn (Antic), D.Moss
 Scorers: Mühren (1'), Albiston (1)

Nottingham Forest v Queens Park Rangers 3–2 (2–1)
 Saturday, 10 September 1983, City Ground, attendance: 14,607
 NFFC: van Breukelen; V.Anderson, Swain, C.Todd, Hart, Bowyer, C.Walsh (Wigley), I.Wallace, Birtles, Hodge, Davenport
 QPR: Hucker; W.Neill, Dawes, Waddock, R.Hazell, Fenwick, Micklewhite, I.Stewart, Sealy, Stainrod, J.Gregory
 Scorers: Hodge (1), Davenport (1), R.Hazell (1 o.g.) – Dawes (1), Stainrod (1)

Sunderland AFC v Southampton FC 0–2 (0–1)
 Saturday, 10 September 1983, Roker Park, attendance: 12,716
 SFC: C.Turner; Venison, I.Munro, Atkins, Chisholm, Proctor, Bracewell, Rowell, C.West, N.Pickering, P.Atkinson (L.James)
 SFCA: Shilton; Agboola, M.Mills, S.Williams, K.Armstrong, M.Wright, N.Holmes, S.Moran, F.Worthington, D.Armstrong, D.Wallace
 Scorer: S.Moran (2)

Arsenal FC v Liverpool FC 0–2 (0–1)
 Saturday, 10 September 1983, Highbury, attendance: 41,896
 AFC: Jennings; S.Robson, Sansom, Talbot, O'Leary, C.Hill, Sunderland, P.Davis, Woodcock, C.Nicholas, Rix
 LFC: Grobbelaar; Neal, A.Kennedy, Lawrenson, C.Johnston, Hansen, Dalglish, S.Lee, Rush, M.Robinson, Souness
 Scorers: C.Johnston (1), Dalglish (1)

West Ham United v Coventry City 5–2 (3–2)
 Saturday, 10 September 1983, Upton Park, attendance: 22,195
 WHU: Parkes II; R.Stewart, Walford, Bonds, A.Martin, Devonshire, Whitton, Cottee, Swindlehurst, Brooking, Pike
 CCFC: Suckling; Hormantschuk (Singleton), B.Roberts, Grimes, T.Peake, S.Jacobs, I.Butterworth, Withey, Platnauer, T.Gibson, M.Adams
 Scorers: Swindlehurst (3), Whitton (2) – T.Peake (1), Platnauer (1)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Birmingham City 1–1 (1–1)
 Saturday, 10 September 1983, Molineux, attendance: 15,933
 WWFC: Burridge; Humphrey, G.Palmer, Rudge, Pender, Dodd, I.Cartwright, P.W.Daniel (W.Livingstone), Eves, A.Gray, Towner
 BCFC: Coton; Hagan, van den Hauwe, N.Blake, W.Wright, Broadhurst, A.Rees (H.Gayle), L.M.Phillips, Harford, Halsall, R.Hopkins
 Scorers: Eves (1) – W.Wright (1')

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01 West Ham United	05	05	00	00	15	15:3	
02 Ipswich Town	05	04	01	00	13	15:3	
03 Manchester United	05	04	00	01	12	10:5	
04 Liverpool FC	05	03	02	00	11	6:2	
05 Southampton FC	05	03	02	00	11	5:1	
06 Aston Villa	05	03	01	01	10	9:7	
07 Coventry City	05	02	02	01	8	9:10	
08 Luton Town	05	02	01	02	7	10:7	
09 Nottingham Forest	05	02	01	02	7	7:7	
10 Birmingham City	05	02	01	02	7	5:7	
11 Notts County	05	02	00	03	6	8:8	
12 Arsenal FC	05	02	00	03	6	8:8	
13 Norwich City	05	01	02	02	5	6:5	
14 Watford FC	05	01	02	02	5	8:9	
15 Tottenham Hotspur	05	01	02	02	5	6:7	
16 Queens Park Rangers	05	01	02	02	5	6:8	
17 West Bromwich Albion	05	01	02	02	5	6:8	
18 Everton FC	05	01	02	02	5	2:5	
19 Sunderland AFC	05	01	01	03	4	5:10	
20 Stoke City	05	01	00	04	3	3:9	
21 Wolverhampton Wanderers	05	00	02	03	2	5:10	
22 Leicester City	05	00	00	05	0	1:14	

Top Scorers	Goals
01 Swindlehurst (West Ham Utd.)	6 goals
02 Mariner (Ipswich)	5 "
03 Mühren (Manchester Utd.)	4 "
Gates (Ipswich)	4 "
05 Rush (Liverpool)	3 "
J.Barnes (Watford)	3 "
06 Coventry City	3 "
Wark (Ipswich)	3 "
Stainrod (Queens Park Rangers)	3 "
Davenport (Nottingham)	3 "
Cottee (West Ham Utd.)	3 "
Harkouk (Notts County)	3 "

Week 6

Tottenham Hotspur v Everton FC 1–2 (0–2)
 Saturday, 17 September 1983, White Hart Lane, attendance: 29,125
 Spurs: Clemence; Hughton, G.O'Reilly, G.Roberts, P.Price, Perryman, G.Mabbutt, Falco, A.Galvin, Brooke, Crooks (A.Brazil)
 EFC: Arnold; A.Harper, J.Bailey, K.Ratcliffe, Higgins, P.Reid (K.Richardson), Steven, A.Heath, Sharp, D.Johnson, Sheedy
 Scorers: Falco (1) – P.Reid (1), Sheedy (1)

Birmingham City v Ipswich Town 1–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 17 September 1983, St. Andrew's, attendance: 13,159
 BCFC: Coton; Mumford, van den Hauwe, N.Blake, W.Wright, Broadhurst, H.Gayle, L.M.Phillips, Harford, Halsall, A.Rees (B.Stevenson)
 LFC: Wallington; P.Ramsey, R.Smith, K.MacDonald, Rennie, J.O'Neill, R.Jones, Lineker, A.Smith, A.Peake (T.Williams), I.Wilson
 Scorers: H.Gayle (1)

Coventry City v Leicester City 2–1 (1–0)
 Saturday, 17 September 1983, Highfield Road, attendance: 12,377
 CCFC: Avramovic; Hormantschuk, B.Roberts, I.Butterworth, T.Peake, S.Jacobs, Withey, G.Daly, Platnauer, T.Gibson, K.Thompson (D.Bennett)
 LFC: Wallington; P.Ramsey, R.Smith, K.MacDonald, Rennie, J.O'Neill, R.Jones, Lineker, A.Smith, A.Peake (T.Williams), I.Wilson
 Scorers: Platnauer (1), T.Gibson (1) – Lineker (1)

Stoke City v Watford FC 0–4 (0–1)
 Saturday, 17 September 1983, Victoria Ground, attendance: 12,691
 Stoke: Fox; Bould, Savage, R.James, P.Dyson, P.Maguire, Painter, McLroy, B.O'Callaghan, M.Thomas (Tueart), M.Chamberlain
 WF: Sherwood; C.A.Palmer, Jackett, Jobson, Terry, Franklin, N.Callaghan, J.Barnes, Reilly, Lohman, Rostron
 Scorers: J.Barnes (2), Lohman (1), Jobson (1)

Luton Town v Wolverhampton Wanderers 4–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 17 September 1983, Kenilworth Road, attendance: 10,975
 Luton: Sealey; Stephens, W.Turner, Horton, P.Elliott, Donaghy, R.Hill, B.Stein, P.Walsh, Bunn, D.Moss
 WWFC: Burridge; Humphrey, G.Palmer (K.Hibbitt), Rudge, Pender, Dodd, I.Cartwright, W.Livingstone, Eves, A.Gray, Towner
 Scorers: P.Walsh (1), B.Stein (1), D.Moss (1), Horton (1)

Notts County v Arsenal FC 0–4 (0–2)
 Saturday, 17 September 1983, Meadow Lane, attendance: 10,217
 Notts: McDonagh; T.Benjamin, N.Worthington, M.Goodwin (Christie), Kilcline, D.Hunt, Chiedozie, Fashanu, McCulloch, Harkouk, M.O'Neill
 AFC: Jennings; S.Robson, Sansom, P.Davis, C.Whyte, O'Leary, C.Hill, Sunderland, Woodcock, C.Nicholas (Talbot), Rix
 Scorers: Rix (1), D.Hunt (1 o.g.), Talbot (1), Woodcock (1)

Norwich City v Nottingham Forest 2–3 (2–2)
 Saturday, 17 September 1983, Carrow Road, attendance: 15,017
 NCFC: Woods; Haylock (Donowa), Downs, Mendham, Hareld, D.Watson II, Devine, Channon, Deehan, Bertschin, van Wijk
 NFFC: van Breukelen; V.Anderson, Swain, C.Todd, C.Fairclough, Bowyer, C.Walsh (Smalley), I.Wallace, Davenport, Hodge, Wigley
 Scorers: Bertschin (1), Deehan (1') – C.Walsh (3)

West Bromwich Albion v West Ham United 1–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 17 September 1983, The Hawthorns, attendance: 15,161
 WBA: P.Barron; C.Whitehead, Cowdrill, Zondervan, K.McNaught, M.Bennett, M.Lewis, G.Thompson, C.Regis, G.Owen, N.Cross (Perry)
 WHU: Parkes II; R.Stewart, Walford, Bonds, A.Martin, Devonshire, Orr (Goddard), Cottee, Swindlehurst, Brooking, Pike
 Scorer: C.Thompson (1)

Liverpool FC v Aston Villa 2–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 17 September 1983, Anfield Road, attendance: 34,246
 LFC: Grobbelaar; Neal, A.Kennedy, Lawrenson, C.Johnston, Hansen, Dalglish, S.Lee, Rush, M.Robinson, Souness
 Villa: Spink; G.Williams, C.Gibson, A.Evans, Ormsby, D.Mortimer, Curbishley, Rideout, Withe, McMahon, Walters (A.Morley)
 Scorers: Dalglish (1), Rush (1) – C.Gibson (1)

Southampton FC v Manchester United 3–0 (2–0)
 Saturday, 17 September 1983, The Dell, attendance: 20,674
 SFC: Shilton; Agboola, M.Mills, S.Williams, K.Armstrong, M.Wright, N.Holmes, S.Moran, F.Worthington, D.Armstrong, D.Wallace
 MUFC: Bailey; Duxbury, Albiston, R.Wilkins, K.Moran, McQueen, Moses, Mühren, Stapleton, Whiteside, A.Graham
 Scorers: S.Williams (2), D.Armstrong (1)

Queens Park Rangers v Sunderland AFC 3–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 17 September 1983, Loftus Road, attendance: 12,929
 QPR: Hucker; W.Neill, Dawes, Waddock, R.Hazell (Sealy), Fenwick, Micklewhite, I.Stewart, C.Allen, Stainrod, J.Gregory
 SAFC: C.Turner; Venison, Hindmarch, Atkins, Chisholm, Proctor, Bracewell, Rowell, C.West, N.Pickering, P.Atkinson
 Scorers: Fenwick (1'), Stainrod (1), C.Allen (1)

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01 West Ham United	06	05	00	01	15	14:4	
02 Southampton FC	06	04	02	00	14	8:1	
03 Liverpool FC	06	04	02	00	14	8:3	
04 Ipswich Town	06	04	01	01	13	15:4	
05 Manchester United	06	04	00	02	12	10:8	
06 Coventry City	06	03	02	01	11	11:11	
07 Luton Town	06	03	01	02	10	14:7	
08 Nottingham Forest	06	03	01	02	10	10:9	
Aston Villa	06	03	01	02	10	10:9	
10 Birmingham City	06	03	01	02	10	6:7	
11 Arsenal FC	06	03	00	03	9	10:8	
12 Watford FC	06	02	02	02	8	12:9	
13 Queens Park Rangers	06	02	02	02	8	9:8	
14 West Bromwich Albion	06	02	02	02	8	7:8	
15 Everton FC	06	02	02	02	8	4:6	
16 Notts County	06	02	00	04	6	8:12	
17 Norwich City	06	01	02	03	5	8:8	
18 Tottenham Hotspur	06	01	02	03	5	7:9	
19 Sunderland AFC	06	01	01	04	4	5:13	
20 Stoke City	06	01	00	05	3	3:13	
21 Wolverhampton Wanderers	06	00	02	04	2	5:14	
22 Leicester City	06	00	00	06	0	2:16	

Top Scorers	Goals
01 Swindlehurst (West Ham Utd.)	6 goals
02 Mariner (Ipswich)	5 "
J.Barnes (Watford)	5 "
04 Rush (Liverpool)	4 "
Gates (Ipswich)	4 "
Stainrod (Queens Park Rangers)	4 "
Mühren (Manchester Utd.)	4 "
08 T.Gibson (Coventry)	3 "
Platnauer (Coventry)	3 "
Woodcock (Arsenal)	3 "
Wark (Ipswich)	3 "
Bertschin (Norwich)	3 "
C.Walsh (Nottingham)	3 "
Harkouk (Notts County)	3 "
B.Stein (Luton)	3 "
Christie (Notts County)	3 "
Cottee (West Ham Utd.)	3 "
Davenport (Nottingham)	3 "

Week 7

Manchester United v Liverpool FC 1–0 (0–0)

Saturday, 24 September 1983, Old Trafford, attendance: 56,121

MUFC: Bailey, Duxbury, Albiston, R.Wilkins, K.Moran, McQueen, B.Robson, Mühren, Stapleton, Whiteside, A.Graham
 LFC: Grobbelaar; Neal (Nicoli), A.Kennedy, Lawrenson, C.Johnston, Hansen, Dalglish, S.Lee, Rush, M.Robinson, Souness
 Scorer: Stapleton (1)

West Ham United v Notts County 3–0 (1–0)

Saturday, 24 September 1983, Upton Park, attendance: 20,613

WHU: Parkes II; R.Stewart, Walford, Bonds, A.Martin, Devonshire, Goddard, Cottee, Swindlehurst, Brooking, Pike
 Notts: McDonagh; T.Benjamin, N.Worthington, M.O'Neill, Kilcline, D.Hunt, McParland, Christie (Chiedozie), McCulloch, Harkouk, Mair
 Scorers: Brooking (1), Goddard (1), R.Stewart (1)

Watford FC v Tottenham Hotspur 2–3 (1–0)

Saturday, 24 September 1983, Vicarage Road, attendance: 21,056

WFC: Sherwood; C.A.Palmer, Sinnott, Jobson, Terry, Jackett, N.Callaghan, J.Barnes, Reilly (Gilligan), Lohman, Rostron
 Spurs: Clemence; Hughton, A.Galvin, G.Roberts, G.A.Stevens, Peryman, G.Mabbutt, Falco, A.Brazil, Hoddle, Brooke (Archibald)
 Scorers: Rostron (1), N.Callaghan (1) – Hoddle (1), Archibald (1), Hughton (1)

Sunderland AFC v Coventry City 1–0 (0–0)

Saturday, 24 September 1983, Roker Park, attendance: 11,612

SFC: C.Turner; Venison, Hindmarch, Atkins, Chisholm, Proctor, Bracewell, Rowell, C.West, N.Pickering, L.James (J.Cooke)
 AFC: Avramovic; Hormantschuk, B.Roberts, I.Butterworth, T.Peake, Allardyce, Withey, G.Daly, Platnauer, T.Gibson, K.Thompson (D.Bennett)
 Scorer: C.West (1)

Ipswich Town v West Bromwich Albion 3–4 (2–2)

Saturday, 24 September 1983, Portman Road, attendance: 16,611

Town: Cooper; T.Parkin, Gernon, Putney, Osman, Butcher, Wark, S.McCall, Mariner, Gates, K.O'Callaghan
 WBA: P.Barron; C.Whitehead, Cowdhill, Zondervan, K.McNaught, M.Bennett, M.Lewis, G.Robson (Perry), N.Cross
 Scorers: Wark (1), Gates (1), Mariner (1) – Zondervan (1), C.Regis (1), Perry (1), G.Thompson (1)

Arsenal FC v Norwich City 3–0 (0–0)

Saturday, 24 September 1983, Highbury, attendance: 24,438

AFC: Jennings; S.Robson, Sansom, C.Whyte, O'Leary, C.Hill, Sunderland, P.Davis, L.R.Chapman, C.Nicholas (B.McDermott), Rix
 NCCF: Woods; Devine, Downs, Mendham, Hareide, D.Watson II, D.P.Bennett, Channon, Deehan, Bertschin, van Wijk (W.Young)
 Scorers: Sunderland (2), L.R.Chapman (1)

Leicester City v Stoke City 2–2 (2–2)

Saturday, 24 September 1983, Filbert Street, attendance: 10,215

LCFC: Wallington; P.Ramsey, R.Smith, K.McDonald, T.Williams, J.O'Neill, Lynex, Lineker, A.Smith (A.Peake), R.Jones, I.Wilson
 Stoke: Fox; Bould, Hampton, R.James, P.Dyson, McAughrrie, Painter, McLroy, B.O'Callaghan, P.Maguire (Savage), M.Chamberlain
 Scorers: R.Jones (1), Lineker (1) – Painter (1), P.Maguire (1)

Everton FC v Birmingham City 1–1 (0–1)

Saturday, 24 September 1983, Goodison Park, attendance: 15,253

EF: Arnold; A.Harper, J.Bailey, K.Ratcliffe, Higgins, P.Reid, Steven (A.King), A.Heath, Sharp, D.Johnson, Sheedy
 BCFC: Coton; Mumford, van den Hauwe, N.Blake, W.Wright, Broadhurst (B.Stevenson), H.Gayle, L.M.Phillips, Harford, Halsall, A.Rees
 Scorers: Sharp (1) – H.Gayle (1)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Queens Park Rangers 0–4 (0–3)

Saturday, 24 September 1983, Molineux, attendance: 11,511

WFC: Burridge; Humphrey, G.Palmer, G.M.Smith, Pender, Dodd, I.Cartwright, W.Clarke, W.Livingstone (Towner), A.Gray, M.Matthews
 QPR: Hucker; W.Neill, Dawes, Waddock, A.McDonald, Fenwick, Micklewhite, I.Stewart, C.Allen, Stainrod, J.Gregory (Sealy)
 Scorers: C.Allen (2), J.Gregory (1), Stainrod (1)

Aston Villa v Southampton FC 1–0 (0–0)

Saturday, 24 September 1983, Villa Park, attendance: 21,207

Villa: Spink; G.Williams, C.Gibson, A.Evans, Ormsby, D.Mortimer, Curbishley, Walters, Withe, McMahon, A.Morley
 SFC: Shilton; Agboola, M.Mills, S.Williams, K.Armstrong, M.Wright, N.Holmes, S.Moran, F.Worthington, D.Armstrong, D.Wallace
 Scorer: Withe (1)

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

Saturday, 24 September 1983, City Ground, attendance: 16,296

NFFC: van Breukelen; V.Anderson, Swain, C.Todd, Hart, Bowyer, C.Walsh, I.Wallace, Birtles, Hodge, Wigley
 Luton: Sealey; Stephens, W.Turner, Horton, P.Elliott, Donaghy, R.Hill, B.Stein, P.Walsh, Bunn (Antic), D.Moss
 Scorer: I.Wallace (1)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA
01 West Ham United	07	06	00	01	18	18:4	
02 Manchester United	07	05	00	02	15	11:8	
03 Southampton FC	07	04	02	01	14	8:2	
04 Liverpool FC	07	04	02	01	14	8:4	
05 Ipswich Town	07	04	01	02	13	18:8	
06 Nottingham Forest	07	04	01	02	13	11:9	
Aston Villa	07	04	01	02	13	11:9	
08 Arsenal FC	07	04	00	03	12	13:8	
09 Queens Park Rangers	07	03	02	02	11	13:8	
10 West Bromwich Albion	07	03	02	02	11	11:11	
11 Coventry City	07	03	02	02	11	11:12	
12 Birmingham City	07	03	02	02	11	7:8	
13 Luton Town	07	03	01	03	10	14:8	
14 Everton FC	07	02	03	02	9	5:7	
15 Watford FC	07	02	02	03	8	14:12	
16 Tottenham Hotspur	07	02	02	03	8	10:11	
17 Sunderland AFC	07	02	01	04	7	6:13	
18 Notts County	07	02	00	05	6	8:15	
19 Norwich City	07	01	02	04	5	8:11	
20 Stoke City	07	01	01	05	4	5:15	
21 Wolverhampton Wanderers	07	00	02	05	2	5:18	
22 Leicester City	07	00	01	06	1	4:18	

Top Scorers	Goals
01 Mariner (Ipswich)	6 goals
Swindlehurst (West Ham Utd.)	6 *
03 Stainrod (Queens Park Rangers)	5 *
J.Barnes (Watford)	5 *
Gates (Ipswich)	5 *
06 Mühren (Manchester Utd.)	4 *
Rush (Liverpool)	4 *
C.Allen (Queens Park Rangers)	4 *
Wark (Ipswich)	4 *
10 Deehan (Norwich)	3 *
Platnauer (Coventry)	3 *
Christie (Notts County)	3 *
Davenport (Nottingham)	3 *
B.Stein (Luton)	3 *
T.Gibson (Coventry)	3 *
Painter (Stoke)	3 *
Lineker (Leicester)	3 *
C.Regis (West Bromwich)	3 *
Cottee (West Ham Utd.)	3 *
G.Thompson (West Bromwich)	3 *
Bertschin (Norwich)	3 *
Withe (Aston Villa)	3 *
Stapleton (Manchester Utd.)	3 *
C.Walsh (Nottingham)	3 *
C.West (Sunderland)	3 *
Woodcock (Arsenal)	3 *
Harkouk (Notts County)	3 *

Week 8

Luton Town v Aston Villa 1–0 (0–0)

Saturday, 1 October 1983, Kenilworth Road, attendance: 12,747

Luton: Sealey; Stephens, W.Turner, Horton, P.Elliott, Donaghy, R.Hill, B.Stein, P.Walsh, Bunn, D.Moss (Antic)
 Villa: Spink; G.Williams, C.Gibson, A.Evans, Ormsby, D.Mortimer, Curbishley, Walters, Withe, D.Bremner, A.Morley (G.Shaw)
 Scorer: D.Moss (1)

Coventry City v Ipswich Town 1–2 (0–2)

Saturday, 1 October 1983, Highfield Road, attendance: 10,492

CCFC: Avramovic; Hormantschuk (J.Hendrie), B.Roberts, Grimes, T.Peake, Allardyce, Withey, G.Daly, Platnauer, T.Gibson, D.Bennett
 AFC: Jennings; S.Robson, Sansom, C.Whyte, O'Leary, C.Hill, Sunderland, P.Davis, L.R.Chapman, C.Nicholas, Rix
 Scorers: T.Gibson (1) – Mariner (1), K.O'Callaghan (1)

Queens Park Rangers v Arsenal FC 2–0 (1–0)

Saturday, 1 October 1983, Loftus Road, attendance: 26,293

QPR: Hucker; W.Neill, Dawes, Waddock, A.McDonald, Fenwick, Micklewhite, I.Stewart, C.Allen, Stainrod, J.Gregory
 AFC: Jennings; S.Robson, Sansom, C.Whyte, O'Leary, C.Hill, Sunderland, P.Davis, L.R.Chapman, C.Nicholas, Rix
 Scorers: J.Gregory (1), W.Neill (1)

Liverpool FC v Sunderland AFC 0–1 (0–1)

Saturday, 1 October 1983, Anfield Road, attendance: 29,534

LFC: Grobbelaar; Nicol, A.Kennedy, Lawrenson, C.Johnston, Hansen, Dalglish, S.Lee, Rush, M.Robinson, Souness
 AFC: Jennings; Venison, S.Elliott, Atkins, Chisholm, Proctor, Bracewell, Rowell, C.West, N.Pickering, L.James
 Scorer: Rowell (1)

West Bromwich Albion v Watford FC 2–0 (2–0)

Saturday, 1 October 1983, The Hawthorns, attendance: 14,456

WBA: P.Barron; A.Webb, Cowdhill, C.Whitehead, K.McNaught, M.Bennett, M.Lewis, Zondervan, C.Regis, G.Thompson, N.Cross (Childs)
 WFC: Sherwood; C.A.Palmer, Sinnott, Jobson, Terry, I. Bolton, N.Callaghan, J.Barnes, Gilligan (I.Richardson), Jackett, Rostron
 Scorers: C.Regis (1), G.Thompson (1)

Norwich City v Manchester United 3–3 (0–1)

Saturday, 1 October 1983, Carrow Road, attendance: 19,680

NCCF: Woods; Haylock, Downs, Mendham, Hareide, D.Watson II (M.Pickering), Devine, Channon, Donowa, Bertschin, D.P. Bennett
 MFC: Bailey; Duxbury, Albiston, R.Wilkins, K.Moran, P.McGrath, B.Robson, Mühren (Moses), Stapleton, Whiteside, A.Graham
 Scorers: D.P.Bennett (1), Channon (1), Donowa (1) – Whiteside (2), Stapleton (1)

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

Saturday, 1 October 1983, The Dell, attendance: 16,589

SFC: Shilton; Agboola, M.Mills, S.Williams, K.Armstrong, M.Wright, N.Holmes, S.Moran, F.Worthington, D.Armstrong, D.Wallace
 WFC: Bradshaw; Humphrey, M.Bennett II, P.W.Daniel, Coy, Dodd, K.Hibbitt, W.Clarke, I.Cartwright, A.Gray, M.Matthews (Towner)
 Scorer: F.Worthington (1)

Stoke City v West Ham United 3–1 (1–0)

Saturday, 1 October 1983, Victoria Ground, attendance: 13,852

Stoke: Fox; C.Berry, Hampton, R.James, P.Dyson, McAughrrie, Painter, McLroy, B.O'Callaghan, M.Thomas, M.Chamberlain
 WHU: Parkes II; R.Stewart, Walford, Bonds, A.Martin, Devonshire, Whitton, Goddard, Swindlehurst, Brooking, Pike
 Scorers: Painter (1), M.Chamberlain (1), M.Thomas (1) – R.Stewart (1)

Birmingham City v Leicester City 2–1 (2–0)

Saturday, 1 October 1983, St. Andrew's, attendance: 15,212

BCFC: Coton; Hagan, van den Hauwe, N.Blake, W.Wright, A.Rees, H.Gayle, L.M.Phillips, Harford, Halsall, R.Hopkins
 LCFC: Wallington; T.Williams, R.Smith, K.McDonald, R.Hazell, J.O'Neill, Lynex, Lineker, R.Jones (A.Peake), P.Ramsey, I.Wilson
 Scorers: A.Rees (1), Harford (1) – Lineker (1)

Notts County v Everton FC 0–1 (0–1)

Sunday, 2 October 1983, Meadow Lane, attendance: 7,949

Notts: McDonagh; T.Benjamin, N.Worthington, M.Goodwin, Kilcline, D.Hunt, Chiedozie, Christie, McCulloch (Mair), Harkouk, M.O'Neill
 EFC: Southall; A.Harper, J.Bailey, K.Ratcliffe, Higgins, P.Reid, Steven, A.Heath, Sharp, A.Irvine, Sheedy
 Scorer: P.Reid (1)

Tottenham Hotspur v Nottingham Forest 2–1 (0–1)

Sunday, 2 October 1983, White Hart Lane, attendance: 30,596

Spurs: Clemence; Hughton, A.Galvin, G.Roberts, G.A.Stevens, Peryman, G.Mabbutt, Archibald, Falco, Hoddle, A.Brazil (Brooke)
 NFFC: van Breukelen; V.Anderson, Swain, C.Todd, Hart, Bowyer, Wigley, I.Wallace, Birtles, Hodge, C.Walsh
 Scorers: G.A.Stevens (1), Archibald (1) – C.Walsh (1)

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01 West Ham United	08	06	00	02	18	19:7	
02 Southampton FC	08	05	02	01	17	9:2	
03 Ipswich Town	08	05	01	02	16	20:9	
04 Manchester United	08	05	01	02	16	14:11	
05 Queens Park Rangers	08	04	02	02	14	15:8	
06 Liverpool FC	08	04	02	02	14	8:5	
07 West Bromwich Albion	08	04	02	02	14	13:11	
08 Birmingham City	08	04	02	02	14	9:9	
09 Luton Town	08	04	01	03	13	15:8	
10 Nottingham Forest	08	04	01	03	13	12:11	
11 Aston Villa	08	04	01	03	13	11:10	
12 Arsenal FC	08	04	00	04	12	13:10	
13 Everton FC	08	03	03	02	12	6:7	
14 Tottenham Hotspur	08	03	02	03	11	12:12	
15 Coventry City	08	03	02	03	11	12:14	
16 Sunderland AFC	08	03	01	04	10	7:13	
17 Watford FC	08	02	02	04	8	14:14	
18 Stoke City	08	02	01	05	7	8:16	
19 Norwich City	08	01	03	04	6	11:14	
20 Notts County	08	02	00	06	6	8:16	
21 Wolverhampton Wanderers	08	00	02	06	2	5:19	
22 Leicester City	08	00	01	07	1	5:20	

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01 Mariner (Ipswich)	7 goals
02 Swindlehurst (West Ham Utd.)	6 *
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J.Barnes (Watford)	5 *
Gates (Ipswich)	5 *
06 Lineker (Leicester)	4 *
C.Walsh (Nottingham)	4 *
T.Gibson (Coventry)	4 *
Rush (Liverpool)	4 *
Mühren (Manchester Utd.)	4 *
C.Allen (Queens Park Rangers)	4 *
Painter (Stoke)	4 *
Wark (Ipswich)	4 *
G.Thompson (West Bromwich)	4 *
Stapleton (Manchester Utd.)	4 *
C.Regis (West Bromwich)	4 *

Week 9

Watford FC v Norwich City 1–3 (0–0)

Saturday, 15 October 1983, Vicarage Road, attendance: 12,745

WFC: Steele; P.Rice, Sinnott, Jobson, Terry, Jackett, N.Callaghan, J.Barnes, Reilly, Rostron, D.N.Johnson (I.Bolton)

NCFC: Woods; Haylock, Downs, Mendham, Hareide, D.Watson II, Donowa, Channon, Devine, Bertschin, D.P.Bennett

Scorers: Terry (1) – Devine (1), Donowa (1), Rostron (1 o.g.)

Arsenal FC v Coventry City 0–1 (0–0)

Saturday, 15 October 1983, Highbury, attendance: 20,290

AFC: Jennings; S.Robson, Sansom, C.Whyte (B.McDermott), O'Leary, C.Hill, Sunderland, P.Davis, L.R.Chapman, C.Nicholas, Rix

NCFC: Avramovic; I.Butterworth, B.Roberts, Singleton, T.Peake, Allardyce (Withey), Bamber, T.Gibson, Platnauer, Grimes, D.Bennett

Scorer: Bamber (1)

Manchester United v West Bromwich Albion 3–0 (2–0)

Saturday, 15 October 1983, Old Trafford, attendance: 42,221

MUFC: Bailey; Duxbury, Albiston, R.Wilkins, K.Moran, McQueen, B.Robson, Mühren, Stapleton, Whiteside, A.Graham

WBA: P.Barron; C.Whitehead, Cowdrill, Zondervan, K.McNaught, M.Bennett, M.Lewis, G.Thompson, C.Regis, G.Owen, N.Cross

Scorers: A.Graham (1), Whiteside (1), Albiston (1)

West Ham United v Liverpool FC 1–3 (0–2)

Saturday, 15 October 1983, Upton Park, attendance: 32,555

WHU: Parkes II; R.Stewart, Walford, Bonds, A.Martin, Devonshire, Whitton, Goddard (Cottee), Swindlehurst, Brooking, Pike

LFC: Grobbelaar; Neal, A.Kennedy, Lawrenson, C.Johnston, Hansen, Dalglish, S.Lee, Rush (D.Hodgson), M.Robinson, Souness

Scorers: Devonshire (1) – M.Robinson (3)

Everton FC v Luton Town 0–1 (0–0)

Saturday, 15 October 1983, Goodison Park, attendance: 14,325

EFC: Southall; A.Harper, J.Bailey, K.Ratcliffe, Higgins, P.Reid, Steven, A.Heath, Sharp, A.King, Sheedy

Luton: Sealey; Stephens, W.Turner, Horton, P.Elliott, Donaghy, R.Hill, B.Stein, P.Walsh, Bunn, D.Moss

Scorer: P.Walsh (1)

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

Saturday, 15 October 1983, Villa Park, attendance: 39,318

Villa: Spink; G.Williams, C.Gibson, A.Evans, Ormsby, D.Mortimer, Curbishley, Walters, Withe, McMahon, A.Morley (D.Bremner)

BCCF: Coton; Hagan, van den Hauwe, N.Blake, W.Wright, Broadhurst (B.Stevenson), H.Gayle, A.Rees, Harford, Halsall, R.Hopkins

Scorer: Withe (1)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Tottenham Hotspur 2–3 (1–2)

Saturday, 15 October 1983, Molineux, attendance: 12,523

WWFC: Bradshaw; Humphrey, M.Bennett II, P.W.Daniel (Rudge), Coy, Dodd, K.Hibbitt, W.Clarke, A.Gray, G.Palmer, Towner

Spurs: Clemence; Hughton, A.Galvin, G.Roberts (P.Price), G.A.Stevens, Perryman, G.Mabbutt, Archibald, Falco, Hoddle, Brooke

Scorers: A.Gray (2) – Archibald (2), Falco (1)

Ipswich Town v Queens Park Rangers 0–2 (0–1)

Saturday, 15 October 1983, Portman Road, attendance: 17,959

ITW: Cooper; Burley, Gernon, Putney (D'Avra), Osman, Butcher, Wark, S.McCall, Mariner, Gates, K.O'Callaghan

QPR: Hucker; W.Neill (Fereday), Dawes, Waddock, A.McDonald, Fenwick, Micklewhite, I.Stewart, C.Allen, Stainrod, J.Gregory

Scorers: Stainrod (1), J.Gregory (1)

Sunderland AFC v Stoke City 2–2 (1–1)

Saturday, 22 October 1983, Roker Park, attendance: 11,793

SAFC: C.Turner; Venison, S.Elliott, Atkins, Chisholm, Proctor, Bracewell, Rowell, C.West, N.Pickering, L.James

Stoke: Fox; Bould, Hampton, R.James, P.Dyson, McAughtrie, Painter, McLroy, B.O'Callaghan, M.Thomas, M.Chamberlain

Scorers: M.Thomas (1), J.Gregory (1), Rowell (1) – R.James (2)

Nottingham Forest v Notts County 3–1 (3–1)

Sunday, 16 October 1983, City Ground, attendance: 26,658

NFFC: van Breukelen; V.Anderson, Swain, C.Todd, Hart, Bowyer, Wigley, I.Wallace, Davenport, Thijsen, Hodge

Notts: McDonagh; T.Benjamin, N.Worthington, M.Goodwin, Kilcline (P.Richards), D.Hunt, Chiedozie, Fashanu, Christie, Harkouk, M.O'Neill

Scorers: I.Wallace (1), Bowyer (1), Davenport (1) – Christie (1')

Norwich City v Leicester City 3–1 (1–1)

Wednesday, 19 October 1983, Carrow Road, attendance: 14,566

NCFC: Woods; Haylock, Downs, Mendham, Hareide, D.Watson II, Donowa, Channon, Devine, Bertschin, D.P.Bennett

LCFC: Wallington; T.Williams, I.Wilson, K.MacDonald, R.Hazell, Banks, Lynex, Lineker, Eastoe, P.Ramsey, English

Scorers: Donowa (1), Bertschin (1), Channon (1') – Eastoe (1)

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01 Manchester United	09	06	01	02	19	17:11	
02 West Ham United	09	06	00	03	18	20:10	
03 Queens Park Rangers	09	05	02	02	17	17:8	
04 Southampton FC	08	05	02	01	17	9:2	
05 Liverpool FC	09	05	02	02	17	11:6	
06 Ipswich Town	09	05	01	03	16	20:11	
07 Luton Town	09	05	01	03	16	16:8	
08 Nottingham Forest	09	05	01	03	16	15:12	
09 Aston Villa	09	05	01	03	16	12:10	
10 Tottenham Hotspur	09	04	02	03	14	15:14	
11 Coventry City	09	04	02	03	14	13:14	
West Bromwich Albion	09	04	02	03	14	13:14	
13 Birmingham City	09	04	02	03	14	9:10	
14 Arsenal FC	09	04	00	05	12	13:11	
15 Norwich City	10	03	03	04	12	17:16	
16 Everton FC	09	03	03	03	12	6:8	
17 Sunderland AFC	09	03	02	04	11	9:15	
18 Watford FC	09	02	02	05	8	15:17	
19 Stoke City	09	02	02	05	8	10:18	
20 Notts County	09	02	00	07	6	9:19	
21 Wolverhampton Wanderers	09	00	02	07	2	7:22	
22 Leicester City	09	00	01	08	1	6:23	

Top Scorers	Goals
01 Mariner (Ipswich)	7 goals
02 Stainrod (Queens Park Rangers)	6 *
Swindlehurst (West Ham Utd.)	6 *
04 Gates (Ipswich)	5 *
Archibald (Tottenham)	5 *
J.Barnes (Watford)	5 *
07 Bertschin (Norwich)	4 *
Lineker (Leicester)	4 *
Rush (Liverpool)	4 *
Mühren (Manchester Utd.)	4 *
Painter (Stoke)	4 *
C.Allen (Queens Park Rangers)	4 *
C.Regis (West Bromwich)	4 *
Christie (Notts County)	4 *
Stapleton (Manchester Utd.)	4 *
Withe (Aston Villa)	4 *
C.Thompson (West Bromwich)	4 *
C.Walsh (Nottingham)	4 *
Davenport (Nottingham)	4 *
Wark (Ipswich)	4 *
T.Gibson (Coventry)	4 *

Week 10

Arsenal FC v Nottingham Forest 4–1 (2–0)

Saturday, 22 October 1983, Highbury, attendance: 22,870

AFC: Jennings; S.Robson, Sansom, C.Whyte, O'Leary, C.Hill, Sunderland, P.Davis, Woodcock, C.Nicholas (B.McDermott), Rix

NFFC: van Breukelen; V.Anderson, Swain, C.Todd, Hart, Bowyer, Wigley, I.Wallace, Davenport, Thijsen, Hodge

Scorers: Woodcock (2), Sunderland (1), C.Hill (1) – Davenport (1')

Birmingham City v Tottenham Hotspur 0–1 (0–0)

Saturday, 22 October 1983, White Hart Lane, attendance: 19,016

BFC: Coton; Hagan, van den Hauwe, N.Blake, W.Wright, B.Stevenson, H.Gayle, A.Rees (L.M.Phillips), Harford, Halsall, R.Hopkins

Spurs: Clemence; Hughton, A.Galvin, G.Roberts, G.A.Stevens, Perryman, G.Mabbutt, Archibald, Falco, Hoddle, Crook (G.O'Reilly)

Scorer: Archibald (1)

Queens Park Rangers v Liverpool FC 0–1 (0–0)

Saturday, 22 October 1983, Loftus Road, attendance: 27,140

QPR: Hucker; Fereday, Dawes, Waddock, A.McDonald, Fenwick, Micklewhite, I.Stewart, C.Allen, Stainrod, J.Gregory

LFC: Grobbelaar; Neal, A.Kennedy, Lawrenson, C.Johnston (Nicol), Hansen, Dalglish, S.Lee, Rush, M.Robinson, Souness

Scorer: Nicol (1)

Notts County v Stoke City 1–1 (0–0)

Saturday, 22 October 1983, Meadow Lane, attendance: 7,684

Notts: McDonagh; T.Benjamin, N.Worthington, M.Goodwin, Kilcline, D.Hunt, P.Richards, Fashanu (M.O'Neill), Christie, Harkouk, Mar

Stoke: Fox; Bould, Hampton, R.James, P.Dyson, McAughtrie, Tueart, McLroy, B.O'Callaghan, M.Thomas (Maskery), M.Chamberlain

Scorers: Kilcline (1) – Bould (1)

Ipswich Town v Leicester City 0–0

Saturday, 22 October 1983, Portman Road, attendance: 14,994

ITW: Cooper; Burley, Gernon, T.Parkin, Osman, Butcher, Wark, S.McCall, Mariner, Gates, K.O'Callaghan (R.Turner)

LCFC: Wallington; T.Williams, I.Wilson, K.MacDonald, R.Hazell, Banks, Lynex, Lineker (A.Smith), Eastoe, P.Ramsey, Rennie

Sunderland AFC v Manchester United 0–1 (0–1)

Saturday, 22 October 1983, Roker Park, attendance: 26,826

SAFC: C.Turner; Venison (J.Cooke), S.Elliott, Atkins, Chisholm, Proctor, Bracewell, Rowell, C.West, N.Pickering, L.James

MUFC: Bailey; Duxbury, Albiston, R.Wilkins, K.Moran (Macari), McQueen, B.Robson, Moses, Stapleton, Whiteside, A.Graham

Scorer: R.Wilkins (1')

Coventry City v West Bromwich Albion 1–2 (0–1)

Saturday, 22 October 1983, Highfield Road, attendance: 13,441

CCFC: Avramovic; B.Roberts, I.Butterworth, Grimes, T.Peake, Allardyce, Cynn, Singleton (Withey), Bamber, T.Gibson, Platnauer

WBA: P.Barron; C.Whitehead, Cowdrill, Zondervan, K.McNaught, M.Bennett, M.Lewis, G.Thompson, C.Regis (G.Robson), G.Owen, Perry

Scorers: Withey (1) – C.Regis (1), Perry (1)

West Ham United v Norwich City 0–0

Saturday, 22 October 1983, Upton Park, attendance: 18,958

WHU: Parkes II; R.Stewart, Walford, Bonds, A.Martin, Devonshire, Whitton (Dickens), Cottee, Swindlehurst, Brooking, Pike

NCFC: Woods; Haylock, Downs, Mendham, Hareide, D.Watson II, Donowa, Channon, Devine, Bertschin, D.P.Bennett

Everton FC v Watford FC 1–0 (1–0)

Saturday, 22 October 1983, Goodison Park, attendance: 13,571

EFC: Southall; A.Harper, J.Bailey, K.Ratcliffe, Higgins, K.Richardson, Steven (A.Irvine), D.Johnson, Sharp, A.King, Sheedy

WFC: Sherwood; C.A.Palmer, Sinnott, Jobson, Terry, I.Bolton, N.Callaghan, D.N.Johnson, Gilligan, Jackett, Rostron

Scorer: D.Johnson (1)

Luton Town v Southampton FC 3–1 (2–0)

Saturday, 22 October 1983, Kenilworth Road, attendance: 12,389

Luton: Sealey; Stephens, W.Turner, Horton, P.Elliott, Donaghy, R.Hill, K.Stein, Aylott, Bunn (Antic), D.Moss

SFC: Shilton; Agboola, S.Baker, S.Williams, K.Armstrong, M.Wright, N.Holmes, S.Moran, Baird, D.Armstrong, D.Wallace

Scorers: Aylott (2), B.Stein (1) – D.Armstrong (1)

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

Sunday, 23 October 1983, Molineux, attendance: 13,202

WWFC: Bradshaw; Humphrey, M.Bennett II, G.M.Smith, Coy, Dodd, K.Hibbitt, W.Clarke, A.Gray, G.Palmer, Rudge

Villa: Spink; G.Williams, C.Gibson, A.Evans, Ormsby, D.Mortimer, D.Bremner, Walters, Withe, McMahon (Rideout), A.Morley

Scorers: W.Clarke (1) – Withe (1)

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01 Manchester United	10	07	01	02	22	18:11		01 Mariner (Ipswich)	7 goals
02 Liverpool FC	10	06	02	02	20	12:6		02 Archibald (Tottenham)	6 *
03 West Ham United	10	06	01	03	19	20:10		Stainrod (Queens Park Rangers)	6 *
04 Luton Town	10	06	01	03	19	19:9		Swindlehurst (West Ham Utd.)	6 *
05 Ipswich Town	10	05	02	03	17	20:11		05 Gates (Ipswich)	5 *
06 Queens Park Rangers	10	05	02	03	17	17:9		Withe (Aston Villa)	5 *
07 Southampton FC	09	05	02	02	17	10:5		J.Barnes (Watford)	5 *
08 Tottenham Hotspur	10	05	02	03	17	16:14		Davenport (Nottingham)	5 *
09 Aston Villa	10	05	02	03	17	13:11		Woodcock (Arsenal)	5 *
10 West Bromwich Albion	10	05	02	03	17	15:15		C.Regis (West Bromwich)	5 *
11 Nottingham Forest	10	05	01	04	16	16:16		11 Lineker (Leicester)	4 *
12 Arsenal FC	10	05	00	05	15	17:12		Stapleton (Manchester Utd.)	4 *
13 Everton FC	10	04	03	03	15	7:8		Mühren (Manchester Utd.)	4 *
14 Coventry City	10	04	02	04	14	14:16		Bertschin (Norwich)	4 *
15 Birmingham City	10	04	02	04	14	9:11		B.Stein (Luton)	4 *
16 Norwich City	11	03	04	04	13	17:16		Wark (Ipswich)	4 *
17 Sunderland AFC	10	03	02	05	11	9:16		C.Walsh (Nottingham)	4 *
18 Stoke City	10	02	03	05	9	11:19		Christie (Notts County)	4 *
19 Watford FC	10	02	02	06	8	15:18		Painter (Stoke)	4 *
20 Notts County	10	02	01	07	7	10:20		C.Allen (Queens Park Rangers)	4 *
21 Wolverhampton Wanderers	10	00	03	07	3	8:23		G.Thompson (Coventry)	4 *
22 Leicester City	10	00	02	08	2	6:23		Rush (Liverpool)	4 *
								T.Gibson (Coventry)	4 *