

THE FC WORLD

Gameweek 15

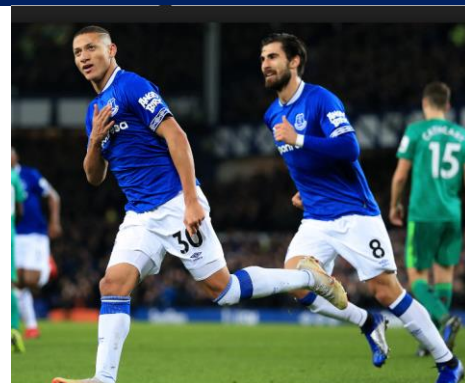


FC CUP SECOND ROUND REVIEW



IT'S ALL ABOUT RICHARLISON

After 2 days of Premier league Matches and 9 games and 24 goals this cup tie-would come down to just one player Everton's Brazilian international, **Richarlison**. After Saturdays and Sundays fixtures Alvar Chambers held a 5 point lead over Steve Haley. Chambers had good performances from Liverpool's Robertson 11 points, West Ham's Felipe Anderson 12 points and his captain Arsenal's Aubameyang 10 points. Haley Also had a good return from Robertson, And Manchester United's Rashford hit 14 points. So with one fixture remaining both managers had one player to play Evertons Richarlison only Steve Haley had him as captain. In the 15th minute Richarlison scored taking Haley ahead by 1 point, 5 points for the goal and a single point for appearing. Chambers only chance was if the Brazilian could get booked, he didn't and completed the match to gain an extra point for playing the full 90 minutes.



Richarlison celebrates his goal against Watford a significant moment in this cup-tie

Alvar Chamber 61 Steve Haley 63

A DIGNED ENDING FOR OLDFIELD



Lucas Digne strikes an amazing free-kick equaliser for Everton with the last kick off the gameweek and sends Oldfield through

Sebastian Logan became the 3rd successive featured manager to lose his match in the cruellest of circumstances with literally the last kick of the gameweek. Going into the last minute at Goodison Park the final match of the gameweek the cup tie was poised Logan 47 Oldfield 42. Then Watford conceded a free-kick on the edge of their area. Up stepped Everton

defender and French international Lucas Digne who curled in a fantastic free-kick into the top corner of the net bagging Oldfield 6 points to go 48-47 ahead. There was not even enough time for Watford to kick off (Poetic licence). Digne also got 3 bonus points to increase Oldfield's winning margin to 4 feeling that maybe he has Cup luck on his side this season.

Sebastian Logan 47 Tim Oldfield 51

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DOHERTY WINS IT



Matt Doherty celebrates his winner against Newcastle which proved to be decisive for Comer

Wolves Matt Doherty's late headed goal against Newcastle proved to be the decisive moment in this cup tie. Adrian Comer got off to a flying start in the tie after losing 4 points through transfers his captain Mo Salah of Liverpool hitting a tremendous 42 points giving Comer a 38 point lead after 1 match. After the 3pm Kick-Offs Kyle Berry's team had managed to reduce the deficit to 29 points. Then on Saturday evening Berry's Chelsea players came good, goalkeeper Kepa, defender Luiz and Midfielder Hazard adding

31 points to his total. Berry had Tottenham's Eriksen and Everton's Richarlison to play. Comer who had seen his captain magnificent total wiped out also had Richarlison, Kane of Tottenham and Wolves Doherty. At the end of Saturday evening with the two spurs players each only scoring a point Berry held that single point advantage. With both managers having Richarlison it was all about Doherty. After 23 minutes Newcastle score deny Doherty a clean sheet. Doherty also picked up a booking so as the match moved towards injury time this cup tie was deadlocked at 65 all and going to a replay. Then in the 94th Minute Doherty followed up a parried shot to slot home giving Wolves the points and putting Adrian Comer into the 3rd round.

Kyle Berry 72 Adrian Comer 78

SALAH EASES EGISTO THROUGH

Mo Salah's Hat-Trick contributed to a 42 point total as he was Pasquale Egisto captain giving Egisto a 39 point lead after the first match. Darrell Jenkins could just not close the gap. Going into the last match he trailed by 32 points he had his captain Richelson to play who made a decent attempt score a goal but could only get 14 points becoming Jenkins Top scoring player but it only Reduced the gap to 25 points.

Pasquale Egisto 81 Darrell Jenkins 56



Salah hit a hat-trick against Bournemouth to score 21 points



FC CUP SECOND ROUND GAMEWEEK DREAM TEAM



Dream Team

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Gameweek 16

Top Player

Salah



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21 Points

Total Points

146

Overall →

Pitch View

List View



Foster

9



David Luiz

15



Tarkowski

14



Young

12



Robertson

11



Salah

21



Son

14



Mata

13



Felipe Anderson

12



Torreira

11



Rashford

14



FC CUP SECOND ROUND RESULTS



Alvar Chambers	61	-	63	Steve Haley
Joseph Shalome	47	-	48	Dee Patel
Harry Atachparian	62	-	40	Bill Hill
Sebastian Logan	48	-	51	Tim Oldfield
Ben Alexander	43	-	60	Andrew Ogden
Dean Santoro	72	-	41	Jonathan Chew
Paren Arzoomanian	62	-	53	Pete Cuckson
Anthony Lobo	95	-	46	Raymond Turp
Lee Ferridge	44	-	77	Glen Hogwood
Karman Bansi	53	-	53	Stelios Andreou
Graham Price	80	-	83	Joe Rudd
Pasquale Egisto	81	-	56	Darrell Jenkins
Martin Stuart	52	-	50	Andreas Themistocleous
Mark Freear	55	-	63	Dan Jopp
James Dwinfour	85	-	61	Scott Nelson
Randy Ricker	47	-	77	Scott Smith
Arpad Beres	53	-	70	Tracy Thompson
Nick Preston	52	-	73	Paul Dwinfour
Eoin Mooney	71	-	54	Owen Gredley
Adam Gill	49	-	51	Dan Wyatt
James Bloomer	70	-	67	Joe Higgins
Kojo Amofa	45	-	61	Andy McLaren
Alex Kam	73	-	25	Bernard Aspell
Omid Afzalalghom	57	-	43	Stephen Overy
Ryan Perrett	45	-	50	David Bardon
Hakan Bedir	75	-	75	Andy Hilliard
Dave Rogers	56	-	63	Tony Collins
Anthony Nicolaidis	36	-	58	Martyn Dewick
Andy Gurney	62	-	32	Jatin Joshi
Rob Gurney	50	-	52	Matt Earley
Sol A	29	-	51	Steven Mcintosh
Kyle Berry	72	-	78	Adrian Comer



FC CUP SECOND ROUND STATISTICS



HIGHEST SCORE

95

Anthony Lobo

HIGHEST SCORING MATCH

163

Graham Price 80 Joe Rudd 83

BIGGEST WINNING MARGIN

49

Anthony Lobo 95 Raymond Turp 46

LOWEST SCORE

25

Bernard Aspell

LOWEST SCORING MATCH

80

Sol A 29 Steven McIntosh 51

LOWEST WINNING MARGIN

1

Joseph Shalome 47 Dee Patel 48

TWO MATCHES WERE DRAWN

Karman Bansi 53 Stelios Andreou 53

Hakan Bedir 75 Andy Hilliard 75



FC CUP THIRD ROUND DRAW



Martyn Dewick	V	Dean Santoro
Andrew Ogden	V	Karman Bansi or Stelios Andreou
Tracy Thompson	V	Hakan Bedir or Andy Hilliard
Steven Mcintosh	V	Matt Earley
Anthony Lobo	V	Joe Rudd
Scott Smith	V	James Dwinfour
Dee Patel	V	Omid Afzalalghom
Tim Oldfield	V	Harry Atachparian
James Bloomer	V	Adrian Comer
Pasquale Egisto	V	Martin Stuart
Paren Arzoomanian	V	Dan Jopp
Tony Collins	V	Dan Wyatt
Alex Kam	V	David Bardon
Andy Gurney	V	Andy McLaren
Steve Haley	V	Eoin Mooney
Glen Hogwood	V	Paul Dwinfour

Matches to be played Gameweek 21

We always find it interesting to see how many managers from each Super20 league are left in the competition-

SUPER20 LEAGUE	MANAGERS IN THE COMPETITION
PREMIER	6
CHAMPIONSHIP	3
LEAGUE ONE	4
LEAGUE TWO	6
CONFERENCE	4
PYRAMID PREMIER	4
PYRAMID ONE	2
PYRAMID TWO	2
PYRAMID THREE	3



FC CUP THIRD ROUND MATCHES IN FOCUS



MATCHES GETTING THE FC WORLD TREATMENT ARE

Anthony Lobo	V	Joe Rudd
Scott SAmith	V	James Dwinfour
<i>Tim Oldfield</i>	V	Harry Atachparian
Glen Hogwood	V	Paul Dwinfour

Manager in Bold & Italic is the FC WORLD featured manager, meaning that the winning manager will have their next match featured.

Anthony Lobo V Joe Rudd

Two rookie managers go head to head Antony Lobo from Pyramid Two and Joe Rudd from Pyramid Three. Anthony Lobo was the top scorer in the second round hitting 95 points. Lobo has qualified for the knock out stage of the Pyramid Cup. However, in the league he is in the relegation zone in 15th place on points difference. Joe Rudd finished bottom of his Pyramid Cup group. He is currently 9th in Pyramid Three but just 2 points off the promotion places. You might be wondering why this match has been selected well just take one look at the Overall League both managers are having a decent rookie season in the overall league with Lobo in 31st and Rudd in 32nd they are separated by Transfer count as they both have 948 points at the time of the draw for the 3rd Round. Could be an interesting and close clash to get through to the last 16.

Scott Smith V James Dwinfour

Scott Smith in his 4th season in the game was last season's FC Cup Runner-Up. Smith has won a major trophy already in his 3 completed seasons last season Overall League title. Smith has 3 successive promotions to his name moving from Pyramid One to League Two in consecutive seasons even more impressive as that Smith collected both the Pyramid One and Conference titles in those promotion campaigns. Smith is currently 6th in League Two just outside the promotion places and just one point off 5th. Smith qualified for the knock out stages of the Champions League topping his group above his opponent in the FC Cup James Dwinfour. James finished second to Smith in Group L so both qualifying for the knock out stages. James is 11th in The Premier League just 3 points clear of relegation and 5 points off 8th and Super20 Cup qualification. James lived in the shadow of his uncle Paul 'The Ledge' Dwinfour for much of his FC career but now in his 13th season he is recognised as one of the biggest names within the game, James has 5 major trophies to his names. 2013 Overall League Winner, 2013 Premier league Champion, 2013 Super20 Cup Winner, 2015 FC Cup Winner and 2016 Super20 Cup winner. So this match sees a former FC Cup winner and former runner-up take each other on. As we said these two managers have already gone head to head twice this season in another cup competition the Champions League with Smith winning in gameweek 5 63-52, then in Gameweek 10 Dwinfour won 86-75.



FC CUP SECOND ROUND MATCHES IN FOCUS



Tim Oldfield V Harry Atachparian

Tim Oldfield's victory over Sebastian Logan in the Second Round meant that he took on the mantle of being the FC World featured manager, he now has the task of being the first featured manager in this seasons competition to win a match Oldfield is now the 4th manager to be our featured manager each one losing in the next round after taking on the crown. As we mentioned in the last round preview Oldfield is a rookie manager and is having a decent season so far, he has dropped to 7th in the overall League but this is a more than repeatable position in the overall league. He has qualified for the knock-out stages of the Pyramid Cup. He is 4th in Pyramid Two 5 points clear of 6th place and just 4 points of top spot. Harry Atachparian will be the manager hoping that this seasons curse of being the featured manager strikes again. Harry is also in his Rookie season, Harry is in Pyramid Three. Harry is currently top of Pyramid Three he has 6-point lead and is 11 points clear of 6th place. He topped his Pyramid Cup group so is through to the knock-Out Stages. He is faring well in the overall league lying in 11th spot.

Glen Hogwood V Paul Dwinfour

A match which sees two former FC Cup managers go head to head and an all Premier League clash. Paul 'The Ledge' Dwinfour is probably the biggest name in FC history, for those that do not know 'The Ledge' won the first 3 overall league seasons 2003, 2004 and 2005. He won the first ever FC Cup in 2004. He was Runner-Up in the first ever Champions League final. Recent season have been a bit lean and even seen the 'The Ledge' suffer the ignominy of relegation from the Premier league where he spent 3 seasons in the Championship in fact receiving a Lucky Survival in his first season in the Championship. 'The Ledge' though has been back in the premier league for 3 seasons. He has qualified for the knock-out stages of the Champions League. He is lying 46th in the overall league. In the Premier League he is currently lying in 6th place looking to qualify for the Super20 Cup for this first time. Glen Hogwood is the opponent in this intriguing 3rd Round clash. Hogwood won the FC Cup in 2009 and has been to the Semi-Finals twice since 2011 and 2014. Hogwood gained a big reputation with back to back promotions in his first two seasons climbing from League Two to the Championship. He spent 3 seasons in the Championship when he then not only gained promotion but claimed the title. In his first season in the premier League he finished 3rd qualifying for the Super20 Cup reaching the semi-final. Two seasons later though Hogwood was relegated finishing bottom of the Premier league. His time spent in the championship was much shorter returning at the first attempt claiming the last promotion place. This is now his 3rd season in the Premier League once again having a good finish last season with 4th place securing a place in this seasons super20 Cup. Hogwood this season though is so far not having such a great time finishing bottom of his Champions league group and is 16th in the Premier League in the relegation zone just 2 points from safety he is also down in 146th in the overall league. These two managers met in Gameweek 6 in the Premier League with Paul 'The Ledge' Dwinfour coming out on top 63-41.