

# 1951

On 5 January former Newcastle rider Ken Le Breton was fatally injured in a crash at Sydney Sports Ground during the second Australia v England test. He died in hospital from a fractured skull.

Of the riders who completed the 1950 season only Will Lowther did not return. He rode for Motherwell. Before the end of the season, however, Wilf Jay went to Fleetwood, Ernie Brecknell suffered a broken leg at Glasgow on 2 May, Herby King joined Oxford, Don Lawson went to West Ham and Derick Close was transferred to Motherwell. Only Son Mitchell and Don Wilkinson saw out the full season. Newcomers during the season were Barry Pickering who left early in the season to ride for Wolverhampton, Canadian Mike Tams, Peter Orpwood, Australian Jack Chignell and Johnny Green who were both signed on the closure of Sheffield, ex Birmingham rider Roy Dook who had been managing Newcastle and came out of retirement, former Wimbledon rider Wal Morton and Gateshead born Norman Johnson who had previously been with Hull and Ashfield.

Derick Close and Son Mitchell both reached the Championship Round of the World Championship but failed to reach the Final being eliminated with seventeen and six points respectively in their two meetings.

In May Derick Close was nominated to challenge the holder, Jack Young of Edinburgh, for the Division Two Silver helmet. He lost over two legs 2-0 at Edinburgh on 26 May and 2-1 at Newcastle.

Derick Close who scored ten points partnered Bob Oakley of Wembley, twelve points, to win a Best pairs meeting at Belle Vue on 5 May.

At the end of the season the doors were closed to speedway at Brough Park.

## National League Division Two

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Norwich	30	24	0	6	1526	990	48
Leicester	30	19	0	11	1350	1169	38
Edinburgh	30	18	0	12	1333	1179	36
Coventry	30	16	3	11	1311	1199	35
Walthamstow	30	17	0	13	1394	1116	34
Halifax	30	17	0	13	1300	1219	34
Motherwell	30	16	1	13	1277	1237	33
Ashfield	30	16	0	14	1287	1228	32
Hanley	30	15	0	15	1242	1268	30
Glasgow	30	14	1	15	1303	1215	29
Yarmouth	30	13	1	16	1158	1355	27
Oxford	30	12	2	16	1183	1330	26
Liverpool	30	12	1	17	1211	1300	25
Fleetwood	30	9	2	19	1049	1453	20
Cradley Heath	30	9	0	21	1139	1372	18
Newcastle	30	7	1	22	1039	1472	15
withdrawn							
Southampton	7	4	0	3	297	291	8

## North Shield

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Edinburgh	10	9	0	1	537	297	18
Glasgow	10	7	0	3	441	393	14
Newcastle	10	5	0	5	434	400	10
Motherwell	10	4	0	6	352	481	8
Ashfield	10	3	0	7	402	434	6
Fleetwood	10	2	0	8	339	500	4

## Averages (National League, National Trophy and North Shield)

	M	Rds	Pts	BP	TPts	Full	Paid	Avge
Derick Close	34	143	369	4	373	11	1	10.43
Ernie Brecknell	11	45	82	14	96		1	8.53
Wilf Jay	6	23	43	4	47			8.17
Herby King	14	58	79	21	100		2	6.90
Son Mitchell	37	145	219	15	234	1	1	6.46
Wal Morton	16	61	84	9	93	1		6.10
Don Lawson	26	90	108	16	124			5.51
Jack Chignell	33	125	153	14	167	1		5.34
Don Wilkinson	44	178	206	26	232			5.21
Peter Orpwood	30	114	114	13	127			4.46
Johnny Green	19	69	70	6	76			4.41
Norman Johnson	8	21	15	7	22			4.19
Barry Pickering	7	15	15	0	15			4.00
Mike Tams	33	93	65	16	81			3.48
Roy Dook	17	43	24	5	29			2.70
Ray Maughan	9	19	11	0	11			2.32
Also Rode								
Len Nicholson	2	4	0	0	0			0.00
Vic Sage	1	2	1	1	2			4.00
Mike Wood	2	6	3	1	4			2.67
Guests								
Dave Anderson	1	3	2	1	3			4.00
Derek Braithwaite	1	1	0	0	0			0.00
Bill Bridgett	1	4	3	0	3			3.00

23 March - Newcastle 58 Fleetwood 26 (North Shield)

Ht 1: King, Potter, Mitchell, McGuire(f) 74.8  
Ht 2: Hargreaves, Jay, Wilkinson, Crawford 77.8  
Ht 3: Close, Brecknell, Pursehouse, Parker(f) 74.2  
Ht 4: Wilkinson, Lawson, McGuire, Harker(ex) 76.6  
Ht 5: King, Hargreaves, Crawford, Mitchell(ef) 74.6  
Ht 6: Jay, Parker, Wilkinson, Pursehouse 74.8  
Ht 7: Close, Brecknell, Potter, McGuire 72.6  
Ht 8: Jay, Hargreaves, Turnham, Maughan 75.6  
Ht 9: Mitchell, King, Parker, Pursehouse 74.0  
Ht 10: Jay, Potter, Wilkinson, Turnham 74.8  
Ht 11: Close, Brecknell, Hargreaves, Crawford(f) 73.6  
Ht 12: Lawson, Turnham, Mitchell, Pursehouse 76.4  
Ht 13: Brecknell, Harker, Crawford, Maughan 77.4  
Ht 14: Close, King, Potter, Parker 73.6

Newcastle - Derick Close (3,3,3) 12, Wilf Jay (2,3,3,3) 11, Herby King (3,3,2,2) 10+2, Ernie Brecknell (2,2,2,3) 9+3, Don Wilkinson (1,3,1,1) 6+1, Don Lawson (2,3) 5+1, Son Mitchell (1,ef,3,1) 5, Ray Maughan (0,0) 0

Fleetwood - Norman Hargreaves (3,2,2,1) 8, Don Potter (2,1,2,1) 6, Tom Turnham (1,0,2) 3+1, Alf Parker (f,2,1,0) 3, Jeff Crawford (0,1,f,1) 2, Ray Harker (ex,2) 2, Angus McGuire (f,1,0) 1, Russ Pursehouse (1,0,0,0) 1

Reserves Scratch Race: Lawson, Turnham, Maughan, Pursehouse(f) 75.8

Stairway to Stardom: Pickering, Steward, Lawson(ef), Maughan(exc) 77.0

Junior Scratch Race: Stewart, Laudrum, Nicholson(f), Robson(f) 82.4

The Easter Scratch Race

Ht 1: Wilkinson, Parker, Davidson, Pickering(f) 76.6

Ht 2: Close, Mitchell, Harker, Hargreaves 74.6

Ht 3: Jay, Potter, Pursehouse, Laudrum(ef) 74.4

Ht 4: Brecknell, Turnham, Crawford, King(f) 74.2

Final: Close, Brecknell, Jay, Wilkinson 74.0

26 March - Newcastle v Edinburgh (North Shield) - postponed (snow)

2 April - Newcastle 47 Ashfield 35 (North Shield)

Ht 1: Harding, Lovell, King, Mitchell 82.2  
Ht 2: Semmens, Brecknell, Jay, Gates 76.4  
Ht 3: Close, Wilson, Phillips, Wilkinson 81.0  
Ht 4: Lawson, Brecknell, Lazarus, Lovell 80.6  
Ht 5: Semmens, Mitchell, King, Gates 81.2  
Ht 6: Jay, Wilson, Brecknell, Phillips 79.0  
Ht 7: Close, Lovell, Harding, Wilkinson 81.6  
Ht 8: Semmens, Pickering, Noakes, Jay 82.4  
Ht 9: Phillips, Wilson, King, Mitchell 84.0  
Ht 10: Jay, Brecknell, Lovell, Harding 84.2  
Ht 11: Close, Wilkinson, Semmens, Gates 82.2  
Ht 12: Lawson, Noakes, Phillips(ef), Mitchell(ef) 84.0  
Ht 13: Pickering, Wilkinson, Gates(ef), Lazarus(ef) 84.0  
Ht 14: Close, Wilson, King, Harding 82.2

Newcastle - Derick Close (3,3,3,3) 12, Ernie Brecknell (2,2,1,2) 7+2, Wilf Jay (1,3,0,3) 7+1, Don Lawson (3,3) 6, Barry Pickering (2,3) 5, Don Wilkinson (0,0,2,2) 4+2, Herby King (1,1,1,1) 4+1, Son Mitchell (0,2,0,ef) 2

Ashfield - Bruce Semmens (3,3,3,1) 10, Willie Wilson (2,2,2,2) 8+1, Bob Lovell (2,0,2,1) 5+1, Merv Harding (3,1,0,0) 4+1, Ron Phillips (1,0,3,ef) 4+1, Ed Noakes (1,2) 3, Larry Lazarus (1,ef) 1, Jackie Gates (0,0,0,ef) 0

Reserves Scratch Race: Lawson, Lazarus, Noakes, Pickering(ef) 80.8

Juniors Scratch Race: Maughan, Davidson, Steward, Nicholson(f) 85.6

April Scratch Race

Ht 1: Jay, Wilson, Lovell, Phillips(ef) 84.6

Ht 2: Wilkinson, King, Maughan, Davidson 81.4

Ht 3: Brecknell, Harding, Close, Gates(f) 78.8

Final: Harding, Wilkinson, Jay, Brecknell 83.4

4 April - Glasgow 47 Newcastle 37 (North Shield)

Ht 1: J Hodgson, Mitchell, Bainbridge, King 82.8  
Ht 2: F Hodgson, Lindsay, Brecknell, Jay 81.2  
Ht 3: Miller, Close, McKinlay, Wilkinson 79.4  
Ht 4: McIntosh, F Hodgson, Mitchell, Lawson 81.6  
Ht 5: Brecknell, J Hodgson, Bainbridge, Jay 81.4  
Ht 6: Close, Lindsay, F Hodgson, Wilkinson 80.4  
Ht 7: Miller, Mitchell, McKinlay, King 80.2  
Ht 8: Jay, Lindsay, Pickering, Davies(fex) 83.4  
Ht 9: Close, J Hodgson, Bainbridge, Wilkinson 81.6  
Ht 10: F Hodgson, Mitchell, King, Lindsay 83.4  
Ht 11: Miller, Brecknell, Jay, McKinlay 81.4  
Ht 12: McIntosh, Bainbridge, Wilkinson, Pickering 82.6  
Ht 13: Brecknell, McKinlay, Lawson, McIntosh(f) 83.0  
Ht 14: Close, King, McIntosh, J Hodgson 82.8

Glasgow - Frank Hodgson (3,2,1,3) 9+2, Tommy Miller (3,3,3) 9, Alf McIntosh (3,3,f,1) 7, Jack Hodgson (3,2,2,0) 7, Norman Lindsay (2,2,2) 6+1, Junior Bainbridge (1,1,1,2) 5+3, Ken McKinlay (1,1,0,2) 4, Eric Davies (ex) 0

Newcastle - Derick Close (2,3,3,3) 11, Ernie Brecknell (1,3,2,3) 9, Son Mitchell (2,1,2,2) 7, Wilf Jay (0,0,3,1) 4+1, Herby King (0,0,1,2) 3+2, Barry Pickering (1,0) 1, Don Lawson (0,1) 1, Don Wilkinson (0,0,0,1) 1

Bellahouston Cup

Ht 1: Mitchell, Gates, J Hodgson(f), McIntosh(f) 85.6

Ht 2: Close, Lindsay, Bainbridge, Davies 82.4

Ht 3: King, Jay, Harris, Blythe(ef) 86.4

Ht 4: F Hodgson, Wilkinson, Brecknell, McKinlay(f) 84.2  
Final: Close, F Hodgson, Mitchell, King 83.6

Consolation Race: Irvine, Ferguson, Davies, Blythe(ef) 90.4

7 April - Edinburgh 54 Newcastle 30 (North Shield)

Ht 1: Young, Lack, King, Lawson 69.8  
Ht 2: Fairhurst, Cuppleditch, Jay, Brecknell 70.0  
Ht 3: Close, Campbell, Wilkinson, Mark(ef) 69.2  
Ht 4: Fairhurst, Booth, Lawson, Pickering 70.0  
Ht 5: Young, Brecknell, Lack, Pickering 69.8  
Ht 6: Fairhurst, Close, Cuppleditch, Wilkinson 68.6  
Ht 7: Campbell, Mark, King, Lawson 70.0  
Ht 8: Cuppleditch, Jay, Andrews, Nicholson 70.6  
Ht 9: Young, Close, Lack, Wilkinson 68.6  
Ht 10: Fairhurst, Cuppleditch, King, Lawson 70.4  
Ht 11: Campbell, Jay, Brecknell, Mark(f) 69.8  
Ht 12: Wilkinson, Lack, Booth, Nicholson 71.0  
Ht 13: Brecknell, Andrews, Pickering, Mark 71.4  
Ht 14: Young, Close, King, Campbell 69.0

Edinburgh - Harold Fairhurst (3,3,3,3) 12, Jack Young (3,3,3,3) 12, Don Cuppleditch (2,1,3,2) 8+2, Dick Campbell (2,3,3,0) 8, Eddie Lack (2,1,1,2) 6+1, Harold Booth (2,1) 3+2, Harry Andrews (1,2) 3, Bob Mark (ef,2,0,f) 2+1  
Newcastle - Derick Close (3,2,2,2) 9, Ernie Brecknell (0,2,1,3) 6+1, Wilf Jay (1,2,2) 5, Herby King (1,1,1,1) 4+1, Don Wilkinson (1,0,0,3) 4, Barry Pickering (0,0,1) 1, Don Lawson (0,1,0,0) 1, Len Nicholson (0,0) 0

Top Twelve

Ht 1: Lack, Cuppleditch, King, Booth 70.2  
Ht 2: Brecknell, D Campbell, Close, Andrews 70.2  
Ht 3: Young, Fairhurst, Mark, Jay 68.8  
Final: Young, Lack, Fairhurst, Brecknell 69.2

Meadowbank Junior Eightsome

Ht 1: Booth, Pryde, Turner, Cox 73.8  
Ht 2: J Campbell, Andrews, Nicholson, Buckle 72.8  
Final: Booth, J Campbell, Pryde(f), Andrews(f) 72.8

9 April - Newcastle 52 Motherwell 32 (North Shield)

Ht 1: McGregor, Mitchell, King, Bradbury 74.2  
Ht 2: Lowther, Jay, Brecknell, Lee 74.8  
Ht 3: Close, Watson, Wilkinson, Lindsay(ef) 74.8  
Ht 4: McGregor, Lawson, Brecknell, Baird 73.6  
Ht 5: Lowther, Mitchell, King, Lee 75.0  
Ht 6: Watson, Brecknell, Jay, Lindsay 74.2  
Ht 7: Close, McGregor, Wilkinson, Bradbury 73.6  
Ht 8: Jay, Lowther, Pickering, Scott(f) 75.8  
Ht 9: Watson, Mitchell, King, Lindsay 74.0  
Ht 10: Brecknell, Jay, McGregor, Bradbury 75.0  
Ht 11: Close, Lowther, Wilkinson, Lee 75.2  
Ht 12: Watson, Mitchell, Lawson, Scott 75.4  
Ht 13: Pickering, Wilkinson, Lee, Baird 78.0  
Ht 14: Close, King, Bradbury, Lindsay 74.8

Newcastle - Derick Close (3,3,3,3) 12, Wilf Jay (2,1,3,2) 8+2, Son Mitchell (2,2,2,2) 8, Ernie Brecknell (1,1,2,3) 7+2, Herby King (1,1,1,2) 5+4, Don Wilkinson (1,1,1,2) 5+1, Barry Pickering (1,3) 4, Don Lawson (2,1) 3+1  
Motherwell - Noel Watson (2,3,3,3) 11, Will Lowther (3,3,2,2) 10, Gordon McGregor (3,3,2,1) 9, Danny Lee (0,0,0,1) 1, Stan Bradbury (0,0,0,1) 1, Bill Baird (0,0) 0, Bluey Scott (0,0) 0, Bob Lindsay (ef,0,0,0) 0

Reserves Scratch Race: Lawson, Baird, Pickering, Scott 77.0

Junior Scratch Race: Maughan, Higgins, Nicholson, Davidson(f) 81.0

Eagles Scratch Race

Ht 1: Mitchell, Jay, Bradbury, Lee 76.0  
Ht 2: Brecknell, Wilkinson, Maughan, Davidson 75.8  
Ht 3: Close, McGregor, Lowther, King(f) 74.4  
Final: Close, McGregor, Mitchell, Brecknell 74.2

10 April - Ashfield 38 Newcastle 46 (North Shield)

Ht 1: Mitchell, King, Harding, Liddell 65.8  
Ht 2: Semmens, Gates, Jay, Brecknell 64.8  
Ht 3: Close, Lovell, Wilkinson, Wilson 66.2  
Ht 4: Mitchell, Lawson, Phillips, Gates 66.4  
Ht 5: Harding, Jay, Brecknell, Liddell 66.4  
Ht 6: Semmens, Gates, Close, Wilkinson 65.0  
Ht 7: Mitchell, King, Lovell, Wilson 65.6  
Ht 8: Semmens, Jay, Lazarus, Pickering 66.4  
Ht 9: Harding, Close, Wilkinson, Liddell 66.0  
Ht 10: Semmens, Mitchell, Gates, King 65.8  
Ht 11: Jay, Brecknell, Wilson, Lovell 65.8  
Ht 12: Harding, Wilkinson, Phillips, Pickering 67.2  
Ht 13: Brecknell, Lazarus, Lawson, Wilson 67.0  
Ht 14: Close, Phillips, King, Lovell 66.6

Ashfield - Bruce Semmens (3,3,3,3) 12, Merv Harding (1,3,3,3) 10, Jackie Gates (2,0,2,1) 5+2, Ron Phillips (1,1,2) 4, Larry Lazarus (1,2) 3, Bob Lovell (2,1,0,0) 3, Willie Wilson (0,0,1,0) 1, Eric Liddell (0,0,0) 0  
Newcastle - Son Mitchell (3,3,3,2) 11, Derick Close (3,1,2,3) 9, Wilf Jay (1,2,2,3) 8, Ernie Brecknell (0,1,2,3) 6+2, Herby King (2,2,0,1) 5+2, Don Wilkinson (1,0,1,2) 4+1, Don Lawson (2,1) 3+1, Barry Pickering (0,0) 0

Achnasheen Trophy

Ht 1: Semmens, Close, Mitchell, Lovell 65.2  
Ht 2: Harding, Brecknell, Jay, Phillips 66.2

Ht 3: Wilson, Liddell, Wilkinson, Taylor 68.2  
Ht 4: Gates, Lazarus, King, Noakes 67.4  
Final: Semmens, Harding, Wilson, Gates 66.2

Reserves Trial: Lawson, Noakes, Taylor, Paul 68.4

16 April - Newcastle 47 Glasgow 37 (North Shield)

Ht 1: King, J Hodgson, Mitchell, Bainbridge 75.2  
Ht 2: Brecknell, Miller, McKinlay, Wood 74.2  
Ht 3: Close, Lindsay, F Hodgson, Wilkinson 73.2  
Ht 4: Brecknell, Lawson, J Hodgson, McIntosh 75.4  
Ht 5: Miller, King, McKinlay, Mitchell 74.4  
Ht 6: Lindsay, Brecknell, Wood, F Hodgson 76.0  
Ht 7: Close, Wilkinson, J Hodgson, Bainbridge 74.0  
Ht 8: McKinlay, Pickering, Blythe, Wood(ef) 76.0  
Ht 9: King, Lindsay, Mitchell, F Hodgson 76.4  
Ht 10: Bainbridge, Brecknell, Lawson, J Hodgson 75.8  
Ht 11: Close, Miller, McKinlay, Wilkinson 73.8  
Ht 12: Lindsay, Lawson, Mitchell, Blythe 76.6  
Ht 13: Miller, Wilkinson, McIntosh, Pickering 75.4  
Ht 14: Close, King, F Hodgson, Bainbridge 75.0

Newcastle - Derick Close (3,3,3,3) 12, Herby King (3,2,3,2) 10+1, Ernie Brecknell (3,3,2,2) 10, Don Lawson (2,1,2) 5+2, Don Wilkinson (0,2,0,2) 4+1, Son Mitchell (1,0,1,1) 3+1, Barry Pickering (2,0) 2, Mike Wood (0,1,ef) 1+1  
Glasgow - Tommy Miller (2,3,2,3) 10, Norman Lindsay (2,3,2,3) 10, Ken McKinlay (1,1,3,1) 6+2, Jack Hodgson (2,1,1,0) 4, Junior Bainbridge (0,0,3,0) 3, Frank Hodgson (1,0,0,1) 2+1, Alf McIntosh (0,1) 1, Jim Blythe (1,0) 1

One Lap Flying Start Record Attempts: Close 18.0, A Lawson 18.0, Miller 18.6

Two Lap Clutch Start Match Race: A Lawson, Close 37.8

Stairway to Stardom: Pickering, D Lawson, McKinlay, Davidson 76.6

The Tigers Scratch Race

Ht 1: J Hodgson, Wilkinson, Mitchell, Lindsay 76.4  
Ht 2: Close, A Lawson, Bainbridge, Miller 73.4  
Ht 3: Brecknell, King, F Hodgson, Nicholson 76.6  
Final: Close, A Lawson, J Hodgson, Brecknell 74.6

Juniors Scratch Race: Maughan, Nicholson, Higgins, Fryer 80.4

18 April - Fleetwood 45 Newcastle 39 (North Shield)

Ht 1: McGuire, Potter, Mitchell, King 67.2  
Ht 2: Hargreaves, Lawson, Crawford, Brecknell 65.8  
Ht 3: Close, Jay, Wilkinson, Parker(ef) 65.8  
Ht 4: Crawford, Harker, Mitchell, Wood 67.0  
Ht 5: Potter, Lawson, Brecknell, McGuire(f) 67.0  
Ht 6: Close, Crawford, Hargreaves, Wilkinson 66.6  
Ht 7: Pursehouse, King, Parker, Mitchell(f) 69.4  
Ht 8: Lawson, Pursehouse, Pickering, Hargreaves 71.0  
Ht 9: Close, Potter, Wilkinson, Pursehouse 66.2  
Ht 10: King, Crawford, Wood, Hargreaves 70.6  
Ht 11: Jay, Brecknell, Lawson 70.2  
Ht 12: Harker, Pursehouse, Pickering, Wilkinson 70.6  
Ht 13: Jay, Brecknell, Wood, Harker 70.0  
Ht 14: Close, Potter, King 68.4

Fleetwood - Don Potter (2,3,2,2) 9+1, Wilf Jay (2,3,3) 8, Jeff Crawford (1,3,2,2) 8, Russ Pursehouse (3,2,0,2) 7+1, Ray Harker (2,1,3,0) 6+1, Norman Hargreaves (3,1,0,0) 4, Angus McGuire (3,f) 3, Alf Parker (ef) 0  
Newcastle - Derick Close (3,3,3,3) 12, Don Lawson (2,2,3,1) 8+1, Herby King (0,2,3,1) 6, Ernie Brecknell (0,1,2,2) 5+1, Mike Wood (0,1,1) 2+1, Barry Pickering (1,1) 2, Son Mitchell (1,1,f) 2, Don Wilkinson (1,0,1,0) 2

23 April - Newcastle 55 America 17 (International Challenge)

Ht 1: Mitchell, Nicholaides, King, Trujillo 75.2  
Ht 2: Brecknell, Lawson, Andres, Hawley 75.0  
Ht 3: Close, Wilkinson, Carrol, Roccio 74.4  
Ht 4: Brecknell, Lawson, Trujillo, Nicholaides 74.0  
Ht 5: Close, Wilkinson, Hawley, Andres 73.2  
Ht 6: Carrol, King, Mitchell, Roccio 75.6  
Ht 7: Close, Wilkinson, Trujillo, Nicholaides(f) 74.0  
Ht 8: Lawson, Brecknell, Carrol, Roccio 75.6  
Ht 9: Hawley, Mitchell, King, Campbell(f) 75.4  
Ht 10: Close, Mitchell, Andres, Trujillo(f) 75.0  
Ht 11: Lawson, King, Roccio, Nicholaides(f) 74.6  
Ht 12: Brecknell, Wilkinson, Hawley, Carrol 76.0

Newcastle - Derick Close (3,3,3,3) 12, Ernie Brecknell (3,3,2,3) 11+1, Don Lawson (2,2,3,3) 10+2, Don Wilkinson (2,2,2,2) 8+4, Son Mitchell (3,1,2,2) 8+2, Herby King (1,2,1,2) 6+2  
America - Don Hawley (0,1,3,1) 5, Royal Carrol (1,3,1,0) 5, Nick Nicholaides (2,0,f,f) 2, Ray Andres (1,0,1) 2, Manuel Trujillo (0,1,1,f) 2, Johnnie Roccio (0,0,0,1) 1, Lloyd Campbell (f) 0

Reserves Scratch Race: Wilkinson, Maughan, Nicholson, Campbell(f) 76.6

The California Scratch Race

Ht 1: Lawson, Mitchell, Andres, Carrol 76.6  
Ht 2: Close, King, Roccio, Nicholaides(exc) 75.6  
Ht 3: Young, Hawley, Trujillo, Brecknell(f) 75.8  
Final: Young, Close, Lawson, Mitchell 75.4

Junior Scurry: Maughan, Nicholson, Sutcliffe, Steward 78.6

Extra Race: Young, Brecknell, Hawley, Close(f) 74.6

**Track Record Attempt: Young 72.6**

27 April - Motherwell 42 Newcastle 41 (North Shield)

Ht 1: McGregor, Mitchell, King, Scott 76.0  
Ht 2: Crowther, Brecknell, Lawson, Lindsay 76.2  
Ht 3: Close, Watson, Lowther, Wilkinson 77.0  
Ht 4: Mitchell, Lindsay, Tams, Baird 78.4  
Ht 5: McGregor, Brecknell, Lawson, Scott(f) 76.4  
Ht 6: Crowther, Close, Wilkinson, Lindsay 76.4  
Ht 7: Mitchell, Watson, Lowther, King 78.8  
Ht 8: Crowther, Lawson, Baird, Maughan 78.8  
Ht 9: McGregor, Close, Wilkinson, Riddell 77.6  
Ht 10: Crowther, Mitchell, King, Lindsay 77.8  
Ht 11: Watson, Lowther, Brecknell, Lowther 78.0  
Ht 12: Wilkinson, Riddell, Baird(f), Maughan(f) 84.2  
Ht 13: Watson, Brecknell, Baird, Tams 78.2  
Ht 14: McGregor, Close, King, Lowther 77.0

Motherwell - Gordon McGregor (3,3,3,3) 12, Joe Crowther (3,3,3,3) 12, Noel Watson (2,2,3,3) 10, Will Lowther (1,1,0,0) 2+2, Malcolm Riddell (0,2) 2, Bob Lindsay (0,2,0,0) 2, Bill Baird (0,1,f,1) 2, Bluey Scott (0,f) 0  
Newcastle - Son Mitchell (2,3,3,2) 10, Derick Close (3,2,2,2) 9, Ernie Brecknell (2,2,1,2) 7+1, Don Lawson (1,1,2,2) 6+2, Don Wilkinson (0,1,1,3) 5+2, Herby King (1,0,1,1) 3+3, Mike Tams (1,0) 1, Ray Maughan (0,f) 0

**Holytown Cup**

Ht 1: Crowther, Lowther, Mitchell, Maughan 76.8  
Ht 2: Close, Brecknell, Bradbury, Baird 78.8  
Ht 3: McGregor, King, Lawson, Scott 78.6  
Ht 4: Watson, Lindsay, Wilkinson 78.6  
Final: Crowther, Close, McGregor, Watson 77.6

**Novice Race: Riddell, Andrews, Barr 84.2**

30 April - Newcastle 71 Fleetwood 36 (National Trophy First Round First Leg)

Ht 1: King, Jay, Potter, Tams 74.6  
Ht 2: Brecknell, Parker, Lawson, McGuire 74.6  
Ht 3: Wilkinson, Jay, Hargreaves, Close(fex) 75.0  
Ht 4: Maughan, Pursehouse, Harker, Nicholson 77.8  
Ht 5: Lawson, King, Hargreaves, McGuire 76.4  
Ht 6: Wilkinson, Brecknell, Parker, Potter 74.0  
Ht 7: Close, Tams, Crawford, Pursehouse(f) 76.2  
Ht 8: Potter, Lawson, Tams, Crawford 76.6  
Ht 9: Wilkinson, King, Potter, Harker(f) 75.0  
Ht 10: Close, Jay, Lawson, Parker 73.4  
Ht 11: Brecknell, King, Hargreaves, Crawford 74.8  
Ht 12: Jay, Brecknell, Tams, Pursehouse 75.0  
Ht 13: Close, King, Crawford, Parker 75.2  
Ht 14: Maughan, Harker, Nicholson(fex), Pursehouse (ef) 79.4  
Ht 15: Close, Brecknell, Potter, Hargreaves 79.4  
Ht 16: Jay, Wilkinson, Lawson, Crawford 76.2  
Ht 17: Wilkinson, Hargreaves, Parker, Tams(ef) 75.8  
Ht 18: Close, Jay, Brecknell, Potter(ef) 74.6

Newcastle - Derick Close (f,3,3,3,3) 15, Don Wilkinson (3,3,3,2,3) 14, Ernie Brecknell (3,2,3,2,2,1) 13+2, Herby King (3,2,2,2,2) 11+4, Don Lawson (1,3,2,1,1) 8+1, Ray Maughan (3,3) 6, Mike Tams (0,2,1,1,ef) 4+3, Len Nicholson (0,f) 0  
Fleetwood - Wilf Jay (2,2,2,3,3,2) 14, Don Potter (1,0,3,1,1,ef) 6, Norman Hargreaves (1,1,1,0,2) 5, Alf Parker (2,1,0,0,1) 4+1, Ray Harker (1,f,2) 3+1, Russ Pursehouse (2,f,0,ef) 2, Jeff Crawford (1,0,0,1,0) 2, Angus McGuire (0,0) 0

**Juniors Scratch Race: Nicholson, Steward, Sutcliffe, Eagleton 78.6**

2 May - Glasgow 51 Newcastle 33 (National League)

Ht 1: King, J Hodgson, Orpwood, Bainbridge 83.2  
Ht 2: Miller, McKinlay, Lawson, Brecknell(ef) 84.0  
Ht 3: Close, F Hodgson, Wilkinson, Lindsay 82.2  
Ht 4: McKinlay, McIntosh, Tams, Orpwood 84.0  
Ht 5: Brecknell, J Hodgson, Lawson, Bainbridge 84.2  
Ht 6: Miller, McKinlay, Wilkinson, Close(ef) 84.6  
Ht 7: Orpwood, Lindsay, F Hodgson, King 83.4  
Ht 8: Miller, Blythe, Lawson, Maughan 83.0  
Ht 9: Close, Wilkinson, McIntosh, J Hodgson 83.0  
Ht 10: Miller, King, McKinlay, Orpwood 82.4  
Ht 11: Lindsay, F Hodgson, Tams, Brecknell(ex) 85.0  
Ht 12: McIntosh, Wilkinson, Blythe, Maughan 84.2  
Ht 13: F Hodgson, Blythe, Tams, Maughan(ef) 85.6  
Ht 14: Close, Lindsay, J Hodgson, King 83.2

Glasgow - Tommy Miller (3,3,3,3) 12, Ken McKinlay (2,3,2,1) 8+2, Frank Hodgson (2,1,2,3) 8+2, Norman Lindsay (0,2,3,2) 7, Alf McIntosh (2,1,3) 6+1, Jim Blythe (2,1,2) 5+2, Jack Hodgson (2,2,0,1) 5+1, Junior Bainbridge (0,0) 0  
Newcastle - Derick Close (3,ef,3,3) 9, Don Wilkinson (1,1,2,2) 6+1, Herby King (3,0,2,0) 5, Peter Orpwood (1,0,3,0) 4, Ernie Bracknell (ef,3,ex) 3, Don Lawson (1,1,1) 3, Mike Tams (1,1,1) 3, Ray Maughan (0,0,ef) 0

**Sunny May Cup**

Ht 1: Close, McIntosh, F Hodgson, Irvine(ef) 84.0  
Ht 2: Miller, Lindsay, King, Maughan 83.8  
Ht 3: McKinlay, Blythe, J Hodgson, Hall 85.0  
Final: Close, Miller, McKinlay, Lindsay(ef) 82.2

**Consolation Race: Wilkinson, Blythe, Davies, Tams 85.4**

**Newcomers Race: Nicholson, Hall, Irvine, Davies 87.8**

7 May - Newcastle 38 Edinburgh 44 (North Shield)

Ht 1: Young, Orpwood, King(ef), Lack(ex) 73.4  
Ht 2: Lawson, Fairhurst, Chignell, Booth 75.0  
Ht 3: Mark, Close, Campbell, Wilkinson 72.8  
Ht 4: Young, Tams, Chignell, Booth 75.4  
Ht 5: Orpwood, Fairhurst, King, Booth(ex) 75.2  
Ht 6: Campbell, Mark, Lawson, Chignell 73.6  
Ht 7: Young, Close, Wilkinson, Lack 72.6  
Ht 8: Tams, Turner, Maughan, Booth 77.4  
Ht 9: Campbell, Orpwood, King, Mark(ef) 74.8  
Ht 10: Young, Lack, Tams, Chignell 76.2  
Ht 11: Close, Fairhurst, Wilkinson, Booth 74.6  
Ht 12: Mark, Orpwood, Tams, Turner 75.0  
Ht 13: Fairhurst, Maughan, Turner(ef), Wilkinson(ef) 77.0  
Ht 14: Campbell, Close, Lack, King(ef) 73.8

Newcastle - Derick Close (2,2,3,2) 9, Peter Orpwood (2,3,2,2) 9, Mike Tams (2,3,1,1) 7+1, Don Lawson (3,1) 4, Ray Maughan (1,2) 3, Don Wilkinson (0,1,1,ef) 2+1, Herby King (ef,1,1,ef) 2+1, Jack Chignell (1,1,0,0) 2+1  
Edinburgh - Jack Young (3,3,3,3) 12, Dick Campbell (1,3,3,3) 10+1, Harold Fairhurst (2,2,2,3) 9, Bob Mark (3,2,ef,3) 8+1, Eddie Lack (ex,0,2,1) 3+1, Jim Turner (0,2,0,ef) 2, Harold Booth (0,ex,ef,0) 0

**Reserves Scratch Race: Turner, Tams, Booth, Maughan(ef) 77.4**

**Juniors Scratch Race: Higgins, Robson, Steward, Nicholson 82.6**

#### The May Scratch Race

Ht 1: Lack, Fairhurst, Nicholson, Mark(ef) 76.2  
Ht 2: D Campbell, Close, Wilkinson, Tams 74.0  
Ht 3: Young, Chignell, Orpwood, J Campbell 75.0  
Final: Young, Campbell, Close, Lack 73.8

9 May - Fleetwood 64 Newcastle 44 (National Trophy First Round Second Leg) – Newcastle won 115-100 on aggregate

Ht 1 : Jay, Hargreaves, King, Orpwood 70.2  
Ht 2: Close, Pursehouse, Potter, Lawson 68.0  
Ht 3: Parker, Chignell, Crawford, King 69.2  
Ht 4: McGuire, Harker, Tams, Maughan 68.8  
Ht 5: Pursehouse, Lawson, Hargreaves, Chignell 68.2  
Ht 6: Close, Potter, Crawford, Orpwood 68.2  
Ht 7: Jay, Lawson, Parker, Wilkinson 69.6  
Ht 8: Jay, Wilkinson, Orpwood, Pursehouse 70.4  
Ht 9: Crawford, Lawson, Orpwood, Hargreaves 71.4  
Ht 10: Close, Parker, Pursehouse, King 69.6  
Ht 11: Hargreaves, Chignell, Potter, Wilkinson 69.4  
Ht 12: Jay, Lawson, Potter, King 70.6  
Ht 13: Close, Hargreaves, Parker, Wilkinson 68.0  
Ht 14: McGuire, Maughan, Harker, Tams 70.2  
Ht 15: Parker, Chignell, Potter, Orpwood 68.8  
Ht 16: King, Pursehouse, Crawford, Wilkinson 69.8  
Ht 17: Close, Jay, Chignell, Crawford 69.0  
Ht 18: Chignell, Parker, Jay, Close 71.4

Fleetwood - Wilf Jay (3,3,3,2,1) 15+1, Alf Parker (3,1,2,1,3,2) 12+1, Russ Pursehouse (2,3,0,1,2) 8+1, Norman Hargreaves (2,1,0,3,2) 8, Jeff Crawford (1,1,3,1,0) 6+1, Don Potter (1,2,1,1,1) 6+1, Angus McGuire (3,3) 6, Ray Harker (2,1) 3+1  
Newcastle - Derick Close (3,3,3,3,0) 15, Jack Chignell (2,0,2,2,1,3) 10, Don Lawson (0,2,2,2,2) 8, Herby King (1,0,0,0,3) 4, Peter Orpwood (0,0,1,1,0) 2+2, Ray Maughan (0,2) 2, Don Wilkinson (0,2,0,0,0) 2, Mike Tams (1,0) 1

**Junior Handicap Race: Bottoms (45), Culshaw (55), Leighs (0), Roberts (5) 73.4**

**Reserves Scratch Race: McGuire, Harper, Tams, Maughan 70.6**

14 May - Newcastle 40 Ashfield 44 (National League)

Ht 1: Harding, Orpwood, Lovell, Chignell 74.2  
Ht 2: Semmens, Lawson, Phillips, King(f) 75.6  
Ht 3: Close, Wilkinson, Gates, Wilson 75.0  
Ht 4: Harding, King, Lazarus, Tams 75.2  
Ht 5: Orpwood, Phillips, Semmens, Chignell 75.4  
Ht 6: King, Lawson, Gates, Wilson(ex) 75.8  
Ht 7: Harding, Close, Wilkinson, Lovell 73.8  
Ht 8: Semmens, Bibby, Lawson, Maughan(ef) 79.0  
Ht 9: Wilson, Orpwood, Chignell, Gates 75.4  
Ht 10: Harding, King, Lawson, Lovell 74.8  
Ht 11: Close, Semmens, Phillips, Wilkinson(ef) 74.2  
Ht 12: Wilson, Chignell, Bibby, Tams(ef) 75.4  
Ht 13: Lazarus, Phillips, Wilkinson, Maughan 76.0  
Ht 14: Close, Orpwood, Lovell, Gates 75.2

Newcastle - Derick Close (3,3,2,3) 11, Peter Orpwood (2,3,2,2) 9+1, Herby King (f,2,3,2) 7, Don Lawson (2,2,1,1) 6+2, Don Wilkinson (2,1,ef,1) 4+2, Jack Chignell (0,0,1,2) 3+1, Mike Tams (0,ef) 0, Ray Maughan (ef,0) 0  
Ashfield - Merv Harding (3,3,3,3) 12, Bruce Semmens (3,1,3,2) 9+1, Ron Phillips (1,2,1,2) 6+2, Willie Wilson (0,ex,3,3) 6, Larry Lazarus (1,3) 4, Jack Bibby (2,1) 3+1, Jackie Gates (1,1,0,0) 2, Bob Lovell (1,0,0,1) 2

**Reserves Scratch Race: Lazarus, Tams, McGillivray, Nicholson(exc) 75.8**

**Junior Scratch Race: Higgins, Steward, Nicholson, Robson 79.6**

#### The Whitsun Scratch Race

Ht 1: King, Wilson, Lovell, Chignell 76.0  
Ht 2: Close, Harding, Phillips, Lawson 74.2  
Ht 3: Semmens, Orpwood, Gates, McGillivray 74.8  
Final: Harding, Close, King, Semmens 74.0

19 May - Norwich 79 Newcastle 29 (National Trophy Second Round First Leg)

Ht 1: Rogers, Leverenz, Lawson, Mitchell 74.0

Ht 2: Clarke, Codling, Chignell, Orpwood 74.0  
Ht 3: Mills, Freeman, Lawson, Wilkinson 74.6  
Ht 4: Davies, Pawson, Green, Tams 76.0  
Ht 5: Rogers, Clarke, Chignell, Wilkinson 73.8  
Ht 6: Freeman, Mitchell, Codling, Orpwood 75.8  
Ht 7: Leverenz, Close, Mills, Chignell 73.8  
Ht 8: Close, Clarke, Leverenz, Mitchell 74.4  
Ht 9: Rogers, Freeman, Mitchell, Chignell 75.0  
Ht 10: Clarke, Mills, Lawson, Orpwood 74.0  
Ht 11: Close, Codling, Wilkinson, Rogers 74.8  
Ht 12: Leverenz, Codling, Chignell, Lawson 73.6  
Ht 13: Close, Mills, Rogers, Orpwood 75.0  
Ht 14: Pawson, Green, Davies, Tams 75.2  
Ht 15: Mills, Codling, Mitchell, Wilkinson 76.2  
Ht 16: Clarke, Close, Freeman, Lawson 75.0  
Ht 17: Leverenz, Freeman, Orpwood, Wilkinson 74.8  
Ht 18: Leverenz, Clarke, Close, Mitchell 74.8

Norwich - Bob Leverenz (2,3,1,3,3,3) 15+2, Phil Clarke (3,2,2,3,3,2) 15+2, Paddy Mills (3,1,2,2,3) 11+1, Jack Freeman (2,3,2,1,2) 10+3, Fred Rogers (3,3,3,0,1) 10+1, Bill Codling (2,1,2,2,2) 9+3, Fred Pawson (2,3) 5+1, Trevor Davies (3,1) 4  
Newcastle - Derick Close (2,3,3,3,2,1) 14, Son Mitchell (0,2,0,1,1,0) 4, Johnny Green (1,2) 3, Don Lawson (1,1,1,0,0) 3, Jack Chignell (1,1,0,0,1) 3, Don Wilkinson (0,0,1,0,0) 1, Peter Orpwood (0,0,0,0,1) 1, Mike Tams (0,0) 0

**Reserves Scratch Race: Pawson, Green, Tams, Davies 75.8**

**Highest Scorers Race: Clarke, Leverenz, Mills, Close 75.2**

21 May - Newcastle 47 Norwich 60 (National Trophy Second Round Second Leg) – Norwich won 139-76 on aggregate

Ht 1: Leverenz, Rogers, Lawson, Tams 74.0  
Ht 2: Clarke, Freeman, Chignell, Orpwood 75.0  
Ht 3: Close, Rogers, Wilkinson, Hunter 73.8  
Ht 4: Pawson, Tams, Mills, Green 74.6  
Ht 5: Clarke, Lawson, Orpwood, Hunter 74.0  
Ht 6: Leverenz, Wilkinson, Freeman, Chignell 74.2  
Ht 7: Clarke, Mitchell, Close, Codling 73.6  
Ht 8: Leverenz, Orpwood, Mitchell, Codling 74.0  
Ht 9: Leverenz, Clarke, Wilkinson, Lawson 73.8  
Ht 10: Close, Freeman, Rogers, Orpwood 74.6  
Ht 11: Hunter, Chignell, Lawson, Codling 76.4  
Ht 12: Clarke, Chignell, Rogers, Mitchell 74.4  
Ht 13: Close, Freeman, Pawson, Lawson 75.0  
Ht 14: Pawson, Tams, Green, Mills 75.8  
Ht 15: Close, Leverenz, Hunter, Chignell 73.6  
Ht 16: Wilkinson, Green, Rogers(ef), Mills(ef) 75.0  
Ht 17: Freeman, Mitchell, Hunter, Wilkinson(f) 76.2  
Ht 18: Close, Clarke, Leverenz, Mitchell 74.0

Newcastle - Derick Close (3,1,3,3,3,3) 16+1, Don Wilkinson (1,2,1,3,f) 7, Son Mitchell (2,1,0,2,0) 5+1, Jack Chignell (1,0,2,2,0) 5, Don Lawson (1,2,0,1,0) 4+1, Mike Tams (0,2,2) 4, Johnny Green (0,1,2) 3+2, Peter Orpwood (0,1,2,0) 3+1  
Norwich - Phil Clarke (3,3,3,2,3,2) 16+1, Bob Leverenz (3,3,3,3,2,1) 15+1, Jack Freeman (2,1,2,2,3) 10+1, Fred Pawson (3,1,3) 7+1, Fred Rogers (2,2,1,1,ef) 6+2, Alec Hunter (0,0,3,1,1) 5+1, Paddy Mills (1,0,ef) 1, Bill Codling (0,0,0) 0

**Reserves Race: Green, Pawson, Mills, Tams 76.6**

**Junior Scratch Race: Nicholson, Robson, Steward, Higgins(f) 78.0**

28 May - Newcastle 45 Glasgow 39 (National League)

Ht 1: J Hodgson, Bainbridge, Mitchell, Orpwood(fex) 81.0  
Ht 2: Green, Lawson, Miller, McKinlay 79.4  
Ht 3: Wilkinson, F Hodgson, Lindsay, Close(fex) 78.8  
Ht 4: Green, J Hodgson, Chignell, McIntosh(f) 78.8  
Ht 5: Miller, McKinlay, Mitchell, Orpwood 79.0  
Ht 6: Green, Lawson, Lindsay, F Hodgson 78.2  
Ht 7: Wilkinson, Close, Bainbridge, J Hodgson 77.6  
Ht 8: Miller, Lawson, Tams, Blythe(f) 77.6  
Ht 9: F Hodgson, Mitchell, Orpwood, Lindsay 78.8  
Ht 10: Bainbridge, Green, Lawson, J Hodgson 79.2  
Ht 11: Miller, Wilkinson, McKinlay, Chignell 77.6  
Ht 12: Lindsay, Mitchell, Chignell, Blythe 79.0  
Ht 13: Wilkinson, McIntosh, Tams, McKinlay(f) 78.0  
Ht 14: Close, Bainbridge, F Hodgson, Orpwood(ef) 77.0

Newcastle - Don Wilkinson (3,3,2,3) 11, Johnny Green (3,3,3,2) 11, Don Lawson (2,2,2,1) 7+3, Son Mitchell (1,1,2,2) 6, Derick Close (ex,2,3) 5+1, Mike Tams (1,1) 2+1, Jack Chignell (1,0,1) 2+1, Peter Orpwood (ex,0,1,ef) 1+1  
White City - Tommy Miller (1,3,3,3) 10, Junior Bainbridge (2,1,3,2) 8+1, Frank Hodgson (2,0,3,1) 6+1, Norman Lindsay (1,1,0,3) 5+1, Jack Hodgson (3,2,0,0) 5, Ken McKinlay (0,2,1,f) 3+1, Alf McIntosh (f,2) 2, Jim Blythe (f,0) 0

**Reserves Race: Tams, Chignell, Maughan, McIntosh(ex) 79.8**

**Junior Scratch Race: Nicholson, Steward, Robson, Higgins(ns) 83.4**

**The Tigers Scratch Race**

Ht 1: Young, Lawson, Mitchell, J Hodgson 77.0  
Ht 2: Close, Orpwood, Bainbridge, F Hodgson 77.6  
Ht 3: Miller, Wilkinson, Green, Lindsay 78.0  
Final: Young, Close, Orpwood, Miller 76.4

1 June - Leicester 60 Newcastle 24 (National League)

Ht 1: Grierson, Orpwood, Mitchell, Benson(f) 72.0  
Ht 2: Williams, Beaumont, Lawson, Green 72.4  
Ht 3: Pike, Bowkis, Close, Wilkinson 71.2  
Ht 4: Page, Beaumont, Mitchell, Chignell 72.0

Ht 5: Benson, Grierson, Lawson, Green 72.0  
Ht 6: Williams, Close, Beaumont, Wilkinson 71.0  
Ht 7: Pike, Bowkis, Mitchell, Orpwood 71.6  
Ht 8: Williams, Wilson, Lawson, Tams 71.8  
Ht 9: Close, Benson, Grierson, Wilkinson 70.6  
Ht 10: Williams, Beaumont, Mitchell, Orpwood 71.4  
Ht 11: Pike, Green, Bowkis, Lawson 71.4  
Ht 12: Page, Wilkinson, Grierson, Tams 71.6  
Ht 13: Bowkis, Green, Chignell, Wilson 71.4  
Ht 14: Benson, Close, Pike, Orpwood 71.2

Leicester - Len Williams (3,3,3,3) 12, Harwood Pike (3,3,3,1) 10, Joe Bowkis (2,2,1,3) 8+2, Lionel Benson (f,3,2,3) 8, Les Beaumont (2,2,1,2) 7+3, Jock Grierson (3,2,1,1) 7+2, Cyril Page (3,3) 6, Ron Wilson (2,0) 2+1  
Newcastle - Derick Close (1,2,3,2) 8, Son Mitchell (1,1,1,1) 4+1, Johnny Green (0,0,2,2) 4, Don Lawson (1,1,1,0) 3, Peter Orpwood (2,0,0,0) 2, Don Wilkinson (0,0,0,2) 2, Jack Chignell (0,1) 1+1, Mike Tams (0,0) 0

? Race: Pitcher, Wright, Tams, Holland 72.2

Ashby Magna Scratch Race: Chignell, Page, Wilson, Wright 72.0

#### Stadium Scratch Race

Ht 1: Bowkis, Beaumont, Green, Wilkinson 71.4  
Ht 2: Grierson, Lawson, Holland, Pike(exc) 72.8  
Ht 3: Page, Benson, Orpwood, Pitcher 71.4  
Ht 4: Williams, Close, Wilson, Mitchell(f) 71.2  
Final: Williams, Page, Grierson, Bowkis 71.2

2 June - Norwich 58 Newcastle 26 (National League)

Ht 1: Leverenz, Mitchell, Chignell, Codling 72.4  
Ht 2: Rogers, Hunter, Green, Lawson 74.4  
Ht 3: Close, Mills, Freeman, Wilkinson 73.0  
Ht 4: Hunter, Rogers, Mitchell, Tams 75.0  
Ht 5: Leverenz, Green, Codling, Lawson 75.6  
Ht 6: Close, Hunter, Pawson, Wilkinson 73.6  
Ht 7: Mills, Freeman, Chignell, Mitchell 75.6  
Ht 8: Rogers, Pawson, Lawson, Maughan 75.0  
Ht 9: Leverenz, Close, Codling, Wilkinson 74.0  
Ht 10: Hunter, Mitchell, Pawson, Chignell 76.0  
Ht 11: Mills, Freeman, Lawson, Green 75.6  
Ht 12: Leverenz, Rogers, Wilkinson, Maughan 75.0  
Ht 13: Mills, Pawson, Green, Tams 75.0  
Ht 14: Close, Freeman, Chignell, Codling 75.0

Norwich - Bob Leverenz (3,3,3,3) 12, Paddy Mills (2,3,3,3) 11, Fred Rogers (3,2,3,2) 10+2, Alec Hunter (2,3,2,3) 10+1, Jack Freeman (1,2,2,2) 7+3, Fred Pawson (1,2,1,2) 6+3, Bill Codling (0,1,1,0) 2

Newcastle - Derick Close (3,3,2,3) 11, Son Mitchell (2,1,0,2) 5, Johnny Green (1,2,0,1) 4, Jack Chignell (1,1,0,1) 3+1, Don Lawson (0,0,1,1) 2, Don Wilkinson (0,0,0,1) 1, Mike Tams (0,0) 0, Ray Maughan (0,0) 0

Special Match Race: Leverenz, Close 75.0

Reserves Scratch Race: Pawson, Rogers, Tams, Maughan 75.0

#### Peasenhall Scratch Race

Ht 1: Rogers, Mitchell, Codling, Green 75.6  
Ht 2: Mills, Close, Hunter, Chignell 75.4  
Ht 3: Freeman, Rogers, Wilkinson, Maughan 75.8  
Ht 4: Leverenz, Pawson, Tams, Lawson 75.6  
Final: Leverenz, Mills, Rogers, Freeman 75.8

4 June - Newcastle 36 Leicester 47 (National League)

Ht 1: Mitchell, Grierson, Wilkinson(ex), Benson(ef) 74.4  
Ht 2: Williams, Beaumont, Lawson, Green 75.4  
Ht 3: Close, Pike, Orpwood, Bowkis 72.8  
Ht 4: Green, Chignell, Grierson, Page 76.2  
Ht 5: Williams, Beaumont, Mitchell, Wilkinson 74.2  
Ht 6: Pike, Bowkis, Lawson, Green 74.6  
Ht 7: Close, Benson, Grierson, Orpwood 73.4  
Ht 8: Williams, Wilson, Lawson, Tams 76.0  
Ht 9: Pike, Mitchell, Bowkis, Wilkinson 75.4  
Ht 10: Benson, Lawson, Green, Grierson 75.6  
Ht 11: Close, Beaumont, Williams, Orpwood 73.6  
Ht 12: Mitchell, Chignell, Wilson, Bowkis 75.6  
Ht 13: Beaumont, Page, Orpwood, Tams 75.4  
Ht 14: Close, Benson, Pike, Chignell 75.4

Newcastle - Derick Close (3,3,3,3) 12, Son Mitchell (3,1,2,3) 9, Don Lawson (1,1,1,2) 5, Jack Chignell (2,2,0) 4+2, Johnny Green (0,3,0,1) 4+1, Peter Orpwood (1,0,0,1) 2, Mike Tams (0,0) 0, Don Wilkinson (ex,0,0) 0

Leicester - Len Williams (3,3,3,1) 10+1, Les Beaumont (2,2,2,3) 9+2, Harwood Pike (2,3,3,1) 9+1, Lionel Benson (ef,2,3,2) 7, Jock Grierson (2,1,1,0) 4+1, Ron Wilson (2,1) 3+1, Joe Bowkis (0,2,1,0) 3+1, Cyril Page (0,2) 2+1

Reserves Scratch Race: Wilson, Page, Tams, Maughan 75.6

Junior Scratch Race: Nicholson, Robson(exc), Steward(exc), Anderson(exc)

#### The Hunters Scratch Race

Ht 1: Benson, Beaumont, Mitchell, Green 75.4  
Ht 2: Orpwood, Wilkinson, Grierson, Bowkis 76.0  
Ht 3: Close, Williams, Pike, Lawson 75.2  
Final: Close, Beaumont, Benson, Orpwood 75.2

10 June - Shelbourne 52 Newcastle 32 (Challenge)

Ht 1: Nicholaides, Lawson, Trujillo, Green 72.2



Ht 2: Carrol, Roccio, Orpwood, Chignell 73.0  
Ht 3: Close, Hawley, Gibson, Wilkinson 71.8  
Ht 4: Carrol, Nicholaides, Tams, Chignell 75.2  
Ht 5: Roccio, Lawson, Green, Campbell(ex) 73.8  
Ht 6: Gibson, Hawley, Orpwood, Chignell 74.8  
Ht 7: Close, Nicholaides, Wilkinson, Trujillo 73.4  
Ht 8: Campbell, Orpwood, Carrol, Tams 74.8  
Ht 9: Gibson, Hawley, Green, Lawson 75.2  
Ht 10: Chignell, Nicholaides, Trujillo, Orpwood 74.4  
Ht 11: Close, Campbell, Wilkinson, Roccio 73.6  
Ht 12: Campbell, Hawley, Lawson, Tams 75.0  
Ht 13: Wilkinson, Roccio, Carrol, Tams 74.4  
Ht 14: Close, Gibson, Trujillo, Green 74.4

Shelburne - Johnny Gibson (1,3,3,2) 9+1, Nick Nicholaides (3,2,2,2) 9+1, Don Hawley (2,2,2,2) 8+3, Royal Carrol (3,3,1,1) 8+1, Lloyd Campbell (3,0,2,3) 8, Johnnie Roccio (2,3,0,2) 7+1, Manuel Trujillo (1,0,1,1) 3+2  
Newcastle - Derick Close (3,3,3,3) 12, Don Wilkinson (0,1,1,3) 5, Don Lawson (2,2,0,1) 5, Peter Orpwood (1,1,2,0) 4, Jack Chignell (0,0,0,3) 3, Johnny Green (0,1,1,0) 2+1, Mike Tams (1,0,0,0) 1

#### Track Record Attempts

Four Laps: Moore 70.0, Lloyd 71.6, Close 72.8, Waterman 73.0  
Two Laps: Moore 34.8, Lloyd 36.0, Close 36.8, Waterman 37.0

Irish Novices Race: O'Hara, Marr, O'Lone, Cleery 60.6

#### Rolling Start Challenge Match

Ht 1: Moore, Waterman 55.0  
Ht 2: Lloyd, Nicholaides(f) 53.2

Shelbourne Scratch Race: Campbell, Trujillo, Tams 75.6

All Star Match Race: Moore, Lloyd, Close(f), Waterman(ret) 72.8

Bray Scratch Race: Hawley, Orpwood, Lawson, Wilkinson(f) 74.8

Howth Scratch Race: Gibson, Roccio, Green, Chignell(f) 75.4

15 June - Newcastle 36 Norwich 48 (National League)

Ht 1: Leverenz, Close, Rogers, Wilkinson 74.0  
Ht 2: Hunter, Clarke, Mitchell, Orpwood 76.2  
Ht 3: Pawson, Freeman, Lawson, Green 75.0  
Ht 4: Leverenz, Chignell, Orpwood, Codling 75.4  
Ht 5: Close, Hunter, Clarke, Wilkinson 75.2  
Ht 6: Freman, Mitchell, Pawson, Orpwood 76.4  
Ht 7: Leverenz, Rogers, Green, Lawson 76.0  
Ht 8: Clarke, Mitchell, Tams, Davies 75.4  
Ht 9: Close, Freeman, Wilkinson, Pawson(f) 75.6  
Ht 10: Leverenz, Mitchell, Chignell, Rogers  
Ht 11: Clarke, Hunter, Green, Lawson 75.6  
Ht 12: Wilkinson, Chignell, Davies, Pawson(ef) 77.6  
Ht 13: Green, Hunter, Tams, Codling(ef) 77.0  
Ht 14: Close, Freeman, Rogers, Chignell 76.0

Newcastle - Derick Close (2,3,3,3) 11, Son Mitchell (1,2,2,2) 7, Jack Chignell (2,1,2) 5+2, Johnny Green (0,1,1,3) 5, Don Wilkinson (0,0,1,3) 4, Mike Tams (1,1) 2+1, Peter Orpwood (0,1,0) 1+1, Don Lawson (1,0,0) 1  
Norwich - Bob Leverenz (3,3,3,3) 12, Phil Clarke (2,1,3,3) 9+2, Jack Freeman (2,3,2,2) 9+1, Alec Hunter (3,2,2,2) 9+1, Fred Rogers (1,2,0,1) 4+2, Fred Pawson (3,1,f,ef) 4+1, Trevor Davies (0,1) 1, Bill Codling (0,ef) 0

Juniors Scratch Race: Nicholson, Robson, Steward, Anderson 81.4

Reserves Scratch Race: Tams, Davies, Chignell, Codling(exc) 79.2

#### The Friday Scratch Race

Ht 1: Pawson, Rogers, Orpwood, Wilkinson(f) 81.4  
Ht 2: Close, Hunter, Green, Leverenz 76.4  
Ht 3: Clarke, Freeman, Mitchell, Lawson 75.4  
Final: Clarke, Close, Freeman, Pawson 75.4

22 June - Newcastle 30 Hanley 54 (National League)

Ht 1: Pritchett, Adams, Wilkinson, Close(ef) 74.6  
Ht 2: S Mitchell, Fitzpatrick, Jenkins, Green 75.8  
Ht 3: L Mitchell, Blake, Lawson, Dook(ex) 76.0  
Ht 4: B Harris, Adams, Chignell, Green(ex) 80.6  
Ht 5: Close, Jenkins, Fitzpatrick, Wilkinson 75.0  
Ht 6: Blake, Green, L Mitchell, S Mitchell 75.4  
Ht 7: Pritchett, Adams, Lawson, Dook 75.0  
Ht 8: S Mitchell, R Harris, Tams, Jenkins(ex) 75.4  
Ht 9: Close, Blake, Wilkinson, L Mitchell 75.2  
Ht 10: Pritchett, S Mitchell, Adams, Green 76.0  
Ht 11: Jenkins, Lawson, Fitzpatrick, Dook 76.6  
Ht 12: R Harris, L Mitchell, Chignell, Wilkinson(ef) 76.6  
Ht 13: B Harris, Fitzpatrick, Chignell, Tams 77.4  
Ht 14: Close, Blake, Lawson, Pritchett 75.4

Newcastle - Derick Close (ef,3,3,3) 9, Son Mitchell (3,0,3,2) 8, Don Lawson (1,1,2,1) 5, Jack Chignell (1,1,1) 3, Johnny Green (0,ex,2,0) 2, Don Wilkinson (1,0,1,ef) 2, Mike Tams (1,0) 1, Roy Dook (ex,0,0) 0  
Hanley - Gil Blake (2,3,2,2) 9+1, Brian Pritchett (3,3,3,0) 9, Ken Adams (2,2,2,1) 7+3, Johnny Fitzpatrick (2,1,1,2) 6+2, Lindsay Mitchell (3,1,0,2) 6+1, Les Jenkins (1,2,ex,3) 6+1, Bill Harris (3,3) 6, Ray Harris (2,3) 5

Junior Scratch Race: Nicholson, Steward, Robson, Davidson(ef) 76.8

Reserves Scratch Race: R Harris, Tams, Chignell, B Harris 76.4

**The Potters Scratch Race**

Ht 1: Blake, Fitzpatrick, Lawson, S Mitchell(ef) 76.0  
Ht 2: Close, Adams, L Mitchell, Jenkins 76.2  
Ht 3: Green, Tams, Pritchett, Chignell 77.0  
Final: Close, Fitzpatrick, Blake, Green 76.0

23 June - Cradley Heath 60 Newcastle 24 (National League)

Ht 1: Close, Craven, Wilkinson, L Tolley 74.2  
Ht 2: D Tolley, Schofield, Green, Chignell 75.6  
Ht 3: Allott, Malpass, Lawson, Dook 75.4  
Ht 4: D Tolley, Bastable, Orpwood, Wilkinson(ef) 76.8  
Ht 5: L Tolley, Craven, Chignell, Green 76.8  
Ht 6: D Tolley, Schofield, Lawson, Dook 76.4  
Ht 7: Close, Malpass, Allott, Wilkinson 74.8  
Ht 8: Hitchings, Tams, Chignell, Schofield(ex) 76.0  
Ht 9: Craven, L Tolley, Lawson, Dook 77.2  
Ht 10: Close, Schofield, D Tolley, Wilkinson 76.4  
Ht 11: Allott, Malpass, Green, Chignell 76.4  
Ht 12: L Tolley, Bastable, Tams, Dook 77.2  
Ht 13: Allott, Hitchings, Green, Orpwood 76.6  
Ht 14: Malpass, Close, Craven, Lawson 75.4

Cradley Heath - Guy Allott (3,1,3,3) 10+1, Dick Tolley (3,3,3,1) 10+1, Phil Malpass (2,2,2,3) 9+2, Les Tolley (f,3,2,3) 8+1, Gil Craven (2,2,3,1) 8+1, Laurie Schofield (2,2,ex,2) 6+2, Dennis Hitchings (3,2) 5+1, Harry Bastable (2,2) 4+2  
Newcastle - Derick Close (3,3,3,2) 11, Mike Tams (2,1) 3, Johnny Green (1,0,1,1) 3, Don Lawson (1,1,1,0) 3, Jack Chignell (0,1,1,0) 2+1, Don Wilkinson (1,ef,0,0) 1, Peter Orpwood (1,0) 1, Roy Dook (0,0,0,0) 0

Quarry Bank Scratch Race: Chignell, Clifton, Wilstead, Prettijohn 76.6

Wordsley Scratch Race: Allott, Malpass, Tams, Dook 76.0

Blackheath Scratch Race: Hitchings, Green, Chignell, Bastable(exc) 76.8

Brierly Hill Scratch Race: L Tolley, D Tolley, Clifton, Wilkinson(ef) 75.6

Oldbury Scratch Race: Schofield, Close, Craven, Lawson 75.4

Lye Scratch Race: Clifton, Wilstead, Orpwood, Prettijohn(exc) 76.4

29 June - Newcastle 43 Cradley Heath 41 (National League)

Ht 1: Close, D Tolley, Wilkinson, Schofield(f) 73.4  
Ht 2: Allott, Lawson, Tams, Malpass 76.0  
Ht 3: Mitchell, Craven, Green, L Tolley 74.2  
Ht 4: D Tolley, Lawson, Bastable, Chignell 74.8  
Ht 5: Close, Allott, Wilkinson, Malpass 74.4  
Ht 6: L Tolley, Craven, Lawson, Tams 75.6  
Ht 7: D Tolley, Mitchell, Chignell, Schofield(fex) 75.8  
Ht 8: Allott, Tams, Hitchings, Dook 75.8  
Ht 9: Close, Craven, Wilkinson, L Tolley(f) 76.0  
Ht 10: D Tolley, Bastable, Lawson, Tams 75.6  
Ht 11: Allott, Mitchell, Green, Malpass 75.0  
Ht 12: Wilkinson, Chignell, Hitchings, L Tolley(f) 76.2  
Ht 13: Bastable, Green, Malpass, Dook(f) 76.2  
Ht 14: Close, Mitchell, Craven, Bastable 75.6

Newcastle - Derick Close (3,3,3,3) 12, Son Mitchell (3,2,2,2) 9+1, Don Wilkinson (1,1,1,3) 6, Don Lawson (2,2,1,1) 6, Johnny Green (1,1,2) 4+1, Jack Chignell (0,1,2) 3+2, Mike Tams (1,0,2,0) 3+1, Roy Dook (0,f) 0  
Cradley Heath - Dick Tolley (2,3,3,3) 11, Guy Allott (3,3,2,3) 11, Gil Craven (2,2,2,1) 7+1, Harry Bastable (1,2,3,0) 6+1, Les Tolley (0,3,f,f) 3, Dennis Hitchings (1,1) 2, Phil Malpass (0,0,0,1) 1, Laurie Schofield (f,f) 0

Reserves Scratch Race: Chignell, Hitchings, Bastable, Dook(f) 77.4

Junior Scratch Race: Nicholson, Robson, Maughan, Steward(f) 76.8

**The Heathens Scratch Race**

Ht 1: L Tolley, Wilkinson, Malpass, Tams(f) 75.0  
Ht 2: Close, Craven, Green, D Tolley 75.8  
Ht 3: Allott, Mitchell, Lawson, Hitchings(ef) 76.2  
Final: Close, Wilkinson, L Tolley, Allott 75.4

3 July - Yarmouth 52 Newcastle 31 (National League)

Ht 1: Wilkinson, Baker, Close, Hipperson 72.2  
Ht 2: Brand, Quick, Tams, Lawson 74.1  
Ht 3: Page, Morgan, Mitchell, Green 72.8  
Ht 4: Quick, Chignell, Wilkinson, Thomas 73.0  
Ht 5: Baker, Hipperson, Tams, Lawson 72.5  
Ht 6: Brand, Quick, Green, Mitchell 73.5  
Ht 7: Close, Wilkinson, Morgan, Page 73.2  
Ht 8: Mills, Brand, Tams, Orpwood 74.5  
Ht 9: Baker, Mitchell, Hipperson, Green 73.0  
Ht 10: Close, Wilkinson, Brand, Quick 72.4  
Ht 11: Morgan, Chignell, Page, Tams 73.8  
Ht 12: Hipperson, Orpwood, Thomas, Green 74.0  
Ht 13: Page, Mills, Chignell(nf), Lawson(nf) 75.6  
Ht 14: Close, Baker, Morgan, Mitchell 73.0

Yarmouth - Bob Baker (2,3,3,2) 10, Fred Brand (3,3,2,1) 9+1, Cyril Quick (2,3,2,0) 7+2, Reg Morgan (2,1,3,1) 7+2, Stan Page (3,0,1,3) 7, Sid Hipperson (0,2,1,3) 6+1, Tip Mills (3,2) 5+1, Alby Thomas (0,1) 1

Newcastle - Derick Close (1,3,3,3) 10, Don Wilkinson (3,1,2,2) 8+3, Jack Chignell (2,2,nf) 4, Son Mitchell (1,0,2,0) 3, Mike Tams (1,1,1,0) 3, Peter Orpwood (0,2) 2, Johnny Green (0,1,0,0) 1, Don Lawson (0,0,nf) 0

Newtown Handicap: Flower (10), Courtnell (scr), White (20), Thomas (20) 75.3

**Southtown Scratch Race: White, Flower, Ridgeon, Chignell 75.5**

**Durham Scratch Race**

Ht 1: Baker, Morgan, Tams, Mitchell 74.0  
Ht 2: Wilkinson, Brand, Page, Orpwood 73.0  
Ht 3: Close, Quick, Hipperson, Green 73.5  
Final: Close, Baker, Wilkinson, Quick 73.3

**6 July - Motherwell 40 Newcastle 44 (National League)**

Ht 1: Close, McGregor, Wilkinson, Dalton 76.4  
Ht 2: Watson, Chignell, Lowther, Dook 77.8  
Ht 3: Crowther, Gurtner, Green, Mitchell 77.8  
Ht 4: Wilkinson, Bradbury, Orpwood, Lowther 77.4  
Ht 5: McGregor, Chignell, Dook, Dalton 77.8  
Ht 6: Watson, Green, Mitchell, Lowther 77.4  
Ht 7: Close, Wilkinson, Crowther, Gurtner 77.0  
Ht 8: Watson, Dook, Tams, Lee 77.4  
Ht 9: McGregor, Mitchell, Green, Bradbury 77.8  
Ht 10: Close, Watson, Wilkinson, Lowther 77.4  
Ht 11: Crowther, Chignell, Gurtner, Dook 78.8  
Ht 12: Green, Orpwood, Bradbury, Dalton 80.0  
Ht 13: Crowther, Chignell, Lee, Tams 79.2  
Ht 14: Close, Gurtner, McGregor, Mitchell 76.8

Motherwell - Noel Watson (3,3,3,2) 12, Joe Crowther (3,1,3,3) 10, Gordon McGregor (2,3,3,1) 9+1, Keith Gurtner (2,0,1,2) 5+1, Stan Bradbury (2,0,1) 3, Danny Lee (0,1) 1, Will Lowther (1,0,0,0) 1, Bill Dalton (0,0,0) 0  
Newcastle - Derick Close (3,3,3,3) 12, Jack Chignell (2,2,2,2) 8, Don Wilkinson (1,3,2,1) 7+1, Johnny Green (1,2,1,3) 7+1, Peter Orpwood (1,2) 3+1, Son Mitchell (0,1,2,0) 3+1, Roy Dook (0,2,1,0) 3+1, Mike Tams (1,0) 1+1

**Mossend Scratch Race**

Ht 1: Watson, Wilkinson, Lowther, Chignell 78.2  
Ht 2: McGregor, Crowther, Mitchell, Tams 79.0  
Ht 3: Gurtner, Close, Green, Dalton 77.2  
Ht 4: Lindsay, Bradbury, Lee, Andrews 79.8  
Final: Watson, McGregor, Gurtner, Lindsay 78.0

**Reserve Scurry: Scott, Orpwood, Lindsay, Andrews 81.2**

**13 July - World Championship Round**

Ht 1: Campbell, Lewis, Tolley, King 75.4  
Ht 2: Erskine, Lawrence, Chignell, Mark 76.8  
Ht 3: Close, Brine, Atkinson, Unstead 76.0  
Ht 4: Mitchell, Johnston, Adams, Smith 76.4  
Ht 5: Campbell, Adams, Unstead, Lawrence 76.6  
Ht 6: Close, Lewis, Chignell, Smith 76.4  
Ht 7: Mitchell, Atkinson, Tolley, Mark 77.4  
Ht 8: Erskine, King, Brine, Johnston(ex) 77.0  
Ht 9: Campbell, Johnston, Atkinson, Chignell 76.4  
Ht 10: Brine, Lawrence, Mitchell, Lewis(ex) 76.6  
Ht 11: Campbell, Brine, Mark, Smith 76.0  
Ht 12: Close, King, Adams, Mark 76.6  
Ht 13: Erskine, Unstead, Smith, Tolley(ex) 78.4  
Ht 14: Adams, Erskine, Lewis, Atkinson(ex) 76.8  
Ht 15: Close, Lawrence, Tolley, Johnston 77.0  
Ht 16: Mitchell, Unstead, King, Chignell 77.6  
Ht 17: Campbell, Close, Erskine, Mitchell 76.0  
Ht 18: Lewis, Unstead, Johnston, Mark 78.0  
Ht 19: Brine, Adams, Tolley, Chignell 77.8  
Ht 20: Lawrence, King, Atkinson, Smith 81.4

Dick Campbell (3,3,3,3,3) 15, Derick Close (3,3,3,3,2) 14, Mike Erskine (3,3,3,2,1) 12, Cyril Brine (2,1,3,2,3) 11, Son Mitchell (3,3,1,3,0) 10, Frank Lawrence (2,0,2,2,3) 9, Ken Adams (1,2,1,3,2) 9, Tony Lewis (2,2,ex,1,3) 8, Jack Unstead (0,1,2,2,2) 7, Herby King (0,2,2,1,2) 7, Ron Johnston (2,ex,2,0,1) 5, Arthur Atkinson (1,2,1,ex,1) 5, Les Tolley (1,1,ex,1,1) 4, Jack Chignell (1,1,0,0,0) 2, Bob Mark (0,0,1,0,0) 1, Alan Smith (0,0,0,1,0) 1

**17 July - Ashfield 55 Newcastle 29 (National League)**

Ht 1: Close, Wilkinson, Cooper, Harding(f) 67.4  
Ht 2: Semmens, Phillips, Tams, Chignell 68.2  
Ht 3: Gates, Mitchell, Wilson, Green 69.8  
Ht 4: Lazarus, Wilkinson, Phillips, Maughan 69.8  
Ht 5: Harding, Cooper, Chignell, Tams 68.8  
Ht 6: Semmens, Phillips, Mitchell, Green 69.6  
Ht 7: Gates, Close, Wilkinson, Wilson 69.8  
Ht 8: Semmens, Lovell, Dook, Tams 71.8  
Ht 9: Cooper, Harding, Mitchell, Green 69.2  
Ht 10: Close, Wilkinson, Semmens, Phillips 68.2  
Ht 11: Gates, Wilson, Tams, Chignell 68.2  
Ht 12: Harding, Lazarus, Dook, Green 69.8  
Ht 13: Gates, Chignell, Lovell, Maughan 69.4  
Ht 14: Close, Cooper, Wilson, Dook 69.2

Ashfield - Jackie Gates (3,3,3,3) 12, Bruce Semmens (3,3,3,1) 10, Merv Harding (f,3,2,3) 8+1, Cyril Cooper (1,2,3,2) 8+1, Ron Phillips (2,1,2,0) 5+2, Larry Lazarus (3,2) 5+1, Willie Wilson (1,0,2,1) 4+2, Bob Lovell (2,1) 3+1  
Newcastle - Derick Close (3,2,3,3) 11, Don Wilkinson (2,2,1,2) 7+3, Son Mitchell (2,1,1) 4, Jack Chignell (0,1,0,2) 3, Roy Dook (1,1,0) 2, Mike Tams (1,0,0,1) 2, Ray Maughan (0,0) 0, Johnny Green (0,0,0,0) 0

**One Lap Record Attempt: Miller 15.3, Gurtner 15.4, Harding 16.0**

**Tyndrum Trophy**

Ht 1: Miller, Wilson, Chignell, Phillips 66.2  
Ht 2: Gurtner, Harding, Close, Gates 68.2  
Ht 3: Semmens, Wilkinson, Cooper, Green 69.2

Ht 4: Lazarus, Lovell, Tams, Taylor 69.2  
Final: Miller, Semmens, Gurtner, Lazarus 66.2

19 July - Oxford 55 Newcastle 29 (National League)

Ht 1: Kemp, Saunders, Close, Wilkinson 68.8  
Ht 2: Rawlins, Chignell, Boyle, Tams 71.0  
Ht 3: Osborne, Irons, Mitchell, Green 71.2  
Ht 4: Rawlins, Wilkinson, King, Orpwood 70.8  
Ht 5: Kemp, Saunders, Chignell, Tams 70.2  
Ht 6: Rawlins, Boyle, Mitchell, Green 70.6  
Ht 7: Osborne, Irons, Close, Wilkinson 69.4  
Ht 8: Boyle, Wise, Dook, Orpwood 69.6  
Ht 9: Kemp, Saunders, Mitchell, Green 70.0  
Ht 10: Close, Wilkinson, Rawlins, Boyle 68.8  
Ht 11: Chignell, Osborne, Irons, Tams 69.8  
Ht 12: Kemp, Green, King, Orpwood 69.2  
Ht 13: Irons, Orpwood, Chignell, Wise 70.2  
Ht 14: Close, Mitchell, Saunders, Osborne 69.6

Oxford - Bill Kemp (3,3,3,3) 12, Ernie Rawlins (3,3,3,1) 10+1, Eric Irons (2,2,1,3) 8+3, Bill Osborne (3,3,2,0) 8, Harry Saunders (2,2,2,1) 7+3, Frank Boyle (1,2,3,0) 6+1, Roger Wise (2,0) 2+1, Herby King (1,1) 2  
Newcastle - Derick Close (1,1,3,3) 8, Jack Chignell (2,1,3,1) 7+1, Son Mitchell (1,1,1,2) 5+1, Don Wilkinson (0,2,0,2) 4+1, Peter Orpwood (0,0,0,2) 2, Johnny Green (0,0,0,2) 2, Roy Dook (1) 1, Mike Tams (0,0,0) 0

The Visitors Scratch Race: Moore, Carlsson, Ible, Orpwood 71.4

The Berkshire Scratch Race

Ht 1: King, Irons, Wise, Chignell 71.8  
Ht 2: Wilkinson, Saunders, Kemp, Boyle 69.0  
Ht 3: Close, Rawlins, Moore, Osborne 69.8  
Final: Close, Rawlins, King, Wilkinson 69.8

The Cowley Scratch Race: Carlsson, Mitchell, Dook, Ible 71.8

20 July - Best Pairs Competition

Ht 1: Bainbridge, Miller, Wilkinson, Dook 73.8  
Ht 2: Jay, Tams, Hargreaves, Chignell(f) 75.2  
Ht 3: Forrest, Emms, Orpwood, Green 74.4  
Ht 4: Close, Mitchell, Morton, Anderson 76.0  
Ht 5: Wilkinson, Dook, Chignell, Tams 76.2  
Ht 6: Forrest, Emms, Jay, Hargreaves 74.6  
Ht 7: Close, Mitchell, Orpwood, Green 75.2  
Ht 8: Miller, Bainbridge, Morton, Anderson 74.6  
Ht 9: Wilkinson, Forrest, Emms, Dook 74.4  
Ht 10: Close, Jay, Hargreaves, Mitchell 73.8  
Ht 11: Miller, Bainbridge, Orpwood, Green 74.8  
Ht 12: Morton, Chignell, Anderson, Tams 75.6  
Ht 13: Close, Wilkinson, Mitchell, Dook 74.8  
Ht 14: Miller, Jay, Hargreaves, Bainbridge(f) 74.8  
Ht 15: Orpwood, Green, Chignell, Tams 76.4  
Ht 16: Anderson, Forrest, Morton, Emms(f) 77.8  
Ht 17: Miller, Chignell, Tams, Bainbridge(ex) 78.0  
Ht 18: Jay, Hargreaves, Morton, Anderson 75.4  
Ht 19: Orpwood, Green, Wilkinson, Dook 77.0  
Ht 20: Close, Forrest, Emms, Mitchell 75.0

Tommy Miller (2,3,3,3,3) 14+1, Junior Bainbridge (3,2,2,f,ex) 7+2 - 21, Derick Close (3,3,3,3,3) 15, Son Mitchell (2,2,0,1,0) 5+2 - 20, Arthur Forrest (3,3,2,2,2) 12, Vic Emms (2,2,1,f,1) 6+2 - 18, Wilf Jay (3,1,2,2,3) 11, Norman Hargreaves (1,0,1,1,2) 5+3 - 16, Peter Orpwood (1,1,1,3,3) 9, Johnny Green (0,0,0,2,2) 4+2 - 13, Don Wilkinson (1,3,3,2,1) 10, Roy Dook (0,2,0,0,0) 2+1 - 12, Wal Morton (1,1,3,1,1) 7, Dave Anderson (0,0,1,3,0) 4 - 11, Jack Chignell (f,1,2,1,2) 6, Mike Tams (2,0,0,0,1) 3+1 - 9

27 July - Newcastle 32 Edinburgh 52 (National League)

Ht 1: Young, Close, Fairhurst, Chignell 73.6  
Ht 2: Lack, Mitchell, Cuppleditch, Orpwood 76.0  
Ht 3: D Campbell, Mark, Wilkinson, Morton(ex) 76.4  
Ht 4: Fairhurst, Orpwood, Lawson, Booth 75.2  
Ht 5: Cuppleditch, Close, Lack, Chignell 75.0  
Ht 6: D Campbell, Mark, Mitchell, Orpwood 74.6  
Ht 7: Young, Wilkinson, Morton, Fairhurst 74.6  
Ht 8: Cuppleditch, Green, Mitchell, J Campbell 76.0  
Ht 9: D Campbell, Close, Mark, Chignell 74.2  
Ht 10: Young, Orpwood, Mitchell, Fairhurst 75.8  
Ht 11: Cuppleditch, Lack, Morton, Wilkinson(ef) 77.0  
Ht 12: Close, Mark, Lawson, J Campbell 75.0  
Ht 13: Green, Lack, Booth, Morton(f) 76.6  
Ht 14: Young, Wilkinson, D Campbell, Chignell 75.0

Newcastle - Derick Close (2,2,2,3) 9, Son Mitchell (2,1,1,1) 5+2, Johnny Green (2,3) 5, Don Wilkinson (1,2,ef,2) 5, Peter Orpwood (0,2,0,2) 4, Don Lawson (1,1) 2+1, Wal Morton (ex,1,1,f) 2+1, Jack Chignell (0,0,0,0) 0  
Edinburgh - Jack Young (3,3,3,3) 12, Dick Campbell (3,3,3,1) 10, Don Cuppleditch (1,3,3,3) 10, Eddie Lack (3,1,2,2) 8+1, Bob Mark (2,2,1,2) 7+2, Harold Fairhurst (1,3,0,0) 4, Harold Booth (0,1) 1+1, Jackie Campbell (0,0) 0

Reserves Scratch Race

Ht 1: Green, Tams, Lawson, Dook 76.2  
Ht 2: Tams, Green, Booth, J Campbell 77.2

Novices Scratch Race: Davidson, Robson, Steward, Holmes(f) 81.8

Top Eight Scratch Race

Ht 1: Close, Wilkinson, Mitchell, Green 75.6  
Ht 2: Young, D Campbell, Cuppleditch, Lack 74.4  
Final: Young, D Campbell, Close, Wilkinson 77.2

3 August - Newcastle v Yarmouth (National League) – postponed (rain)

8 August - Halifax 56 Newcastle 28 (National League)

Ht 1: Emms, Crosland, Wilkinson, Morton 67.2  
Ht 2: Forrest, Dawson, Mitchell, Orpwood 68.6  
Ht 3: Close, Hughes, Allison, Green 68.4  
Ht 4: Forrest, Chignell, Harper, Morton 69.4  
Ht 5: Emms, Orpwood, Mitchell, Crosland(ex) 68.8  
Ht 6: Forrest, Close, Green, Dawson 68.0  
Ht 7: Hughes, Allison, Wilkinson, Morton 69.8  
Ht 8: Mitchell, Stringer, Dawson, Tams 70.6  
Ht 9: Emms, Crosland, Green, Close(ef) 70.0  
Ht 10: Forrest, Dawson, Wilkinson, Chignell 68.8  
Ht 11: Hughes, Allison, Mitchell, Orpwood 70.0  
Ht 12: Harper, Chignell, Green, Crosland 70.0  
Ht 13: Chignell, Hughes, Stringer, Orpwood 70.4  
Ht 14: Emms, Close, Allison, Wilkinson 70.0

Halifax - Vic Emms (3,3,3,3) 12, Arthur Forrest (3,3,3,3) 12, Jack Hughes (2,3,3,2) 10, Al Allison(1,2,2,1) 6+3, Jack Dawson (2,0,1,2) 5+3, Bill Crosland (2,ex,2,0) 4+1, Dai Harper (1,3) 4, George Stringer (2,1) 3+1  
Newcastle - Derick Close (3,2,ef,2) 7, Jack Chignell (2,0,2,3) 7, Son Mitchell (1,1,3,1) 6+1, Johnny Green (0,1,1,1) 3+2, Don Wilkinson (1,1,1,0) 3, Peter Orpwood (0,2,0,0) 2, Mike Tams (0) 0, Wal Morton (0,0,0) 0

#### Consolation Races

Ht 1: Harper, Wright, Stringer, Stratford 71.0  
Ht 2: Chignell, Dawson, Tams, Allison 71.2

#### Second Half Event

Ht 1: Hughes, Harper, Morton, Orpwood 71.0  
Ht 2: Emms, Chignell, Wilkinson, Green 70.4  
Ht 3: Forrest, Crosland, Close, Mitchell 70.0  
Final: Forrest, Emms, Hughes, Crosland 70.4

10 August - Newcastle 40 Coventry 43 (National League)

Ht 1: Fletcher, Morton, Yates, Wilkinson(ef) 75.0  
Ht 2: Hewitt, Mitchell, Tailby, Orpwood 73.6  
Ht 3: Close, Williams, Green, Reason(ex) 75.4  
Ht 4: Fletcher, Orpwood, New, Chignell 76.0  
Ht 5: Hewitt, Tailby, Morton, Wilkinson 75.6  
Ht 6: Mitchell, Williams, Reason, Orpwood 75.8  
Ht 7: Close, Fletcher, Green, Yates 75.4  
Ht 8: Mitchell, Hewitt, Brough, Tams 73.6  
Ht 9: Williams, Morton, Wilkinson(ex), Reason(ex) 75.8  
Ht 10: Mitchell, Fletcher, Yates, Chignell 74.6  
Ht 11: Close, Hewitt, Green, Tailby 74.4  
Ht 12: Brough, Chignell, Morton, New 76.6  
Ht 13: Green, Brough, Tams, Tailby 76.6  
Ht 14: Close, Williams, Yates, Wilkinson 75.4

Newcastle - Derick Close (3,3,3,3) 12, Son Mitchell (2,3,3,3) 11, Wal Morton (2,1,2,1) 6+1, Johnny Green (1,1,1,3) 6, Peter Orpwood (0,2,0) 2, Jack Chignell (0,0,2) 2, Mike Tams (0,1) 1, Don Wilkinson (ef,0,ex,0) 0  
Coventry - Bob Fletcher (3,3,2,2) 10, Les Hewitt (3,3,2,2) 10, Stan Williams (2,2,3,2) 9, Peter Brough (1,3,2) 6+1, John Yates (1,0,1,1) 3+2, Derek Tailby (1,2,0,0) 3+1, Johnnie Reason (ex,1,ex) 1+1, Charlie New (1,0) 1

Reserves Scratch Race: Orpwood, Chignell, Dook, Tams 76.0

Reserves Race: Chignell, New, Orpwood, Reason 77.4

Junior Scratch Race: Davidson, Maughan(exc), Steward(exc), Holmes(exc) no time

#### Top Eight Scratch Race

Ht 1: Close, Green, Mitchell(exc), Morton(exc) 76.4  
Ht 2: Hewitt, Fletcher, Brough, Williams 76.0  
Final: Close, Fletcher, Hewitt, Green 76.6

13 August - Walthamstow 54 Newcastle 29 (National League)

Ht 1: Boyd, Wilkinson, Windmill, Morton  
Ht 2: Reeves, Mitchell, Edwards, Orpwood  
Ht 3: Close, King, Lansdale, Green  
Ht 4: Grant, Edwards, Chignell, Morton  
Ht 5: Boyd, Windmill, Mitchell, Orpwood  
Ht 6: Close, Edwards, Reeves, Green  
Ht 7: Lansdale, Wilkinson, King, Chignell  
Ht 8: Mitchell, Reeves, Clark, Tams  
Ht 9: Close, Boyd, Windmill, Green  
Ht 10: Reeves, Edwards, Wilkinson, Tams  
Ht 11: King, Orpwood, Lansdale(ef), Mitchell(ex)  
Ht 12: Boyd, Grant, Green, Tams  
Ht 13: King, Clark, Orpwood, Chignell(f)  
Ht 14: Close, Windmill, Wilkinson, Lansdale

Walthamstow - Jim Boyd (3,3,2,3) 11, Reg Reeves (3,1,2,3) 9+1, Benny King (2,1,3,3) 9, Harry Edwards (1,2,2,2) 7+2, Arch Windmill (1,2,1,2) 6+2, Jimmy Grant (3,2) 5+1, Pete Lansdale (1,3,ef,0) 4+1, Sid Clark (1,2) 3+2  
Newcastle - Derick Close (3,3,3,3) 12, Son Mitchell (2,1,3,ex) 6, Don Wilkinson (2,2,1,1) 6, Peter Orpwood (0,0,2,1) 3, Jack Chignell (1,0,f) 1, Johnny Green (0,0,0,1) 1, Wal Morton (0,0) 0, Mike Tams (0,0,0) 0

Visitors Scratch Race: Hunt, Roccio, Byford, Mountford

Chingford Scratch Race: Wilkinson, Clark, Green, Orpwood

#### Flying Twelve Scratch Race

Ht 1: Close, Hunt, King, Windmill

Ht 2: Boyd, Mitchell, Edwards(f), Mountford(exc)  
Ht 3: Byford, Lansdale, Rocco, Reeves  
Final: Hunt, Boyd, Close, Byford(f)

17 August - Newcastle 57 Yarmouth 27 (National League)

Ht 1: Wilkinson, Morton, Baker, Quick 74.8  
Ht 2: Orpwood, Mitchell, Brand, Mills 74.4  
Ht 3: Close, Morgan, Ridgeon, Green 74.6  
Ht 4: Quick, Orpwood, Chignell, Page 76.2  
Ht 5: Morton, Brand, Wilkinson, Mills(ef) 75.8  
Ht 6: Mitchell, Morgan, Orpwood, Ridgeon(f) 75.4  
Ht 7: Close, Baker, Green, Quick 75.2  
Ht 8: Mitchell, Brand, Dook, White 75.2  
Ht 9: Wilkinson, Morgan, Ridgeon, Morton(ef) 76.2  
Ht 10: Mitchell, Baker, Orpwood, Quick 75.0  
Ht 11: Close, Brand, Green, Page 75.0  
Ht 12: Chignell, Morton, Morgan, White 75.6  
Ht 13: Dook, Mills, Chignell, Page 76.6  
Ht 14: Close, Wilkinson, Baker, Ridgeon(ef) 75.4

Newcastle - Derick Close (3,3,3,3) 12, Son Mitchell (2,3,3,3) 11+1, Don Wilkinson (3,1,3,2) 9+1, Wal Morton (2,3,ef,2) 7+2, Peter Orpwood (3,2,1,1) 7, Jack Chignell (1,3,1) 5+1, Roy Dook (1,3) 4, Johnny Green (0,1,1) 2  
Yarmouth - Fred Brand (1,2,2,2) 7, Reg Morgan (2,2,2,1) 7, Bob Baker (1,2,2,1) 6, Cyril Quick (0,3,0,0) 3, Vic Ridgeon (1,f,1,ef) 2+2, Tip Mills (0,ef,2) 2, Jack D White (0,0) 0, Stan Page (0,0,0) 0

Brough Discoveries Scratch Race: Fox, Osmond, Day, Miller(ef) 84.4

Reserves Scratch Race: Tams, Chignell, Dook, Green 76.2

Reserves Race: Chignell, Tams, Page, White 75.4

Top Eight Scratch Race

Ht 1: Close, Wilkinson, Morton, Mitchell 76.0

Ht 2: Baker, Brand, Quick, Morgan(f) 76.0

Final: Close, Wilkinson, Brand, Baker 75.6

24 August - Newcastle 50 Walthamstow 34 (National League)

Ht 1: Mitchell, Orpwood, Boyd, Windmill 75.8  
Ht 2: Wilkinson, Morton, Reeves, Edwards 75.4  
Ht 3: Close, King, Chignell, Lansdale 75.6  
Ht 4: Boyd, Wilkinson, Grant, Dook 76.8  
Ht 5: Mitchell, Edwards, Orpwood, Reeves 76.4  
Ht 6: Lansdale, Wilkinson, King, Morton 76.8  
Ht 7: Chignell, Close, Windmill, Boyd 76.6  
Ht 8: Grant, Morton, Tams, Smith 78.4  
Ht 9: Mitchell, Lansdale, King, Orpwood 77.4  
Ht 10: Wilkinson, Boyd, Windmill, Morton 77.6  
Ht 11: Close, Edwards, Chignell, Grant 77.2  
Ht 12: King, Orpwood, Smith, Dook 79.0  
Ht 13: Edwards, Chignell, Tams, Grant 78.4  
Ht 14: Mitchell, Close, Lansdale, Windmill 78.0

Newcastle - Son Mitchell (3,3,3,3) 12, Derick Close (3,2,3,2) 10+2, Don Wilkinson (3,2,2,3) 10, Jack Chignell (1,3,1,2) 7, Peter Orpwood (2,1,0,2) 5+1, Wal Morton (2,0,2,0) 4, Mike Tams (1,1) 2+2, Roy Dook (0,0) 0  
Walthamstow - Benny King (2,1,1,3) 7+2, Harry Edwards (0,2,2,3) 7, Pete Lansdale (0,3,2,1) 6, Jim Boyd (1,3,0,2) 6, Jimmy Grant (1,3,0,0) 4, Arch Windmill (0,1,1,0) 2+1, Alby Smith (0,1) 1, Reg Reeves (1,0) 1

Reserves Scratch Race: Dook, Tams, Maughan, Windmill 80.6

Reserves Race: Smith, Tams, Dook, Grant 79.6

Junior Scratch Race: Davidson, Steward, Robson(ef), Maughan(f) 89.0

Top Eight Scratch Race

Ht 1: Wilkinson, Chignell, Mitchell, Close 78.2

Ht 2: King, Lansdale, Boyd, Edwards 79.4

Final: Chignell, Wilkinson, Lansdale, King 77.6

31 August - Newcastle 50 Liverpool 34 (National League)

Ht 1: Mitchell, Orpwood, Read, Griffiths(f) 74.0  
Ht 2: Welch, Wilkinson, Morton, Duval 75.4  
Ht 3: Chignell, Robinson, Tams, Newton 75.4  
Ht 4: Wilkinson, Griffiths, Dook, Whitby 75.4  
Ht 5: Mitchell, Welch, Duval, Orpwood 75.2  
Ht 6: Robinson, Morton, Wilkinson, Newton(f) 75.6  
Ht 7: Chignell, Griffiths, Dook, Read 75.8  
Ht 8: Webster, Morton, Sage, Welch(f) 76.6  
Ht 9: Robinson, Orpwood, Mitchell, Newton 77.4  
Ht 10: Wilkinson, Morton, Griffiths, Read 76.0  
Ht 11: Chignell, Duval, Tams, Welch 76.0  
Ht 12: Orpwood, Webster, Dook, Newton 78.4  
Ht 13: Chignell, Duval, Whitby, Sage 76.6  
Ht 14: Robinson, Mitchell, Read, Tams 77.0

Newcastle - Jack Chignell (3,3,3,3) 12, Son Mitchell (3,3,1,2) 9+1, Don Wilkinson (2,3,1,3) 9+1, Wal Morton (1,2,2,2) 7+2, Peter Orpwood (2,0,2,3) 7+1, Roy Dook (1,1,1) 3, Mike Tams (1,1,0) 2, Vic Sage (1,0) 1+1  
Liverpool - Peter Robinson (2,3,3,3) 11, Reg Duval (0,1,2,2) 5+1, Alf Webster (3,2) 5, Harry Welch (3,2,f,0) 5, Bill Griffiths (f,2,2,1) 5, Len Read (1,0,0,1) 2, Buck Whitby (0,1) 1, George Newton (0,f,0,0) 0

Reserves Scratch Race: Tams, Sage, Oates, Johnson(exc) 79.4

The Stadium Scratch Race

Ht 1: Mitchell, Chignell, Griffiths, Welch 75.6  
Ht 2: Orpwood, Read, Newton, Johnson(exc) 78.6  
Ht 3: Robinson, Wilkinson, Duval, Morton 77.0  
Ht 4: Webster, Tams, Sage, Whitby 78.4  
Final: Robinson, Mitchell, Webster, Orpwood 76.4

7 September - Newcastle 51 Bradford 57 (Challenge)

Ht 1: Rigg, Mitchell, Orpwood, Bush 74.6  
Ht 2: Wilkinson, Morton, Oliver, Brown 75.2  
Ht 3: Rigg, Chignell, Tams, Peace 75.2  
Ht 4: Smith, Dook, Johnson, Wright(ex) 77.6  
Ht 5: Oliver, Morton, Mitchell, Peace 75.4  
Ht 6: Bush, Wilkinson, Tams, Brown 75.6  
Ht 7: Oliver, Chignell, Orpwood, Hart(f) 77.8  
Ht 8: Hart, Morton, Bush, Orpwood(f) 76.4  
Ht 9: Oliver, Morton, Tams, Smith 75.8  
Ht 10: Rigg, Chignell, Morton, Brown 74.2  
Ht 11: Wright, Hart, Wilkinson, Mitchell 74.4  
Ht 12: Rigg, Oliver, Wilkinson, Orpwood 75.4  
Ht 13: Mitchell, Hart, Chignell, Wright 76.2  
Ht 14: Wright, Dook, Johnson, Smith 78.2  
Ht 15: Wilkinson, Chignell, Peace, Bush 75.6  
Ht 16: Rigg, Hart, Morton, Tams 76.0  
Ht 17: Peace, Tams, Orpwood, Brown 76.4  
Ht 18: Rigg, Mitchell, Oliver, Wilkinson 76.4

Newcastle - Son Mitchell (2,1,2,0,3,2) 10+1, Don Wilkinson (3,2,1,1,3,0) 10, Jack Chignell (2,2,2,1,2) 9+1, Wal Morton (2,2,2,1,1) 8+2, Mike Tams (1,1,1,0,2) 5+3, Roy Dook (2,2) 4, Peter Orpwood (1,1,f,0,1) 3+3, Norman Johnson (1,1) 2+2  
Bradford - Eddie Rigg (3,3,3,3,3,3) 18, Dent Oliver (1,3,3,3,2,1) 13+1, Oliver Hart (f,3,3,2,2) 10+1, Arthur Wright (ex,3,0,3) 6, Arthur Bush (0,3,1,0) 4, Ron Peace (0,0,3,1) 4, Eric Smith (3,0,0) 3, Ken Brown (0,0,0) 0

Reserves Scratch Race: Wright, Johnson, Dook, Smith 76.8

Junior Scratch Race: Dale, Shunt, Osmond, Miller 87.6

15 September - Hanley 57 Newcastle 24 (National League)

Ht 1: Jenkins, Adams, Orpwood, S Mitchell 75.4  
Ht 2: Fitzpatrick, Braithwaite(ef), Pritchett(ex), Chignell(ex) 75.2  
Ht 3: Blake, L Mitchell, Wilkinson, Morton 73.8  
Ht 4: Pritchett, Orpwood, R Harris, Bridgett 74.0  
Ht 5: Adams, Jenkins, Anderson, Chignell 74.4  
Ht 6: Fitzpatrick, Pritchett, Morton, Wilkinson(f) 74.8  
Ht 7: S Mitchell, Blake, L Mitchell, Orpwood(f) 73.8  
Ht 8: Fitzpatrick, B Harris, Bridgett, Anderson(f) 75.2  
Ht 9: Adams, Wilkinson, Jenkins, Morton 74.6  
Ht 10: S Mitchell, Pritchett, Orpwood, Fitzpatrick 73.0  
Ht 11: Blake, L Mitchell, Bridgett, Chignell 75.4  
Ht 12: Adams, Morton, Anderson, R Harris(f) 75.8  
Ht 13: B Harris, L Mitchell, Bridgett, Chignell(f) 74.6  
Ht 14: S Mitchell, Blake, Jenkins, Wilkinson 73.4

Hanley - Ken Adams (2,3,3,3) 11+1, Gil Blake (3,2,3,2) 10, Johnnie Fitzpatrick (3,3,3,0) 9, Lindsay Mitchell (2,1,2,2) 7+4, Les Jenkins (3,2,1,1) 7+2, Brian Pritchett (ex,3,2,2) 7+1, Bill Harris (2,3) 5+1, Ray Harris (1,f) 1  
Newcastle - Son Mitchell (0,3,3,3) 9, Peter Orpwood (1,2,f,1) 4, Wal Morton (0,1,0,2) 3, Don Wilkinson (1,f,2,0) 3, Bill Bridgett (0,1,1,1) 3, Dave Anderson (1,f,1) 2+1, Derek Braithwaite (ef) 0, Jack Chignell (ex,0,0,f) 0

Record Attempts: Adams 19.4 & 18.0, S Mitchell 19.8 & 17.8

The Battle of Britain Trophy

Ht 1: B Harris, R Harris, Morton, Bridgett 74.6  
Ht 2: Adams, S Mitchell, Orpwood, L Mitchell(ef) 73.8  
Ht 3: Jenkins, Boyd, Fitzpatrick, Chignell 74.8  
Ht 4: Blake, Wilkinson, Pritchett(ef), Beaumont(exc) 74.6  
Final: Adams, Blake, Fitzpatrick, B Harris(f) 73.2

17 September - Newcastle 42 Fleetwood 42 (National League)

Ht 1: Orpwood, Crawford, Harker, Mitchell(f) 78.4  
Ht 2: Hargreaves, Chignell, Parker, Tams 76.4  
Ht 3: Moore, Jay, Wilkinson, Morton 76.6  
Ht 4: Chignell, Dook, Crawford, Pursehouse(f) 76.4  
Ht 5: Hargreaves, Mitchell, Orpwood, Parker(f)  
Ht 6: Jay, Moore, Tams, Chignell(f) 76.0  
Ht 7: Wilkinson, Morton, Harker, Crawford 77.4  
Ht 8: Hargreaves, Tams, Johnson, Pursehouse  
Ht 9: Jay, Mitchell, Orpwood, Moore 76.2  
Ht 10: Chignell, Tams, Harker, Pursehouse(ef) 78.6  
Ht 11: Wilkinson, Hargreaves, Parker, Morton 77.2  
Ht 12: Moore, Orpwood, Dook, Pursehouse(ef) 77.4  
Ht 13: Parker, Morton, Johnson, Crawford 78.4  
Ht 14: Jay, Mitchell, Harker, Wilkinson 76.6

Newcastle - Jack Chignell (2,3,f,3) 8, Peter Orpwood (3,1,1,2) 7+2, Don Wilkinson (1,3,3,0) 7, Son Mitchell (f,2,2,2) 6, Mike Tams (0,1,2,2) 5+1, Wal Morton (0,2,0,2) 4+1, Roy Dook (2,1) 3+2, Norman Johnson (1,1) 2+2  
Fleetwood - Wilf Jay (2,3,3,3) 11+1, Norman Hargreaves (3,3,3,2) 11, Ray Moore (3,2,0,3) 8+1, Alf Parker (1,f,1,3) 5+1, Ray Harker (1,1,1,1) 4+1, Jeff Crawford (2,1,0,0) 3, Russ Pursehouse (f,0,ef) 0

Double header therefore no Second Half

17 September - Newcastle 44 Halifax 40 (National League)

Ht 1: Orpwood, Mitchell, Emms, Crosland 77.4  
Ht 2: Forrest, Chignell, Dook, Dawson 77.6

Ht 3: Wilkinson, Hughes, Morton, Allison 79.1  
Ht 4: Crosland, Tams, Johnson, Harper 78.8  
Ht 5: Forrest, Dawson, Orpwood, Mitchell(ex) 78.0  
Ht 6: Chignell, Tams, Hughes, Allison(ef) 78.8  
Ht 7: Emms, Morton, Wilkinson, Crosland 78.6  
Ht 8: Chignell, Dawson, Dook, Stringer 78.0  
Ht 9: Hughes, Orpwood, Johnson, Allison 79.6  
Ht 10: Emms, Chignell, Crosland, Tams 78.6  
Ht 11: Forrest, Wilkinson, Morton, Dawson 77.8  
Ht 12: Hughes, Johnson, Stringer, Orpwood(f) 78.6  
Ht 13: Forrest, Morton, Dook, Harper 78.4  
Ht 14: Allison, Wilkinson, Mitchell, Emms 79.6

Newcastle - Jack Chignell (2,3,3,2) 10, Don Wilkinson (3,1,2,2) 8+1, Wal Morton (1,2,1,2) 6+1, Peter Orpwood (3,1,2,f) 6, Norman Johnson (1,1,2) 4+2, Mike Tams (2,2,0) 4+1, Son Mitchell (2,ex,1) 3+2, Roy Dook (1,1,1) 3+1  
Halifax - Arthur Forrest (3,3,3,3) 12, Jack Hughes (2,1,3,3) 9, Vic Emms (1,3,3,0) 7, Jack Dawson (0,2,2,0) 4+1, Bill Crosland (0,3,0,1) 4, Al Allison (0,ef,0,3) 3, George Stringer (0,1) 1, Dai Harper (0,0) 0

Double header therefore no Second Half

22 September - Coventry 57 Newcastle 27 (National League)

Ht 1: Fletcher, Mitchell, Yates, Orpwood(ex) 72.2  
Ht 2: Hewitt, Tailby, Chignell, Tams 70.4  
Ht 3: Reason, Williams, Morton, Johnson 70.8  
Ht 4: Orpwood, New, Dook, Tailby 72.4  
Ht 5: Fletcher, Yates, Tams, Chignell 72.2  
Ht 6: Hewitt, Morton, Tailby, Wilkinson 71.8  
Ht 7: Williams, Reason, Mitchell, Orpwood 72.2  
Ht 8: Hewitt, Tams, Johnson, Wright(ex) 74.6  
Ht 9: Yates, Fletcher, Morton, Wilkinson 72.6  
Ht 10: Hewitt, Mitchell, Orpwood, Tailby 72.0  
Ht 11: Reason, Williams, Chignell, Tams 69.8  
Ht 12: Morton, New, Fletcher, Johnson 72.4  
Ht 13: Reason, Chignell, Wright, Dook 71.4  
Ht 14: Williams, Mitchell, Yates, Wilkinson 72.0

Coventry - Les Hewitt (3,3,3,3) 12, Johnnie Reason (3,2,3,3) 11+1, Stan Williams (2,3,2,3) 10+2, Bob Fletcher (3,3,2,1) 9+2, John Yates (1,2,3,1) 7+1, Charlie New (2,2) 4, Derek Tailby (2,0,1,0) 3+1, Jack Wright (ex,1) 1  
Newcastle - Wal Morton (1,2,1,3) 7, Son Mitchell (2,1,2,2) 7, Peter Orpwood (ex, 3,0,1) 4+1, Jack Chignell (1,0,1,2) 4, Mike Tams (0,1,2,0) 3, Norman Johnson (0,1,0) 1+1, Roy Dook (1,0) 1, Don Wilkinson (0,0,0) 0

Bascote Scratch Race: Brough, Tams, Wright, Hailstone(f) 74.2

Beausale Scratch Race

Ht 1: New, Tailby, White, Wilkinson(ns) 74.0  
Ht 2: Brough, Yates, Tams, Hailstone(ns) 74.2  
Final: New, Brough, Tailby, Yates 73.4

Stadium Scratch Race

Ht 1: Reason, Mitchell, Fletcher, Orpwood 71.6  
Ht 2: Williams, Morton, Chignell, Hewitt(ret) 73.0  
Final: Williams, Morton, Reason, Mitchell 71.6

24 September - Newcastle 37 Oxford 46 (National League)

Ht 1: Boyle, Orpwood, Saunders, Mitchell 77.2  
Ht 2: Chignell, Rawlins, Osborne, Tams 78.8  
Ht 3: Wilkinson, McFarlane, Kemp(f), Morton(ex) 77.6  
Ht 4: Irons, Saunders, Dook, Johnson 79.6  
Ht 5: Rawlins, Mitchell, Osborne, Orpwood 78.0  
Ht 6: Kemp, Chignell, Tams, McFarlane 77.6  
Ht 7: Morton, Boyle, Wilkinson, Saunders 77.8  
Ht 8: Chignell, Rawlins, Irons, Dook 76.8  
Ht 9: McFarlane, Kemp, Orpwood, Mitchell 78.2  
Ht 10: Boyle, Saunders, Tams, Chignell(f) 77.0  
Ht 11: Morton, Osborne, Wilkinson, Rawlins 77.8  
Ht 12: Kemp, Orpwood, Johnson, Irons 78.0  
Ht 13: Morton, Osborne, King, Dook 78.2  
Ht 14: Mitchell, McFarlane, Wilkinson, Boyle 77.4

Newcastle - Wal Morton (ex,3,3,3) 9, Jack Chignell (3,2,3,f) 8, Don Wilkinson (3,1,1,1) 6, Son Mitchell (0,2,0,3) 5, Peter Orpwood (2,0,1,2) 5, Mike Tams (0,1,1) 2+1, Norman Johnson (0,1) 1+1, Roy Dook (1,0,0) 1  
Oxford - Bill Kemp (f,3,2,3) 8+1, Frank Boyle (3,2,3,0) 8, Ernie Rawlins (2,3,2,0) 7, Bob McFarlane (2,0,3,2) 7, Bill Osborne (1,1,2,2) 6+1, Harry Saunders (1,2,0,2) 5+2, Eric Irons (3,1,0) 4+1, Herby King (1) 1+1

Double header therefore no Second Half

24 September - Newcastle 28 Motherwell 56 (National League)

Ht 1: McGregor, Mitchell, Orpwood, Lowther 77.2  
Ht 2: Crowther, Close, Chignell, Tams 76.8  
Ht 3: Gurtner, Morton, Wilkinson, Watson 76.4  
Ht 4: McGregor, Chignell, Dalton, Dook 76.4  
Ht 5: Close, Crowther, Mitchell, Orpwood 76.8  
Ht 6: Gurtner, Watson, Tams, Chignell(f)  
Ht 7: Morton, McGregor, Wilkinson, Lowther 77.0  
Ht 8: Bradbury, Close, Johnson, Tams 77.8  
Ht 9: Gurtner, Watson, Mitchell, Orpwood 76.8  
Ht 10: McGregor, Bradbury, Chignell, Johnson(f) 76.4  
Ht 11: Close, Crowther, Morton, Wilkinson 76.8  
Ht 12: Watson, Bradbury, Orpwood, Dook 77.2  
Ht 13: Crowther, Morton, Johnson, Dalton(f) 77.8  
Ht 14: Wilkinson, Mitchell, Gurtner, Bradbury 77.2



Newcastle - Wal Morton (2,3,1,2) 8, Son Mitchell (2,1,1,2) 6+1, Don Wilkinson (1,1,0,3) 5+1, Jack Chignell (1,2,f,1) 4, Norman Johnson (1,f,1) 2+1, Peter Orpwood (1,0,0,1) 2+1, Mike Tams (0,1,0) 1+1, Roy Dook (0,0) 0  
Motherwell - Gordon McGregor (3,3,2,3) 11, Derick Close (2,3,2,3) 10+2, Joe Crowther (3,2,2,3) 10+2, Keith Gurtner (3,3,3,1) 10, Noel Watson (0,2,2,3) 7+2, Stan Bradbury (3,2,2,0) 7+2, Bill Dalton (1,f) 1, Will Lowther (0,0) 0

**Double header therefore no Second Half**

26 September - Fleetwood 45 Newcastle 38 (National League)

Ht 1: Potter, Orpwood, Mitchell, Harker 69.4  
Ht 2: Hargreaves, Chignell, Parker, Tams 68.8  
Ht 3: Morton, Jay, Wilkinson, Moore 69.6  
Ht 4: Parker, Crawford, Orpwood, Dook 69.2  
Ht 5: Potter, Chignell, Tams, Harker 68.6  
Ht 6: Morton, Parker, Hargreaves, Wilkinson 69.8  
Ht 7: Jay, Orpwood, Moore, Mitchell 69.4  
Ht 8: Hargreaves, Tams, Hart, Johnson 71.0  
Ht 9: Morton, Wilkinson, Crawford, Potter 69.2  
Ht 10: Orpwood, Parker, Hargreaves, Mitchell 70.2  
Ht 11: Jay, Chignell, Tams, Moore 70.0  
Ht 12: Morton, Potter, Crawford, Johnson 69.8  
Ht 13: Hart, Dook, Moore(ef), Chignell(ef) 70.4  
Ht 14: Wilkinson, Jay, Hart, Mitchell 70.0

Fleetwood - Wiff Jay (2,3,3,2) 10, Norman Hargreaves (3,1,3,1) 8+2, Alf Parker (1,3,2,2) 8, Don Potter (3,3,0) 6, Ron Hart (1,3,1) 5+1, Jeff Crawford (2,1,1) 4+2, Ray Moore (0,1,0,ef) 1, Ray Harker (0,0) 0

Newcastle - Wal Morton (3,3,3,3) 12, Peter Orpwood (2,1,2,3) 8, Don Wilkinson (1,0,2,3) 6+1, Jack Chignell (2,2,2,ef) 6, Mike Tams (0,1,2,1) 4+2, Roy Dook (0,2) 2, Son Mitchell (1,0,0,0) 1+1, Norman Johnson (0,0) 0

**Novices Scratch Race: Bottoms, Day, Fisher, Leighs 75.2**

**The End of Season Scratch Race**

**Ht 1: Jay, Parker, Tams, Bottoms 70.4**

**Ht 2: Hargreaves, Chignell, Potter, Orpwood 71.4**

**Ht 3: Morton, Wilkinson, Bottoms, Fisher 70.8**

**Ht 4: Hart, Crawford, Johnson, Dook 70.4**

**Final: Hargreaves, Jay, Hart, Morton(exc) 70.4**

1 October - Liverpool 61 Newcastle 23 (National League)

Ht 1: Read, Orpwood, Griffiths, Mitchell 79.2  
Ht 2: Duval, Welch, Chignell, Tams(f) 78.8  
Ht 3: Robinson, Allott, Morton, Wilkinson 79.0  
Ht 4: Duval, Newton, Orpwood, Dook 80.0  
Ht 5: Read, Tams, Griffiths, Chignell 81.0  
Ht 6: Duval, Morton, Wilkinson, Welch 80.2  
Ht 7: Robinson, Allott, Mitchell, Orpwood 79.4  
Ht 8: Chignell, Welch, Whitby, Johnson(ef) 81.4  
Ht 9: Read, Wilkinson, Morton, Griffiths 80.2  
Ht 10: Duval, Welch, Mitchell, Orpwood 81.0  
Ht 11: Robinson, Allott, Chignell, Tams 80.0  
Ht 12: Newton, Johnson, Griffiths, Morton(ex) 82.2  
Ht 13: Allott, Whitby, Tams, Dook 82.4  
Ht 14: Robinson, Read, Wilkinson, Mitchell 81.0

Liverpool - Reg Duval (3,3,3,3) 12, Peter Robinson (3,3,3,3) 12, Len Read (3,3,3,2) 11+1, Tommy Allott (2,2,2,3) 9+3, Harry Welch (2,0,2,2) 6+2, George Newton (2,3) 5+1, Buck Whitby (1,2) 3+2, Bill Griffiths (1,1,0,1) 3

Newcastle - Jack Chignell (1,0,3,1) 5, Wal Morton (1,2,1,ex) 4+1, Don Wilkinson (0,1,2,1) 4+1, Peter Orpwood (2,1,0,0) 3, Mike Tams (f,2,0,1) 3, Norman Johnson (ef,2) 2, Son Mitchell (0,1,1,0) 2, Roy Dook (0,0) 0

**Stanley Scratch Race: Robinson, Jones, Murphy, Craven 83.4**

**Stadium Scratch Race**

**Ht 1: Newton, Webster, Griffiths, Whitby 82.0**

**Ht 2: Robinson, Welch, Orpwood, Tams 82.4**

**Ht 3: Allott, Wilkinson, Duval, Mitchell 80.8**

**Ht 4: Chignell, Read, Morton, Dook 82.4**

**Final: Robinson, Newton, Chignell, Allott 82.0**

6 October - Edinburgh 64 Newcastle 20 (National League)

Ht 1: Young, Lack, Orpwood, Mitchell(ef) 67.6  
Ht 2: Campbell, Mark, Chignell, Tams 68.4  
Ht 3: Fairhurst, Cuppleditch, Morton, Wilkinson 68.2  
Ht 4: Campbell, Green, Orpwood, Dook 68.6  
Ht 5: Young, Lack, Chignell, Tams 67.6  
Ht 6: Morton, Mark, Campbell, Wilkinson 67.2  
Ht 7: Fairhurst, Cuppleditch, Johnson, Orpwood 67.4  
Ht 8: Mark, Cox, Tams, Johnson 68.6  
Ht 9: Young, Lack, Morton, Wilkinson 67.0  
Ht 10: Mark, Campbell, Orpwood, Dook 68.4  
Ht 11: Fairhurst, Chignell, Cuppleditch, Tams 68.4  
Ht 12: Lack, Johnson, Green, Morton(ex) 69.4  
Ht 13: Cuppleditch, Chignell, Dook, Cox(ef) 69.2  
Ht 14: Young, Fairhurst, Wilkinson, Johnson 68.2

Edinburgh - Jack Young (3,3,3,3) 12, Harold Fairhurst (3,3,3,2) 11+1, Bob Mark (2,2,3,3) 10+1, Eddie Lack (2,2,2,3) 9+3, Dick Campbell (3,3,1,2) 9+2, Don Cuppleditch (2,2,1,3) 8+2, Johnny Green (2,1) 3+1, Jimmy Cox (2,ef) 2+1

Newcastle - Jack Chignell (1,1,2,2) 6, Wal Morton (1,3,1,ex) 5, Norman Johnson (1,0,2,0) 3, Peter Orpwood (1,1,0,1) 3, Roy Dook (0,0,1) 1+1, Mike Tams (0,0,1,0) 1, Don Wilkinson (0,0,0,1) 1, Son Mitchell (ef) 0

**Challenge Match Races**

**Ht 1: Young, Waterman 66.4**

**Ht 2: Waterman, Young 66.0**

Ht 3: Young, Waterman(f) no time

**Top Twelve**

Ht 1: Mark, Chignell, D Campbell, Dook 68.2

Ht 2: Waterman, Lack, Fairhurst, Johnson 68.4

Ht 3: Young, Morton, Cuppleditch, Orpwood 68.6

Final: Young, Mark, Waterman, Chignell 67.8

Abbeyhill Amble: Green, Tams, J Campbell, Cox(f) 76.0

Craigentiny Crawl: Buckle, Darling, Oram, Ferrier(f) 74.4

