

Week 1

Tottenham Hotspur v West Ham United 2-2 (2-1)
 Saturday, 15 August 1970, White Hart Lane, attendance: 53,640
 Spurs: Jennings: R.Evans, C.Knowles, Mullery, England, D.Bond, Gilzean (2), Perryman, M.Chivers, Peters, Pearce
 WHU: Grotier: Bonds, Lampard, P.Bennett (1), Stephenson, R.Moore, C.Best, Brooking, G.Hurst, J.Greaves (1), Howe

Newcastle United v Wolverhampton Wanderers 3-2 (1-0)
 Saturday, 15 August 1970, St. James Park, attendance: 38,320
 NUFC: McFaul: D.Craig, R.Guthrie, Gibb (1), McNamee, Moncur, K.Dyson, B.S.Robson, W.Davies, J.Smith (1), Foggon (1)
 Wolves: Oldfield: D.Parkin, B.Shaw, M.Bailey, Holsgrove, L.Wilson, McCalliog, Hegan, R.Gould, Dougan (1), Wagstaffe (H.Curran 1)

Manchester United v Leeds United 0-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 15 August 1970, Old Trafford, attendance: 59,365
 MUFC: Stepney: P.Edwards, Dunne, Crerand, Ure, Sadler, Fitzpatrick, Stiles (Gowling), R.Charlton, Kidd, G.Best
 LUF: Sprake: Madeley, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clarke, M.Jones (1), Giles, E.Gray

Nottingham Forest v Coventry City 2-0 (2-0)
 Saturday, 15 August 1970, City Ground, Attendance: 25,137
 NFFC: J.Barron: Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane (Hilley), H.Newton, B.Lyons (1), Rees, Ingram, Cormack, Storey-Moore (1)
 CCFC: Glazier: Coop, Bruck, W.Carr, Blockley, Strong, R.Hunt II, Joicey, N.Martin, O'Rourke, D.Clements

Burnley FC v Liverpool FC 1-2 (1-1)
 Saturday, 15 August 1970, Turf Moor, attendance: 26,702
 NUFC: Waiters: Angus, Latcham, Bellamy, C.Waldron, J.Thomson, D.Thomas (1), Coates, Nulty, D.Collins, Kindon
 LFC: Clemence: Lawler, I.Ross, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes (1), Callaghan, A.W.Evans (1), R.Graham, J.T.McLaughlin, P.Thompson

Stoke City v Ipswich Town 0-0
 Saturday, 15 August 1970, Victoria Ground, attendance: 18,000
 Stoke: Banks: J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, A.Bloor, Skeels, Conroy (Eastham), J.Greenhoff, Ritchie, Dobia, Burrows
 Town: Best: Carroll, C.Harper, P.Morris, W.Baxter, Jefferson, J.Robertson, M.Mills, F.Clarke, C.Woods, Lambert

Southampton FC v Manchester City 1-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 15 August 1970, The Dell, attendance: 24,699
 SFC: Martin: Kirkup, A.Byrne, Fisher, Gabriel, Da.Walker, Paine, Channon, R.Davies (1), B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins
 MFC: Corrigan: Book, Pardoe, Doyle, G.Heslop, Oakes, Towers, C.Bell (1), Summerbee, F.Lee, F.Hill

Chelsea FC v Derby County 2-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 15 August 1970, Stramford Bridge, attendance: 46,909
 CFC: Bonetti: Mulligan, R.Harris, Hollins, Dempsey, M.Hinton, Weller, A.Hudson, P.Osgood (C.Cooke), Hutchinson (2), Houseman
 Derby: Green: Webster, J.Robson, Durban, McFarland, Mackay, McGovern, Carlin, O'Hare (1), Hector, A.Hinton (Wignall)

West Bromwich Albion v Crystal Palace 0-0
 Saturday, 15 August 1970, The Hawthorns, Attendance: 24,766
 WBA: Osborne: L.Hughes, R.Wilson II, A.Merrick, Talbut, Kaye, Reed, A.Brown, Astle, Suggett, R.Hope
 Palace: J.Jackson: Sewell, Wall, D.Payne, McCormick, Blyth, J.Scott, Kember, Queen, Birchenall, Tambling

Everton FC v Arsenal FC 2-2 (0-1)
 Saturday, 15 August 1970, Goodison Park, attendance: 49,684
 EFC: West: T.Wright, K.Newton, Kendall, Labone, C.Harvey, Whittle, Ball, Royle (1), J.Hurst, Morrissey (1)
 AFC: Wilson: Rice, R.McNab, Kelly, McLintock, J.Roberts, G.Armstrong, Storey, Radford, George (1, 75, Marinello), G.Graham (1)

Huddersfield Town v Blackpool FC 3-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 15 August 1970, Leeds Road, attendance: 22,787
 Hudd.: Poole: D.Clarke, Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellam, Cherry, S.Smith (2), L.Chapman, F.Worthington (1), McGill, Krzywicki
 BFC: Thomson: Armfield, Bentley, Craven, G.James, D.Hatton, R.Brown, J.Murray (59, Mowbray), R.Brown, F.Pickering, Suddick, Hutchison

Table Top Scorers

| | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|------|----|
| 01 Huddersfield Town | 01 | 01 | 00 | 00 | 2-0 | 3:0 | 0:00 | |
| 02 Nottingham Forest | 01 | 01 | 00 | 00 | 2-0 | 2:0 | 0:00 | |
| 03 Leeds United | 01 | 01 | 00 | 00 | 2-0 | 1:0 | 0:00 | |
| 04 Liverpool FC | 01 | 01 | 00 | 00 | 2-0 | 2:1 | 2:00 | |
| Chelsea FC | 01 | 01 | 00 | 00 | 2-0 | 2:1 | 2:00 | |
| 06 Newcastle United | 01 | 01 | 00 | 00 | 2-0 | 3:2 | 1:50 | |
| 07 Ipswich Town | 01 | 00 | 01 | 00 | 1-1 | 0:0 | 0:00 | |
| Crystal Palace | 01 | 00 | 01 | 00 | 1-1 | 0:0 | 0:00 | |
| Stoke City | 01 | 00 | 01 | 00 | 1-1 | 0:0 | 0:00 | |
| West Bromwich Albion | 01 | 00 | 01 | 00 | 1-1 | 0:0 | 0:00 | |
| 11 Manchester City | 01 | 00 | 01 | 00 | 1-1 | 1:1 | 1:00 | |
| Southampton FC | 01 | 00 | 01 | 00 | 1-1 | 1:1 | 1:00 | |
| 13 Everton FC | 01 | 00 | 01 | 00 | 1-1 | 2:2 | 1:00 | |
| Arsenal FC | 01 | 00 | 01 | 00 | 1-1 | 2:2 | 1:00 | |
| Tottenham Hotspur | 01 | 00 | 01 | 00 | 1-1 | 2:2 | 1:00 | |
| West Ham United | 01 | 00 | 01 | 00 | 1-1 | 2:2 | 1:00 | |
| 17 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 01 | 00 | 00 | 01 | 0-2 | 2:3 | 0:67 | |
| 18 Burnley FC | 01 | 00 | 00 | 01 | 0-2 | 1:2 | 0:50 | |
| Derby County | 01 | 00 | 00 | 01 | 0-2 | 1:2 | 0:50 | |
| 20 Manchester United | 01 | 00 | 00 | 01 | 0-2 | 0:1 | 0:00 | |
| 21 Coventry City | 01 | 00 | 00 | 01 | 0-2 | 0:2 | 0:00 | |
| 22 Blackpool FC | 01 | 00 | 00 | 01 | 0-2 | 0:3 | 0:00 | |

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| 01 Gilzean (Tottenham) | 2 goals |
| Hutchinson (Chelsea) | 2 * |
| S.Smith (Huddersfield) | 2 * |

Week 2

Blackpool FC v Liverpool FC 0-0
 Monday, 17 August 1970, Bloomfield Road, attendance: 27,000
 BFC: Thomson: Armfield, Mowbray, Bentley, G.James, D.Hatton, R.Brown, Craven, F.Pickering, Suddick, Hutchison
 LFC: Clemence: Lawler, I.Ross, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, Callaghan, A.W.Evans, R.Graham, J.T.McLaughlin, P.Thompson

West Ham United v Arsenal FC 0-0
 Monday, 17 August 1970, Upton Park, attendance: 39,903
 WHU: Grotier: Bonds, Lampard, P.Bennett, Stephenson, R.Moore, C.Best, Brooking, G.Hurst, J.Greaves, Howe
 AFC: Wilson: Storey, R.McNab, Kelly, McLintock, J.Roberts, G.Armstrong, R.Kennedy, Radford, Marinello, G.Graham

Everton v Burnley FC 1-1 (0-1)
 Tuesday, 18 August 1970, Goodison Park, attendance: 44,751
 EFC: West: T.Wright, K.Newton, Kendall, Labone, C.Harvey (A.D.Brown), Whittle, Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, Morrissey (1)
 BFC: Waiters: Angus, Merrington, Bellamy, C.Waldron, J.Thomson, D.Thomas (1), Coates, Probert, Docherty, Kindon

Nottingham Forest v West Bromwich Albion 3-3 (2-1)
 Tuesday, 18 August 1970, City Ground, attendance: 24,423
 NFFC: J.Barron: Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, H.Newton, B.Lyons (1), Rees (1), Ingram, Cormack (1), Storey-Moore
 WBA: Osborne: L.Hughes, R.Wilson II, A.Merrick, Talbut, Kaye, Reed, A.Brown (2), Astle (1), Suggett, R.Hope

Huddersfield Town v Southampton FC 3-1 (0-1)
 Tuesday, 18 August 1970, Leeds Road, Attendance: 24,424
 Hudd.: Poole: D.Clarke, Hutt, J.Nicholson (1), Ellam, Cherry, S.Smith (1), L.Chapman, F.Worthington, McGill, Krzywicki (1)
 SFC: Martin: Kirkup, A.Byrne, Fisher, Gabriel, Da.Walker, Paine, Channon, R.Davies (1), B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins

Ipswich Town v Coventry City 0-2 (0-0)
 Tuesday, 18 August 1970, Portman Road, Attendance: 21,188
 Town: Best: Carroll (69, Whymark), C.Harper, P.Morris, W.Baxter, Jefferson, J.Robertson, M.Mills, F.Clarke, C.Woods, Lambert
 CCFC: Glazier: Coop, D.Clements, Goodwin, Blockley, Strong, R.Hunt II, W.Carr, N.Martin (2), O'Rourke, E.Machin

Manchester United v Chelsea FC 0-0
 Wednesday, 19 August 1970, Old Trafford, attendance: 50,979
 MUFC: Stepney: P.Edwards, Dunne, Crerand, Ure, Sadler, W.Morgan, Fitzpatrick, R.Charlton, Stiles, G.Best
 CFC: Bonetti: Mulligan, R.Harris, Hollins, Dempsey, M.Hinton, Weller, A.Hudson, P.Osgood, Hutchinson, Houseman

Stoke City v Newcastle United 3-0 (2-0)
 Wednesday, 19 August 1970, Victoria Ground, attendance: 15,197
 Stoke: Banks: J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, A.Bloor, Skeels, Conroy, J.Greenhoff, Ritchie (1), Dobia, Burrows (1) - 1 o.g. Smith
 NUFC: McFaul: D.Craig, R.Guthrie, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, K.Dyson, B.S.Robson, W.Davies, J.Smith, Foggon
Note: other sources credit Jim Smith's own goal to John Ritchie.

Tottenham Hotspur v Leeds United 0-2 (0-0)
 Wednesday, 19 August 1970, White Hart Lane, attendance: 39,927
 Spurs: Jennings: R.Evans, C.Knowles, Mullery, England, P.Collins, Gilzean, Perryman, M.Chivers, Peters, Pearce
 LUF: Sprake: Madeley, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clarke, M.Jones, Giles (1), E.Gray (1)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Derby County 2-4 (2-4)
 Wednesday, 19 August 1970, Molineux, Attendance: 29,910
 Wolves: Oldfield: G.W.Taylor, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, Holsgrove, L.Wilson, McCalliog, Dougan (1), R.Gould, H.Curran (1, B.Shaw), Wagstaffe
 Derby: Green: Webster, J.Robson, Durban (1, Wignall), McFarland, Mackay, McGovern (2), Carlin, O'Hare (1), Hector, A.Hinton

Crystal Palace v Manchester City 0-1 (0-0)
 Wednesday, 19 August 1970, Selhurst Park, Attendance: 35,118
 Palace: J.Jackson: Sewell, Wall, D.Payne, McCormick, Blyth, J.Scott, Kember, Queen, Birchenall, Tambling
 MFC: Corrigan: Book, Pardoe, Doyle, G.Heslop, Oakes (1), Towers, C.Bell, Summerbee, F.Lee, F.Hill

Table Top Scorers

| | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|------|----|
| 01 Leeds United | 02 | 02 | 00 | 00 | 4-0 | 3:0 | 0:00 | |
| 02 Huddersfield Town | 02 | 02 | 00 | 00 | 4-0 | 6:1 | 6:00 | |
| 03 Stoke City | 02 | 01 | 01 | 00 | 3-1 | 3:0 | 0:00 | |
| 04 Liverpool FC | 02 | 01 | 01 | 00 | 3-1 | 2:1 | 2:00 | |
| Chelsea FC | 02 | 01 | 01 | 00 | 3-1 | 2:1 | 2:00 | |
| Manchester City | 02 | 01 | 01 | 00 | 3-1 | 2:1 | 2:00 | |
| 07 Nottingham Forest | 02 | 01 | 01 | 00 | 3-1 | 5:3 | 1:67 | |
| 08 Derby County | 02 | 01 | 00 | 01 | 2-2 | 5:4 | 1:25 | |
| 09 West Bromwich Albion | 02 | 00 | 02 | 00 | 2-2 | 3:3 | 1:00 | |
| 10 Coventry City | 02 | 01 | 00 | 01 | 2-2 | 2:2 | 1:00 | |
| Arsenal FC | 02 | 01 | 00 | 01 | 2-2 | 2:2 | 1:00 | |
| West Ham United | 02 | 01 | 00 | 01 | 2-2 | 2:2 | 1:00 | |
| 13 Everton FC | 02 | 00 | 02 | 00 | 2-2 | 3:3 | 1:00 | |
| 14 Newcastle United | 02 | 01 | 00 | 01 | 2-2 | 3:5 | 0:60 | |
| 15 Burnley FC | 02 | 00 | 01 | 01 | 1-3 | 2:3 | 0:67 | |
| 16 Southampton FC | 02 | 00 | 01 | 01 | 1-3 | 2:4 | 0:50 | |
| Tottenham Hotspur | 02 | 00 | 01 | 01 | 1-3 | 2:4 | 0:50 | |
| 18 Manchester United | 02 | 00 | 01 | 01 | 1-3 | 0:1 | 0:00 | |
| Crystal Palace | 02 | 00 | 01 | 01 | 1-3 | 0:1 | 0:00 | |
| 20 Ipswich Town | 02 | 00 | 01 | 01 | 1-3 | 0:2 | 0:00 | |
| 21 Blackpool FC | 02 | 00 | 01 | 01 | 1-3 | 0:3 | 0:00 | |
| 22 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 02 | 00 | 00 | 02 | 0-4 | 4:7 | 0:57 | |

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| 01 S.Smith (Huddersfield) | 3 goals |
| 02 B.Lyons (Nottingham) | 2 * |
| Gilzean (Tottenham) | 2 * |
| 03 Gilzean (Tottenham) | 2 * |
| A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 2 * |
| R.Davies (Southampton) | 2 * |
| Hutchinson (Chelsea) | 2 * |
| O'Hare (Derby) | 2 * |
| Morrissey (Everton) | 2 * |
| N.Martin (Coventry) | 2 * |
| H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 2 * |
| D.Thomas (Burnley) | 2 * |
| McGovern (Derby) | 2 * |

Week 3

Liverpool FC v Huddersfield Town 4-0 (2-0)
 Saturday, 22 August 1970, Anfield Road, Attendance: 52,628
 LFC: Clemence, Lawler, I.Ross, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, Callaghan, A.W.Evans (2), R.Graham, J.T.McLaughlin (2), P.Thompson
 Hudd.: Poole, D.Clarke, Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellam, Cherry, S.Smith, L.Chapman (J.Lawson), F.Worthington, McGill, Krzywicki

Ipswich Town v Nottingham Forest 0-0
 Saturday, 22 August 1970, Portman Road, attendance: 19,152
 Town: Best: M.Mills, C.Harper, P.Morris, W.Baxter, Jefferson, J.Robertson, V.Iljoen, F.Clarke, C.Woods, Lambert (R.Hunt III)
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, H.Newton, B.Lyons, Rees, Ingram (Hilley), Cormack, Storey-Moore

Leeds United v Everton 3-2 (1-2)
 Saturday, 22 August 1970, Elland Road, Attendance: 46,718
 LFC: Sprake, Madeley, Cooper, W.Bremner (2), J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clarke, M.Jones, Giles (1), E.Gray
 EFC: West: T.Wright, K.Newton, Kendall, Labone, A.D.Brown (1), Husband (1), Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, Morrissey

Coventry City v Southampton FC 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 22 August 1970, Highfield Road, Attendance: 26,133
 CFC: Glazier; Coop, D.Clements, Goodwin, Blockley, Strong, R.Hunt II (1), W.Carr, N.Martin, O'Rourke, E.Machin (Joicey)
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, A.Byrne, Fisher, Gabriel, Da.Walker, D.Thompson, Channon, R.Davies, B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Tottenham Hotspur 0-3 (0-2)
 Saturday, 22 August 1970, Molineux, attendance: 23,896
 Wolves: Oldfield; L.Wilson, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, Holsgrove, F.Munro, McCalliog, Hegan, Dougan, H.Curran, Wagstaffe
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery (1), England, P.Collins, Gilzean, Perryman, M.Chivers (1), Peters, R.Morgan (1)

Manchester City v Burnley FC 0-0
 Saturday, 22 August 1970, Maine Road, attendance: 37,849
 MFC: Corrigan; Book, Pardoe, Doyle, G.Heslop, Oakes, Towers, C.Bell, Summerbee, F.Lee, F.Hill
 BFC: Waiters; Angus, Merrington, Bellamy, C.Waldron, J.Thomson, D.Thomas, Coates, Probert, Docherty, Kindon

Crystal Palace v Newcastle United 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 22 August 1970, Selhurst Park, Attendance: 27,287
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Wall, D.Payne, McCormick, Blyth, A.Taylor, Kember, Queen, Birchenall (1), Tambling
 NFFC: McFaul; D.Craig, R.Guthrie, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, K.Dyson, B.S.Robson, W.Davies, Arentoff, Foggon

Derby County v Stoke City 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 22 August 1970, Baseball Ground, Attendance: 35,461
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Robson, Hennessey (Wignall 1), McFarland, Mackay, McGovern, Carlin, O'Hare, Hector, A.Hinton (1)
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith (W.Stevenson), A.Bloor, Eastham, J.Greenhoff, Ritchie, Dobia, Burrows

Blackpool FC v West Bromwich Albion 3-1 (3-1)
 Saturday, 22 August 1970, Bloomfield Road, attendance: 22,162
 BFC: Thomson; Armfield, Mowbray, Bentley, G.James, D.Hatton, R.Brown (1), Craven, F.Pickering (2), Suddick, Hutchison
 WBA: Osborne (G.Johnson); L.Hughes, A.Merrick, Cantello, Talbut, A.Robertson, Reed, A.Brown, Astle (1), Suggett, R.Hope

Arsenal FC v Manchester United 4-0 (2-0)
 Saturday, 22 August 1970, Highbury, attendance: 54,117
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, Kelly, McLintock, J.Roberts, G.Armstrong, Storey, Radford (3, Marinello), R.Kennedy, G.Graham (1)
 MUFC: Stepney (P.Edwards); Stiles, Dunne, Crerand, Ure, Sadler, W.Morgan, Fitzpatrick, R.Charlton, Law, G.Best

West Ham United v Chelsea FC 2-2 (2-0)
 Saturday, 22 August 1970, Upton Park, attendance: 39,240
 WHU: Grotier; Bonds, Lampard, P.Bennett, Stephenson, R.Moore, C.Best, Brooking, G.Hurst (1), J.Greaves, Howe (1)
 CFC: Bonetti; Mulligan, R.Harris, Hollins, Dempsey, Weller (2), A.Hudson, P.Osgood, Hutchinson, Houseman

| Table | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-----|-------|------|----|
| 01 Leeds United | 03 | 03 | 00 | 00 | 6-0 | 06:02 | 3:00 | |
| 02 Liverpool FC | 03 | 02 | 01 | 00 | 5-1 | 06:01 | 6:00 | |
| 03 Arsenal FC | 03 | 01 | 02 | 00 | 4-2 | 06:02 | 3:00 | |
| 04 Manchester City | 03 | 01 | 02 | 00 | 4-2 | 02:01 | 2:00 | |
| 05 Derby County | 03 | 02 | 00 | 01 | 4-2 | 07:04 | 1:75 | |
| 06 Nottingham Forest | 03 | 01 | 02 | 00 | 4-2 | 05:03 | 1:67 | |
| 07 Coventry City | 03 | 02 | 00 | 01 | 4-2 | 03:02 | 1:50 | |
| 08 Chelsea FC | 03 | 01 | 02 | 00 | 4-2 | 04:03 | 1:33 | |
| 09 Huddersfield Town | 03 | 02 | 00 | 01 | 4-2 | 06:05 | 1:20 | |
| 10 Stoke City | 03 | 01 | 01 | 01 | 3-3 | 03:02 | 1:50 | |
| 11 Tottenham Hotspur | 03 | 01 | 01 | 01 | 3-3 | 05:04 | 1:25 | |
| 12 Crystal Palace | 03 | 01 | 01 | 01 | 3-3 | 01:01 | 1:00 | |
| 13 West Ham United | 03 | 00 | 03 | 00 | 3-3 | 04:04 | 1:00 | |
| 14 Blackpool FC | 03 | 01 | 01 | 01 | 3-3 | 03:04 | 0:75 | |
| 15 Everton FC | 03 | 00 | 02 | 01 | 2-4 | 05:06 | 0:83 | |
| 16 Burnley FC | 03 | 00 | 02 | 01 | 2-4 | 02:03 | 0:67 | |
| 17 West Bromwich Albion | 03 | 00 | 02 | 01 | 2-4 | 04:06 | 0:67 | |
| 18 Newcastle United | 03 | 01 | 00 | 02 | 2-4 | 03:06 | 0:50 | |
| 19 Ipswich Town | 03 | 00 | 02 | 01 | 2-4 | 00:02 | 0:00 | |
| 20 Southampton FC | 03 | 01 | 01 | 02 | 1-5 | 02:05 | 0:40 | |
| 21 Manchester United | 03 | 00 | 01 | 02 | 1-5 | 00:05 | 0:00 | |
| 22 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 03 | 00 | 00 | 03 | 0-6 | 04:10 | 0:40 | |

| Top Scorers | Goals |
|---------------------------|---------|
| 01 Radford (Arsenal) | 3 goals |
| S.Smith (Huddersfield) | 3 * |
| 03 A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 2 * |
| Giles (Leeds) | 2 * |
| Morrissey (Everton) | 2 * |
| McGovern (Derby) | 2 * |
| H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 2 * |
| R.Davies (Southampton) | 2 * |
| Gilzean (Tottenham) | 2 * |
| O'Hare (Derby) | 2 * |
| B.Lyons (Nottingham) | 2 * |
| Astle (West Bromwich) | 2 * |
| F.Pickering (Blackpool) | 2 * |
| Hutchinson (Chelsea) | 2 * |
| Dougan (Wolverhampton) | 2 * |
| J.T.McLaughlin(Liverpool) | 2 * |
| N.Martin (Coventry) | 2 * |
| G.Graham (Arsenal) | 2 * |
| W.Bremner (Leeds) | 2 * |
| D.Thomas (Burnley) | 2 * |
| A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 2 * |

Week 4

Arsenal FC v Huddersfield Town 1-0 (0-0)
 Tuesday, 25 August 1970, Highbury, attendance: 34,848
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, Kelly, McLintock, J.Roberts, G.Armstrong, Storey, Radford (Nelson), R.Kennedy (1), G.Graham
 Hudd.: Poole, D.Clarke, Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellam, Cherry, S.Smith, J.Lawson (C.Dobson), F.Worthington, McGill, Krzywicki

Liverpool FC v Crystal Palace 1-1 (1-0)
 Tuesday, 25 August 1970, Anfield Road, Attendance: 47,612
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, R.Q.Evans, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, Callaghan, A.W.Evans, R.Graham (1), J.T.McLaughlin, P.Thompson
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Wall, Hoadley, McCormick, Blyth, A.Taylor (Humphreys), Kember, Queen (1), Birchenall, Tambling

Southampton FC v Tottenham Hotspur 0-0
 Tuesday, 25 August 1970, The Dell, attendance: 27,149
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, Gabriel (J.McGrath), Da.Walker, Paine, Channon, R.Davies, B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, England, P.Collins, Pearce (D.Bond), Perryman, M.Chivers, Peters, R.Morgan

Burnley FC v Manchester United 0-2 (0-0)
 Tuesday, 25 August 1970, Turf Moor, attendance: 29,385
 BFC: Glazier; Coop, D.Clements, Goodwin, Blockley, Strong, R.Hunt II, W.Carr, N.Martin, Joicey, D.Mortimer (75. Cattlin)
 MUFC: Rimmer; P.Edwards, Dunne, Fitzpatrick, Ure, Sadler, W.Morgan, Law (2), R.Charlton, Stiles, G.Best

Coventry City v Wolverhampton Wanderers 0-1 (0-0)
 Tuesday, 25 August 1970, Highfield Road, Attendance: 31,028
 BFC: Glazier; Coop, D.Clements, Goodwin, Blockley, Strong, R.Hunt II, W.Carr, N.Martin, Joicey, D.Mortimer (75. Cattlin)
 Wolves: Oldfield; G.W.Taylor, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, Holsgrove, F.Munro, McCalliog, L.Wilson, R.Gould, H.Curran (1), Wagstaffe

Leeds United v West Ham United 3-0 (1-0)
 Wednesday, 26 August 1970, Elland Road, attendance: 42,677
 LFC: Sprake; Madeley, Cooper, Bates, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clarke, M.Jones (1), Giles (1), Belfitt (1), E.Gray
 WHU: Grotier; Bonds, Lampard, P.Bennett, Stephenson, R.Moore, C.Best, Brooking, G.Hurst, J.Greaves, Howe

Newcastle United v Nottingham Forest 1-1 (0-1)
 Wednesday, 26 August 1970, St. James Park, attendance: 34,960
 NFFC: McFaul; D.Craig, R.Guthrie, Gibb, McNamee (1), Moncur, K.Dyson, B.S.Robson, W.Davies, J.Smith, Hindson
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, H.Newton, B.Lyons, Rees, Ingram, Cormack, Storey-Moore (1)

Chelsea FC v Everton FC 2-2 (1-2)
 Wednesday, 26 August 1970, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 48,195
 CFC: Bonetti; Mulligan, R.Harris, Hollins, Dempsey (1), M.Hinton, Weller (1), A.Hudson, P.Osgood, Hutchinson, Houseman
 EFC: West: T.Wright, K.Newton, Kendall, Kenyon, A.D.Brown, Husband (1), Ball, Royle (1), J.Hurst, Morrissey

Derby County v Ipswich Town 2-0 (2-0)
 Wednesday, 26 August 1970, Baseball Ground, Attendance: 30,869
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Robson, Durban (Wignall), McFarland, Mackay, McGovern, Carlin, O'Hare, Hector (1), A.Hinton - 1 o.g. Harper
 Town: Best: M.Mills, C.Harper, P.Morris, W.Baxter, Jefferson, J.Robertson, V.Iljoen, F.Clarke, C.Woods, Lambert (Whymark)

West Bromwich Albion v Stoke City 5-2 (1-1)
 Wednesday, 26 August 1970, The Hawthorns, attendance: 22,609
 WBA: Cumbs; L.Hughes, R.Wilson II, A.Merrick, Talbut, A.Robertson, Cantello (Reed 1), A.Brown (2), Astle (2), Suggett, R.Hope
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, A.Bloor, W.Stevenson, Conroy (1), J.Greenhoff (Eastham), Ritchie (1), Dobia, Burrows

Manchester City v Blackpool FC 2-0 (2-0)
 Wednesday, 26 August 1970, Maine Road, attendance: 37,197
 MFC: Corrigan; Book, Pardoe, Booth, Oakes, Summerbee, C.Bell (1), F.Lee (1), N.Young, Towers
 BFC: Thomson; Armfield, Mowbray, Bentley, G.James, D.Hatton, R.Brown (J.Hughes), Craven, F.Pickering, Suddick, Hutchison

| Table | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-----|-------|------|----|
| 01 Leeds United | 04 | 04 | 00 | 00 | 8-0 | 09:02 | 4:50 | |
| 02 Manchester City | 04 | 02 | 02 | 00 | 6-2 | 04:01 | 4:00 | |
| 03 Liverpool FC | 04 | 02 | 02 | 00 | 6-2 | 07:02 | 3:50 | |
| Arsenal FC | 04 | 02 | 02 | 00 | 6-2 | 07:02 | 3:50 | |
| 05 Derby County | 04 | 03 | 00 | 01 | 6-2 | 09:04 | 2:25 | |
| 06 Nottingham Forest | 04 | 01 | 03 | 00 | 5-3 | 06:04 | 1:50 | |
| 07 Chelsea FC | 04 | 01 | 03 | 00 | 5-3 | 06:05 | 1:20 | |
| 08 Tottenham Hotspur | 04 | 01 | 02 | 01 | 4-4 | 05:04 | 1:25 | |
| 09 West Bromwich Albion | 04 | 01 | 02 | 01 | 4-4 | 09:08 | 1:13 | |
| 10 Crystal Palace | 04 | 01 | 02 | 01 | 4-4 | 02:02 | 1:00 | |
| 11 Coventry City | 04 | 02 | 00 | 02 | 4-4 | 03:03 | 1:00 | |
| 12 Huddersfield Town | 04 | 02 | 00 | 02 | 4-4 | 06:06 | 1:00 | |
| 13 Everton FC | 04 | 00 | 03 | 01 | 3-5 | 07:08 | 0:88 | |
| 14 Stoke City | 04 | 01 | 01 | 02 | 3-5 | 05:07 | 0:71 | |
| 15 Newcastle United | 04 | 01 | 01 | 02 | 3-5 | 04:07 | 0:57 | |
| West Ham United | 04 | 01 | 01 | 02 | 3-5 | 04:07 | 0:57 | |
| 17 Blackpool FC | 04 | 01 | 01 | 02 | 3-5 | 03:06 | 0:50 | |
| 18 Manchester United | 04 | 01 | 01 | 02 | 3-5 | 02:05 | 0:40 | |
| 19 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 04 | 01 | 00 | 03 | 2-6 | 05:10 | 0:50 | |
| 20 Burnley FC | 04 | 00 | 02 | 02 | 2-6 | 02:05 | 0:40 | |
| Southampton FC | 04 | 00 | 02 | 02 | 2-6 | 02:05 | 0:40 | |
| 22 Ipswich Town | 04 | 00 | 02 | 02 | 2-6 | 00:04 | 0:00 | |

| Top Scorers | Goals |
|----------------------------|---------|
| 01 Astle (West Bromwich) | 4 goals |
| A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 4 * |
| 03 Radford (Arsenal) | 3 * |
| Weller (Chelsea) | 3 * |
| H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 3 * |
| S.Smith (Huddersfield) | 3 * |
| Giles (Leeds) | 3 * |
| A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 3 * |
| 09 D.Thomas (Burnley) | 2 * |
| Storey-Moore (Nottingham) | 2 * |
| Law (Man.U.) | 2 * |
| O'Hare (Derby) | 2 * |
| B.Lyons (Nottingham) | 2 * |
| J.T.McLaughlin (Liverpool) | 2 * |
| F.Pickering (Blackpool) | 2 * |
| Ritchie (Stoke) | 2 * |
| Gilzean (Tottenham) | 2 * |
| M.Jones (Leeds) | 2 * |
| Husband (Everton) | 2 * |
| Hutchinson (Chelsea) | 2 * |
| W.Bremner (Leeds) | 2 * |
| G.Graham (Arsenal) | 2 * |
| C.Bell (Man.C.) | 2 * |
| Royle (Everton) | 2 * |
| Morrissey (Everton) | 2 * |
| McGovern (Derby) | 2 * |
| N.Martin (Coventry) | 2 * |
| Dougan (Wolverhampton) | 2 * |
| R.Davies (Southampton) | 2 * |

Week 5

Nottingham Forest v Wolverhampton Wanderers 4-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 29 August 1970, City Ground, attendance: 24,343
 NFFC: J.Barron, Hindley (1), Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, H.Newton (1), B.Lyons, Rees (1), Ingram, Cormack, Storey-Moore (1), Hilley)
 Wolves: Oldfield; G.W.Taylor, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, Holsgrove (J.Richards), F.Munro, McCalliog, L.Wilson, R.Gould, H.Curran (1), Wagstaffe

Tottenham Hotspur v Coventry City 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 29 August 1970, White Hart Lane, Attendance: 27,103
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, England, P.Collins, Gilzean, Peryman, M.Chivers (1), Peters, R.Morgan (Pearce)
 CFC: Glazier; Coop, Cattlin, Goodwin, Blockley, Strong, R.Hunt II, W.Carr, N.Martin, O'Rourke (81. R.Parker), D.Clements

West Bromwich Albion v Liverpool FC 1-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 29 August 1970, The Hawthorns, attendance: 31,624
 WBA: Cumbes; L.Hughes, R.Wilson II, A.Merrick, Talbut, A.Robertson, Cantello (Reed), A.Brown, Astle (1), Suggett, R.Hope
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, R.Q.Evans, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, Callaghan, A.W.Evans (1), R.Graham, J.T.McLaughlin, P.Thompson

Manchester United v West Ham United 1-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 29 August 1970, Old Trafford, attendance: 50,643
 MUFC: Rimmer; P.Edwards, Dunne, Fitzpatrick (1), Ure, Sadler, W.Morgan, Law, R.Charlton, Stiles (Gowling), G.Best
 WHU: Grotier; Bonds, Lampard, P.Bennett, Stephenson, R.Moore, Brooking, J.Greaves, C.Best, G.Hurst (1), Howe

Newcastle United v Blackpool FC 1-2 (1-1)
 Saturday, 29 August 1970, St. James Park, attendance: 33,270
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig, R.Guthrie, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, K.Dyson (Barrowclough), B.S.Robson, W.Davies, J.Smith, Hindson (1)
 BFC: Thomson; Armfield, Mowbray, Bentley, G.James, D.Hatton, J.Hughes (J.Johnston), Craven (2), Rowe, Suddick, Hutchison

Stoke City v Crystal Palace 0-0
 Saturday, 29 August 1970, Victoria Ground, Attendance: 13,469
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Conroy, Dobing, Ritchie, Skeels (Eastham), Burrows
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Wall, Hoadley, McCormick, Blyth, A.Taylor, Kember (Humphreys), Queen, Birchenall, Tambling

Burnley FC v Leeds United 0-3 (0-3)
 Saturday, 29 August 1970, Turf Moor, attendance: 26,006
 MUFC: Waiters; Angus, Merrington, Bellamy, C.Waldron, J.Thomson, D.Thomas, Coates, Probert, Docherty, Kindon
 LUF: Sprake; Madeley, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clark (2), M.Jones (1), Bates, E.Gray

Southampton FC v Ipswich Town 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 29 August 1970, The Dell, attendance: 18,764
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Da.Walker, Paine, Channon (75. Stokes), R.Davies (1), B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins
 Town: Best; M.Mills, C.Harper, P.Morris, W.Baxter, Jefferson, C.Woods, Viljoen, F.Clark, Whymark (83. J.Miller), Collard

Everton FC v Manchester City 0-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 29 August 1970, Goodison Park, Attendance: 50,724
 EFC: West; T.Wright, K.Newton, Kendall (A.D.Brown), Kenyon, C.Harvey, Husband, Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, Whittle
 MFCF: Corrigan; Book, Pardoe, Doyle, Booth, Oakes, Summerbee, C.Bell (1), F.Lee, N.Young, Towers

Huddersfield Town v Derby County 0-0
 Saturday, 29 August 1970, Leeds Road, Attendance: 27,997
 Hudd.: Poole; D.Clark, Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellam, Cherry, S.Smith, J.Lawson, F.Worthington, McGill, Krzywicki
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Robson, McGovern, McFarland, Mackay, Wignall, Carlin, O'Hare, Hector, A.Hinton

Chelsea v Arsenal FC 2-1 (1-0)
 Saturday, 29 August 1970, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 53,722
 CFC: Bonetti; Mulligan (1), R.Harris, Hollins (1), Dempsey, M.Hinton, Weller, A.Hudson, P.Osgood (C.Cooke), Hutchinson, Houseman
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, E.Kelly (1), McLintock, J.Roberts, G.Armstrong, Storey, Nelson, R.Kennedy, G.Graham

| Table | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR | Top Scorers |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|----|----------------------------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 05 | 05 | 00 | 00 | 10-00 | 12:02 | 6:00 | | 01 Astle (West Bromwich) 5 goals |
| 02 Manchester City | 05 | 03 | 02 | 00 | 08-02 | 05:01 | 5:00 | | 02 H.Curran (Wolverhampton) 4 * |
| 03 Liverpool FC | 05 | 02 | 03 | 00 | 07-03 | 08:03 | 2:67 | | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) 4 * |
| 04 Derby County | 05 | 03 | 01 | 01 | 07-03 | 09:04 | 2:25 | | A.Brown (West Bromwich) 4 * |
| 05 Nottingham Forest | 05 | 02 | 03 | 00 | 07-03 | 10:05 | 2:00 | | 05 Giles (Leeds) 3 * |
| 06 Chelsea FC | 05 | 02 | 03 | 00 | 07-03 | 08:06 | 1:33 | | C.Bell (Man.C.) 3 * |
| 07 Arsenal FC | 05 | 02 | 02 | 01 | 06-04 | 08:04 | 2:00 | | S.Smith (Huddersfield) 3 * |
| 08 Tottenham Hotspur | 05 | 02 | 02 | 01 | 06-04 | 06:04 | 1:50 | | Radford (Arsenal) 3 * |
| 09 West Bromwich Albion | 05 | 01 | 03 | 01 | 05-05 | 10:09 | 1:11 | | Weller (Chelsea) 3 * |
| 10 Crystal Palace | 05 | 01 | 03 | 01 | 05-05 | 02:02 | 1:00 | | Storey-Moore (Nottingham) 3 * |
| 11 Huddersfield Town | 05 | 02 | 01 | 02 | 05-05 | 06:06 | 1:00 | | M.Jones (Leeds) 3 * |
| 12 Blackpool FC | 05 | 02 | 01 | 02 | 05-05 | 05:07 | 0:71 | | R.Davies (Southampton) 3 * |
| 13 Coventry City | 05 | 02 | 00 | 03 | 04-06 | 03:04 | 0:75 | | |
| 14 Stoke City | 05 | 01 | 02 | 02 | 04-06 | 05:07 | 0:71 | | |
| 15 West Ham United | 05 | 00 | 04 | 01 | 04-06 | 05:08 | 0:63 | | |
| 16 Southampton FC | 05 | 01 | 02 | 02 | 04-06 | 03:05 | 0:60 | | |
| 17 Manchester United | 05 | 01 | 02 | 02 | 04-06 | 03:06 | 0:50 | | |
| 18 Everton FC | 05 | 00 | 03 | 02 | 03-07 | 07:09 | 0:78 | | |
| 19 Newcastle United | 05 | 01 | 01 | 03 | 03-07 | 05:09 | 0:56 | | |
| 20 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 05 | 01 | 00 | 04 | 02-08 | 06:14 | 0:43 | | |
| 21 Burnley FC | 05 | 00 | 02 | 03 | 02-08 | 02:08 | 0:25 | | |
| 22 Ipswich Town | 05 | 00 | 02 | 03 | 02-08 | 00:05 | 0:00 | | |

Week 6

West Ham United v Southampton FC 1-1 (0-1)
 Monday, 31 August 1970, Upton Park, attendance: 26,213
 WHU: Grotier; Bonds, Lampard, P.Bennett (Eustace), Stephenson, R.Moore, C.Best, Brooking, G.Hurst (1), J.Greaves, Howe
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Da.Walker, Paine, Channon, R.Davies, B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins (1)

Burnley v Chelsea FC 0-0
 Tuesday, 1 September 1970, Turf Moor, Attendance: 14,543
 BFC: Waiters; Angus, Ternent, Docherty, C.Waldron, J.Thomson, D.Thomas, Coates, Casper, Probert, Kindon
 CFC: Bonetti; Mulligan, R.Harris, Hollins, Dempsey, M.Hinton, Weller, A.Hudson, P.Osgood, Smethurst, Houseman

Ipswich Town v Wolverhampton Wanderers 2-3 (1-3)
 Tuesday, 1 September 1970, Portman Road, attendance: 18,689
 Town: Best; M.Mills, C.Harper, P.Morris, W.Baxter, Jefferson, C.Woods, Viljoen (2'), F.Clark, Whymark, Collard (30. J.Miller)
 Wolves: Parkes; G.W.Taylor, D.Parkin, L.Wilson, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog, Hegan, R.Gould (1), H.Curran (2), Wagstaffe

Huddersfield Town v Tottenham Hotspur 1-1 (0-0)
 Tuesday, 1 September 1970, Leeds Road, Attendance: 26,701
 Hudd.: Poole; D.Clark, Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellam, Cherry, S.Smith (1), J.Lawson, F.Worthington, McGill, Krzywicki
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, England, P.Collins (Pearce), Gilzean, Peryman, M.Chivers (1), Peters, R.Morgan

Arsenal FC v Leeds United 0-0
 Tuesday, 1 September 1970, Highbury, attendance: 47,749
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, Kelly, McLintock, J.Roberts, G.Armstrong, Storey, Radford, R.Kennedy, G.Graham
 LUF: Sprake; Madeley, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clark, M.Jones, Bates, E.Gray

Derby County v Coventry City 3-4 (2-2)
 Wednesday, 2 September 1970, Baseball Ground, Attendance: 31,621
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Robson, McGovern (1), McFarland, Mackay, Wignall, Carlin, O'Hare, Hector (1), A.Hinton (1)
 CFC: Glazier; Coop, Cattlin, W.Smith, Blockley, Strong, Joicey (R.Hunt II), W.Carr (1), N.Martin (2), E.Machin, D.Clements (1)

Stoke City v Nottingham Forest 0-0
 Wednesday, 2 September 1970, Victoria Ground, attendance: 13,951
 Stoke: Banks; Elder, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Conroy, Eastham, Ritchie, W.Stevenson, Burrows
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, H.Newton, B.Lyons, Rees, Ingram, Cormack, Storey-Moore (P.Richardson)

Manchester United v Everton FC 2-0 (0-0)
 Wednesday, 2 September 1970, Old Trafford, Attendance: 51,346
 MUFC: Rimmer; P.Edwards, Dunne, Fitzpatrick, Ure, Sadler, Stiles, Law, R.Charlton (1), Kidd, G.Best (1)
 EFC: West; T.Wright, K.Newton, Kendall, Kenyon, C.Harvey, Husband, Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, Morrissey

Crystal Palace v Blackpool FC 1-0 (1-0)
 Wednesday, 2 September 1970, Selhurst Park, attendance: 26,296
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Wall, Hoadley, McCormick, Blyth, A.Taylor, D.Payne, Queen (1), Birchenall, J.Scott (Humphreys)
 BFC: Thomson; Armfield, Mowbray, Bentley, G.James, D.Hatton, Hutchison, Craven, Rowe, Suddick, A.Coleman

West Bromwich Albion v Newcastle United 1-2 (1-1)
 Wednesday, 2 September 1970, The Hawthorns, attendance: 25,183
 WBA: Cumbes; L.Hughes, R.Wilson II, A.Merrick, Talbut, Kaye, McVitie, A.Brown, Astle (1), Suggett, R.Hope
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, A.Burton, Moncur, K.Dyson (1), B.S.Robson, W.Davies, J.Smith, D.Young - 1 o.g. Wilson

| Table | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR | Top Scorers |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|----|----------------------------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 06 | 05 | 01 | 00 | 11-01 | 12:02 | 6:00 | | 01 Astle (West Bromwich) 6 goals |
| 02 Manchester City | 05 | 03 | 02 | 00 | 08-02 | 05:01 | 5:00 | | H.Curran (Wolverhampton) 6 * |
| 03 Nottingham Forest | 06 | 02 | 04 | 00 | 08-04 | 10:05 | 2:00 | | 03 N.Martin (Coventry) 4 * |
| 04 Chelsea FC | 06 | 02 | 04 | 00 | 08-04 | 08:06 | 1:33 | | S.Smith (Huddersfield) 4 * |
| 05 Liverpool FC | 05 | 02 | 03 | 00 | 07-03 | 08:03 | 2:67 | | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) 4 * |
| 06 Arsenal FC | 06 | 02 | 03 | 01 | 07-05 | 08:04 | 2:00 | | A.Brown (West Bromwich) 4 * |
| 07 Crystal Palace | 06 | 02 | 03 | 01 | 07-05 | 03:02 | 1:50 | | 07 McGovern (Derby) 3 * |
| 08 Derby County | 06 | 03 | 01 | 02 | 07-05 | 12:08 | 1:50 | | M.Jones (Leeds) 3 * |
| 09 Tottenham Hotspur | 06 | 02 | 03 | 01 | 07-05 | 07:05 | 1:40 | | Weller (Chelsea) 3 * |
| 10 Coventry City | 06 | 03 | 00 | 03 | 06-06 | 07:07 | 1:00 | | G.Hurst (West Ham) 3 * |
| 11 Huddersfield Town | 06 | 03 | 00 | 03 | 06-06 | 07:07 | 1:00 | | R.Davies (Southampton) 3 * |
| 12 Manchester United | 06 | 02 | 02 | 02 | 06-06 | 05:06 | 0:83 | | Radford (Arsenal) 3 * |
| 13 West Bromwich Albion | 06 | 01 | 03 | 02 | 05-07 | 11:11 | 1:00 | | Storey-Moore (Nottingham) 3 * |
| 14 Stoke City | 06 | 01 | 03 | 02 | 05-07 | 05:07 | 0:71 | | Giles (Leeds) 3 * |
| 15 Newcastle United | 06 | 02 | 01 | 03 | 05-07 | 07:10 | 0:70 | | M.Chivers (Tottenham) 3 * |
| 16 Southampton FC | 06 | 01 | 03 | 02 | 05-07 | 04:06 | 0:67 | | C.Bell (Man.C.) 3 * |
| 17 West Ham United | 06 | 00 | 05 | 01 | 05-07 | 06:09 | 0:67 | | |
| 18 Blackpool FC | 06 | 02 | 01 | 03 | 05-07 | 05:08 | 0:63 | | |
| 19 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 06 | 02 | 00 | 04 | 04-08 | 09:16 | 0:56 | | |
| 20 Everton FC | 06 | 00 | 03 | 03 | 03-09 | 07:11 | 0:64 | | |
| 21 Burnley FC | 06 | 00 | 03 | 03 | 03-09 | 02:08 | 0:25 | | |
| 22 Ipswich Town | 06 | 00 | 02 | 04 | 02-10 | 02:08 | 0:25 | | |

Week 7

Blackpool FC v Southampton FC 0-3 (0-0)
 Saturday, 5 September 1970, Bloomfield Road, attendance: 18,035
 MFC: Thomson: Armfield, Mowbray (J.Hughes), Bentley, Alcock, D.Hatton, Hutchison, Craven, F.Pickering, Suddick, A.Coleman
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Da.Walker, Paine, Channon (1), R.Davies (1'), B.O'Neil (1), T.Jenkins

Manchester City v West Bromwich Albion 4-1 (2-1)
 Saturday, 5 September 1970, Maine Road, attendance: 30,549
 LFC: Corrigan, Book, Pardoe, Doyle, Booth, Oakes, Summerbee (1), C.Bell (2), F.Lee (1), N.Young, Towers
 WBA: Cumbees; L.Hughes, R.Wilson II, Cantello, Talbut, Kaye, McVitie, A.Brown (A.Robertson), Astle, Suggett, R.Hope (1)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Stoke City 1-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 5 September 1970, Molineux, attendance: 30,000
 Wolves: Parkes; G.W.Taylor, D.Parkin, L.Wilson, F.Munro (Dougan), McAlle, McCalliog, Hegan, R.Gould, H.Curran (1), Wagstaffe
 Stoke: Banks; Elder, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Conroy, W.Stevenson, J.Greenhoff (1, Ritchie), Eastham, Burrows

Liverpool FC v Manchester United 1-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 5 September 1970, Anfield Road, attendance: 52,541
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, R.Q.Evans, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, Callaghan, A.W.Evans (1), R.Graham, J.T.McLaughlin, P.Thompson
 MUF: Rimmer; P.Edwards, Dunne, Fitzpatrick, Ure, Sadler, Stiles, Law, R.Charlton, Kidd (1), G.Best

Arsenal FC v Tottenham Hotspur 2-0 (2-0)
 Saturday, 5 September 1970, Highbury, attendance: 48,713
 AFC: Wilson: Rice, R.McNab, Kelly, McLintock (Nelson), J.Roberts, G.Armstrong (2), Storey, Radford, R.Kennedy, G.Graham
 Spurs: Hancock; Kinnear, Want, Mullery, England, Beal, Gilzean, Perryman, M.Chivers, Peters, R.Morgan

Ipswich Town v Burnley FC 3-0 (2-0)
 Saturday, 5 September 1970, Portman Road, attendance: 15,988
 Town: Best; M.Mills, C.Harper, P.Morris, W.Baxter (1), McNeill, J.Robertson (88. Lambert), Viljoen (1), F.Clarke (1), C.Woods, Whymark
 BFC: Waiters; Angus, Terment, Docherty, C.Waldron, J.Thomson, D.Thomas, Coates, Casper (Bellamy), Probert, Kindon

Derby County v Newcastle United 1-2 (1-2)
 Saturday, 5 September 1970, Baseball Ground, Attendance: 30,466
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Robson, Durban, McFarland, Mackay, McGovern, Carlin, O'Hare (1), Hector (Wignall), A.Hinton
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, A.Burton, Moncur, B.S.Robson, K.Dyson (1), W.Davies, J.Smith, D.Young (1)

Crystal Palace v Nottingham Forest 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 5 September 1970, Selhurst Park, Attendance: 26,510
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Wall, D.Payne, McCormick, Blyth, A.Taylor, Kember, Queen (1, Humphreys), Birchenall, J.Scott (1)
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, H.Newton, B.Lyons, Rees, Ingram, Cormack, Storey-Moore

Coventry City v Huddersfield Town 0-0
 Saturday, 5 September 1970, Highfield Road, Attendance: 25,899
 CFC: Glazier; Coop, Cattlin, E.Machin, Blockley, Strong, R.Hunt II, W.Carr, N.Martin, Joicey (Alderson), D.Clements
 Hudd.: Poole; D.Clarke, Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellam, Cherry, S.Smith, J.Lawson, F.Worthington, McGill, Krzywicki (C.Dobson)

West Ham United v Everton FC 1-2 (0-2)
 Saturday, 5 September 1970, Upton Park, Attendance: 29,171
 WHU: Grotier; Bonds, Lampard, Eustace, Stephenson, R.Moore (1), C.Best (Redknapp), Brooking, G.Hurst, J.Creaves, Howe
 EFC: West; T.Wright, K.Newton, Kendall, Kenyon, C.Harvey, Husband (1), Ball, Royle (1), J.Hurst, Morrissey (A.D.Brown)

Leeds United v Chelsea FC 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 5 September 1970, Elland Road, attendance: 47,662
 LUF: Sprake; Madeley, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clarke (1), M.Jones, Bates, E.Gray
 CFC: Bonetti; Mulligan, R.Harris, Hollins, Dempsey, D.Webb, Weller, A.Hudson, P.Osgood, Hutchinson, Houseman

Table

| | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR | Top Scorers | |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|----|-----------------------------|---------|
| 01 Leeds United | 07 | 06 | 01 | 00 | 13-01 | 13:02 | 6:50 | | 01 H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 7 goals |
| 02 Manchester City | 06 | 04 | 02 | 00 | 10-02 | 09:02 | 4:50 | | 02 Astle (West Bromwich) | 6 " |
| 03 Crystal Palace | 07 | 03 | 03 | 01 | 09-05 | 05:02 | 2:50 | | 03 C.Bell (Man.C.) | 5 " |
| 04 Arsenal FC | 07 | 03 | 03 | 01 | 09-05 | 10:04 | 2:50 | | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 5 " |
| 05 Liverpool FC | 06 | 02 | 04 | 00 | 08-04 | 09:04 | 2:25 | | 05 R.Davies (Southampton) | 4 " |
| 06 Nottingham Forest | 07 | 02 | 04 | 01 | 08-06 | 08:07 | 1:43 | | S.Smith (Huddersfield) | 4 " |
| 07 Chelsea FC | 07 | 02 | 04 | 01 | 08-06 | 08:07 | 1:14 | | N.Martin (Coventry) | 4 " |
| 08 Derby County | 07 | 03 | 01 | 03 | 07-07 | 13:10 | 1:30 | | A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 4 " |
| 09 Southampton FC | 07 | 02 | 03 | 02 | 07-07 | 07:06 | 1:17 | | 09 McGovern (Derby) | 3 " |
| 10 Coventry City | 07 | 03 | 01 | 03 | 07-07 | 07:07 | 1:00 | | Storey-Moore (Nottingham) | 3 " |
| Huddersfield Town | 07 | 03 | 01 | 03 | 07-07 | 07:07 | 1:00 | | Weller (Chelsea) | 3 " |
| Tottenham Hotspur | 07 | 03 | 01 | 03 | 07-07 | 07:07 | 1:00 | | Husband (Everton) | 3 " |
| 13 Manchester United | 07 | 02 | 03 | 02 | 07-07 | 06:07 | 0:86 | | Royle (Everton) | 3 " |
| 14 Newcastle United | 07 | 03 | 01 | 03 | 07-07 | 09:11 | 0:82 | | Viljoen (Ipswich) | 3 " |
| 15 Stoke City | 07 | 01 | 04 | 02 | 06-08 | 06:08 | 0:75 | | M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 3 " |
| 16 West Bromwich Albion | 07 | 01 | 03 | 03 | 05-09 | 12:15 | 0:80 | | Giles (Leeds) | 3 " |
| 17 Everton FC | 07 | 01 | 03 | 03 | 05-09 | 09:12 | 0:75 | | O'Hare (Derby) | 3 " |
| 18 West Ham United | 07 | 00 | 05 | 02 | 05-09 | 07:11 | 0:64 | | Radford (Arsenal) | 3 " |
| 19 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 07 | 02 | 01 | 04 | 05-09 | 10:17 | 0:59 | | G.Hurst (West Ham) | 3 " |
| 20 Blackpool FC | 07 | 02 | 01 | 04 | 05-09 | 05:11 | 0:45 | | A.Clarke (Leeds) | 3 " |
| 21 Ipswich Town | 07 | 01 | 02 | 04 | 04-10 | 05:08 | 0:63 | | Queen (Palace) | 3 " |
| 22 Burnley FC | 07 | 00 | 03 | 04 | 03-11 | 02:11 | 0:18 | | M.Jones (Leeds) | 3 " |

Week 8

Nottingham Forest v Manchester City 0-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 12 September 1970, City Ground, attendance: 28,896
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, H.Newton, B.Lyons, Rees, Ingram (McKenzie), Cormack, Storey-Moore
 MFC: Corrigan; Book, Pardoe, Doyle (1), Booth, Oakes, Summerbee, C.Bell, F.Lee, N.Young, Towers

West Bromwich Albion v West Ham United 2-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 12 September 1970, The Hawthorns, attendance: 24,913
 WBA: Cumbees; L.Hughes, A.Merrick, A.Brown, Talbut, Kaye, McVitie, Suggett (2), Astle, R.Hope, Cantello
 WHU: Grotier; Bonds, Lampard, P.Bennett, Stephenson, R.Moore, Brooking, Eustace, C.Best, J.Creaves, Howe (1)

Newcastle United v Liverpool FC 0-0
 Saturday, 12 September 1970, St. James Park, attendance: 35,501
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, A.Burton, Moncur, B.S.Robson, K.Dyson, W.Davies, Arentoft, Foggon
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, A.Lindsay, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, Callaghan, A.W.Evans, Whitham, J.T.McLaughlin, P.Thompson

Chelsea FC v Wolverhampton Wanderers 2-2 (0-2)
 Saturday, 12 September 1970, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 34,889
 CFC: Bonetti; Mulligan, R.Harris, Hollins, Dempsey (1), D.Webb, Weller, A.Hudson, P.Osgood, Hutchinson (1), C.Cooke
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog (1), K.Hibbitt (1), Dougan, H.Curran, Wagstaffe

Burnley FC v Arsenal FC 1-2 (1-1)
 Saturday, 12 September 1970, Turf Moor, attendance: 12,675
 BFC: Waiters; Angus, Merrington, Docherty, C.Waldron, J.Thomson, D.Thomas, Coates, Casper, D.Collins, Kindon - 1 o.g. Roberts
 AFC: Wilson: Rice, R.McNab, Kelly, McLintock, J.Roberts, G.Armstrong, Storey, Radford (1), R.Kennedy (1), G.Graham

Huddersfield Town v Crystal Palace 0-2 (0-0)
 Saturday, 12 September 1970, Leeds Road, Attendance: 18,820
 Hudd.: Poole; D.Clarke (Krzywicki), Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellam, Cherry, S.Smith, J.Lawson, F.Worthington, McGill, C.Dobson
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Wall, D.Payne, McCormick, Blyth, A.Taylor, Kember (1, T.Dawkins), Queen (1), Provan, J.Scott

Everton FC v Ipswich Town 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 12 September 1970, Goodison Park, Attendance: 41,506
 EFC: West; T.Wright, K.Newton, Kendall (1), Kenyon, C.Harvey, Whittle (1), Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, Morrissey
 Town: Best; Carroll, M.Mills, P.Morris, W.Baxter, McNeil, J.Robertson, Viljoen, C.Woods, Whymark, Lambert

Manchester United v Coventry City 2-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 12 September 1970, Old Trafford, Attendance: 48,939
 MUF: Rimmer; P.Edwards, Dunne, Fitzpatrick, Ure, Sadler, Stiles, Law, R.Charlton (1), Kidd, G.Best (1)
 CFC: Glazier; Coop, W.Smith, E.Machin, Blockley, Strong, R.Hunt II, W.Carr, N.Martin, O'Rourke (Bruck), D.Clements

Stoke City v Leeds United 3-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 12 September 1970, Victoria Ground, attendance: 22,592
 Stoke: Banks; Skeels, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Conroy, J.Greenhoff, Ritchie (2), Dobia, Burrows (1)
 LUF: Sprake; Madeley, Cooper, W.Bremner, Yorath, N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clarke, M.Jones, Bates, E.Gray

Tottenham Hotspur v Blackpool FC 3-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 12 September 1970, White Hart Lane, attendance: 19,894
 Spurs: Jennings; R.Evans, C.Knowles, Mullery (1'), England, Beal, Gilzean, Perryman, M.Chivers, Peters (2), R.Morgan
 BFC: Thomson; Armfield, Craven, Bentley, Alcock, D.Hatton, A.Coleman, Rowe, F.Pickering, A.Suddick (McNicholas), Hutchison

Southampton FC v Derby County 4-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 12 September 1970, The Dell, Attendance: 19,429
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon (2), R.Davies (2), B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Robson, Durban (Wignall), Rhodes, Mackay, McGovern, Carlin, O'Hare, Hector, A.Hinton

Table

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|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|----|-----------------------------|---------|
| 01 Leeds United | 08 | 06 | 01 | 01 | 13-03 | 13:05 | 2:60 | | 01 H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 7 goals |
| 02 Manchester City | 07 | 05 | 02 | 00 | 12-02 | 10:02 | 5:00 | | 02 Astle (West Bromwich) | 6 " |
| 03 Crystal Palace | 08 | 04 | 03 | 01 | 11-05 | 07:02 | 3:50 | | R.Davies (Southampton) | 6 " |
| 04 Arsenal FC | 08 | 04 | 03 | 01 | 11-05 | 12:05 | 2:40 | | 04 C.Bell (Man.C.) | 5 " |
| 05 Liverpool FC | 07 | 02 | 05 | 00 | 09-05 | 09:04 | 2:25 | | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 5 " |
| 06 Southampton FC | 08 | 03 | 03 | 02 | 09-07 | 11:06 | 1:83 | | 06 Radford (Arsenal) | 4 " |
| 07 Tottenham Hotspur | 08 | 03 | 03 | 02 | 09-07 | 10:07 | 1:43 | | Queen (Palace) | 4 " |
| 08 Manchester United | 08 | 03 | 03 | 02 | 09-07 | 08:07 | 1:14 | | S.Smith (Huddersfield) | 4 " |
| 09 Chelsea FC | 08 | 02 | 05 | 01 | 09-07 | 10:09 | 1:11 | | A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 4 " |
| 10 Nottingham Forest | 08 | 02 | 04 | 02 | 08-08 | 10:08 | 1:25 | | Ritchie (Stoke) | 4 " |
| 11 Stoke City | 08 | 02 | 04 | 02 | 08-08 | 09:08 | 1:13 | | N.Martin (Coventry) | 4 " |
| 12 Newcastle United | 08 | 03 | 02 | 03 | 08-08 | 09:11 | 0:82 | | 12 O'Hare (Derby) | 3 " |
| 13 Derby County | 08 | 03 | 01 | 04 | 07-09 | 13:14 | 0:93 | | Weller (Chelsea) | 3 " |
| 14 Everton FC | 08 | 02 | 03 | 03 | 07-09 | 11:12 | 0:92 | | G.Hurst (West Ham) | 3 " |
| 15 West Bromwich Albion | 08 | 02 | 03 | 03 | 07-09 | 14:16 | 0:88 | | Channon (Southampton) | 3 " |
| 16 Coventry City | 08 | 03 | 01 | 04 | 07-09 | 07:09 | 0:78 | | Royle (Everton) | 3 " |
| Huddersfield Town | 08 | 03 | 01 | 04 | 07-09 | 07:09 | 0:78 | | McGovern (Derby) | 3 " |
| 18 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 08 | 02 | 02 | 04 | 06-10 | 12:19 | 0:63 | | M.Jones (Leeds) | 3 " |
| 19 West Ham United | 08 | 00 | 05 | 03 | 05-11 | 08:13 | 0:62 | | Storey-Moore (Nottingham) | 3 " |
| 20 Blackpool FC | 08 | 02 | 01 | 05 | 05-11 | 05:14 | 0:36 | | Hutchinson (Chelsea) | 3 " |
| 21 Ipswich Town | 08 | 01 | 02 | 05 | 04-12 | 05:10 | 0:50 | | A.Clarke (Leeds) | 3 " |
| 22 Burnley FC | 08 | 00 | 03 | 05 | 03-13 | 03:13 | 0:23 | | Viljoen (Ipswich) | 3 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Giles (Leeds) | 3 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Husband (Everton) | 3 " |
| | | | | | | | | | M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 3 " |

Week 9

Derby County v Burnley FC 1–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 19 September 1970, Baseball Ground, attendance: 26,749
 Derby: Green, J.Richardson, J.Robson, Durban (Wignall), Rhodes, Mackay, J.Walker, Carlin, O'Hare, Hector, A.Hinton (1)
 BFC: Waiters; Angus, Merrington, Docherty, C.Waldron, J.Thomson, D.Thomas, Coates, Casper, D.Collins, Nulty

Crystal Palace v Tottenham Hotspur 0–3 (0–1)
 Saturday, 19 September 1970, Selhurst Park, Attendance: 41,308
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Wall, D.Payne, McCormick, Blyth, Tambling, Kember, Queen, Hoadley (A.Taylor), J.Scott
 Spurs: Hancock; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery (1), England, Beal, Gilzean, Perryman, M.Chivers (2), Peters, Pearce (N.Johnson)

Ipswich Town v Manchester United 4–0 (3–0)
 Saturday, 19 September 1970, Portman Road, attendance: 27,776
 Town: Best; Carroll, M.Mills, P.Morris, W.Baxter, McNeil, J.Robertson, Viljoen (2), F.Clark (1), C.Woods, Whymark (1)
 MUFC: Rimmer; P.Edwards, Dunne, Fitzpatrick, Ure, Sadler, Stiles, Law, R.Charlton, Gowling, G.Best

Manchester City v Stoke City 4–1 (3–0)
 Saturday, 19 September 1970, Maine Road, attendance: 35,473
 MFCF: Corrigan; Book (1), Pardoe, Doyle, Oakes, Summerbee (G.Heslop), C.Bell, F.Lee (1), N.Young (1), Towers – 1 o.g. Banks
 Stoke: Banks; Skeels, Pejic, Bernard (1), D.Smith, A.Bloor, Conroy, J.Greenhoff (J.Marsh), Ritchie , Dobing, Burrows

Liverpool FC v Nottingham Forest 3–0 (2–0)
 Saturday, 19 September 1970, Anfield Road, attendance: 40,676
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, A.Lindsay, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, Callaghan, A.W.Evans (1), R.Graham (1), J.T.McLaughlin, P.Thompson (1, B.Hall)
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, H.Newton, B.Lyons, Rees (P.Richardson), Hilley, Cormack, Storey–Moore

West Ham United v Newcastle United 0–2 (0–1)
 Saturday, 19 September 1970, Upton Park, attendance: 25,841
 WHU: Grotier; Bonds, Lampard, P.Bennett, Stephenson, R.Moore, Redknapp (Brooking), Eustace, G.Hurst, J.Greaves, C.Best
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, A.Burton, Moncur, B.S.Robson (2), K.Dyson, W.Davies, Arentoft, D.Young

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Huddersfield Town 3–1 (2–1)
 Saturday, 19 September 1970, Molineux, Attendance: 19,444
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, McAlle, G.W.Taylor, McCalliog, Lutton, R.Gould (1, J.Richards 1), H.Curran (1), Wagstaffe
 Hudd.: Poole; McGill, Hutt (L.Chapman), J.Nicholson, Mielczarek, Ellam, S.Smith, Krzywicki, F.Worthington, J.Lawson, C.Dobson (1)

Leeds United v Southampton FC 1–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 19 September 1970, Elland Road, attendance: 32,713
 LUFc: Sprake; Madeley, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clarke, M.Jones, Giles (1), E.Gray (85. Bates)
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon, R.Davies, B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins

Coventry City v Chelsea FC 0–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 19 September 1970, Highfield Road, attendance: 29,326
 CFCF: Glazier; Coop, D.Clements, E.Machin, Blockley, Strong, R.Hunt II, W.Carr (Bruck), N.Martin, O'Rourke, Alderson
 CFC: Bonetti; Mulligan, R.Harris, Hollins (1), Dempsey, D.Webb, Weller, A.Hudson, P.Osgood, Hutchinson, C.Cooke (Houseman)

Arsenal FC v West Bromwich Albion 6–2 (2–0)
 Saturday, 19 September 1970, Highbury, attendance: 33,326
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, Kelly, McLintock, J.Roberts, G.Armstrong (1), Storey, Radford, R.Kennedy (2), G.Graham (2) – 1 o.g. Cantello
 WBA: Cumbes; L.Hughes, A.Merrick, A.Brown (1), Talbut, Cantello, Reed (1), Suggett, Astle, Hartford, McVitie

Blackpool FC v Everton FC 0–2 (0–1)
 Saturday, 19 September 1970, Bloomfield Road, attendance: 30,705
 BFC: Thomson; Armfield, Craven, Bentley, Alcock, D.Hatton, M.Burns, Rowe, J.Hughes, A.Coleman (A.Green), Hutchison
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright, K.Newton, Kendall, Kenyon, C.Harvey, Husband (1, A.D.Brown), Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, Morrissey (1)

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|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|----|------------------------------|---------|
| 01 Leeds United | 09 | 07 | 01 | 01 | 15–03 | 14:05 | 2:80 | | 01 H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 8 goals |
| 02 Manchester City | 08 | 06 | 02 | 00 | 14–02 | 14:03 | 4:67 | | 02 A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 6 * |
| 03 Arsenal FC | 09 | 05 | 03 | 01 | 13–05 | 18:07 | 2:57 | | Astle (West Bromwich) | 6 * |
| 04 Liverpool FC | 08 | 03 | 05 | 00 | 11–05 | 12:04 | 3:00 | | R.Davies (Southampton) | 6 * |
| 05 Tottenham Hotspur | 09 | 04 | 03 | 02 | 11–07 | 13:07 | 1:86 | | 05 M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 5 * |
| 06 Crystal Palace | 09 | 04 | 03 | 02 | 11–07 | 07:05 | 1:40 | | Viljoen (Ipswich) | 5 * |
| 07 Chelsea FC | 09 | 03 | 05 | 01 | 11–07 | 11:09 | 1:22 | | C.Bell (Man.C.) | 5 * |
| 08 Newcastle United | 09 | 04 | 02 | 03 | 10–08 | 11:11 | 1:00 | | A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 5 * |
| 09 Southampton FC | 09 | 03 | 03 | 03 | 09–09 | 11:07 | 1:57 | | 09 N.Martin (Coventry) | 4 * |
| 10 Everton FC | 09 | 03 | 03 | 03 | 09–09 | 13:12 | 1:08 | | Giles (Leeds) | 4 * |
| 11 Derby County | 09 | 04 | 01 | 04 | 09–09 | 14:14 | 1:00 | | Husband (Everton) | 4 * |
| 12 Manchester United | 09 | 03 | 03 | 03 | 09–09 | 08:11 | 0:73 | | Queen (Palace) | 4 * |
| 13 Nottingham Forest | 09 | 02 | 04 | 03 | 08–10 | 10:11 | 0:91 | | S.Smith (Huddersfield) | 4 * |
| 14 Stoke City | 09 | 02 | 04 | 03 | 08–10 | 10:12 | 0:83 | | G.Grahan (Arsenal) | 4 * |
| 15 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 09 | 03 | 02 | 04 | 08–10 | 15:20 | 0:75 | | Ritchie (Stoke) | 4 * |
| 16 West Bromwich Albion | 09 | 02 | 03 | 04 | 07–11 | 16:22 | 0:73 | | R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 4 * |
| 17 Coventry City | 09 | 03 | 01 | 05 | 07–11 | 07:10 | 0:70 | | Radford (Arsenal) | 4 * |
| 18 Huddersfield Town | 09 | 02 | 03 | 04 | 07–11 | 08:12 | 0:67 | | 18 Storey–Moore (Nottingham) | 3 * |
| 19 Ipswich Town | 09 | 02 | 02 | 05 | 06–12 | 09:10 | 0:90 | | G.Hurst (West Ham) | 3 * |
| 20 West Ham United | 09 | 00 | 05 | 04 | 05–13 | 08:15 | 0:53 | | Weller (Chelsea) | 3 * |
| 21 Blackpool FC | 09 | 02 | 01 | 06 | 05–13 | 05:16 | 0:31 | | Hutchinson (Chelsea) | 3 * |
| 22 Burnley FC | 09 | 00 | 03 | 06 | 03–15 | 03:14 | 0:21 | | O'Hare (Derby) | 3 * |
| | | | | | | | | | McGovern (Derby) | 3 * |
| | | | | | | | | | A.Hinton (Derby) | 3 * |
| | | | | | | | | | F.Lee (Man.C.) | 3 * |
| | | | | | | | | | Mullery (Tottenham) | 3 * |
| | | | | | | | | | Channon (Southampton) | 3 * |
| | | | | | | | | | A.Clarke (Leeds) | 3 * |
| | | | | | | | | | M.Jones (Leeds) | 3 * |
| | | | | | | | | | Morrissey (Everton) | 3 * |
| | | | | | | | | | Royle (Everton) | 3 * |
| | | | | | | | | | G.Armstrong (Arsenal) | 3 * |

Week 10

Southampton FC v Liverpool FC 1–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 26 September 1970, The Dell, attendance: 26,155
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon, R.Davies, B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins (A.Byrne) – 1 o.g. Lindsay
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, A.Lindsay, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, B.Hall, A.W.Evans (Livermore), R.Graham, J.T.McLaughlin, P.Thompson

Nottingham Forest v Leeds United 0–0
 Saturday, 26 September 1970, City Ground, attendance: 31,537
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, H.Newton, B.Lyons, Rees, Ingram, Cormack, Hilley (McKenzie)
 LUFc: Sprake; Madeley, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clarke, M.Jones, Giles (63. Bates), E.Gray

West Bromwich Albion v Derby County 2–1 (1–0)
 Saturday, 26 September 1970, The Hawthorns, attendance: 31,437
 WBA: Cumbes; A.Merrick, R.Wilson II, A.Brown (1), Talbut, Kaye, McVitie (1), Suggett, Astle, R.Hope, Hartford
 Derby: Green; J.Richardson, J.Robson, Durban, Rhodes, Mackay, Gemmill, Carlin, O'Hare (1), Hector, A.Hinton

Tottenham Hotspur v Manchester City 2–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 26 September 1970, White Hart Lane, attendance: 42,490
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, England, Beal, Gilzean (1), Perryman, M.Chivers (1), Peters, R.Morgan (Pearce)
 MFCF: Corrigan; Book, Pardoe, Doyle, G.Heslop, Oakes, Summerbee, C.Bell, F.Lee (Bowyer), N.Young, Towers

Newcastle United v Coventry City 0–0
 Saturday, 26 September 1970, St. James Park, attendance: 32,050
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, A.Burton, Moncur, B.S.Robson, K.Dyson (Ford), W.Davies, Arentoft, D.Young
 CFCF: Glazier; Coop, D.Clements, E.Machin, Blockley, Strong, R.Hunt II, W.Carr, N.Martin, O'Rourke, Alderson

Huddersfield Town v West Ham United 1–1 (1–0)
 Saturday, 26 September 1970, Leeds Road, attendance: 20,887
 Hudd.: Poole; A.Jones, Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellam, D.Clarke, S.Smith (1), Krzywicki, F.Worthington, McGill, C.Dobson
 WHU: Grotier; Bonds, Lampard, Boyce, Stephenson, R.Moore, Eustace, Brooking, C.Best, G.Hurst (1), Howe

Burnley FC v Wolverhampton Wanderers 2–3 (0–1)
 Saturday, 26 September 1970, Turf Moor, attendance: 13,007
 BFC: Waiters; Angus (A.West), Merrington, Docherty, C.Waldron (1), J.Thomson, D.Thomas (1), Coates, Casper, D.Collins, Nulty
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog (1), K.Hibbit (Dougan 1), R.Gould (1), J.Richards, Wagstaffe

Manchester United v Blackpool FC 1–1 (1–0)
 Saturday, 26 September 1970, Old Trafford, attendance: 46,647
 MUFC: Rimmer; W.Watson, F.Burns, Fitzpatrick, S.James, Sadler, W.Morgan, Gowling, R.Charlton, Kidd, G.Best (1)
 BFC: Thomson; Armfield (Suddick), Mowbray, D.Hatton, G.James, Alcock, M.Burns (1), A.Green, Craven, Bentley, Hutchison

Everton FC v Crystal Palace 3–1 (3–1)
 Saturday, 26 September 1970, Goodison Park, attendance: 43,463
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright, K.Newton, Kendall, Kenyon, C.Harvey (1), Whittle, Ball (A.D.Brown), Royle (1), J.Hurst, Morrissey (1)
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Wall, D.Payne, McCormick, Blyth, A.Taylor, Kember, Queen, Tambling, J.Scott (1)

Stoke City v Arsenal FC 5–0 (2–0)
 Saturday, 26 September 1970, Victoria Ground, attendance: 18,153
 Stoke: Farmer; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor (1), Conroy (1), J.Greenhoff (1), Ritchie (2), Dobing, Burrows
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, E.Kelly, McLintock, J.Roberts, G.Armstrong, Storey, Radford, R.Kennedy, G.Graham

Chelsea FC v Ipswich Town 2–1 (1–0)
 Saturday, 26 September 1970, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 38,541
 CFC: Bonetti; Mulligan, R.Harris, Hollins, Dempsey, D.Webb, C.Cooke, A.Hudson (1), P.Osgood (1), Hutchinson, Houseman
 Town: Best; Hammond, M.Mills, P.Morris, W.Baxter, McNeil, J.Robertson, Viljoen, F.Clark (1), C.Woods, Whymark

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| 02 Manchester City | 09 | 06 | 02 | 01 | 14–04 | 14:05 | 2:80 | | 02 R.Davies (Southampton) | 6 * |
| 03 Tottenham Hotspur | 10 | 05 | 03 | 02 | 13–07 | 15:07 | 2:14 | | A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 6 * |
| 04 Arsenal FC | 10 | 05 | 03 | 02 | 13–07 | 18:12 | 1:50 | | M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 6 * |
| 05 Chelsea FC | 10 | 04 | 05 | 01 | 13–07 | 13:10 | 1:30 | | Ritchie (Stoke) | 6 * |
| 06 Liverpool FC | 09 | 03 | 05 | 01 | 11–07 | 12:05 | 2:40 | | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 6 * |
| 07 Southampton FC | 10 | 04 | 03 | 03 | 11–09 | 12:07 | 1:71 | | Astle (West Bromwich) | 6 * |
| 08 Everton FC | 10 | 04 | 03 | 03 | 11–09 | 16:13 | 1:23 | | 08 Viljoen (Ipswich) | 5 * |
| 09 Crystal Palace | 10 | 04 | 03 | 03 | 11–09 | 08:08 | 1:00 | | C.Bell (Man.C.) | 5 * |
| 10 Newcastle United | 10 | 04 | 03 | 03 | 11–09 | 11:11 | 1:00 | | S.Smith (Huddersfield) | 5 * |
| 11 Stoke City | 10 | 03 | 04 | 03 | 10–10 | 15:12 | 1:25 | | 11 Radford (Arsenal) | 4 * |
| 12 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 10 | 04 | 02 | 04 | 10–10 | 18:22 | 0:82 | | Queen (Palace) | 4 * |
| 13 Manchester United | 10 | 03 | 04 | 03 | 10–10 | 09:12 | 0:75 | | Giles (Leeds) | 4 * |
| 14 Derby County | 10 | 04 | 01 | 05 | 09–11 | 15:16 | 0:94 | | O'Hare (Derby) | 4 * |
| 15 Nottingham Forest | 10 | 02 | 05 | 03 | 09–11 | 10:11 | 0:91 | | Morrissey (Everton) | 4 * |
| 16 West Bromwich Albion | 10 | 03 | 03 | 04 | 09–11 | 18:23 | 0:78 | | R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 4 * |
| 17 Coventry City | 10 | 03 | 02 | 05 | 08–12 | 07:10 | 0:70 | | G.Hurst (West Ham) | 4 * |
| 18 Huddersfield Town | 10 | 02 | 04 | 04 | 08–12 | 09:13 | 0:69 | | Husband (Everton) | 4 * |
| 19 Ipswich Town | 10 | 02 | 02 | 06 | 06–14 | 10:12 | 0:83 | | Royle (Everton) | 4 * |
| 20 West Ham United | 10 | 00 | 06 | 04 | 06–14 | 09:16 | 0:56 | | N.Martin (Coventry) | 4 * |
| 21 Blackpool FC | 10 | 02 | 02 | 06 | 06–14 | 06:17 | 0:35 | | G.Grahan (Arsenal) | 4 * |
| 22 Burnley FC | 10 | 00 | 03 | 07 | 03–17 | 05:17 | 0:29 | | | |

Week 11

Wolverhampton Wanderers vs Manchester United 3-2 (2-1)
 Saturday, 3 October 1970, Molineux, attendance: 38,629
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog, K.Hibbitt, R.Gould (3), Dougan (J.Richards), Wagstaffe
 MUFC: Rimmer; W.Watson, F.Burns, Fitzpatrick, S.James (Sartori), Sadler, W.Morgan, Gowling (1), R.Charlton, Kidd (1), G.Best

Arsenal FC vs Nottingham Forest 4-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 3 October 1970, Highbury, attendance: 32,053
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, E.Kelly, McLintock, J.Roberts, G.Armstrong (1), Storey, Radford, R.Kennedy (3), G.Graham
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane (McKenzie), H.Newton, B.Lyons, G.R.Collier, Ingram, Cormack, Rees

West Ham United vs Burnley FC 3-1 (2-0)
 Saturday, 3 October 1970, Upton Park, attendance: 23,295
 WHU: Grotier; Bonds, Lampard, Boyce (Heffer), Eustace, R.Moore, Ayris, Brooking, G.Hurst (3), C.Best, Howe
 BFC: Waiters; Angus, Merrington, Docherty, C.Waldron, Probert (Nulty), D.Thomas, Coates (1), Casper, D.Wilson, A.West

Manchester City vs Newcastle United 1-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 3 October 1970, Maine Road, attendance: 31,159
 MFCF: Corrigan; D.Connor, Pardoe, Doyle (1), G.Heslop, Oakes, Summerbee, C.Bell, F.Lee, Towers, F.Hill (Jeffries)
 NUFF: McFaul; D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, A.Burton, Moncur, B.S.Robson, K.Dyson, W.Davies, Arentoft, Ford (1)

Leeds United vs Huddersfield Town 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 3 October 1970, Elland Road, attendance: 36,498
 LUF: Sprake; Madeley, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer (2), A.Clark, M.Jones, Bates, E.Gray (T.Hibbitt)
 Hudd.: Poole; A.Jones, Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellam, D.Clark, S.Smith, L.Chapman, F.Worthington, McGill, C.Dobson

Liverpool FC vs Chelsea FC 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 3 October 1970, Anfield Road, attendance: 46,196
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, A.Lindsay, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, B.Hall, A.W.Evans (1), R.Graham (Heighway), J.T.McLaughlin, P.Thompson
 CFC: Bonetti; Mulligan, R.Harris, Hollins, Dempsey, D.Webb, Weller, A.Hudson, Baldwin, Hutchinson, Houseman

Ipswich Town vs West Bromwich Albion 2-2 (2-1)
 Saturday, 3 October 1970, Portman Road, attendance: 17,027
 Town: Best (Collard); Carroll, M.Mills, P.Morris, W.Baxter, McNeil, J.Robertson, Viljoen (1), F.Clark (1), C.Woods, Whymark
 WBA: Cumbes; Minton, A.Merrick, A.Brown (1), Talbut, Kaye, McVitie, Suggett, Astle (1), R.Hope, Hartford

Derby County vs Tottenham Hotspur 1-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 3 October 1970, Baseball Ground, attendance: 36,007
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Robson, Durban (McGovern), P.Daniel, Mackay, Gemmill, Carlin, O'Hare, Hector, A.Hinton (1)
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, England, Beal, Pearce, Perryman, M.Chivers, Peters (1), R.Morgan

Coventry City vs Everton FC 3-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 3 October 1970, Highfield Road, attendance: 28,563
 CFCF: Glazier; Coop, Bruck, D.Clements, Blockley, Strong, R.Hunt II (2), W.Carr, N.Martin (1), O'Rourke, Alderson
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright (A.D.Brown), K.Newton, Kendall, Kenyon, C.Harvey, Whittle, Ball, Royle, J.Hurst (1), Morrissey

Blackpool FC vs Stoke City 1-1 (1-0)
 Saturday, 3 October 1970, Bloomfield Road, attendance: 25,327
 BFC: Thomson; Arnfield, Mowbray, D.Hatton, G.James, Alcock, M.Burns (1), Suddick, Craven, Bentley, Hutchison
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, A.Bloor, Skeels, Conroy, J.Greenhoff, Ritchie, Dobing (1), Burrows

Crystal Palace vs Southampton FC 3-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 3 October 1970, Selhurst Park, attendance: 26,663
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Wall, D.Payne, McCormick, Blyth, A.Taylor, Kember, Queen (2), Birchenall (1), Tambling
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon, R.Davies (1), B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins

| Table | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR | Top Scorers |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 11 | 08 | 02 | 01 | 18-04 | 16:05 | 3:20 | 01 H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 8 goals |
| 02 Manchester City | 10 | 06 | 03 | 01 | 15-05 | 15:06 | 2:50 | 02 Astle (West Bromwich) | 7 * |
| 03 Arsenal FC | 11 | 06 | 03 | 02 | 15-07 | 22:12 | 1:83 | G.Hurst (West Ham) | 7 * |
| 04 Tottenham Hotspur | 11 | 05 | 04 | 02 | 14-08 | 16:08 | 2:00 | R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 7 * |
| 05 Liverpool FC | 10 | 04 | 05 | 01 | 13-07 | 13:05 | 2:60 | R.Davies (Southampton) | 7 * |
| 06 Crystal Palace | 11 | 05 | 03 | 03 | 13-09 | 11:09 | 1:22 | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 7 * |
| 07 Chelsea FC | 11 | 04 | 05 | 02 | 13-09 | 13:11 | 1:18 | A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 7 * |
| 08 Newcastle United | 11 | 04 | 04 | 03 | 12-10 | 12:12 | 1:00 | 08 Queen (Palace) | 6 * |
| 09 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 11 | 05 | 02 | 04 | 12-10 | 21:24 | 0:88 | Viljoen (Ipswich) | 6 * |
| 10 Southampton FC | 11 | 04 | 03 | 04 | 11-11 | 13:10 | 1:30 | Ritchie (Stoke) | 6 * |
| 11 Stoke City | 11 | 03 | 05 | 03 | 11-11 | 16:13 | 1:23 | R.Gould (Wolverhampton) | 6 * |
| 12 Everton FC | 11 | 04 | 03 | 04 | 11-11 | 17:16 | 1:06 | M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 6 * |
| 13 Derby County | 11 | 04 | 02 | 05 | 10-12 | 16:17 | 0:94 | 13 C.Bell (Man.C.) | 5 * |
| 14 Coventry City | 11 | 04 | 02 | 05 | 10-12 | 10:11 | 0:91 | S.Smith (Huddersfield) | 5 * |
| 15 West Bromwich Albion | 11 | 03 | 04 | 04 | 10-12 | 20:25 | 0:80 | N.Martin (Coventry) | 5 * |
| 16 Manchester United | 11 | 03 | 04 | 04 | 10-12 | 11:15 | 0:73 | 16 Radford (Arsenal) | 4 * |
| 17 Nottingham Forest | 11 | 02 | 05 | 04 | 09-13 | 10:15 | 0:67 | G.Grahan (Arsenal) | 4 * |
| 18 West Ham United | 11 | 01 | 06 | 04 | 08-14 | 12:17 | 0:71 | O'Hare (Derby) | 4 * |
| 19 Huddersfield Town | 11 | 02 | 04 | 05 | 08-14 | 09:15 | 0:60 | Husband (Everton) | 4 * |
| 20 Ipswich Town | 11 | 02 | 03 | 06 | 07-15 | 12:14 | 0:86 | Royle (Everton) | 4 * |
| 21 Blackpool FC | 11 | 02 | 03 | 06 | 07-15 | 07:18 | 0:39 | Morrissey (Everton) | 4 * |
| 22 Burnley FC | 11 | 00 | 03 | 08 | 03-19 | 06:20 | 0:30 | Giles (Leeds) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | A.Hinton (Derby) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | F.Clark (Ipswich) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | G.Armstrong (Arsenal) | 4 * |

Week 12

Chelsea FC vs Manchester City 1-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 10 October 1970, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 51,903
 CFC: Bonetti; Mulligan, R.Harris, Hollins, M.Hinton, D.Webb, Weller (1), A.Hudson, P.Osgood, Baldwin, Houseman
 MCFC: Corrigan; Book, Pardoe, Doyle, G.Heslop, Oakes, Summerbee, C.Bell (1), F.Lee, F.Hill, Towers

West Bromwich Albion vs Leeds United 2-2 (1-1)
 Saturday, 10 October 1970, The Hawthorns, attendance: 37,255
 WBA: Cumbes; Minton, A.Merrick, A.Brown, Talbut, Kaye, McVitie (1), Suggett (1), Astle, R.Hope, Hartford
 LUF: Sprake; Reaney, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clark (1), M.Jones (1), Bates, Madeley

Stoke City vs West Ham United 2-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 10 October 1970, Victoria Ground, attendance: 23,025
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Conroy, J.Greenhoff (1), Ritchie, Dobing (1), Burrows
 WHU: Grotier; Bonds, Lampard, J.Lindsay, Stephenson, R.Moore, Boyce (Eustace), C.Best, G.Hurst, Brooking, J.Greaves (1)

Tottenham Hotspur vs Liverpool FC 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 10 October 1970, White Hart Lane, attendance: 44,457
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, England, Beal, Gilzean, Perryman, M.Chivers, Peters (1), Pearce
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, A.Lindsay, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, B.Hall, A.W.Evans, Heighway (i.Ross), J.T.McLaughlin, P.Thompson

Everton FC vs Derby County 1-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 10 October 1970, Goodison Park, attendance: 46,214
 EFC: Rankin; A.D.Brown, K.Newton, Kendall, Kenyon, C.Harvey, Whittle, T.Jackson, Royle, J.Hurst, Morrissey (1)
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Robson, McGovern (1), M.Farlow, Mackay, Gemmill, Carlin, O'Hare, Hector, A.Hinton

Southampton FC vs Wolverhampton Wanderers 1-2 (1-2)
 Saturday, 10 October 1970, The Dell, attendance: 21,769
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon (1), R.Davies, B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, Holsgrove, McAlle, McCalliog, K.Hibbitt, R.Gould, Dougan (1, J.Richards), Wagstaffe (1)

Burnley FC vs Coventry City 0-0
 Saturday, 10 October 1970, Turf Moor, attendance: 12,505
 BFC: Waiters; Angus, J.Thomson, Docherty, C.Waldron, A.West, D.Thomas, Coates, Casper, D.Wilson, Bellamy
 SFC: Glazier; Coop, Bruck, D.Clements, Blockley, Strong, R.Hunt II, W.Carr, N.Martin, O'Rourke (Joicye), Alderson

Newcastle United vs Arsenal FC 1-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 10 October 1970, St. James Park, attendance: 38,000
 NUFF: McFaul; D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, A.Burton, Moncur, B.S.Robson (1), K.Dyson, W.Davies, Arentoft, Ford
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, E.Kelly, McLintock, J.Roberts, G.Armstrong, Storey, Radford, R.Kennedy, G.Graham (1)

Nottingham Forest vs Blackpool FC 3-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 10 October 1970, City Ground, attendance: 16,618
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, H.Newton, B.Lyons (1), P.Richardson (J.N.Robertson), Ingram, Cormack (1), Rees (1)
 BFC: Thomson; P.Nicholson, Mowbray, D.Hatton, G.James, Alcock, M.Burns (1), Hutchison, Craven, Bentley, A.Coleman (J.Murray)

Manchester United vs Crystal Palace 0-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 10 October 1970, Old Trafford, attendance: 42,979
 MUFC: Rimmer; P.Edwards, Dunne, Fitzpatrick, Ure, Stiles, W.Morgan, C.Best, R.Charlton, Kidd, Aston
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Wall, D.Payne, McCormick, Blyth, A.Taylor, Kember, Queen, Birchenall, Tambling (1)

Huddersfield Town vs Ipswich Town 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 10 October 1970, Leeds Road, attendance: 17,944
 Hudd.: Poole; A.Jones, Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellam, D.Clark, S.Smith, Krzywicki (L.Chapman), F.Worthington, McGill (1), C.Dobson
 Town: Sivell; Carroll, M.Mills, P.Morris, W.Baxter, McNeil, J.Robertson, Viljoen, F.Clark, C.Woods, Whymark

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|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 12 | 08 | 03 | 01 | 19-05 | 18:07 | 2:57 | 01 H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 8 goals |
| 02 Manchester City | 11 | 06 | 04 | 01 | 16-06 | 16:07 | 2:29 | 02 G.Hurst (West Ham) | 7 * |
| 03 Tottenham Hotspur | 12 | 06 | 04 | 02 | 16-08 | 17:08 | 2:13 | A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 7 * |
| 04 Arsenal FC | 12 | 06 | 04 | 02 | 16-08 | 23:13 | 1:77 | Astle (West Bromwich) | 7 * |
| 05 Crystal Palace | 12 | 06 | 03 | 03 | 15-09 | 12:09 | 1:33 | R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 7 * |
| 06 Chelsea FC | 12 | 04 | 06 | 02 | 14-10 | 14:12 | 1:17 | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 7 * |
| 07 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 12 | 06 | 02 | 04 | 14-10 | 23:25 | 0:92 | R.Davies (Southampton) | 7 * |
| 08 Liverpool FC | 11 | 04 | 05 | 02 | 13-09 | 13:06 | 2:17 | 08 Viljoen (Ipswich) | 6 * |
| 09 Stoke City | 12 | 04 | 05 | 03 | 13-11 | 18:14 | 1:29 | Ritchie (Stoke) | 6 * |
| 10 Newcastle United | 12 | 04 | 05 | 03 | 13-11 | 13:13 | 1:00 | C.Bell (Man.C.) | 6 * |
| 11 Everton FC | 12 | 04 | 04 | 04 | 12-12 | 18:17 | 1:06 | M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 6 * |
| 12 Southampton FC | 12 | 04 | 03 | 05 | 11-13 | 14:12 | 1:17 | R.Gould (Wolverhampton) | 6 * |
| 13 Derby County | 12 | 04 | 03 | 05 | 11-13 | 17:18 | 0:94 | Queen (Palace) | 6 * |
| 14 Coventry City | 12 | 04 | 03 | 05 | 11-13 | 10:11 | 0:91 | 14 S.Smith (Huddersfield) | 5 * |
| 15 Nottingham Forest | 12 | 03 | 05 | 04 | 11-13 | 13:16 | 0:81 | G.Grahan (Arsenal) | 5 * |
| 16 West Bromwich Albion | 12 | 03 | 05 | 04 | 11-13 | 22:27 | 0:81 | Morrissey (Everton) | 5 * |
| 17 Manchester United | 12 | 03 | 04 | 05 | 10-14 | 11:16 | 0:69 | N.Martin (Coventry) | 5 * |
| 18 Huddersfield Town | 12 | 03 | 04 | 05 | 10-14 | 10:15 | 0:67 | 18 Giles (Leeds) | 4 * |
| 19 West Ham United | 12 | 01 | 06 | 05 | 08-16 | 13:19 | 0:68 | Radford (Arsenal) | 4 * |
| 20 Ipswich Town | 12 | 02 | 03 | 07 | 07-17 | 12:15 | 0:80 | Royle (Everton) | 4 * |
| 21 Blackpool FC | 12 | 02 | 03 | 07 | 07-17 | 08:21 | 0:38 | Peters (Tottenham) | 4 * |
| 22 Burnley FC | 12 | 00 | 04 | 08 | 04-20 | 06:20 | 0:30 | F.Clark (Ipswich) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | A.Clark (Leeds) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | M.Jones (Leeds) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | Dougan (Wolverhampton) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | Husband (Everton) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | Weller (Chelsea) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | Channon (Southampton) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | G.Armstrong (Arsenal) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | A.Hinton (Derby) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | McGovern (Derby) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | O'Hare (Derby) | 4 * |

Week 13

Leeds United v Manchester United 2-2 (1-1)
 Saturday, 17 October 1970, Elland Road, attendance: 50,190
 LUF: Sprake; Reaney, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton (1), N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clarke, Belfitt (1), Bates (T.Hibbitt), Madeley
 MUFC: Rimmer; P.Edwards, Dunne, Fitzpatrick (1), Ure, Stiles (Sartori), F.Burns, G.Best, R.Charlton (1), Kidd, Aston

Crystal Palace v West Bromwich Albion 3-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 17 October 1970, Selhurst Park, attendance: 28,330
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Wall, D.Payne, McCormick, Blyth, A.Taylor, Kember, Hoadley, Birchenall (1), Tambling (2)
 WBA: Cumbes; Minton, A.Merrick, A.Brown, Talbut, Kaye, McVitie, Suggett, Astle, R.Hope, Hartford

Manchester City v Southampton FC 1-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 17 October 1970, Maine Road, attendance: 31,998
 MCFC: Corrigan; Book, Pardoe, Doyle, G.Heslop, Oakes, Summerbee, C.Bell, F.Lee (1), F.Hill, Towers
 WHU: Grotier; Bonds, Lampard, Eustace (1), T.Taylor, R.Moore, Ayris, J.Lindsay, G.Hurst (1), J.Greaves, Dear
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery (1), England (1), Beal, Gilzean, Perryman, M.Chivers, Peters, Pearce

West Ham United v Tottenham Hotspur 2-2 (1-2)
 Saturday, 17 October 1970, Upton Park, attendance: 42,322
 WHU: Grotier; Bonds, Lampard, Eustace (1), T.Taylor, R.Moore, Ayris, J.Lindsay, G.Hurst (1), J.Greaves, Dear
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery (1), England (1), Beal, Gilzean, Perryman, M.Chivers, Peters, Pearce

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Newcastle United 3-2 (0-1)
 Saturday, 17 October 1970, Molineux, attendance: 24,083
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey (1), Holsgrove, McAlie, McCalliog, K.Hibbitt, R.Gould (1), Dougan, Wagstaffe (1)
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, A.Burton (D.Young), Moncur, B.S.Robson, K.Dyson, W.Davies (1), Arentoft, Ford - 1 o.g. Holsgrove

Derby County v Chelsea FC 1-2 (1-1)
 Saturday, 17 October 1970, Baseball Ground, attendance: 35,166
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Robson, McGovern, P.Daniel, Mackay, Gemmill, Carlin, O'Hare (1), Hector, A.Hinton
 CFC: Bonetti; Mulligan, R.Harris, Hollins, M.Hinton, D.Webb, Weller (2), A.Hudson, P.Osgood, Baldwin, Houseman

Ipswich Town v Stoke City 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 17 October 1970, Victoria Ground, attendance: 18,159
 Town: Sivell; Hammond, M.Mills, P.Morris, W.Baxter, McNeil, J.Robertson, C.Woods, F.Clarke (1), M.Hill (1), Collard
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Conroy, J.Greenhoff, Ritchie, Dobiaing (Skeels), Burrows

Coventry City v Nottingham Forest 2-0 (2-0)
 Saturday, 17 October 1970, Highfield Road, attendance: 25,392
 CCCF: Glazier; Coop, Cattlin, D.Clements, Blockley, Strong, R.Hunt II (1), W.Carr, N.Martin (1), O'Rourke, Alderson
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, T.Jackson (G.R.Collier), B.Lyons, P.Richardson, Ingram, Cormack, Rees

Blackpool FC v Huddersfield Town 2-2 (1-1)
 Saturday, 17 October 1970, Bloomfield Road, attendance: 21,006
 BFC: Thomson; P.Nicholson, Mowbray, D.Hatton, G.James, Alcock, M.Burns, A.Green, F.Pickering, Bentley, Hutchison
 Hudd.: Poole; A.Jones, Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellum, D.Clarke, S.Smith (1), Krzywicki, F.Worthington (1), McGill, L.Chapman

Arsenal FC v Everton FC 4-0 (2-0)
 Saturday, 17 October 1970, Highbury, attendance: 50,012
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, E.Kelly (1), McLintock, J.Roberts, C.Armstrong, Storey (1), Radford, R.Kennedy (2), G.Graham
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright, K.Newton, Kendall, Kenyon, C.Harvey, Whittle, Ball, Royle, H.Newton, Morrissey

Liverpool FC v Burnley FC 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 17 October 1970, Anfield Road, attendance: 40,804
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, Yeats (1), T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, B.Hall, A.Lindsay, Heighway (1), J.T.McLaughlin, P.Thompson
 BFC: Waiters; Nulty, J.Thomson, Docherty, C.Waldron, A.West, Kindon, Coates, Casper, D.Wilson, Bellamy

Table

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|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 13 | 08 | 04 | 01 | 20-06 | 20:09 | 2:22 | 01 R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 9 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 13 | 07 | 04 | 02 | 18-08 | 27:13 | 2:08 | 02 H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 8 * |
| 03 Manchester City | 12 | 06 | 05 | 01 | 17-07 | 17:08 | 2:13 | G.Hurst (West Ham) | 8 * |
| 04 Tottenham Hotspur | 13 | 06 | 05 | 02 | 17-09 | 19:10 | 1:90 | G.Hurst (West Ham) | 8 * |
| 05 Crystal Palace | 13 | 07 | 03 | 03 | 17-09 | 15:09 | 1:67 | R.Davies (Southampton) | 7 * |
| 06 Chelsea FC | 13 | 05 | 06 | 02 | 16-10 | 16:13 | 1:23 | A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 7 * |
| 07 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 13 | 07 | 02 | 04 | 16-10 | 26:27 | 0:96 | Astle (West Bromwich) | 7 * |
| 08 Liverpool FC | 12 | 05 | 05 | 02 | 15-09 | 15:06 | 2:50 | R.Gould (Wolverhampton) | 7 * |
| 09 Stoke City | 13 | 04 | 05 | 04 | 13-13 | 18:16 | 1:13 | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 7 * |
| 10 Coventry City | 13 | 05 | 03 | 05 | 13-13 | 12:11 | 1:09 | 09 N.Martin (Coventry) | 6 * |
| 11 Newcastle United | 13 | 04 | 05 | 04 | 13-13 | 15:16 | 0:94 | M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 6 * |
| 12 Southampton FC | 13 | 04 | 04 | 05 | 12-14 | 15:13 | 1:15 | Ritchie (Stoke) | 6 * |
| 13 Everton FC | 13 | 04 | 04 | 05 | 12-14 | 18:21 | 0:86 | Viljoen (Ipswich) | 6 * |
| 14 Derby County | 13 | 04 | 03 | 06 | 11-15 | 18:20 | 0:90 | C.Bell (Man.C.) | 6 * |
| 15 West Bromwich Albion | 13 | 03 | 05 | 05 | 11-15 | 22:30 | 0:73 | Weller (Chelsea) | 6 * |
| 16 Manchester United | 13 | 03 | 05 | 05 | 11-15 | 13:18 | 0:72 | S.Smith (Huddersfield) | 6 * |
| 16 Nottingham Forest | 13 | 03 | 05 | 05 | 11-15 | 13:18 | 0:72 | Queen (Palace) | 6 * |
| 18 Huddersfield Town | 13 | 03 | 05 | 05 | 11-15 | 12:17 | 0:71 | 17 Morrissey (Everton) | 5 * |
| 19 Ipswich Town | 13 | 03 | 03 | 07 | 09-17 | 14:15 | 0:93 | Dougan (Wolverhampton) | 4 * |
| 20 West Ham United | 13 | 01 | 07 | 05 | 09-17 | 15:21 | 0:71 | Giles (Leeds) | 4 * |
| 21 Blackpool FC | 13 | 02 | 04 | 07 | 08-18 | 10:23 | 0:43 | A.Clark (Leeds) | 4 * |
| 22 Burnley FC | 13 | 00 | 04 | 09 | 04-22 | 06:22 | 0:27 | Channon (Southampton) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | Mullery (Tottenham) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | M.Burns (Blackpool) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | R.Hunt II (Coventry) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | A.Hinton (Derby) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | Radford (Arsenal) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | Husband (Everton) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | F.Lee (Man.C.) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | M.Jones (Leeds) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | N.Jones (Leeds) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | G.Armstrong (Arsenal) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | Peters (Tottenham) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | Peters (Tottenham) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | Royle (Everton) | 4 * |

Week 14

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Manchester City 3-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 24 October 1970, Molineux, attendance: 32,700
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlie, McCalliog (1), K.Hibbitt, R.Gould (2), Dougan, Wagstaffe
 MCFC: Corrigan; Book, Pardoe, Doyle, G.Heslop, Jeffries, Summerbee, C.Bell, F.Lee, F.Hill, Towers

Everton FC v Newcastle United 3-1 (2-0)
 Saturday, 24 October 1970, Goodison Park, attendance: 43,135
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright, K.Newton, Kendall (1), Kenyon, C.Harvey, Whittle (1), Ball, Royle (1), J.Hurst, Morrissey
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, Moncur, D.Young, B.S.Robson, K.Dyson, W.Davies, J.Smith, Ford - 1 o.g. Wright

Tottenham Hotspur v Stoke City 3-0 (3-0)
 Saturday, 24 October 1970, White Hart Lane, attendance: 36,238
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, England, Beal, Gilzean (1, Neighbour), Perryman, M.Chivers (2), Peters, Pearce
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Conroy (W.Stevenson), J.Greenhoff, Ritchie, Skeels, Burrows

Manchester United v West Bromwich Albion 2-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 24 October 1970, Old Trafford, attendance: 24,978
 MUFC: Rimmer; P.Edwards, Dunne, Fitzpatrick, Ure, F.Burns, Law (1), G.Best, R.Charlton, Kidd (1), Aston
 WBA: Cumbes; Fraser, A.Merrick, A.Brown (1), Talbut, Kaye, McVitie, Cantello, Astle, R.Hope (Minton), Hartford

Southampton FC v Burnley FC 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 24 October 1970, The Dell, attendance: 19,709
 BFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Da.Walker, Paine, Channon (2), R.Davies, B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins
 BFC: Waiters; Docherty, Cliff, Bellamy, C.Waldron, Nulty, D.Thomas, Coates, Probert, A.West, Kindon

Blackpool FC v Chelsea FC 3-4 (3-0)
 Saturday, 24 October 1970, Bloomfield Road, attendance: 24,940
 BFC: Thomson; Armfield, Mowbray, D.Hatton, G.James, Bentley, M.Burns, A.Green, F.Pickering (2, Craven), Suddick (1), Hutchison
 CFC: Phillips; Mulligan, R.Harris, Hollins, M.Hinton, D.Webb (1), Weller (2), A.Hudson, P.Osgood, Baldwin (C.Cooke), Houseman - 1 o.g. D.Hatton

Ipswich Town v Liverpool FC 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 24 October 1970, Portman Road, attendance: 22,577
 Town: Sivell; Hammond, M.Mills, P.Morris, W.Baxter, McNeil, J.Robertson, W.Viljoen, C.Woods (Lambert), Collard, M.Hill (1)
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, Yeats, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, B.Hall, A.Lindsay, Heighway (St.John), J.T.McLaughlin, P.Thompson

Coventry City v Arsenal FC 1-3 (0-1)
 Saturday, 24 October 1970, Highfield Road, attendance: 30,007
 CCCF: McManus; Coop, W.Smith, E.Machin, Blockley, Strong, R.Hunt II, W.Carr, N.Martin (1), Joicey, D.Clements
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, E.Kelly, McLintock, J.Roberts, G.Armstrong, Storey, Radford (1), R.Kennedy (1), G.Graham (1)

Huddersfield Town v Nottingham Forest 0-0
 Saturday, 24 October 1970, Leeds Road, attendance: 17,121
 Hudd.: Poole; A.Jones, Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellum, D.Clarke, S.Smith, McGill, F.Worthington, L.Chapman, Krzywicki
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, J.N.Robertson, B.Lyons, Rees, P.Richardson, Cormack, G.R.Collier

Derby County v Leeds United 0-2 (0-0)
 Saturday, 24 October 1970, Baseball Ground, attendance: 32,797
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Robson, Hennessey, McFarland, Mackay, McGovern, Gemmill, O'Hare, Hector, A.Hinton
 LUF: Sprake; Davey, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer (1), A.Clarke (1), M.Jones, Belfitt, Madeley

Crystal Palace v West Ham United 1-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 24 October 1970, Selhurst Park, attendance: 41,486
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell; Wall, D.Payne, McCormick, Blyth, A.Taylor (1), Kember, Queen (Hoadley), Birchenall, Tambling
 WHU: Grotier; Bonds, Lampard, Eustace, T.Taylor, R.Moore, Howe (1), J.Lindsay, G.Hurst, J.Greaves, Dear

Table

| | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR | Top Scorers |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|----------------------------|-------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 14 | 09 | 04 | 01 | 22-06 | 22:09 | 2:44 | 01 R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 10 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 14 | 08 | 04 | 02 | 20-08 | 30:14 | 2:14 | 02 R.Gould (Wolverhampton) | 9 * |
| 03 Tottenham Hotspur | 14 | 07 | 05 | 02 | 19-09 | 22:10 | 2:20 | 03 G.Hurst (West Ham) | 8 * |
| 04 Crystal Palace | 14 | 07 | 04 | 03 | 18-10 | 16:10 | 1:60 | A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 8 * |
| 05 Chelsea FC | 14 | 06 | 06 | 02 | 18-10 | 20:16 | 1:25 | H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 8 * |
| 06 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 14 | 08 | 02 | 04 | 18-10 | 29:27 | 1:07 | M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 8 * |
| 07 Manchester City | 13 | 06 | 05 | 02 | 17-09 | 17:11 | 1:55 | Weller (Chelsea) | 8 * |
| 08 Liverpool FC | 13 | 05 | 03 | 05 | 15-11 | 15:07 | 2:14 | R.Davies (Southampton) | 8 * |
| 09 Southampton FC | 14 | 05 | 04 | 05 | 14-14 | 17:13 | 1:31 | 09 Astle (West Bromwich) | 7 * |
| 10 Everton FC | 14 | 05 | 04 | 05 | 14-14 | 21:22 | 0:95 | N.Martin (Coventry) | 7 * |
| 11 Stoke City | 14 | 04 | 05 | 05 | 13-15 | 18:19 | 0:95 | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 7 * |
| 12 Coventry City | 14 | 05 | 03 | 06 | 13-15 | 13:14 | 0:93 | 12 S.Smith (Huddersfield) | 6 * |
| 13 Newcastle United | 14 | 04 | 05 | 05 | 13-15 | 16:19 | 0:84 | C.Bell (Man.C.) | 6 * |
| 14 Manchester United | 14 | 04 | 05 | 05 | 13-15 | 15:19 | 0:79 | Viljoen (Ipswich) | 6 * |
| 15 Nottingham Forest | 14 | 03 | 06 | 05 | 12-16 | 13:18 | 0:72 | Channon (Southampton) | 6 * |
| 16 Huddersfield Town | 14 | 03 | 06 | 05 | 12-16 | 12:17 | 0:71 | Ritchie (Stoke) | 6 * |
| 17 Ipswich Town | 14 | 04 | 03 | 07 | 11-17 | 15:15 | 1:00 | Queen (Palace) | 6 * |
| 18 Derby County | 14 | 04 | 03 | 07 | 11-17 | 18:22 | 0:82 | G.Graham (Arsenal) | 6 * |
| 19 West Bromwich Albion | 14 | 03 | 05 | 06 | 11-17 | 23:32 | 0:72 | 19 Royle (Everton) | 5 * |
| 20 West Ham United | 14 | 01 | 08 | 05 | 10-18 | 16:22 | 0:73 | Morrissey (Everton) | 5 * |
| 21 Blackpool FC | 14 | 02 | 04 | 08 | 08-20 | 13:27 | 0:48 | A.Clark (Leeds) | 5 * |
| 22 Burnley FC | 14 | 00 | 04 | 10 | 04-24 | 06:24 | 0:25 | O'Hare (Derby) | 5 * |
| | | | | | | | | Radford (Arsenal) | 5 * |
| | | | | | | | | F.Clark (Ipswich) | 5 * |
| | | | | | | | | 25 McGoen (Derby) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | F.Pickering (Blackpool) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | A.Hinton (Derby) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | Giles (Leeds) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | Mullery (Tottenham) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | Gilzean (Tottenham) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | Dougan (Wolverhampton) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | M.Jones (Leeds) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | F.Lee (Man.C.) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | Peters (Tottenham) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | G.Armstrong (Arsenal) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | M.Burns (Blackpool) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | R.Hunt II (Coventry) | 4 * |
| | | | | | | | | Husband (Everton) | 4 * |

Week 15

Stoke City v Huddersfield Town 3–1 (1–0)
 Saturday, 31 October 1970, Victoria Ground, attendance: 17,625
 Stoke: Banks: J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Conroy (2), J.Greenhoff (1), Ritchie, Eastham, Burrows
 Hudd.: Poole: A.Jones, Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellam, D.Clarke, S.Smith, J.Lawson, F.Worthington (1), McGill, L.Chapman (C.Dobson)

Newcastle United v Manchester United 1–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 31 October 1970, St. James Park, attendance: 45,140
 NUFC: McFaul: D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, B.S.Robson, K.Dyson, W.Davies (1), D.Young, Ford
 MUFC: Rimmer: P.Edwards, Dunne, Fitzpatrick, S.James, Sadler, F.Burns, G.Best, R.Charlton, Kidd, Aston

Manchester City v Ipswich Town 2–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 31 October 1970, Maine Road, attendance: 27,317
 LFC: Clemence: Lawler, Yeats, T.Smith (1), Lloyd, E.Hughes, B.Hall, A.W.Evans (1), Heighway, J.T.McLaughlin, P.Thompson
 MUFC: Rimmer: P.Edwards, Dunne, Fitzpatrick, S.James, Sadler, F.Burns, G.Best, R.Charlton, Kidd, Aston

Liverpool FC v Wolverhampton Wanderers 2–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 31 October 1970, Anfield Road, attendance: 45,391
 LFC: Clemence: Lawler, Yeats, T.Smith (1), Lloyd, E.Hughes, B.Hall, A.W.Evans (1), Heighway, J.T.McLaughlin, P.Thompson
 Wolves: Parkes: B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog, K.Hibbitt, R.Gould, Dougan, Wagstaffe

Leeds United v Coventry City 2–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 31 October 1970, Elland Road, attendance: 31,670
 LFC: Sprake: Davey, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton (1), N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clarke, M.Jones, Giles (1), Madeley
 CCFC: Glazier; Coop, W.Smith, D.Clements, Blockley, Strong, R.Hunt II, W.Carr, N.Martin, O'Rourke, D.Mortimer

Arsenal FC v Derby County 2–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 31 October 1970, Highbury, attendance: 43,023
 AFC: Wilson: Rice, R.McNab, E.Kelly (1), McLintock, J.Roberts, G.Armstrong, Storey, Radford (1), R.Kennedy, G.Graham
 Derby: Green: Webster, J.Robson, Hennessey, McFarland, Mackay, Gemmill, Durban, O'Hare, Hector, A.Hinton

West Bromwich Albion v Everton FC 3–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 31 October 1970, The Hawthorns, attendance: 29,573
 WBA: Cumbes: Fraser, Cantello, Lovett, Talbut, Kaye, McVitie (1), A.Brown (1), Astle (1), Suggett, Hartford
 EFC: Rankin: T.Wright, K.Newton, Kendall, Kenyon, C.Harvey, Whittle, Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, Morrissey

Chelsea FC v Southampton FC 2–2 (1–1)
 Saturday, 31 October 1970, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 44,843
 CFC: Bonetti: Mulligan, R.Harris, Hollins (1), M.Hinton, D.Webb (1), Weller, C.Cooke, P.Osgood, Hutchinson, Houseman
 SFC: Martin: Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon (2), R.Davies (A.Byrne), B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins

Nottingham Forest v Tottenham Hotspur 0–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 31 October 1970, City Ground, attendance: 25,301
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, T.Jackson, B.Lyons, Rees, P.Richardson, Cormack, G.R.Collier
 Spurs: Jennings: Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, England, Beal, Gilzean, Perryman (Naylor), M.Chivers (1), Peters, Pearce

West Ham United v Blackpool FC 2–1 (1–1)
 Saturday, 31 October 1970, Upton Park, attendance: 26,239
 WHU: Grotier; McDowell, Lampard, Eustace (1), T.Taylor, R.Moore, Ayris, J.Lindsay, G.Hurst, J.Greaves (1), Dear
 BFC: Thomson: Armfield, Mowbray, D.Hatton (Wann), G.James, Bentley, M.Burns, A.Green (1), J.Hughes, Suddick, Hutchison

Burnley FC v Crystal Palace 2–1 (2–0)
 Saturday, 31 October 1970, Turf Moor, attendance: 12,848
 BFC: Waiters: Docherty, Cliff, Bellamy, C.Waldron, Nulty, D.Thomas, Coates, Probert (2), A.West, Kindon
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Wall, D.Payne, McCormick, Blyth, A.Taylor (1), Kember, Hoadley, Birchenall, Tambling

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|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 15 | 10 | 04 | 01 | 24–06 | 24:09 | 2:67 | 01 R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 10 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 15 | 09 | 04 | 02 | 22–08 | 32:14 | 2:29 | 02 M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 9 " |
| 03 Tottenham Hotspur | 15 | 08 | 05 | 02 | 21–09 | 23:10 | 2:30 | A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 9 " |
| 04 Manchester City | 14 | 07 | 05 | 02 | 19–09 | 19:11 | 1:73 | R.Gould (Wolverhampton) | 9 " |
| 05 Chelsea FC | 15 | 06 | 07 | 02 | 19–11 | 22:18 | 1:22 | 05 H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 8 " |
| 06 Crystal Palace | 15 | 07 | 04 | 04 | 18–12 | 17:12 | 1:42 | Weller (Chelsea) | 8 " |
| 07 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 15 | 08 | 02 | 05 | 18–12 | 29:29 | 1:00 | Channon (Southampton) | 8 " |
| 08 Liverpool FC | 14 | 06 | 05 | 03 | 17–11 | 17:07 | 2:43 | G.Hurst (West Ham) | 8 " |
| 09 Southampton FC | 15 | 05 | 05 | 05 | 15–15 | 19:15 | 1:27 | Astle (West Bromwich) | 8 " |
| 10 Stoke City | 15 | 05 | 05 | 05 | 15–15 | 21:20 | 1:05 | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 8 " |
| 11 Newcastle United | 15 | 05 | 05 | 05 | 15–15 | 17:19 | 0:89 | R.Davies (Southampton) | 8 " |
| 12 Everton FC | 15 | 05 | 04 | 06 | 14–16 | 21:25 | 0:84 | 12 N.Martin (Coventry) | 7 " |
| 13 Coventry City | 15 | 05 | 03 | 07 | 13–17 | 13:16 | 0:81 | C.Bell (Man.C.) | 7 " |
| 14 West Bromwich Albion | 15 | 04 | 05 | 06 | 13–17 | 26:32 | 0:81 | 14 Ritchie (Stoke) | 6 " |
| 15 Manchester United | 15 | 04 | 05 | 06 | 13–17 | 15:20 | 0:75 | Radford (Arsenal) | 6 " |
| 16 West Ham United | 15 | 02 | 08 | 05 | 12–18 | 18:23 | 0:78 | S.Smith (Huddersfield) | 6 " |
| 17 Nottingham Forest | 15 | 03 | 06 | 06 | 12–18 | 13:19 | 0:68 | G.Graham (Arsenal) | 6 " |
| 18 Huddersfield Town | 15 | 03 | 06 | 06 | 12–18 | 13:20 | 0:65 | Queen (Palace) | 6 " |
| 19 Ipswich Town | 15 | 04 | 03 | 08 | 11–19 | 15:17 | 0:88 | Viljoen (Ipswich) | 6 " |
| 20 Derby County | 15 | 04 | 03 | 08 | 11–19 | 18:24 | 0:75 | 20 A.Clarke (Leeds) | 5 " |
| 21 Blackpool FC | 15 | 02 | 04 | 09 | 08–22 | 14:29 | 0:48 | Giles (Leeds) | 5 " |
| 22 Burnley FC | 15 | 01 | 04 | 10 | 06–24 | 08:25 | 0:32 | O'Hare (Derby) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | Morrissey (Everton) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | Royle (Everton) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | F.Clarke (Ipswich) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | F.Lee (Man.C.) | 5 " |

Week 16

Huddersfield Town v Chelsea FC 0–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 7 November 1970, Leeds Road, attendance: 24,631
 Hudd.: Poole: D.Clarke, Hutt, S.Smith, Ellam, Chery, R.Hoy, J.Lawson, F.Worthington, McGill, C.Dobson
 CFC: Bonetti: J.Boyle, R.Harris, Hollins, M.Hinton, D.Webb, Weller, C.Cooke, P.Osgood, Baldwin (1), Houseman

Everton FC v Nottingham Forest 1–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 7 November 1970, Goodison Park, attendance: 39,525
 EFC: Rankin: T.Wright, H.Newton, Kendall, Labone, C.Harvey (A.D.Brown), Whittle (1), Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, Morrissey
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, T.Jackson, McIntosh, P.Richardson, G.R.Collier, Cormack, Rees (Cottam)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v West Bromwich Albion 2–1 (1–0)
 Saturday, 7 November 1970, Molineux, attendance: 39,670
 Wolves: Parkes: B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog, K.Hibbitt, R.Gould, Dougan (1), Wagstaffe (1)
 WBA: Cumbes: Fraser, Cantello, Lovett (1), Talbut, Kaye, McVitie, Suggett, Astle, A.Brown, Hartford

Derby County v Liverpool FC 0–0
 Saturday, 7 November 1970, Baseball Ground, attendance: 33,004
 Derby: Green: Webster, J.Robson, Durban, McFarland, Mackay, Gemmill, McGovern, O'Hare, Hector, A.Hinton
 LFC: Clemence: Lawler, A.Lindsay, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, B.Hall, Boersma, Heighway, J.T.McLaughlin, P.Thompson

Crystal Palace v Leeds United 1–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 7 November 1970, Selhurst Park, attendance: 37,963
 LFC: J.Jackson; Sewell (1), Wall, D.Payne, McCormick, Blyth, A.Taylor, J.Scott, Queen, Birchenall, Tambling
 Palace: Sprake: Davey, Cooper, Bates, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer (1), A.Clarke, M.Jones, Giles, Madeley

Manchester United v Stoke City 2–2 (1–1)
 Saturday, 7 November 1970, Old Trafford, attendance: 47,451
 MUFC: Rimmer: P.Edwards, F.Burns, Fitzpatrick, S.James, Sadler (1), Law (1), G.Best, R.Charlton, Kidd, Aston
 Stoke: Banks: J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Conroy (1), J.Greenhoff, Ritchie (1), Eastham (Skeels), Burrows

Ipswich Town v West Ham United 2–1 (0–1)
 Saturday, 7 November 1970, Portman Road, attendance: 22,990
 Town: Sivell: Hammond, M.Mills (1), P.Morris, W.Baxter, McNeil, J.Robertson, Viljoen, F.Clarke, C.Woods, M.Hill (1)
 WHU: Grotier; McDowell, Lampard, Heffer (81 - Holland), T.Taylor, Eustace, Redknapp, J.Lindsay, G.Hurst (1), C.Best, Howe

Blackpool FC v Arsenal FC 0–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 7 November 1970, Bloomfield Road, attendance: 17,115
 BFC: Thomson: Armfield, Mowbray, Craven, G.James, Alcock, Suddick, A.Green, M.Burns, Bentley, Hutchison
 AFC: Wilson: Rice, R.McNab, E.Kelly, McLintock, J.Roberts, G.Armstrong, Storey, Radford (1), R.Kennedy, G.Graham

Coventry City v Manchester City 2–1 (2–0)
 Saturday, 7 November 1970, Highfield Road, attendance: 25,287
 CCFC: Glazier; Coop, W.Smith, D.Mortimer, Blockley, Strong, R.Hunt II, W.Carr (1), N.Martin, O'Rourke, D.Clements - 1 o.g. Doyle
 MUFC: Rimmer: A.Mann, Pardoe, Doyle, G.Heslop, Oakes, Bowyer, C.Bell (1), F.Lee, F.Hill, Towers

Tottenham Hotspur v Burnley FC 4–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 7 November 1970, White Hart Lane, attendance: 30,524
 Spurs: Jennings: Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, England, Beal, Gilzean (1), Perryman (1), M.Chivers (2), Peters, Pearce
 BFC: Waiters: Docherty (Latham), Cliff, Bellamy, C.Waldron, Nulty, D.Thomas, Coates, Probert, A.West, Kindon

Southampton FC v Newcastle United 2–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 7 November 1970, The Dell, attendance: 19,250
 SFC: Martin: Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel (1), Paine, Channon (1), Stokes (Da.Walker), B.O'Neil, G.O'Brien
 NUFC: McFaul: D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, B.S.Robson, Cassidy (K.Dyson), W.Davies, Arentoft, Ford

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|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 16 | 10 | 05 | 01 | 25–07 | 25:10 | 2:50 | 01 M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 11 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 16 | 10 | 04 | 02 | 24–08 | 33:14 | 2:36 | 02 R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 10 " |
| 03 Tottenham Hotspur | 16 | 09 | 05 | 02 | 23–09 | 27:10 | 2:70 | 03 R.Gould (Wolverhampton) | 9 " |
| 04 Chelsea FC | 16 | 07 | 07 | 02 | 21–11 | 23:18 | 1:28 | G.Hurst (West Ham) | 9 " |
| 05 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 16 | 09 | 02 | 05 | 20–12 | 31:30 | 1:03 | A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 9 " |
| 06 Manchester City | 15 | 07 | 05 | 03 | 19–11 | 20:13 | 1:54 | Channon (Southampton) | 9 " |
| 07 Crystal Palace | 16 | 07 | 05 | 04 | 19–13 | 18:13 | 1:38 | 07 H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 8 " |
| 08 Liverpool FC | 15 | 06 | 06 | 03 | 18–12 | 17:07 | 2:43 | Weller (Chelsea) | 8 " |
| 09 Southampton FC | 16 | 06 | 05 | 05 | 17–15 | 21:15 | 1:40 | Astle (West Bromwich) | 8 " |
| 10 Stoke City | 16 | 05 | 06 | 05 | 16–16 | 23:22 | 1:05 | R.Davies (Southampton) | 8 " |
| 11 Everton FC | 16 | 06 | 04 | 06 | 16–16 | 22:25 | 0:88 | C.Bell (Man.C.) | 8 " |
| 12 Coventry City | 16 | 06 | 03 | 07 | 15–17 | 15:17 | 0:88 | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 8 " |
| 13 Newcastle United | 16 | 05 | 05 | 06 | 15–17 | 17:21 | 0:81 | 13 Ritchie (Stoke) | 7 " |
| 14 Manchester United | 16 | 04 | 06 | 06 | 14–18 | 17:22 | 0:77 | Radford (Arsenal) | 7 " |
| 15 Ipswich Town | 16 | 05 | 03 | 08 | 13–19 | 17:18 | 0:94 | N.Martin (Coventry) | 7 " |
| 16 West Bromwich Albion | 16 | 04 | 05 | 07 | 13–19 | 27:34 | 0:79 | 16 G.Graham (Arsenal) | 6 " |
| 17 West Ham United | 16 | 02 | 08 | 06 | 12–20 | 19:25 | 0:76 | S.Smith (Huddersfield) | 6 " |
| 18 Derby County | 16 | 04 | 04 | 08 | 12–20 | 18:24 | 0:75 | Viljoen (Ipswich) | 6 " |
| 19 Nottingham Forest | 16 | 03 | 06 | 07 | 12–20 | 13:20 | 0:65 | Queen (Palace) | 6 " |
| 20 Huddersfield Town | 16 | 03 | 06 | 07 | 12–20 | 13:21 | 0:62 | 20 Gilzean (Tottenham) | 5 " |
| 21Blackpool FC | 16 | 02 | 04 | 10 | 08–24 | 14:30 | 0:47 | Morrissey (Everton) | 5 " |
| 22 Burnley FC | 16 | 01 | 04 | 11 | 06–26 | 08:29 | 0:28 | F.Lee (Man.C.) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | Conroy (Stoke) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | Dougan (Wolverhampton) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | Royle (Everton) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | O'Hare (Derby) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | A.Clarke (Leeds) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | F.Clarke (Ipswich) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | Giles (Leeds) | 5 " |

Week 17

Liverpool FC v Coventry City 0-0
 Saturday, 14 November 1970, Anfield Road, attendance: 50,303
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, A.Lindsay, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, B.Hall, J.T.McLaughlin, Heighway, Toshack, P.Thompson
 CCFC: Glazier; Coop, W.Smith, D.Mortimer, Blockley, Strong, B.Hill, W.Carr, N.Martin, O'Rourke, D.Clements

West Bromwich Albion v Southampton FC 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 14 November 1970, The Hawthorns, attendance: 17,903
 WBA: Cumbes; Fraser, Cantello, Lovett, Talbut (Suggett), Kaye, McVitie, A.Brown, Astle, R.Hope, Hartford (1)
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon, R.Davies (Da.Walker), B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins

West Ham United v Wolverhampton Wanderers 3-3 (1-1)
 Saturday, 14 November 1970, Upton Park, attendance: 23,978
 WHU: Grotier; McDowell, Lampard, Eustace, T.Taylor, R.Moore (1), Ayris, J.Lindsay, G.Hurst, C.Best (2), Howe
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin (J.Richards), M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog (2), K.Hibbitt, R.Gould (1), H.Curran, Wagstaffe

Burnley FC v Huddersfield Town 2-3 (1-1)
 Saturday, 14 November 1970, Turf Moor, attendance: 18,112
 BFC: Waiters; Ternent, Cliff, Casper, C.Waldron, Nulty, D.Thomas, Coates, Probert, A.West (1), Kindon (1)
 Hudd.: Poole; D.Clarke, Hutt, S.Smith, Ellam, Cherry, R.Hoy, Greenhalgh (2), F.Worthington, McGill, J.Lawson (1)

Arsenal FC v Crystal Palace 1-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 14 November 1970, Highbury, attendance: 34,503
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, E.Kelly, McLintock, J.Roberts, G.Armstrong, Storey, Radford (1), R.Kennedy, G.Graham
 Palace: J.Jackson; Hoadley, Wall, D.Payne, McCormick, Blyth, A.Taylor, Kember, Queen, Birchenall (1), J.Scott

Manchester City v Derby County 1-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 14 November 1970, Maine Road, attendance: 31,817
 MFC: Corrigan; Book, A.Mann, Doyle, C.Heslop, Oakes, Summerbee, C.Bell (1), F.Lee, F.Hill, Towers
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Robson, Hennessey, McFarland, Mackay, McGovern, Gemmill, O'Hare (1), Hector, A.Hinton

Nottingham Forest v Manchester United 1-2 (0-1)
 Saturday, 14 November 1970, City Ground, attendance: 36,364
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, T.Jackson, B.Lyons, P.Richardson, G.R.Collier, Cormack (1), Rees
 MFC: Rimmer; W.Watson, Dunne, Fitzpatrick, S.James, Sadler, Law, G.Best, R.Charlton, Gowling (1), Sartori (1)

Chelsea FC v Tottenham Hotspur 0-2 (0-0)
 Saturday, 14 November 1970, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 61,277
 CFC: Bonetti; Boyle, R.Harris, Hollins, M.Hinton (Dempsey), D.Webb, Weller, C.Cooke, P.Osgood, Baldwin, Houseman
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery (1), England, Beal, Gilzean, Perryman (N.Johnson), M.Chivers, Peters, Pearce (1)

Newcastle United v Ipswich Town 0-0
 Saturday, 14 November 1970, St. James Park, attendance: 25,620
 NUFF: McFaul; D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, B.S.Robson, Cassidy (Foggon), W.Davies, D.Elliott, Ford
 Town: Sivell; Hammond, M.Mills, P.Morris, W.Baxter, R.Bell, J.Robertson, Vijloen, F.Clark, C.Woods, M.Hill

Leeds United v Blackpool FC 3-1 (1-0)
 Saturday, 14 November 1970, Elland Road, attendance: 32,921
 LUF: Sprake; Madeley (1), Cooper, Bates, J.Charlton (1), N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clarke, M.Jones, Giles (1), E.Gray
 BFC: Thomson; Armfield, Bentley, J.Johnston, G.James, Alcock, M.Burns, A.Green, Craven (1), Wann, Hutchison

Stoke City v Everton FC 1-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 14 November 1970, Victoria Ground, attendance: 26,240
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Conroy, J.Greenhoff, Ritchie (1, J.Mahoney), Eastham, Burrows
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright, A.D.Brown, Kendall, Labone, H.Newton, Whittle, Ball, Royle, J.Hurst (1), Morrissey

Table

| | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR | Top Scorers |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 17 | 11 | 05 | 01 | 27-07 | 28:11 | 2:55 | 01 M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 11 goals |
| 02 Tottenham Hotspur | 17 | 10 | 05 | 02 | 25-09 | 29:10 | 2:90 | 02 R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 10 " |
| 03 Arsenal FC | 17 | 10 | 05 | 02 | 25-09 | 34:15 | 2:27 | R.Gould (Wolverhampton) | 10 " |
| 04 Chelsea FC | 17 | 07 | 07 | 03 | 21-13 | 23:20 | 1:15 | 04 G.Hurst (West Ham) | 9 " |
| 05 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 17 | 09 | 03 | 05 | 21-13 | 34:33 | 1:03 | Channon (Southampton) | 9 " |
| 06 Manchester City | 16 | 07 | 06 | 03 | 20-12 | 21:14 | 1:50 | A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 9 " |
| 07 Crystal Palace | 17 | 07 | 06 | 04 | 20-14 | 19:14 | 1:36 | C.Bell (Man.C.) | 9 " |
| 08 Liverpool FC | 16 | 06 | 07 | 03 | 19-13 | 17:07 | 2:43 | 08 H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 8 " |
| 09 Southampton FC | 17 | 06 | 05 | 06 | 17-17 | 21:16 | 1:31 | R.Davies (Southampton) | 8 " |
| 10 Stoke City | 17 | 05 | 07 | 05 | 17-17 | 24:23 | 1:04 | Weller (Chelsea) | 8 " |
| 11 Everton FC | 17 | 06 | 05 | 06 | 17-17 | 23:26 | 0:88 | Astle (West Bromwich) | 8 " |
| 12 Coventry City | 17 | 06 | 04 | 07 | 16-18 | 15:17 | 0:88 | Radford (Arsenal) | 8 " |
| 13 Manchester United | 17 | 05 | 06 | 06 | 16-18 | 19:23 | 0:83 | Ritchie (Stoke) | 8 " |
| 14 Newcastle United | 17 | 05 | 06 | 06 | 16-18 | 17:21 | 0:81 | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 8 " |
| 15 West Bromwich Albion | 17 | 05 | 05 | 07 | 15-19 | 28:34 | 0:82 | 15 N.Martin (Coventry) | 7 " |
| 16 Ipswich Town | 17 | 05 | 04 | 08 | 14-20 | 17:18 | 0:94 | 16 Giles (Leeds) | 6 " |
| 17 Huddersfield Town | 17 | 04 | 06 | 07 | 14-20 | 16:23 | 0:70 | S.Smith (Huddersfield) | 6 " |
| 18 West Ham United | 17 | 02 | 09 | 06 | 13-21 | 22:28 | 0:79 | Viljoen (Ipswich) | 6 " |
| 19 Derby County | 17 | 04 | 05 | 08 | 13-21 | 19:25 | 0:76 | Queen (Palace) | 6 " |
| 20 Nottingham Forest | 17 | 03 | 06 | 08 | 12-22 | 14:22 | 0:64 | O'Hare (Derby) | 6 " |
| 21 Blackpool FC | 17 | 02 | 04 | 11 | 08-26 | 15:33 | 0:45 | G.Grahan (Arsenal) | 6 " |
| 22 Burnley FC | 17 | 01 | 04 | 12 | 06-28 | 10:32 | 0:31 | 22 Morrissey (Everton) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | A.Clarke (Leeds) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | Gilzean (Tottenham) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | Dougan (Wolverhampton) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | Royle (Everton) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | F.Lee (Man.C.) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | Mullery (Tottenham) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | Conroy (Stoke) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | G.Armstrong (Arsenal) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | F.Clark (Ipswich) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | McCalliog (Wolverhampton) | 5 " |

Week 18

Leeds United v Stoke City 4-1 (2-1)
 Wednesday, 18 November 1970, Elland Road, attendance: 30,549
 LUF: Sprake; Davey (B.S. Reaney), Cooper, Bates, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer (1), A.Clarke (1), M.Jones, Giles (1), Madeley (1)
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Conroy (1), Skeels, J.Greenhoff, Eastham (J.Mahoney), Burrows

Southampton FC v Manchester United 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 21 November 1970, The Dell, attendance: 30,202
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, A.Byrne, Paine, Channon, Gabriel (1), B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins
 MFC: Rimmer; W.Watson, Dunne, Fitzpatrick (Sartori), S.James, Sadler (1), Law, G.Best, R.Charlton, Kidd, Aston

Tottenham Hotspur v Newcastle United 1-2 (0-1)
 Saturday, 21 November 1970, White Hart Lane, attendance: 38,873
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, England, P.Collins, Gilzean, Perryman, M.Chivers (1), Peters, Pearce (Neighbour)
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig (1), F.Clark, Gibb (1), McNamee, Moncur, B.S.Robson, K.Dyson, W.Davies, Arentoft, Ford

Ipswich Town v Arsenal FC 0-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 21 November 1970, Portman Road, attendance: 28,657
 WBA: Cumbes; Hammond, M.Mills, P.Morris, W.Baxter, R.Bell, J.Robertson, Vijloen, M.Hill, C.Woods, Lambert
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, E.Kelly, McLintock, Simpson, G.Armstrong (1), Storey, Radford, R.Kennedy, Sammels

Manchester City v West Ham United 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 21 November 1970, Maine Road, attendance: 28,485
 MFC: Corrigan; Book (Jeffries), Pardoe, Doyle, C.Heslop, Oakes, Summerbee, C.Bell, F.Lee (2), A.Mann, Towers
 WHU: Ferguson; McDowell, Lampard, Eustace, T.Taylor, R.Moore, Holland, J.Lindsay (Howe), G.Hurst, C.Best, J.Greaves

West Bromwich Albion v Huddersfield Town 1-2 (1-2)
 Saturday, 21 November 1970, The Hawthorns, attendance: 18,209
 WBA: Cumbes; Fraser (Suggett), Cantello, Lovett, Kaye, A.Merrick, McVitie, A.Brown (1), Astle, R.Hope, Hartford
 Hudd.: Poole; D.Clarke, Hutt (1), S.Smith, Ellam, Cherry, R.Hoy, Greenhalgh, F.Worthington, McGill, J.Lawson (1)

Derby County v Blackpool FC 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 21 November 1970, Baseball Ground, attendance: 28,237
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Robson, Hennessey, McFarland (1), Mackay, Gemmill, Durban, O'Hare, Hector (1), A.Hinton
 BFC: Thomson; Armfield, Bentley, J.Johnston, G.James, Alcock, F.Pickering, A.Green, Craven, Wann (M.Burns), Hutchison

Coventry City v Crystal Palace 2-1 (1-0)
 Saturday, 21 November 1970, Highfield Road, attendance: 23,054
 CCFC: Glazier; Coop, W.Smith, D.Mortimer, Blockley, R.Parker, B.Hill, W.Carr, N.Martin (1), O'Rourke, D.Clements (1)
 Palace: J.Jackson; Loughlan, Wall, D.Payne, McCormick, T.Dawkins, A.Taylor, Kember (1), Tambling (Humphreys), Hoadley, J.Scott

Burnley FC v Nottingham Forest 2-1 (1-0)
 Saturday, 21 November 1970, Turf Moor, attendance: 13,036
 BFC: Mellor; Angus, Nulty (1), Docherty, C.Waldron, M.Dobson, D.Thomas, Coates, Probert (1), A.West, L.James
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield (B.Lyons), R.Chapman, O'Kane, T.Jackson, Rees, P.Richardson, G.R.Collier, Cormack, Storey-Moore (1)

Liverpool FC v Everton FC 3-2 (0-0)
 Saturday, 21 November 1970, Anfield Road, attendance: 53,777
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler (1), A.Lindsay, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, B.Hall, J.T.McLaughlin (73. Boersma), Heighway (1), Toshack (1), I.Ross
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright, H.Newton, Kendall (K.Newton), Labone, C.Harvey, Whittle (1), Ball, Royle (1), J.Hurst, Morrissey

Chelsea FC v Stoke City 2-1 (2-1)
 Saturday, 21 November 1970, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 36,227
 CFC: Bonetti; Boyle, R.Harris, Hollins, M.Hinton, D.Webb, Weller, C.Cooke, P.Osgood (1), Baldwin, Houseman - 1 o.g. Bernard
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Conroy, J.Mahoney, T.P.Smith (1), Eastham, Burrows

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Leeds United 2-3 (1-3)
 Saturday, 21 November 1970, Molineux, attendance: 41,048
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, Holsgrove, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog, K.Hibbitt (Lutton), R.Gould (1), H.Curran (1), J.Richards
 LUF: Sprake; Davey, Cooper, Bates, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clarke, M.Jones (46. Belfitt), Giles, Madeley - 1 o.g. Holsgrove

| | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR | Top Scorers |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 19 | 13 | 05 | 01 | 31-07 | 35:14 | 2:50 | 01 M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 12 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 18 | 11 | 05 | 02 | 27-09 | 35:15 | 2:33 | 02 R.Gould (Wolverhampton) | 11 " |
| 03 Tottenham Hotspur | 18 | 10 | 05 | 03 | 25-11 | 30:12 | 2:50 | 03 A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 10 " |
| 04 Chelsea FC | 18 | 08 | 07 | 03 | 23-13 | 25:21 | 1:19 | R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 10 " |
| 05 Manchester City | 17 | 08 | 06 | 03 | 22-12 | 23:14 | 1:64 | 05 H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 9 " |
| 06 Liverpool FC | 17 | 07 | 07 | 03 | 21-13 | 20:09 | 2:22 | G.Hurst (West Ham) | 9 " |
| 07 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 18 | 09 | 03 | 06 | 21-15 | 36:36 | 1:00 | Channon (Southampton) | 9 " |
| 08 Crystal Palace | 18 | 07 | 06 | 05 | 20-16 | 20:16 | 1:25 | C.Bell (Man.C.) | 9 " |
| 09 Southampton FC | 18 | 07 | 05 | 06 | 19-17 | 22:16 | 1:38 | 09 R.Davies (Southampton) | 8 " |
| 10 Coventry City | 18 | 07 | 04 | 07 | 18-18 | 17:18 | 0:94 | Weller (Chelsea) | 8 " |
| 11 Newcastle United | 18 | 06 | 06 | 06 | 18-18 | 19:22 | 0:86 | N.Martin (Coventry) | 8 " |
| 12 Stoke City | 19 | 05 | 07 | 07 | 17-21 | 26:29 | 0:90 | Radford (Arsenal) | 8 " |
| 13 Everton FC | 18 | 06 | 05 | 07 | 17-19 | 25:29 | 0:86 | Ritchie (Stoke) | 8 " |
| 14 Manchester United | 18 | 05 | 06 | 07 | 16-20 | 19:24 | 0:79 | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 8 " |
| 15 Huddersfield Town | 18 | 05 | 06 | 07 | 16-20 | 18:24 | 0:75 | Astle (West Bromwich) | 8 " |
| 16 Derby County | 18 | 05 | 05 | 08 | 15-21 | 21:25 | 0:84 | 16 Giles (Leeds) | 7 " |
| 17 West Bromwich Albion | 18 | 05 | 05 | 08 | 15-21 | 29:36 | 0:81 | F.Lee (Man.C.) | 7 " |
| 18 Ipswich Town | 18 | 05 | 04 | 09 | 14-22 | 17:19 | 0:89 | A.Clarke (Leeds) | 7 " |
| 19 West Ham United | 18 | 02 | 09 | 07 | 13-23 | 22:30 | 0:73 | 19 Conroy (Stoke) | 6 " |
| 20 Nottingham Forest | 18 | 03 | 06 | 09 | 12-24 | 15:24 | 0:63 | Royle (Everton) | 6 " |
| 21 Blackpool FC | 18 | 02 | 04 | 12 | 08-28 | 15:35 | 0:43 | O'Hare (Derby) | 6 " |
| 22 Burnley FC | 18 | 02 | 04 | 12 | 08-28 | 12:33 | 0:36 | S.Smith (Huddersfield) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Queen (Palace) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Viljoen (Ipswich) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | G.Grahan (Arsenal) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | 26 Morrissey (Everton) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | Mullery (Tottenham) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | F.Clark (Ipswich) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | Lorimer (Leeds) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | C.Armstrong (Arsenal) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | McCalliog (Wolverhampton) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | Dougan (Wolverhampton) | 5 " |
| | | | | | | | | Gilzean (Tottenham) | 5 " |

Week 19

Leeds United v Manchester City 1–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 28 November 1970, Elland Road, attendance: 43,511
 LUF: Sprake: Reaney, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, Madeley, A.Clarke (1), Giles, E.Gray
 MCFC: Corrigan, Book, Pardoe, Doyle, G.Heslop, Oakes, Summerbee, C.Bell, F.Lee, Towers, A.Mann

Newcastle United v Burnley FC 3–1 (1–1)
 Saturday, 28 November 1970, St. James Park, attendance: 20,550
 NUFC: McFaul, D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur (1), B.S.Robson (1), K.Dyson (I.Mitchell), W.Davies, Arentoft, Ford (1)
 BFC: Mellor; Angus, Merrington, Docherty, C.Waldron, M.Dobson, D.Thomas, Nulty, Probert (1), A.West, D.Collins

Arsenal FC v Liverpool FC 2–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 28 November 1970, Highbury, attendance: 45,097
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, E.Kelly (G.Graham 1), McLintock, Simpson, G.Armstrong, Storey, Radford (1), R.Kennedy, Sammels
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, A.Lindsay, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, B.Hall, Toshack, Heighway (Boersma), J.T.McLaughlin, I.Ross

Stoke City v Southampton FC 0–0
 Saturday, 28 November 1970, Victoria Ground, attendance: 16,848
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Conroy, J.Greenhoff, J.Mahoney, Eastham, Burrows
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon, R.Davies, B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins

Everton FC v Tottenham Hotspur 0–0
 Saturday, 28 November 1970, Goodison Park, attendance: 43,955
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright, K.Newton, Kendall, Labone, C.Harvey, Whittle, Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, Husband
 WBA: Cumbs; Fraser (Lovett), Cantello, A.Brown, Kaye, A.Merrick, McVitie, Suggett (1), Astle (1), R.Hope, Hartford
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, England, P.Collins, Gilzean, Perryman, M.Chivers, Peters, Pearce

West Bromwich Albion v Chelsea FC 2–2 (1–2)
 Saturday, 28 November 1970, The Hawthorns, attendance: 29,763
 WBA: Cumbs; Fraser (Lovett), Cantello, A.Brown, Kaye, A.Merrick, McVitie, Suggett (1), Astle (1), R.Hope, Hartford
 CFC: Bonetti; J.Boyle, R.Harris, Hollins, M.Hinton, D.Webb, Weller (1), C.Cooke (1), P.Osgood, Hutchinson, Houseman

Blackpool FC v Ipswich Town 0–2 (0–0)
 Saturday, 28 November 1970, Bloomfield Road, attendance: 13,048
 BFC: Thomson; Armfield, Bentley, Kemp, G.James, Alcock, A.Green, J.Johnston (J.Murray), Craven, A.Coleman, Hutchison
 Town: Sivell; Hammond, M.Mills, P.Morris, W.Baxter, R.Bell, J.Robertson, Collard (Viljoen 1), M.Hill (1), C.Woods, Lambert

Nottingham Forest v Derby County 2–4 (2–1)
 Saturday, 28 November 1970, City Ground, attendance: 30,539
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman (1), O'Kane, T.Jackson, B.Lyons, Rees, P.Richardson, Cormack, Storey-Moore (1)
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Robson, Durban, Hennessey, Mackay, McGovern (1), Wignall (1), O'Hare (1), Hector, Gemmill (1)

West Ham United v Coventry City 1–2 (0–2)
 Saturday, 28 November 1970, Upton Park, attendance: 22,800
 WHU: Ferguson; McDowell, Lampard, Eustace, T.Taylor, R.Moore, Holland, Howe, G.Hurst, C.Best (1), J.Greaves
 CFC: Clemence; Coop, W.Smith, D.Mortimer, Blockley, R.Parker, B.Hill, W.Carr, N.Martin, O'Rourke (1), D.Clements (1)

Manchester United v Huddersfield Town 1–1 (1–1)
 Saturday, 28 November 1970, Old Trafford, attendance: 45,306
 MUF: Rimmer; W.Watson, Dunne, Fitzpatrick, S.James, Sadler, Law, G.Best (1), R.Charlton, Kidd, Aston
 Hudd.: Poole; D.Clarke, Hutt, S.Smith, Ellam, Cherry, R.Hoy, Greenhalgh (1), F.Worthington, J.Lawson, McGill

Crystal Palace v Wolverhampton Wanderers 1–1 (1–0)
 Saturday, 28 November 1970, Selhurst Park, attendance: 22,605
 Palace: J.Jackson; Loughlan, Wall, D.Payne, McCormick, Blyth, A.Taylor, Kember, Queen, Hoadley, J.Scott (1)
 Wolves: Parkes; G.W.Taylor, B.Shaw, L.Wilson, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog, P.Walker (J.Richards), R.Gould, H.Curran (1), Wagstaffe

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|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|----------------------------|-------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 20 | 14 | 05 | 01 | 33–07 | 36:14 | 2.57 | 01 M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 12 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 19 | 12 | 05 | 02 | 29–09 | 37:15 | 2.47 | 02 R.Gould (Wolverhampton) | 11 " |
| 03 Tottenham Hotspur | 19 | 10 | 06 | 03 | 26–12 | 30:12 | 2.50 | 03 A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 10 " |
| 04 Chelsea FC | 19 | 08 | 08 | 03 | 24–14 | 27:23 | 1.17 | H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 10 " |
| 05 Manchester City | 18 | 08 | 06 | 04 | 22–14 | 23:15 | 1.53 | R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 10 " |
| 06 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 19 | 09 | 04 | 06 | 22–16 | 37:37 | 1.00 | 06 Astle (West Bromwich) | 9 " |
| 07 Liverpool FC | 18 | 07 | 07 | 04 | 21–15 | 20:11 | 1.82 | G.Hurst (West Ham) | 9 " |
| 08 Crystal Palace | 19 | 07 | 07 | 05 | 21–17 | 21:17 | 1.24 | Channon (Southampton) | 9 " |
| 09 Southampton FC | 19 | 07 | 06 | 06 | 20–18 | 22:16 | 1.38 | Weller (Chelsea) | 9 " |
| 10 Coventry City | 19 | 08 | 04 | 07 | 20–18 | 19:19 | 1.00 | Radford (Arsenal) | 9 " |
| 11 Newcastle United | 19 | 07 | 06 | 06 | 20–18 | 22:23 | 0.96 | C.Bell (Man.C.) | 9 " |
| 12 Stoke City | 20 | 05 | 08 | 07 | 18–22 | 26:29 | 0.90 | 12 A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 8 " |
| 13 Everton FC | 19 | 06 | 06 | 07 | 18–20 | 25:29 | 0.86 | R.Davies (Southampton) | 8 " |
| 14 Derby County | 19 | 06 | 05 | 08 | 17–21 | 25:27 | 0.93 | Ritchie (Stoke) | 8 " |
| 15 Manchester United | 19 | 05 | 07 | 07 | 17–21 | 20:25 | 0.80 | N.Martin (Coventry) | 8 " |
| 16 Huddersfield Town | 19 | 05 | 07 | 07 | 17–21 | 19:25 | 0.76 | A.Clarke (Leeds) | 8 " |
| 17 Ipswich Town | 19 | 06 | 04 | 09 | 16–22 | 19:19 | 1.00 | 17 Giles (Leeds) | 7 " |
| 18 West Bromwich Albion | 19 | 05 | 06 | 08 | 16–22 | 31:38 | 0.82 | O'Hare (Derby) | 7 " |
| 19 West Ham United | 19 | 02 | 09 | 08 | 13–25 | 23:32 | 0.72 | F.Lee (Man.C.) | 7 " |
| 20 Nottingham Forest | 19 | 03 | 06 | 10 | 12–26 | 17:28 | 0.61 | G.Grahan (Arsenal) | 7 " |
| 21 Blackpool FC | 19 | 02 | 04 | 13 | 08–30 | 15:37 | 0.41 | Viljoen (Ipswich) | 7 " |
| 22 Burnley FC | 19 | 02 | 04 | 13 | 08–30 | 13:36 | 0.36 | 22 S.Smith (Huddersfield) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Royle (Everton) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Queen (Palace) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Conroy (Stoke) | 6 " |

Week 20

Ipswich Town v Crystal Palace 1–2 (0–1)
 Saturday, 5 December 1970, Portman Road, attendance: 19,344
 Town: Sivell; Hammond, M.Mills, P.Morris, W.Baxter, R.Bell, J.Robertson, Viljoen (1), F.Clarke (C.Woods), Collard, M.Hill
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell (1), Wall, D.Payne, McCormick, Blyth, A.Taylor, Kember (1), Queen, Birchenall, J.Scott

Chelsea FC v Newcastle United 1–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 5 December 1970, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 39,413
 CFC: Bonetti; J.Boyle, R.Harris, Hollins, M.Hinton, D.Webb, Weller (1), C.Cooke, P.Osgood, Hutchinson, Houseman
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, B.S.Robson, K.Dyson, W.Davies, Arentoft, Ford

Liverpool FC v Leeds United 1–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 5 December 1970, Old Trafford, attendance: 51,357
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, A.Lindsay, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, B.Hall, J.T.McLaughlin, Heighway, Toshack (1), P.Thompson
 LUF: Sprake; Reaney, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, Madeley (1), A.Clarke, Giles, E.Gray (85. Bates)

Manchester City v Arsenal FC 0–2 (0–0)
 Saturday, 5 December 1970, Maine Road, attendance: 33,027
 MCFC: Corrigan; Book, Pardoe, Doyle, G.Heslop (Towers), Oakes, Summerbee, C.Bell, F.Lee, A.Mann, Jeffries
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, Sammels, McLintock, Simpson, G.Armstrong (1), Storey, Radford (1), R.Kennedy, G.Grahan

Coventry City v Stoke City 1–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 5 December 1970, Highfield Road, attendance: 23,775
 CFC: Glazier; Coop, W.Smith, D.Mortimer, Blockley, R.Parker, B.Hill, W.Carr, N.Martin, O'Rourke (1), D.Clements
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor, J.Mahoney, Conroy, J.Greenhoff, Eastham, Burrows

Huddersfield Town v Everton FC 1–1 (0–1)
 Saturday, 5 December 1970, Leeds Road, attendance: 27,658
 Hudd.: Poole; D.Clarke, Hutt, S.Smith, Ellam, Cherry, R.Hoy, Greenhalgh, F.Worthington (1), McGill, J.Lawson
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright, H.Newton, Kendall, Labone, C.Harvey, Whittle, Ball (1), Royle, J.Hurst, Morrissey

Tottenham Hotspur v Manchester United 2–2 (0–1)
 Saturday, 5 December 1970, White Hart Lane, attendance: 55,693
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, England, Beal, Gilzean (1), Perryman (Neighbour), M.Chivers, Peters (1), Pearce
 MUF: Rimmer; W.Watson, Dunne, Fitzpatrick, S.James, Sadler, Law (1), G.Best (1), R.Charlton, Kidd, Aston

Derby County v West Ham United 2–4 (2–2)
 Saturday, 5 December 1970, Baseball Ground, attendance: 30,806
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Robson, Durban (1), Hennessey, Mackay, McGovern, Wignall (1), O'Hare, Hector, Gemmill
 WHU: Ferguson; Bonds, Lampard, Eustace, T.Taylor, R.Moore, C.Best (2), J.Lindsay, G.Hurst, Brooking (1), J.Greaves (1)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Blackpool FC 1–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 5 December 1970, Molineux, attendance: 22,623
 Wolves: Parkes; G.W.Taylor, B.Shaw, L.Wilson, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog, K.Hibbitt (J.Richards), R.Gould, H.Curran, Wagstaffe – 1 o.g. Alcock
 BFC: Taylor; Armfield, Bentley, Kemp, Alcock, D.Hatton, M.Burns, A.Green, Craven, A.Coleman, Hutchison (Suddick)

Burnley FC v West Bromwich Albion 1–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 5 December 1970, Turf Moor, attendance: 12,437
 BFC: Mellor; Angus, Nulty, Docherty, C.Waldron, M.Dobson, D.Thomas, Kindon (1), Probert, D.Collins, L.James
 WBA: Cumbs; Lovett, Cantello (Talbot), A.Brown (1), Kaye, A.Merrick, McVitie, Suggett, Astle, Hartford, R.Hope

Southampton FC v Nottingham Forest 4–1 (2–1)
 Saturday, 5 December 1970, The Dell, attendance: 19,016
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon, R.Davies (2), B.O'Neil (1), T.Jenkins (1)
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley (McIntosh), Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, T.Jackson, B.Lyons, P.Richardson, Cormack (1), Rees, Storey-Moore

| Table | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR | Top Scorers |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|----------------------------|-------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 21 | 14 | 06 | 01 | 34–08 | 37:15 | 2.47 | 01 M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 12 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 20 | 13 | 05 | 02 | 31–09 | 39:15 | 2.60 | 02 R.Gould (Wolverhampton) | 11 " |
| 03 Tottenham Hotspur | 20 | 10 | 07 | 03 | 27–13 | 32:14 | 2.29 | A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 11 " |
| 04 Chelsea FC | 20 | 09 | 08 | 03 | 26–14 | 28:23 | 1.22 | 04 Weller (Chelsea) | 10 " |
| 05 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 20 | 10 | 04 | 06 | 24–16 | 38:37 | 1.03 | H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 10 " |
| 06 Crystal Palace | 20 | 08 | 07 | 05 | 23–17 | 23:18 | 1.28 | Radford (Arsenal) | 10 " |
| 07 Liverpool FC | 19 | 07 | 08 | 04 | 22–16 | 21:12 | 1.75 | R.Davies (Southampton) | 10 " |
| 08 Manchester City | 19 | 08 | 06 | 05 | 22–16 | 23:17 | 1.35 | R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 10 " |
| 09 Southampton FC | 20 | 08 | 06 | 06 | 22–18 | 26:17 | 1.53 | 09 Astle (West Bromwich) | 9 " |
| 10 Coventry City | 20 | 09 | 04 | 07 | 22–18 | 20:19 | 1.05 | Channon (Southampton) | 9 " |
| 11 Newcastle United | 20 | 07 | 06 | 07 | 20–20 | 22:24 | 0.92 | G.Hurst (West Ham) | 9 " |
| 12 Everton FC | 20 | 06 | 07 | 07 | 19–21 | 26:30 | 0.87 | C.Bell (Man.C.) | 9 " |
| 13 Manchester United | 20 | 05 | 08 | 07 | 18–22 | 22:27 | 0.81 | 13 A.Clarke (Leeds) | 8 " |
| 14 Huddersfield Town | 20 | 05 | 08 | 07 | 18–22 | 20:26 | 0.77 | N.Martin (Coventry) | 8 " |
| 15 Stoke City | 21 | 05 | 08 | 08 | 18–24 | 26:30 | 0.87 | Ritchie (Stoke) | 8 " |
| 16 Derby County | 20 | 06 | 05 | 09 | 17–23 | 27:31 | 0.87 | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 8 " |
| 17 West Bromwich Albion | 20 | 05 | 07 | 08 | 17–23 | 32:39 | 0.82 | Viljoen (Ipswich) | 8 " |
| 18 Ipswich Town | 20 | 06 | 04 | 10 | 16–24 | 20:21 | 0.95 | 18 O'Hare (Derby) | 7 " |
| 19 West Ham United | 20 | 03 | 09 | 08 | 15–25 | 27:34 | 0.79 | G.Grahan (Arsenal) | 7 " |
| 20 Nottingham Forest | 20 | 03 | 06 | 11 | 12–28 | 18:32 | 0.56 | F.Lee (Man.C.) | 7 " |
| 21 Burnley FC | 20 | 02 | 05 | 13 | 09–31 | 14:37 | 0.38 | Giles (Leeds) | 7 " |
| 22 Blackpool FC | 20 | 02 | 04 | 14 | 08–32 | 15:38 | 0.40 | 22 Royle (Everton) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | G.Armstrong (Arsenal) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Gilzean (Tottenham) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Queen (Palace) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | S.Smith (Huddersfield) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Conroy (Stoke) | 6 " |

Week 21

West Bromwich Albion v Tottenham Hotspur 3-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 12 December 1970, The Hawthorns, attendance: 26,477
 WBA: Cumbes; Lovett, Cantello, A.Brown (3), Kaye, A.Merrick, McVitie, Suggett, Astle, R.Hope, Hartford
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, England, Beal, Gilzean, Perryman, M.Chivers (1), Peters, Pearce

Arsenal FC v Wolverhampton Wanderers 2-1 (1-0)
 Saturday, 12 December 1970, Highbury, attendance: 38,816
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, Storey, McLintock, Simpson, G.Armstrong, Sammels, Radford (1), R.Kennedy, G.Graham (1)
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, L.Wilson (J.Richards), F.Munro, McAlie, McCalliog, Dougan (1), R.Gould, H.Curran, Wagstaffe

Manchester United v Manchester City 1-4 (0-2)
 Saturday, 12 December 1970, Old Trafford, attendance: 52,636
 MUF: Rimmer; W.Watson, Dunne, Fitzpatrick, S.James, Stiles, Law (Sartori), G.Best, R.Charlton, Kidd (1), Aston
 MFC: Corrigan; Book, Pardoe (A.Mann), Doyle (1), Booth, Oakes, Summerbee, C.Bell, F.Lee (3), N.Young, Jeffries

Newcastle United v Huddersfield Town 2-0 (2-0)
 Saturday, 12 December 1970, St. James Park, attendance: 21,215
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, B.S.Robson (1, A.Burton), K.Dyson (1), W.Davies, Arentoft, Ford
 Hudd.: Poole; D.Clarke, Hutt, S.Smith, Ellam, Cherry, R.Hoy (Krzywicki), Greenhalgh, F.Worthington, McGill, J.Lawson

West Ham United v Liverpool FC 1-2 (1-2)
 Saturday, 12 December 1970, Upton Park, attendance: 27,459
 WHU: Ferguson; Bonds, Lampard, Eustace, T.Taylor, R.Moore, C.Best, J.Lindsay (Ayris), G.Hurst, Brooking, J.Greaves (1)
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, Boersma (1, I.Ross), T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, B.Hall, J.T.McLaughlin, Heighway, Whitham (1), P.Thompson

Everton FC v Southampton FC 4-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 12 December 1970, Goodison Park, attendance: 33,125
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright, H.Newton, Kendall, Kenyon, C.Harvey, Whittle (1), Ball, Royle (2), J.Hurst, Morrissey (1)
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood (A.Byrne), Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon (1), R.Davies, B.O'Neil, G.O'Brien

Stoke City v Burnley FC 0-0
 Saturday, 12 December 1970, Victoria Ground, attendance: 13,299
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, Skeels, Conroy, J.Mahoney, J.Greenhoff, Eastham, Burrows
 BFC: Mellor; Angus, Nulty, Docherty, C.Waldron, M.Dobson, D.Thomas, Kindon, Probert, D.Collins, A.West

Crystal Palace v Derby County 0-0
 Saturday, 12 December 1970, Selhurst Park, attendance: 24,418
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Wall, D.Payne (Humphreys), McCormick, Blyth, A.Taylor, Kember, Hoadley, Birchenall, J.Scott
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Robson, Hennessey (P.Daniel), McFarland, Mackay, Durban, Wignall, O'Hare, Hector, Gemmill

Nottingham Forest v Chelsea FC 1-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 12 December 1970, City Ground, attendance: 20,080
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, T.Jackson, B.Lyons, P.Richardson (Cottam), Cormack, Rees, Storey-Moore (1)
 CFC: Bonetti; J.Boyle, R.Harris, Hollins, M.Hinton, D.Webb, Weller (1), C.Cooke, P.Osgood, Hutchinson, Houseman

Leeds United v Ipswich Town 0-0
 Saturday, 12 December 1970, Elland Road, attendance: 29,675
 LUF: Sprake; Reaney, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clarke, M.Jones, Giles, Madeley
 Town: Sivell; Hammond, M.Mills, P.Morris, W.Baxter, McNeil, J.Robertson, Viljoen, F.Clarke, R.Bell, M.Hill

Blackpool FC v Coventry City 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 12 December 1970, Bloomfield Road, attendance: 11,381
 BFC: Taylor; Mowbray, Bentley, Kemp, Alcock, D.Hatton, M.Burns, A.Green, Craven (1), A.Coleman, Hutchison
 CCFC: Glazier; Coop, W.Smith, D.Mortimer, Blockley, Strong, R.Parker, W.Carr, N.Martin, O'Rourke, D.Clements

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|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|----------------------------|-------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 22 | 14 | 07 | 01 | 35-09 | 37:15 | 2:47 | 01 A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 14 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 21 | 14 | 05 | 02 | 33-09 | 41:16 | 2:56 | 02 M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 13 " |
| 03 Tottenham Hotspur | 21 | 10 | 07 | 04 | 27-15 | 33:17 | 1:94 | 03 R.Gould (Wolverhampton) | 11 " |
| 04 Chelsea FC | 21 | 09 | 09 | 03 | 27-15 | 29:24 | 1:21 | Radford (Arsenal) | 11 " |
| 05 Liverpool FC | 20 | 08 | 08 | 04 | 24-16 | 23:13 | 1:77 | Weller (Chelsea) | 11 " |
| 06 Manchester City | 20 | 09 | 06 | 05 | 24-16 | 27:18 | 1:50 | 06 F.Lee (Man.C.) | 10 " |
| 07 Crystal Palace | 21 | 08 | 08 | 05 | 24-18 | 23:18 | 1:28 | Channon (Southampton) | 10 " |
| 08 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 21 | 10 | 04 | 07 | 24-18 | 39:39 | 1:00 | H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 10 " |
| 09 Southampton FC | 21 | 08 | 06 | 07 | 22-20 | 27:21 | 1:29 | R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 10 " |
| 10 Newcastle United | 21 | 08 | 06 | 07 | 22-20 | 24:24 | 1:00 | R.Davies (Southampton) | 10 " |
| 11 Coventry City | 21 | 09 | 04 | 08 | 22-20 | 20:20 | 1:00 | 11 C.Bell (Man.C.) | 9 " |
| 12 Everton FC | 21 | 07 | 07 | 07 | 21-21 | 30:31 | 0:97 | Astle (West Bromwich) | 9 " |
| 13 West Bromwich Albion | 21 | 06 | 07 | 08 | 19-23 | 35:40 | 0:88 | G.Hurst (West Ham) | 9 " |
| 14 Stoke City | 22 | 05 | 09 | 08 | 19-25 | 26:30 | 0:87 | 14 Viljoen (Ipswich) | 8 " |
| 15 Derby County | 21 | 06 | 06 | 09 | 18-24 | 27:31 | 0:87 | Ritchie (Stoke) | 8 " |
| 16 Manchester United | 21 | 05 | 08 | 08 | 18-24 | 23:31 | 0:74 | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 8 " |
| 17 Huddersfield Town | 21 | 05 | 08 | 08 | 18-24 | 20:28 | 0:71 | G.Grahan (Arsenal) | 8 " |
| 18 Ipswich Town | 21 | 06 | 05 | 10 | 17-25 | 20:21 | 0:95 | Royle (Everton) | 8 " |
| 19 West Ham United | 21 | 03 | 09 | 09 | 15-27 | 28:36 | 0:78 | N.Martin (Coventry) | 8 " |
| 20 Nottingham Forest | 21 | 03 | 07 | 11 | 13-29 | 19:33 | 0:58 | A.Clarke (Leeds) | 8 " |
| 21 Blackpool FC | 21 | 03 | 04 | 14 | 10-32 | 16:38 | 0:42 | 21 Giles (Leeds) | 7 " |
| 22 Burnley FC | 21 | 02 | 06 | 13 | 10-32 | 14:37 | 0:38 | O'Hare (Derby) | 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | 23 Conroy (Stoke) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | S.Smith (Huddersfield) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | G.Armstrong (Arsenal) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Gilzean (Tottenham) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Morrissey (Everton) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Storey-Moore (Nottingham) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Dougan (Wolverhampton) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Queen (Palace) | 6 " |

Week 22

Southampton FC v Coventry City 3-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 19 December 1970, The Dell, attendance: 17,569
 MUF: Martin; Kirkup, A.Byrne, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon (1), R.Davies (1), B.O'Neil (1), T.Jenkins
 CCFC: Glazier; Coop, W.Smith, R.Parker, Blockley, Strong, R.Hunt II, W.Carr, N.Martin, O'Rourke, D.Clements

Manchester United v Arsenal FC 1-3 (1-3)
 Saturday, 19 December 1970, Old Trafford, attendance: 33,182
 MUF: Rimmer; W.Watson, Dunne, Crerand, S.James, Fitzpatrick, W.Morgan, G.Best, R.Charlton, Kidd, Sartori (1)
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, Storey, McLintock (1), Simpson, G.Armstrong, Sammels, Radford, R.Kennedy (1), G.Graham (1)

Everton FC v Leeds United 0-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 19 December 1970, Goodison Park, attendance: 47,393
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright, H.Newton, Kendall, Kenyon, C.Harvey, Whittle, Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, Morrissey
 LUF: Harvey; Reaney, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton (1), N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clarke (Bates), M.Jones, Giles, Madeley

Tottenham Hotspur v Wolverhampton Wanderers 0-0
 Saturday, 19 December 1970, White Hart Lane, attendance: 30,544
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, England, Beal, Gilzean, Perryman, M.Chivers, Peters, Pearce (Neighbour)
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlie, McCalliog, K.Hibbitt, Dougan, R.Gould, Wagstaffe

Huddersfield Town v Liverpool FC 0-0
 Saturday, 19 December 1970, Leeds Road, attendance: 25,033
 Hudd.: Poole; D.Clarke, Hutt, S.Smith, Ellam, Cherry, R.Hoy, Greenhalgh, F.Worthington, J.Lawson, McGill
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, E.Hughes, T.Smith, Lloyd, Boersma, B.Hall, J.T.McLaughlin, Heighway, Whitham, P.Thompson

West Bromwich Albion v Blackpool FC 1-1 (1-0)
 Saturday, 19 December 1970, The Hawthorns, attendance: 17,862
 WBA: Cumbes; Lovett, A.Merrick, A.Brown, Wile, Kaye, McVitie, Suggett (1), Astle, Cantello, Hartford
 BFC: Taylor; Mowbray, Bentley, Kemp, Alcock, D.Hatton, M.Burns, A.Green, Craven, A.Coleman (G.James 1), Hutchison

Stoke City v Derby County 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 19 December 1970, Victoria Ground, attendance: 21,906
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Haslegrave, Skeels, Conroy, Eastham, Burrows (1)
 Derby: Green; Webster, J.Robson, Hennessey, McFarland, Mackay, Butlin (McGovern), Durban, O'Hare, Hector, Gemmill

Chelsea FC v West Ham United 2-1 (2-1)
 Saturday, 19 December 1970, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 42,075
 CFC: Bonetti; J.Boyle, R.Harris, Hollins, M.Hinton, D.Webb, Weller, C.Cooke, P.Osgood (2), Baldwin, Houseman
 WHU: Ferguson; Bonds, Lampard (1, C.Best), Eustace, T.Taylor, R.Moore, Ayris, J.Lindsay, Dear, Brooking, J.Greaves

Burnley FC v Manchester City 0-4 (0-2)
 Saturday, 19 December 1970, Turf Moor, attendance: 19,911
 BFC: Mellor; Angus, Nulty, Docherty, C.Waldron, M.Dobson, D.Thomas, Coates, Probert, D.Collins, L.James (A.West)
 MFC: Corrigan; Book, A.Mann, Doyle, Booth, Oakes, Summerbee (1), C.Bell (2), F.Lee (1), N.Young, Jeffries

Newcastle United v Crystal Palace 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 19 December 1970, St. James Park, attendance: 21,740
 NUFC: McFaul; F.Clark, R.Guthrie, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, B.S.Robson (2), K.Dyson, W.Davies, Arentoft, Ford
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Hoadley, T.Dawkins, McCormick, Blyth, A.Taylor, Kember, Humphreys, Birchenall, J.Scott

Nottingham Forest v Ipswich Town 0-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 19 December 1970, City Ground, attendance: 14,085
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, T.Jackson, B.Lyons, Rees, McIntosh, Cormack, Storey-Moore
 Town: Sivell; Hammond, M.Mills, P.Morris, W.Baxter (1), McNeil, J.Robertson, Viljoen, F.Clarke, C.Woods, M.Hill

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|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|----------------------------|-------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 23 | 15 | 07 | 01 | 37-09 | 38:15 | 2:53 | 01 A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 14 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 22 | 15 | 05 | 02 | 35-09 | 44:17 | 2:59 | 02 M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 13 " |
| 03 Chelsea FC | 22 | 10 | 09 | 03 | 29-15 | 31:25 | 1:24 | 03 Radford (Arsenal) | 11 " |
| 04 Tottenham Hotspur | 22 | 10 | 08 | 04 | 28-16 | 33:17 | 1:94 | R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 11 " |
| 05 Manchester City | 21 | 10 | 06 | 05 | 26-16 | 31:18 | 1:72 | Weller (Chelsea) | 11 " |
| 06 Liverpool FC | 21 | 08 | 09 | 04 | 25-17 | 23:13 | 1:77 | Channon (Southampton) | 11 " |
| 07 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 22 | 10 | 05 | 07 | 25-19 | 39:39 | 1:00 | F.Lee (Man.C.) | 11 " |
| 08 Southampton FC | 22 | 09 | 06 | 07 | 24-20 | 30:21 | 1:43 | C.Bell (Man.C.) | 11 " |
| 09 Crystal Palace | 22 | 08 | 08 | 06 | 24-20 | 23:20 | 1:15 | R.Davies (Southampton) | 11 " |
| 10 Newcastle United | 22 | 09 | 06 | 07 | 24-20 | 26:24 | 1:08 | R.Gould (Wolverhampton) | 11 " |
| 11 Coventry City | 22 | 09 | 04 | 09 | 22-22 | 20:23 | 0:87 | H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 10 " |
| 12 Everton FC | 22 | 07 | 07 | 08 | 21-23 | 30:32 | 0:94 | 12 G.Grahan (Arsenal) | 9 " |
| 13 Stoke City | 23 | 06 | 09 | 08 | 21-25 | 27:30 | 0:90 | G.Hurst (West Ham) | 9 " |
| 14 West Bromwich Albion | 22 | 06 | 08 | 08 | 20-24 | 36:41 | 0:88 | Astle (West Bromwich) | 9 " |
| 15 Ipswich Town | 22 | 07 | 05 | 10 | 19-25 | 21:21 | 1:00 | 15 A.Clarke (Leeds) | 8 " |
| 16 Huddersfield Town | 22 | 05 | 09 | 08 | 19-25 | 20:28 | 0:71 | Royle (Everton) | 8 " |
| 17 Derby County | 22 | 06 | 06 | 10 | 18-26 | 27:32 | 0:84 | Viljoen (Ipswich) | 8 " |
| 18 Manchester United | 22 | 05 | 08 | 09 | 18-26 | 24:34 | 0:71 | N.Martin (Coventry) | 8 " |
| 19 West Ham United | 22 | 03 | 09 | 10 | 15-29 | 29:38 | 0:76 | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 8 " |
| 20 Nottingham Forest | 22 | 03 | 07 | 12 | 13-31 | 19:34 | 0:56 | Ritchie (Stoke) | 8 " |
| 21 Blackpool FC | 22 | 03 | 05 | 14 | 11-33 | 17:39 | 0:44 | 21 Giles (Leeds) | 7 " |
| 22 Burnley FC | 22 | 02 | 06 | 14 | 10-34 | 14:41 | 0:34 | O'Hare (Derby) | 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | B.S.Robson (Newcastle) | 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | 24 Morrissey (Everton) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Conroy (Stoke) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Gilzean (Tottenham) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Dougan (Wolverhampton) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Storey-Moore (Nottingham) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | S.Smith (Huddersfield) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | G.Armstrong (Arsenal) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Queen (Palace) | 6 " |

Week 23

Derby County v Manchester United 4-4 (2-0)
 Saturday, 26 December 1970, Baseball Ground, attendance: 34,068
 Derby: Green, Webster, P.Daniel, Hennessey, McFarland, Mackay (1), Durban, Wignall (1), O'Hare, Hector (1), Gemmill (1)
 MUFC: Rimmer, Fitzpatrick, Dunne, Crerand, Ure, Sadler, W.Morgan, G.Best (1), R.Charlton, Kidd (1), Law (2)

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Everton FC 2-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 26 December 1970, Molineux, attendance: 30,178
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog, K.Hibbitt, R.Gould, Dougan (2), Wagstaffe
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright, H.Newton, Kendall, Labone, C.Harvey, Whittle, Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, Morrissey

Coventry City v West Bromwich Albion 1-1 (1-0)
 Saturday, 26 December 1970, Highfield Road, attendance: 27,526
 CCFC: Glazier; Coop, W.Smith, B.Hill, Blockley, Strong, R.Hunt II, W.Carr, N.Martin (1'), O'Rourke, D.Clements
 WBA: Cumbes; Lovett, R.Wilson II, A.Brown (1'), Wile, A.Merrick, McVitie, Suggett, Astle, Cantello, Hartford

Leeds United v Newcastle United 3-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 26 December 1970, Elland Road, attendance: 46,758
 LUF: Sprake; Reaney, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clark (1, 85. Bates), M.Jones, Giles (2"). Madeley
 NUF: Burleigh; D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, B.S.Robson, K.Dyson, W.Davies, D.Young, Ford

Liverpool FC v Stoke City 0-0
 Saturday, 26 December 1970, Anfield Road, attendance: 47,103
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, Boersma, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, Callaghan, J.T.McLaughlin, Highway, Toshack, B.Hall
 BFC: Taylor; Mowbray, Bentley, Kemp, Alcock, D.Hatton, M.Burns (1), A.Green, Craven, A.Coleman, Hutchison
 MUFC: Cumbes; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Conroy, Skeels, J.Greenhoff, Eastham, Burrows

Blackpool FC v Burnley FC 1-1 (1-0)
 Saturday, 26 December 1970, Bloomfield Road, attendance: 28,371
 BFC: Taylor; Mowbray, Bentley, Kemp, Alcock, D.Hatton, M.Burns (1), A.Green, Craven, A.Coleman, Hutchison
 BFC: Waiters; Angus, Nulty, Docherty, C.Waldron, M.Dobson, D.Thomas, Coates, Probert, Casper (1), A.West

Manchester City v Huddersfield Town 1-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 26 December 1970, Maine Road, attendance: 40,091
 MFC: Corrigan; Book, A.Mann, Doyle, Booth, Oakes, Summerbee, C.Bell (1), F.Lee (Carrodus), N.Young, Jeffries
 Hudd.: Poole; D.Clarke, Hutt, S.Smith, Elam, Cherry, R.Hoy, Greenhalgh, F.Worthington, McGill, J.Lawson (L.Chapman) - 1 o.g. Book

Arsenal FC v Southampton FC 0-0
 Saturday, 26 December 1970, Highbury, attendance: 34,169
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, Storey, McLintock, Simpson, G.Armstrong, Sammels, Radford, R.Kennedy, G.Graham
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon, R.Davies, B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins

| Table | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR | Top Scorers |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 24 | 16 | 07 | 01 | 39-09 | 41:15 | 2:73 | 01 A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 15 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 23 | 15 | 06 | 02 | 36-10 | 44:17 | 2:59 | 02 M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 13 " |
| 03 Chelsea FC | 22 | 10 | 09 | 03 | 29-15 | 31:25 | 1:24 | 03 C.Bell (Man.C.) | 12 " |
| 04 Tottenham Hotspur | 22 | 10 | 08 | 04 | 28-16 | 33:17 | 1:94 | 04 Radford (Arsenal) | 11 " |
| 05 Manchester City | 22 | 10 | 07 | 05 | 27-17 | 32:19 | 1:68 | R.Davies (Southampton) | 11 " |
| 06 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 23 | 11 | 05 | 07 | 27-19 | 41:39 | 1:05 | Channon (Southampton) | 11 " |
| 07 Liverpool FC | 22 | 08 | 10 | 04 | 26-18 | 23:13 | 1:77 | Weller (Chelsea) | 11 " |
| 08 Southampton FC | 23 | 09 | 07 | 07 | 25-21 | 30:21 | 1:43 | R.Gould (Wolverhampton) | 11 " |
| 09 Crystal Palace | 22 | 08 | 08 | 06 | 24-20 | 23:20 | 1:15 | F.Lee (Man.C.) | 11 " |
| 10 Newcastle United | 23 | 09 | 06 | 08 | 24-22 | 26:27 | 0:96 | R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 11 " |
| 11 Coventry City | 23 | 09 | 05 | 09 | 23-23 | 21:24 | 0:88 | 11 H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 10 " |
| 12 Stoke City | 24 | 06 | 10 | 08 | 22-26 | 27:30 | 0:90 | 12 Astle (West Bromwich) | 9 " |
| 13 West Bromwich Albion | 23 | 06 | 09 | 08 | 21-25 | 37:42 | 0:88 | G.Hurst (West Ham) | 9 " |
| 14 Everton FC | 23 | 07 | 07 | 09 | 21-25 | 30:34 | 0:88 | Giles (Leeds) | 9 " |
| 15 Huddersfield Town | 23 | 05 | 10 | 08 | 20-26 | 21:29 | 0:72 | A.Clark (Leeds) | 9 " |
| 16 Ipswich Town | 22 | 07 | 05 | 10 | 19-25 | 21:21 | 1:00 | N.Martin (Coventry) | 9 " |
| 17 Derby County | 23 | 06 | 07 | 10 | 19-27 | 31:36 | 0:86 | G.Grahan (Arsenal) | 9 " |
| 18 Manchester United | 23 | 05 | 09 | 09 | 19-27 | 28:38 | 0:74 | 18 Royle (Everton) | 8 " |
| 19 West Ham United | 22 | 03 | 09 | 10 | 15-29 | 29:38 | 0:76 | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 8 " |
| 20 Nottingham Forest | 22 | 03 | 07 | 12 | 13-31 | 19:34 | 0:56 | Dougan (Wolverhampton) | 8 " |
| 21 Blackpool FC | 23 | 03 | 06 | 14 | 12-34 | 18:40 | 0:45 | Viljoen (Ipswich) | 8 " |
| 22 Burnley FC | 23 | 02 | 07 | 14 | 11-35 | 15:42 | 0:36 | Ritchie (Stoke) | 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | 23 Law (Man.U.) | 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | O'Hare (Derby) | 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | B.S.Robson (Newcastle) | 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | 26 Morrissey (Everton) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | G.Best (Man.U.) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Conroy (Stoke) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Queen (Palace) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Storey-Moore (Nottingham) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Gilzean (Tottenham) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | G.Armstrong (Arsenal) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | S.Smith (Huddersfield) | 6 " |

Week 24

Liverpool FC v Blackpool FC 2-2 (1-1)
 Saturday, 9 January 1971, Anfield Road, attendance: 42,939
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, Boersma (Yeats), T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, Callaghan, J.T.McLaughlin, Highway (1), Toshack, B.Hall - 1 o.g. Craven
 BFC: Taylor; Armfield, Mowbray, Kemp, G.James, D.Hatton, M.Burns (1), A.Green, Hutchison (F.Pickering 1), Craven, A.Coleman

Newcastle United v Stoke City 0-2 (0-1)
 Saturday, 9 January 1971, St. James Park, attendance: 25,680
 NUF: McFaul; D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, B.S.Robson, K.Dyson, W.Davies, I.Mitchell, D.Young
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, A.Bloor, Skeels, Haslegrave, J.Greenhoff (1), Conroy, Eastham, Burrows (1)

Chelsea FC v Manchester United 1-2 (0-0)
 Saturday, 9 January 1971, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 53,482
 CFC: Bonetti; J.Boyle, R.Harris, Hollins, M.Hinton, D.Webb, A.Hudson (1), Baldwin, Smethurst, C.Cooke, Houseman
 MUFC: Stepney; Fitzpatrick, Dunne, Crerand, P.Edwards, Stiles, W.Morgan (1'), Law, R.Charlton, Gowling (1), Aston

West Bromwich Albion v Nottingham Forest 0-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 9 January 1971, The Hawthorns, attendance: 20,416
 WBA: Cumbes; Lovett, R.Wilson II, A.Brown, Wile, Kaye, McVitie, Suggett, Astle, R.Hope, Hartford
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, T.Jackson, B.Lyons, P.Richardson, Cormack, Rees, Storey-Moore (1)

Manchester City v Crystal Palace 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 9 January 1971, Maine Road, attendance: 27,240
 MFC: Corrigan; Book (1), A.Mann, Doyle, Booth, Oakes, Carrodus, C.Bell, Summerbee, N.Young (F.Hill), Jeffries
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Wall, T.Dawkins, Hoadley, Blyth, A.Taylor, Kember, Queen, Birchenall, Humphreys

Derby County v Wolverhampton Wanderers 1-2 (0-1)
 Saturday, 9 January 1971, Baseball Ground, attendance: 34,243
 Derby: Boulton; Webster, P.Daniel, Docherty, C.Waldron, M.Dobson (1), D.Thomas, Coates, Casper (1, Merrington), Probert, A.West
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw (1), D.Parkin, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog, K.Hibbitt, R.Gould (1), Dougan (H.Curran), J.Richards

Leeds United v Tottenham Hotspur 1-2 (1-1)
 Saturday, 9 January 1971, Elland Road, attendance: 43,907
 LUF: Sprake; Reaney, Cooper, Bates, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Madeley, A.Clark (1), M.Jones, Giles, Yorath
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, P.Collins, Naylor, Gilzean, Perryman, M.Chivers (2), Peters, Neighbour (Pearce)

Burnley FC v Everton 2-2 (1-0)
 Saturday, 9 January 1971, Turf Moor, attendance: 17,482
 BFC: Waiters; Angus, Nulty, Docherty, C.Waldron, M.Dobson (1), D.Thomas, Coates, Casper (1, Merrington), Probert, A.West
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright, H.Newton (1), Kendall, Labone, C.Harvey, Husband, Ball, D.Johnson (1), J.Hurst, Morrissey

Coventry City v Ipswich Town 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 9 January 1971, Highfield Road, attendance: 19,923
 CCFC: McManus; W.Smith, D.Clements, E.Machin, Blockley, Strong, R.Hunt II, D.Mortimer, N.Martin, Joicey (1), Alderson
 Town: Sivell; Hammond, M.Mills, P.Morris, W.Baxter, McNeil, J.Robertson, Viljoen, F.Clark (Jefferson), Collard, M.Hill

Southampton FC v Huddersfield Town 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 9 January 1971, The Dell, attendance: 19,422
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine (1), Channon, R.Davies, B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins
 Hudd.: D.Lawson; D.Clark, Hutt, S.Smith, Elam, Cherry, R.Hoy, Krzywicki, F.Worthington, McGill, L.Chapman

Arsenal FC v West Ham United 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 9 January 1971, Highbury, attendance: 49,007
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, Nelson, Storey, McLintock, Simpson, G.Armstrong, Sammels, Radford, R.Kennedy (1), G.Graham (1)
 WHU: Ferguson; McDowell, Lampard, Bonds, T.Taylor, Howe, Redknapp, J.Lindsay, C.Best (Llewellyn), Brooking, Eustace

Liverpool FC v Manchester City 0-0
 Tuesday, 12 January 1971, Anfield Road, attendance: 45,985
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, Whitham, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, Callaghan, J.T.McLaughlin, Highway, Toshack, B.Hall
 MFC: Corrigan; Book, A.Mann, Doyle, Booth, Oakes, Carrodus (D.Connor), C.Bell, Summerbee, F.Hill, Jeffries

Crystal Palace v Chelsea FC 0-0
 Wednesday, 13 January 1971, Selhurst Park, attendance: 40,489
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Wall, T.Dawkins, Hoadley, Blyth, A.Taylor, Kember, Queen, Birchenall, Humphreys
 CFC: Bonetti; J.Boyle, R.Harris, Hollins, Dempsey, M.Hinton, C.Cooke, Baldwin, P.Osgood, A.Hudson, Houseman

| Table | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR | Top Scorers |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|----------------------------|-------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 25 | 16 | 07 | 02 | 39-11 | 42:17 | 2:47 | 01 M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 15 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 24 | 16 | 06 | 02 | 38-10 | 46:17 | 2:71 | A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 15 " |
| 03 Tottenham Hotspur | 23 | 11 | 08 | 04 | 30-16 | 35:18 | 1:94 | 03 R.Gould (Wolverhampton) | 12 " |
| 04 Manchester City | 24 | 11 | 08 | 05 | 30-18 | 33:19 | 1:74 | R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 12 " |
| 05 Chelsea FC | 24 | 10 | 10 | 04 | 30-18 | 32:27 | 1:19 | C.Bell (Man.C.) | 12 " |
| 06 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 24 | 12 | 05 | 07 | 29-19 | 44:40 | 1:10 | 06 Radford (Arsenal) | 11 " |
| 07 Liverpool FC | 24 | 08 | 12 | 04 | 28-20 | 25:15 | 1:67 | Channon (Southampton) | 11 " |
| 08 Southampton FC | 24 | 10 | 07 | 07 | 27-21 | 31:21 | 1:48 | Weller (Chelsea) | 11 " |
| 09 Crystal Palace | 24 | 08 | 09 | 07 | 25-23 | 23:21 | 1:10 | F.Lee (Man.C.) | 11 " |
| 10 Coventry City | 24 | 10 | 05 | 09 | 25-23 | 22:24 | 0:92 | R.Davies (Southampton) | 11 " |
| 11 Newcastle United | 24 | 09 | 06 | 09 | 24-24 | 26:29 | 0:90 | 11 G.Grahan (Arsenal) | 10 " |
| 12 Stoke City | 25 | 07 | 10 | 08 | 24-26 | 29:30 | 0:97 | H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 10 " |
| 13 Everton FC | 24 | 07 | 08 | 09 | 22-26 | 32:36 | 0:89 | A.Clark (Leeds) | 10 " |
| 14 West Bromwich Albion | 24 | 06 | 09 | 09 | 21-27 | 37:43 | 0:86 | 14 Giles (Leeds) | 9 " |
| 15 Manchester United | 24 | 06 | 09 | 09 | 21-27 | 30:39 | 0:77 | N.Martin (Coventry) | 9 " |
| 16 Huddersfield Town | 24 | 05 | 10 | 09 | 20-28 | 21:30 | 0:70 | Astle (West Bromwich) | 9 " |
| 17 Ipswich Town | 23 | 07 | 05 | 11 | 19-27 | 21:22 | 0:95 | G.Hurst (West Ham) | 9 " |
| 18 Derby County | 24 | 06 | 07 | 11 | 19-29 | 32:38 | 0:84 | 18 Ritchie (Stoke) | 8 " |
| 19 West Ham United | 23 | 03 | 09 | 11 | 15-31 | 29:40 | 0:73 | Dougan (Wolverhampton) | 8 " |
| 20 Nottingham Forest | 23 | 04 | 07 | 12 | 15-31 | 20:34 | 0:59 | Viljoen (Ipswich) | 8 " |
| 21 Blackpool FC | 24 | 03 | 07 | 14 | 13-35 | 20:42 | 0:43 | Royle (Everton) | 8 " |
| 22 Burnley FC | 24 | 02 | 08 | 14 | 12-36 | 17:44 | 0:39 | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | 23 Law (Man.U.) | 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | B.S.Robson (Newcastle) | 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | O'Hare (Derby) | 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | Storey-Moore (Nottingham) | 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | 27 Gilzean (Tottenham) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Morrissey (Everton) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | S.Smith (Huddersfield) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | G.Best (Man.U.) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Conroy (Stoke) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | M.Burns (Blackpool) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | Queen (Palace) | 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | G.Armstrong (Arsenal) | 6 " |

Week 25

Huddersfield Town v Arsenal FC 2-1 (1-0)
 Saturday, 16 January 1971, Leeds Road, attendance: 30,455
 Hudd.: D.Lawson: D.Clark, Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellam, Cherry, S.Smith, B.Mahoney, F.Worthington (1'), McGill, L.Chapman (1)
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, Storey, McLintock, Simpson, G.Armstrong, Sammels, Radford, R.Kennedy (1), G.Graham

Blackpool FC v Manchester City 3-3 (2-1)
 Saturday, 16 January 1971, Bloomfield Road, attendance: 29,356
 BFC: Taylor; Armfield, Mowbray, Kemp, G.James, D.Hatton (Suddick), A.Green, Craven (1), F.Pickering (2), A.Coleman, M.Burns
 MFC: Corrigan, Book, A.Mann, Doyle, Booth, Dakes, Summerbee (2), C.Bell (1), F.Lee (Bowyer), N.Young, Jeffries

Nottingham Forest v Newcastle United 2-1 (2-0)
 Saturday, 16 January 1971, City Ground, attendance: 21,798
 NFFC: Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, T.Jackson, B.Lyons, Fraser, Cormack, Rees, Storey-Moore (2)
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig, F.Clark, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, K.Dyson, B.S.Robson (1), W.Davies, Arentoft, Foggon

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Coventry City 0-0
 Saturday, 16 January 1971, Molineux, attendance: 27,441
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog, K.Hibbitt, R.Gould, Dougan, Wagstaffe (H.Curran)
 CFC: Glazier; W.Smith, D.Clements, E.Machin, Blockley, R.Parker, D.Mortimer, W.Carr, Joyce, O'Rourke, Alderson

Manchester United v Burnley FC 1-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 16 January 1971, Old Trafford, attendance: 40,135
 MUFC: Stepney; Fitzpatrick, Dunne, Crerand, P.Edwards, Stiles, W.Morgan, Law, R.Charlton, Gowling, Aston (1)
 BFC: Waiters; Angus, Merrington, Docherty, C.Waldron, M.Dobson (1), D.Thomas, Coates, Probert, Kindon, Casper (D.Wilson)

Stoke City v West Bromwich Albion 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 16 January 1971, Victoria Ground, attendance: 20,882
 Stoke: Sivell; Hammond, M.Mills, P.Morris, W.Baxter, McNeil, J.Robertson, Viljoen, F.Clarke, Collard (Lambert), M.Hill
 WBA: Cumbes; Lovett, R.Wilson II, A.Brown, Wile, Kaye, McVitie, Suggett, Astle, R.Hope, Hartford

Everton FC v Chelsea FC 3-0 (2-0)
 Saturday, 16 January 1971, Goodison Park, attendance: 43,648
 EFC: Banks; T.Wright, H.Newton (1), Kendall, Labone, C.Harvey, Husband (1), Ball, Royle (1), J.Hurst, Morrissey
 CFC: Bonetti; J.Boyle, R.Harris, Hollins, Dempsey, M.Hinton, C.Cooke, Baldwin (Weller), P.Osgood, A.Hudson, Houseman

Ipswich Town v Derby County 0-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 16 January 1971, Portman Road, attendance: 20,231
 Town: Sivell; Hammond, M.Mills, P.Morris, W.Baxter, McNeil, J.Robertson, Viljoen, F.Clarke, Collard (Lambert), M.Hill
 Derby: Boulton; Webster, J.Robson, Hennessey, McFarland, Mackay, McGovern, Durban, O'Hare (1), Hector, Gemmill

West Ham United v Leeds United 2-3 (0-1)
 Saturday, 16 January 1971, Upton Park, attendance: 34,396
 WHU: Grotier; McDowell, Lampard, Bonds, T.Taylor, Howe, Redknapp, J.Lindsay, G.Hurst, Brooking (1), Eustace (1)
 LUF: Sprake; Reaney, Cooper (Belfitt 1), Bates, J.Charlton, N.Hunter (1), Lorimer, A.Clarke, M.Jones, Giles (1), Madeley

Crystal Palace v Liverpool FC 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 16 January 1971, Selhurst Park, attendance: 28,253
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Wall, T.Dawkins, Hoadley, Blyth, A.Taylor, Kember, Queen (1), Birchenall, Humphreys
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, Whitham, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, Callaghan, J.T.McLaughlin, Heighway, Toshack, B.Hall

Tottenham Hotspur v Southampton FC 1-3 (1-3)
 Saturday, 16 January 1971, White Hart Lane, attendance: 39,486
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, P.Collins (N.Johnson), Naylor, Gilzean, Perryman, M.Chivers (1), Peters, Pearce
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher (1), J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon (2), R.Davies, B.O'Neill, T.Jenkins

| Table | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR | Top Scorers |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-----|----|----|---------|-----------------------------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 26 | 17 | 07 | 02 | 41 | 11 | 45 | 19 2.37 | 01 M.Chivers (Tottenham) 16 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 25 | 16 | 06 | 03 | 38 | 12 | 47 | 19 2.47 | 02 A.Brown (West Bromwich) 15 " |
| 03 Manchester City | 25 | 11 | 09 | 05 | 31 | 19 | 36 | 22 1.64 | 03 R.Kennedy (Arsenal) 13 " |
| 04 Tottenham Hotspur | 24 | 11 | 08 | 05 | 30 | 18 | 36 | 21 1.71 | Channon (Southampton) 13 " |
| 05 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 25 | 12 | 06 | 07 | 30 | 20 | 44 | 40 1.10 | C.Bell (Man.C.) 13 " |
| 06 Chelsea FC | 25 | 10 | 10 | 05 | 30 | 20 | 32 | 30 1.07 | 06 R.Gould (Wolverhampton) 12 " |
| 07 Southampton FC | 25 | 11 | 07 | 07 | 29 | 21 | 34 | 22 1.55 | 07 F.Lee (Man.C.) 11 " |
| 08 Liverpool FC | 25 | 08 | 12 | 05 | 28 | 22 | 25 | 16 1.56 | Radford (Arsenal) 11 " |
| 09 Crystal Palace | 25 | 09 | 09 | 07 | 27 | 23 | 24 | 21 1.14 | Weller (Chelsea) 11 " |
| 10 Coventry City | 25 | 10 | 06 | 09 | 26 | 24 | 22 | 24 1.00 | R.Davies (Southampton) 11 " |
| 11 Stoke City | 26 | 08 | 10 | 08 | 26 | 26 | 31 | 30 1.03 | 11 G.Grahan (Arsenal) 10 " |
| 12 Everton FC | 25 | 08 | 08 | 09 | 24 | 26 | 35 | 36 0.97 | H.Curran (Wolverhampton) 10 " |
| 13 Newcastle United | 25 | 09 | 06 | 10 | 24 | 26 | 27 | 31 0.87 | A.Clarke (Leeds) 10 " |
| 14 Manchester United | 25 | 06 | 10 | 09 | 22 | 28 | 31 | 40 0.78 | Giles (Leeds) 10 " |
| 15 Huddersfield Town | 25 | 06 | 10 | 09 | 22 | 28 | 23 | 31 0.74 | 15 Astle (West Bromwich) 9 " |
| 16 Derby County | 25 | 07 | 07 | 11 | 21 | 29 | 33 | 38 0.87 | Storey-Moore (Nottingham) 9 " |
| 17 West Bromwich Albion | 25 | 06 | 09 | 10 | 21 | 29 | 37 | 45 0.82 | Royle (Everton) 9 " |
| 18 Ipswich Town | 24 | 07 | 05 | 12 | 19 | 29 | 21 | 23 0.91 | N.Martin (Coventry) 9 " |
| 19 Nottingham Forest | 24 | 05 | 07 | 12 | 17 | 31 | 22 | 35 0.63 | G.Hurst (West Ham) 9 " |
| 20 West Ham United | 24 | 03 | 09 | 12 | 15 | 33 | 31 | 43 0.72 | 20 Viljoen (Ipswich) 8 " |
| 21 Blackpool FC | 25 | 03 | 08 | 14 | 14 | 36 | 23 | 45 0.51 | B.S.Robson (Newcastle) 8 " |
| 22 Burnley FC | 25 | 02 | 09 | 14 | 13 | 37 | 18 | 45 0.40 | Ritchie (Stoke) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Conroy (Stoke) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Dougan (Wolverhampton) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | O'Hare (Derby) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 27 Queen (Palace) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Law (Man.U.) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | F.Pickering (Blackpool) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 30 G.Armstrong (Arsenal) 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Gilzean (Tottenham) 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Morrissey (Everton) 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | | M.Burns (Blackpool) 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | | C.Best (Man.U.) 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | | S.Smith (Huddersfield) 6 " |

Week 26

Liverpool FC v Arsenal FC 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 30 January 1971, Anfield Road, attendance: 43,847
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, Yeats, T.Smith (1'), Lloyd, E.Hughes, Boersma, J.T.McLaughlin, Heighway, Toshack (1), B.Hall
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, Storey, McLintock, Simpson, G.Armstrong, Sammels, Radford, R.Kennedy, G.Graham

Manchester City v Leeds United 0-2 (0-2)
 Saturday, 30 January 1971, Maine Road, attendance: 43,517
 MFC: Corrigan; Book, A.Mann, Doyle, Booth, Dakes, G.Heslop, C.Bell, F.Lee, Carrodus (Bowyer), Jeffries
 LUF: Harvey, Reaney, Cooper, Bates, J.Charlton (1, Belfitt), N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clarke (1), M.Jones, Giles, Madeley

Southampton FC v Stoke City 2-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 30 January 1971, The Dell, attendance: 19,500
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon, R.Davies (1), B.O'Neill (1), T.Jenkins
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, A.Bloor, Skeels, Haslegrave (Lees), Conroy, J.Greenhoff (1), Elder, D.Smith

Tottenham Hotspur v Everton FC 2-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 30 January 1971, White Hart Lane, attendance: 42,005
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, P.Collins, Beal, Gilzean (1), Perryman, M.Chivers (1), Peters, Neighbour
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright, H.Newton, Kendall, Labone (Kenyon), C.Harvey, Husband, Ball, Royle (1), J.Hurst, Morrissey

Huddersfield Town v Manchester United 1-2 (1-2)
 Saturday, 30 January 1971, Leeds Road, attendance: 41,464
 Hudd.: D.Lawson; D.Clarke, Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellam, Cherry, S.Smith, Greenhalgh, F.Worthington (1'), McGill, L.Chapman
 MUFC: Stepney; Fitzpatrick, F.Burns, Crerand, P.Edwards, Sadler, W.Morgan, Law (1, Aston 1), R.Charlton, Gowling, G.Best

Chelsea FC v West Bromwich Albion 4-1 (2-1)
 Saturday, 30 January 1971, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 26,874
 CFC: Bonetti; R.Harris, McCreadie, Hollins (2'), Dempsey, D.Webb, Weller, A.Hudson, Hutchinson (1), Houseman, Smethurst (1)
 WBA: Cumbes; Lovett, R.Wilson II, A.Brown, Wile, Kaye, McVitie, Suggett, Astle (1), R.Hope, Hartford

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Crystal Palace 2-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 30 January 1971, Molineux, attendance: 20,233
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog (J.Richards), K.Hibbitt, R.Gould, Dougan (2), Wagstaffe
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Wall, T.Dawkins, Hoadley, Blyth, A.Taylor, Kember, Queen, Birchenall (1), T.Wharton

Ipswich Town v Blackpool FC 2-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 30 January 1971, Portman Road, attendance: 17,509
 Town: Sivell; Hammond (1), M.Mills, P.Morris, R.Bell, McNeil, J.Robertson, Viljoen, F.Clarke, Collard, M.Hill (Lambert 1)
 BFC: Thomson; Armfield, Mowbray, Kemp, G.James, D.Hatton, A.Green, Craven, F.Pickering, A.Coleman, M.Burns (1, Bentley)

Burnley FC v Newcastle United 1-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 30 January 1971, Turf Moor, attendance: 12,521
 BFC: Waiters; Angus, Latcham, Welch, C.Waldron, M.Dobson, D.Thomas, Coates, Nulty, Probert (1), Kindon
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig, R.Guthrie, Gibb, A.Burton, Moncur, B.S.Robson, W.Davies, Tudor, J.Smith, Barrowclough (1)

| Table | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR | Top Scorers |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-----|----|---------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 27 | 18 | 07 | 02 | 43 | 11 | 47 | 19 2.47 | 01 M.Chivers (Tottenham) 17 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 26 | 16 | 06 | 04 | 38 | 14 | 47 | 21 2.24 | 02 A.Brown (West Bromwich) 15 " |
| 03 Tottenham Hotspur | 25 | 12 | 08 | 05 | 32 | 18 | 38 | 22 1.73 | 03 R.Kennedy (Arsenal) 13 " |
| 04 Chelsea FC | 26 | 11 | 10 | 05 | 32 | 20 | 36 | 31 1.17 | Channon (Southampton) 13 " |
| 05 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 26 | 13 | 06 | 07 | 32 | 20 | 46 | 41 1.12 | C.Bell (Man.C.) 13 " |
| 06 Southampton FC | 26 | 12 | 07 | 07 | 31 | 21 | 36 | 23 1.57 | 06 R.Gould (Wolverhampton) 12 " |
| 07 Manchester City | 26 | 11 | 09 | 06 | 31 | 21 | 36 | 24 1.50 | R.Davies (Southampton) 12 " |
| 08 Liverpool FC | 26 | 09 | 12 | 05 | 30 | 22 | 27 | 16 1.69 | 08 F.Lee (Man.C.) 11 " |
| 09 Crystal Palace | 26 | 09 | 09 | 08 | 27 | 25 | 25 | 23 1.09 | Weller (Chelsea) 11 " |
| 10 Stoke City | 27 | 08 | 10 | 09 | 26 | 28 | 32 | 32 1.00 | Radford (Arsenal) 11 " |
| 11 Coventry City | 25 | 10 | 06 | 09 | 26 | 24 | 22 | 24 1.00 | A.Clarke (Leeds) 11 " |
| 12 Newcastle United | 26 | 09 | 07 | 10 | 25 | 27 | 28 | 32 0.88 | 12 Giles (Leeds) 10 " |
| 13 Everton FC | 26 | 08 | 10 | 24 | 28 | 36 | 38 0.95 | H.Curran (Wolverhampton) 10 " | |
| 14 Manchester United | 26 | 07 | 10 | 09 | 24 | 28 | 33 | 41 0.80 | Dougan (Wolverhampton) 10 " |
| 15 Huddersfield Town | 26 | 06 | 10 | 10 | 22 | 30 | 24 | 33 0.73 | Royle (Everton) 10 " |
| 16 Derby County | 25 | 07 | 11 | 21 | 29 | 33 | 38 0.87 | G.Grahan (Arsenal) 10 " | |
| 17 Ipswich Town | 25 | 08 | 05 | 12 | 21 | 29 | 23 | 24 0.96 | Astle (West Bromwich) 10 " |
| 18 West Bromwich Albion | 26 | 06 | 09 | 11 | 21 | 31 | 38 | 49 0.76 | 18 Storey-Moore (Nottingham) 9 " |
| 19 Nottingham Forest | 24 | 05 | 07 | 12 | 17 | 31 | 22 | 35 0.63 | N.Martin (Coventry) 9 " |
| 20 West Ham United | 24 | 03 | 09 | 12 | 15 | 33 | 31 | 43 0.72 | G.Hurst (West Ham) 9 " |
| 21 Blackpool FC | 26 | 03 | 08 | 15 | 14 | 38 | 24 | 47 0.51 | 21 Conroy (Stoke) 8 " |
| 22 Burnley FC | 26 | 02 | 10 | 14 | 14 | 38 | 19 | 46 0.41 | Viljoen (Ipswich) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | O'Hare (Derby) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Ritchie (Stoke) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | B.S.Robson (Newcastle) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Law (Man.U.) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 28 Queen (Palace) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | M.Burns (Blackpool) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | F.Pickering (Blackpool) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Gilzean (Tottenham) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 32 F.Worthington (Huddersfield) 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Morrissey (Everton) 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | | G.Best (Man.U.) 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | | J.Greenhoff (Stoke) 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | | S.Smith (Huddersfield) 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | | G.Armstrong (Arsenal) 6 " |

Week 27

West Ham United v Derby County 1-4 (0-3)
 Saturday, 6 February 1971, Upton Park, attendance: 26,606
 WHU: Grotier; McDowell, Lampard, Bonds, T.Taylor, Howe (R.Moore), Redknapp, J.Lindsay, G.Hurst, Brooking, Eustace (1)
 Derby: Boulton; Webster, J.Robson, Durban, McFarland, Mackay, McGovern, Gemmill, O'Hare, Hector (2), A.Hinton (2)

Leeds United v Liverpool FC 0-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 6 February 1971, Elland Road, attendance: 48,425
 LUF: Harvey; Reaney, Cooper, Bates, Madeley, N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clarke, M.Jones, Giles, C.Galvin
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, Yeats, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, Boersma (Callaghan), J.T.McLaughlin, Heighway, Toshack (1), B.Hall

Stoke City v Coventry City 2-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 6 February 1971, Victoria Ground, attendance: 17,208
 Stoke: Farmer; J.Marsh, Pejic, Skeels, D.Smith, Jump, Haslegrave, J.Greenhoff (1), Conroy, Bernard, Eastham - 1 o.g. Mortimer.
 CCFC: Glazier; W.Smith, D.Clements, E.Machin, Blockley, R.Parker, D.Mortimer, W.Carr, Joicey, R.Hunt II, Alderson (1)

Manchester United v Tottenham Hotspur 2-1 (2-1)
 Saturday, 6 February 1971, Old Trafford, attendance: 48,966
 MUFC: Stepney; Fitzpatrick, F.Burns, Crerand, P.Edwards, Sadler, W.Morgan (1), Kidd, R.Charlton, Gowling, G.Best (1)
 Spurs: Jennings; R.Evans, C.Knowles, Mullery, P.Collins, Beal, Gilzean, Perryman, M.Chivers, Peters (1), Neighbour

Newcastle United v Chelsea FC 0-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 6 February 1971, St. James Park, attendance: 34,320
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig, R.Guthrie, Gibb, A.Burton, Moncur, B.S.Robson, W.Davies, Tudor, J.Smith, Barrowclough
 CFC: Phillips; R.Harris, McCreadie, Hollins, Dempsey, D.Webb, Weller, C.Cooke, Hutchinson, A.Hudson (1), Houseman

West Bromwich Albion v Burnley FC 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 6 February 1971, The Hawthorns, attendance: 16,063
 WBA: Cumbes; L.Hughes, R.Wilson II, Lovett, Wile, Kaye, McVitie, A.Brown (1), Astle, R.Hope, Hartford
 BFC: Waiters; Angus, Latcham, Bellamy, C.Waldron, M.Dobson, Casper (Docherty), Coates, Nulty, Probert, Kindon

Everton FC v Huddersfield Town 2-1 (1-0)
 Saturday, 6 February 1971, Goodison Park, attendance: 37,213
 Palace: Rankin; T.Wright, H.Newton, Kendall, Kenyon, C.Harvey, Husband, Ball, Royle (2), J.Hurst, Morrissey
 Hudd.: D.Lawson; D.Clark, Hutt, J.Nicholson, Elam, Cherry, S.Smith, Greenhalgh, F.Worthington (1), McMill, L.Chapman

Crystal Palace v Ipswich Town 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 6 February 1971, Selhurst Park, attendance: 19,344
 Palace: JJackson; Sewell, Wall (1), T.Dawkins, Hoadley, Blyth, T.Wharton, D.Payne, Birchenall, Kember, A.Taylor
 Town: Sivell; Hammond, M.Mills, P.Morris, R.Bell, McNeil, J.Robertson, Viljoen, F.Clark, Collard, M.Hill (Lambert)

Arsenal FC v Manchester City 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 6 February 1971, Highbury, attendance: 46,122
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, Storey, McLintock, Simpson, G.Armstrong, Sammels, Radford (1), R.Kennedy, George
 MCFC: Corrigan; Jeffries, A.Mann, Doyle, Booth, Oakes, G.Heslop, C.Bell, F.Lee, F.Hill, Bowyer

Nottingham Forest v Southampton FC 2-0 (2-0)
 Saturday, 9 February 1971, City Ground, attendance: 18,009
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, T.Jackson, B.Lyons, Fraser, G.R.Collier (1), Cormack, Storey-Moore (1)
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon, R.Davies, B.O'Neil, Harfield

Blackpool FC v Wolverhampton Wanderers 0-2 (0-0)
 Saturday, 6 February 1971, Bloomfield Road, attendance: 19,054
 BFC: Thomson; Armfield, Mowbray, Kemp, G.James, D.Hatton, A.Green, Craven, F.Pickering, A.Coleman, M.Burns (Bentley)
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlle, McCallig (1), K.Hibbitt, H.Curran, Dougan (1), Wagstaffe

Coventry City v West Ham United 0-1 (0-1)
 Tuesday, 9 February 1971, Highfield Road, attendance: 25,083
 CCFC: Glazier; Coop, W.Smith, D.Mortimer, Blockley, R.Parker, R.Hunt II, W.Carr, N.Martin, Joicey, Alderson
 WHU: Ferguson; McDowell, Lampard, Bonds, T.Taylor, R.Moore, Redknapp, Boyce, G.Hurst, J.Greaves (1, J.Lindsay), Eustace

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|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-----|----|----|---------|-----------------------------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 28 | 18 | 07 | 03 | 43 | 13 | 47 | 20 2.35 | 01 M.Chivers (Tottenham) 17 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 27 | 17 | 06 | 04 | 40 | 14 | 48 | 21 2.29 | 02 A.Brown (West Bromwich) 16 " |
| 03 Chelsea FC | 27 | 12 | 10 | 05 | 34 | 20 | 37 | 31 1.19 | 03 Channon (Southampton) 13 " |
| 04 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 27 | 14 | 06 | 07 | 34 | 20 | 48 | 41 1.17 | R.Kennedy (Arsenal) 13 " |
| 05 Liverpool FC | 27 | 10 | 12 | 05 | 32 | 22 | 28 | 16 1.75 | C.Bell (Man.C.) 13 " |
| 06 Tottenham Hotspur | 26 | 12 | 08 | 06 | 32 | 20 | 39 | 24 1.63 | 06 Radford (Arsenal) 12 " |
| 07 Southampton FC | 27 | 12 | 07 | 08 | 31 | 23 | 36 | 25 1.44 | R.Gould (Wolverhampton) 12 " |
| Manchester City | 27 | 11 | 09 | 07 | 31 | 23 | 36 | 25 1.44 | R.Davies (Southampton) 12 " |
| 09 Crystal Palace | 27 | 10 | 09 | 08 | 29 | 25 | 26 | 23 1.13 | Royle (Everton) 12 " |
| 10 Stoke City | 28 | 09 | 10 | 09 | 28 | 28 | 34 | 33 1.03 | 10 Dougan (Wolverhampton) 11 " |
| 11 Everton FC | 27 | 09 | 08 | 10 | 26 | 28 | 38 | 39 0.97 | F.Lee (Man.C.) 11 " |
| 12 Coventry City | 27 | 10 | 06 | 11 | 26 | 28 | 23 | 27 0.85 | Weller (Chelsea) 11 " |
| 13 Manchester United | 27 | 08 | 10 | 09 | 26 | 28 | 35 | 42 0.83 | A.Clarke (Leeds) 11 " |
| 14 Newcastle United | 27 | 09 | 07 | 11 | 25 | 29 | 28 | 33 0.85 | 14 Giles (Leeds) 10 " |
| 15 Derby County | 26 | 08 | 07 | 11 | 23 | 29 | 37 | 39 0.95 | H.Curran (Wolverhampton) 10 " |
| 16 West Bromwich Albion | 27 | 07 | 09 | 11 | 23 | 31 | 39 | 49 0.80 | Storey-Moore (Nottingham) 10 " |
| 17 Huddersfield Town | 27 | 06 | 10 | 11 | 22 | 32 | 25 | 35 0.71 | Astle (West Bromwich) 10 " |
| 18 Ipswich Town | 26 | 08 | 05 | 13 | 21 | 31 | 23 | 25 0.92 | G.Grahan (Arsenal) 10 " |
| 19 Nottingham Forest | 25 | 06 | 07 | 12 | 19 | 31 | 24 | 35 0.69 | 19 N.Martin (Coventry) 9 " |
| 20 West Ham United | 26 | 04 | 09 | 13 | 17 | 35 | 33 | 47 0.70 | G.Hurst (West Ham) 9 " |
| 21 Blackpool FC | 27 | 03 | 08 | 16 | 14 | 40 | 24 | 49 0.49 | 21 Conroy (Stoke) 8 " |
| 22 Burnley FC | 27 | 02 | 10 | 15 | 14 | 40 | 19 | 47 0.40 | Viljoen (Ipswich) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | B.S.Robson (Newcastle) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Ritchie (Stoke) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Law (Man.U.) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | O'Hare (Derby) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 28 Gilzean (Tottenham) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Queen (Palace) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | M.Burns (Blackpool) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | F.Worthington (Huddersfield) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | G.Best (Man.U.) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | J.Greenhoff (Stoke) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | F.Pickering (Blackpool) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 35 Morrissey (Everton) 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Peters (Tottenham) 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | | A.Hinton (Derby) 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Hector (Derby) 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | | S.Smith (Huddersfield) 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | | G.Armstrong (Arsenal) 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | | McCallig (Wolverhampton) 6 " |
| | | | | | | | | | J.Greaves (West Ham) 6 " |

Week 28

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Chelsea FC 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 13 February 1971, Molineux, attendance: 34,110
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlle, McCallig, K.Hibbitt (1), H.Curran, Dougan, Wagstaffe
 CFC: Phillips; D.Webb, McCreadie, Hollins, Dempsey, Droy, Weller, C.Cooke, Hutchinson, A.Hudson, Houseman

Huddersfield Town v Newcastle United 1-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 13 February 1971, Leeds Road, attendance: 15,580
 Hudd.: D.Lawson; A.Jones, Hutt, J.Nicholson (R.Hoy), Ellam, Cherry (1), S.Smith, Greenhalgh, F.Worthington, McMill, L.Chapman
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig, R.Guthrie, Gibb, A.Burton, Moncur, B.S.Robson, J.Smith (1), W.Davies, Tudor, D.Young

Coventry City v Blackpool FC 2-0 (0-0)
 Tuesday, 16 February 1971, Highfield Road, attendance: 18,633
 CCFC: Glazier; W.Smith, Strong, E.Machin, Blockley, R.Parker, D.Mortimer, W.Carr (1), N.Martin, O'Rourke (1), D.Clements
 BFC: Thomson; Mowbray, Bentley, Suddaby, G.James, D.Hatton, A.Green, Kemp, Craven, F.Pickering (M.Burns), A.Coleman

Liverpool FC v West Ham United 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 16 February 1971, Anfield Road, attendance: 38,032
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, Yeats, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, Boersma, J.T.McLaughlin, Heighway, Toshack (1), B.Hall
 WHU: Ferguson; McDowell, Lampard, Bonds, T.Taylor, R.Moore, Redknapp, Boyce, G.Hurst, J.Greaves (J.Lindsay), Eustace

Southampton FC v Everton FC 2-2 (1-1)
 Tuesday, 16 February 1971, The Dell, attendance: 22,183
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel (1), Paine, Channon, R.Davies (1), B.O'Neil, Da.Walker
 EFC: West; T.Wright (1), K.Newton, Kendall, Kenyon, C.Harvey (1), Husband, H.Newton, A.D.Brown, J.Hurst, D.Johnson

Tottenham Hotspur v West Bromwich Albion 2-2 (1-1)
 Wednesday, 17 February 1971, White Hart Lane, attendance: 22,695
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery (1), P.Collins, Beal, Gilzean (1), Perryman, M.Chivers, Peters, Neighbour
 WBA: Cumbes; Kaye, R.Wilson II, Lovett, Wile, A.Merrick, McVitie, A.Brown (2), Astle, R.Hope, Hartford

Chelsea FC v Nottingham Forest 2-0 (1-0)
 Wednesday, 17 February 1971, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 19,339
 CFC: Phillips; R.Harris, McCreadie, Hollins (1), Dempsey, Webb, Smethurst, Cooke, Hutchinson, A.Hudson (Weller), Houseman - 1 o.g. O'Kane
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, T.Jackson, Rees (G.R.Collier), D.Fraser, P.Richardson, Cormack, Storey-Moore

Derby County v Crystal Palace 1-0 (0-0)
 Wednesday, 17 February 1971, Baseball Ground, attendance: 25,521
 Derby: Boulton; Webster, J.Robson, Durban, McFarland, Mackay (1), McGovern, Gemmill, O'Hare, Hector, A.Hinton
 Palace: JJackson; Sewell, Wall, T.Dawkins, Hoadley, Blyth, T.Wharton, Kember, Queen, Birchenall, D.Payne

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|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-----|----|----|---------|-------------------------------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 28 | 18 | 07 | 03 | 43 | 13 | 47 | 20 2.35 | 01 A.Brown (West Bromwich) 18 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 27 | 17 | 06 | 04 | 40 | 14 | 48 | 21 2.29 | 02 M.Chivers (Tottenham) 17 " |
| 03 Chelsea FC | 29 | 13 | 10 | 06 | 36 | 22 | 39 | 32 1.22 | 03 C.Bell (Man.C.) 13 " |
| 04 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 28 | 15 | 06 | 07 | 36 | 20 | 49 | 41 1.20 | R.Davies (Southampton) 13 " |
| 05 Liverpool FC | 28 | 11 | 12 | 05 | 34 | 22 | 29 | 16 1.81 | Channon (Southampton) 13 " |
| 06 Tottenham Hotspur | 27 | 12 | 09 | 06 | 33 | 21 | 41 | 26 1.58 | R.Kennedy (Arsenal) 13 " |
| 07 Southampton FC | 28 | 12 | 08 | 08 | 32 | 24 | 38 | 27 1.41 | 07 R.Gould (Wolverhampton) 12 " |
| 08 Manchester City | 27 | 11 | 09 | 07 | 31 | 23 | 36 | 25 1.44 | Radford (Arsenal) 12 " |
| 09 Crystal Palace | 28 | 10 | 09 | 09 | 29 | 27 | 26 | 24 1.08 | Royle (Everton) 12 " |
| 10 Stoke City | 28 | 09 | 10 | 09 | 28 | 28 | 34 | 33 1.03 | 10 Dougan (Wolverhampton) 11 " |
| 11 Coventry City | 28 | 11 | 06 | 11 | 28 | 28 | 25 | 27 0.93 | Weller (Chelsea) 11 " |
| 12 Everton FC | 28 | 09 | 09 | 10 | 27 | 29 | 40 | 41 0.98 | F.Lee (Man.C.) 11 " |
| 13 Newcastle United | 28 | 09 | 08 | 11 | 26 | 30 | 29 | 34 0.85 | A.Clarke (Leeds) 11 " |
| 14 Manchester United | 27 | 08 | 10 | 09 | 26 | 28 | 35 | 42 0.83 | 14 Storey-Moore (Nottingham) 10 " |
| 15 Derby County | 27 | 09 | 07 | 11 | 25 | 29 | 38 | 39 0.97 | G.Grahan (Arsenal) 10 " |
| 16 West Bromwich Albion | 28 | 07 | 10 | 11 | 24 | 32 | 41 | 51 0.80 | Astle (West Bromwich) 10 " |
| 17 Huddersfield Town | 28 | 06 | 11 | 11 | 23 | 33 | 26 | 36 0.72 | H.Curran (Wolverhampton) 10 " |
| 18 Ipswich Town | 26 | 08 | 05 | 13 | 21 | 31 | 23 | 25 0.92 | Giles (Leeds) 10 " |
| 19 Nottingham Forest | 26 | 06 | 07 | 13 | 19 | 33 | 24 | 37 0.65 | 19 N.Martin (Coventry) 9 " |
| 20 West Ham United | 27 | 04 | 09 | 14 | 17 | 37 | 33 | 48 0.69 | G.Hurst (West Ham) 9 " |
| 21 Blackpool FC | 28 | 03 | 08 | 17 | 14 | 42 | 24 | 51 0.47 | 21 Viljoen (Ipswich) 8 " |
| 22 Burnley FC | 27 | 02 | 10 | 15 | 14 | 40 | 19 | 47 0.40 | Law (Man.U.) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | B.S.Robson (Newcastle) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Gilzean (Tottenham) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Conroy (Stoke) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Ritchie (Stoke) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | O'Hare (Derby) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 29 Queen (Palace) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | G.Best (Man.U.) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | J.Greenhoff (Stoke) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | F.Worthington (Huddersfield) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | F.Pickering (Blackpool) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | M.Burns (Blackpool) 7 " |

Week 29

Leeds United v Wolverhampton Wanderers 3-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 20 February 1971, Elland Road, attendance: 37,273
 LUF: Harvey, Madeley (1), Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clarke (1), M.Jones, Giles (1), Bates
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog, K.Hibbitt, H.Curran, J.Richards, Wagstaffe

West Ham United v Manchester City 0-0
 Saturday, 20 February 1971, Upton Park, attendance: 30,168
 WHU: Ferguson; McDowell, Lampard, Bonds, T.Taylor, R.Moore, Redknapp, Boyce, G.Hurst, Eustace, J.Greaves
 MFC: Corrigan, Book, Towers, Doyle, Booth, Oakes, Jeffries, N.Young, F.Lee, F.Hill, Bowyer

Arsenal FC v Ipswich Town 3-2 (3-0)
 Saturday, 20 February 1971, Highbury, attendance: 39,822
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, Storey, McLintock (1), Simpson, G.Armstrong, Sammels, Radford (1), R.Kennedy, George (1)
 Town: Sivell; Hammond, M.Mills, P.Morris, R.Bell, McNeil, J.Robertson (2), Viljoen, F.Clarke, Collard, Lambert

Manchester United v Southampton FC 5-1 (4-0)
 Saturday, 20 February 1971, Old Trafford, attendance: 36,060
 MFC: Stepney; Fitzpatrick, F.Burns, Crerand, P.Edwards, Sadler, W.Morgan (1), G.Best, R.Charlton, Gowling (4), Aston
 SFC: Davie; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel (1), Paine, Channon, R.Davies, B.O'Neil, Da.Walker

Everton FC v Liverpool 0-0
 Saturday, 20 February 1971, Goodison Park, attendance: 57,000
 EFC: West; T.Wright, H.Newton, Kendall, Kenyon, C.Harvey, Husband, Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, Morrissey
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, Yeats, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, Boersma, J.T.McLaughlin, Heighway, Toshack, B.Hall

Newcastle United v Tottenham Hotspur 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 20 February 1971, St. James Park, attendance: 31,780
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig, R.Guthrie, Gibb, A.Burton, Moncur, B.S.Robson (1), Tudor, W.Davies, J.Smith, D.Young
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, P.Collins, Beal, Gilzean, Perryman, M.Chivers, Peters, Neighbour (Pearce)

West Bromwich Albion v Huddersfield Town 2-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 20 February 1971, The Hawthorns, attendance: 18,395
 WBA: Osborne; Kaye, R.Wilson II, Lovett, Wile, A.Merrick, McVitie, A.Brown (2), Astle, R.Hope, Hartford
 Hudd.: D.Lawson; A.Jones, Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellam, Cherry, S.Smith, B.Mahoney, F.Worthington (1), McGill, R.Hoy

Nottingham Forest v Burnley FC 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 20 February 1971, City Ground, attendance: 20,858
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, T.Jackson, B.Lyons (P.Richardson), Fraser, N.Martin, Cormack, Storey-Moore (1)
 BFC: Walters; Angus, Latcham, Docherty, C.Waldron, M.Dobson, D.Thomas, Coates, Bellamy, Probert, Kindon

Stoke City v Chelsea FC 1-2 (0-0)
 Saturday, 20 February 1971, Victoria Ground, attendance: 26,959
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Jump, D.Smith, Skeels, Haslegrave, T.P.Smith, Conroy (1), Bernard (Lees), Burrows
 CFC: Phillips; R.Harris, McCreadie, Hollins, Dempsey, D.Webb, Smethurst (1), C.Cooke, Hutchinson (1), A.Hudson, Weller

Blackpool FC v Derby County 0-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 20 February 1971, Bloomfield Road, attendance: 17,892
 BFC: Ramsbottom; Armfield, Bentley (J.Johnston), Suddaby, G.James, D.Hatton, A.Green, Kemp, Craven, F.Pickering, Hutchison
 Derby: Boulton; Webster, J.Robson, Durban, McFarland, Mackay, McGovern, Gemmill, O'Hare (1), Hector, A.Hinton

Crystal Palace v Coventry City 1-2 (0-0)
 Saturday, 20 February 1971, Selhurst Park, attendance: 24,114
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Wall, T.Dawkins, Hoadley, Blyth, T.Wharton, Kember, Queen (J.Scott), Birchenall (1), D.Payne
 CCFC: Glazier; W.Smith, Strong, E.Machin, Blockley, R.Parker, D.Mortimer, W.Carr (2), Joicey, O'Rourke, D.Clements

Table

| | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR | Top Scorers |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|----|-------------------------------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 29 | 19 | 07 | 03 | 45-13 | 50:20 | 2:50 | | 01 A.Brown (West Bromwich) 20 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 28 | 18 | 06 | 04 | 42-14 | 51:23 | 2:22 | | 02 M.Chivers (Tottenham) 17 " |
| 03 Chelsea FC | 30 | 14 | 10 | 06 | 38-22 | 41:33 | 1:24 | | 03 Radford (Arsenal) 13 " |
| 04 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 29 | 15 | 06 | 08 | 36-22 | 49:44 | 1:11 | | R.Kennedy (Arsenal) 13 " |
| 05 Liverpool FC | 29 | 11 | 13 | 05 | 35-23 | 29:16 | 1:81 | | R.Davies (Southampton) 13 " |
| 06 Tottenham Hotspur | 28 | 12 | 09 | 07 | 33-23 | 41:27 | 1:52 | | Channon (Southampton) 13 " |
| 07 Manchester City | 28 | 11 | 10 | 07 | 32-24 | 36:25 | 1:44 | | C.Bell (Man.C.) 13 " |
| 08 Southampton FC | 29 | 12 | 08 | 09 | 32-26 | 39:32 | 1:22 | | 08 Royle (Everton) 12 " |
| 09 Coventry City | 29 | 12 | 06 | 11 | 30-28 | 27:28 | 0:96 | | R.Gould (Wolverhampton) 12 " |
| 10 Crystal Palace | 29 | 10 | 09 | 10 | 29-29 | 27:26 | 1:04 | | A.Clarke (Leeds) 12 " |
| 11 Stoke City | 29 | 09 | 10 | 10 | 28-30 | 35:35 | 1:00 | | 11 Dougan (Wolverhampton) 11 " |
| 12 Everton FC | 29 | 09 | 10 | 10 | 28-30 | 40:41 | 0:98 | | Storey-Moore (Nottingham) 11 " |
| 13 Manchester United | 28 | 09 | 10 | 09 | 28-28 | 40:43 | 0:93 | | Giles (Leeds) 11 " |
| 14 Newcastle United | 29 | 10 | 08 | 11 | 28-30 | 30:34 | 0:88 | | F.Lee (Man.C.) 11 " |
| 15 Derby County | 28 | 10 | 07 | 11 | 27-29 | 39:39 | 1:00 | | Weller (Chelsea) 11 " |
| 16 West Bromwich Albion | 29 | 08 | 10 | 11 | 26-32 | 43:52 | 0:83 | | 16 Astle (West Bromwich) 10 " |
| 17 Huddersfield Town | 29 | 06 | 11 | 12 | 23-35 | 27:38 | 0:71 | | G.Grahan (Arsenal) 10 " |
| 18 Ipswich Town | 27 | 08 | 05 | 14 | 21-33 | 25:28 | 0:89 | | H.Curran (Wolverhampton) 10 " |
| 19 Nottingham Forest | 27 | 07 | 07 | 13 | 21-33 | 25:37 | 0:68 | | 19 O'Hare (Derby) 9 " |
| 20 West Ham United | 28 | 04 | 10 | 14 | 18-38 | 33:48 | 0:69 | | N.Martin (Coventry) 9 " |
| 21 Blackpool FC | 29 | 03 | 08 | 18 | 14-44 | 24:52 | 0:46 | | Conroy (Stoke) 9 " |
| 22 Burnley FC | 28 | 02 | 10 | 16 | 14-42 | 19:48 | 0:40 | | B.S.Robson (Newcastle) 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | G.Hurst (West Ham) 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 24 Ritchie (Stoke) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | F.Worthington (Huddersfield) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Law (Man.U.) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Gilzean (Tottenham) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Viljoen (Ipswich) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 30 Queen (Palace) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Gowling (Man.U.) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | M.Burns (Blackpool) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | F.Pickering (Blackpool) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | C.Best (Man.U.) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | J.Greenhoff (Stoke) 7 " |

Week 30

Ipswich Town v Leeds United 2-4 (2-1)
 Tuesday, 23 February 1971, Portman Road, attendance: 27,286
 Town: Sivell; Hammond, M.Mills, P.Morris, R.Bell, Jefferson, McNeil, Viljoen (1), F.Clarke, C.Woods, M.Hill (1)
 LUF: Sprake; Madeley, Cooper, W.Bremner (25. Belfitt), J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer (1), A.Clarke (2), M.Jones, Giles (1), Bates

Everton FC v Manchester United 1-0 (1-0)
 Tuesday, 23 February 1971, Goodison Park, attendance: 52,544
 EFC: West; T.Wright (1), H.Newton, Kendall, Kenyon, C.Harvey, Morrissey, Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, D.Johnson
 MUF: Stepney; Fitzpatrick, Dunne, Crerand, P.Edwards, Sadler, W.Morgan, G.Best, R.Charlton, Gowling (F.Burns), Aston

Burnley FC v Stoke City 1-1 (0-1)
 Friday, 26 February 1971, Turf Moor, attendance: 12,209
 BFC: Waiters; Angus, Latcham, M.Dobson (1), C.Waldron, Docherty, D.Thomas, Coates, Bellamy, Probert, Kindon
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Skeels, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Haslegrave, J.Mahoney, Conroy (1), Jump, Burrows

West Ham United v Nottingham Forest 2-0 (1-0)
 Wednesday, 24 February 1971, Upton Park, attendance: 35,601
 WHU: Ferguson; McDowell, Lampard, Bonds, T.Taylor, R.Moore, Redknapp, B.S.Robson (1), G.Hurst (1), J.Greaves (J.Lindsay), Eustace
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, T.Jackson, B.Lyons, Fraser, N.Martin, Cormack, Storey-Moore

Coventry City v Leeds United 0-1 (0-0)
 Friday, 26 February 1971, Highfield Road, attendance: 40,012
 CCFC: Glazier; W.Smith, Strong, E.Machin, Blockley, R.Parker, D.Mortimer, W.Carr, Joicey, O'Rourke, D.Clements
 LUF: Harvey; Reaney (Belfitt), Cooper, Bates, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer (1), A.Clarke, M.Jones, Giles, Madeley

Ipswich Town v Manchester City 2-0 (1-0)
 Friday, 26 February 1971, Portman Road, attendance: 20,685
 Town: Sivell; Hammond, M.Mills, P.Morris, R.Bell, Jefferson, J.Robertson, Viljoen (1), F.Clarke (1), C.Woods, M.Hill
 MFC: Healey; Book, Towers, Doyle, Booth, Oakes, F.Hill, Bowyer, F.Lee, N.Young, Jeffries

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Liverpool FC 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 27 February 1971, Molineux, attendance: 32,290
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, K.Hibbitt, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog, O'Grady (1), R.Gould, H.Curran, Wagstaffe
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, Yeats, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, Boersma (R.Graham), J.T.McLaughlin, Heighway, Toshack, B.Hall

Derby County v Arsenal FC 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 27 February 1971, Baseball Ground, attendance: 35,875
 Derby: Boulton; Webster, J.Richardson, C.Todd, McFarland (1), Mackay, McGovern, Gemmill, O'Hare, Hector (1), A.Hinton
 AFC: Wilson; Rice (75. G.Graham), R.McNab, Storey, McLintock, Simpson, G.Armstrong, Sammels, Radford, R.Kennedy, George

Crystal Palace v Burnley FC 0-2 (0-2)
 Saturday, 27 February 1971, Selhurst Park, attendance: 20,436
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Wall, D.Payne, Hoadley, Blyth, T.Wharton, Kember, Queen, Birchenall, A.Taylor
 BFC: Waiters; Angus, Latcham, Nulty, C.Waldron, M.Dobson (1), D.Thomas, Coates (1), Bellamy, Probert, Kindon

Huddersfield Town v Stoke City 0-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 27 February 1971, The Hawthorns, attendance: 15,626
 Hudd.: D.Lawson; D.Clarke, Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellam, Cherry, S.Smith, B.Mahoney, F.Worthington, McGill, R.Hoy
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Skeels, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Haslegrave (Burrows), J.Mahoney, Conroy (1), Ritchie, Jump

Southampton FC v Chelsea FC 0-0
 Saturday, 27 February 1971, The Dell, attendance: 29,937
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon, R.Davies, B.O'Neil, Da.Walker
 CFC: Phillips; R.Harris, McCreadie, Hollins, Dempsey, D.Webb, Smethurst, C.Cooke, Hutchinson (J.Boyle), A.Hudson, Weller

Table

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|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|----|-------------------------------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 31 | 21 | 07 | 03 | 49-13 | 55:22 | 2:50 | | 01 A.Brown (West Bromwich) 21 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 29 | 18 | 06 | 05 | 42-16 | 51:25 | 2:04 | | 02 M.Chivers (Tottenham) 17 " |
| 03 Chelsea FC | 31 | 14 | 11 | 06 | 39-23 | 41:33 | 1:24 | | 03 A.Clarke (Leeds) 14 " |
| 04 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 30 | 16 | 06 | 08 | 38-22 | 50:44 | 1:14 | | 04 Channon (Southampton) 13 " |
| 05 Liverpool FC | 30 | 11 | 13 | 06 | 35-25 | 29:17 | 1:71 | | Radford (Arsenal) 13 " |
| 06 Tottenham Hotspur | 28 | 12 | 09 | 07 | 33-23 | 41:27 | 1:52 | | R.Kennedy (Arsenal) 13 " |
| 07 Southampton FC | 30 | 12 | 09 | 09 | 33-27 | 39:32 | 1:22 | | Royle (Everton) 13 " |
| 08 Manchester City | 29 | 11 | 10 | 08 | 32-26 | 36:27 | 1:33 | | C.Bell (Man.C.) 13 " |
| 09 Stoke City | 31 | 10 | 11 | 10 | 31-31 | 37:36 | 1:03 | | R.Davies (Southampton) 13 " |
| 10 Everton FC | 31 | 10 | 11 | 10 | 31-31 | 44:44 | 1:00 | | 10 Giles (Leeds) 12 " |
| 11 Manchester United | 30 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 30-30 | 41:44 | 0:93 | | R.Gould (Wolverhampton) 12 " |
| 12 Coventry City | 30 | 12 | 06 | 12 | 30-30 | 27:29 | 0:93 | | 12 Conroy (Stoke) 11 " |
| 13 Derby County | 29 | 11 | 07 | 11 | 29-29 | 41:39 | 1:05 | | F.Lee (Man.C.) 11 " |
| 14 Crystal Palace | 30 | 10 | 09 | 11 | 29-31 | 27:28 | 0:96 | | Astle (West Bromwich) 11 " |
| 15 Newcastle United | 30 | 10 | 08 | 12 | 28-32 | 30:35 | 0:86 | | Dougan (Wolverhampton) 11 " |
| 16 West Bromwich Albion | 30 | 08 | 11 | 11 | 27-33 | 46:55 | 0:84 | | Weller (Chelsea) 11 " |
| 17 Huddersfield Town | 30 | 06 | 11 | 13 | 23-37 | 27:39 | 0:69 | | G.Hurst (West Ham) 11 " |
| 18 Ipswich Town | 29 | 09 | 05 | 15 | 23-35 | 29:32 | 0:91 | | Storey-Moore (Nottingham) 11 " |
| 19 West Ham United | 30 | 05 | 11 | 14 | 21-39 | 36:49 | 0:74 | | 19 B.S.Robson (Newcastle/WHU) 10 " |
| 20 Nottingham Forest | 28 | 07 | 07 | 14 | 21-35 | 25:39 | 0:64 | | Viljoen (Ipswich) 10 " |
| 21 Burnley FC | 30 | 03 | 11 | 16 | 17-43 | 22:49 | 0:45 | | H.Curran (Wolverhampton) 10 " |
| 22 Blackpool FC | 30 | 03 | 09 | 18 | 15-45 | 25:53 | 0:47 | | G.Grahan (Arsenal) 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 23 N.Martin (Coventry) 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | O'Hare (Derby) 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 25 A.W.Evans (Liverpool) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Gilzean (Tottenham) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Law (Man.U.) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | F.Worthington (Huddersfield) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Ritchie (Stoke) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 30 J.Greenhoff (Stoke) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Lorimer (Leeds) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | M.Burns (Blackpool) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | G.Best (Man.U.) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Queen (Palace) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Hector (Derby) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | F.Pickering (Blackpool) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Gowling (Man.U.) 7 " |

Week 31

Nottingham Forest v Huddersfield Town 1–3 (1–1)
 Saturday, 6 March 1971, City Ground, attendance: 15,798
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, T.Jackson, B.Lyons, Fraser, N.Martin (1), Cormack, Storey-Moore
 Hudd.: D.Lawson; D.Clarke, Hutt, J.Nicholson (1), Ellam, Cherry, S.Smith, Krzywicki (B.Mahoney 1), F.Worthington (1), McGill, J.Lawson

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Arsenal FC 0–3 (0–2)
 Tuesday, 2 March 1971, Molineux, attendance: 33,644
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, K.Hibbitt, Holsgrove, McAlle, McCalliog, O'Grady, R.Gould, H.Curran, Wagstaffe
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, Storey, McLintock, Simpson, G.Armstrong (1), Sammels, Radford (1), R.Kennedy (1), George

Leeds United v Derby County 1–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 6 March 1971, Elland Road, attendance: 36,467
 LUF: Harvey, Davey, Reaney, Bates, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer (1), Beffitt, M.Jones, Giles, Madeley
 Derby: Boulton; Webster, J.Robson, C.Todd, McFarland, Mackay, McGovern, Gemmill, O'Hare, Hector, A.Hinton

Manchester United v West Bromwich Albion 3–4 (1–1)
 Saturday, 6 March 1971, Old Trafford, attendance: 41,112
 MUFC: Stepney; Fitzpatrick, Dunne, Crerand, P.Edwards, Sadler, W.Morgan, G.Best (1), R.Charlton, Kidd (1), Aston (1)
 WBA: Cumbes; Kaye, R.Wilson II, Lovett, Wile (1), A.Merrick, McVitie, A.Brown (3), Astle, R.Hope, Hartford

Burnley FC v Southampton FC 0–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 6 March 1971, Turf Moor, attendance: 15,756
 BFC: Waiters; Angus, Latcham, Nulty, C.Waldron, M.Dobson, Bellamy, Coates, Fletcher, Probert, Kindon
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon (1), R.Davies, B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins

Chelsea FC v Blackpool FC 2–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 6 March 1971, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 26,530
 CFC: Phillips; J.Boyle, McCreadie, Hollins, Dempsey, D.Webb (1), Smethurst, C.Cooke, Baldwin (1), A.Hudson, Weller
 BFC: Ramsbottom; Armfield, Suddaby, Kemp, G.James, D.Hatton, M.Burns, Mowbray, Craven, A.Coleman (J.Johnson), Hutchison

West Ham United v Crystal Palace 0–0
 Saturday, 6 March 1971, Upton Park, attendance: 26,157
 WHU: Ferguson; McDowell, Lampard, Bonds, T.Taylor, R.Moore, Redknapp, Boyce, G.Hurst, B.S.Robson, J.Greaves
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, McCormick, D.Payne, Hoadley, Blyth, T.Wharton, Tambling, Queen (J.Scott), Birchenall, A.Taylor

Manchester City v Wolverhampton Wanderers 0–0
 Saturday, 6 March 1971, Maine Road, attendance: 24,563
 MFC: Corrigan; Book, Towers, Doyle, Booth, Oakes, Summerbee, Carrodus (Bowyer), F.Lee, N.Young, Jeffries
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, P.Walker, Hegan, McAlle, McCalliog, K.Hibbitt, R.Gould, Dougan, O'Grady

Tottenham Hotspur v Nottingham Forest 0–1 (0–1)
 Wednesday, 10 March 1971, White Hart Lane, attendance: 21,697
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, P.Collins, Beal, Pearce, Perryman, M.Chivers, Peters, Neighbour
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, Fraser, B.Lyons, P.Richardson, N.Martin, Cormack (1), Rees

| Table | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR | Top Scorers |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-----|----|----|---------|-------------------------------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 32 | 22 | 07 | 03 | 51 | 13 | 56 | 22 2.55 | 01 A.Brown (West Bromwich) 24 Tore |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 30 | 19 | 06 | 05 | 44 | 16 | 54 | 25 2.16 | 02 M.Chivers (Tottenham) 17 " |
| 03 Chelsea FC | 32 | 15 | 11 | 06 | 41 | 23 | 43 | 33 1.30 | 03 R.Kennedy (Arsenal) 14 " |
| 04 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 32 | 16 | 07 | 09 | 39 | 25 | 50 | 47 1.06 | Radford (Arsenal) 14 " |
| 05 Liverpool FC | 29 | 12 | 11 | 06 | 35 | 23 | 29 | 17 1.71 | Channon (Southampton) 14 " |
| 06 Southampton FC | 31 | 13 | 09 | 09 | 35 | 27 | 40 | 32 1.25 | A.Clarke (Leeds) 14 " |
| 07 Tottenham Hotspur | 29 | 12 | 09 | 08 | 33 | 25 | 41 | 28 1.46 | 07 C.Bell (Man.C.) 13 " |
| 08 Manchester City | 30 | 11 | 11 | 08 | 33 | 27 | 36 | 27 1.33 | R.Davies (Southampton) 13 " |
| 09 Stoke City | 31 | 10 | 11 | 10 | 31 | 31 | 37 | 36 1.03 | Royle (Everton) 13 " |
| 10 Everton FC | 31 | 10 | 11 | 10 | 31 | 31 | 44 | 44 1.00 | 10 Giles (Leeds) 12 " |
| 11 Crystal Palace | 31 | 10 | 10 | 11 | 30 | 32 | 27 | 28 0.96 | R.Gould (Wolverhampton) 12 " |
| 12 Coventry City | 30 | 12 | 06 | 12 | 30 | 30 | 27 | 29 0.93 | 12 F.Lee (Man.C.) 11 " |
| 13 Manchester United | 31 | 10 | 10 | 11 | 30 | 32 | 44 | 48 0.92 | Storey-Moore (Nottingham) 11 " |
| 14 Derby County | 30 | 11 | 07 | 12 | 29 | 31 | 41 | 40 1.03 | Conroy (Stoke) 11 " |
| 15 West Bromwich Albion | 31 | 09 | 11 | 11 | 29 | 33 | 50 | 58 0.86 | Weller (Chelsea) 11 " |
| 16 Newcastle United | 30 | 10 | 08 | 12 | 28 | 32 | 30 | 35 0.86 | G.Hurst (West Ham) 11 " |
| 17 Huddersfield Town | 31 | 07 | 11 | 13 | 25 | 37 | 30 | 40 0.75 | Dougan (Wolverhampton) 11 " |
| 18 Ipswich Town | 29 | 09 | 05 | 15 | 23 | 35 | 29 | 32 0.91 | Astle (West Bromwich) 11 " |
| 19 Nottingham Forest | 30 | 08 | 07 | 15 | 23 | 37 | 26 | 42 0.62 | 19 C.Grahan (Arsenal) 10 " |
| 20 West Ham United | 31 | 05 | 12 | 14 | 22 | 40 | 36 | 49 0.74 | H.Curran (Wolverhampton) 10 " |
| 21 Burnley FC | 31 | 03 | 11 | 17 | 17 | 45 | 22 | 50 0.44 | Viljoen (Ipswich) 10 " |
| 22 Blackpool FC | 31 | 03 | 09 | 19 | 15 | 47 | 25 | 55 0.45 | B.S.Robson (Newcastle/WHU) 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | N.Martin (Coventry/Forest) 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 24 F.Worthington (Huddersfield) 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | O'Hare (Derby) 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 26 Ritchie (Stoke) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Law (Man.U.) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Lorimer (Leeds) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | G.Best (Man.U.) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Gilzean (Tottenham) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 32 Queen (Palace) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Kidd (Man.U.) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Gowling (Man.U.) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | J.Greenhoff (Stoke) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | M.Burns (Blackpool) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Hector (Derby) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | G.Armstrong (Arsenal) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | F.Pickering (Blackpool) 7 " |

Week 32

Crystal Palace v Arsenal FC 0–2 (0–1)
 Saturday, 13 March 1971, Selhurst Park, attendance: 35,027
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Wall, Hoadley, McCormick, Blyth, J.Scott (Humphreys), Kember, Birchenall, Tambling, D.Payne
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, Storey, McLintock, Simpson, G.Armstrong, G.Graham (1), Radford, R.Kennedy, George (64. Sammels 1)

Blackpool FC v Leeds United 1–1 (1–0)
 Saturday, 13 March 1971, Bloomfield Road, attendance: 27,401
 BFC: Ramsbottom; Mowbray, Bentley, Kemp, G.James, Suddaby, M.Burns, Wann, Craven (1), Suddick, Hutchison
 LUF: Harvey, Reaney, Cooper, Bates, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer (1), A.Clarke, M.Jones, Giles, Madeley

Ipswich Town v Newcastle United 1–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 13 March 1971, Portman Road, attendance: 17,060
 Town: Sivell; Hammond, M.Mills, P.Morris, R.Bell, Jefferson, J.Robertson (1), Viljoen (Collard), F.Clarke, C.Woods, M.Hill
 NUFF: McFaul; D.Craig, R.Guthrie, Gibb, A.Burton, Moncur, Cassidy, Tudor, W.Davies, J.Smith, D.Young

Manchester United v Nottingham Forest 2–0 (2–0)
 Saturday, 13 March 1971, Old Trafford, attendance: 40,473
 MUFC: Stepney; Fitzpatrick, Dunne, Crerand, P.Edwards, Sadler, W.Morgan, G.Best (1), R.Charlton, Law (1), Aston (F.Burns)
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, Fraser, B.Lyons, P.Richardson, N.Martin (Rees), Cormack, Storey-Moore

Huddersfield Town v Burnley FC 0–1 (0–1)
 Saturday, 13 March 1971, Leeds Road, attendance: 18,793
 HFC: D.Lawson; D.Clarke, Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellam, Cherry, S.Smith, B.Mahoney, F.Worthington, McGill, J.Lawson
 BUFC: Waiters; Angus, Latcham, Nulty, C.Waldron (1), Bellamy, D.Thomas, Coates, M.Dobson, Fletcher, Kindon

Derby County v Manchester City 0–0
 Saturday, 13 March 1971, Baseball Ground, attendance: 31,987
 Derby: Boulton; Webster, J.Richardson, C.Todd, McFarland, Mackay, McGovern, Gemmill, O'Hare, Hector, A.Hinton
 MFC: Healey; Book (M.Brennan), Towers, Doyle, Booth, Oakes, Summerbee, C.Bell, F.Lee, N.Young, Jeffries

Wolverhampton Wanderers v West Ham United 2–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 13 March 1971, Molineux, attendance: 25,066
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog, K.Hibbitt, R.Gould (2), Dougan (P.Walker), Wagstaffe
 WHU: Ferguson; McDowell, Lampard, Bonds, T.Taylor, R.Moore, Redknapp (J.Greaves), Boyce, G.Hurst, B.S.Robson, Eustace

Everton FC v Stoke City 2–0 (0–0)
 Saturday, 13 March 1971, Goodison Park, attendance: 38,924
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright, K.Newton, Kendall, Labone, C.Harvey, Whittle (1), Ball, Royle (1), J.Hurst, D.Johnson
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Conroy, J.Greenhoff, Ritchie (J.Mahoney), Skeels, Burrows

Tottenham Hotspur v Chelsea FC 2–1 (0–0)
 Saturday, 13 March 1971, White Hart Lane, attendance: 49,192
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, P.Collins, Beal, Gilzean (Neighbour), Perryman, M.Chivers (1), Peters (1), Pratt
 CFC: Phillips; J.Boyle, McCreadie, Hollins, Dempsey, D.Webb, Weller (1), A.Hudson, Baldwin, C.Cooke, Houseman

Coventry City v Liverpool FC 1–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 13 March 1971, Highfield Road, attendance: 27,687
 CFC: Clazier; W.Smith, Strong, E.Machin, Blockley, R.Parker, D.Mortimer, W.Carr, Jolley, O'Rourke (1), D.Clements
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, A.Lindsay, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, Boersma (Callaghan), A.W.Evans, Highway, Toshack, B.Hall

Southampton FC v West Bromwich Albion 1–0 (1–0)
 Saturday, 13 March 1971, The Dell, attendance: 19,008
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine (1), Channon, R.Davies, B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins
 WBA: Cumbes; Kaye, R.Wilson II, Lovett, Wile, A.Merrick, Cantello, A.Brown, Astle, R.Hope, Hartford

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|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-----|----|----|---------|-------------------------------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 33 | 22 | 08 | 03 | 52 | 14 | 57 | 23 2.48 | 01 A.Brown (West Bromwich) 24 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 31 | 20 | 06 | 05 | 46 | 16 | 56 | 25 2.24 | 02 M.Chivers (Tottenham) 18 " |
| 03 Chelsea FC | 33 | 15 | 11 | 07 | 41 | 25 | 44 | 35 1.26 | 03 R.Kennedy (Arsenal) 14 " |
| 04 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 33 | 17 | 07 | 09 | 41 | 25 | 52 | 47 1.11 | Channon (Southampton) 14 " |
| 05 Southampton FC | 32 | 14 | 09 | 09 | 37 | 27 | 41 | 32 1.28 | Royle (Everton) 14 " |
| 06 Liverpool FC | 31 | 11 | 13 | 07 | 35 | 27 | 29 | 18 1.61 | Radford (Arsenal) 14 " |
| 07 Tottenham Hotspur | 30 | 13 | 09 | 08 | 35 | 25 | 43 | 29 1.48 | R.Gould (Wolverhampton) 14 " |
| 08 Manchester City | 31 | 11 | 12 | 08 | 34 | 28 | 36 | 27 1.33 | A.Clarke (Leeds) 14 " |
| 09 Everton FC | 32 | 11 | 11 | 10 | 33 | 31 | 46 | 44 1.05 | 09 C.Bell (Man.C.) 13 " |
| 10 Coventry City | 31 | 13 | 06 | 12 | 32 | 30 | 28 | 29 0.97 | R.Davies (Southampton) 13 " |
| 11 Manchester United | 32 | 11 | 10 | 11 | 32 | 32 | 46 | 48 0.96 | 11 Weller (Chelsea) 12 " |
| 12 Stoke City | 32 | 10 | 11 | 11 | 31 | 33 | 37 | 38 0.97 | Giles (Leeds) 12 " |
| 13 Derby County | 31 | 11 | 08 | 12 | 30 | 32 | 41 | 40 1.03 | 13 F.Lee (Man.C.) 12 " |
| 14 Crystal Palace | 32 | 10 | 10 | 12 | 30 | 34 | 27 | 30 0.90 | Storey-Moore (Nottingham) 11 " |
| 15 West Bromwich Albion | 32 | 09 | 11 | 12 | 29 | 35 | 50 | 59 0.85 | G.Grahan (Arsenal) 11 " |
| 16 Newcastle United | 31 | 10 | 08 | 13 | 28 | 34 | 30 | 36 0.83 | Dougan (Wolverhampton) 11 " |
| 17 Ipswich Town | 30 | 10 | 05 | 15 | 25 | 35 | 30 | 32 0.94 | Conroy (Stoke) 11 " |
| 18 Huddersfield Town | 32 | 07 | 11 | 14 | 25 | 39 | 30 | 41 0.73 | Astle (West Bromwich) 11 " |
| 19 Nottingham Forest | 31 | 08 | 07 | 16 | 23 | 39 | 27 | 44 0.61 | G.Hurst (West Ham) 11 " |
| 20 West Ham United | 32 | 05 | 12 | 15 | 22 | 42 | 36 | 51 0.71 | 20 B.S.Robson (Newcastle/WHU) 10 " |
| 21 Burnley FC | 32 | 04 | 11 | 17 | 19 | 45 | 23 | 50 0.46 | H.Curran (Wolverhampton) 10 " |
| 22 Blackpool FC | 32 | 03 | 10 | 19 | 16 | 48 | 26 | 56 0.46 | Viljoen (Ipswich) 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | N.Martin (Coventry/Forest) 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 24 O'Hare (Derby) 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | G.Best (Man.U.) 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Law (Man.U.) 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Lorimer (Leeds) 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | F.Worthington (Huddersfield) 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 29 Ritchie (Stoke) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Gilzean (Tottenham) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 32 Kidd (Man.U.) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Gowling (Man.U.) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | C.Armstrong (Arsenal) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | F.Pickering (Blackpool) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | M.Burns (Blackpool) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | J.Greenhoff (Stoke) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Peters (Tottenham) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Hector (Derby) 7 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Queen (Palace) 7 " |

Week 33

Newcastle United v Everton FC 2-1 (1-0)
 Wednesday, 17 March 1971, St. James Park, attendance: 22,860
 NUFC: McFaul, Craggs, R.Cuthrie (Cassidy), Gibb, McNamee, Moncur (1), K.Dyson, Tudor (1), W.Davies, J.Smith, D.Young
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright, K.Newton, A.D.Brown, Labone, C.Harvey, Morrissey, Ball, Royle (1), J.Hurst, Whittle

Burnley FC v Tottenham Hotspur 0-0
 Saturday, 20 March 1971, Turf Moor, attendance: 16,332
 BFC: Walters; Angus, Latcham, Nulty, C.Waldron, M.Dobson, D.Thomas (D.Collins), Coates, Fletcher, Bellamy, Kindon
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, P.Collins (Pearce), Beal, Pratt, Perryman, M.Chivers, Peters, Neighbour

Leeds United v Crystal Palace 2-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 20 March 1971, Elland Road, attendance: 31,871
 LUF: Harvey, Reaney, Cooper, Bates, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer (1, Belfitt), A.Clarke, M.Jones, Giles (1), Madeley
 Palace: J.Jackson; D.Payne, Wall, Hoadley, McCormick, Blyth, T.Wharton (J.Scott), Kember, Birchenall (1), Tambling, A.Taylor

West Ham United v Ipswich Town 2-2 (1-0)
 Saturday, 20 March 1971, Upton Park, attendance: 25,957
 WHU: Cumber; Kaye, R.Wilson II, Lovett, Wile, A.Merrick, McVitie (1), A.Brown (1), Astle, R.Hope, Hartford
 Town: Sivell; Hammond, M.Mills, P.Morris, R.Bell (1), Jefferson, J.Robertson (1), C.Woods, F.Clarke, Collard, M.Hill

Stoke City v Manchester United 1-2 (0-2)
 Saturday, 20 March 1971, Victoria Ground, attendance: 36,000
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Conroy, J.Greenhoff, Ritchie (1), Skeels, Burrows
 MUF: Fitzpatrick, Dunne, Crerand, P.Edwards, Sadler, W.Morgan, G.Best (2), R.Charlton, Law, Aston

West Bromwich Albion v Wolverhampton Wanderers 2-4 (1-0)
 Saturday, 20 March 1971, The Hawthorns, attendance: 35,716
 WBA: Cumber; Kaye, R.Wilson II, Lovett, Wile, A.Merrick, McVitie (1), A.Brown (1), Astle, R.Hope, Hartford
 Wolves: Parkes; D.Parkin, B.Shaw, M.Bailey (1), F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog, K.Hibbitt (O'Grady), R.Gould (1), H.Curran (2), Wagstaffe

Chelsea FC v Huddersfield Town 0-0
 Saturday, 20 March 1971, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 28,207
 CFC: Phillips; J.Boyle, McCreadie, Hollins, Dempsey, D.Webb, Weller, C.Cooke, Baldwin, A.Hudson, Houseman
 Hudd.: D.Lawson; D.Clarke, Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellam, Cherry, S.Smith, B.Mahoney, F.Worthington, McGill, J.Lawson

Manchester City v Coventry City 1-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 20 March 1971, Maine Road, attendance: 22,120
 MCF: Healey, D.Connor, Towers, Doyle, Booth, Donachie, Jeffries, C.Bell, F.Lee (1), N.Young, Mellor
 CCCF: Glazier; W.Smith, Strong, E.Machin, Blockley, R.Parker, D.Mortimer, W.Carr, Joicey, O'Rourke (1), D.Clements

Arsenal FC v Blackpool FC 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 20 March 1971, Highbury, attendance: 37,372
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, Storey (1), McLintock, Simpson, G.Armstrong, G.Graham, Radford, R.Kennedy, George
 BFC: Ramsbottom; Alcock, Suddaby, Kemp, G.James, D.Hatton, M.Burns, A.Green, Craven, Suddick, Hutchison

Liverpool FC v Derby County 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 20 March 1971, Anfield Road, attendance: 40,990
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler (1), Lindsay, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, Callaghan, A.W.Evans, Highway (P.Thompson), Toshack, Hall - 1 o.g. Mackay
 Derby: Boulton; Webster, J.Richardson, C.Todd, McFarland, Mackay, McGovern, Gemmill, O'Hare (J.Robson), Hector, A.Hinton

Nottingham Forest v Everton FC 3-2 (2-1)
 Saturday, 20 March 1971, City Ground, attendance: 21,643
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, Fraser, B.Lyons, P.Richardson, N.Martin, Cormack (2), Storey-Moore (1, Rees)
 EFC: Davies; T.Wright, K.Newton, Kendall, Labone, M.Lyons (1), Kenyon, Kenny (A.D.Brown), Royle, J.Hurst (1), Morrissey

Newcastle United v Southampton FC 2-2 (1-0)
 Saturday, 20 March 1971, St. James Park, attendance: 15,410
 NUFC: McFaul; Craggs, F.Clark, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, Foggon, K.Dyson (2), Tudor, J.Smith, D.Young
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath (1), Gabriel (1), Paine, Channon (A.Byrne), R.Davies, B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins

Ipswich Town v Tottenham Hotspur 1-2 (1-0)
 Tuesday, 23 March 1971, Portman Road, attendance: 21,685
 Town: Sivell; Hammond, M.Mills, P.Morris, R.Bell, Jefferson, J.Robertson, C.Woods, F.Clarke, Collard, M.Hill (1)
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles (37. Pratt), Mullery, Naylor, Beal, Gilzean (1), Perryman, M.Chivers, Peters (1), Pearce

Crystal Palace v Huddersfield Town 0-3 (0-1)
 Wednesday, 24 March 1971, Selhurst Park, attendance: 16,646
 Palace: J.Jackson; D.Payne, Wall, Hoadley, McCormick, Blyth, T.Wharton, Kember, Birchenall, Tambling, A.Taylor
 Hudd.: D.Lawson; D.Clarke, Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellam, Cherry (1), S.Smith, B.Mahoney (1), F.Worthington, McGill, J.Lawson (1)

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|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-----|----|----|----|-------------|------------------------------|----------|
| 01 Leeds United | 34 | 23 | 08 | 03 | 54 | 14 | 59 | 24 | 2.46 | 01 A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 25 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 32 | 21 | 06 | 05 | 48 | 16 | 57 | 25 | 2.28 | 02 M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 18 " |
| 03 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 34 | 18 | 07 | 09 | 43 | 25 | 56 | 49 | 1.14 | 03 Royle (Everton) | 15 " |
| 04 Chelsea FC | 34 | 15 | 12 | 07 | 42 | 26 | 44 | 35 | 1.26 | R.Gould (Wolverhampton) | 15 " |
| 05 Tottenham Hotspur | 32 | 14 | 10 | 08 | 38 | 26 | 45 | 30 | 1.50 | 05 Channon (Southampton) | 14 " |
| 06 Southampton FC | 33 | 14 | 10 | 09 | 38 | 28 | 43 | 34 | 1.26 | Radford (Arsenal) | 14 " |
| 07 Liverpool FC | 32 | 12 | 13 | 07 | 37 | 27 | 31 | 18 | 1.72 | R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 14 " |
| 08 Manchester City | 32 | 11 | 13 | 08 | 35 | 29 | 37 | 28 | 1.32 | A.Clarke (Leeds) | 14 " |
| 09 Manchester United | 33 | 12 | 10 | 11 | 34 | 32 | 48 | 49 | 0.98 | 09 Giles (Leeds) | 13 " |
| 10 Everton FC | 34 | 11 | 11 | 12 | 33 | 35 | 49 | 49 | 1.00 | C.Bell (Man.C.) | 13 " |
| 11 Coventry City | 32 | 13 | 07 | 12 | 33 | 31 | 29 | 30 | 0.97 | R.Davies (Southampton) | 13 " |
| 12 Stoke City | 33 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 31 | 37 | 38 | 40 | 0.95 | 12 H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 12 " |
| 13 Newcastle United | 33 | 11 | 09 | 13 | 31 | 35 | 34 | 39 | 0.87 | Storey-Moore (Nottingham) | 12 " |
| 14 Derby County | 32 | 11 | 08 | 13 | 30 | 34 | 41 | 42 | 0.98 | F.Lee (Man.C.) | 12 " |
| 15 Crystal Palace | 34 | 10 | 10 | 14 | 30 | 38 | 28 | 35 | 0.80 | Weller (Chelsea) | 12 " |
| 16 West Bromwich Albion | 33 | 09 | 11 | 13 | 29 | 37 | 52 | 63 | 0.83 | 16 G.Hurst (West Ham) | 11 " |
| 17 Huddersfield Town | 34 | 08 | 12 | 14 | 28 | 40 | 33 | 41 | 0.80 | Conroy (Stoke) | 11 " |
| 18 Ipswich Town | 32 | 10 | 06 | 16 | 26 | 38 | 33 | 36 | 0.92 | Dougan (Wolverhampton) | 11 " |
| 19 Nottingham Forest | 32 | 09 | 07 | 16 | 25 | 39 | 30 | 46 | 0.69 | Astle (West Bromwich) | 11 " |
| 20 West Ham United | 33 | 05 | 13 | 15 | 23 | 43 | 38 | 53 | 0.72 | G.Grahan (Arsenal) | 11 " |
| 21 Burnley FC | 33 | 04 | 12 | 17 | 20 | 46 | 23 | 50 | 0.46 | C.Best (Man.U.) | 11 " |
| 22 Blackpool FC | 33 | 03 | 10 | 20 | 16 | 50 | 26 | 57 | 0.46 | 22 Viljoen (Ipswich) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | B.S.Robson (Newcastle/WHU) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | Lorimer (Leeds) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | N.Martin (Coventry/Forest) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | 26 Gilzean (Tottenham) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | Ritchie (Stoke) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | F.Worthington (Huddersfield) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | Law (Man.U.) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | O'Hare (Derby) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | 31 A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | Peters (Tottenham) | 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | J.Greaves (West Ham) | 8 " |

Week 34

Burnley FC v Ipswich Town 2-2 (0-0)
 Saturday, 27 March 1971, Turf Moor, attendance: 13,416
 BFC: Walters; Angus (D.Collins), Latcham, Nulty (1), C.Waldron, M.Dobson, Casper (1), Coates, Fletcher, Bellamy, Kindon
 Town: Sivell; Hammond, C.Harper (C.Woods), P.Morris (1), R.Bell, Jefferson, J.Robertson, M.Mills, F.Clarke, McNeil, Lambert (1)

Newcastle United v Derby County 3-1 (2-0)
 Saturday, 27 March 1971, St. James Park, attendance: 26,026
 NU: McFaul; Craggs (Natrass), F.Clark, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, Foggon (2), K.Dyson (1), Tudor, Smith, D.Young
 Derby: Boulton; Webster, J.Robson, C.Todd, McFarland, Mackay, McGovern, Wignall, O'Hare, Hector (1), Gemmill

Nottingham Forest v Crystal Palace 3-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 27 March 1971, City Ground, attendance: 16,507
 NFFC: Phillips; R.Harris, McCreadie, Hollins, Dempsey, D.Webb, Baldwin, A.Hudson, P.Osgood (1), C.Cooke, Houseman (2)
 Palace: J.Jackson; D.Payne, Wall, Hoadley, McCormick, Blyth, J.Scott, Kember, Birchenall (1), Tambling, A.Taylor

Huddersfield Town v Coventry City 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 27 March 1971, Leeds Road, attendance: 15,141
 Hudd.: D.Lawson; D.Clarke, Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellam (1), Cherry, S.Smith, B.Mahoney, F.Worthington, McGill, J.Lawson
 CCCF: Glazier; Cattlin, Strong, E.Machin, Blockley, R.Parker, D.Mortimer, W.Carr, Joicey (R.Hunt II), O'Rourke, D.Clements

Chelsea FC v Leeds United 3-1 (2-0)
 Saturday, 27 March 1971, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 58,462
 SFC: Phillips; R.Harris, McCreadie, Hollins, Dempsey, D.Webb, Baldwin, A.Hudson, P.Osgood (1), C.Cooke, Houseman (2)
 LUF: Sprake; Reaney, Cooper (1), Bates, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clarke, M.Jones, Giles, Madeley

Southampton FC v Blackpool FC 1-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 27 March 1971, The Dell, attendance: 17,833
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon (A.Byrne), R.Davies (1), B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins
 BFC: Ramsbottom; Alcock, D.Hatton, Mowbray, G.James, Suddaby, M.Burns (1), A.Green, Craven, Suddick, Hutchison

West Bromwich Albion v Manchester City 0-0
 Saturday, 27 March 1971, The Hawthorns, attendance: 20,100
 WBA: Cumber; L.Hughes, A.Merrick, Cantello, Wile, Kaye, McVitie, A.Brown, Suggett, R.Hope, Hartford
 MCF: Healey; D.Connor, Towers, Doyle, Booth, Donachie, Jeffries, C.Bell, N.Young, F.Lee, Mellor (F.Hill)

Liverpool FC v Ipswich Town 2-1 (1-0)
 Monday, 29 March 1971, Anfield Road, attendance: 41,817
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, A.Lindsay, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, Callaghan, A.W.Evans (1), Highway (P.Thompson), R.Graham (1), B.Hall
 Town: Best; Hammond, M.Mills, Viljoen, R.Bell, Jefferson, J.Robertson, C.Woods, F.Clarke, Shanahan, Lambert (1)

Everton FC v West Ham United 0-1 (0-1)
 Tuesday, 30 March 1971, Goodison Park, attendance: 28,794
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright, H.Newton, Kendall, Kenyon, C.Harvey, Whittle, Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, D.Johnson
 WHU: Ferguson; McDowell, Lampard, Bonds, T.Taylor, R.Moore, Redknapp, Boyce, G.Hurst, B.S.Robson, J.Greaves - 1 o.g. Kendall

Derby County v Nottingham Forest 1-2 (0-1)
 Wednesday, 31 March 1971, Baseball Ground, attendance: 34,857
 Derby: Boulton; Webster, J.Richardson, C.Todd, McFarland, Mackay, Gemmill, Wignall, O'Hare, Hector (1), A.Hinton
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, Fraser, B.Lyons, P.Richardson (1, Rees), N.Martin, Cormack, Storey-Moore (1)

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|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-----|----|----|----|-------------|------------------------------|----------|
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| 02 Arsenal FC | 32 | 21 | 06 | 05 | 48 | 16 | 57 | 25 | 2.28 | 02 M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 18 " |
| 03 Chelsea FC | 35 | 16 | 12 | 07 | 44 | 26 | 47 | 36 | 1.31 | 03 Storey-Moore (Nottingham) | 16 " |
| 04 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 34 | 18 | 07 | 09 | 43 | 25 | 56 | 49 | 1.14 | 04 R.Gould (Wolverhampton) | 15 " |
| 05 Liverpool FC | 33 | 13 | 13 | 07 | 39 | 27 | 33 | 19 | 1.74 | Royle (Everton) | 15 " |
| 06 Southampton FC | 34 | 14 | 11 | 09 | 39 | 29 | 44 | 35 | 1.26 | 06 R.Davies (Southampton) | 14 " |
| 07 Tottenham Hotspur | 32 | 14 | 10 | 08 | 38 | 26 | 45 | 30 | 1.50 | Channon (Southampton) | 14 " |
| 08 Manchester City | 33 | 11 | 14 | 08 | 36 | 30 | 37 | 28 | 1.32 | Radford (Arsenal) | 14 " |
| 09 Manchester United | 33 | 12 | 10 | 11 | 34 | 32 | 48 | 49 | 0.98 | R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 14 " |
| 10 Everton FC | 35 | 11 | 11 | 13 | 33 | 37 | 49 | 50 | 0.98 | A.Clarke (Leeds) | 14 " |
| 11 Coventry City | 33 | 13 | 07 | 13 | 33 | 33 | 29 | 31 | 0.94 | 11 C.Bell (Man.C.) | 13 " |
| 12 Newcastle United | 34 | 12 | 09 | 13 | 33 | 35 | 37 | 40 | 0.93 | Giles (Leeds) | 13 " |
| 13 Stoke City | 33 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 31 | 37 | 38 | 40 | 0.95 | 13 Weller (Chelsea) | 12 " |
| 14 Derby County | 34 | 11 | 08 | 15 | 30 | 38 | 43 | 47 | 0.91 | F.Lee (Man.C.) | 12 " |
| 15 West Bromwich Albion | 34 | 09 | 12 | 13 | 30 | 38 | 52 | 63 | 0.83 | H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 12 " |
| 16 Huddersfield Town | 35 | 09 | 12 | 14 | 30 | 40 | 34 | 41 | 0.83 | 16 Astle (West Bromwich) | 11 " |
| 17 Crystal Palace | 35 | 10 | 10 | 15 | 30 | 40 | 29 | 38 | 0.76 | G.Best (Man.U.) | 11 " |
| 18 Nottingham Forest | 34 | 11 | 07 | 16 | 29 | 39 | 35 | 48 | 0.73 | Dougan (Wolverhampton) | 11 " |
| 19 Ipswich Town | 34 | 10 | 07 | 17 | 27 | 41 | 36 | 40 | 0.90 | G.Grahan (Arsenal) | 11 " |
| 20 West Ham United | 34 | 06 | 13 | 15 | 25 | 43 | 39 | 53 | 0.74 | C.Hurst (West Ham) | 11 " |
| 21 Burnley FC | 34 | 04 | 13 | 17 | 21 | 47 | 25 | 52 | 0.48 | Conroy (Stoke) | 11 " |
| 22 Blackpool FC | 34 | 03 | 11 | 20 | 17 | 51 | 27 | 58 | 0.47 | 22 Viljoen (Ipswich) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | Lorimer (Leeds) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | B.S.Robson (Newcastle/WHU) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | N.Martin (Coventry/Forest) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | 26 Gilzean (Tottenham) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | Ritchie (Stoke) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | Law (Man.U.) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | Hector (Derby) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | F.Worthington (Huddersfield) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | O'Hare (Derby) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | 33 B.Burns (Blackpool) | 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | Birchenall (Palace) | 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | J.Greaves (West Ham) | 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | | Peters (Tottenham) | 8 " |

Week 35

Liverpool FC v West Bromwich Albion 1-1 (0-0)
 Friday, 3 April 1971, Anfield Road, attendance: 43,580
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, A.Lindsay, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, Callaghan, A.W.Evans (1), Highway, R.Graham (P.Thompson), B.Hall
 WBA: Cumbes; L.Hughes, A.Merrick, Cantello, Wile, Kaye, McVitie, A.Brown (1), Astle, R.Hope, Hartford

Derby County v Huddersfield Town 3-2 (2-2)
 Saturday, 3 April 1971, Baseball Ground, attendance: 24,113
 Derby: Boulton; Webster, J.Richardson, C.Todd, McFarland, Mackay, Gemmill, Wignall, O'Hare, Hector (1), A.Hinton (2)
 Hudd.: D.Lawson; D.Clark (1), Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellam (1), Cherry, S.Smith, B.Mahoney, F.Worthington, M.Barry, J.Lawson

Crystal Palace v Stoke City 3-2 (2-0)
 Saturday, 3 April 1971, Selhurst Park, attendance: 16,963
 Palace: J.Jackson; D.Payne (Sewell), Wall, Hoadley, McCormick, A.Taylor, T.Wharton (1), Kember (1), Tambling, Birchenhall (1), J.Scott
 Stoke: Farmer; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Conroy, J.Mahoney, Ritchie (2), Jump, Burrows

West Ham United v Manchester United 2-1 (2-0)
 Saturday, 3 April 1971, Upton Park, attendance: 38,507
 WHU: Ferguson; McDowell, Lampard, Bonds, T.Taylor, R.Moore, Redknapp, Boyce, G.Hurst (1), B.S.Robson (1), J.Greaves
 MUF: Stepany; Fitzpatrick, Dunne, C.Crerand, P.Edwards, Sadler (F.Burns), W.Morgan, G.Best (1), R.Charlton, Law, Aston

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Nottingham Forest 4-0 (2-0)
 Saturday, 3 April 1971, Molineux, attendance: 20,531
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog, K.Hibbitt, R.Gould (1), H.Curran (3), Wagstaffe
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, Fraser, B.Lyons, P.Richardson (Rees), N.Martin, Cormack, Storey-Moore

Leeds United v Burnley FC 4-0 (2-0)
 Saturday, 3 April 1971, Elland Road, attendance: 31,192
 LUF: Sprake; Reaney, Cooper, Bates, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer, A.Clarke (4), M.Jones (Belfitt), Giles, Madeley
 BFC: Waiters; Docherty, Latcham, Nulty, Probert, M.Dobson, Casper, Coates, Fletcher, Bellamy, Kindon

Ipswich Town v Southampton FC 1-3 (0-0)
 Saturday, 3 April 1971, Portman Road, attendance: 16,390
 Town: Best; Hammond, M.Mills, Viljoen, R.Bell, Jefferson, J.Robertson, C.Woods (1), F.Clark, Shanahan, Lambert
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel (1), Paine, Channon (1), R.Davies (1), B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins

Arsenal FC v Chelsea FC 2-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 3 April 1971, Highbury, attendance: 62,037
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, Storey, McLintock, Simpson, G.Armstrong (E.Kelly), G.Graham, Radford, R.Kennedy (2), George
 CFC: Phillips; R.Harris, McCreadie, Hollins, Dempsey, D.Webb, Baldwin, A.Hudson, P.Osgood, C.Cooke, Houseman

Manchester City v Everton FC 3-0 (3-0)
 Saturday, 3 April 1971, Maine Road, attendance: 26,885
 MCF: Healey; D.Connor, Towers, Doyle (1), Booth (1), Donachie, Jeffries, C.Bell, F.Lee, N.Young, F.Hill (1)
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright (D.Johnson), H.Newton, Kendall, Kenyon, D'Arcy, Whittle, Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, Morrissey

Blackpool FC v Newcastle United 0-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 3 April 1971, Bloomfield Road, attendance: 14,637
 BFC: Ramsbottom; D.Hatton, Bentley, Mowbray, G.James, Suddaby, M.Burns, A.Green, Craven, Suddick, Hutchison
 NUFC: McFaul; Craggs, F.Clark, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, Foggon (1), K.Dyson, Tudor, J.Smith (Natrass), D.Young

Coventry City v Tottenham Hotspur 0-0
 Saturday, 3 April 1971, Highfield Road, attendance: 22,947
 CFC: Glazier; Strong, Cattlin, E.Machin, Blockley, R.Parker (Alderson), D.Mortimer, W.Carr, Rafferty, R.Hunt II, D.Clements
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, Want, Mullery, P.Collins, Beal, Gilzean, Perryman, M.Chivers, Peters, Pearce

| Table | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR | Top Scorers |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|------------------------------|-------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 36 | 24 | 08 | 04 | 56-16 | 64:27 | 2.37 | 01 A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 26 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 33 | 22 | 06 | 05 | 50-16 | 59:25 | 2.36 | 02 M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 18 * |
| 03 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 35 | 19 | 07 | 09 | 45-25 | 60:49 | 1.22 | A.Clarke (Leeds) | 18 * |
| 04 Chelsea FC | 36 | 16 | 12 | 08 | 44-28 | 47:38 | 1.24 | 04 R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 16 * |
| 05 Southampton FC | 35 | 15 | 11 | 09 | 41-29 | 47:36 | 1.31 | Storey-Moore (Nottingham) | 16 * |
| 06 Liverpool FC | 34 | 13 | 14 | 07 | 40-28 | 34:20 | 1.70 | R.Gould (Wolverhampton) | 16 * |
| 07 Tottenham Hotspur | 33 | 14 | 11 | 08 | 39-27 | 45:30 | 1.50 | 07 H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 15 * |
| 08 Manchester City | 34 | 12 | 14 | 08 | 38-30 | 40:28 | 1.43 | Royle (Everton) | 15 * |
| 09 Newcastle United | 35 | 13 | 09 | 13 | 35-35 | 38:40 | 0.95 | Channon (Southampton) | 15 * |
| 10 Manchester United | 34 | 12 | 10 | 12 | 34-34 | 49:51 | 0.96 | R.Davies (Southampton) | 15 * |
| 11 Coventry City | 34 | 13 | 08 | 13 | 34-34 | 29:31 | 0.94 | 11 Radford (Arsenal) | 14 * |
| 12 Everton FC | 36 | 11 | 11 | 14 | 33-39 | 49:53 | 0.92 | 12 Giles (Leeds) | 13 * |
| 13 Derby County | 35 | 12 | 08 | 15 | 32-38 | 46:49 | 0.94 | C.Bell (Man.C.) | 13 * |
| 14 Crystal Palace | 36 | 11 | 10 | 15 | 32-40 | 32:40 | 0.80 | 14 Weller (Chelsea) | 12 * |
| 15 Stoke City | 34 | 10 | 11 | 13 | 31-37 | 40:43 | 0.93 | G.Best (Man.U.) | 12 * |
| 16 West Bromwich Albion | 35 | 09 | 13 | 13 | 31-39 | 53:64 | 0.83 | F.Lee (Man.C.) | 12 * |
| 17 Huddersfield Town | 36 | 09 | 12 | 15 | 30-42 | 36:44 | 0.82 | G.Hurst (West Ham) | 12 * |
| 18 Nottingham Forest | 35 | 11 | 07 | 17 | 29-41 | 35:52 | 0.67 | 18 Conroy (Stoke) | 11 * |
| 19 Ipswich Town | 35 | 10 | 07 | 18 | 27-43 | 37:43 | 0.86 | Astle (West Bromwich) | 11 * |
| 20 West Ham United | 35 | 07 | 13 | 15 | 27-43 | 41:54 | 0.76 | B.S.Robson (Newcastle/WHU) | 11 * |
| 21 Burnley FC | 35 | 04 | 13 | 18 | 21-49 | 25:56 | 0.45 | Dougan (Wolverhampton) | 11 * |
| 22 Blackpool FC | 35 | 03 | 11 | 21 | 17-53 | 27:59 | 0.46 | G.Grahan (Arsenal) | 11 * |
| | | | | | | | | Ritchie (Stoke) | 11 * |
| | | | | | | | | 24 Lorimer (Leeds) | 10 * |
| | | | | | | | | N.Martin (Coventry/Forest) | 10 * |
| | | | | | | | | Hector (Derby) | 10 * |
| | | | | | | | | Viljoen (Ipswich) | 10 * |
| | | | | | | | | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 10 * |
| | | | | | | | | 29 Law (Man.U.) | 9 * |
| | | | | | | | | Gilzean (Tottenham) | 9 * |
| | | | | | | | | O'Hare (Derby) | 9 * |
| | | | | | | | | Birchenhall (Palace) | 9 * |
| | | | | | | | | F.Worthington (Huddersfield) | 9 * |
| | | | | | | | | 34 A.Hinton (Derby) | 8 * |
| | | | | | | | | M.Burns (Blackpool) | 8 * |
| | | | | | | | | J.Greaves (West Ham) | 8 * |
| | | | | | | | | Peters (Tottenham) | 8 * |

Week 36

Liverpool FC v Newcastle United 1-1 (1-1)
 Tuesday, 6 April 1971, Anfield Road, attendance: 44,289
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler (1), A.Lindsay, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, Callaghan, A.W.Evans, Highway (P.Thompson), Toshack, B.Hall
 NUFC: McFaul; Craggs, F.Clark, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, Foggon, Tudor (1), K.Dyson, J.Smith, D.Young

Arsenal FC v Coventry City 1-0 (0-0)
 Tuesday, 6 April 1971, Highbury, attendance: 37,029
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, Storey, McLintock, Simpson, G.Armstrong, G.Graham, Radford, R.Kennedy (1), George
 CFC: Glazier; Coop, Cattlin, E.Machin, Blockley, Strong, D.Mortimer, W.Carr, Rafferty, R.Hunt II, Joicey

Ipswich Town v Everton FC 0-0
 Tuesday, 6 April 1971, Portman Road, attendance: 20,289
 Town: Sivell; Hammond, M.Mills, P.Morris, R.Bell, Jefferson, J.Robertson, Viljoen, F.Clark, C.Woods, M.Hill
 EFC: Rankin; D'Arcy, H.Newton, Kendall, Kenyon, Darracott, D.Johnson, Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, Morrissey

Stoke City v Wolverhampton Wanderers 1-0 (0-0)
 Wednesday, 7 April 1971, Victoria Ground, attendance: 22,808
 Stoke: Banks; Skeels, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor, J.Mahoney, J.Greenhoff, Ritchie, Conroy (J.Marsh), Burrows (1)
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog, K.Hibbitt, R.Gould, H.Curran, Wagstaffe

Tottenham Hotspur v Derby County 2-1 (1-1)
 Wednesday, 7 April 1971, White Hart Lane, attendance: 25,627
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, Want, Mullery, P.Collins, Beal, Gilzean, Perryman, M.Chivers (1), Peters, Pearce (1)
 Derby: Boulton; C.Todd, J.Robson, Durban, McFarland, Mackay, McGovern, Gemmill, O'Hare, Hector, A.Hinton (1)

Manchester City v Nottingham Forest 1-3 (1-1)
 Friday, 9 April 1971, Maine Road, attendance: 31,000
 MCF: Healey; D.Connor, Towers, Doyle (1), Booth, Donachie, Jeffries (Book), C.Bell, F.Lee, N.Young, F.Hill
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, Fraser, T.Jackson (1), P.Richardson, N.Martin, McKenzie (2), Storey-Moore

West Ham United v West Bromwich Albion 2-1 (0-1)
 Friday, 9 April 1971, Upton Park, attendance: 34,981
 WHU: Ferguson; McDowell, Lampard, Bonds, T.Taylor, R.Moore, Redknapp, Boyce (Brooking), G.Hurst, B.S.Robson (1), J.Greaves (1)
 WBA: Cumbes; L.Hughes, A.Merrick, Cantello, Wile, Kaye, McVitie (Suggett), A.Brown, Astle (1), R.Hope, Hartford

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|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|------------------------------|-------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 36 | 24 | 08 | 04 | 56-16 | 64:27 | 2.37 | 01 A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 26 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 34 | 23 | 06 | 05 | 52-16 | 60:25 | 2.40 | 02 M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 19 * |
| 03 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 36 | 19 | 07 | 10 | 45-27 | 60:50 | 1.20 | 03 A.Clark (Leeds) | 18 * |
| 04 Chelsea FC | 36 | 16 | 12 | 08 | 44-28 | 47:38 | 1.24 | 04 R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 17 * |
| 05 Liverpool FC | 35 | 13 | 15 | 07 | 41-29 | 35:21 | 1.67 | 05 Storey-Moore (Nottingham) | 16 * |
| 06 Tottenham Hotspur | 34 | 15 | 11 | 08 | 41-27 | 47:31 | 1.52 | R.Gould (Wolverhampton) | 16 * |
| 07 Southampton FC | 35 | 15 | 11 | 09 | 41-29 | 47:36 | 1.31 | 07 Channon (Southampton) | 15 * |
| 08 Manchester City | 35 | 12 | 14 | 09 | 38-32 | 41:31 | 1.32 | H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 15 * |
| 09 Newcastle United | 36 | 13 | 10 | 13 | 36-36 | 39:41 | 0.95 | Royle (Everton) | 15 * |
| 10 Manchester United | 34 | 12 | 10 | 12 | 34-34 | 49:51 | 0.96 | R.Davies (Southampton) | 15 * |
| 11 Everton FC | 37 | 11 | 12 | 14 | 34-40 | 49:53 | 0.92 | 11 Radford (Arsenal) | 14 * |
| 12 Coventry City | 35 | 13 | 08 | 14 | 34-36 | 29:32 | 0.91 | 12 Giles (Leeds) | 13 * |
| 13 Stoke City | 35 | 11 | 11 | 13 | 33-37 | 41:43 | 0.95 | C.Bell (Man.C.) | 13 * |
| 14 Derby County | 36 | 12 | 08 | 16 | 32-40 | 47:51 | 0.92 | 14 Astle (West Bromwich) | 12 * |
| 15 Crystal Palace | 36 | 11 | 10 | 15 | 32-40 | 32:40 | 0.80 | G.Hurst (West Ham) | 12 * |
| 16 West Bromwich Albion | 36 | 09 | 13 | 14 | 31-41 | 54:66 | 0.82 | Weller (Chelsea) | 12 * |
| 17 Nottingham Forest | 36 | 12 | 07 | 17 | 31-41 | 38:53 | 0.72 | G.Best (Man.U.) | 12 * |
| 18 Huddersfield Town | 36 | 09 | 12 | 15 | 30-42 | 36:44 | 0.82 | F.Lee (Man.C.) | 12 * |
| 19 West Ham United | 36 | 08 | 13 | 15 | 29-43 | 43:55 | 0.78 | B.S.Robson (Newcastle/WHU) | 12 * |
| 20 Ipswich Town | 36 | 10 | 08 | 18 | 28-44 | 37:43 | 0.86 | 20 Dougan (Wolverhampton) | 11 * |
| 21 Burnley FC | 35 | 04 | 13 | 18 | 21-49 | 25:56 | 0.45 | G.Grahan (Arsenal) | 11 * |
| 22 Blackpool FC | 35 | 03 | 11 | 21 | 17-53 | 27:59 | 0.46 | Conroy (Stoke) | 11 * |
| | | | | | | | | Ritchie (Stoke) | 11 * |
| | | | | | | | | 24 Hector (Derby) | 10 * |
| | | | | | | | | N.Martin (Coventry/Forest) | 10 * |
| | | | | | | | | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 10 * |
| | | | | | | | | Viljoen (Ipswich) | 10 * |
| | | | | | | | | Lorimer (Leeds) | 10 * |
| | | | | | | | | 29 O'Hare (Derby) | 9 * |
| | | | | | | | | J.Greaves (West Ham) | 9 * |
| | | | | | | | | Law (Man.U.) | 9 * |
| | | | | | | | | Birchenhall (Palace) | 9 * |
| | | | | | | | | F.Worthington (Huddersfield) | 9 * |
| | | | | | | | | A.Hinton (Derby) | 9 * |
| | | | | | | | | Gilzean (Tottenham) | 9 * |
| | | | | | | | | 36 M.Burns (Blackpool) | 8 * |
| | | | | | | | | Peters (Tottenham) | 8 * |

Week 37

Newcastle United v Leeds United 1-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 10 April 1971, St. James Park, attendance: 49,640
 NUFC: McFaul; Craggs, F.Clark, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, Foggon, Tudor (1), K.Dyson, J.Smith, D.Young
 LUF: Sprake; Reaney, Cooper, Bates (Belfitt), J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer (1), A.Clarke, M.Jones, Giles, Madeley

Stoke City v Liverpool FC 0-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 10 April 1971, Victoria Ground, attendance: 28,810
 Stoke: Banks; Skeels, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Haslegrave, J.Greenhoff, Ritchie, J.Mahoney, Burrows (Jump)
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, A.Lindsay, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, Callaghan, A.W.Evans, P.Thompson (1), Toshack (Heighway), B.Hall

Southampton FC v Arsenal FC 1-2 (1-1)
 Saturday, 10 April 1971, The Dell, attendance: 30,231
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine (1), Channon, R.Davies, B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, Storey, McLintock (1), Simpson, G.Armstrong, G.Graham, Radford (1), R.Kennedy, George

Burnley FC v Blackpool FC 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 10 April 1971, Turf Moor, attendance: 14,498
 BFC: Walters; Angus, Latcham, Bellamy, M.Dobson, Nulty, D.Thomas (Docherty), Coates, Fletcher (1), Casper, Kindon
 BFC: Ramsbottom; D.Hatton, Bentley, J.Johnston, G.James, Suddaby, M.Burns (McGrotty), A.Green, Craven, Wann, Hutchison

Chelsea FC v Crystal Palace 1-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 10 April 1971, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 38,953
 CFC: Phillips; J.Boyle, R.Harris, Hollins, Dempsey, D.Webb (1), A.Hudson, C.Cooke, P.Osgood (Weller), Baldwin, Houseman
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Wall, Hoadley, McCormick (Queen), Kember, T.Wharton, J.Scott (1), Birchenall, Tambling, A.Taylor

Tottenham Hotspur v Ipswich Town 2-0 (2-0)
 Saturday, 10 April 1971, White Hart Lane, attendance: 28,708
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, P.Collins, Beal, Gilzean, Perryman, M.Chivers (1), Peters, Pearce - 1 o.g. Morris
 Town: Best; Hammond, M.Mills, P.Morris, R.Bell, Jefferson, J.Robertson, Viljoen (Shanahan), F.Clarke, C.Woods, Lambert

Manchester United v Derby County 1-2 (0-1)
 Saturday, 10 April 1971, Old Trafford, attendance: 45,691
 MFC: Stepany; Dunne, F.Burns, Crerand, P.Edwards, Stiles, W.Morgan, G.Best, R.Charlton, Law (1), Aston (Gowling)
 Derby: Boulton; C.Todd, J.Robson, Durban, McFarland, Mackay, McGovern, Gemmill, O'Hare (2), Hector, A.Hinton

Huddersfield Town v Manchester City 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 10 April 1971, Leeds Road, attendance: 21,922
 Hudd.: D.Lawson; D.Clark, Hutt, J.Nicholson, Ellam, Cherry (1), S.Smith, B.Mahoney, F.Worthington, McGill, J.Lawson
 MFC: Corrigan; Book, D.Connor, Doyle, Booth, Donachie, Towers, C.Bell, F.Lee, N.Young, F.Hill (A.Mann)

Everton FC v Wolverhampton Wanderers 1-2 (0-1)
 Saturday, 10 April 1971, Goodison Park, attendance: 35,484
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright, H.Newton (1), Kendall, Kenyon, C.Harvey, Husband, Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, Morrissey
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, K.Hibbitt, F.Munro, McAlle, Hegan, M.Bailey (1), R.Gould (1), H.Curran, Wagstaffe

West Bromwich Albion v Coventry City 0-0
 Saturday, 10 April 1971, The Hawthorns, attendance: 18,759
 WBA: Cumbes; L.Hughes, A.Merrick, Cantello, Wile, Kaye, McVitie, Suggett, Astle, A.Brown, Hartford
 CCFC: Glazier; W.Smith, Cattlin, D.Mortimer, Blockley, Strong, R.Hunt II, W.Carr, Joicey (O'Rourke), Rafferty, D.Clements

Nottingham Forest v West Ham United 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 10 April 1971, City Ground, attendance: 23,022
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, Fraser, T.Jackson, P.Richardson, N.Martin, Cormack, Storey-Moore (1)
 WHU: Ferguson; McDowell, Lampard, Bonds, Stephenson, R.Moore, Redknapp, J.Lindsay, G.Hurst, B.S.Robson, J.Greaves

Table

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|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|----|----|------|-------------------------------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 37 | 24 | 09 | 04 | 57-17 | 65 | 28 | 2.32 | 01 A.Brown (West Bromwich) 26 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 35 | 24 | 06 | 05 | 54-16 | 62 | 26 | 2.38 | 02 M.Chivers (Tottenham) 20 " |
| 03 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 37 | 20 | 07 | 10 | 47-27 | 62 | 51 | 1.22 | 03 A.Clark (Leeds) 18 " |
| 04 Chelsea FC | 37 | 16 | 13 | 08 | 45-29 | 48 | 39 | 1.23 | 04 Storey-Moore (Nottingham) 17 " |
| 05 Liverpool FC | 36 | 14 | 15 | 07 | 43-29 | 36 | 21 | 1.71 | R.Gould (Wolverhampton) 17 " |
| 06 Tottenham Hotspur | 35 | 16 | 11 | 08 | 43-27 | 49 | 31 | 1.58 | R.Kennedy (Arsenal) 17 " |
| 07 Southampton FC | 36 | 15 | 11 | 10 | 41-31 | 48 | 38 | 1.26 | 07 Royle (Everton) 15 " |
| 08 Manchester City | 36 | 12 | 14 | 10 | 38-34 | 41 | 32 | 1.28 | H.Curran (Wolverhampton) 15 " |
| 09 Newcastle United | 37 | 13 | 11 | 13 | 37-37 | 40 | 42 | 0.95 | Channon (Southampton) 15 " |
| 10 Coventry City | 36 | 13 | 09 | 14 | 35-37 | 29 | 32 | 0.91 | Radford (Arsenal) 15 " |
| 11 Manchester United | 35 | 12 | 10 | 13 | 34-36 | 50 | 53 | 0.94 | R.Davies (Southampton) 15 " |
| 12 Derby County | 37 | 13 | 08 | 16 | 34-40 | 49 | 52 | 0.94 | 12 Giles (Leeds) 13 " |
| 13 Everton FC | 38 | 11 | 12 | 15 | 34-42 | 50 | 55 | 0.91 | C.Bell (Man.C.) 13 " |
| 14 Stoke City | 36 | 11 | 11 | 14 | 33-41 | 41 | 44 | 0.93 | 14 F.Lee (Man.C.) 12 " |
| 15 Crystal Palace | 37 | 11 | 11 | 15 | 33-41 | 33 | 41 | 0.80 | Weller (Chelsea) 12 " |
| 16 Nottingham Forest | 37 | 13 | 07 | 17 | 33-41 | 39 | 53 | 0.74 | B.S.Robson (Newcastle/WHU) 12 " |
| 17 Huddersfield Town | 37 | 10 | 12 | 15 | 32-42 | 37 | 44 | 0.84 | G.Best (Man.U.) 12 " |
| 18 West Bromwich Albion | 37 | 09 | 14 | 14 | 32-42 | 54 | 66 | 0.82 | Astle (West Bromwich) 12 " |
| 19 West Ham United | 37 | 08 | 13 | 16 | 29-45 | 43 | 56 | 0.77 | G.Hurst (West Ham) 12 " |
| 20 Ipswich Town | 37 | 10 | 08 | 19 | 28-46 | 37 | 45 | 0.82 | 20 Lorimer (Leeds) 11 " |
| 21 Burnley FC | 36 | 05 | 13 | 18 | 23-49 | 26 | 56 | 0.46 | O'Hare (Derby) 11 " |
| 22 Blackpool FC | 36 | 03 | 11 | 22 | 17-55 | 27 | 60 | 0.45 | Conroy (Stoke) 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | | G.Grahan (Arsenal) 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Ritchie (Stoke) 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Dougan (Wolverhampton) 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 26 Law (Man.U.) 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Viljoen (Ipswich) 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | N.Martin (Coventry/Forest) 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Hector (Derby) 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 31 J.Greaves (West Ham) 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Birchenall (Palace) 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | A.Hinton (Derby) 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Gilzean (Tottenham) 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | F.Worthington (Huddersfield) 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Peters (Tottenham) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | M.Burns (Blackpool) 8 " |

Week 38

Manchester United v Wolverhampton Wanderers 1-0 (1-0)
 Monday, 12 April 1971, Old Trafford, attendance: 41,886
 MUFC: Stepany; Dunne, F.Burns, Crerand, P.Edwards, Stiles, G.Best, Cowling (1), R.Charlton, Law (Kidd), W.Morgan
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog, K.Hibbitt (O'Grady), R.Gould, H.Curran, Wagstaffe

Huddersfield Town v Leeds United 0-0
 Monday, 12 April 1971, Leeds Road, attendance: 43,011
 Hudd.: D.Lawson; D.Clark, Hutt (M.Barry), J.Nicholson, Ellam, Cherry, S.Smith, B.Mahoney, F.Worthington, McGill, J.Lawson
 LUF: Sprake; Reaney, Cooper, Bates, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer (Belfitt), A.Clarke, M.Jones, Giles, Madeley

Blackpool FC v Tottenham Hotspur 0-0
 Monday, 12 April 1971, Bloomfield Road, attendance: 16,541
 BFC: Taylor; D.Hatton, Bentley, J.Johnston, G.James, Suddaby, Kemp, A.Green, Craven, Wann (P.Nicholson), Hutchison
 Spurs: Jennings; R.Evans, C.Knowles, Mullery, P.Collins, Beal, Gilzean (Pratt), Perryman, M.Chivers, Peters, Pearce

Chelsea FC v Liverpool FC 1-0 (1-0)
 Monday, 12 April 1971, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 38,705
 CFC: Bonetti; J.Boyle, R.Harris, Hollins, Dempsey, Droy, A.Hudson, Smethurst (1), D.Webb, C.Cooke, Houseman
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, A.Lindsay, T.Smith, Lloyd, J.T.McLaughlin, Callaghan, A.W.Evans, P.Thompson, R.Graham, Boersma (L.Ross)

Everton FC v Coventry City 3-0 (2-0)
 Monday, 12 April 1971, Goodison Park, attendance: 24,371
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright, H.Newton, Darracott, Kenyon, C.Harvey, D.Johnson, Ball (1), Royle (2, M.Lyons), J.Hurst, G.Jones
 CCFC: Glazier; W.Smith, Cattlin, O'Rourke, Blockley, Strong, D.Mortimer, W.Carr, Rafferty, R.Hunt II, D.Clements

Newcastle v Manchester City 0-0
 Monday, 12 April 1971, St. James Park, attendance: 29,040
 NUFC: McFaul; Craggs, F.Clark, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, Foggon, Tudor, K.Dyson, J.Smith, D.Young (Nattrass)
 MFC: Corrigan; Towers, D.Connor, Doyle, Booth, Donachie, J.Johnson, C.Bell, Mellor, S.Carter, A.Mann

West Bromwich Albion v Ipswich Town 0-1 (0-0)
 Monday, 12 April 1971, The Hawthorns, attendance: 12,429
 WBA: Cumbes; L.Hughes, A.Merrick, Cantello, Wile, Kaye, McVitie, A.Brown, Astle, Suggett, Hartford
 Town: Best; Hammond, C.Harper, P.Morris, R.Bell, Jefferson, J.Robertson (1), Viljoen, F.Clarke, M.Mills, M.Hill

Derby County v Southampton FC 0-0
 Monday, 12 April 1971, Baseball Ground, attendance: 26,217
 Derby: Boulton; C.Todd, J.Robson, Durban, McFarland, Mackay, McGovern, Gemmill, O'Hare, Hector, A.Hinton
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon, R.Davies, B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins

Nottingham Forest v Arsenal FC 0-3 (0-2)
 Tuesday, 13 April 1971, City Ground, attendance: 40,727
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, Fraser, B.Lyons, P.Richardson, N.Martin (Rees), Cormack, Storey-Moore
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, Storey, McLintock (1), Simpson, G.Armstrong, G.Graham, Radford, R.Kennedy (1), George (1)

Stoke City v Blackpool FC 1-1 (1-1)
 Tuesday, 13 April 1971, Victoria Ground, attendance: 13,916
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Skeels, D.Smith, A.Bloor, J.Mahoney, Bernard, Ritchie, Jump (1), Haslegrave (Elder)
 BFC: Taylor; Alcock, Bentley, P.Nicholson, G.James, Suddaby, Kemp, Rowe, Craven, J.Johnston, Hutchison (1)

Burnley FC v West Ham United 1-0 (0-0)
 Tuesday, 13 April 1971, Turf Moor, attendance: 15,822
 BFC: Walters; Angus, Latcham, Docherty, M.Dobson, Nulty (1), Casper, Coates, Fletcher, Bellamy, D.Collins
 WHU: Ferguson; McDowell, Howe, Bonds, T.Taylor, R.Moore, Redknapp, Eustace, G.Hurst, B.S.Robson, C.Best

Coventry City v Manchester United 2-1 (1-0)
 Tuesday, 13 April 1971, Highfield Road, attendance: 33,818
 CCFC: Glazier; Reaney, Cattlin, E.Machin, Blockley, Strong, Alderson (D.Mortimer), W.Carr, Rafferty, R.Hunt II (2), D.Clements
 MFC: Stepany; Dunne, F.Burns, Crerand, P.Edwards, Stiles, G.Best (1), Gowling, R.Charlton, Kidd, W.Morgan

Table

| | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR | Top Scorers |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|----|----|------|-------------------------------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 38 | 24 | 10 | 04 | 58-18 | 65 | 28 | 2.32 | 01 A.Brown (West Bromwich) 26 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 36 | 25 | 06 | 05 | 56-16 | 65 | 26 | 2.50 | 02 M.Chivers (Tottenham) 20 " |
| 03 Chelsea FC | 38 | 17 | 13 | 08 | 47-29 | 49 | 39 | 1.26 | 03 R.Kennedy (Arsenal) 18 " |
| 04 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 38 | 20 | 07 | 11 | 47-29 | 62 | 52 | 1.19 | A.Clark (Leeds) 18 " |
| 05 Tottenham Hotspur | 36 | 16 | 12 | 08 | 44-28 | 49 | 31 | 1.58 | 05 Storey-Moore (Nottingham) 17 " |
| 06 Liverpool FC | 37 | 14 | 15 | 08 | 43-31 | 36 | 22 | 1.64 | Royle (Everton) 17 " |
| 07 Southampton FC | 37 | 15 | 12 | 10 | 42-32 | 48 | 38 | 1.26 | R.Gould (Wolverhampton) 17 " |
| 08 Manchester City | 37 | 12 | 15 | 10 | 39-35 | 41 | 32 | 1.28 | Channon (Southampton) 15 " |
| 09 Newcastle United | 38 | 13 | 12 | 13 | 38-38 | 40 | 42 | 0.95 | H.Curran (Wolverhampton) 15 " |
| 10 Coventry City | 38 | 14 | 09 | 15 | 37-39 | 31 | 36 | 0.86 | Radford (Arsenal) 15 " |
| 11 Everton FC | 39 | 12 | 12 | 15 | 36-42 | 53 | 55 | 0.96 | R.Davies (Southampton) 15 " |
| 12 Manchester United | 37 | 13 | 10 | 14 | 36-38 | 52 | 55 | 0.95 | 12 G.Best (Man.U.) 13 " |
| 13 Derby County | 38 | 13 | 09 | 16 | 35-41 | 49 | 52 | 0.94 | C.Bell (Man.C.) 13 " |
| 14 Stoke City | 37 | 11 | 12 | 14 | 34-40 | 42 | 45 | 0.93 | Giles (Leeds) 13 " |
| 15 Huddersfield Town | 38 | 10 | 13 | 15 | 33-43 | 37 | 44 | 0.84 | 15 Astle (West Bromwich) 12 " |
| 16 Crystal Palace | 37 | 11 | 11 | 15 | 33-41 | 33 | 41 | 0.80 | Weller (Chelsea) 12 " |
| 17 Nottingham Forest | 38 | 13 | 07 | 18 | 33-43 | 40 | 55 | 0.70 | B.S.Robson (Newcastle/WHU) 12 " |
| 18 West Bromwich Albion | 38 | 09 | 14 | 15 | 32-44 | 54 | 67 | 0.81 | G.Hurst (West Ham) 12 " |
| 19 Ipswich Town | 38 | 11 | 08 | 19 | 30-46 | 38 | 45 | 0.84 | F.Lee (Man.C.) 12 " |
| 20 West Ham United | 38 | 08 | 13 | 17 | 29-47 | 43 | 57 | 0.75 | 20 O'Hare (Derby) 11 " |
| 21 Burnley FC | 37 | 06 | 13 | 18 | 25-49 | 27 | 56 | 0.48 | Lorimer (Leeds) 11 " |
| 22 Blackpool FC | 38 | 03 | 13 | 22 | 19-57 | 28 | 61 | 0.46 | Ritchie (Stoke) 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Conroy (Stoke) 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | | G.Grahan (Arsenal) 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 25 A.W.Evans (Liverpool) 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Law (Man.U.) 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Viljoen (Ipswich) 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | N.Martin (Coventry/Forest) 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Hector (Derby) 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 30 F.Worthington (Huddersfield) 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Birchenall (Palace) 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | A.Hinton (Derby) 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Gilzean (Tottenham) 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | J.Greaves (West Ham) 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | | 36 Peters (Tottenham) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | Gowling (Man.U.) 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | | M.Burns (Blackpool) 8 " |

Week 39

Arsenal FC v Newcastle United 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 17 April 1971, Highbury, attendance: 48,106
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, Storey, McLintock, Simpson, G.Armstrong, G.Graham, Radford, R.Kennedy, George (1)
 NUFC: McFaul; Craggs, F.Clark, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, Foggon, Tudor, K.Dyson, J.Smith, D.Young

Liverpool FC v Tottenham Hotspur 0-0
 Saturday, 17 April 1971, Anfield Road, attendance: 49,363
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, A.Lindsay, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, I.Ross, A.W.Evans, Heighway, Toshack, B.Hall
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear (Pearce), C.Knowles, Mullery, P.Collins, Beal, Gilzean, Perryman, M.Chivers, Peters, Pratt

Coventry City v Burnley FC 3-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 17 April 1971, Highfield Road, attendance: 18,365
 CFC: Glazier; W.Smith, Cattlin, E.Machin, Blockley, R.Parker, Alderson (D.Mortimer), W.Carr, Rafferty (1), R.Hunt II (2), D.Clements
 BFC: Walters; Angus, Latcham, Docherty, M.Dobson, Nulty, Casper (Probert), Coates, Fletcher, Bellamy, D.Collins

Leeds United v West Bromwich Albion 1-2 (0-1)
 Saturday, 17 April 1971, Elland Road, attendance: 36,812
 LFC: Sprake; Reaney, Cooper, Bates (Davey), J.Charlton, N.Hunter, W.Bremner, A.Clark (1), M.Jones, Giles, E.Gray
 WBA: Cumbes; L.Hughes, A.Merrick, Lovett, Wile, Kaye, Suggett, A.Brown (1), Astle (1), R.Hope, Hartford

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Southampton FC 0-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 17 April 1971, Molineux, attendance: 23,760
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog, O'Grady, R.Gould, H.Curran (K.Hibbitt), Wagstaffe
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon (1), R.Davies, B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins

Derby County v Everton FC 3-1 (1-0)
 Saturday, 17 April 1971, Baseball Ground, attendance: 28,793
 Derby: Boulton; C.Todd, J.Robson, Durban, McFarland, Mackay, McGovern, Bourne, O'Hare (2), Hector (1), A.Hinton
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright, H.Newton, Kendall, Kenyon, C.Harvey, Whittle (1), Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, D.Johnson

Crystal Palace v Manchester United 3-5 (2-1)
 Saturday, 17 April 1971, Selhurst Park, attendance: 39,145
 Palace: J.Jackson; D.Payne, Wall, Hoadley, McCormick, A.Taylor, T.Wharton (Queen 1), Kember, Tambling (1), Birchenall (1), J.Scott
 MUF: Stepney; Fitzpatrick, Dunne, Czerand (F.Burns), P.Edwards, Sadler, G.Best (2), Gowling, R.Charlton, Law (3), W.Morgan

Blackpool FC v Nottingham Forest 2-3 (2-2)
 Saturday, 17 April 1971, Bloomfield Road, attendance: 10,028
 BFC: Taylor; D.Hatton, Bentley, J.Johnston, G.James, Suddaby (M.Burns), McGrotty (1), A.Green, Craven (1), Wann, Hutchison
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley (1), Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane (Rees), Fraser, T.Jackson, P.Richardson, Cormack (1), McKenzie, Storey-Moore (1)

Manchester City v Chelsea FC 1-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 17 April 1971, Maine Road, attendance: 26,120
 MCF: Corrigan; Book, D.Connor, Towers (F.Hill), Booth, Donachie, J.Johnson, S.Carter, F.Lee (1), N.Young, A.Mann
 CFC: Phillips; R.Harris, McCreddie, Hollins, Dempsey, D.Webb, Weller (1, Droy), Smethurst, Baldwin, J.Boyle, Houseman

Ipswich Town v Huddersfield Town 2-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 17 April 1971, Portman Road, attendance: 16,624
 Town: Best; Hammond, C.Harper, P.Morris, R.Bell, Jefferson, J.Robertson, Vlijoen (J.Miller), F.Clark (1), M.Mills, M.Hill (1)
 Hudd.: D.Lawson; D.Clark, A.Jones, J.Nicholson, Ellam, Cherry, S.Smith, B.Mahoney, F.Worthington, McGill, J.Lawson

West Ham United v Stoke City 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 17 April 1971, Upton Park, attendance: 26,500
 WHU: Ferguson; McDowell, Lampard, Stephenson, T.Taylor, R.Moore, Redknapp, Bonds, G.Hurst (1), B.S.Robson, J.Greaves
 Stoke: Banks; Skeels, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, A.Bloor, Jump (Lees), J.Greenhoff, Ritchie, J.Mahoney, Haslegrave

Arsenal FC v Burnley FC 1-0 (1-0)
 Tuesday, 20 April 1971, Highbury, attendance: 47,484
 Arsenal: Rice, J.Roberts, E.Kelly, McLintock, Simpson, G.Armstrong, G.Graham, Radford, R.Kennedy, George (1)
 BFC: Mellor; C.Waldron, Latcham, Docherty (Angus), M.Dobson, Nulty, D.Thomas, D.Collins, Fletcher, Bellamy, Probert

Manchester United v Liverpool FC 0-2 (0-1)
 Tuesday, 20 April 1971, Old Trafford, attendance: 44,004
 MUF: Stepney; Dunne, F.Burns, Czerand, P.Edwards, Sadler, G.Best, Gowling, R.Charlton, Law, W.Morgan
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, Yeats, T.Smith, I.Ross, J.T.McLaughlin, Callaghan, P.Thompson, Heighway (1), Toshack, B.Hall - 1 o.g. Edwards

| Table | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR | Top Scorers |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|---------------------------------|-------------|
| 01 Arsenal FC | 38 | 27 | 06 | 05 | 60-16 | 67-26 | 2.58 | 01 A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 27 goals |
| 02 Leeds United | 39 | 24 | 10 | 05 | 58-20 | 66-30 | 2.20 | 02 M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 20 " |
| 03 Chelsea FC | 39 | 17 | 14 | 08 | 48-30 | 50-40 | 1.25 | 03 A.Clark (Leeds) | 19 " |
| 04 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 39 | 20 | 07 | 12 | 47-31 | 62-53 | 1.17 | 04 R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 18 " |
| 05 Liverpool FC | 39 | 15 | 16 | 08 | 46-32 | 38-22 | 1.73 | Storey-Moore (Nottingham) | 18 " |
| 06 Tottenham Hotspur | 37 | 16 | 13 | 08 | 45-29 | 49-31 | 1.58 | 06 Royle (Everton) | 17 " |
| 07 Southampton FC | 38 | 16 | 12 | 10 | 44-32 | 49-38 | 1.29 | R.Gould (Wolverhampton) | 17 " |
| 08 Manchester City | 38 | 12 | 16 | 10 | 40-36 | 42-33 | 1.27 | 08 Channon (Southampton) | 16 " |
| 09 Coventry City | 39 | 15 | 09 | 15 | 39-39 | 34-36 | 0.94 | 09 G.Best (Man.U.) | 15 " |
| 10 Manchester United | 39 | 14 | 10 | 15 | 38-40 | 57-60 | 0.95 | H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 15 " |
| 11 Newcastle United | 39 | 13 | 12 | 14 | 38-40 | 40-43 | 0.93 | Radford (Arsenal) | 15 " |
| 12 Derby County | 39 | 14 | 09 | 16 | 37-41 | 52-53 | 0.98 | 12 R.Davies (Southampton) | 15 " |
| 13 Everton FC | 40 | 12 | 12 | 16 | 36-44 | 54-58 | 0.93 | 13 F.Lee (Man.C.) | 13 " |
| 14 Nottingham Forest | 39 | 14 | 07 | 18 | 35-43 | 42-58 | 0.72 | Astle (West Bromwich) | 13 " |
| 15 Stoke City | 38 | 11 | 12 | 15 | 34-42 | 42-46 | 0.91 | O'Hare (Derby) | 13 " |
| 16 West Bromwich Albion | 39 | 10 | 14 | 15 | 34-44 | 56-68 | 0.82 | Law (Man.U.) | 13 " |
| 07 Huddersfield Town | 39 | 10 | 13 | 16 | 33-45 | 37-46 | 0.80 | Weller (Chelsea) | 13 " |
| 18 Crystal Palace | 38 | 11 | 11 | 16 | 33-43 | 36-46 | 0.78 | G.Hurst (West Ham) | 13 " |
| 19 Ipswich Town | 39 | 12 | 08 | 19 | 32-46 | 40-45 | 0.89 | Giles (Leeds) | 13 " |
| 20 West Ham United | 39 | 09 | 13 | 17 | 31-47 | 44-57 | 0.77 | C.Bell (Man.C.) | 13 " |
| 21 Burnley FC | 39 | 06 | 13 | 20 | 25-53 | 27-60 | 0.45 | 21 B.S.Robson (Newcastle/WHU) | 12 " |
| 22 Blackpool FC | 39 | 03 | 13 | 23 | 19-59 | 30-64 | 0.47 | 22 Ritchie (Stoke) | 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | Conroy (Stoke) | 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | Hector (Derby) | 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | Lorimer (Leeds) | 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | Dougan (Wolverhampton) | 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | G.Graham (Arsenal) | 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | 28 Birchenall (Palace) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | Viljoen (Ipswich) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | N.Martin (Coventry/Forest) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | 32 F.Worthington (Huddersfield) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | Gilzean (Tottenham) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | A.Hinton (Derby) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | J.Greaves (West Ham) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | 36 Peters (Tottenham) | 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | Queen (Palace) | 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | Gowling (Man.U.) | 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | R.Hunt II (Coventry) | 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | M.Burns (Blackpool) | 8 " |
| | | | | | | | | Cormack (Nottingham) | 8 " |

Week 40

Southampton FC v Leeds United 0-3 (0-2)
 Saturday, 24 April 1971, The Dell, attendance: 30,001
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon, R.Davies, B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins
 LFC: Sprake; Madeley, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Bates, A.Clark, M.Jones (2), Giles, E.Gray - 1 o.g. Hollywood

Chelsea FC v Coventry City 2-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 24 April 1971, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 27,517
 CFC: Bonetti; J.Boyle, R.Harris, Hollins (McCreddie), Dempsey, D.Webb, Weller, Smethurst (1), Feeley (1), A.Hudson, Houseman
 CFC: Glazier; W.Smith, Cattlin, E.Machin, Blockley, R.Parker, D.Mortimer, W.Carr, Rafferty, R.Hunt II (1), D.Clements

West Bromwich Albion v Arsenal FC 2-2 (1-1)
 Saturday, 24 April 1971, The Hawthorns, attendance: 36,858
 WBA: Cumbes; L.Hughes, A.Merrick, Lovett, Wile, Kaye, Suggett, A.Brown (1), Astle, R.Hope, Hartford (1)
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, McNab (46. Sannels), Storey, McLintock (1), Simpson, G.Armstrong, Graham, Radford, Kennedy, George - 1 o.g. Hartford

Newcastle United v West Ham United 1-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 24 April 1971, St. James Park, attendance: 22,720
 NUFC: McFaul; Craggs, F.Clark, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, Foggon, Tudor (1), K.Dyson, J.Smith, D.Young
 WHU: Ferguson; McDowell, Lampard, Stephenson, T.Taylor, R.Moore, Redknapp, Bonds, G.Hurst (1), B.S.Robson, Howe

Everton FC v Blackpool FC 0-0
 Saturday, 24 April 1971, Goodison Park, attendance: 26,286
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright, H.Newton, Kendall, Kenyon, C.Harvey, Whittle, Ball, Royle, J.Hurst, D.Johnson
 BFC: Burridge; D.Hatton, Bentley, J.Johnston, G.James, Alcock, McGrotty (P.Nicholson), A.Green, Craven, Wann, Hutchison

Nottingham Forest v Liverpool FC 0-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 24 April 1971, City Ground, attendance: 20,678
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, Fraser, T.Jackson (Rees), P.Richardson, McKenzie, Cormack, Storey-Moore
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, Yeats, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes, Callaghan, P.Thompson, Heighway, Toshack, B.Hall (1)

Burnley FC v Derby County 1-2 (1-0)
 Saturday, 24 April 1971, Turf Moor, attendance: 10,349
 NFFC: Mellor; Angus, Latcham, Probert, M.Dobson, Nulty, Coates, Bellamy, D.Wilson, Casper (1), D.Collins
 Derby: Boulton; C.Todd, J.Robson, Durban (1), Channon, McFarland, Mackay, McGovern (1), Bourne, O'Hare, Hector, A.Hinton

Tottenham Hotspur v Crystal Palace 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 24 April 1971, White Hart Lane, attendance: 28,619
 Spurs: Jennings; R.Evans, C.Knowles (Pearce), Mullery, P.Collins, Beal, Gilzean, Perryman (1), M.Chivers, Peters, Neighbour - 1 o.g. Blyth
 Palace: J.Jackson; D.Payne (J.Scott), Wall, Hoadley, McCormick, Blyth, Tambling, Kember, Birchenall, Queen, A.Taylor

Stoke City v Manchester City 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 24 April 1971, Victoria Ground, attendance: 14,836
 Stoke: Banks; Skeels, Pejic, Bernard (1), D.Smith, Lees, J.Mahoney, J.Greenhoff, Ritchie (1), Jump, Haslegrave
 MCF: Corrigan; Book, A.Mann, Towers, Booth, Donachie, J.Johnson, D.Connor, F.Lee, F.Hill, N.Young

Manchester United v Ipswich Town 3-2 (2-1)
 Saturday, 24 April 1971, Old Trafford, attendance: 33,566
 MUF: Stepney; Dunne, F.Burns, Czerand, S.James, Sadler (Satori), G.Best (1), Law, R.Charlton (1), Gowling, Kidd (1)
 Town: Best; Hammond (C.Woods), C.Harper, P.Morris (1), R.Bell, Jefferson, J.Robertson, M.Hill, F.Clark (1), M.Mills, J.Miller

Huddersfield Town v Wolverhampton Wanderers 1-2 (1-2)
 Saturday, 24 April 1971, Leeds Road, attendance: 13,580
 Hudd.: D.Lawson; D.Clark, A.Jones, J.Nicholson (1), Ellam, Cherry, S.Smith, B.Mahoney, F.Worthington, McGill, J.Lawson
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog (1), O'Grady, Dougan (K.Hibbitt), H.Curran (1), Wagstaffe

| Table | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR | Top Scorers |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|------------------------------|-------------|
| 01 Arsenal FC | 39 | 27 | 07 | 05 | 61-17 | 69-28 | 2.46 | 01 A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 28 goals |
| 02 Leeds United | 40 | 25 | 10 | 05 | 60-20 | 69-30 | 2.30 | 02 M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 20 " |
| 03 Chelsea FC | 40 | 18 | 14 | 08 | 50-30 | 52-41 | 1.27 | 03 A.Clark (Leeds) | 19 " |
| 04 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 40 | 21 | 07 | 12 | 49-31 | 64-54 | 1.19 | 04 R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 18 " |
| 05 Liverpool FC | 40 | 16 | 16 | 08 | 48-32 | 39-22 | 1.77 | Storey-Moore (Nottingham) | 18 " |
| 06 Tottenham Hotspur | 38 | 17 | 13 | 08 | 47-29 | 51-31 | 1.65 | 07 Royle (Everton) | 17 " |
| 07 Southampton FC | 39 | 16 | 12 | 11 | 44-34 | 49-41 | 1.20 | R.Gould (Wolverhampton) | 17 " |
| 08 Manchester City | 39 | 12 | 16 | 11 | 40-38 | 42-35 | 1.20 | 09 H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 16 " |
| 09 Manchester United | 40 | 15 | 10 | 15 | 40-40 | 60-62 | 0.97 | G.Best (Man.U.) | 16 " |
| 10 Derby County | 40 | 15 | 09 | 16 | 39-41 | 54-54 | 1.00 | Channon (Southampton) | 16 " |
| 11 Newcastle United | 40 | 13 | 13 | 14 | 39-41 | 41-44 | 0.93 | 12 R.Davies (Southampton) | 15 " |
| 12 Coventry City | 40 | 15 | 09 | 16 | 39-41 | 35-38 | 0.92 | Radford (Arsenal) | 15 " |
| 13 Everton FC | 41 | 12 | 13 | 16 | 37-45 | 54-58 | 0.93 | 14 G.Hurst (West Ham) | 14 " |
| 14 Stoke City | 39 | 12 | 12 | 15 | 36-42 | 43-46 | 0.93 | 15 Astle (West Bromwich) | 13 " |
| 15 West Bromwich Albion | 40 | 10 | 15 | 15 | 35-45 | 58-70 | 0.83 | Weller (Chelsea) | 13 " |
| 16 Nottingham Forest | 40 | 14 | 07 | 19 | 35-45 | 42-59 | 0.71 | Law (Man.U.) | 13 " |
| 17 Huddersfield Town | 40 | 10 | 13 | 17 | 33-47 | 38-48 | 0.79 | C.Bell (Man.C.) | 13 " |
| 18 Crystal Palace | 39 | 11 | 11 | 17 | 33-45 | 36-48 | 0.75 | Giles (Leeds) | 13 " |
| 19 Ipswich Town | 40 | 12 | 08 | 20 | 32-48 | 42-48 | 0.88 | O'Hare (Derby) | 13 " |
| 20 West Ham United | 40 | 09 | 14 | 17 | 32-48 | 45-58 | 0.78 | F.Lee (Man.C.) | 13 " |
| 21 Burnley FC | 40 | 06 | 13 | 21 | 25-55 | 28-62 | 0.45 | 22 Ritchie (Stoke) | 12 " |
| 22 Blackpool FC | 40 | 03 | 14 | 23 | 20-60 | 30-64 | 0.47 | B.S.Robson (Newcastle/WHU) | 12 " |
| | | | | | | | | 24 Lorimer (Leeds) | 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | Hector (Derby) | 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | Dougan (Wolverhampton) | 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | G.Graham (Arsenal) | 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | Conroy (Stoke) | 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | 29 Birchenall (Palace) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | N.Martin (Coventry/Forest) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | Viljoen (Ipswich) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | 33 Gilzean (Tottenham) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | R.Hunt II (Coventry) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | A.Hinton (Derby) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | J.Greaves (West Ham) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | F.Worthington (Huddersfield) | 9 " |

Week 41

Leeds United v Arsenal FC 1-0 (0-0)
 Monday, 26 April 1971, Elland Road, attendance: 48,350
 BFC: Sprake: Madeley, Cooper, W.Bremner, J.Charlton (1), N.Hunter, Bates, A.Clarke, M.Jones, Giles, E.Gray
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, Storey, McLintock, Simpson, G.Armstrong, G.Graham, Radford, R.Kennedy, George

Blackpool FC v Crystal Palace 3-1 (2-0)
 Monday, 26 April 1971, Bloomfield Road, attendance: 8,905
 BFC: Burridge; D.Hatton, Bentley, G.Heslop, M.Burns (2), A.Green, Craven (1), Wann (P.Nicholson), Hutchison
 Palace: J.Jackson; Sewell, Wall, Hoadley, Blyth, Kember, J.Scott, Tambling (T.Wharton), Birchenall, Queen (1), A.Taylor

Chelsea FC v Burnley FC 0-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 27 April 1971, Stamford Bridge, attendance: 14,356
 CFC: Phillips; R.Harris, Mulligan, J.Boyle, Droy, D.Webb, C.Cooke, Feeley, P.Osgood (McCreadie), A.Hudson, Smethurst
 BFC: Waiters; Angus, H.Wilson, Probert, M.Dobson, Nulty, D.Thomas, Coates, Casper, D.Collins, Kindon (1)

Manchester City v Liverpool FC 2-2 (1-2)
 Monday, 26 April 1971, Maine Road, attendance: 17,975
 MFC: Healey; Towers, Donachie, G.Heslop, Booth (Mellor), H.White, Carrodus, J.Johnson, Bowyer, A.Mann, S.Carter (1') - 1 o.g. Ross
 LFC: Lawrence; Fagan, R.Q.Evans, I.Ross, Yeats, J.T.McLaughlin, Arnold, A.W.Evans, R.Graham (2), Whitham, Boersma

Southampton FC v West Ham United 1-2 (0-1)
 Saturday, 27 April 1971, The Dell, attendance: 19,935
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon, R.Davies (1), B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins
 WHU: Ferguson; McDowell, Lampard, Stephenson, T.Taylor (1), R.Moore, Howe, Bonds, G.Hurst (1), B.S.Robson, Llewellyn

Nottingham Forest v Stoke City 0-0
 Tuesday, 27 April 1971, City Ground, attendance: 13,503
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, Fraser, T.Jackson (Rees), P.Richardson, McKenzie, Cormack, Storey-Moore
 Stoke: Banks; Skeels, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, Lees, J.Mahoney, J.Marsh, J.Greenhoff, Jump, Haslegrave

Coventry City v Derby County 0-0
 Tuesday, 27 April 1971, Highfield Road, attendance: 21,885
 CFC: Glazier; W.Smith, Cattlin, E.Machin, Blockley, R.Parker, D.Mortimer, W.Carr, Rafferty, R.Hunt II, D.Clements
 DCFB: Boulton; C.Todd, J.Robson, Durban, McFarland, Mackay, McGovern, Gemmill, O'Hare, Hector, A.Hinton

Tottenham Hotspur v Huddersfield Town 1-1 (0-1)
 Wednesday, 28 April 1971, White Hart Lane, attendance: 18,827
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, P.Collins, Beal, Gilzean, Perryman, M.Chivers (1), Peters, Neighbour
 Hudd.: D.Lawson; D.Clarke, A.Jones, J.Nicholson, Elam, Cherry (1), S.Smith (M.Barry), B.Mahoney, F.Worthington, McGill, J.Lawson

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Ipswich Town 0-0
 Wednesday, 28 April 1971, Molineux, attendance: 25,000
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog, K.Hibbitt, Dougan, H.Curran, Wagstaffe
 Town: Best; Carroll, C.Harper, P.Morris, R.Bell, Jefferson, J.Robertson, M.Mills, Shanahan, J.Miller, M.Hill

Newcastle United v West Bromwich Albion 3-0 (0-0)
 Wednesday, 28 April 1971, St. James Park, attendance: 18,310
 NUFC: McFaul; Craggs, F.Clark, Gibb, McNamee, Moncur, W.Davies, Tudor (1), K.Dyson, J.Smith (1), D.Young (1)
 WBA: Cumbes; L.Hughes, A.Merrick, Lovett, Wile, Kaye, Suggett, A.Brown, Astle, R.Hope (Castello), Hartford

Table

| | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR | Top Scorers |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|------------------------------|-------------|
| 01 Leeds United | 41 | 26 | 10 | 05 | 62-20 | 70:30 | 2:33 | 01 A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 28 goals |
| 02 Arsenal FC | 40 | 27 | 07 | 06 | 61-19 | 69:29 | 2:38 | 02 M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 21 " |
| 03 Chelsea FC | 41 | 18 | 14 | 09 | 50-32 | 52:42 | 1:24 | 03 A.Clarke (Leeds) | 19 " |
| 04 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 41 | 21 | 08 | 12 | 50-32 | 64:54 | 1:19 | 04 Storey-Moore (Nottingham) | 18 " |
| 05 Liverpool FC | 41 | 16 | 17 | 08 | 49-33 | 41:24 | 1:71 | R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 18 " |
| 06 Tottenham Hotspur | 39 | 17 | 14 | 08 | 48-30 | 52:32 | 1:63 | 06 R.Gould (Wolverhampton) | 17 " |
| 07 Southampton FC | 40 | 16 | 12 | 12 | 44-36 | 50:43 | 1:16 | Royle (Everton) | 17 " |
| 08 Manchester City | 40 | 12 | 17 | 11 | 41-39 | 44:37 | 1:19 | 08 G.Best (Man.U.) | 16 " |
| 09 Newcastle United | 41 | 14 | 13 | 14 | 41-41 | 44:44 | 1:00 | H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 16 " |
| 10 Derby County | 41 | 15 | 10 | 16 | 40-42 | 54:54 | 1:00 | Channon (Southampton) | 16 " |
| 11 Manchester United | 40 | 15 | 10 | 15 | 40-40 | 60:62 | 0:97 | R.Davies (Southampton) | 16 " |
| 12 Coventry City | 41 | 15 | 10 | 16 | 40-42 | 35:38 | 0:92 | 12 Radford (Arsenal) | 15 " |
| 13 Stoke City | 40 | 12 | 13 | 15 | 37-43 | 44:46 | 0:96 | G.Hurst (West Ham) | 15 " |
| 14 Everton FC | 41 | 12 | 13 | 16 | 37-45 | 54:58 | 0:93 | 14 Astle (West Bromwich) | 13 " |
| 15 Nottingham Forest | 41 | 14 | 08 | 19 | 36-46 | 42:59 | 0:71 | F.Lee (Man.C.) | 13 " |
| 16 West Bromwich Albion | 41 | 10 | 15 | 16 | 35-47 | 58:73 | 0:79 | O'Hare (Derby) | 13 " |
| 17 West Ham United | 41 | 10 | 14 | 17 | 34-48 | 47:59 | 0:80 | Weller (Chelsea) | 13 " |
| 18 Huddersfield Town | 41 | 10 | 14 | 17 | 34-48 | 39:49 | 0:80 | C.Bell (Man.C.) | 13 " |
| 19 Ipswich Town | 41 | 12 | 09 | 20 | 33-49 | 42:48 | 0:88 | Giles (Leeds) | 13 " |
| 20 Crystal Palace | 40 | 11 | 11 | 18 | 33-47 | 37:51 | 0:73 | Law (Man.U.) | 13 " |
| 21 Burnley FC | 41 | 07 | 13 | 21 | 27-55 | 29:62 | 0:47 | 21 Ritchie (Stoke) | 12 " |
| 22 Blackpool FC | 41 | 04 | 14 | 23 | 22-60 | 33:65 | 0:51 | B.S.Robson (Newcastle/WHU) | 12 " |
| | | | | | | | | 23 Hector (Derby) | 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | Lorimer (Leeds) | 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | Conroy (Stoke) | 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | Dougan (Wolverhampton) | 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | G.Grahan (Arsenal) | 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | 28 Birchenall (Palace) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | M.Burns (Blackpool) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | Viljoen (Ipswich) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | N.Martin (Coventry/Forest) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | 32 R.Hunt II (Coventry) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | Queen (Palace) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | J.Greaves (West Ham) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | F.Worthington (Huddersfield) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | A.Hinton (Derby) | 9 " |
| | | | | | | | | Gilzean (Tottenham) | 9 " |

Week 42

Arsenal FC v Stoke City 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 1 May 1971, Highbury, attendance: 55,011
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, Storey (E.Kelly 1), McLintock, Simpson, G.Armstrong, G.Graham, Radford, R.Kennedy, George
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard, D.Smith, Lees, J.Mahoney, J.Greenhoff, Skeels, Jump (Elder), Haslegrave

Leeds United v Nottingham Forest 2-0 (2-0)
 Saturday, 1 May 1971, Elland Road, attendance: 43,083
 LUF: Sprake; Madeley, Cooper, W.Bremner (1), J.Charlton, N.Hunter, Lorimer (1), A.Clarke, M.Jones, Giles, E.Gray
 NFFC: J.Barron; Hindley, Winfield, R.Chapman, O'Kane, Fraser, T.Jackson, P.Richardson, McKenzie, Cormack, Storey-Moore (Rees)

Manchester City v Tottenham Hotspur 0-1 (0-1)
 Saturday, 1 May 1971, Maine Road, attendance: 19,764
 MFC: Healey; Book, D.Connor, Towers, G.Heslop, Mellor, Bowyer (S.Carter), F.Hill, F.Lee, N.Young, Donachie
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Pratt, P.Collins, Beal, Gilzean, Perryman (1), M.Chivers, Peters, Neighbour

Blackpool FC v Manchester United 1-1 (1-1)
 Saturday, 1 May 1971, Bloomfield Road, attendance: 29,857
 BFC: Burridge; Armfield, D.Hatton, J.Johnson (Bentley), G.James, Alcock, M.Burns, A.Green (1), Craven, Wann, Hutchison
 MUFC: Stepney; Dunne, F.Burns, Crerand, Sadler, S.James, Gowling, Law (1), R.Charlton, Kidd, G.Best

Crystal Palace v Everton FC 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 1 May 1971, Selhurst Park, attendance: 21,590
 Palace: J.Jackson; Hoadley (1), Wall, Kember (1), McCormick, Blyth, T.Wharton, Tambling, Birchenall (J.Scott), Queen, A.Taylor
 EFC: Rankin; T.Wright, H.Newton, Kendall, Labone, Kenyon, D.Johnson, Ball, Royle, C.Harvey, Morrissey

Liverpool FC v Southampton FC 1-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 1 May 1971, Anfield Road, attendance: 38,427
 LFC: Clemence; Lawler, A.Lindsay, T.Smith, Lloyd, E.Hughes (1), Callaghan, P.Thompson, Heighway, Toshack, B.Hall
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Hollywood, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel, Paine, Channon, R.Davies, B.O'Neil, T.Jenkins

Ipswich Town v Chelsea FC 0-0
 Saturday, 1 May 1971, Portman Road, attendance: 24,706
 Town: Best; Carroll, C.Harper, P.Morris, R.Bell, Jefferson, J.Robertson, Shanahan (82. C.Woods), M.Hill, M.Mills, J.Miller
 CFC: Bonetti; Mulligan, R.Harris, J.Boyle, Dempsey, D.Webb, Weller, Smethurst, C.Cooke, A.Hudson, Houseman

Derby County v West Bromwich Albion 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 1 May 1971, Baseball Ground, attendance: 33,651
 Derby: Boulton; Webster, J.Richardson, C.Todd, McFarland, Mackay, Gemmill, Durban (1), O'Hare, Hector, A.Hinton (1)
 WBA: Cumbes; R.Wilson II, A.Merrick, Castello, Wile, Kaye, McVitie, Suggett, Astle, A.Brown, Hartford

Coventry City v Newcastle United 2-0 (1-0)
 Saturday, 1 May 1971, Highfield Road, attendance: 20,596
 CFC: Glazier; W.Smith, Cattlin, E.Machin, Blockley (1), R.Barry, Alderson, W.Carr, R.Hunt II (1), Rafferty (D.Mortimer), D.Clements
 NUFC: McFaul; D.Craig, F.Clark, Craggs, McNamee, Natrass, Gibb, W.Davies, K.Dyson, J.Smith, D.Young

Wolverhampton Wanderers v Burnley FC 1-0 (0-0)
 Saturday, 1 May 1971, Molineux, attendance: 19,617
 Wolves: Parkes; B.Shaw, D.Parkin, M.Bailey, F.Munro, McAlle, McCalliog, K.Hibbitt, Dougan (1), H.Curran (O'Grady), Wagstaffe
 BFC: Waiters; Angus, H.Wilson, Probert, M.Dobson, Nulty, D.Thomas, Coates, Casper, Kindon, D.Collins

West Ham United v Huddersfield Town 0-1 (0-0)
 Saturday, 1 May 1971, Upton Park, attendance: 24,983
 WHU: Ferguson; McDowell, Lampard, Stephenson, T.Taylor, R.Moore, Redknapp, Bonds, G.Hurst, B.S.Robson, J.Greaves
 Hudd.: D.Lawson; D.Clarke, A.Jones, J.Nicholson, Elam, Cherry, M.Barry, B.Mahoney, F.Worthington, McGill, J.Lawson (1)

Tottenham Hotspur v Arsenal FC 0-1 (0-0)
 Monday, 3 May 1971, White Hart Lane, attendance: 51,992
 Spurs: Jennings; Kinnear, C.Knowles, Mullery, P.Collins, Beal, Gilzean (Pearce), Perryman, M.Chivers, Peters, Neighbour
 AFC: Wilson; Rice, R.McNab, E.Kelly, McLintock, Simpson, G.Armstrong, G.Graham, Radford, R.Kennedy (1), George

Southampton FC v Crystal Palace 6-0 (3-0)
 Tuesday, 4 May 1971, The Dell, attendance: 15,980
 SFC: Martin; Kirkup, Fry, Fisher, J.McGrath, Gabriel (1), Paine, Channon (2), R.Davies (1), B.O'Neil (1), Harfield (1)
 Palace: J.Jackson; Loughlan, Wall, Kember, Hoadley (Sewell), Blyth, T.Wharton, Tambling, J.Scott, Queen, A.Taylor

Manchester City v Manchester United 3-4 (0-3)
 Wednesday, 5 May 1971, Maine Road, attendance: 43,626
 MFC: Healey; Book, D.Connor, Towers, G.Heslop, Donachie, S.Carter, Mellor (1), F.Lee (1), N.Young, F.Hill (1)
 MUFC: Stepney; T.O'Neil, F.Burns, Crerand, S.James, Sadler, Law (1), Gowling, R.Charlton (1), Kidd, G.Best (2)

Stoke City v Tottenham Hotspur 0-1 (0-1)
 Wednesday, 5 May 1971, Victoria Ground, attendance: 14,000
 Stoke: Banks; J.Marsh, Pejic, Bernard (Jump), D.Smith, Lees, J.Mahoney, J.Greenhoff, Ritchie, Skeels, Haslegrave
 Spurs: Jennings; R.Evans, Want, Mullery, P.Collins, Beal, Gilzean (Pearce), Perryman, M.Chivers, Peters (1), Neighbour

| | P | W | D | L | Pts | GF | GA | GR | Top Scorers |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------|-------|------|------------------------------|-------------|
| 01 Arsenal FC | 42 | 29 | 07 | 06 | 65-19 | 71:29 | 2:45 | 01 A.Brown (West Bromwich) | 28 goals |
| 02 Leeds United | 42 | 27 | 10 | 05 | 64-20 | 72:30 | 2:40 | 02 M.Chivers (Tottenham) | 21 " |
| 03 Tottenham Hotspur | 42 | 19 | 14 | 09 | 52-32 | 54:33 | 1:64 | 03 R.Kennedy (Arsenal) | 19 " |
| 04 Wolverhampton Wanderers | 42 | 22 | 08 | 12 | 52-32 | 65:54 | 1:20 | A.Clarke (Leeds) | 19 " |
| 05 Liverpool FC | 42 | 17 | 17 | 08 | 51-33 | 42:24 | 1:75 | 05 Storey-Moore (Nottingham) | 18 " |
| 06 Chelsea FC | 42 | 18 | 15 | 09 | 51-33 | 52:42 | 1:24 | G.Best (Man.U.) | 18 " |
| 07 Southampton FC | 42 | 17 | 12 | 13 | 46-38 | 56:44 | 1:27 | Channon (Southampton) | 18 " |
| 08 Manchester United | 42 | 16 | 11 | 15 | 43-41 | 65:66 | 0:98 | 08 R.Gould (Wolverhampton) | 17 " |
| 09 Derby County | 42 | 16 | 10 | 16 | 42-42 | 56:54 | 1:04 | R.Davies (Southampton) | 17 " |
| 10 Coventry City | 42 | 16 | 10 | 16 | 42-42 | 37:38 | 0:97 | Royle (Everton) | 17 " |
| 11 Manchester City | 42 | 12 | 17 | 13 | 41-43 | 47:42 | 1:12 | 11 H.Curran (Wolverhampton) | 16 " |
| 12 Newcastle United | 42 | 14 | 13 | 15 | 41-43 | 44:46 | 0:96 | 12 Law (Man.U.) | 15 " |
| 13 Stoke City | 42 | 12 | 13 | 17 | 37-47 | 44:48 | 0:92 | G.Hurst (West Ham) | 15 " |
| 14 Everton FC | 42 | 12 | 13 | 17 | 37-47 | 54:60 | 0:90 | Radford (Arsenal) | 15 " |
| 15 Huddersfield Town | 42 | 11 | 14 | 17 | 36-48 | 40:49 | 0:82 | 15 F.Lee (Man.C.) | 14 " |
| 16 Nottingham Forest | 42 | 14 | 08 | 20 | 36-48 | 42:61 | 0:69 | 16 Weller (Chelsea) | 13 " |
| 17 West Bromwich Albion | 42 | 10 | 15 | 17 | 35-49 | 58:75 | 0:77 | O'Hare (Derby) | 13 " |
| 18 Crystal Palace | 42 | 12 | 11 | 19 | 35-49 | 39:57 | 0:68 | Giles (Leeds) | 13 " |
| 19 Ipswich Town | 42 | 12 | 10 | 20 | 34-50 | 42:48 | 0:88 | C.Bell (Man.C.) | 13 " |
| 20 West Ham United | 42 | 10 | 14 | 18 | 34-50 | 47:60 | 0:78 | Astle (West Bromwich) | 13 " |
| 21 Burnley FC | 42 | 07 | 13 | 22 | 27-57 | 29:63 | 0:46 | 21 Ritchie (Stoke) | 12 " |
| 22 Blackpool FC | 42 | 04 | 15 | 23 | 23-61 | 34:66 | 0:52 | Dougan (Wolverhampton) | 12 " |
| | | | | | | | | B.S.Robson (Newcastle/WHU) | 12 " |
| | | | | | | | | Lorimer (Leeds) | 12 " |
| | | | | | | | | 25 G.Grahan (Arsenal) | 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | Conroy (Stoke) | 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | Hector (Derby) | 11 " |
| | | | | | | | | 28 A.Hinton (Derby) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | N.Martin (Coventry/Forest) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | Birchenall (Palace) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | M.Burns (Blackpool) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | R.Hunt II (Coventry) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | Viljoen (Ipswich) | 10 " |
| | | | | | | | | A.W.Evans (Liverpool) | 10 " |

Games and Goals

Arsenal FC

Robert Wilson 42/0 Francis McLintock 42/5, George Armstrong 42/7, John Radford 41/15, Patrick Rice 41/0, Ray Kennedy 41/19, Peter Storey 40/2, Robert McNab 40/0, George Graham 38/11, Peter Simpson 25/0, Edward Kelly 23/4, John Roberts 18/0, Charles George 17/5, John Sammels 15/1, Samuel Nelson 4/0, Peter Marinello 3/0.

Leeds United

Norman Hunter 42/1, Allan Clarke 41/19, Paul Madeley 41/5, Terence Cooper 41/1, Jack Charlton 40/6, Mick Jones 39/6, Peter Lorimer 38/12, Gareth Sprake 35/0, John Giles 34/13, Michael Bates 34/0, William Bremner 25/3, Paul Reaney 21/0, Edwin Gray 19/1, Rod Beffitt 13/3, David Harvey 7/0, Nigel Davey 7/0, Terence Yorath 3/0, Terence Hibbitt 2/0, Chris Galvin 1/0.

Tottenham Hotspur

Stephen Perryman 42/3, Martin Chivers 42/21, Martin Peters 42/9, Alan Mullery 41/6, Patrick Jennings 40/0, Cyril Knowles 38/0, Alan Gilzean 38/9, Joseph Kinnear 35/0, Phillip Beal 32/0, James Pearce 33/2, Peter Collins 26/0, Michael England 22/1, James Neighbour 17/0, Roger Morgan 8/1, Raymond Evans 7/0, John Pratt 6/0, Terence Naylor 4/0, Anthony Want 4/0, Neil Johnson 3/0, Kenneth Hancock 2/0, Dennis Bond 2/0.

Wolverhampton Wanderers

James McCalliog 41/7, David Wagstaffe 39/3, Derek Parkin 39/0, John McAlle 37/0, Phillip Parkes 37/0, Bernard Shaw 37/1, Francis Munro 36/0, Robert Gould 34/17, Michael Bailey 34/3, Kenneth Hibbitt 32/2, Hugh Curran 30/16, Derek Dougan 25/12, John Richards 14/1, Leslie Wilson 10/0, John Holsgrove 9/0, Gerald William Taylor 8/0, Michael O'Grady 8/1, Daniel Hegan 7/0, John Oldfield 5/0, Paul Walker 3/0, Robert Lutton 2/0.

Liverpool FC

Thomas Smith 41/2, Christopher Lawler 41/3, Raymond Clemence 41/0, Laurence Lloyd 40/0, Emlyn Hughes 39/2, Brian Hall 33/1, John Thomas McLaughlin 33/2, Stephen Highway 31/4, Peter Thompson 27/2, Ian Callaghan 23/0, Alun William Evans 21/10, Alexander Lindsay 21/0, John Toshack 21/5, Phillip Boersma 15/1, Robert Graham 14/5, Ian Ross 12/0, Ronald Yeats 12/1, John Whitham 6/1, Roy Quintin Evans 4/0, Stephen Arnold 1/0, Douglas Livermore 1/0, Ian St. John 1/0, Christopher Fagan 1/0, Thomas Lawrence 1/0.

Chelsea FC

John Hollins 40/6, Ronald Harris 38/0, Peter Houseman 37/2, Keith Weller 36/13, Alan Hudson 34/3, David Webb 34/4, John Dempsey 31/2, Charles Cooke 31/1, Peter Bonetti 28/0, Peter Osgood 27/5, Ian Hutchinson 20/5, Marvin Hinton 20/0, John Boyle 20/0, Thomas Baldwin 18/2, Patrick Mulligan 17/1, John Phillips 14/0, Edward McCreadie 14/0, Derek Smethurst 12/4, Michael Droy 4/0, Peter Feely 2/1.

Southampton FC

Michael Channon 42/18, Brian O'Neil 42/5, Hugh Fisher 42/1, Joseph Kirkup 42/0, Eric Martin 41/0, Terence Paine 41/3, Ronald Davies 40/17, John McGrath 39/1, James Gabriel 37/7, Dennis Hollywood 37/0, Thomas Jenkins 35/2, David Walker 14/0, Anthony Byrne 10/0, Gerald O'Brien 2/0, Leslie Harfield 2/1, Robert Stokes 2/0, Alexander Davie 1/0, Roger Fry 1/0, David Stanley Thompson 1/0.

Manchester United

Robert Charlton 42/5, George Best 40/18, Anthony Dunne 35/0, John Fitzpatrick 35/2, David Sadler 32/1, Paul Edwards 30/0, Denis Law 28/15, Brian Kidd 25/8, William Morgan 25/3, Patrick Crerand 24/0, Alxander Stepney 22/0, John Rimmer 20/0, Francis Burns 20/0, John Aston 20/3, Alan Gowling 20/8, Norbert Stiles 17/0, John Ure 13/0, Steven James 13/0, William Watson 8/0, Carlo Sartori 7/2, Thomas O'Neil 1/0, Anthony Young 1/0.

Derby County

John O'Hare 42/13, Kevin Hector 42/11, David Mackay 42/2, John Robson 35/0, Roy McFarland 35/2, Ronald Webster 35/0, Alan Hinton 34/10, John McCovern 34/6, Archibald Gemmill 31/3, Alan Durban 28/4, Leslie Green 23/0, Colin Boulton 19/0, Frank Wignall 17/4, Colin Todd 14/0, William Carlin 13/0, Terence Hennessey 12/0, John Richardson 8/0, Peter Daniel 5/0, Anthony Rhodes 3/0, James Walker 1/0, Barry Butlin 1/0.

Coventry City

Jeffrey Blockley 42/1, William Carr 41/5, David Clements 40/3, Robert Glazier 40/0, Geoffrey Strong 32/0, Roger Patrick Hunt 31/10, Wilfred Smith 28/0, John O'Rourke 28/5, Dennis Mortimer 27/0, Neil Martin 26/9, Michael Coop 25/0, Ernest Machin 24/0, Robert Parker 19/0, Brian Joyce 18/1, Christopher Cattlin 15/0, Brian Alderson 15/1, William Rafferty 9/1, Dietmar Bruck 5/0, Brian Hill 5/0, Ian Goodwin 4/0, Eric McManus 2/0, Roy Barry 1/0.

Manchester City

Francis Lee 38/14, Michael Doyle 37/5, Anthony Book 34/2, Mark Towers 34/0, Colin Bell 34/13, Joseph Corrigan 33/0, Alan Oakes 30/1, Michael Summerbee 26/4, Thomas Booth 26/1, Neil Young 24/1, Frederick Hill 23/2, George Heslop 20/0, Derek Jeffries 20/0, Glyn Pardoe 19/0, Arthur Mann 18/0, David Connor 12/0, William Donachie 11/0, Ian Bowyer 10/0, Ronald Healey 9/0, Ian Mellor 6/1, Frank Carrodus 6/0, Stephen Carter 5/1, Jeffrey Johnson 5/0, Michael Brennan 2/0, Howard White 1/0.

Newcastle United

Thomas Gibb 42/2, Robert Moncur 41/2, William McFaul 41/0, Keith Dyson 35/6, Wyn Davies 34/2, David Craig 31/1, Frank Clark 30/0, Bryan Stanley Robson 29/9, John McNamee 27/1, James Smith 24/3, David Young 24/2, John Tudor 16/5, Alwyn Burton 15/0, David Ford 14/2, Preben Arentoft 14/0, Alan Foggon 14/4, Ronald Guthrie 13/0, John Craggs 11/0, Irving Natrass 4/0, Thomas Cassidy 4/0, Ian Mitchell 3/0, Stewart Barrowcough 3/1, Gordon Hindson 2/1, David Elliott 1/0, Martin Burleigh 1/0.

Stoke City

Michael Pejic 42/0, Michael Bernard 40/2, Gordon Banks 39/0, John Marsh 36/0, Alan Bloor 36/1, Dennis Smith 36/0, Henry Burrows 34/5, Gerard Conroy 34/11, James Greenhoff 33/7, Eric Skeels 29/0, John Ritchie 27/12, George Eastham 19/0, John Mahoney 18/0, Sean Haslegrave 15/0, Stewart Jump 12/1, Peter Dobing 11/2, Terence Lees 7/0, William Stevenson 5/0, Alexander Elder 5/0, Terence Peter Smith 3/1, John Farmer 3/0.

Everton FC

Joseph Royle 40/17, John Hurst 40/3, Thomas Wright 40/2, Howard Kendall 40/2, Alan Ball 39/2, Colin Harvey 36/2, John Morrissey 34/6, Roger Kenyon 29/0, Andrew Rankin 28/0, Alan Whittle 24/7, Henry Newton 23/3, Keith Newton 22/1, Brian Labone 16/0, James Husband 15/6, Alexander Dewar Brown 14/1, Gordon West 12/0, David Johnson 11/1, Terence Darracott 2/0, William David Davies 2/0, Michael Lyons 2/1, Thomas Jackson 1/0, Gary Jones 1/0, William Kenny 1/0.

Huddersfield Town

Frank Worthington 42/9, Roy Ellam 42/2, Stephen Smith 41/6, James McGill 41/1, Dennis Clarke 39/1, Geoffrey Hutt 38/1, Trevor Cherry 35/4, James Nicholson 33/3, James Lawson 28/4, Terence Poole 23/0, David Lawson 19/0, Ryszard Krzywicki 16/1, Brian Mahoney 15/2, Leslie Chapman 15/1, Alan Jones 12/0, Robert Hoy 12/3, Brian Greenhalgh 10/0, Colin Dobson 9/1, Michael Barry 4/0, Raymond Mielczarek 1/0.

Nottingham Forest

James Barron 42/0, Peter Hindley 42/2, John Winfield 42/0, Robert Chapman 42/1, William O'Kane 42/0, Peter Cormack 41/8, Ronald Rees 35/3, Barry Lyons 34/3, Ian Storey-Moore 33/18, Paul Richardson 29/1, Thomas Jackson 22/1, Douglas Fraser 19/0, Henry Newton 12/1, Alexander Ingram 12/0, Neil Martin 12/1, Graham Ronald Collier 9/1, Duncan McKenzie 8/2, David Hilley 5/0, James McIntosh 3/0, John Neilson Robertson 2/0, John Cottam 2/0.

West Bromwich Albion

Anthony Brown 42/28, Jeffrey Astle 41/13, James Cumbs 38/0, John Kaye 37/0, Alan Merrick 34/0, George McVitie 33/4, Robert Hope 34/1, Richard Hartford 34/2, Colin Suggett 33/5, Len Cantello 24/0, Graham Lovett 22/1, John Wile 21/2, Ray Wilson II 19/0, Lyndon Hughes 18/0, John Talbut 18/0, Douglas Fraser 6/0, Hugh Reed 6/2, John Osborne 4/0, Roger Minton 4/0, Alistair Robertson 4/0, Glen Johnson 1/0.

Crystal Palace

John Jackson 42/0, Peter Wall 40/1, Stephen Kember 39/5, Melvin Blyth 38/0, Anthony Taylor 37/2, Alan Birchenall 36/10, John Sewell 33/2, Phillip Hoadley 32/1, John McCormick 32/0, Gerry Queen 31/9, David Payne 31/0, Robert Tambling 26/4, James Scott 26/4, Terence Wharton 14/1, Gerald Humphreys 11/0, Trevor Dawkins 10/0, John Loughlan 3/0, David Provan 1/0.

Ipswich Town

Michael Mills 42/1, Peter Morris 41/2, James Robertson 40/5, Frank Clarke 36/8, Clive Richard Woods 33/1, Colin Viljoen 32/10, Geoff Hammond 29/1, Michael Hill 26/7, William Baxter 24/2, Laurence Sivell 24/0, Robert Bell 23/1, Derek Jefferson 21/0, Michael McNeil 19/0, David Best 18/0, Michael Lambert 17/3, Ian Collard 17/0, Colin Harper 13/0, Trevor Whymark 10/1, Thomas Carroll 8/0, John Miller 6/0, Terence Shanahan 4/0, Robert Hunt 1/0.

West Ham United

Frank Lampard 41/1, Robert Moore 39/2, Geoff Hurst 39/15, William Bonds 37/0, James Greaves 32/9, Thomas Taylor 30/1, Peter Eustace 27/4, John McDowell 25/0, Robert Ferguson 23/0, Clyde Best 22/5, Robert Howe 21/3, Henry Redknapp 21/0, Trevor Brooking 19/2, Peter Grotier 19/0, Alan Stephenson 16/0, James Lindsay 16/0, Bryan Stanley Robson 14/3, Ronald Boyce 13/0, Peter Bennett 8/1, John Ayris 7/0, Brian Dear 4/0, Paul Heffer 3/0, Patrick Holland 3/0, David Llewellyn 2/0.

Burnley FC

Ralph Coates 38/2, John Angus 36/0, Colin Waldron 35/2, Anthony Walters 35/0, David Thomas 34/3, Geoffrey Nulty 31/3, Michael Docherty 31/0, Eric Probert 31/5, Stephen Kindon 29/3, Arthur Bellamy 25/0, Martin Dobson 25/4, Frank Casper 21/4, Leslie Latcham 17/0, Douglas Collins 17/0, Alan West 14/1, James Shaw Thomson 12/0, David Merrington 11/0, Paul Fletcher 9/1, Peter Mellor 7/0, David Wilson 5/0, Edward Cliff 4/0, Leighton James 4/0, Ray Terment 3/0, Harry Wilson 2/0, Ronald Welch 1/0.

Blackpool FC

John Craven 40/8, Thomas Hutchison 38/1, Glyn James 36/1, David Hatton 36/0, William Bentley 34/0, Michael Burns 30/10, Anthony Green 29/3, James Armfield 27/0, Henry Mowbray 26/0, Terence Alcock 21/0, Harold Thomson 21/0, Alan Suddick 20/1, Frederick Kemp 17/1, Anthony Coleman 17/0, Frederick Pickering 15/7, John Johnston 13/0, Peter Suddaby 12/0, Dennis Wann 10/0, Alan Taylor 9/0, Neil Ramsbottom 8/0, Graham Rowe 5/0, Peter Nicholson 6/0, Ronald Brown 5/1, John Hughes 5/0, William McGrotty 3/1, John Murray 3/0, John Burridge 3/0, Adam Blacklaw 1/0.