

Week 1

West Bromwich Albion v Derby County 0–0

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

WBA: Godden: Batson, D.Statham, Trewick, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, A.Brown II, A.Brown, G.Owen, P.Barnes
 Derby: Middleton: Langan, S.Buckley, Rioch, McFarland, Wicks, McCaffrey, Moreland, Caskey (G.Daly), Greenwood, G.Hill

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

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

Spurs: Daines: C.Lee, G.M.Smith, Yorath, Lacy, Perryman, J.Pratt (C.Jones), Ardiles, Falco, Hoddle, Villa
 MFC: Platt: Craggs (P.Johnson), I.Bailey, C.Johnston, Ashcroft, McAndrew, D.Hodgson, Proctor, Jankovic, M.Burns, D.Armstrong
 Scorers: 0–1 D.Armstrong (50), 0–2 M.Burns (64.), 0–3 Jankovic (70.), 1–3 Hoddle (75.)

Stoke City v Coventry City 3–2 (1–0)

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

BHA: Steele: J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, Rollings, Lawrenson, G.Ryan, P.Ward, Maybank (Poskett), Sayer, O'Sullivan
 CCFC: Blyth: D.R.Jones, R.McDonald, Gooding, Holton, G.Collier, Hutchison, English, M.Ferguson, B.Powell, S.Hunt
 Scorers: 1–0 V.Busby (34.), 2–0, 3–0 Crooks (50., 55.), 3–1, 3–2 B.Powell (64., pen., 71.)

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

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

BHA: Steele: J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, Rollings, Lawrenson, G.Ryan, P.Ward, Maybank (Poskett), Sayer, O'Sullivan
 AFC: Jennings: Rice, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady (Hollins), Sunderland, Stapleton, D.Price, Rix
 Scorers: 0–1 Stapleton (32.), 0–2 Sunderland (38.), 0–3 Sunderland (44.), 0–4 Brady (74., pen.)

Everton FC v Norwich City 2–4 (2–3)

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

EFC: Wood: J.Barton, J.Bailey, M.Lyons, W.Wright, T.Ross, C.Todd, Nulty, A.King, Kidd, Heard (Eastoe)
 NCFC: Keelan: K.Bond, McDowell, McGuire, Hoadley, A.Powell, Neighbour, K.Reeves, Fashanu (A.D.Taylor), Paddon, M.Peters
 Scorers: 0–1 McGuire (10.), 1–1 T.Ross (14., pen.), 1–2 Fashanu (35.), 2–2 Nulty (40.), 2–3 M.Peters (44.), 2–4 Fashanu (65.)

Manchester City v Crystal Palace 0–0

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

MFC: Corrigan: Ranson, Stepanovic, Caton, Booth, Power, S.MacKenzie, Silkman, M.Robinson, Deyna, Henry
 CPFC: Burrridge: P.Hinslwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, G.Francis, Swindlehurst, Flanagan, Hilaire

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

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

Town: Sivil: M.Mills, Butcher, Thijssen, A.Hunter (A.Brazil), Osman, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, Gates, C.Woods
 NFFC: Shilton: V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, D.Needham, M.O'Neill, Hartford, Birtles, Woodcock, J.N.Robertson
 Scorer: 0–1 Woodcock (46.)

Bristol City v Leeds United 2–2 (1–1)

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

BCFC: Shaw: G.Sweeney, C.Whitehead, Gow, Rodgers, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, K.Mabbutt, Jantunen, Meijer
 LUF: Harvey: Hird, B.Stevenson, B.Flynn, K.Parkinson, Hampton, Curtis, Cherry, Hankin, C.Harris, A.Graham
 Scorers: 0–1 Curtis (9.), 1–1 T.Ritchie (34., pen.), 1–2 Jantunen (65.), 2–2 Curtis (82.)

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

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

BWFC: McDonagh: D.Clement, P.Nicholson, R.Greaves, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, Nowak, Whatmore, Gowling, Cantello, N.McNab
 Villa: Rimmer: Swain, C.Gibson, A.Evans, K.McNaught, D.Mortimer, A.Morley, Little, Deehan, Cowans, Shelton
 Scorers: 0–1 Cowans (72.), 1–1 Whatmore (76.)

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

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

SFC: Gennoe: Golac, Peach, S.Williams, C.Nicholl, M.Waldron, G.E.Baker, Boyer, Hebbard, George, N.Holmes
 MUFC: Bailey: Albiston, J.Nicholl, McLroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, Jordan, Macari, M.Thomas
 Scorers: 1–0 Peach (25., pen.), 1–1 McQueen (39.)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA	Top Scorers
01 Arsenal FC	01	01	00	00	2–0	4.0		01 Fashanu (Norwich) 2 goals
02 Norwich City	01	01	00	00	2–0	4.2		Sunderland (Arsenal) 2 "
03 Middlesbrough FC	01	01	00	00	2–0	3.1		Crooks (Stoke) 2 "
04 Stoke City	01	01	00	00	2–0	3.2		Curtis (Leeds) 2 "
05 Nottingham Forest	01	01	00	00	2–0	1.0		B.Powell (Coventry) 2 "
06 Bristol City	01	00	01	00	1–1	2.2		
Leeds United	01	00	01	00	1–1	2.2		
08 Aston Villa	01	00	01	00	1–1	1.1		
Bolton Wanderers	01	00	01	00	1–1	1.1		
Manchester United	01	00	01	00	1–1	1.1		
Southampton FC	01	00	01	00	1–1	1.1		
12 Crystal Palace	01	00	01	00	1–1	0.0		
Derby County	01	00	01	00	1–1	0.0		
Manchester City	01	00	01	00	1–1	0.0		
West Bromwich Albion	01	00	01	00	1–1	0.0		
16 Coventry City	01	00	00	01	0–2	2.3		
17 Ipswich Town	01	00	00	01	0–2	0.1		
18 Everton FC	01	00	00	01	0–2	2.4		
19 Tottenham Hotspur	01	00	00	01	0–2	1.3		
20 Brighton & Hove Albion	01	00	00	01	0–2	0.4		

Week 2

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

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

CCFC: Blyth: D.R.Jones, R.McDonald, A.Blair, Holton, Gillespie, Hutchison, English, M.Ferguson, B.Powell, S.Hunt (Hateley)
 BCFC: Shaw: G.Sweeney, C.Whitehead, Gow, Rodgers (Tainton), G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, K.Mabbutt, Jantunen, Meijer
 Scorers: 1–0 English (24.), 1–1 T.Ritchie (38., pen.), 2–1 B.Powell (63., pen.), 3–1 Hutchison (84.)

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

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

MFC: Platt: Craggs, I.Bailey, C.Johnston, Ashcroft, McAndrew, D.Hodgson, Proctor, Jankovic, M.Burns (Cummins), D.Armstrong
 BCFC: Corrigan: Ranson, Stepanovic, Caton, Booth, Power, S.MacKenzie, Silkman, M.Robinson, Deyna (Viljoen), Henry
 Scorers: 1–0 C.Johnston (14.), 2–0 M.Burns (57.), 3–0 Cummins (89.)

Liverpool FC v Bolton Wanderers 0–0

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

LFC: Clemence: Neal (Heighway), A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalglis, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness
 BWFC: McDonagh: D.Clement, P.Nicholson, R.Greaves, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, D.Burke, Whatmore, Gowling, Cantello, N.McNab

Arsenal FC v Ipswich Town 0–2 (0–1)

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

AFC: Jennings: Rice, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady, Sunderland, Stapleton, D.Price (Hollins), Rix
 Town: Cooper: M.Mills, Butcher, Thijssen, A.Hunter, Osman, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, Gates, C.Woods
 Scorers: 0–1 A.Hunter (21.), 0–2 Mühren (63.)

Crystal Palace v Southampton FC 0–0

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

CFC: Burrridge: P.Hinslwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, G.Francis, Swindlehurst, Flanagan, Hilaire
 SFC: Gennoe: G.E.Baker, Peach, S.Williams, C.Nicholl, M.Waldron, A.Hayes (Shipley), Boyer, Hebbard, George, N.Holmes

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

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

MFC: Bailey: J.Nicholl, Albiston, McLroy (A.Ritchie), McQueen, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, Jordan, Macari, M.Thomas
 WBA: Godden: Batson, D.Statham, A.Robson, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, A.Brown II, D.Mills, G.Owen, P.Barnes
 Scorers: 1–0 McQueen (4.), 2–0 Coppell (52.)

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

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

NCFC: Keelan: K.Bond, McDowell, McGuire, Hoadley, Nightingale, Neighbour, K.Reeves, Fashanu, Paddon, M.Peters
 Spurs: Daines: C.Lee, G.M.Smith, Yorath, Lacy, Perryman, Falco, Ardiles, C.Jones, Hoddle, Villa
 Scorers: 1–0 K.Reeves (48.), 2–0 M.Peters (50.), 3–0 K.Reeves (59.), 4–0 Fashanu (89.)

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

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

NFFC: Shilton: V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, D.Needham, M.O'Neill, Hartford, Birtles, Woodcock, J.N.Robertson
 Stoke: Fox: R.Evans, G.Scott, S.Irvine, D.Smith, M.Doyle, V.Busby, A.Heath, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, P.Richardson
 Scorer: 1–0 M.O'Neill (81.)

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

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

Derby: Middleton: Langan, S.Buckley, G.Daly, McFarland, Wicks, McCaffrey, Moreland, Caskey (Crawford), Greenwood, G.Hill
 WWFC: Bradshaw: G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, G.Berry, E.Hughes, K.Hibbitt, W.Carr, Rafferty, Patching, W.Clarke
 Scorer: 0–1 W.Clarke (9.)

Leeds United v Everton FC 2–0 (0–0)

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

LUF: Harvey: Hird, Hampton, B.Flynn, Hart, B.Stevenson, C.Harris, Cherry, Hankin, Curtis, A.Graham
 EFC: Wood: J.Barton, J.Bailey, M.Lyons, Higgins, T.Ross, Nulty, C.Todd, A.King, Kidd, W.Wright
 Scorers: 1–0 Hird (56.), 2–0 C.Harris (60.)

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

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

Villa: Rimmer: Swain, C.Gibson, A.Evans, K.McNaught, Cropley (L.Jenkins), A.Morley, Little, Deehan, Cowans, Shelton
 BHA: Steele: J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, Rollings, Lawrenson, G.Ryan (Poskett), P.Ward, Maybank, Sayer, O'Sullivan
 Scorers: 1–0 A.Evans (15., pen.), 1–1 Maybank (45.), 2–1 A.Morley (66.)

Table	P	W	D	L	Pts	GF	GA	Top Scorers
01 Norwich City	02	02	00	00	4–0	8.2		01 B.Powell (Coventry) 3 goals
02 Middlesbrough FC	02	02	00	00	4–0	6.1		Fashanu (Norwich) 3 "
03 Nottingham Forest	02	02	00	00	4–0	2.0		03 Curtis (Leeds) 2 "
04 Leeds United	02	01	01	00	3–1	4.2		M.Burns (Middlesbrough) 2 "
05 Manchester United	02	01	01	00	3–1	3.1		McQueen (Manchester Utd.) 2 "
06 Aston Villa	02	01	01	00	3–1	3.2		Sunderland (Arsenal) 2 "
07 Arsenal FC	02	01	00	01	2–2	4.2		K.Reeves (Norwich) 2 "
08 Coventry City	02	01	00	01	2–2	5.4		T.Ritchie (Bristol C.) 2 "
09 Ipswich Town	02	01	00	01	2–2	2.1		Crooks (Stoke) 2 "
10 Wolverhampton Wanderers	01	01	00	00	2–0	1.0		M.Peters (Norwich) 2 "
11 Stoke City	02	01	00	01	2–2	3.3		
12 Bolton Wanderers	02	00	02	00	2–2	1.1		
Southampton FC	02	00	02	00	2–2	1.1		
14 Crystal Palace	02	00	02	00	2–2	0.0		
15 Liverpool FC	01	00	01	00	1–1	0.0		
16 Derby County	02	00	01	01	1–3	0.1		
17 Bristol City	02	00	01	01	1–3	3.5		
18 West Bromwich Albion	02	00	01	01	1–3	0.2		
19 Manchester City	02	00	01	01	1–3	0.3		
20 Everton FC	02	00	00	02	0–4	2.6		
21 Brighton & Hove Albion	02	00	00	02	0–4	1.6		
22 Tottenham Hotspur	02	00	00	02	0–4	1.7		

Week 3

Stoke City v Tottenham Hotspur 3–1 (2–0)
 Saturday, 25 August 1979, Victoria Ground, attendance: 22,832
 Stoke: Jones, R.Evans, G.Scott, S.Irvine, D.Smith, M.Doyle, V.Busby, A.Heath, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, Ursem (P.Richardson)
 Spurs: Daines, C.Lee, G.M.Smith, Yorath, Lacy, Perryman, J.Pratt, Ardiles, Falco (D.McAllister), Hoddle, C.Jones
 Scorers: 1–0, 2–0 Crooks (35., pen., 43.), 3–0 B.O'Callaghan (63.), 3–1 Perryman (82.)

Middlesbrough FC v Crystal Palace 1–1 (0–1)
 Saturday, 25 August 1979, Ayresome Park, attendance: 24,521
 MFC: Platt; Craggs, I.Bailey, C.Johnston, Ashcroft, McAndrew, D.Hodgson, Proctor, Cummins, M.Burns, D.Armstrong
 CPFC: Burridge; P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, G.Francis, Flanagan, Swindlehurst, Hilaire (Fenwick)
 Scorers: 0–1 Swindlehurst (40.), 1–1 Cummins (56.)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Ipswich Town 3–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 25 August 1979, Molineux, attendance: 22,025
 WWFC: Bradshaw; G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, G.Berry, E.Hughes, K.Hibbitt, W.Clarke (Eves), Rafferty, W.Carr, Patching
 Town: Cooper; M.Mills, Butcher, Thijssen, A.Hunter, Osman, Wark (A.Brazil), Mühren, Mariner, Gates, C.Woods
 Scorers: 1–0 W.Carr (37.), 2–0 P.W.Daniel (53.), 3–0 Eves (85.)

Arsenal FC v Manchester United 0–0
 Saturday, 25 August 1979, Highbury, attendance: 44,371
 Arsenal: Jennings; Rice, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Gating (Walford), Sunderland, Stapleton, Hollins, Rix
 MUFC: Bailey; J.Nicholl, Albiston, M.Buchan, Coppell (S.Paterson), R.Wilkins, Jordan, Macari, M.Thomas

Manchester City v Brighton & Hove Albion 3–2 (2–1)
 Saturday, 25 August 1979, Maine Road, attendance: 34,557
 MFC: Corrigan; Ranson, Stepanovic, Caton, Booth, Power, S.MacKenzie, Silkman, M.Robinson, Viljoen, Channon
 BHA: Steele; J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, Rollings (P.Clark), Lawrenson, G.Ryan, P.Ward, Maybank, Sayer, O'Sullivan
 MUFC: Bailey; J.Nicholl, Albiston, M.Buchan, Coppell (S.Paterson), R.Wilkins, Jordan, Macari, M.Thomas

Derby County v Everton FC 0–1 (0–1)
 Saturday, 25 August 1979, Baseball Ground, attendance: 17,817
 Derby: Middleton; Langan, S.Buckley, G.Daly, McFarland, Wicks, Rioch, McCaffrey, Caskey (Crawford), Greenwood, G.Hill
 EFC: Wood; J.Barton, J.Bailey, M.Lyons, Higgins, T.Ross, Nulty, C.Todd, A.King, Kidd, W.Wright
 Scorers: 0–1 A.King (30.)

Nottingham Forest v Coventry City 4–1 (2–0)
 Saturday, 25 August 1979, City Ground, attendance: 23,025
 NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, M.O'Neill, Hartford, Birtles, Woodcock, J.N.Robertson
 CCFC: Blyth; D.R.Jones (B.Roberts), R.McDonald, A.Blair, Holton, Gillespie, Hutchison, English, M.Ferguson, B.Powell, S.Hunt
 Scorers: 1–0 Woodcock (18.), 2–0 McGovern (38.), 2–1 English (47.), 3–1 McGovern (63.), 4–1 J.N.Robertson (68., pen.)

Liverpool FC v West Bromwich Albion 3–1 (1–0)
 Saturday, 25 August 1979, Anfield Road, attendance: 48,021
 LFC: Clemence; Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Cn.Irwin, Dalglis, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness
 WBA: Moseley; J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, Lawrenson, P.Clark (G.Ryan), P.Ward, Maybank, Sayer, O'Sullivan
 Scorers: 1–0 D.Johnson (11.), 2–0 T.McDermott (52.), 3–0 D.Johnson (59.), 3–1 P.Barnes (63.)

Aston Villa v Bristol City 0–2 (0–1)
 Saturday, 25 August 1979, Villa Park, attendance: 25,526
 Villa: Rimmer; Swain, C.Gibson, A.Evans, K.McNaught, G.Williams, A.Morley, Little (Linton), Deehan, Cowans, Shelton
 BCFC: Shaw; Tainton, C.Whitehead, Gow, G.Sweeney, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, K.Mabbutt (J.Mann), Jantunen, Royle
 Scorers: 0–1 K.Mabbutt (19.), 0–2 T.Ritchie (90., pen.)

Bolton Wanderers v Southampton FC 2–1 (2–0)
 Saturday, 25 August 1979, Burnden Park, attendance: 14,714
 BWFC: McDonagh; D.Clement, P.Nicholson, R.Greaves, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, Nowak, Whatmore, Gowling, Cantello, N.McNab
 SFC: Gennoe; Golac (O.Williams), Peach, S.Williams, C.Nicholl, M.Waldron, Shipley, Boyer, Hebbard, George, N.Holmes
 Scorers: 1–0 N.McNab (6.), 2–0 Whatmore (18.), 2–1 George (86.)

Norwich City v Leeds United 2–1 (2–1)
 Saturday, 25 August 1979, Carrow Road, attendance: 18,444
 NCFC: Keelan; K.Bond, McDowell, McGuire, Hoadley, A.Powell, Neighbour, K.Reeves, Fashanu (A.D.Taylor), Paddon, M.Peters
 LUF: Harvey; Hird, Hampton (K.Parkinson), B.Flynn, Hart, B.Stevenson, C.Harris, Cherry, Hankin, Curtis, A.Graham
 Scorers: 1–0 K.Bond (15., pen.), 1–1 Hart (16.), 2–1 K.Bond (46.)

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

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

Week 4

Everton FC v Aston Villa 1–1 (0–1)
 Saturday, 1 September 1979, Goodison Park, attendance: 29,271
 EFC: Wood; W.Wright, J.Bailey, M.Lyons, Higgins, T.Ross, Hartford, Stanley, A.King, Kidd, Eastoe
 Villa: Rimmer; Linton, C.Gibson, A.Evans, K.McNaught, D.Mortimer, A.Morley, G.Shaw, Deehan, Cowans, Swain
 Scorers: 1–0 A.Morley (15.), 1–1 Bailey (82.)

West Bromwich Albion v Nottingham Forest 1–5 (1–3)
 Saturday, 1 September 1979, The Hawthorns, attendance: 26,026
 WBA: Godden; Batson, D.Statham, A.Brown, Wile, A.Robertson, B.Robson, Summerfield, D.Mills (Trewick), G.Owen, P.Barnes
 NFFC: Shilton; V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, M.O'Neill, Bowyer, Birtles, Woodcock, J.N.Robertson
 Scorers: 1–0 G.Owen (2.), 1–1 Lloyd (15.), 1–2 Birtles (28.), 1–3 Birtles (43.), 1–4 F.Gray (77.), 1–5 Birtles (81.)

Crystal Palace v Derby County 4–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 1 September 1979, Selhurst Park, attendance: 25,127, sent-off: G.Hill (18.)
 CPFC: Burridge; P.Hinshelwood, Sansom (I.Walsh), P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, Kember, Swindlehurst, Flanagan, Hilaire
 MFC: Platt; Craggs, I.Bailey, C.Johnston, Ashcroft, McAndrew, D.Hodgson, Proctor (Hedley), Jankovic, M.Burns, D.Armstrong
 Scorers: 1–0 Flanagan (10.), 2–0 P.Nicholas (54.9), 3–0 Flanagan (65.), 4–0 Swindlehurst (83.)

Manchester United v Middlesbrough FC 2–1 (1–0)
 Saturday, 1 September 1979, Old Trafford, attendance: 51,015
 MUFC: Bailey; J.Nicholl, Albiston, Mclroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, Jordan, Macari, M.Thomas
 MFC: Platt; Craggs, I.Bailey, C.Johnston, Ashcroft, McAndrew, D.Hodgson, Proctor (Hedley), Jankovic, M.Burns, D.Armstrong
 Scorers: 1–0, 2–0 Macari (15., 51.), 2–1 C.Johnston (74.)

Southampton FC v Liverpool FC 3–2 (1–1)
 Saturday, 1 September 1979, The Dell, attendance: 21,402
 SFC: Gennoe; Golac, Peach, S.Williams, C.Nicholl, M.Waldron, G.E.Baker (A.Hayes), Boyer, Hebbard, George, Shipley
 Derby: Clemence; Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Cn.Irwin, Dalglis, Case, O.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness
 Scorers: 1–0 Hebbard (12.), 1–1 D.Johnson (16.), 2–1 Boyer (65.), 3–1 George (67.), 3–2 Cn.Irwin (73.)

Tottenham Hotspur v Manchester City 2–1 (1–0)
 Saturday, 1 September 1979, White Hart Lane, attendance: 30,901
 Spurs: Daines; D.McAllister, Hughton, Yorath, P.Miller, Perryman, J.Pratt, Ardiles (Falco), C.Jones, Hoddle, C.Lee
 MFC: Platt; Craggs, I.Bailey, C.Johnston, Ashcroft, McAndrew, D.Hodgson, Proctor (Hedley), Jankovic, M.Burns, D.Armstrong
 Scorers: 1–0 Hoddle (13.), 2–0 C.Jones (68.), 2–1 S.MacKenzie (69.)

Coventry City v Norwich City 2–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 1 September 1979, Highfield Road, attendance: 18,181
 CCFC: Murcott; B.Roberts, R.McDonald, A.Blair, Holton, Gillespie, Hutchison, English (Hateley), M.Ferguson, B.Powell, S.Hunt
 NCFC: Keelan; K.Bond, McDowell (J.G.Ryan), McGuire, Hoadley, R.Brown, Neighbour, K.Reeves, Fashanu, Paddon, M.Peters
 Scorers: 1–0 R.McDonald (50.), 2–0 M.Ferguson (63.)

Brighton & Hove Albion v Bolton Wanderers 3–1 (2–0)
 Saturday, 1 September 1979, Goldstone Ground, attendance: 20,171
 BHA: Moseley; J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, Lawrenson, P.Clark (G.Ryan), P.Ward, Maybank, Sayer, O'Sullivan
 BWFC: McDonagh; D.Clement, D.Burke, R.Greaves, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, F.Worthington (Nowak), Whatmore, Gowling, Cantello, N.McNab
 Scorers: 1–0 P.Ward (12.), 2–0 P.Clark (23.), 2–1 M.Walsh (57.), 3–1 Horton (71.)

Ipswich Town v Stoke City 3–1 (2–1)
 Saturday, 1 September 1979, Portman Road, attendance: 17,539
 Town: Cooper; Burley, M.Mills, Thijssen, Butcher, Osman, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, A.Brazil (Gates), C.Woods
 Stoke: Jones; P.Richardson, C.Scott, S.Irvine, D.Smith, M.Doyle, Randall, A.Heath, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, Ursem (V.Busby)
 Scorers: 1–0 A.Brazil (11.), 1–1 Butcher (21., o.g.), 2–1 Mariner (45.), 3–1 Wark (90.)

Leeds United v Arsenal FC 1–1 (1–0)
 Saturday, 1 September 1979, Elland Road, attendance: 23,245
 LUF: Harvey; Hird, B.Stevenson, B.Flynn, Hart, K.Parkinson, B.Greenhoff, Cherry, Hawley, Curtis, A.Graham
 AFC: Jennings; Rice, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Gating, Sunderland, Stapleton, Hollins, Rix
 Scorers: 1–0 Hart (44.), 1–1 Nelson (46.)

Bristol City v Wolverhampton Wanderers 2–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 1 September 1979, Ashton Gate, attendance: 18,835
 BCFC: Shaw; Tainton, C.Whitehead, Gow, G.Sweeney, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, Royle, Jantunen, K.Mabbutt
 WWFC: Bradshaw; G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, G.Berry, E.Hughes, K.Hibbitt, W.Clarke, Rafferty, W.Carr, Patching
 Scorers: 1–0 Gow (7.), 2–0 Royle (72.)

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

Week 5

Stoke City v Everton FC 2-3 (2-2)
 Saturday, 8 September 1979, Victoria Ground, attendance: 23,460
 Stoke: Jones: R.Evans, G.Scott, S.Irvine (V.Busby), D.Smith, M.Doyle, Randall, A.Heath, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, P.Richardson
 EFC: Wood: W.Wright, J.Bailey, M.Lyons, Higgins, T.Ross, Hartford, Stanley, A.King, Kidd, Eastoe
 Scorers: 0-1 A.King (12.), 0-2 J.Bailey (14.), 1-2 B.O'Callaghan (18.), 2-2 D.Smith (35.), 2-3 Kidd (81.)

Tottenham Hotspur v Brighton & Hove Albion 2-1 (1-0)
 Saturday, 8 September 1979, White Hart Lane, attendance: 34,107
 Spurs: Daines: Hughton, Southey, Yorath, P.Miller, Perryman, J.Pratt (Beavon), C.Jones, G.J.Armstrong, Hoddle, C.Lee
 BHA: Steele: J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, S.Foster, Lawrenson (G.Ryan), P.Clark, P.Ward, Maybank, Sayer, O'Sullivan
 Scorers: 1-0 G.J.Armstrong (13.), 2-0 Hoddle (76., pen.), 2-1 Horton (80.)

Nottingham Forest v Leeds United 0-0
 Saturday, 8 September 1979, City Ground, attendance: 26,914
 NFFC: Shilton: V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, M.O'Neill, Bowyer, Birtles, Woodcock, J.N.Robertson
 LUF: Harvey: Hird, Hampton, B.Flynn, Hart, Madeley, E.Gray, Cherry, Hankin, Curtis, A.Graham

Manchester City v Southampton FC 0-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 8 September 1979, Maine Road, attendance: 34,920
 MFC: Corrigan: Ranson, Stepanovic, Caton, Donachie, Power, S.MacKenzie, Silkman, M.Robinson (Henry), S.Daley, St.Lee
 SFC: Gennoe: Golic, Peach, S.Williams, C.Nicholl, M.Waldron, G.E.Baker, Boyer, Hebbard, A.Hayes, N.Holmes
 Scorer: 0-1 N.Holmes (24.)

Middlesbrough FC v Norwich City 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 8 September 1979, Ayresome Park, attendance: 19,575
 MFC: Platt: Craggs, I.Bailey, C.Johnston, Ashcroft, McAndrew, D.Hodgson, Proctor, Jankovic, Cummins, D.Armstrong
 NFFC: Keelan: K.Bond, Symonds, Nightingale (J.G.Ryan), Hoadley, A.Powell, Neighbour, K.Reeves, Fashanu, Paddon, A.D.Taylor
 Scorer: 0-1 Proctor (20.)

Aston Villa v Manchester United 0-3 (0-1)
 Saturday, 8 September 1979, Villa Park, attendance: 34,859
 Villa: Rimmer: Gidman, Shelton (J.Ward), A.Evans, K.McNaught, D.Mortimer, A.Morley, G.Shaw, Deehan, Cowans, Swain
 MUFC: Bailey: J.Nicholl, Albiston, McLroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, Jordan (Grimes), Macari, M.Thomas
 Scorers: 0-1 Coppell (17.), 0-2 M.Thomas (70., pen.), 0-3 Grimes (85.)

Ipswich Town v Bristol City 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 8 September 1979, Portman Road, attendance: 16,915
 Town: Cooper: Burley, M.Mills, R.Osborne, Butcher, Osman, Wark, Mühren, Mariner (Gates), A.Brazil, C.Woods
 BFC: Shaw: Tainton, C.Whitehead, Gow, G.Sweeney, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, Royle, Jantunen (Cormack), K.Mabbutt
 Scorers: 1-0 C.Woods (53.)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Crystal Palace 1-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 8 September 1979, Molineux, attendance: 24,580
 WWFC: Bradshaw: G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, E.Hughes, G.Berry, K.Hibbitt, W.Carr, Rafferty, W.Clarke, Patching (Eves)
 CPFC: Burridge: P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy, G.Francis, Swindlehurst, Flanagan, Hilaire
 Scorers: 0-1 Swindlehurst (32.), 1-1 W.Clarke (52.)

Derby County v Arsenal FC 3-2 (0-2)
 Saturday, 8 September 1979, Baseball Ground, attendance: 16,429
 Derby: Middleton: Langan, S.Buckley, S.Powell, Wicks, D.Webb, Moreland, McCaffrey, Duncan, Crawford (S.Carter), G.Hill
 AFC: Jennings: Rice, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady, Sunderland, Stapleton, Hollins, Rix
 Scorers: 0-1 Sunderland (19.), 0-2 Stapleton (39.), 1-2 Langan (47.), 2-2 McCaffrey (54.), 3-2 Duncan (89.)

Bolton Wanderers v West Bromwich Albion 0-0
 Saturday, 15 September 1979, Burnden Park, attendance: 17,033
 BWFC: McDonagh: D.Clement, P.Nicholson, R.Greaves, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, W.Morgan, Whatmore (F.Worthington), Gowling, Cantello, D.Burke
 WBA: Godden: Batson, D.Statham, Trewick, Wile, A.Robertson, R.Robson, A.Brown II, A.Brown, G.Owen, P.Barnes

Liverpool FC v Coventry City 4-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 15 September 1979, Anfield Road, attendance: 39,926
 LFC: Clemence: Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Cr.Inrin, Dalglish, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness
 CCFC: Sealey: B.Roberts, R.McDonald, G.Collier, Holton, Gillespie, Hutchison, English, M.Ferguson (A.Blair), B.Powell, S.Hunt
 Scorers: 1-0 D.Johnson (27.), 2-0 Case (57.), 3-0 Dalglish (63.), 4-0 D.Johnson (90.)

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

Top Scorers	Goals
01 D.Johnson (Liverpool)	5 goals
02 Crooks (Stoke)	4 "
03 Swindlehurst (Crystal Palace)	3 "
Fashanu (Norwich)	3 "
B.Powell (Coventry)	3 "
T.Ritchie (Bristol C.)	3 "
Hoddle (Tottenham)	3 "
Sunderland (Arsenal)	3 "
Birtles (Nottingham)	3 "

Week 6

Leeds United v Liverpool FC 1-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 15 September 1979, Elland Road, attendance: 39,779
 LUF: Harvey: Hird, Hampton, B.Flynn, Hart, Madeley, E.Gray, Cherry, Hankin, Curtis, A.Graham
 LFC: Clemence: Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, Cohen, Hansen, Dalglish, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness
 Scorers: 0-1 T.McDermott (80.), 1-1 Curtis (87.)

Everton FC v Wolverhampton Wanderers 2-3 (1-0)
 Saturday, 15 September 1979, Goodison Park, attendance: 31,807, sent-off: A.King
 EFC: Wood: W.Wright, J.Bailey, M.Lyons, Higgins, T.Ross, Hartford, Stanley, A.King, Kidd, Eastoe (J.Barton)
 WWFC: Bradshaw: G.Palmer, D.Parkin, P.W.Daniel, E.Hughes, G.Berry, K.Hibbitt, W.Carr, A.Gray, J.Richards (Brazier), Eves
 Scorers: 1-0 Kidd (19.), 1-1 A.Gray (49.), 1-2 P.W.Daniel (59., pen.), 2-2 T.Ross (63.), 2-3 J.Richards (66.)

Southampton FC v Tottenham Hotspur 5-2 (0-1)
 Saturday, 15 September 1979, The Dell, attendance: 22,573
 SFC: Gennoe: Hebbard, Peach, S.Williams, C.Nicholl, M.Waldron, Ball, Boyer, Channon, G.E.Baker, N.Holmes
 HFC: Daines: Hughton, Villa, Yorath, Lacy, Perryman, J.Pratt, C.Jones, G.J.Armstrong, Hoddle, Beavon
 Scorers: 0-1 Hoddle (25.), 1-1 Boyer (49.), 1-2 C.Jones (53.), 2-2 N.Holmes (60.), 3-2 G.E.Baker (67.), 4-2 Channon (71.), 5-2 N.Holmes (74.)

Bristol City v Stoke City 0-0
 Saturday, 15 September 1979, Ashton Gate, attendance: 16,662
 BFC: Shaw: Tainton, C.Whitehead, Gow, G.Sweeney, G.Merrick, A.Fitzpatrick, T.Ritchie, Royle (Meijer), J.Mann, K.Mabbutt
 Stoke: Jones: R.Evans, G.Scott, S.Irvine, D.Smith, M.Doyle, Dodd, A.Heath, B.O'Callaghan, Crooks, P.Richardson

Norwich City v Nottingham Forest 3-1 (2-0)
 Saturday, 15 September 1979, Carrow Road, attendance: 18,621
 NFFC: Keelan: K.Bond, Symonds, McDowell, Hoadley, A.Powell, A.D.Taylor, K.Reeves, Fashanu, Paddon, K.Robson
 NFFC: Shilton: V.Anderson, F.Gray, McGovern, Lloyd, K.Burns, M.O'Neill, Bowyer, Birtles, Woodcock, J.N.Robertson
 Scorers: 1-0 K.Reeves (37.), 2-0 Fashanu (41.), 3-0 K.Robson (57.), 3-1 Woodcock (82.)

Manchester United v Derby County 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 15 September 1979, Old Trafford, attendance: 54,308
 MUFC: Keelan: J.Nicholl, Albiston, McLroy, McQueen, M.Buchan, Coppell, R.Wilkins, A.Ritchie, Macari, Grimes
 Derby: Middleton: Langan, S.Buckley, S.Powell, Wicks, D.Webb, Moreland, McCaffrey, Duncan (Crawford), S.Carter, G.Hill
 Scorers: 1-0 Grimes (20.)

Crystal Palace v Aston Villa 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 15 September 1979, Selhurst Park, attendance: 28,156
 CPFC: Burridge: P.Hinshelwood, Sansom, P.Nicholas, Cannon, W.Gilbert, J.Murphy (I.Walsh), G.Francis, Swindlehurst, Flanagan, Hilaire
 Villa: Rimmer: Gidman, Pejic, A.Evans, K.McNaught, D.Mortimer, A.Morley, J.Ward (Ormsby), Deehan, Cowans, Swain
 Scorers: 1-0, 2-0 J.Murphy (41., 65.)

Coventry City v Bolton Wanderers 3-1 (1-0)
 Saturday, 15 September 1979, Highfield Road, attendance: 15,353
 CCFC: Sealey: B.Roberts, R.McDonald, A.Blair, Holton, Gillespie, Hutchison, I.Wallace, M.Ferguson, B.Powell, S.Hunt
 MFC: McDonagh: D.Clement, P.Nicholson (C.Thompson), R.Greaves, P.B.Jones, M.Walsh, W.Morgan, Whatmore, Gowling, Cantello, D.Burke
 Scorers: 1-0 I.Wallace (8.), 2-0 B.Powell (49., pen.), 3-0 I.Wallace (62.), 3-1 W.Morgan (82.)

Arsenal FC v Middlesbrough FC 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 15 September 1979, Highbury, attendance: 30,341
 AFC: Jennings: Rice, Nelson, Talbot, O'Leary, W.Young, Brady, Sunderland, Stapleton, Hollins, Rix
 MFC: Platt: Craggs, I.Bailey, C.Johnston, Ashcroft, McAndrew, D.Hodgson, Proctor (M.Burns), Jankovic, Natrass, D.Armstrong
 Scorers: 1-0 Sunderland (24.), 2-0 Stapleton (65.)

West Bromwich Albion v Manchester City 4-0 (2-0)
 Saturday, 15 September 1979, The Hawthorns, attendance: 22,236
 WBA: Godden: Batson, D.Statham, Trewick, Wile, A.Robertson, S.Robson, A.Brown, A.Brown II, G.Owen, P.Barnes (Summerfield)
 MFC: Corrigan: Ranson, Stepanovic, Caton, Donachie, Power (P.Futcher), S.MacKenzie, Silkman, M.Robinson, S.Daley, St.Lee
 Scorers: 1-0 A.Brown II (13.), 2-0 G.Owen (35.), 3-0, 4-0 B.Robson (67., 78.)

Brighton & Hove Albion v Ipswich Town 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 15 September 1979, Goldstone Ground, attendance: 23,608
 BHA: Steele: J.Gregory, G.P.Williams, Horton, G.A.Stevens, S.Foster, P.Clark (G.Ryan), P.Ward, Maybank, Sayer, O'Sullivan
 Town: Cooper: Burley, M.Mills, Thijssen, Butcher, Osman, Wark, Mühren, Mariner, A.Brazil, C.Woods (R.Osborne)
 Scorers: 1-0 P.Clark (18.), 2-0 G.Ryan (85.)

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

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

Week 7

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Week 8

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Week 9

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Liverpool FC v Bristol City 4-0 (3-0)
 Saturday, 6 October 1979, Anfield Road, attendance: 38,213
 LFC: Clemence; Neal, A.Kennedy, Ph.Thompson, R.Kennedy, Hansen, Dalglish, Case, D.Johnson, T.McDermott, Souness
 BFCC: Shaw; Mcdonagh, D.Clement, D.Burke, R.Greaves, Allardyce, M.Walsh, W.Morgan, Whatmore, Gowling (Cantello), F.Worthington, N.McNab
 Scorers: 1-0 D.Johnson (3.), 2-0 Dalglish (30.), 3-0 R.Kennedy (35.), 4-0 T.McDermott (80.)

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

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

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

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

Week 10

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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