

THE FC WORLD

Gameweek 12



FC CUP QUALIFYING ROUND REVIEW



SILVA SHANKS

Featured manager Oliver Shanks had Manchester City's Bernardo Silva to thank for getting into the first round in a tough Qualifying round match.

After the opening two fixtures of the gameweek Amenteer Singh had a lead of 10 points by the end of Saturday's game Singh was 22 points in the lead. With 4 players to play including his captain Marcus Raahfjord. Shanks though had 7 players also including his captain. As the first fixtures on Sunday were played Shanks managed to pull back the deficit to 2 points. Going into the final match of the gameweek Singh had just Raheem Sterling as David Silva was dropped seeing Van Aanholt add 2 points to his total. Shanks had Liverpool's Van Dijk, Mane and Captain Firmino as well as City's Bernardo Silva. 19 points behind Shanks needed something special, Sterling could only add 2 for Singh, Van Dijk cancelling that out, Shanks captain Firmino adding 4 and Mane who scored adding 7 points that still wasn't enough then Bernardo Silva scored in the 78th minute and went on to claim 3 bonus points to turn an 8 point deficit into a 2 point victory.



Bernardo Silva in action against Liverpool. He would secure 10 points for Oliver Shanks

Amenteer Singh 50 Oliver Shanks 52

VARDY DIFFERENCE

Leicester City's Jamie Vardy made all the difference in this tie although both managers had him in their teams.

David Noel will be relieved that he selected Vardy as his captain meaning he scored 24 points whilst opponent Andy Gurney only had him in his team securing just 12 points. Noel winning the tie by margin of 14 points those vital



Vardy celebrates his goal on his way to 24 points for Noel

extra 12 points as having Vardy as captain proving to be pivotal in this tie. Gurney had got off to a good start with Watford's Jamnaat giving him a 7-point lead holding that advantage moving into the 3pm fixtures. Noel would overturn that lead and then it would all change after the late kick-off with that Vardy contribution. Whilst Gurney still had his captain and players to play in the Sunday games none of them made an impression seeing him go down by 14 points.

Andy Gurney 67 David Noel 81

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SILVA LINING FOR PEREIRA

Chad Pereira FC Cup runner-Up in Michael Lynn runner-up in 2009 came back from 36 points behind.

After the first four time slots of the gameweek Preston was 36 points ahead with Captain Chelsea's Pulisic 16 points, Bournemouth's Harry Wilson 10 Points and Leicester's Jamie Vardy 12 points being the key contributors in his lead. With 3 matches left in the gameweek Preston had 2 players to play one being an automatic

substitution. Periera might Not have been too worried though as he had 8 players including his captain Bernado Silva to play. De Gea 2points, Maguire 2 points both of Manchester United then Wolves Jimenez 9 Points reduced the deficit by 9 points to 25 with match left. All of Preston's players had played Periera had 5 players needed to get 25 points. With 12 minutes to go captain Manchester City's Bernado Silva scored eventually adding bonus points to score 20 points added to his team mates De Bruyne 2 points and Liverpool's Robertson 5 points, Van Dijk 2 points and Alexander-Arnold 2 points to turnaround a 25-point deficit into a 6 point victory.

Chad Pereira 61 Nick Preston 55

MARTIAL DIFFERENCE

Manchester United's Anthony Martial goal and 10 points helped to decide this topsy turvey tie. Steven McIntosh had a 34 point lead after Saturday's 3pm kick-offs with captain Chelsea's Tammy Abraham scoring 16 points. Omid's captain Jamie Vardy hit 24 points to reduce the deficit



Martial scores to get 10 points

to just 12 points by the end of Saturday's fixtures. Martial scored that goal to secure 10 points with Brighton's Matt Ryan gaining 7 points and Wolves Jimenez also on the scoresheet adding 9 points Omid was now 14 points in the lead with a game to go. With both managers having the same 3 players it all came down to how well Manchester City's Kevin De Bruyne would do for McIntosh he could only manage 2 points meaning Omid would go through to the First Round.

Steven McIntosh 65 Omid Afzalalghom 77



FC CUP QUALIFYING ROUND GAMEWEEK DREAM TEAM



Dream Team

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Top Player

Tarkowski →



BUR
12 Points

Total Points

115

Overall →

Pitch View

List View

Premier League

Premier League

Pope

9

Tarkowski

12

Clark

10

Tomori

9

Neves

11

Davies

10

Harry Wilson

10

Martial

10

Bernardo Silva

10

Deulofeu

12

Vardy

12



FC CUP QUALIFYING ROUND RESULTS



Andy Taylor	48	-	59	Neil Williams
Marcus Hogwood	40	-	62	Pete Cuckson
Steve Whitely	37	-	46	Triona Reilly
Ryan Perrett	32	-	71	Adam Pemberton
Miki Mielonen	79	-	37	Luke Hanna
Rio Mclister	42	-	60	Bill Hill
Aine Reilly	78	-	45	Adam Gill
Richard Payn	61	-	46	Joseph Del Duca
Thomas Lusty	53	-	89	Darren Cullen
Glen Hogwood	49	-	38	Ellie Turner
Jonathon Kelly	60	-	45	Jim Burrows
Olivia Earley	40	-	39	Aubrey Davis
Marco Viela	65	-	45	Anthony Nicolaides
Martin Stuart	76	-	53	Jatin Joshi
Richard Munroe	38	-	67	James Bastow
Marc Bolton	65	-	52	Brett Peake
Lee Ferridge	56	-	54	Steve Martin
Amine Haddad	64	-	46	Michael Lynn
Daniel Sherry	76	-	60	Gary Dodds
Sam Moffatt	67	-	48	Mark Davies
Lee Champion	58	-	70	Joseph Greenwood
Tracy Thompson	56	-	56	Tony Collins
Andy Gurney	67	-	81	David Noel
Katherine Beer	65	-	64	Gary Eagle
Dan Wyatt	56	-	66	Nikki Ogden
Richard Champion	66	-	62	Lee Pepper
Alistair Shields	58	-	31	Harry Atachparian
Amanteer Singh	50	-	52	Oliver Shanks
Chad Pereira	61	-	55	Nick Preston
Chris Sherwin	87	-	73	Andy McLaren
Raymond Turp	42	-	64	James Meagher
Mark Freear	66	-	39	Graham Price
Clinton Taberer	59	-	60	Stephen Cullen
Steven Mcintosh	65	-	77	Omid Afzalalghom
Sebastian Logan	50	-	76	Danzel D'Costa
Stephen Wilson	56	-	79	Drona Nandoe
Daniel Hill	48	-	53	Stephen Nicolaides
Callum Hogwood	29	-	45	Anthony Lobo
Daniel Turner	78	-	68	Phil Sinclair
Kojo Amofa	63	-	45	Alex Kam
Nurul Hussain	60	-	25	Rob Wills
Lee Irons	33	-	80	Jonas Silva
Rilwan Dawodu	66	-	58	Daragh Prendergast
Don Heisser	47	-	42	Harry Scott
Darrell Jenkins	26	-	63	James Dwinfour
Russell Sinclair	42	-	84	Dave Sinclair
Rebekah Green	78	-	55	Adrian Taylor



FC CUP QUALIFYING ROUND RESULTS Contd



Adrian Comer	64	-	41	Wendy Parker
Harrison Bath	72	-	50	Hakan Bedir
Joseph Lawrence	35	-	68	Steve Haley
Neil Dawson	42	-	34	Randy Ricker
Stephen Loss	71	-	58	Dipesh Gamanlal



FC CUP QUALIFYING ROUND STATISTICS



HIGHEST SCORE

89

Darren Cullen

HIGHEST SCORING MATCH

160

Chris Sherwin 87 Andy McLaren 73

BIGGEST WINNING MARGIN

47

Lee Irons 33 Jonas Silva 80

LOWEST SCORE

25

Rob Wills

LOWEST SCORING MATCH

74

Callum Hogwood 29 Anthony Lobo 45

LOWEST WINNING MARGIN

1

Olivia Earley 40 Aubrey Davis 39

Katherine Beer 65 Gary Eagle 64

Clinton Taberer 59 Stephen Cullen 60



FC CUP FIRST ROUND DRAW



First Round Draw. All the winners from the Qualifying Round were put into the hat with the managers who finished 76th and above in the overall league after Gameweek 10.

Jean Joden	V	Ben Alexander	Neil Dawson	V	Lewis Wyatt
Pasquale Egisto	V	Colin Davison	Nurul Hussain	V	Dean Santoro
Arpad Beres	V	Andrew Ogden	Andreas Themistocleous	V	Rob Gurney
Michael Carleton	V	Joe Rudd	Kojo Amofa	V	Craig Lewis
Rebecca Nicolaides	V	Tim Oldfield	Kin Chau	V	Don Heisser
Stuart Shepherd	V	Heath Cram	Sam Moffatt	V	Roari Fox
David Mahoney	V	Amine Haddad	Sammy Abbey	V	James Meagher
Adrian Comer	V	Jonathan Strack	Stephen West	V	Kyle Berry
Hans Hayrynen	V	Matt Hansell	Matt Earley	V	Triona Reilly
Ahmad Rachid	V	Alvar Chambers	Danzel D'Costa	V	Stephen Cullen
Cormac Connaughton	V	Alistair Shields	Martin Stuart	V	Adam Pemberton
Aine Reilly	V	Pete Cuckson	Bill Hill	V	Ian Baldwin
Dan Jopp	V	Richard Payn	Ryan Hill	V	Darron Meredith
Daniel Turner	V	Paul Richardson	Joe Higgins	V	James Dwinfour
Steve Clarricoats	V	Sandeep Chohan	Omid Afzalghom	V	Owen Gredley
Olivia Earley	V	Rebekah Green	Jonas Silva	V	Marc Bolton
Daniel Sherry	V	Dan Couch	Chad Pereira	V	Neil Williams
Kieran Hogwood	V	Daniel Varrow	Steve Haley	V	Ian Gredley
Bernard Aspell	V	George Ferridge	Marco Viela	V	Oliver Shanks
Sanj Joshi	V	Katherine Beer	Mike Davies	V	Daniel Hansen
Mark Angliss	V	Miki Mielonen	Steve Shew	V	Mark Grice
Sam Shew	V	Stephen Loss	Paul Dwinfour	V	James Bloomer
Sebastian Pennella	V	Drona Nandoe	Andrew Burchell	V	Maris Cars
Alfie Harris	V	Chris Sherwin	Joseph Shalome	V	Jonathan Chew
James Bastow	V	David Pewtner	David Bardon	V	Adam Galley
Glen Hogwood	V	Jonathon Kelly	Jeff Aldersea	V	Joseph Greenwood
David Noel	V	Tracy Thompson or Tony Collins	Antony Law	V	Kris Zakrzewski
Eoin Mooney	V	Nikki Ogden	Matt Coe	V	Rilwan Dawodu
Joseph Nicolaides	V	Anthony Lobo	John Beer	V	David Dinh
Dave Rogers	V	Lee Ferridge	Peter Ward	V	Stephen Nicolaides
Mark Freear	V	Martyn Dewick	Darren Cullen	V	Richard Champion
Harrison Bath	V	Dave Sinclair	Karman Bansi	V	Dave Hansell

Matches to be played Gameweek 14

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	12
CHAMPIONSHIP	11
LEAGUE ONE	13
LEAGUE TWO	9
CONFERENCE	12
PYRAMID PREMIER	15
PYRAMID ONE	10
PYRAMID TWO	13
PYRAMID THREE	10



FC CUP FIRST ROUND MATCHES IN FOCUS



MATCHES GETTING THE FC WORLD TREATMENT ARE

Steve Haley	V	Ian Gredley
Joseph Nicolaides	V	Anthony Lobo
Marco Viela	V	<i>Oliver Shanks</i>
Olivia Earley	V	Rebekah Green

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

Steve Haley V Ian Gredley

One of three all Premier League clashes in the First Round selected this one as both managers are riding high in the Premier League in the top 8. Ian Gredley has four major trophies to his name making him one of the most successful managers in the history of the FC World. He has won the Premier League twice 2016 and last season 2019 part of a double as he claimed the Super20 Cup also retaining it after winning it in 2018 becoming the first manager to retain the Super20 Cup. Gredley also has 5 promotions to his name and two top 5 finishes in the FC Overall League. Gredley's opponent Steve Haley has one major trophy the New Life cup back in 2014. Haley had consecutive 3rd place finishes in the Premier League in 2016 and 2017. Haley came to prominence in 2008 winning the Conference the first of consecutive Super20 League titles claiming the League Two title in 2009 this earmarked Haley as a rising star within the FC World and one to watch no one would have predicted it would take Haley five seasons to get out of League One once again Haley winning taking the title in 2014. A season later Haley was promoted to the Premier League the only promotion in his history which did come with a title. These two managers met in Gameweek 9 with Ian Gredley winning 33-28. A clash two giants in the FC World.

Joseph Nicolaides V Anthony Lobo

This match is selected as Anthony Lobo last seasons FC Cup runner-up and is an all Pyramid Two clash. Lobo has already come through the Qualifying Round as he starts out on another campaign to try and reach the final again. Joseph Nicolaides is in his second spell in the FC World gaining a promotion from the Conference in 2014 now though back in Pyramid Two trying to climb the super20 league ladder. Joseph Nicolaides is currently 4th in Pyramid Two just 3 points off top spot whilst Anthony Lobo is down in 14th place just 2 points above the relegation zone. They have not yet met in the Pyramid Two scheduled to meet in Gameweek 18.



FC CUP FIRST ROUND MATCHES IN FOCUS



Marco Viela V Oliver Shanks

This match contains the featured manager Oliver Shanks was selected as he has won two major trophies but at the time of the draw for the Qualifying Round, he was bottom of the overall league. Shanks has managed to move up to 177th place Shanks is currently bottom of the Championship 9 points from safety. He also finished bottom of his Champions League group so currently the FC Cup represents his best chance of glory this season. Standing in his way is Marco Viela in his rookie season he is currently 11th in Pyramid Two 4 points off the promotion places. Marco finished 4th in his Pyramid Cup group missing out on qualification for the knock-out stages and the New Life Cup. Marco is currently 111th in the FC Overall League.

Olivia Earley V Rebekah Green

This match is selected as there is just two places separating these two managers in the FC Overall League at the time of this draw. Rebekah Green is 122nd in the league on 608 points 1 point more than Olivia Earley in 124th. Green is currently in the relegation zone of Pyramid Two 1 point from safety, Green has qualified for the knock-out stage of the Pyramid Cup Olivia Earley is 15th In Pyramid One on the same points as 16th the relegation zone only out of the zone on points difference, Olivia finished bottom of her Pyramid Cup Group leaving the FC Cup as the only cup competition she is in this season.