



Fifth Edition

May 2012

#### Introduction

Welcome to the Fifth edition of 29ER, the newsletter dedicated to members and fans of the Home and Aways Prediction game.

#### Headline News - The Final Straight!

The conclusion of the first Home and Aways competition this year is almost upon us. Mick Stewart has managed to maintain his lead since February and is fast approaching the finishing post. When Mick asked what it would feel like to be added to the winner's board, an emotional Mick suddenly got a bit of dust in his eye – luckily there was some Kleenex nearby.

#### **Leader Board**

Pos	Name	Homes	Aways	Home Jokers	Away Jokers	Sweep Homes			Misc Adj'mt	Total	+/-
1	Mick S	59	76	0	24	15	0	0	0	174	
2	David B	55	78	0	22	10	0	0	0	165	
3	John C	52	82	0	18	5	5	0	0	162	
4	Scott VV	59	70	0	22	10	0	0	0	161	•
4	EdgarC	53	80	1	22	5	0	0	0	161	•
4	Mike A	58	78	Ω	20	- 5	0	0	Π	161	•

#### **New Competitions Starting**

The Home and Aways Prediction Game is expanding with players requesting to start their own competitions in addition to playing the main game. So far there will be three pub games at the Wellington - Borehamwood, The Clarence – West Kensington and Bow Bells – East London with a £10 entrance (100% payout).

If you would like to setup your own competition; please let the committee know.

## New Accumulator game to run alongside main 'League Game 2012 (2)'

By popular demand; during the next League Game; Home and Aways will be running an accumulator game in parallel.

In addition to the normal game; if entered, the player with the highest score will receive 100% of accumulator entries, each week. If more than one player has the highest score; the accumulator funds rolls on until we have a single top score winner.

How much will it cost me to enter the next league game and accummalor?

It will be  $\pmb{\pounds 20}$  for the League Game 2012 (2) and 50p each week for the accumulator (for 20 weeks  $\pounds 10$ ) – members will receive payouts at the end of the year.

#### New Virtual Games - In Development

In addition to the above, a new virtual game is currently in development. So listen out for announcements!

#### Sign Up Now for League Game 2012 (2)

If you would like to sign up to the next League Game 2012 (2); you can do so now. There are two ways of entering.

- **By Bank -** Sort Code 08-61-19 Account 45817504 with your name as reference
- Directly By cash to any of the Home and Aways Committee Members The deadline date for entries is the 31st of July 2012

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# 29ER HALL OF FAME Tom MacGruer 2011

# PREVIOUS WINNERS Name Year Game Pts John 2010 Micks 161 Connaughton 2011 Mick2 211 John Heneghan 2011 Mick 2011 233\* eter Armstrong 2011 CCS 221

\* All time highest score

# Member Spotlight - 'Dirty' Burty

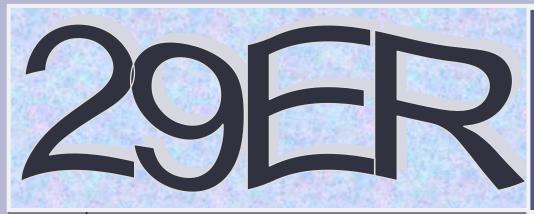


Team Player Drink Film Comedian Arsenal Tony Adams Lager Goodfellas Tommy Cooper Frank Sinatra

Why aren't there any male agony aunts..... Dear Jim, last week I left work as normal but having gone a mile my car broke down so I walked home again & arriving unexpectedly 2 find my husband with our babysitter in a compromising position. I am devastated, can you help? Dear Sally... A common cause for this is dirt in your carburetor don't let

your fuel drop 2 low in the tank, hope this helps... JIM!

Joke





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#### NO membership fees - Yee Ha!

Good news for all members; The Home and Aways committee have decided there will be no membership fees for the remainder of 2012, so you can sign up your pals. All competitions will have 100% payouts – happy days!

#### **NEW 29ER Monthly Quiz**

This month's guiz questions are as follows:

Question 1 3 Why is Hull FC unique?

Question 2: <sup>3</sup> Name the 5 Scottish teams who start with the same letter that they end with?

Question 3: Aname the 4 teams out of the 92 in the English leagues that contain all 5 vowels

Last Month's Answers: Q1 – Andrei Kanchelskis; Q2 – Cardiff, Chelsea, Charlton, Coventry and Clapham Rovers; Q3 – Bury and Middlesbrough



#### Rugby League Legend to join Home and Aways!

It is with great pleasure to announce Steve Hesford; former Warrington Rugby League player and record point's scorer who will be joining Home and Aways League game in August. Steve is sports mad and looks forward to putting the North West on the Home and Aways map (I'm not going to argue about that)!

#### **Burt Watch!**

'I believe I can fly' Dirty Burty has climbed another six places to 30<sup>th</sup> this month. "Anything is possible at this stage"; "I'm no longer looking at a mountain; rather a hill top to reach my ultimate goal", an inspirational Burt went on to say.

## What could you do with £572? - Henry VIII (Palace Fan!)

If Henry VIII was alive today......"With my winnings I'd spend my money on women, wine, jousting, chopping boards, tights and bling. I'd even treat Liz, Mary and Ted to a trip to the seaside, maybe Portsmouth and visit an old wreck (not Anne of Cleves)". Henry went on to say he would not reform the Home and Aways (phew!!).

## Quick Fire Members Spotlight – 'Dirty' Burty and Mike Abebe

This month's Members Spotlight consists of Burt and Mike – thank you both for your contributions.

#### **Contact Details**

If you require any further information about Home and Aways or even want to add a friend or colleague to a competition; please speak to a member of the committee or e-mail <a href="mailto:game61@homeandaways.co.uk">game61@homeandaways.co.uk</a>

The Home and Aways committee would like to thank you all for your continued support and wish all participants the very best of luck!

Peter Armstrong and John Connaughton (editors)

# LEAGUE GAME 2012 (1) Prize Breakdown



1st Prize £572.00 2nd Prize £176.00 3nd Prize £88.00 4th Prize £44.00

#### Member Spotlight - Mike Abebe



Team Liverpool
Player Pele
Drink JD & Coke
Film Con Air
Comedian Chris Rock
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Wife finds husband on the terrace all alone with a glass of whiskey and tears in his eyes. She asks "What happened darling?", Husband: "Do you remember when we were only 18 and we were sitting behind the rocks at Lands End?". Wife: "Of Course!", Husband: "Do you remember, then your father caught us & told me either you marry my daughter or I'll send you to jail for 20 years?", Wife: "Of course!", Husband: "I would have been released today!!!!"



# VISIT BLACKPOOL 2012

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Why travel abroad? Why not stay in the UK and meet a legend. As recommended by the Home and Aways committee, for a central location that accommodates groups and families with excellent facilities. Why not visit a great host and 'new' Home and Aways member and Rugby League Legend Steve Hesford.



SIGN UP FOR LEAGUE GAME 2012 (2) NOW!!!

Deadline 31" July 2012

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