

Birmingham Brummies

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The following symbols are in use throughout this file:

R/R	Rider replacement
N	Rider replaced by reserve
TS	Rider replaced by tactical substitute
R	Rider did not finish for reason other than fall or exclusion
EF	Rider suffered engine failure and failed to finish
F	Rider fell and did not remount
FX	Rider fell and was excluded from race or rerun
FN	Rider fell and was unable to take his place in rerun
E	Rider excluded for starting offence (including tape touching & breaking, delaying start, etc.)
M	Rider excluded under two minute rule
X	Rider excluded for any other reason not E or M. Reason for exclusion noted where known.
NS	Rider failed to start but was not excluded or replaced
NTR	New track record
ETR	Equals track record

Reruns are not assumed, they are only recorded where reported.

(guest) Rider is making a 'full and proper' guest appearance

(loanee) Rider has been borrowed from home track to make up the team

Birmingham Brummies 1978

Date	Home	Away	Event	Result	Notes
17/03/1978	Wolverhampton	Birmingham	Sandwell Mail Trophy	38-39	
20/03/1978	Birmingham	Cradley Heath	Sandwell Mail Trophy	Rained Off	
22/03/1978	Birmingham	Cradley Heath	Sandwell Mail Trophy	29-49	
24/03/1978	Reading	Birmingham	Gulf British League	45-33	
27/03/1978	Cradley Heath	Birmingham	Sandwell Mail Trophy	47-31	
29/03/1978	Birmingham	Reading	Gulf British League	41-37	
03/04/1978	Birmingham	Wolverhampton	Sandwell Mail Trophy	38-40	
05/04/1978	White City	Birmingham	Gulf British League	45-33	
10/04/1978	Birmingham	White City	Gulf British League	34-43	
12/04/1978	Poole	Birmingham	Speedway Star KOC R1 L1	48-30	
15/04/1978	King's Lynn	Birmingham	Gulf British League	54-24	
17/04/1978	Birmingham	Poole	Speedway Star KOC R1 L2	37-41	
24/04/1978	Birmingham	Midlands Riders Championship Semi-Final	Individual	Ole Olsen	
27/04/1978	Ipswich	Birmingham	Gulf British League	48-30	
01/05/1978	Birmingham	Bristol	Gulf British League	Rained Off	
02/05/1978	Leicester	Birmingham	Gulf British League	Rained Off	
08/05/1978	Birmingham	Hull	Gulf British League	40-38	
13/05/1978	Halifax	Birmingham	Gulf British League	41-37	
15/05/1978	Birmingham	VW Grand Prix/World Championship Qualifying Round	Individual	Ray Wilson	
22/05/1978	Birmingham	King's Lynn	Gulf British League	50-28	
27/05/1978	Stoke	Birmingham	Inter-League Challenge	32-46	
30/05/1978	Birmingham	Exeter	Gulf British League	45-33	
03/06/1978	Swindon	Birmingham	Gulf British League	44-34	
05/06/1978	Birmingham	Bristol	Gulf British League	46-32	
12/06/1978	Birmingham	Belle Vue	Gulf British League	37-41	
26/06/1978	Birmingham	Wolverhampton	Midland Cup R1 L1	30-47	
28/06/1978	Coventry	Coventry v Birmingham v Cradley Heath v Leicester	Four Team (pairs)	28 v 28 v 23 v 16	Coventry win after run-off
30/06/1978	Wolverhampton	Birmingham	Midland Cup R1 L2	38-40	
01/07/1978	Birmingham	Ipswich	Gulf British League	Cancelled	Cradley Heath objected
03/07/1978	Birmingham	Skol Masters Trophy	Individual	Aban Ht 8 - rain	
10/07/1978	Birmingham	Birmingham v Coventry v Wimbledon v White City	Four Team	29 v 15 v 33 v 19	
14/07/1978	Wolverhampton	Wolverhampton v Birmingham v Coventry v Cradley Heath	Four Team (pairs)	35 v 13 v 17 v 31	
17/07/1978	Birmingham	Ipswich	Gulf British League	30-48	
24/07/1978	Birmingham	England v Australasia	Second Test	59-49	
27/07/1978	Wimbledon	Birmingham	Gulf British League	61-17	
31/07/1978	Birmingham	Birmingham V Cradley Heath V Wolverhampton	Express & Star 3TT L1	Rained Off	
02/08/1978	Hull	Birmingham	Gulf British League	57-21	

Birmingham Brummies 1978

Date	Home	Away	Event	Result	Notes
04/08/1978	Wolverhampton	Wolverhampton v Birmingham v Cradley Heath	Express & Star 3TT L1	35 v 27 v 46	
05/08/1978	Cradley Heath	Cradley Heath v Wolverhampton v Birmingham	Express & Star 3TT L2	Rained Off	
07/08/1978	Birmingham	Wimbledon	Gulf British League	29-49	
09/08/1978	Birmingham	Birmingham V Cradley Heath V Wolverhampton	Express & Star 3TT L2	Rained Off	
14/08/1978	Birmingham	Swindon	Gulf British League	47-31	
16/08/1978	Cradley Heath	Cradley Heath v Birmingham v Wolverhampton	Express & Star 3TT L2	Cancelled	Due to British Final
18/08/1978	Bristol	Birmingham	Gulf British League	42-36	
19/08/1978	Coventry	Birmingham	Gulf British League	48-30	
21/08/1978	Birmingham	Skol Masters	Individual	Bruce Penhall	
27/08/1978	Wolverhampton	Birmingham	Gulf British League	40-37	
28/08/1978	Birmingham	Sheffield	Gulf British League	48-30	
29/08/1978	Leicester	Birmingham	Gulf British League	43-35	
31/08/1978	Sheffield	Birmingham	Gulf British League	41-37	
04/09/1978	Birmingham	Poole	Gulf British League	39-39	
09/09/1978	Belle Vue	Birmingham	Gulf British League	20-22 A	Aban Ht 7 - rain
11/09/1978	Birmingham	Halifax	Gulf British League	57-21	
15/09/1978	Hackney	Birmingham	Gulf British League	45-33	
18/09/1978	Birmingham	Leicester	Gulf British League	43-35	
23/09/1978	Cradley Heath	Birmingham	Gulf British League	57-20	
25/09/1978	Birmingham	Cradley Heath	Gulf British League	38-40	
30/09/1978	Belle Vue	Birmingham	Gulf British League	49-29	
02/10/1978	Birmingham	Hackney	Gulf British League	37-41	
09/10/1978	Birmingham	Coventry	Gulf British League	41-37	
11/10/1978	Poole	Birmingham	Gulf British League	53-25	
13/10/1978	Exeter	Birmingham	Gulf British League	52-26	
14/10/1978	Cradley Heath	Cradley Heath v Birmingham v Wolverhampton	Express & Star 3TT L2	54 v 27 v 27	
16/10/1978	Birmingham	Wolverhampton	Gulf British League	41-37	
20/10/1978	Birmingham	Birmingham v Cradley Heath v Wolverhampton	Express & Star 3TT L3	35 v 46 v 26	
23/10/1978	Birmingham	Birmingham v Coventry v Stoke v Wolverhampton	Four Team (pairs)	25 v 35 v 11 v 25	
30/10/1978	Birmingham	Second City Trophy	Individual	John Louis	

Wolverhampton Wolves v Birmingham Brummies Friday 17th March 1978 (Sandwell Mail Trophy)

Wolverhampton Wolves 38

1. Hans Nielsen	1	EF	3	3	X
2. Knud Ellegaard	0	TS	0	N	
3. Jim McMillan	2	2*	2*	3	3
4. Jerzy Kowalski	0	F	TS	F	
5. Dave Morton	3	E	3	3	2*
6. Steve Lomas	3	1*	1	TS	M
7. Brian Woodward	1	1	1	0	

TOT BP

7	0
0	0
12	2
0	0
11	1
5	1
3	0

Birmingham Brummies 39

1. Ray Wilson	3	3	2	1
2. Richard Greer	2*	2*	3	1*
3. Phil Herne	3	2	1	3
4. Ari Koponen	1*	0	2	0
5. Bengt Jansson	2	1	EF	2*
6. Alan Emerson	2	1*	0	
7. Finn Jensen	0	0	2*	

TOT BP

9	0
8	3
9	0
3	1
5	1
3	1
2	1

Ht. 01: Wilson, Greer, Nielsen, Ellegaard, 63.9

Ht. 02: Lomas, Emerson, Woodward, Jensen, 65.3

Ht. 03: Morton, Jansson, Koponen, Kowalski, 64.3

Ht. 04: Herne, McMillan, Lomas, Jensen, 63.9

Ht. 05: Wilson, Greer, Lomas, Kowalski, Morton (exc, delaying start), 65.4

Ht. 06: Morton, Herne, Emerson, Nielsen (ef), 64.0

Ht. 07: Nielsen, McMillan, Jansson, Koponen, 63.8

Ht. 08: Greer, Jensen, Woodward, Ellegaard, 65.0

Ht. 09: Morton, McMillan, Herne, Emerson, 64.6

Ht. 10: Nielsen, Koponen, Woodward, Jansson (ef), Lomas (exc, 2 mins), 63.6

Ht. 11: McMillan, Wilson, Greer, Woodward, 64.0

Ht. 12: Herne, Jansson, Kowalski (fell), Nielsen (exc, silencer), 64.7

Ht. 13: McMillan, Morton, Wilson, Koponen, 64.4

1	-	5	1	-	5
4	-	2	5	-	7
3	-	3	8	-	10
3	-	3	11	-	13
1	-	5	12	-	18
3	-	3	15	-	21
5	-	1	20	-	22
1	-	5	21	-	27
5	-	1	26	-	28
4	-	2	30	-	30
3	-	3	33	-	33
0	-	5	33	-	38
5	-	1	38	-	39

Birmingham Brummies v Cradley Heath Heathens Monday 20th March 1978 (Sandwell Mail Trophy)

Meeting postponed - rain

Birmingham Brummies v Cradley Heath Heathens Wednesday 22nd March 1978 (Sandwell Mail Trophy)

Birmingham Brummies 29

1. Ray Wilson	F	TS	TS	N			
2. Richard Greer	3	1	1*	3	1		
3. Phil Herne	2	3	2	0	2		
4. Ari Koponen	0	0	0	1			
5. Bengt Jansson	2	2	1	F	EF		
6. Alan Emerson	EF	N	TS	1	2	0	
7. Finn Jensen	2	0	N	N			

TOT BP

0	0
9	1
9	0
1	0
5	0
3	0
2	0

Cradley Heath Heathens 49

1. Bruce Cribb	1*	1	1	3			
2. Dave Perks	2	3	2	3			
3. Steve Bastable	3	2	3	2*			
4. Pekka Hautamaki	1	0	2*	1			
5. Alan Grahame	3	3	3	3			
6. Kristian Praestbro	3	0	2*				
7. Arthur Price	1	1	0				

TOT BP

6	1
10	0
10	1
4	1
12	0
5	1
2	0

Ht. 01: Greer, Perks, Cribb, Wilson (fell), 63.4

3 - 3 3 - 3

Ht. 02: Praestbro, Jensen, Price, Emerson (ef), 65.4

2 - 4 5 - 7

Ht. 03: Grahame, Jansson, Hautamaki, Koponen, 64.6

2 - 4 7 - 11

Ht. 04: Bastable, Herne, Price, Jensen, 63.8

2 - 4 9 - 15

Ht. 05: Perks, Jansson, Cribb, Koponen, 64.8

2 - 4 11 - 19

Ht. 06: Herne, Bastable, Greer, Praestbro, 65.0

4 - 2 15 - 21

Ht. 07: Grahame, Herne, Greer, Hautamaki, 64.6

3 - 3 18 - 24

Ht. 08: Greer, Perks, Emerson, Price, 65.0

4 - 2 22 - 26

Ht. 09: Bastable, Praestbro, Jansson, Koponen, 64.6

1 - 5 23 - 31

Ht. 10: Grahame, Hautamaki, Greer, Jansson (fell), 65.6

1 - 5 24 - 36

Ht. 11: Perks, Emerson, Cribb, Herne, 65.8

2 - 4 26 - 40

Ht. 12: Grahame, Bastable, Koponen, Emerson, 65.8

1 - 5 27 - 45

Ht. 13: Cribb, Herne, Hautamaki, Jansson (ef), 66.0

2 - 4 29 - 49

Reading Racers v Birmingham Brummies Friday 24th March 1978 (Gulf British League)

Reading Racers 45

					TOT	BP
1. Bernie Leigh	3	2	2*	2	9	1
2. Bob Humphreys	0	1*	0	N	1	1
3. John Davis	EF	3	3	3	9	0
4. Henryk Glucklich	2*	0	2	1*	5	2
5. Hans Wassermann	3	3	1*	1	8	1
6. Ian Gledhill	2*	2	0	3	7	1
7. Doug Underwood	3	1	2*		6	1

Birmingham Brummies 33

						TOT	BP
1. Alan Emerson	1*	1*	1	2		5	2
2. Richard Greer	2	2	2	2*	0	8	1
3. Phil Herne	3	3	3	3	3	15	0
4. Ari Koponen	1	1*	1	0	0	3	1
5. Bengt Jansson	FX	TS	N	TS		0	0
6. Bob Baker	0	N	0			0	0
7. Finn Jensen	1	1	0	TS	0	2	0

Ht. 01: Leigh, Greer, Emerson, Humphreys, 65.2	3	-	3	3	-	3
Ht. 02: Underwood, Gledhill, Jensen, Baker, 65.4	5	-	1	8	-	4
Ht. 03: (rerun) Wassermann, Glucklich, Koponen, Jansson (f, exc), 65.0	5	-	1	13	-	5
Ht. 04: Herne, Gledhill, Jensen, Davis (ef), 64.6	2	-	4	15	-	9
Ht. 05: Wassermann, Greer, Emerson, Glucklich, 64.5	3	-	3	18	-	12
Ht. 06: Herne, Leigh, Humphreys, Jensen, 63.6	3	-	3	21	-	15
Ht. 07: Davis, Greer, Koponen, Gledhill, 63.8	3	-	3	24	-	18
Ht. 08: Herne, Greer, Underwood, Humphreys, 63.6	1	-	5	25	-	23
Ht. 09: Herne, Glucklich, Wassermann, Baker, 63.8	3	-	3	28	-	26
Ht. 10: Gledhill, Leigh, Koponen, Jensen, 65.1	5	-	1	33	-	27
Ht. 11: Davis, Underwood, Emerson, Greer, 64.4	5	-	1	38	-	28
Ht. 12: Herne, Leigh, Glucklich, Koponen, 64.5	3	-	3	41	-	31
Ht. 13: Davis, Emerson, Wassermann, Koponen, 64.8	4	-	2	45	-	33

Cradley Heath Heathens v Birmingham Brummies Monday 27th March 1978 (Sandwell Mail Trophy)

Cradley Heath Heathens 47

					TOT	BP
1. Bruce Cribb	3	2	3	2	10	0
2. Dave Perks	0	1*	2	2*	5	2
3. Steve Bastable	3	3	3	3	12	0
4. Pekka Hautamaki	0	0	N	1*	1	1
5. Alan Grahame	2	3	1*	2*	8	2
6. Kristian Praestbro	3	2*	1	2	8	1
7. Arthur Price	EF	1*	2*		3	2

Birmingham Brummies 31

					TOT	BP
1. Keith White (<i>guest</i>)	2	1*	1	0	4	1
2. Richard Greer	1*	2	3	0	6	1
3. Phil Herne	EF	3	3	3	9	0
4. Ari Koponen	1	0	0	1	2	0
5. Malcolm Shakespeare (<i>guest</i>)	3	2	1	0	6	0
6. Alan Emerson	1*	1	E	0	2	1
7. Finn Jensen	2	E	0	0	2	0

Ht. 01: Cribb, White, Greer, Perks, 67.6	3	-	3	3	-	3
Ht. 02: Praestbro, Jensen, Emerson, Price (ef), 69.2	3	-	3	6	-	6
Ht. 03: Shakespeare, Grahame, Koponen, Hautamaki, 69.0	2	-	4	8	-	10
Ht. 04: (rerun) Bastable, Praestbro, Emerson, Herne (ef), Jensen (exc, tapes), 68.2	5	-	1	13	-	11
Ht. 05: Grahame, Greer, White, Hautamaki, 68.8	3	-	3	16	-	14
Ht. 06: (rerun) Herne, Cribb, Perks, Jensen, Emerson (exc, tapes), 68.4	3	-	3	19	-	17
Ht. 07: Bastable, Shakespeare, Praestbro, Koponen, 67.6	4	-	2	23	-	19
Ht. 08: Greer, Perks, Price, Jensen, 69.2	3	-	3	26	-	22
Ht. 09: Herne, Praestbro, Grahame, Emerson, 67.4	3	-	3	29	-	25
Ht. 10: Cribb, Perks, Shakespeare, Koponen, 68.4	5	-	1	34	-	26
Ht. 11: Bastable, Price, White, Greer (f, rem), 67.2	5	-	1	39	-	27
Ht. 12: Herne, Cribb, Hautamaki, Shakespeare, 67.8	3	-	3	42	-	30
Ht. 13: Bastable, Grahame, Koponen, White, 68.0	5	-	1	47	-	31

Cradley Heath win the Sandwell Mail Trophy.

Table to date	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1. Cradley Heath	3	3	0	0	143	91	6
2. Birmingham	3	1	0	2	99	134	2
3. Wolverhampton	2	0	0	2	69	86	0

Birmingham Brummies v Reading Racers Wednesday 29th March 1978 (Gulf British League)

Birmingham Brummies 41

TOT BP

1. Ray Wilson R/R					
2. Richard Greer	2*	3	3	3	1
3. Phil Herne	3	2	3	2*	2
4. Ari Koponen	2	EF	N	N	
5. Malcolm Shakespeare (<i>guest</i>)	EF	1	1	0	
6. Alan Emerson	3	1*	1	1	1
7. Finn Jensen	1	2*	0	3	0
8. Stuart Mountford	<i>Did not ride</i>				

12 1
12 1
2 0
2 0
7 1
6 1

Reading Racers 37

TOT BP

1. Bernie Leigh	1	2*	0	1	
2. Bob Humphreys	0	3	1	TS	3
3. John Davis	3	2	3	1	3
4. Henryk Glücklich	1	0	0	TS	
5. Hans Wassermann	3	2	2*	2	2*
6. Ian Gledhill	0	0	TS		
7. Doug Underwood	2	0	0		

4 1
7 0
12 0
1 0
11 2
0 0
2 0

Ht. 01: Herne, Greer, Leigh, Humphreys, 63.6

5 - 1 5 - 1

Ht. 02: Emerson, Underwood, Jensen, Gledhill, 63.4

4 - 2 9 - 3

Ht. 03: Wassermann, Koponen, Glücklich, Shakespeare (ef), 64.0

2 - 4 11 - 7

Ht. 04: Davis, Herne, Emerson, Underwood, 63.2

3 - 3 14 - 10

Ht. 05: Humphreys, Leigh, Shakespeare, Koponen (ef), 63.2

1 - 5 15 - 15

Ht. 06: Greer, Davis, Emerson, Gledhill, 62.6

4 - 2 19 - 17

Ht. 07: Herne, Wassermann, Emerson, Glücklich, 63.0

4 - 2 23 - 19

Ht. 08: Greer, Jensen, Humphreys, Underwood, 64.2

5 - 1 28 - 20

Ht. 09: Davis, Wassermann, Shakespeare, Jensen, 64.0

1 - 5 29 - 25

Ht. 10: Greer, Wassermann, Emerson, Glücklich, 63.8

4 - 2 33 - 27

Ht. 11: Jensen, Herne, Davis, Leigh, 63.4

5 - 1 38 - 28

Ht. 12: Davis, Wassermann, Greer, Jensen, 63.8

1 - 5 39 - 33

Ht. 13: Humphreys, Herne, Leigh, Shakespeare, 63.2

2 - 4 41 - 37

Birmingham Brummies v Wolverhampton Wolves Monday 3rd April 1978 (Sandwell Mail Trophy)

Birmingham Brummies 38

						TOT	BP
1. Ray Wilson R/R							
2. Richard Greer	1*	EF	1	2	1	5	1
3. Phil Herne	2	1	1*	2	3	9	1
4. Ari Koponen	0	1	0	N		1	0
5. Ted Howgego	3	3	2	3	2*	13	1
6. Alan Emerson	2	0	2	0		4	0
7. Finn Jensen	1*	3	1*	1*		6	3
8. Andy Grahame	<i>Did not ride</i>						

Wolverhampton Wolves 40

						TOT	BP
1. Dave Morton	3	2	3	EF		8	0
2. Hasse Danielsson	0	0	N	N		0	0
3. Jim McMillan	3	3	2	3		11	0
4. Knud Ellegaard	1*	EF	0	1		2	1
5. Hans Nielsen	2	3	3	2*		10	1
6. Steve Lomas	3	2*	1	2	1*	9	2
7. Brian Woodward	EF	N	F	0		0	0

Ht. 01: Morton, Herne, Greer, Danielsson, 62.4	3	-	3	3	-	3
Ht. 02: Lomas, Emerson, Jensen, Woodward (ef), 62.8	3	-	3	6	-	6
Ht. 03: Howgego, Nielsen, Ellegaard, Koponen, 62.8	3	-	3	9	-	9
Ht. 04: McMillan, Lomas, Herne, Emerson, 62.4	1	-	5	10	-	14
Ht. 05: Howgego, Morton, Koponen, Danielsson, 62.6	4	-	2	14	-	16
Ht. 06: McMillan, Howgego, Lomas, Greer (ef), 62.9	2	-	4	16	-	20
Ht. 07: Nielsen, Emerson, Herne, Ellegaard (ef), 62.7	3	-	3	19	-	23
Ht. 08: Jensen, Lomas, Greer, Woodward (fell), 64.0	4	-	2	23	-	25
Ht. 09: Howgego, McMillan, Lomas, Koponen, 62.6	3	-	3	26	-	28
Ht. 10: Nielsen, Greer, Jensen, Ellegaard, 62.8	3	-	3	29	-	31
Ht. 11: Morton, Herne, Jensen, Woodward, 63.2	3	-	3	32	-	34
Ht. 12: McMillan, Nielsen, Greer, Emerson, 63.4	1	-	5	33	-	39
Ht. 13: Herne, Howgego, Ellegaard, Morton (ef), 64.4	5	-	1	38	-	40

This was the final match of the Sandwell Mail Trophy.

Final Table	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1. Cradley Heath	4	3	0	1	181	130	6
2. Wolverhampton	4	2	0	2	148	162	4
3. Birmingham	4	1	0	3	137	174	2

White City Rebels v Birmingham Brummies Wednesday 5th April 1978 (Gulf British League)

White City Rebels 45

					TOT	BP
1. Gordon Kennett	3	3	3	3	12	0
2. Trevor Geer	1	1	EF	1	3	0
3. Kai Niemi	3	2	3	3	11	0
4. Marek Cieslak	0	EF	1	2*	3	1
5. Steve Weatherley	1	2	3	1	7	0
6. Andrzej Jurczynski	2*	1	0		3	1
7. Paul Gachet	3	2	1		6	0

Birmingham Brummies 33

							TOT	BP
1. Ray Wilson R/R								
2. Richard Greer	EF	3	3	2	EF		8	0
3. Phil Herne	2	2	2	2	0		8	0
4. Ari Koponen	3	3	0	EF	TS		6	0
5. Bobby McNeil (<i>guest</i>)	2*	1	1	2	1	2	9	1
6. Alan Emerson	1	0	0				1	0
7. Finn Jensen	0	0	1				1	0
8. Stuart Mountford	<i>Did not ride</i>							

Ht. 01: Kennett, Herne, Geer, Greer (ef), 73.6	4	-	2	4	-	2
Ht. 02: Gachet, Jurczynski, Emerson, Jensen, 75.4	5	-	1	9	-	3
Ht. 03: Koponen, McNeil, Weatherley, Cieslak, 74.2	1	-	5	10	-	8
Ht. 04: Niemi, Herne, Jurczynski, Jensen, 74.4	4	-	2	14	-	10
Ht. 05: Greer, Weatherley, McNeil, Cieslak (ef), 75.4	2	-	4	16	-	14
Ht. 06: Kennett, Herne, Geer, Emerson, 73.6	4	-	2	20	-	16
Ht. 07: Koponen, Niemi, McNeil, Jurczynski, 74.0	2	-	4	22	-	20
Ht. 08: Greer, Gachet, Jensen, Geer (ef), 76.2	2	-	4	24	-	24
Ht. 09: Weatherley, Herne, Cieslak, Emerson, 75.0	4	-	2	28	-	26
Ht. 10: Kennett, McNeil, Geer, Koponen, 73.6	4	-	2	32	-	28
Ht. 11: Niemi, Greer, Gachet, Koponen (ef), 74.6	4	-	2	36	-	30
Ht. 12: Kennett, Cieslak, McNeil, Herne, 74.0	5	-	1	41	-	31
Ht. 13: Niemi, McNeil, Weatherley, Greer (ef), 75.4	4	-	2	45	-	33

Birmingham Brummies v White City Rebels Monday 10th April 1978 (Gulf British League)

Birmingham Brummies 34

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White City Rebels 43

White City Rebels 43						TOT	BP
1. Gordon Kennett	3	3	F	3		9	0
2. Trevor Geer	2*	0	3	2		7	1
3. Kai Niemi	3	1*	3	2*		9	2
4. Marek Cieslak	0	1*	1*	1		3	2
5. Steve Weatherley	3	2	2	3		10	0
6. Paul Gachet	F	0	2	2*	1	5	1
7. Andrzej Jurczynski	FX	N	N			0	0

Ht. 01: Kennett, Geer, Howgego, Greer, 61.4	1	-	5	1	-	5
Ht. 02: (rerun) Jensen, Emerson, Gachet (fell), Jurczynski (f, exc), 64.5	5	-	0	6	-	5
Ht. 03: Weatherley, Howgego, Koponen, Cieslak, 63.0	3	-	3	9	-	8
Ht. 04: Niemi, Herne, Emerson, Gachet, 62.5	3	-	3	12	-	11
Ht. 05: Kennett, Howgego, Koponen, Geer, 61.7	3	-	3	15	-	14
Ht. 06: Herne, Gachet, Niemi, Greer, 62.2	3	-	3	18	-	17
Ht. 07: Herne, Weatherley, Cieslak, Emerson, 63.3	3	-	3	21	-	20
Ht. 08: Geer, Gachet, Greer, Jensen, 63.4	1	-	5	22	-	25
Ht. 09: Niemi, Koponen, Gachet, Howgego, 62.9	2	-	4	24	-	29
Ht. 10: Koponen, Weatherley, Cieslak, Greer, 63.3	3	-	3	27	-	32
Ht. 11: Herne, Geer, Jensen, Kennett (fell), 63.4	4	-	2	31	-	34
Ht. 12: Weatherley, Niemi, Koponen, Emerson (ef), 64.7	1	-	5	32	-	39
Ht. 13: Kennett, Howgego, Cieslak, Herne, 65.2	2	-	4	34	-	43

Poole Pirates v Birmingham Brummies Wednesday 12th April 1978 (Speedway Star Knock-out Cup 1st Round, 1st Leg)

Poole Pirates 48

1. Malcolm Simmons	2	3	3	3
2. Mike Curoso	0	0	F	N
3. Christer Sjosten	1*	3	3	3
4. Martin Yeates	2*	3	3	0
5. Neil Middleditch	3	1	2*	0
6. Danny Kennedy	2*	2	2*	
7. Kelvin Mullarkey	3	2	2*	0

TOT BP

11	0
0	0
10	1
8	1
6	1
6	2
7	1

Birmingham Brummies 30

1. Ray Wilson R/R						
2. Richard Greer	1	0	3	2	2	
3. Phil Herne	3	3	2	1*	EF	2
4. Ari Koponen	0	0	1	0	1*	
5. Barry Thomas (guest)	1	2	1	1	1*	1*
6. Nigel Davis (guest)	0	TS	1			
7. Finn Jensen	1	0	TS			

TOT BP

8	0
11	1
2	1
7	2
1	0
1	0

Ht. 01: Herne, Simmons, Greer, Curoso, 67.0

2 - 4 2 - 4

Ht. 02: Mullarkey, Kennedy, Jensen, Davis, 69.4

5 - 1 7 - 5

Ht. 03: Middleditch, Yeates, Thomas, Koponen, 69.0

5 - 1 12 - 6

Ht. 04: Herne, Kennedy, Sjosten, Jensen, 68.8

3 - 3 15 - 9

Ht. 05: Yeates, Herne, Middleditch, Greer, 68.6

4 - 2 19 - 11

Ht. 06: Simmons, Thomas, Herne, Curoso, 69.6

3 - 3 22 - 14

Ht. 07: Sjosten, Kennedy, Thomas, Koponen, 69.0

5 - 1 27 - 15

Ht. 08: Greer, Mullarkey, Koponen, Curoso (fell), 69.4

2 - 4 29 - 19

Ht. 09: Yeates, Middleditch, Davis, Herne (ef), 69.4

5 - 1 34 - 20

Ht. 10: Simmons, Mullarkey, Thomas, Koponen, 68.2

5 - 1 39 - 21

Ht. 11: Sjosten, Greer, Thomas, Mullarkey, 69.4

3 - 3 42 - 24

Ht. 12: Simmons, Herne, Thomas, Yeates, 68.0

3 - 3 45 - 27

Ht. 13: Sjosten, Greer, Koponen, Middleditch, 69.4

3 - 3 48 - 30

King's Lynn Stars v Birmingham Brummies Saturday 15th April 1978 (Gulf British League)

King's Lynn Stars 54

					TOT	BP
1. Terry Betts	3	1	3	3	10	0
2. David Gagen	0	3	3	2*	8	1
3. Ian Turner	3	2	3	2*	10	1
4. Richard Hellsen	2*	2*	FN	N	4	2
5. Michael Lee	3	3	3	3	12	0
6. Carl Glover	3	2*	0	1	6	1
7. Billy Spiers	1	1	1	1	4	0

Birmingham Brummies 24

							TOT	BP
1. Ray Wilson	2	1	2	0			5	0
2. Richard Greer	1*	1	0	2	2	0	6	1
3. Phil Herne	0	2	3	X	2		7	0
4. Ari Koponen	0	1	1	0	1		3	0
5. Bengt Jansson R/R								
6. Alan Emerson	0	0	TS				0	0
7. Finn Jensen	2	1	0	0			3	0
8. Andy Grahame	<i>Did not ride</i>							

Ht. 01: Betts, Wilson, Greer, Gagen (f, rem), 67.0	3	-	3	3	-	3
Ht. 02: Glover, Jensen, Spiers, Emerson, 67.4	4	-	2	7	-	5
Ht. 03: Lee, Hellsen, Greer, Koponen, 67.4	5	-	1	12	-	6
Ht. 04: Turner, Glover, Jensen, Herne, 67.8	5	-	1	17	-	7
Ht. 05: Lee, Hellsen, Wilson, Greer, 67.4	5	-	1	22	-	8
Ht. 06: Gagen, Herne, Betts, Emerson, 67.0	4	-	2	26	-	10
Ht. 07: Herne, Turner, Koponen, Glover, 67.2	2	-	4	28	-	14
Ht. 08: Gagen, Greer, Spiers, Jensen, 67.2	4	-	2	32	-	16
Ht. 09: (rerun) Lee, Greer, Glover, Herne (exc), Hellsen (f, ns), 67.4	4	-	2	36	-	18
Ht. 10: Betts, Gagen, Koponen, Jensen, 67.4	5	-	1	41	-	19
Ht. 11: Turner, Wilson, Spiers, Greer, 67.4	4	-	2	45	-	21
Ht. 12: Betts, Herne, Spiers, Koponen, 67.2	4	-	2	49	-	23
Ht. 13: Lee, Turner, Koponen, Wilson, 67.4	5	-	1	54	-	24

Birmingham Brummies v Poole Pirates Monday 17th April 1978 (Speedway Star Knock-out Cup 1st Round, 2nd Leg)

Birmingham Brummies 37

1. Ray Wilson	3	2*	3	1	1*
2. Bengt Jansson R/R					
3. Phil Herne	2	3	1	2	1*
4. Ari Koponen	0	0	2*	2	
5. Richard Greer	1	3	1	3	2
6. Finn Jensen	2	0	0		
7. Alan Emerson	1*	1	0	0	
8. Andy Grahame	<i>Did not ride</i>				

TOT BP

10	2
9	1
4	1
10	0
2	0
2	1

Poole Pirates 41

1. Malcolm Simmons	2	3	3	3	
2. Mike Curoso	0	2*	2	M	
3. Christer Sjosten	3	1	1	0	
4. Steve Finch (<i>guest</i>)	1*	3	3	0	
5. Neil Middleditch	2	2*	2*	3	
6. David Shields (<i>guest</i>)	0	0	N		
7. Kelvin Mullarkey	3	1	0	0	1

TOT BP

11	0
4	1
5	0
7	1
9	2
0	0
5	0

Ht. 01: Wilson, Simmons, Greer, Curoso, 61.7

4 - 2 4 - 2

Ht. 02: Mullarkey, Jensen, Emerson, Shields, 64.1

3 - 3 7 - 5

Ht. 03: Greer, Middleditch, Finch, Koponen, 62.5

3 - 3 10 - 8

Ht. 04: Sjosten, Herne, Mullarkey, Jensen, 62.6

2 - 4 12 - 12

Ht. 05: Simmons, Curoso, Greer, Koponen, 61.9

1 - 5 13 - 17

Ht. 06: Herne, Wilson, Sjosten, Shields, 62.9

5 - 1 18 - 18

Ht. 07: Finch, Middleditch, Herne, Jensen, 62.7

1 - 5 19 - 23

Ht. 08: Wilson, Curoso, Emerson, Mullarkey, 62.9

4 - 2 23 - 25

Ht. 09: Greer, Koponen, Sjosten, Mullarkey, 62.8

5 - 1 28 - 26

Ht. 10: Finch, Middleditch, Wilson, Emerson, 62.7

1 - 5 29 - 31

Ht. 11: Simmons, Herne, Mullarkey, Emerson, Curoso (exc, 2 mins), 62.2

2 - 4 31 - 35

Ht. 12: Middleditch, Koponen, Wilson, Sjosten, 63.1

3 - 3 34 - 38

Ht. 13: Simmons, Greer, Herne, Finch, 62.5

3 - 3 37 - 41

Poole win 89-67 on aggregate.

Birmingham: Midland Riders' Championship Semi-Final Monday 24th April 1978

						TOT	POS
1. Alan Emerson (<i>Birmingham</i>)	2	0	2	2	1	7	8th (<i>after RO</i>) <i>Qualified</i>
2. John Boulger (<i>Leicester</i>)	0	1	2	2	1	6	
3. Phil Herne (<i>Birmingham</i>)	3	2	3	2	3	13	2nd <i>Qualified</i>
4. Richard Greer (<i>Birmingham</i>)	1	3	3	3	2	12	3rd = <i>Qualified</i>
5. Ole Olsen (<i>Coventry</i>)	3	3	3	3	3	15	1st <i>Qualified</i>
6. Dave Morton (<i>Wolverhampton</i>)	2	2	X	N	2	6	
7. Alf Busk (<i>Coventry</i>)	1	0	0	3	3	7	9th (<i>after RO</i>) <i>Did not qualify</i>
8. Knud Ellegaard (<i>Wolverhampton</i>)	0	2	2	1	3	8	6th <i>Qualified</i>
9. Jiri Stancl (<i>Coventry</i>)	1	1	1	2	2	7	7th (<i>after RO</i>) <i>Qualified</i>
10. Bob Kilby (<i>Swindon</i>)	2	3	1	1	2	9	5th <i>Qualified</i>
11. Ray Wilson (<i>Leicester</i>)	3	3	3	3	FX	12	3rd = <i>Qualified</i>
12. Geoff Bouchard (<i>Swindon</i>)	0	1	1	1	1	4	
13. Ari Koponen (<i>Birmingham</i>)	2	2	2	0	0	6	
14. Jerzy Trzaskowski (<i>Swindon</i>)	0	0	0	0	1	1	
15. Hans Nielsen (<i>Wolverhampton</i>)	3	1	F	1	N	5	
16. Lars Ericson (<i>Leicester</i>)	1	0	N	0	0	1	
17. Finn Jensen (<i>Birmingham</i>) (<i>reserve</i>)	1	0				1	
18. Andy Grahame (<i>Birmingham</i>) (<i>reserve</i>)	0					0	

Ht. 01: Herne, Emerson, Greer, Boulger, 60.7 (NTR)

Ht. 02: Olsen, Morton, Busk, Ellegaard, 61.5

Ht. 03: Wilson, Kilby, Stancl, Bouchard, 61.4

Ht. 04: Nielsen, Koponen, Ericson, Trzaskowski, 61.5

Ht. 05: Olsen, Koponen, Stancl, Emerson, 61.9

Ht. 06: Kilby, Morton, Boulger, Trzaskowski, 62.0

Ht. 07: Wilson, Herne, Nielsen, Busk, 61.8

Ht. 08: Greer, Ellegaard, Bouchard, Ericson, 62.6

Ht. 09: Wilson, Emerson, Jensen, Morton (exc), 62.1

Ht. 10: Olsen, Boulger, Bouchard, Nielsen (fell), 61.9

Ht. 11: Herne, Ellegaard, Stancl, Trzaskowski, 62.2

Ht. 12: Greer, Koponen, Kilby, Busk, 61.7

Ht. 13: Busk, Emerson, Bouchard, Trzaskowski, 63.1

Ht. 14: Wilson, Boulger, Ellegaard, Koponen, 62.2

Ht. 15: Olsen, Herne, Kilby, Ericson, 62.0

Ht. 16: Greer, Stancl, Nielsen, Grahame, 62.5

Ht. 17: Ellegaard, Kilby, Emerson, Jensen, 62.7

Ht. 18: Busk, Stancl, Boulger, Ericson, 63.2

Ht. 19: Herne, Morton, Bouchard, Koponen, 62.6

Ht. 20: (rerun) Olsen, Greer, Trzaskowski, Wilson (f, exc), 62.4

Run Off: (for 7th & 8th qualifying place) Stancl, Emerson, Busk (fell), 63.6

Ipswich Witches v Birmingham Brummies Thursday 27th April 1978 (Gulf British League)

Ipswich Witches 48

					TOT	BP
1. Billy Sanders	2*	3	3	3	11	1
2. Kevin Jolly	3	1	2	0	6	0
3. Tony Davey	3	3	3	3	12	0
4. Ted Howgego	2*	1	2	1	6	1
5. John Louis	3	3	FX	2*	8	1
6. Mike Lanham	2	1	1	0	4	0
7. Colin Cook	1*	0	N		1	1

Birmingham Brummies 30

							TOT	BP
1. Ray Wilson	1	2	1	1*	1		6	1
2. Bengt Jansson R/R								
3. Phil Herne	2	2	3	3	2	2	14	0
4. Ari Koponen	0	0	0	1*	0		1	1
5. Richard Greer	0	1	0	2	2	0	5	0
6. Finn Jensen	0	TS	N				0	0
7. Alan Emerson	3	0	TS	1			4	0

Ht. 01: Jolly, Sanders, Wilson, Greer, 64.0

Ht. 02: Emerson, Lanham, Cook, Jensen, 65.4

Ht. 03: Louis, Howgego, Greer, Koponen, 64.8

Ht. 04: Davey, Herne, Lanham, Emerson, 63.8

Ht. 05: Louis, Wilson, Howgego, Koponen, 63.8

Ht. 06: Sanders, Herne, Jolly, Greer, 63.6

Ht. 07: Davey, Greer, Lanham, Koponen, 63.2

Ht. 08: Herne, Jolly, Wilson, Cook (f, rem), 64.2

Ht. 09: Herne, Howgego, Emerson, Louis (f, exc), 63.6

Ht. 10: Sanders, Greer, Koponen, Jolly, 63.6

Ht. 11: Davey, Herne, Wilson, Lanham, 63.8

Ht. 12: Sanders, Herne, Howgego, Greer, 63.8

Ht. 13: Davey, Louis, Wilson, Koponen, 64.0

5 - 1 5 - 1

3 - 3 8 - 4

5 - 1 13 - 5

4 - 2 17 - 7

4 - 2 21 - 9

4 - 2 25 - 11

4 - 2 29 - 13

2 - 4 31 - 17

2 - 4 33 - 21

3 - 3 36 - 24

3 - 3 39 - 27

4 - 2 43 - 29

5 - 1 48 - 30

Gulf British League Table

Up to and including Sunday 30th April

		Home						Away						Overall										
		P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS	P	W	D	L	F	A	DIFF	PTS	+/-
1	Coventry	5	5	0	0	235	154	10	2	1	0	1	69	87	2	7	6	0	1	322	223	99	12	+2
2	Halifax	5	5	0	0	257	133	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	0	0	257	133	124	10	0
3	Wimbledon	3	3	0	0	155	79	6	6	2	0	4	231	237	4	9	5	0	4	392	310	82	10	+4
4	Belle Vue	4	4	0	0	184	128	8	2	1	0	1	75	81	2	6	5	0	1	265	203	62	10	+2
5	Swindon	4	4	0	0	171	140	8	3	1	0	2	133	101	2	7	5	0	2	272	273	-1	10	+2
6	King's Lynn	2	2	0	0	101	55	4	1	1	0	0	34.5	43.5	2	3	3	0	0	144.5	89.5	55	6	+2
7	Cradley Heath	4	3	0	1	168.5	143.5	6	2	0	0	2	80	74	0	6	3	0	3	242.5	223.5	19	6	-2
8	White City	3	2	0	1	121	113	4	3	1	0	2	120	110	2	6	3	0	3	231	233	-2	6	0
9	Hull	1	1	0	0	48	30	2	1	1	0	0	38	40	2	2	2	0	0	88	68	20	4	+2
10	Hackney	3	2	0	1	121	110	4	3	0	0	3	123	111	0	6	2	0	4	232	233	-1	4	-2
11	Sheffield	2	2	0	0	86	70	4	3	0	0	3	146	88	0	5	2	0	3	174	216	-42	4	0
12	Reading	2	2	0	0	85	71	4	4	0	0	4	209	103	0	6	2	0	4	188	280	-92	4	0
13	Exeter	1	1	0	0	52	26	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	52	26	26	2	0
14	Ipswich	1	1	0	0	48	30	2	1	0	0	1	41	37	0	2	1	0	1	85	71	14	2	0
15	Bristol	1	1	0	0	49	29	2	4	0	0	4	175	136	0	5	1	0	4	185	204	-19	2	0
16	Birmingham	2	1	0	1	75	80	2	4	0	0	4	192	120	0	6	1	0	5	195	272	-77	2	-2
17	Wolverhampton	4	1	0	3	132	180	2	3	0	0	3	148	86	0	7	1	0	6	218	328	-110	2	-6
18	Leicester	2	1	0	1	71	84	2	5	0	0	5	245	145	0	7	1	0	6	216	329	-113	2	-2
19	Poole	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	100	56	0	2	0	0	2	56	100	-44	0	0

Birmingham Brummies v Bristol Bulldogs Monday 1st May 1978 (Gulf British League)

Meeting postponed - rain

Leicester Lions v Birmingham Brummies Tuesday 2nd May 1978 (Gulf British League)

Meeting postponed - rain

Birmingham Brummies v Hull Vikings Monday 8th May 1978 (Gulf British League)

Birmingham Brummies 40

1. Ray Wilson	3	2*	2*	1	3
2. Bengt Jansson R/R					
3. Phil Herne	3	3	3	2	1*
4. Alan Emerson	1*	0	0	N	
5. Richard Greer	1	2	2	2	2
6. Stuart Mountford	2	0	0		
7. Ari Koponen	1*	3	0	1*	0
8. Andy Grahame	<i>Did not ride</i>				

TOT BP

11	2
12	1
1	1
9	0
2	0
5	2

Hull Vikings 38

1. Ivan Mauger	2	3	3	E	3
2. Phil Kynman	0	1	0	N	
3. Graham Drury	1*	1	1	1*	
4. Joe Owen	X	1*	2*	0	
5. Bobby Beaton	3	2	3	2	
6. Kelly Moran	3	0	TS	3	
7. Frank Auffret	0	2	1	M	

TOT BP

11	0
1	0
4	2
3	2
10	0
6	0
3	0

Ht. 01: Wilson, Mauger, Greer, Kynman, 62.0

4 - 2 4 - 2

Ht. 02: Moran, Mountford, Koponen, Auffret, 63.3

3 - 3 7 - 5

Ht. 03: (rerun) Beaton, Greer, Emerson, Owen (exc, unfair riding), 61.7

3 - 3 10 - 8

Ht. 04: Herne, Auffret, Drury, Mountford, 62.0

3 - 3 13 - 11

Ht. 05: Mauger, Greer, Kynman, Emerson, 62.6

2 - 4 15 - 15

Ht. 06: (rerun) Herne, Wilson, Drury, Moran, 62.8

5 - 1 20 - 16

Ht. 07: Herne, Beaton, Owen, Mountford, 62.1

3 - 3 23 - 19

Ht. 08: Koponen, Wilson, Auffret, Kynman, 62.8

5 - 1 28 - 20

Ht. 09: Mauger, Greer, Drury, Emerson, 62.2

2 - 4 30 - 24

Ht. 10: Beaton, Owen, Wilson, Koponen, 62.0

1 - 5 31 - 29

Ht. 11: Moran, Herne, Koponen, Auffret (exc, 2 mins), Mauger (exc, delaying start), 62.5

3 - 3 34 - 32

Ht. 12: Wilson, Beaton, Drury, Koponen, 62.1

3 - 3 37 - 35

Ht. 13: Mauger, Greer, Herne, Owen, 62.5

3 - 3 40 - 38

Halifax Dukes v Birmingham Brummies Saturday 13th May 1978 (Gulf British League)

Halifax Dukes 41

							TOT	BP
1. Mike Lohmann	R	R	N	N			0	0
2. Chris Pusey	3	1	EF	2*			6	1
3. Eric Broadbelt	1	2	1	1			5	0
4. Ian Cartwright	2*	2	2	3			9	1
5. Mitch Graham	3	1*	1*	3			8	2
6. Mick McKeon	3	3	1*	3	2*		12	2
7. Klaus Lohmann	EF	1	0				1	0

Birmingham Brummies 37

							TOT	BP
1. Ray Wilson	1*	3	3	3	0		10	1
2. Bengt Jansson R/R								
3. Phil Herne	2	2	3	3	1		11	0
4. Alan Emerson	1	0	N	N			1	0
5. Richard Greer	0	0	3	1	2*	0	6	1
6. Mick Newton (guest)	1*	2*	0				3	2
7. Ari Koponen	2	0	2*	0	2		6	1
8. Bob Baker	Did not ride							

Ht. 01: Pusey, Herne, Wilson, M. Lohmann (ret), 66.4	3	-	3	3	-	3
Ht. 02: McKeon, Koponen, Newton, K. Lohmann (ef), 66.6	3	-	3	6	-	6
Ht. 03: Graham, Cartwright, Emerson, Greer, 66.0	5	-	1	11	-	7
Ht. 04: McKeon, Herne, Broadbelt, Koponen, 66.2	4	-	2	15	-	9
Ht. 05: Wilson, Cartwright, Graham, Greer, 67.2	3	-	3	18	-	12
Ht. 06: Herne, Newton, Pusey (ef - pushed), M. Lohmann (ret), 68.0	1	-	5	19	-	17
Ht. 07: Greer, Broadbelt, McKeon, Emerson, 68.0	3	-	3	22	-	20
Ht. 08: Wilson, Koponen, K. Lohmann, Pusey (ef), 69.4	1	-	5	23	-	25
Ht. 09: Herne, Cartwright, Graham, Newton, 66.0	3	-	3	26	-	28
Ht. 10: McKeon, Pusey, Greer, Koponen, 68.4	5	-	1	31	-	29
Ht. 11: Wilson, Greer, Broadbelt, K. Lohmann, 68.8	1	-	5	32	-	34
Ht. 12: Cartwright, McKeon, Herne, Greer, 68.2	5	-	1	37	-	35
Ht. 13: Graham, Koponen, Broadbelt, Wilson, 68.0	4	-	2	41	-	37

Birmingham: Volkswagen-Daily Mirror Grand Prix Qualifying Round/World Championship British Qualifying Round Monday 15th May 1978

						TOT	POS	GP PTS	WC PTS
1. Richard Greer (<i>Birmingham</i>)	0	2	3	2	1	8	7th	4	8
2. Bruce Cribb (<i>Cradley Heath</i>)	3	3	1	1	2	10	4th	7	
3. Mike Lanham (<i>Ipswich</i>)	2	1	2	3	3	11	3rd	8	11
4. Doug Wyer (<i>Sheffield</i>)	1	1	1	EF	3	6			6
5. Mitch Shirra (<i>Coventry</i>)	3	1	2	1	2	9	6th	5	
6. Alan Molyneux (<i>Coventry</i>)	2	2	X	2	0	6			6
7. Jim McMillan (<i>Wolverhampton</i>)	1	2	3	1	3	10	5th	6	10
8. John Boulger (<i>Leicester</i>)	0	0	1	2	2	5			
9. John Titman (<i>Leicester</i>)	2	3	3	3	1	12	2nd	9	
10. Phil Herne (<i>Birmingham</i>)	0	1	0	2	3	6	10th	1	
11. Paul Gachet (<i>White City</i>)	1	0	2	3	1	7	8th	3	7
12. Ray Wilson (<i>Birmingham</i>)	3	3	3	3	2	14	1st	10	14
13. Barry Thomas (<i>Hackney</i>)	3	0	2	0	1	6			6
14. Martin Ashby (<i>Swindon</i>)	0	0	0	0	0	0			0
15. Steve Lomas (<i>Wolverhampton</i>)	2	3	0	1	0	6	9th	2	6
16. Ari Koponen (<i>Birmingham</i>)	1	2	1	0	0	4			
17. Andy Grahame (<i>Birmingham</i>) (<i>reserve</i>)	<i>Did not ride</i>								
18. Stuart Mountford (<i>Birmingham</i>) (<i>reserve</i>)	<i>Did not ride</i>								

Ht. 01: Cribb, Lanham, Wyer, Greer, 62.0

Ht. 02: Shirra, Molyneux, McMillan, Boulger, 62.6

Ht. 03: Wilson, Titman, Gachet, Herne, 62.5

Ht. 04: Thomas, Lomas, Koponen, Ashby, 63.1

Ht. 05: Titman, Greer, Shirra, Thomas, 61.8

Ht. 06: Cribb, Molyneux, Herne, Ashby, 62.9

Ht. 07: Lomas, McMillan, Lanham, Gachet, 61.9

Ht. 08: Wilson, Koponen, Wyer, Boulger, 62.5

Ht. 09: Greer, Gachet, Koponen, Molyneux (exc), 62.4

Ht. 10: Wilson, Shirra, Cribb, Lomas, 62.3

Ht. 11: Titman, Lanham, Boulger, Ashby, 62.4

Ht. 12: McMillan, Thomas, Wyer, Herne, 62.3

Ht. 13: Wilson, Greer, McMillan, Ashby, 62.0

Ht. 14: Gachet, Boulger, Cribb, Thomas, 62.7

Ht. 15: Lanham, Herne, Shirra, Koponen, 62.5

Ht. 16: Titman, Molyneux, Lomas, Wyer (ef), 62.6

Ht. 17: Herne, Boulger, Greer, Lomas, 62.4

Ht. 18: McMillan, Cribb, Titman, Koponen, 62.4

Ht. 19: Lanham, Wilson, Thomas, Molyneux, 62.5

Ht. 20: Wyer, Shirra, Gachet, Ashby, 62.6

Birmingham Brummies v King's Lynn Stars Monday 22nd May 1978 (Gulf British League)

Birmingham Brummies 50

					TOT	BP
1. Ray Wilson	3	3	3	3	12	0
2. Alan Emerson	1	0	2*	2*	5	2
3. Phil Herne	3	3	3	3	12	0
4. Finn Jensen	2	1*	2*	2*	7	3
5. Richard Greer	1*	2	3	1	7	1
6. Stuart Mountford	0	0	N		0	0
7. Ari Koponen	2	2*	3	0	7	1

King's Lynn Stars 28

							TOT	BP
1. David Gagen	2	3	3	1	1*	2	12	1
2. Carl Glover	0	FX	1	0	TS		1	0
3. Ian Turner	2	2	1	1	2	1	9	0
4. Richard Hellsen	0	0	TS	0			0	0
5. Michael Lee R/R								
6. Billy Spiers	3	1*	0	0			4	1
7. Melvyn Taylor (<i>guest</i>)	1	1*	0				2	1

Ht. 01: Wilson, Gagen, Emerson, Glover, 63.3

4 - 2 4 - 2

Ht. 02: Spiers, Koponen, Taylor, Mountford, 63.4

2 - 4 6 - 6

Ht. 03: Gagen, Jensen, Greer, Hellsen, 63.1

3 - 3 9 - 9

Ht. 04: Herne, Turner, Taylor, Mountford, 63.5

3 - 3 12 - 12

Ht. 05: Gagen, Greer, Jensen, Glover (f, exc), 63.0

3 - 3 15 - 15

Ht. 06: Wilson, Turner, Spiers, Emerson, 62.9

3 - 3 18 - 18

Ht. 07: Herne, Koponen, Turner, Hellsen, 63.0

5 - 1 23 - 19

Ht. 08: Koponen, Emerson, Glover, Taylor, 63.3

5 - 1 28 - 20

Ht. 09: Greer, Jensen, Turner, Spiers, 63.0

5 - 1 33 - 21

Ht. 10: Wilson, Emerson, Gagen, Glover, 62.9

5 - 1 38 - 22

Ht. 11: Herne, Turner, Gagen, Koponen, 63.2

3 - 3 41 - 25

Ht. 12: Wilson, Jensen, Turner, Spiers, 62.6

5 - 1 46 - 26

Ht. 13: Herne, Gagen, Greer, Hellsen, 62.6

4 - 2 50 - 28

Stoke Potters v Birmingham Brummies Saturday 27th May 1978 (Inter-League Challenge)

Stoke Potters 32

1. John Harrhy	3	2	3	0	FX
2. Stuart Mountford	EF	1*	3	2	1
3. Tony Lomas	1	1	0	2*	
4. Tim Nunan	1	1	1*	TS	
5. Ian Gledhill	3	0	2	3	
6. Stewart Collin	1	0	TS		
7. Ian Robertson	EF	0	1		

TOT BP

8	0
7	1
4	1
3	1
8	0
1	0
1	0

Birmingham Brummies 46

1. Ray Wilson	2	2*	2*	0
2. Alan Emerson	1*	3	1*	3
3. Phil Herne	3	3	3	3
4. Andy Grahame	0	0	1	1
5. Richard Greer	2	2	3	2*
6. Robert Dole	3	0	0	
7. Ari Koponen	2*	2*	2	

TOT BP

6	2
8	2
12	0
2	0
9	1
3	0
6	2

Ht. 01: Harrhy, Wilson, Emerson, Mountford (ef), 67.8

Ht. 02: Dole, Koponen, Collin, Robertson (ef), 70.1

Ht. 03: Gledhill, Greer, Nunan, Grahame, 68.6

Ht. 04: Herne, Koponen, Lomas, Collin, 67.2

Ht. 05: Emerson, Wilson, Nunan, Gledhill, 68.6

Ht. 06: Herne, Harrhy, Mountford, Dole, 67.6

Ht. 07: Harrhy, Greer, Lomas, Grahame, 67.7

Ht. 08: Mountford, Koponen, Emerson, Robertson, 68.6

Ht. 09: Herne, Gledhill, Nunan, Dole, 67.9

Ht. 10: Greer, Mountford, Grahame, Harrhy, 68.0

Ht. 11: Emerson, Wilson, Robertson, Lomas, 68.9

Ht. 12: (rerun) Herne, Greer, Mountford, Harrhy (f, exc), 69.3

Ht. 13: Gledhill, Lomas, Grahame, Wilson, 68.7

3	-	3	3	-	3
1	-	5	4	-	8
4	-	2	8	-	10
1	-	5	9	-	15
1	-	5	10	-	20
3	-	3	13	-	23
4	-	2	17	-	25
3	-	3	20	-	28
3	-	3	23	-	31
2	-	4	25	-	35
1	-	5	26	-	40
1	-	5	27	-	45
5	-	1	32	-	46

Birmingham Brummies v Exeter Falcons Tuesday 30th May 1978 (Gulf British League)

Birmingham Brummies 45

1. Ray Wilson	3	2	3	3
2. Keith White (<i>guest</i>)	1	1*	3	1
3. Phil Herne	3	EF	3	2
4. Finn Jensen	2	1	0	N
5. Richard Greer	1*	3	1	1*
6. Alan Emerson	3	0	1	
7. Ari Koponen	2*	1	2*	2*

TOT BP

11	0
6	1
8	0
3	0
6	2
4	0
7	3

Exeter Falcons 33

1. Vaclav Verner	2	2	2*	1	0
2. Jan Verner	0	EF	0	0	
3. Reidar Eide	2	3	3	1	
4. Scott Autrey	3	3	2*	2	3
5. Mike Farrell	<i>Did not arrive</i>				
6. Ian Clark (<i>guest</i>)	0	0	N	TS	
7. Phil Collins (<i>guest</i>)	1	1*	0	2	0 0

TOT BP

7	1
0	0
9	0
13	1
0	0
4	1

Ht. 01: Wilson, V. Verner, White, J. Verner, 62.6

Ht. 02: Emerson, Koponen, Collins, Clark, 62.3

Ht. 03: Autrey, Jensen, Greer, Clark, 60.5 (NTR)

Ht. 04: Herne, Eide, Collins, Emerson, 61.1

Ht. 05: Greer, V. Verner, Jensen, J. Verner (ef), 62.4

Ht. 06: Eide, Wilson, White, Collins, 62.3

Ht. 07: Autrey, V. Verner, Emerson, Herne (ef), 61.7

Ht. 08: White, Collins, Koponen, J. Verner, 61.8

Ht. 09: Eide, Autrey, Greer, Jensen, 62.4

Ht. 10: Wilson, Autrey, White, Collins, 61.7

Ht. 11: Herne, Koponen, V. Verner, J. Verner, 62.2

Ht. 12: Wilson, Koponen, Eide, Collins, 63.4

Ht. 13: Autrey, Herne, Greer, V. Verner, 61.8

4	-	2	4	-	2
5	-	1	9	-	3
3	-	3	12	-	6
3	-	3	15	-	9
4	-	2	19	-	11
3	-	3	22	-	14
1	-	5	23	-	19
4	-	2	27	-	21
1	-	5	28	-	26
4	-	2	32	-	28
5	-	1	37	-	29
5	-	1	42	-	30
3	-	3	45	-	33

Gulf British League Table

Up to and including Wednesday 31st May

		Home						Away						Overall										
		P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS	P	W	D	L	F	A	DIFF	PTS	+/-
1	Belle Vue	7	7	0	0	320	226	14	6	4	0	2	227	241	8	13	11	0	2	561	453	108	22	+8
2	Coventry	7	7	0	0	329	216	14	4	2	0	2	136	176	4	11	9	0	2	505	352	153	18	+4
3	Halifax	8	8	0	0	389	234	16	5	0	1	4	231	159	1	13	8	1	4	548	465	83	17	+1
4	Wimbledon	4	4	0	0	196	116	8	10	4	0	6	395	385	8	14	8	0	6	581	511	70	16	+8
5	Cradley Heath	7	6	0	1	308	238	12	7	1	0	6	298	246	2	14	7	0	7	554	536	18	14	0
6	Swindon	7	5	1	1	277	268	11	4	1	0	3	186	126	2	11	6	1	4	403	454	-51	13	-1
7	Hull	5	5	0	0	237	152	10	3	1	0	2	125	109	2	8	6	0	2	346	277	69	12	+2
8	White City	6	3	0	3	234	234	6	7	2	1	4	285.5	255.5	5	13	5	1	7	489.5	519.5	-30	11	-1
9	Leicester	5	4	0	1	210	179	8	8	1	0	7	375	249	2	13	5	0	8	459	554	-95	10	0
10	Ipswich	4	4	0	0	195	117	8	2	0	0	2	82	74	0	6	4	0	2	269	199	70	8	0
11	Exeter	3	3	0	0	145	89	6	2	1	0	1	81	75	2	5	4	0	1	220	170	50	8	+2
12	King's Lynn	5	3	0	2	223	167	6	3	1	0	2	136.5	97.5	2	8	4	0	4	320.5	303.5	17	8	-2
13	Poole	4	3	0	1	168	144	6	3	1	0	2	138	96	2	7	4	0	3	264	282	-18	8	0
14	Bristol	4	3	0	1	177	134	6	7	1	0	6	308	236	2	11	4	0	7	413	442	-29	8	0
15	Birmingham	5	4	0	1	210	179	8	5	0	0	5	233	157	0	10	4	0	6	367	412	-45	8	-2
16	Sheffield	4	3	1	0	171	141	7	4	0	0	4	196	116	0	8	3	1	4	287	337	-50	7	-1
17	Hackney	5	2	0	3	197	190	4	4	0	0	4	171	140	0	9	2	0	7	337	361	-24	4	-6
18	Reading	4	2	0	2	157	154	4	7	0	0	7	341	204	0	11	2	0	9	361	495	-134	4	-4
19	Wolverhampton	5	1	0	4	170	219	2	8	0	0	8	368	255	0	13	1	0	12	425	587	-162	2	-8

Swindon Robins v Birmingham Brummies Saturday 3rd June 1978 (Gulf British League)

Swindon Robins 44

					TOT	BP
1. Martin Ashby	3	2	2*	3	10	1
2. Geoff Bouchard	2*	1*	2	3	8	2
3. Bob Kilby	3	3	3	3	12	0
4. David Ashby	2*	0	0	0	2	1
5. Dave Morton (<i>guest</i>)	3	2	3	2*	10	1
6. Robert Henry	0	0	N		0	0
7. Malcolm Holloway	2	0	0	0	2	0

Birmingham Brummies 34

						TOT	BP
1. Ray Wilson	0	3	2	0		5	0
2. Richard Greer	1	1	3	1*	2	8	1
3. Phil Herne	2	0	1*	1*		4	2
4. Finn Jensen	1	N	1	N		2	0
5. Bengt Jansson	EF	1*	0	TS		1	1
6. Phil Collins (<i>guest</i>)	3	3	2	2	1	11	0
7. Alan Emerson	1	1*	1			3	1

Ht. 01: M. Ashby, Bouchard, Greer, Wilson, 69.1

5 - 1 5 - 1

Ht. 02: Collins, Holloway, Emerson, Henry, 69.5

2 - 4 7 - 5

Ht. 03: Morton, D. Ashby, Jensen, Jansson (ef), 70.5

5 - 1 12 - 6

Ht. 04: Kilby, Herne, Emerson, Henry, 69.5

3 - 3 15 - 9

Ht. 05: Wilson, Morton, Greer, D. Ashby, 70.7

2 - 4 17 - 13

Ht. 06: Collins, M. Ashby, Bouchard, Herne, 70.0

3 - 3 20 - 16

Ht. 07: Kilby, Collins, Jansson, Holloway, 69.4

3 - 3 23 - 19

Ht. 08: Greer, Bouchard, Emerson, Holloway, 70.0

2 - 4 25 - 23

Ht. 09: Morton, Collins, Herne, D. Ashby, 70.0

3 - 3 28 - 26

Ht. 10: Bouchard, M. Ashby, Jensen, Jansson, 71.0

5 - 1 33 - 27

Ht. 11: Kilby, Wilson, Greer, Holloway, 70.1

3 - 3 36 - 30

Ht. 12: M. Ashby, Greer, Herne, D. Ashby, 70.6

3 - 3 39 - 33

Ht. 13: Kilby, Morton, Collins, Wilson, *no time reported*

5 - 1 44 - 34

Birmingham Brummies v Bristol Bulldogs Monday 5th June 1978 (Gulf British League)

Birmingham Brummies 46

					TOT	BP
1. Ray Wilson	3	3	3	3	12	0
2. Alan Emerson	1	1	0	1	3	0
3. Phil Herne	2	3	3	3	11	0
4. Bengt Jansson	0	1	1	0	2	0
5. Richard Greer	3	3	3	0	9	0
6. Finn Jensen	3	1*	0		4	1
7. Trevor Geer (<i>guest</i>)	2*	2	1		5	1

Bristol Bulldogs 32

						TOT	BP
1. Phil Crump	2	2	3	2	2	11	0
2. Henny Kroeze	0	0	1	0		1	0
3. Steve Gresham	3	2	2	1*	1*	9	2
4. Bob Coles	1*	2	0	TS		3	1
5. Nigel Boocock	2	1*	2	2		7	1
6. Robert Dole (<i>loanee</i>)	M	0	0			0	0
7. Paul Tyrer	1	0	TS			1	0

Ht. 01: Wilson, Crump, Emerson, Kroeze, 61.7

Ht. 02: Jensen, Geer, Tyrer, Dole (exc, 2 mins), (3 only) 62.0

Ht. 03: Greer, Boocock, Coles, Jansson, 62.4

Ht. 04: Gresham, Herne, Jensen, Tyrer, 61.6

Ht. 05: Greer, Crump, Jansson, Kroeze, 62.3

Ht. 06: Wilson, Gresham, Emerson, Dole, 62.1

Ht. 07: Herne, Coles, Boocock, Jensen, 62.0

Ht. 08: Crump, Geer, Kroeze, Emerson, 63.6

Ht. 09: Greer, Gresham, Jansson, Dole, 63.0

Ht. 10: Wilson, Boocock, Emerson, Coles, 63.2

Ht. 11: Herne, Crump, Geer, Kroeze, 62.3

Ht. 12: Wilson, Boocock, Gresham, Jansson, 63.2

Ht. 13: Herne, Crump, Gresham, Greer, 63.2

4 - 2 4 - 2

5 - 1 9 - 3

3 - 3 12 - 6

3 - 3 15 - 9

4 - 2 19 - 11

4 - 2 23 - 13

3 - 3 26 - 16

2 - 4 28 - 20

4 - 2 32 - 22

4 - 2 36 - 24

4 - 2 40 - 26

3 - 3 43 - 29

3 - 3 46 - 32

Birmingham Brummies v Belle Vue Aces Monday 12th June 1978 (Gulf British League)

Birmingham Brummies 37

1. Ray Wilson	3	2	0	3
2. Bengt Jansson	0	1*	2*	1
3. Phil Herne	2	1	1*	N
4. Ari Koponen	1*	1	0	N
5. Richard Greer	2	3	2	2 3
6. Finn Jensen	M	0	N	0
7. Alan Emerson	3	0	3	TS 1

TOT BP

8	0
4	2
4	1
2	1
12	0
0	0
7	0

Belle Vue Aces 41

1. Peter Collins	2	2	3	2
2. Chris Turner	1*	0	1	0
3. Chris Morton	3	3	3	2
4. Alan Wilkinson	EF	2*	3	0
5. Les Collins	3	3	2*	1*
6. Jim Brett	1*	FX	1	
7. Robert Maxfield	2	1	0	

TOT BP

9	0
2	1
11	0
5	1
9	2
2	1
3	0

Ht. 01: Wilson, P. Collins, Turner, Jansson, 60.0 (NTR)

3 - 3 3 - 3

Ht. 02: Emerson, Maxfield, Brett, Jensen (exc, 2 mins), 62.4

3 - 3 6 - 6

Ht. 03: L. Collins, Greer, Koponen, Wilkinson (ef), 61.7

3 - 3 9 - 9

Ht. 04: Morton, Herne, Maxfield, Jensen, 61.1

2 - 4 11 - 13

Ht. 05: Greer, P. Collins, Koponen, Turner, 61.4

4 - 2 15 - 15

Ht. 06: (rerun) Morton, Wilson, Jansson, Brett (f, exc), 61.0

3 - 3 18 - 18

Ht. 07: L. Collins, Wilkinson, Herne, Emerson, 62.4

1 - 5 19 - 23

Ht. 08: (rerun) Emerson, Jansson, Turner, Maxfield, 63.5

5 - 1 24 - 24

Ht. 09: Morton, Greer, Brett, Koponen, 62.0

2 - 4 26 - 28

Ht. 10: Wilkinson, L. Collins, Jansson, Wilson, 62.6

1 - 5 27 - 33

Ht. 11: P. Collins, Greer, Herne, Turner, 62.9

3 - 3 30 - 36

Ht. 12: Wilson, Morton, L. Collins, Jensen, 62.0

3 - 3 33 - 39

Ht. 13: Greer, P. Collins, Emerson, Wilkinson, 62.4

4 - 2 37 - 41

Birmingham Brummies v Wolverhampton Wolves Monday 26th June 1978 (Trustee Savings Bank Midland Cup 1st Round, 1st Leg)

Birmingham Brummies 30

									TOT	BP
1. Ray Wilson	FX	EF	1*	1	0				2	1
2. Bengt Jansson	2	2	2	3	1				10	0
3. Phil Herne R/R										
4. Ari Koponen	FN	N	NS	N					0	0
5. Richard Greer	FN	N	N	N					0	0
6. Finn Jensen	3	3	1	0	2	1			10	0
7. Alan Emerson	1	1	3	0	2	NS	1		8	0
8. Andy Grahame	0	0							0	0

Wolverhampton Wolves 47

									TOT	BP
1. Dave Morton	M	2	3	3					8	0
2. Edgar Stangeland	EF	1*	3	2*					6	2
3. Hans Nielsen	3	3	3	3					12	0
4. Jim McMillan	2	3	EF	2*					7	1
5. Knud Ellegaard	0	1	2	2*					5	1
6. Brian Woodward	2	0	1						3	0
7. Hasse Danielsson	3	0	2*	1					6	1

Ht. 01: (rerun) Danielsson, Jansson, Stangeland (ef), Wilson (f, exc), Morton (exc, 2 mins), 64.2	2	-	3	2	-	3
Ht. 02: Jensen, Woodward, Emerson, Danielsson, 62.8	4	-	2	6	-	5
Ht. 03: (rerun) Jensen, McMillan, Emerson, Ellegaard, Greer (f, ns), Koponen (f, ns), 62.4	4	-	2	10	-	7
Ht. 04: Nielsen, Danielsson, Jensen, Wilson (ef), 61.8	1	-	5	11	-	12
Ht. 05: Emerson, Morton, Stangeland, Jensen, 62.4	3	-	3	14	-	15
Ht. 06: Nielsen, Jansson, Wilson, Woodward, 61.6	3	-	3	17	-	18
Ht. 07: McMillan, Jensen, Ellegaard, Grahame, 61.8	2	-	4	19	-	22
Ht. 08: Stangeland, Jansson, Danielsson, Emerson, 64.0	2	-	4	21	-	26
Ht. 09: Nielsen, Emerson, Woodward, Koponen (ns), (3 only) 61.2	2	-	4	23	-	30
Ht. 10: Jansson, Ellegaard, Wilson, McMillan (ef), 63.2	4	-	2	27	-	32
Ht. 11: Morton, Stangeland, Jansson (f, rem), Emerson (ns), (3 only) 62.4	1	-	5	28	-	37
Ht. 12: Nielsen, Ellegaard, Jensen, Wilson, 62.0	1	-	5	29	-	42
Ht. 13: Morton, McMillan, Emerson, Grahame, 62.6	1	-	5	30	-	47

Coventry: Strongbow Midland Match Series Wednesday 28th June 1978

Coventry Bees 28 + 3

TOT BP

1. Ole Olsen	3	1*	3	2*	9	2
2. Mick Bell	1	1*	1	3	6	1
3. Alf Busk	0	2	0	1*	3	1
4. Alan Molyneux	3	2	3	2	10	0
5. Frank Smith (<i>reserve</i>)	<i>Did not ride</i>					

Leicester Lions 16

TOT BP

1. John Boulger	M	R	1*	1	2	1
2. Ila Teromaa	0	1*	0	0	1	1
3. John Titman	2	R	2	3	7	0
4. Tom Godal	2	2	2	0	6	0
5. Jerzy Rembas (<i>reserve</i>)	0				0	0

Birmingham Brummies 28 + 2

TOT BP

1. Martin Ashby	1*	3	0	2*	6	2
2. Bob Kilby	2	3	3	3	11	0
3. Geoff Bouchard	2	2*	1	1	6	1
4. Ari Koponen	1*	0	1	3	5	1
5. Finn Jensen (<i>reserve</i>)	<i>Did not ride</i>					

Cradley Heath Heathens 23

TOT BP

1. Steve Bastable	1	0	2*	1	4	1
2. Pekka Hautamaki	0	0	F	N	0	0
3. Bruce Cribb	3	3	3	2	11	0
4. Alan Grahame	3	3	2	0	8	0
5. James Moore (<i>reserve</i>)	0				0	0

Ht. 01: Molyneux, Godal, Bell, Teromaa, 63.8

Ht. 02: Grahame, Kilby, Koponen, Hautamaki, 64.8

Ht. 03: Olsen, Bouchard, Ashby, Busk, 63.2

Ht. 04: Cribb, Titman, Bastable, Rembas, Boulger (exc, 2 mins), 65.0

Ht. 05: Kilby, Molyneux, Bell, Koponen, 62.2

Ht. 06: Grahame, Godal, Teromaa, Hautamaki, 65.4

Ht. 07: Cribb, Busk, Olsen, Bastable, 66.0

Ht. 08: Ashby, Bouchard, Boulger (ret), Titman (ret), 65.4

Ht. 09: Molyneux, Grahame, Bell, Hautamaki (fell), 66.0

Ht. 10: Kilby, Godal, Koponen, Teromaa, 65.4

Ht. 11: Olsen, Titman, Boulger, Busk, 65.8

Ht. 12: Cribb, Bastable, Bouchard, Ashby, 66.0

Ht. 13: Titman, Molyneux, Busk, Godal, 66.4

Ht. 14: Koponen, Cribb, Bouchard, Grahame, 66.0

Ht. 15: Kilby, Ashby, Bastable, Moore, 66.0

Ht. 16: Bell, Olsen, Boulger, Teromaa, 67.0

Run Off: (for match winners) Olsen, Kilby, 66.0

Co	Le	Ci	Cr
4	2		
		3	3
3		3	
	2		4
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	3		3
3			3
	0	5	
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	2	4	
3	3		
		1	5
3	3		
		4	2
		5	1
5	1		

Co	Le	Ci	Cr
4	2		
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7	2	6	3
7	4	6	7
10	4	9	7
10	7	9	10
13	7	9	13
13	7	14	13
17	7	14	15
17	9	18	15
20	12	18	15
20	12	19	20
23	15	19	20
23	15	23	22
23	15	28	23
28	16	28	23

Wolverhampton Wolves v Birmingham Brummies Friday 30th June 1978 (Trustee Savings Bank Midland Cup 1st Round, 2nd Leg)

Wolverhampton Wolves 38

1. Dave Morton	1	3	F	3	
2. Edgar Stangeland	0	0	0	N	
3. Hans Nielsen	3	3	3	1	
4. Jim McMillan	3	2	2	2*	
5. Knud Ellegaard	1	0	1*	N	
6. Brian Woodward	3	F	0		
7. Hasse Danielsson	2*	3	2	0	0

TOT BP

7	0
0	0
10	0
9	1
2	1
3	0
7	1

Birmingham Brummies 40

1. Bob Kilby (<i>guest</i>)	3	2	3	1*	3
2. Bengt Jansson	2*	1	1*	3	2
3. Phil Herne R/R					
4. Ari Koponen	0	2	M	1	2*
5. Richard Greer	2	2	1*	3	0
6. Finn Jensen	1	1*	0		
7. Alan Emerson	0	1*	2	1	
8. Mark Stokes (<i>loanee</i>)	<i>Did not ride</i>				

TOT BP

12	1
9	2
5	1
8	1
2	1
4	1

Ht. 01: Kilby, Jansson, Morton, Stangeland, 63.8

1 - 5 1 - 5

Ht. 02: Woodward, Danielsson, Jensen, Emerson, 64.8

5 - 1 6 - 6

Ht. 03: McMillan, Greer, Ellegaard, Koponen, 63.6

4 - 2 10 - 8

Ht. 04: Nielsen, Kilby, Emerson, Woodward (fell), 63.2

3 - 3 13 - 11

Ht. 05: Kilby, McMillan, Jansson, Ellegaard, 64.0

2 - 4 15 - 15

Ht. 06: Morton, Greer, Jensen, Stangeland, 64.0

3 - 3 18 - 18

Ht. 07: Nielsen, Koponen, Greer, Woodward, 63.0

3 - 3 21 - 21

Ht. 08: Danielsson, Emerson, Jansson, Stangeland, 64.4

3 - 3 24 - 24

Ht. 09: Jansson, McMillan, Ellegaard, Jensen, 64.3

3 - 3 27 - 27

Ht. 10: Greer, Danielsson, Emerson, Morton (fell), Koponen (exc, 2 mins), 65.4

2 - 4 29 - 31

Ht. 11: Nielsen, Jansson, Kilby, Danielsson, 64.2

3 - 3 32 - 34

Ht. 12: Morton, McMillan, Koponen, Greer, 64.6

5 - 1 37 - 35

Ht. 13: Kilby, Koponen, Nielsen, Danielsson, 64.2

1 - 5 38 - 40

Wolverhampton win 85-70 on aggregate.

Gulf British League Table

Up to and including Friday 30th June

		Home						Away						Overall										
		P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS	P	W	D	L	F	A	DIFF	PTS	+/-
1	Belle Vue	8	8	0	0	371	253	16	8	6	0	2	302	322	12	16	14	0	2	693	555	138	28	+12
2	Wimbledon	8	8	0	0	384	236	16	13	5	0	8	531	483	10	21	13	0	8	867	767	100	26	+10
3	Coventry	9	9	0	0	426	275	18	6	3	0	3	228	239	6	15	12	0	3	665	503	162	24	+6
4	Cradley Heath	10	9	0	1	445	335	18	8	1	0	7	342	279	2	18	10	0	8	724	677	47	20	0
5	Hull	8	8	0	0	394	228	16	6	1	1	4	254	213	3	14	9	1	4	607	482	125	19	+3
6	Halifax	10	8	1	1	465	314	17	6	0	1	5	278	189	1	16	8	2	6	654	592	62	18	-2
7	Swindon	10	7	2	1	400	379	16	5	1	0	4	237	153	2	15	8	2	5	553	616	-63	18	-2
8	Ipswich	7	7	0	0	339	207	14	5	0	1	4	221	169	1	12	7	1	4	508	428	80	15	+1
9	Exeter	6	6	0	0	295	172	12	3	1	0	2	122	111	2	9	7	0	2	406	294	112	14	+2
10	Sheffield	7	6	1	0	300	245	13	6	0	1	5	277	191	1	13	6	2	5	491	522	-31	14	0
11	White City	7	4	0	3	280	266	8	7	2	1	4	285.5	255.5	5	14	6	1	7	535.5	551.5	-16	13	-1
12	Poole	6	5	0	1	252	215	10	5	1	0	4	223	167	2	11	6	0	5	419	438	-19	12	0
13	Leicester	7	5	0	2	288	256	10	9	1	0	8	415	287	2	16	6	0	10	575	671	-96	12	-2
14	King's Lynn	6	4	0	2	278	190	8	7	1	0	6	317.5	226.5	2	13	5	0	8	504.5	507.5	-3	10	-2
15	Birmingham	7	5	0	2	293	252	10	6	0	0	6	277	191	0	13	5	0	8	484	529	-45	10	-4
16	Bristol	5	4	0	1	217	172	8	11	1	0	10	502	353	2	16	5	0	11	570	674	-104	10	0
17	Hackney	7	4	0	3	288	255	8	9	0	0	9	428	272	0	16	4	0	12	560	683	-123	8	-6
18	Reading	6	3	1	2	238	229	7	10	0	0	10	466	313	0	16	3	1	12	551	695	-144	7	-5
19	Wolverhampton	6	1	0	5	208	259	2	10	0	0	10	455	324	0	16	1	0	15	532	714	-182	2	-10

Birmingham Brummies v Ipswich Witches Saturday 1st July 1978 (Gulf British League)

This match was originally scheduled to take place on Monday 19th June. Birmingham were advised that due to extensive work being carried out at Perry Barr, the stadium would be without electricity from 17th to 24th June. Application was made to the B.S.P.A. to restage the match on Saturday 1st July with an experimental 3.00pm start time which would avoid any clashes with local fixtures scheduled for that day.

The B.S.P.A. sanctioned the match but almost immediately received a protest from Cradley Heath, who raised concerns over the potential impact on the attendance for their scheduled challenge match with Coventry. That protest was initially rejected but the Heathens appealed to the Speedway Control Board who ultimately found in their favour and the match was called off.

The Birmingham programme of Monday 26th June promotes the meeting in Joe Thurley's 'Birmingham Accent' column, but on the facing page an advert for the match carries a red flash across it that reads "Cancelled due to Cradley Heath objections."

Birmingham: The Skol Masters Trophy Monday 3rd July 1978

			TOT
1. Michael Lee (<i>King's Lynn</i>)	3	2	5
2. Nigel Boocock (<i>Bristol</i>)	1	1	2
3. Chris Morton (<i>Belle Vue</i>)	2	0	2
4. Ray Wilson (<i>Birmingham</i>)	0	2	2
5. Steve Bastable (<i>Cradley Heath</i>)	2	1	3
6. Reg Wilson (<i>Sheffield</i>)	1	0	1
7. Peter Collins (<i>Belle Vue</i>)	3	3	6
8. Ari Koponen (<i>Birmingham</i>)	0	0	0
9. Gordon Kennett (<i>White City</i>)	2	3	5
10. Bruce Penhall (<i>Cradley Heath</i>)	3	2	5
11. Tony Davey (<i>Ipswich</i>)	1	1	2
12. Malcolm Simmons (<i>Poole</i>)	0	3	3
13. Bruce Cribb (<i>Bristol</i>)	0	N	0
14. Ole Olsen (<i>Coventry</i>)	2	3	5
15. Edward Jancarz (<i>Wimbledon</i>)	3	2	5
16. Rudy Muts (<i>Wimbledon</i>)	1	1	2
17. Andy Grahame (<i>Birmingham</i>) (<i>reserve</i>)	0		0

Ht. 01: Lee, Morton, Boocock, Ray Wilson, 62.6

Ht. 02: Collins, Bastable, Reg Wilson, Koponen, 63.0

Ht. 03: Penhall, Kennett, Davey, Simmons, 61.4

Ht. 04: Jancarz, Olsen, Muts, Cribb, 62.0

Ht. 05: Kennett, Lee, Bastable, Grahame, 62.2

Ht. 06: Olsen, Penhall, Boocock, Reg Wilson, 62.0

Ht. 07: Collins, Jancarz, Davey, Morton, 62.6

Ht. 08: Simmons, Ray Wilson, Muts, Koponen, 62.4

Meeting abandoned after heat 8 - rain.

Birmingham: Golden Jubilee Four-Team Event Monday 10th July 1978

Birmingham Brummies 29 TOT

1. Ray Wilson	2	3	3	2	10
2. Phil Herne	3	2	1	1	7
3. Richard Greer	3	1	2	3	9
4. Bengt Jansson	0	2	0	N	2
5. Ari Koponen (<i>reserve</i>)	1				1

Coventry Bees 15 TOT

1. Ole Olsen	2	2	3	3	10
2. Jiri Stancl	0	1	0	0	1
3. Alan Molyneux	0	1	1	EF	2
4. Alf Busk	0	0	1	1	2
5. Andy Grahame (<i>loanee</i>) (<i>reserve</i>)	<i>Did not ride</i>				

Wimbledon Dons 33 TOT

1. Edward Jancarz	2	3	3	0	8
2. Larry Ross	3	3	3	3	12
3. Roger Johns	1	2	2	3	8
4. Rudy Muts	3	F	2	0	5
5. Finn Jensen (<i>loanee</i>) (<i>reserve</i>)	<i>Did not ride</i>				

White City Rebels 19 TOT

1. Gordon Kennett	2	3	2	1	8
2. Steve Weatherley	1	1	0	2	4
3. Kai Niemi	1	0	1	2	4
4. Trevor Geer	1	0	0	2	3
5. Alan Emerson (<i>loanee</i>) (<i>reserve</i>)	<i>Did not ride</i>				

Ht. 01: Muts, Olsen, Weatherley, Jansson, 61.4

Ht. 02: Greer, Kennett, Johns, Stancl, 62.0

Ht. 03: Herne, Jancarz, Niemi, Busk, 61.8

Ht. 04: Ross, Wilson, Geer, Molyneux, 62.3

Ht. 05: Jancarz, Jansson, Stancl, Geer, 61.8

Ht. 06: Ross, Olsen, Greer, Niemi, 61.9

Ht. 07: Kennett, Herne, Molyneux, Muts (fell), 62.0

Ht. 08: Wilson, Johns, Weatherley, Busk, 62.1

Ht. 09: Ross, Kennett, Busk, Jansson, 62.3

Ht. 10: Jancarz, Greer, Molyneux, Weatherley, 62.9

Ht. 11: Olsen, Johns, Herne, Geer, 61.8

Ht. 12: Wilson, Muts, Niemi, Stancl, 62.4

Ht. 13: Greer, Geer, Busk, Muts, 62.7

Ht. 14: Johns, Niemi, Koponen, Molyneux (ef), 62.4

Ht. 15: Ross, Weatherley, Herne, Stancl, 62.5

Ht. 16: Olsen, Wilson, Kennett, Jancarz, 62.0

Bi	Co	Wi	WC	Bi	Co	Wi	WC
0	-	2	-	3	-	2	-
3	-	0	-	6	-	2	-
3	-	0	-	8	-	2	-
2	-	0	-	10	-	3	-
2	-	1	-	11	-	5	-
1	-	2	-	13	-	6	-
2	-	1	-	16	-	6	-
3	-	0	-	16	-	7	-
0	-	1	-	18	-	8	-
2	-	1	-	19	-	11	-
1	-	3	-	22	-	11	-
3	-	0	-	25	-	12	-
3	-	1	-	26	-	12	-
1	-	0	-	27	-	12	-
1	-	0	-	29	-	15	-
2	-	3	-				

Wolverhampton: Midland Four Team Tournament Friday 14th July 1978

Coventry Bees 17

					TOT	BP
1. Ole Olsen	3	3	3	1	10	0
2. Jiri Stancl	1	2	2	0	5	0
3. Alf Busk	1	0	0	1	2	0
4. Alan Molyneux	0	EF	EF	N	0	0
5. Brian Woodward (<i>reserve</i>)	0				0	0

Cradley Heath Heathens 31

					TOT	BP
1. Steve Bastable	1	3	2	2*	8	1
2. Bruce Penhall	3	1*	3	3	10	1
3. Alan Grahame	0	1	1*	2*	4	2
4. Kristian Praestbro	2*	2	2*	3	9	2
5. Hasse Danielsson (<i>loanee</i>) (<i>reserve</i>)	<i>Did not ride</i>					

Birmingham Brummies 13

					TOT	BP
1. Phil Herne	2	2	1	1	6	0
2. Richard Greer	0	3	1	EF	4	0
3. Ari Koponen	0	0	0	1	1	0
4. Bengt Jansson	1	1	0	EF	2	0
5. Edgar Stangeland (<i>loanee</i>) (<i>reserve</i>)	<i>Did not ride</i>					

Wolverhampton Wolves 35

					TOT	BP
1. Dave Morton	3	1*	2*	2*	8	3
2. Hans Nielsen	2*	3	3	3	11	1
3. Jim McMillan	2*	2	3	2*	9	2
4. Knud Ellegaard	3	0	1	3	7	0
5. Mark Stokes (<i>loanee</i>) (<i>reserve</i>)	<i>Did not ride</i>					

Ht. 01: Penhall, Praestbro, Stancl, Molyneux, 64.0

Ht. 02: Ellegaard, Nielsen, Jansson, Greer, 65.3

Ht. 03: Olsen, Herne, Busk, Koponen, 63.0

Ht. 04: Morton, McMillan, Bastable, Grahame, 64.6

Ht. 05: Greer, Stancl, Jansson, Molyneux (ef), 64.5

Ht. 06: Nielsen, Praestbro, Penhall, Ellegaard, 63.6

Ht. 07: Olsen, McMillan, Morton, Busk, 63.2

Ht. 08: Bastable, Herne, Grahame, Koponen, 64.2

Ht. 09: Nielsen, Stancl, Ellegaard, Molyneux (ef), 64.2

Ht. 10: Penhall, Praestbro, Greer, Jansson, 64.4

Ht. 11: Olsen, Bastable, Grahame, Busk, 63.6

Ht. 12: McMillan, Morton, Herne, Koponen, 65.2

Ht. 13: Praestbro, Grahame, Busk, Woodward, 64.8

Ht. 14: Ellegaard, McMillan, Koponen, Jansson (ef), 65.9

Ht. 15: Nielsen, Morton, Herne, Greer (ef), 64.5

Ht. 16: Penhall, Bastable, Olsen, Stancl, 64.4

Note: This match was the second half of Wolverhampton's Festival of Speedway meeting.

Co	Cr	Bi	Wo
1	5		
		1	5
4		2	
	1		5
2		4	
	3		3
3			3
	4	2	
2			4
	5	1	
3	3		
		1	5
1	5		
		1	5
		1	5
1	5		

Co	Cr	Bi	Wo
1	5		
1	5	1	5
5	5	3	5
5	6	3	10
7	6	7	10
7	9	7	13
10	9	7	16
10	13	9	16
12	13	9	20
12	18	10	20
15	21	10	20
15	21	11	25
16	26	11	25
16	26	12	30
16	26	13	35
17	31	13	35

Birmingham Brummies v Ipswich Witches Monday 17th July 1978 (Gulf British League)

Birmingham Brummies 30

1. Ray Wilson	3	1*	X	2	X
2. Bengt Jansson	0	TS	2	0	
3. Phil Herne	2	2	2	3	2
4. Ari Koponen	0	2	0	1	
5. Richard Greer	1	1*	2	1*	
6. Andy Grahame	0	0	N		
7. Alan Emerson	2	0	TS	1	

TOT BP

6	1
2	0
11	0
3	0
5	2
0	0
3	0

Ipswich Witches 48

1. Billy Sanders	1*	3	2	3
2. Kevin Jolly	2	X	3	X
3. Tony Davey	3	3	3	3
4. Ted Howgego	2*	1	1	0
5. John Louis	3	3	3	2*
6. Mike Lanham	3	0	1	
7. Colin Cook	1	1	1	

TOT BP

9	1
5	0
12	0
4	1
11	1
4	0
3	0

Ht. 01: Wilson, Jolly, Sanders, Jansson, 61.8

3 - 3 3 - 3

Ht. 02: Lanham, Emerson, Cook, Grahame, 63.4

2 - 4 5 - 7

Ht. 03: Louis, Howgego, Greer, Koponen, 63.6

1 - 5 6 - 12

Ht. 04: Davey, Herne, Cook, Grahame, 62.8

2 - 4 8 - 16

Ht. 05: Sanders, Koponen, Greer, Jolly (exc), 62.4

3 - 3 11 - 19

Ht. 06: Davey, Herne, Wilson, Lanham, 62.4

3 - 3 14 - 22

Ht. 07: Louis, Herne, Howgego, Emerson, 62.8

2 - 4 16 - 26

Ht. 08: Jolly, Jansson, Cook, Wilson (exc), 63.2

2 - 4 18 - 30

Ht. 09: Davey, Greer, Lanham, Koponen, 63.0

2 - 4 20 - 34

Ht. 10: Louis, Wilson, Howgego, Jansson, 63.0

2 - 4 22 - 38

Ht. 11: Herne, Sanders, Emerson, Jolly (exc), 63.2

4 - 2 26 - 40

Ht. 12: Davey, Louis, Koponen, Wilson (exc), 63.4

1 - 5 27 - 45

Ht. 13: Sanders, Herne, Greer, Howgego, 63.2

3 - 3 30 - 48

Birmingham: England v Australasia (Second Durex Test) Monday 24th July 1978

England 59

							TOT	BP
1. Malcolm Simmons	0	3	3	2*	2	2	12	1
2. Steve Bastable	1	0	N	N	N	N	1	0
3. Michael Lee	2*	3	2	2	3	3	15	1
4. Gordon Kennett	3	2*	1*	1*	2*	0	9	4
5. Peter Collins	3	1	2	0	N	1	7	0
6. Dave Morton	1	3	0	1	3	0	8	0
7. Tony Davey (<i>reserve</i>)	2*	3	0				5	1
8. Chris Morton (<i>reserve</i>)	1	1*					2	1

Australasia 49

							TOT	BP
1. Ivan Mauger	2*	0	1	E	FX	N	3	1
2. Larry Ross	3	1	3	1	1	2*	11	1
3. Phil Crump	0	2	1	3	2	3	11	0
4. Phil Herne	1	0	0	N	N	N	1	0
5. Billy Sanders	2	1*	3	2*	1	2	11	2
6. John Titman	0	2	0	3	3	1*	9	1
7. Bruce Cribb (<i>reserve</i>)	0	3	X				3	0
8. John Boulger (<i>reserve</i>)	0	0					0	0

Ht. 01: Ross, Mauger, Bastable, Simmons, 61.2	1 - 5	1 - 5
Ht. 02: Kennett, Lee, Herne, Crump, 61.8	5 - 1	6 - 6
Ht. 03: Collins, Sanders, D. Morton, Titman, 62.2	4 - 2	10 - 8
Ht. 04: Lee, Kennett, Ross, Mauger, 60.6	5 - 1	15 - 9
Ht. 05: D. Morton, Crump, Collins, Herne, 62.6	4 - 2	19 - 11
Ht. 06: Simmons, Titman, Sanders, Bastable, 62.8	3 - 3	22 - 14
Ht. 07: Ross, Collins, Mauger, D. Morton, 62.2	2 - 4	24 - 18
Ht. 08: Simmons, Davey, Crump, Herne, 62.8	5 - 1	29 - 19
Ht. 09: Sanders, Lee, Kennett, Titman, 63.1	3 - 3	32 - 22
Ht. 10: Davey, Simmons, Ross, Cribb, Mauger (exc, tapes), 62.9	5 - 1	37 - 23
Ht. 11: Crump, Lee, Kennett, Boulger, 62.7	3 - 3	40 - 26
Ht. 12: Titman, Sanders, D. Morton, Collins, 63.8	1 - 5	41 - 31
Ht. 13: Lee, Kennett, Ross, Mauger (f, exc), 61.5	5 - 1	46 - 32
Ht. 14: D. Morton, Crump, C. Morton, Boulger, 62.7	4 - 2	50 - 34
Ht. 15: Titman, Simmons, Sanders, Davey, 62.2	2 - 4	52 - 38
Ht. 16: Cribb, Ross, Collins, D. Morton, 63.1	1 - 5	53 - 43
Ht. 17: Crump, Simmons, C. Morton, Cribb (exc), 62.7	3 - 3	56 - 46
Ht. 18: Lee, Sanders, Titman, Kennett, 61.8	3 - 3	59 - 49

Series score (after Test 2 of 5): England 1-1 Australasia

Wimbledon Dons v Birmingham Brummies Thursday 27th July 1978 (Gulf British League)

Wimbledon Dons 61

1. Larry Ross	3	3	3	3	3	TOT	BP
2. Edward Jancarz R/R						15	0
3. Mick Hines	3	2*	3	3	2	13	1
4. Roger Johns	2*	2*	3	3	2*	12	3
5. Colin Richardson	3	2*	2*	R	M	7	2
6. Rudy Muts	3	2*	2*	1*		8	3
7. Stefan Salomonsson	2*	2*	2*			6	3
8. Ian Williams	Did not ride						

Birmingham Brummies 17

1. Ray Wilson	0	EF	0	3		TOT	BP
2. Bengt Jansson	1	1	TS	1	1	3	0
3. Phil Herne	EF	1	TS	TS		4	0
4. Richard Greer	1	FX	1	2	0	1	0
5. Ari Koponen	0	1	1	1*	0	4	0
6. Finn Jensen	0	0	N			3	1
7. Alan Emerson	1	1	0	0		0	0
						2	0

Ht. 01: Ross, Johns, Jansson, Wilson, 59.9

5 - 1 5 - 1

Ht. 02: Muts, Salomonsson, Emerson, Jensen, 61.9

5 - 1 10 - 2

Ht. 03: Richardson, Johns, Greer, Koponen, 62.3

5 - 1 15 - 3

Ht. 04: Hines, Muts, Emerson, Herne (ef), 62.3

5 - 1 20 - 4

Ht. 05: Johns, Richardson, Jansson, Wilson (ef), 61.7

5 - 1 25 - 5

Ht. 06: Ross, Hines, Herne, Jensen, 61.6

5 - 1 30 - 6

Ht. 07: Hines, Muts, Koponen, Greer (f, exc), 63.5

5 - 1 35 - 7

Ht. 08: Ross, Salomonsson, Koponen, Emerson, 63.0

5 - 1 40 - 8

Ht. 09: Johns, Richardson, Greer, Emerson, 63.0

5 - 1 45 - 9

Ht. 10: Ross, Greer, Koponen, Richardson (ret), 61.5

3 - 3 48 - 12

Ht. 11: Hines, Salomonsson, Jansson, Wilson, 62.8

5 - 1 53 - 13

Ht. 12: Ross, Johns, Jansson, Koponen, 61.0

5 - 1 58 - 14

Ht. 13: Wilson, Hines, Muts, Greer, Richardson (exc, 2 mins), 62.5

3 - 3 61 - 17

Birmingham: Express & Star Triangular Trophy, 1st Leg Monday 31st July 1978

Birmingham v Cradley Heath v Wolverhampton

Meeting postponed - rain

Gulf British League Table

Up to and including Monday 31st July

		Home						Away						Overall										
		P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS	P	W	D	L	F	A	DIFF	PTS	+/-
1	Belle Vue	11	11	0	0	504	354	22	13	8	0	5	513.5	500.5	16	24	19	0	5	1004.5	867.5	137	38	+16
2	Coventry	13	13	0	0	608	404	26	10	4	0	6	392	386	8	23	17	0	6	994	796	198	34	+8
3	Wimbledon	11	11	0	0	538	316	22	13	5	0	8	531	483	10	24	16	0	8	1021	847	174	32	+10
4	Hull	11	11	0	0	537	318	22	11	3	2	6	456	401	8	22	14	2	6	938	774	164	30	+8
5	Ipswich	10	10	0	0	471	308	20	10	3	1	6	402	378	7	20	13	1	6	849	710	139	27	+7
6	Cradley Heath	12	11	0	1	539	397	22	8	1	0	7	342	279	2	20	12	0	8	818	739	79	24	0
7	Halifax	14	11	1	2	637.5	451.5	23	9	0	1	8	408	293	1	23	11	2	10	930.5	859.5	71	24	-4
8	Sheffield	9	8	1	0	394	307	17	12	2	1	9	546	390	5	21	10	2	9	784	853	-69	22	+4
9	Poole	9	8	0	1	392	309	16	8	2	1	5	349	273	5	17	10	1	6	665	658	7	21	+3
10	White City	14	8	0	6	561	522	16	10	2	1	7	429.5	345.5	5	24	10	1	13	906.5	951.5	-45	21	-7
11	Exeter	9	9	0	0	451	250	18	5	1	0	4	215	174	2	14	10	0	4	625	465	160	20	+2
12	Swindon	12	8	2	2	475	459	18	10	1	0	9	477	296	2	22	9	2	11	771	936	-165	20	-4
13	Leicester	9	7	0	2	370	330	14	11	1	0	10	508	349	2	20	8	0	12	719	838	-119	16	-2
14	Bristol	7	6	0	1	307	238	12	13	1	0	12	582	427	2	20	7	0	13	734	820	-86	14	0
15	King's Lynn	8	4	1	3	353	271	9	11	1	0	10	482.5	372.5	2	19	5	1	13	725.5	753.5	-28	11	-5
16	Birmingham	8	5	0	3	323	300	10	7	0	0	7	338	208	0	15	5	0	10	531	638	-107	10	-6
17	Hackney	10	5	0	5	402	375	10	11	0	0	11	537	318	0	21	5	0	16	720	912	-192	10	-10
18	Reading	9	4	1	4	364	336	9	12	0	0	12	545	389	0	21	4	1	16	753	881	-128	9	-9
19	Wolverhampton	9	3	1	5	329	372	7	11	0	0	11	502	355	0	20	3	1	16	684	874	-190	7	-11

Hull Vikings v Birmingham Brummies Wednesday 2nd August 1978 (Gulf British League)

Hull Vikings 57

						TOT	BP
1. Ivan Mauger	3	3	2*	3	3	14	1
2. Kelly Moran	2*	2*	2*	3	FX	9	3
3. Bobby Beaton	3	3	R	3		9	0
4. Joe Owen R/R							
5. Graham Drury	3	2*	3	1		9	1
6. Tom Owen	2*	2*	3	1		8	2
7. Frank Auffret	3	0	3	2*		8	1
8. Neil Coddington	Did not ride						

Birmingham Brummies 21

						TOT	BP
1. Ray Wilson	0	0	TS	2		2	0
2. Craig Pendlebury (guest)	1	1	0	2	2	6	0
3. Alan Emerson	1	1	1	1*	1	5	1
4. Richard Greer	1	2	1*	2	0	6	1
5. Finn Jensen	0	TS	1*	0		1	1
6. Tim Nunan	1	0	0			1	0
7. Andy Grahame	0	0	TS			0	0

Ht. 01: Mauger, Moran, Pendlebury, Wilson, 71.5	5	-	1	5	-	1
Ht. 02: Auffret, T. Owen, Nunan, Grahame, 71.8	5	-	1	10	-	2
Ht. 03: Drury, Moran, Greer, Jensen, 72.5	5	-	1	15	-	3
Ht. 04: Beaton, T. Owen, Emerson, Grahame, 71.8	5	-	1	20	-	4
Ht. 05: T. Owen, Drury, Pendlebury, Wilson, 72.8	5	-	1	25	-	5
Ht. 06: Mauger, Moran, Emerson, Nunan, 72.0	5	-	1	30	-	6
Ht. 07: Beaton, Greer, T. Owen, Pendlebury, 71.8	4	-	2	34	-	8
Ht. 08: Moran, Pendlebury, Greer, Auffret, 72.5	3	-	3	37	-	11
Ht. 09: Drury, Mauger, Emerson, Nunan, 72.8	5	-	1	42	-	12
Ht. 10: Mauger, Greer, Jensen, Moran (f, exc), no time	3	-	3	45	-	15
Ht. 11: Auffret, Pendlebury, Emerson, Beaton (ret), 73.5	3	-	3	48	-	18
Ht. 12: Mauger, Auffret, Emerson, Jensen, 72.5	5	-	1	53	-	19
Ht. 13: Beaton, Wilson, Drury, Greer, 72.0	4	-	2	57	-	21

Wolverhampton: Express & Star Triangular Trophy, 1st Leg Friday 4th August 1978

Wolverhampton Wolves 35

					TOT	BP
1. Jim McMillan	1	2	3	1	7	0
2. Knud Ellegaard	0	1*	2*	0	3	2
3. Hans Nielsen	1	3	2	3	9	0
4. Hasse Danielsson	0	0	1*	1	2	1
5. Dave Morton	3	3	3	1*	10	1
6. Edgar Stangeland	1	1	0	2	4	0

7. Brian Woodward (*reserve*) *Did not ride*

Birmingham Brummies 27

					TOT	BP
1. Ray Wilson	2*	3	2	2	9	1
2. Bengt Jansson	3	1	0	0	4	0
3. Phil Herne	EF	2	3	N	5	0
4. Finn Jensen	1	0	0	1	2	0
5. Richard Greer	2	2	1	2	7	0
6. Alan Emerson	0	0	0	0	0	0
7. Andy Grahame (<i>reserve</i>)	0				0	0

Cradley Heath Heathens 46

					TOT	BP
1. Steve Bastable	3	3	1	3	10	0
2. Dave Perks	2*	0	3	2*	7	2
3. Alan Grahame	3	2	3	X	8	0
4. Pekka Hautamaki	2*	1*	1	3	7	2
5. Bruce Penhall	2	3	2	2*	9	1
6. Kristian Praestbro	0	1	1*	3	5	1

7. Pip Lamb (*reserve*) *Did not ride*

Ht. 01: Jansson, Wilson, McMillan, Ellegaard, 64.3

Ht. 02: Alan Grahame, Hautamaki, Jensen, Herne (ef), 64.2

Ht. 03: Bastable, Perks, Nielsen, Danielsson, 64.8

Ht. 04: Morton, Greer, Stangeland, Emerson, 63.9

Ht. 05: Wilson, Penhall, Jansson, Praestbro, 64.2

Ht. 06: Bastable, McMillan, Ellegaard, Perks, 64.2

Ht. 07: Morton, Herne, Stangeland, Jensen, 64.4

Ht. 08: Penhall, Greer, Praestbro, Emerson, 64.5

Ht. 09: Nielsen, Alan Grahame, Hautamaki, Danielsson, 63.8

Ht. 10: McMillan, Ellegaard, Greer, Emerson, 65.0

Ht. 11: Perks, Wilson, Bastable, Jansson, 64.0

Ht. 12: Morton, Penhall, Praestbro, Stangeland, 63.6

Ht. 13: Herne, Nielsen, Danielsson, Jensen, 64.0

Ht. 14: Alan Grahame, Greer, Hautamaki, Emerson, 64.0

Ht. 15: Praestbro, Penhall, McMillan, Ellegaard, 64.6

Ht. 16: Nielsen, Wilson, Danielsson, Jansson, 64.0

Ht. 17: Bastable, Perks, Jensen, Andy Grahame, 65.0

Ht. 18: Hautamaki, Stangeland, Morton, Alan Grahame (exc, foul riding), 64.4

Aggregate Score (after Leg 1 of 3): Cradley Heath 46, Wolverhampton 35, Birmingham 27

Wo	Bi	Cr
1	5	
	1	5
1		5
4	2	
	4	2
3		3
4	2	
	2	4
3		3
5	1	
	2	4
3		3
3	3	
	2	4
1		5
4	2	
	1	5
3		3

Wo	Bi	Cr
1	5	
1	6	5
2	6	10
6	8	10
6	12	12
9	12	15
13	14	15
13	16	19
16	16	22
21	17	22
21	19	26
24	19	29
27	22	29
27	24	33
28	24	38
32	26	38
32	27	43
35	27	46

Cradley Heath: Express & Star Triangular Trophy, 2nd Leg Saturday 5th August 1978

Cradley Heath v Birmingham v Wolverhampton

Meeting postponed - rain

Birmingham Brummies v Wimbledon Dons Monday 7th August 1978 (Gulf British League)

Birmingham Brummies 29

1. Ray Wilson	1	1*	3	3	
2. Bengt Jansson	0	N	TS	0	
3. Phil Herne	1	EF	EF	TS	
4. Alan Emerson	0	1*	3	1	2
5. Richard Greer	2	2	1	1	0
6. Finn Jensen	0	0	N		
7. Ted Howgego (<i>guest</i>)	3	2	1	0	1

TOT BP

8	1
0	0
1	0
7	1
6	0
0	0
7	0

Wimbledon Dons 49

1. Larry Ross	3	3	3	3	
2. Stefan Salomonsson	2*	0	3	2*	
3. Mick Hines	3	3	2	2	
4. Roger Johns	1	2*	2	1	
5. Edward Jancarz	3	3	1*	N	
6. Brendan Shilleto	1*	N	0		
7. Colin Richardson	2	2*	0	2*	0

TOT BP

12	0
7	2
10	0
6	1
7	1
1	1
6	2

Ht. 01: Ross, Salomonsson, Wilson, Jansson, 61.8

Ht. 02: Howgego, Richardson, Shilleto, Jensen, 62.2

Ht. 03: Jancarz, Greer, Johns, Emerson, 61.6

Ht. 04: Hines, Richardson, Herne, Jensen, 62.6

Ht. 05: Ross, Greer, Emerson, Salomonsson, 62.6

Ht. 06: Hines, Howgego, Wilson, Richardson, 62.8

Ht. 07: Jancarz, Johns, Howgego, Herne (ef), 62.2

Ht. 08: Salomonsson, Richardson, Greer, Howgego, 62.8

Ht. 09: Emerson, Hines, Greer, Shilleto, 62.2

Ht. 10: Wilson, Johns, Jancarz, Jansson, 62.0

Ht. 11: Ross, Salomonsson, Howgego, Herne (ef), 61.6

Ht. 12: Wilson, Hines, Emerson, Richardson, 62.6

Ht. 13: Ross, Emerson, Johns, Greer, 62.0

1	-	5	1	-	5
3	-	3	4	-	8
2	-	4	6	-	12
1	-	5	7	-	17
3	-	3	10	-	20
3	-	3	13	-	23
1	-	5	14	-	28
1	-	5	15	-	33
4	-	2	19	-	35
3	-	3	22	-	38
1	-	5	23	-	43
4	-	2	27	-	45
2	-	4	29	-	49

Birmingham: Express & Star Triangular Trophy, 2nd Leg Wednesday 9th August 1978

Birmingham v Cradley Heath v Wolverhampton

Meeting postponed - rain

Birmingham Brummies v Swindon Robins Monday 14th August 1978 (Gulf British League)

Birmingham Brummies 47

					TOT	BP
1. Ray Wilson	3	2	2	3	10	0
2. Bengt Jansson	EF	0	N	1*	1	1
3. Phil Herne	2	3	3	1	9	0
4. Alan Emerson	3	0	2*	1	6	1
5. Richard Greer	2*	3	3	3	11	1
6. Finn Jensen	3	0	0	3	6	0
7. Trevor Geer (<i>guest</i>)	2*	1	1		4	1

Swindon Robins 31

						TOT	BP
1. Martin Ashby	2	2	2	2		8	0
2. Geoff Bouchard	1*	1*	2	0	0	4	2
3. Bob Kilby	3	1	1	0	N	5	0
4. Rolf Gramstad	1	1*	TS	0		2	1
5. Jan Andersson	N	3	2	3	2	10	0
6. Robert Henry	0	0	TS	TS		0	0
7. David Ashby	1	1	0	0		2	0

Ht. 01: Wilson, M. Ashby, Bouchard, Jansson (ef), 62.5

Ht. 02: Jensen, Geer, D. Ashby, Henry, 63.5

Ht. 03: Emerson, Greer, Gramstad, Henry, 64.3

Ht. 04: Kilby, Herne, D. Ashby, Jensen, 63.2

Ht. 05: Greer, M. Ashby, Bouchard, Emerson, 62.1

Ht. 06: Andersson, Wilson, Kilby, Jansson, 62.5

Ht. 07: Herne, Andersson, Gramstad, Jensen, 62.3

Ht. 08: Jensen, Bouchard, Geer, D. Ashby, 62.7

Ht. 09: Greer, Emerson, Kilby, Bouchard, 62.7

Ht. 10: Andersson, Wilson, Jansson, Kilby, 62.4

Ht. 11: Herne, M. Ashby, Geer, Bouchard, 62.5

Ht. 12: Wilson, Andersson, Emerson, D. Ashby, 62.7

Ht. 13: Greer, M. Ashby, Herne, Gramstad, 63.0

3	-	3	3	-	3
5	-	1	8	-	4
5	-	1	13	-	5
2	-	4	15	-	9
3	-	3	18	-	12
2	-	4	20	-	16
3	-	3	23	-	19
4	-	2	27	-	21
5	-	1	32	-	22
3	-	3	35	-	25
4	-	2	39	-	27
4	-	2	43	-	29
4	-	2	47	-	31

Cradley Heath: Express & Star Triangular Trophy, 2nd Leg Wednesday 16th August 1978

Cradley Heath v Birmingham v Wolverhampton

Meeting postponed - rain

Bristol Bulldogs v Birmingham Brummies Friday 18th August 1978 (Gulf British League)

Bristol Bulldogs 42

						TOT	BP
1. Steve Gresham	1*	3	3	3	2	12	1
2. Phil Crump R/R							
3. Tormod Langli	2	3	2	2	1*	10	1
4. Nigel Boocock	2*	0	2	0	1*	5	2
5. Henny Kroeze	3	M	1*	M		4	1
6. Soren Sjosten	2*	F	1	1*	2	6	2
7. Henk Stemen	3	2*	F	0		5	1
8. Tony Garard	<i>Did not ride</i>						

Birmingham Brummies 36

						TOT	BP
1. Ray Wilson	3	3	3	3		12	0
2. Bengt Jansson	0	2*	2	1		5	1
3. Phil Herne	1*	1	3	3		8	1
4. Richard Greer	1	3	2	0		6	0
5. Ari Koponen	0	0	1*	0		1	1
6. Stuart Mountford	0	0	0			0	0
7. Alan Emerson	1	2	1*			4	1

Ht. 01: Wilson, Langli, Gresham, Jansson, 71.8	3	-	3	3	-	3
Ht. 02: Stemen, Sjosten, Emerson, Mountford, 73.4	5	-	1	8	-	4
Ht. 03: Kroeze, Boocock, Greer, Koponen, 73.9	5	-	1	13	-	5
Ht. 04: Langli, Emerson, Herne, Sjosten (fell), no time	3	-	3	16	-	8
Ht. 05: Wilson, Jansson, Sjosten, Boocock, Kroeze (exc, 2 mins), 75.1	1	-	5	17	-	13
Ht. 06: Gresham, Stemen, Herne, Mountford, 73.5	5	-	1	22	-	14
Ht. 07: Greer, Langli, Sjosten, Koponen, 73.8	3	-	3	25	-	17
Ht. 08: Gresham, Jansson, Emerson, Stemen (fell), 74.5	3	-	3	28	-	20
Ht. 09: Herne, Boocock, Kroeze, Mountford, 75.0	3	-	3	31	-	23
Ht. 10: Gresham, Greer, Koponen, Boocock, 73.7	3	-	3	34	-	26
Ht. 11: Wilson, Langli, Jansson, Stemen, 74.1	2	-	4	36	-	30
Ht. 12: Herne, Gresham, Boocock, Koponen, 74.1	3	-	3	39	-	33
Ht. 13: Wilson, Sjosten, Langli, Greer, Kroeze (exc, 2 mins), 75.1	3	-	3	42	-	36

Coventry Bees v Birmingham Brummies Saturday 19th August 1978 (Gulf British League)

Coventry Bees 48

					TOT	BP
1. Ole Olsen	3	2	3	3	11	0
2. Bruce Cribb (<i>guest</i>)	0	0	3	2*	5	1
3. Alan Molyneux	3	3	3	1	10	0
4. Mick Bell	1	0	1	0	2	0
5. Mitch Shirra	3	3	3	3	12	0
6. Gary Guglielmi	3	1	1	2*	7	1
7. Dave Mortiboys	1	N	0		1	0

Birmingham Brummies 30

					TOT	BP
1. Ray Wilson	2	2	1	2 2	9	0
2. Bengt Jansson	1*	1*	0	1*	3	3
3. Phil Herne	2	3	2	2	9	0
4. Ari Koponen	0	0	0	E	0	0
5. Richard Greer	2	1	2	1 1*	7	1
6. Andy Grahame	0	TS	0		0	0
7. Alan Emerson	2	0	TS	0	2	0

Ht. 01: Olsen, Wilson, Jansson, Cribb, 62.6

3 - 3 3 - 3

Ht. 02: Guglielmi, Emerson, Mortiboys, Grahame, 63.8

4 - 2 7 - 5

Ht. 03: Shirra, Greer, Bell, Koponen, 63.4

4 - 2 11 - 7

Ht. 04: Molyneux, Herne, Guglielmi, Emerson, 64.0

4 - 2 15 - 9

Ht. 05: Shirra, Wilson, Jansson, Bell, 63.8

3 - 3 18 - 12

Ht. 06: Herne, Olsen, Greer, Cribb, 63.6

2 - 4 20 - 16

Ht. 07: Molyneux, Greer, Guglielmi, Koponen, 64.8

4 - 2 24 - 18

Ht. 08: Cribb, Guglielmi, Wilson, Jansson, 65.0

5 - 1 29 - 19

Ht. 09: Shirra, Herne, Bell, Grahame, 64.6

4 - 2 33 - 21

Ht. 10: Olsen, Cribb, Greer, Koponen, 65.4

5 - 1 38 - 22

Ht. 11: Molyneux, Wilson, Jansson, Mortiboys, 65.6

3 - 3 41 - 25

Ht. 12: Olsen, Herne, Greer, Bell, 64.0

3 - 3 44 - 28

Ht. 13: Shirra, Wilson, Molyneux, Emerson, Koponen (exc, tapes), 64.6

4 - 2 48 - 30

Birmingham: The Skol Masters Monday 21st August 1978

						TOT	POS
1. Chris Morton (<i>Belle Vue</i>)	3	3	2	2	3	13	3rd (<i>after RO</i>)
2. Rudy Muts (<i>Wimbledon</i>)	0	0	2	1	1	4	
3. Ole Olsen (<i>Coventry</i>)	2	3	3	3	2	13	2nd (<i>after RO</i>)
4. Edward Jancarz (<i>Wimbledon</i>)	1	1	2	2	3	9	
5. Phil Herne (<i>Birmingham</i>)	3	1	3	EF	0	7	
6. Billy Sanders (<i>Ipswich</i>)	0	1	1	3	1	6	
7. Gordon Kennett (<i>White City</i>)	2	EF	1	EF	N	3	
8. Steve Bastable (<i>Cradley Heath</i>)	1	0	1	2	2	6	
9. Ray Wilson (<i>Birmingham</i>)	2	0	2	1	2	7	
10. Keith White (<i>Hackney</i>)	EF	2	0	1	EF	3	
11. Bruce Cribb (<i>Bristol</i>)	1	2	EF	0	1	4	
12. Tony Davey (<i>Ipswich</i>)	3	2	EF	3	0	8	
13. Bruce Penhall (<i>Cradley Heath</i>)	3	2	3	3	3	14	1st
14. Phil Crump (<i>Bristol</i>)	0	3	EF	1	2	6	
15. Richard Greer (<i>Birmingham</i>)	2	M	N	N	N	2	
16. Peter Collins (<i>Belle Vue</i>)	1	3	3	2	3	12	
17. Alan Emerson (<i>Birmingham</i>) (<i>reserve</i>)	1	EF				1	
18. Ari Koponen (<i>Birmingham</i>) (<i>reserve</i>)	1	1	0			2	

Ht. 01: Morton, Olsen, Jancarz, Muts, 60.5

Ht. 02: Herne, Kennett, Bastable, Sanders, 60.7

Ht. 03: Davey, Wilson, Cribb, White (ef), 62.2

Ht. 04: Penhall, Greer, Collins, Crump, 61.5

Ht. 05: Morton, Penhall, Herne, Wilson, 61.3

Ht. 06: Crump, White, Sanders, Muts, 62.2

Ht. 07: Olsen, Cribb, Emerson, Kennett (ef), Greer (exc, 2 mins), 61.1

Ht. 08: Collins, Davey, Jancarz, Bastable, 61.9

Ht. 09: Collins, Morton, Sanders, Cribb (ef), 61.5

Ht. 10: Herne, Muts, Koponen, Davey (ef), 63.6

Ht. 11: Olsen, Wilson, Bastable, Crump (ef), 61.0

Ht. 12: Penhall, Jancarz, Kennett, White, 61.6

Ht. 13: Davey, Morton, Crump, Kennett (ef), 61.7

Ht. 14: Penhall, Bastable, Muts, Cribb, 61.8

Ht. 15: Olsen, Collins, White, Herne (ef), 61.4

Ht. 16: Sanders, Jancarz, Wilson, Emerson (ef), 62.2

Ht. 17: Morton, Bastable, Koponen, White (ef), 62.4

Ht. 18: Collins, Wilson, Muts, Koponen, 62.3

Ht. 19: Penhall, Olsen, Sanders, Davey, 61.6

Ht. 20: Jancarz, Crump, Cribb, Herne, 62.1

Run Off: (for 2nd place) Olsen, Morton, 61.3

Wolverhampton Wolves v Birmingham Brummies Sunday 27th August 1978 (Gulf British League)

Wolverhampton Wolves 40

1. Jim McMillan	3	3	3	3	
2. Knud Ellegaard	0	TS	N	N	
3. Hans Nielsen	3	2*	3	3	3
4. Brian Woodward	F	0	1	0	
5. Dave Morton	X	1	3	1	
6. Steve Wilcock (<i>guest</i>)	1	0	N	0	
7. Edgar Stangeland	3	0	2	2*	0

TOT BP

12	0
0	0
14	1
1	0
5	0
1	0
7	1

Birmingham Brummies 37

1. Ray Wilson	2	2*	2	2	
2. Kevin Jolly (<i>guest</i>)	1*	3	3	1*	
3. Phil Herne	2	1	2	2	
4. Ari Koponen	2*	1*	0	N	
5. Richard Greer	FN	2	1	1*	
6. Alan Emerson	EF	0	0		
7. Ted Howgego	2	3	1*	1	0

TOT BP

8	1
8	2
7	0
3	2
4	1
0	0
7	1

Ht. 01: McMillan, Wilson, Jolly, Ellegaard, 63.4

3 - 3 3 - 3

Ht. 02: Stangeland, Howgego, Wilcock, Emerson (ef), 65.0

4 - 2 7 - 5

Ht. 03: Howgego, Koponen, Woodward (fell), Morton (exc), Greer (f, ns), 65.6

0 - 5 7 - 10

Ht. 04: Nielsen, Herne, Howgego, Wilcock, 64.4

3 - 3 10 - 13

Ht. 05: Jolly, Wilson, Morton, Woodward, 64.4

1 - 5 11 - 18

Ht. 06: McMillan, Nielsen, Herne, Emerson, 63.8

5 - 1 16 - 19

Ht. 07: Nielsen, Greer, Koponen, Stangeland, 65.6

3 - 3 19 - 22

Ht. 08: Jolly, Stangeland, Howgego, Wilcock, 65.0

2 - 4 21 - 26

Ht. 09: Morton, Herne, Woodward, Emerson, 64.9

4 - 2 25 - 28

Ht. 10: McMillan, Stangeland, Greer, Koponen, 65.5

5 - 1 30 - 29

Ht. 11: Nielsen, Wilson, Jolly, Stangeland, 64.6

3 - 3 33 - 32

Ht. 12: McMillan, Herne, Greer, Woodward, 64.3

3 - 3 36 - 35

Ht. 13: Nielsen, Wilson, Morton, Howgego, 64.6

4 - 2 40 - 37

Birmingham Brummies v Sheffield Tigers Monday 28th August 1978 (Gulf British League)

Birmingham Brummies 48

					TOT	BP
1. Ray Wilson	3	3	3	3	12	0
2. Alan Emerson	1	F	2	N	3	0
3. Phil Herne	3	3	2	3	11	0
4. Ari Koponen	1	3	2	2*	8	1
5. Richard Greer	3	1	0	2*	6	1
6. Finn Jensen	1	0	1		2	0
7. Ted Howgego	3	1*	2*	0	6	2

Sheffield Tigers 30

						TOT	BP
1. Doug Wyer	2	2	3	3	1	11	0
2. Billy Burton	0	0	TS	TS		0	0
3. Reg Wilson	2	2	3	1	1	9	0
4. Craig Pendlebury	0	EF	1	N		1	0
5. Bernt Persson	2	2	1	EF	0	5	0
6. Ian Jeffcoate	0	N	TS	F		0	0
7. Sean Willmott (<i>guest</i>)	2	1*	1*	0		4	2

Ht. 01: Ray Wilson, Wyer, Emerson, Burton, 62.1	4	-	2	4	-	2
Ht. 02: Howgego, Willmott, Jensen, Jeffcoate, 63.1	4	-	2	8	-	4
Ht. 03: Greer, Persson, Koponen, Pendlebury, 63.0	4	-	2	12	-	6
Ht. 04: Herne, Reg Wilson, Willmott, Jensen, 62.6	3	-	3	15	-	9
Ht. 05: Koponen, Wyer, Greer, Burton, 62.1	4	-	2	19	-	11
Ht. 06: Ray Wilson, Reg Wilson, Willmott, Emerson (fell), 63.0	3	-	3	22	-	14
Ht. 07: Herne, Persson, Jensen, Pendlebury (ef), 62.4	4	-	2	26	-	16
Ht. 08: Wyer, Emerson, Howgego, Willmott, 62.8	3	-	3	29	-	19
Ht. 09: Reg Wilson, Koponen, Persson, Greer, 62.6	2	-	4	31	-	23
Ht. 10: Ray Wilson, Howgego, Pendlebury, Persson (ef), 63.1	5	-	1	36	-	24
Ht. 11: Wyer, Herne, Reg Wilson, Howgego, 62.4	2	-	4	38	-	28
Ht. 12: Ray Wilson, Koponen, Reg Wilson, Persson, 62.3	5	-	1	43	-	29
Ht. 13: Herne, Greer, Wyer, Jeffcoate (fell), 61.9	5	-	1	48	-	30

Leicester Lions v Birmingham Brummies Tuesday 29th August 1978 (Gulf British League)

Leicester Lions 43

1. John Boulger	3	2	3	3	
2. Tom Godal	2*	1*	2	0	
3. Ila Teromaa	1*	3	3	3	
4. Colin Meredith	R	N	1*	1	
5. John Titman	3	2	2	2*	
6. Jerzy Rembas	2	2	1*	R	1
7. Chris Sully	0	0	N		

TOT BP

11	0
5	2
10	1
2	1
9	1
6	1
0	0

Birmingham Brummies 35

1. Ray Wilson	1	3	2	EF	
2. Alan Emerson	0	0	N	N	
3. Phil Herne	3	3	3	0	
4. Richard Greer	1*	1*	2	1	
5. Ari Koponen	2	2	1*	2	
6. Finn Jensen	3	0	3	0	0
7. Ted Howgego	1	0	1		

TOT BP

6	0
0	0
9	0
5	2
7	1
6	0
2	0

Ht. 01: Boulger, Godal, Wilson, Emerson, 65.5

5 - 1 5 - 1

Ht. 02: Jensen, Rembas, Howgego, Sully (f, rem), 67.2

2 - 4 7 - 5

Ht. 03: Titman, Koponen, Greer, Meredith (ret), 66.5

3 - 3 10 - 8

Ht. 04: Herne, Rembas, Teromaa, Howgego, 66.6

3 - 3 13 - 11

Ht. 05: Wilson, Titman, Rembas, Emerson, 66.1

3 - 3 16 - 14

Ht. 06: Herne, Boulger, Godal, Jensen, 66.1

3 - 3 19 - 17

Ht. 07: Teromaa, Koponen, Greer, Rembas (ret), 66.4

3 - 3 22 - 20

Ht. 08: Jensen, Godal, Howgego, Sully, 67.2

2 - 4 24 - 24

Ht. 09: Herne, Titman, Meredith, Jensen, 67.0

3 - 3 27 - 27

Ht. 10: Boulger, Greer, Koponen, Godal, 66.5

3 - 3 30 - 30

Ht. 11: Teromaa, Wilson, Rembas, Jensen, 66.2

4 - 2 34 - 32

Ht. 12: Boulger, Koponen, Meredith, Herne, 66.9

4 - 2 38 - 34

Ht. 13: Teromaa, Titman, Greer, Wilson (ef), 66.1

5 - 1 43 - 35

Note: This match was the second half of a double header.

Sheffield Tigers v Birmingham Brummies Thursday 31st August 1978 (Gulf British League)

Sheffield Tigers 41

					TOT	BP
1. Doug Wyer	3	3	3	3	12	0
2. Billy Burton	0	0	2*	0	2	1
3. Bernt Persson	3	2	1	0	6	0
4. Craig Pendlebury	2*	2*	1	0	5	2
5. Reg Wilson	3	3	3	3	12	0
6. Phil White	0	0	0		0	0
7. Nicky Allott	1	3	0		4	0

Birmingham Brummies 37

						TOT	BP
1. Ray Wilson	2	R	TS	2		4	0
2. Bengt Jansson	1*	1	1	TS		3	1
3. Phil Herne	2	2	2	2		8	0
4. Richard Greer	1	1	2	3	1*	8	1
5. Ari Koponen	0	3	1*	2*	1*	7	3
6. Finn Jensen	3	1*	0			4	1
7. Ted Howgego	2*	1*	0			3	2

Ht. 01: Wyer, Ray Wilson, Jansson, Burton, 68.0	3	-	3	3	-	3
Ht. 02: Jensen, Howgego, Allott, White, 71.2	1	-	5	4	-	8
Ht. 03: Reg Wilson, Pendlebury, Greer, Koponen, 68.8	5	-	1	9	-	9
Ht. 04: Persson, Herne, Howgego, White, 70.0	3	-	3	12	-	12
Ht. 05: Reg Wilson, Pendlebury, Jansson, Ray Wilson (ret), 68.8	5	-	1	17	-	13
Ht. 06: Wyer, Herne, Jensen, Burton, 68.8	3	-	3	20	-	16
Ht. 07: Koponen, Persson, Greer, White, 69.8	2	-	4	22	-	20
Ht. 08: Allott, Burton, Jansson, Howgego, 69.4	5	-	1	27	-	21
Ht. 09: Reg Wilson, Herne, Pendlebury, Jensen, 69.0	4	-	2	31	-	23
Ht. 10: Wyer, Greer, Koponen, Burton, 69.2	3	-	3	34	-	26
Ht. 11: Greer, Koponen, Persson, Allott, 70.0	1	-	5	35	-	31
Ht. 12: Wyer, Herne, Koponen, Pendlebury, 68.4	3	-	3	38	-	34
Ht. 13: Reg Wilson, Ray Wilson, Greer, Persson, 68.8	3	-	3	41	-	37

Gulf British League Table

Up to and including Thursday 31st August

		Home						Away						Overall										
		P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS	P	W	D	L	F	A	DIFF	PTS	+/-
1	Coventry	16	16	0	0	749	495	32	13	6	0	7	506	505	12	29	22	0	7	1254	1001	253	44	+12
2	Wimbledon	14	14	0	0	668	418	28	17	6	1	10	682	644	13	31	20	1	10	1312	1100	212	41	+13
3	Belle Vue	12	12	0	0	552	384	24	14	8	0	6	553.5	538.5	16	26	20	0	6	1090.5	937.5	153	40	+16
4	Hull	14	14	0	0	684	405	28	14	4	2	8	593	497	10	28	18	2	8	1181	998	183	38	+10
5	Ipswich	13	13	0	0	612	401	26	12	3	1	8	488	448	7	25	16	1	8	1060	889	171	33	+7
6	Cradley Heath	16	15	0	1	732	516	30	11	1	1	9	469	385	3	27	16	1	10	1117	985	132	33	+1
7	Exeter	12	12	0	0	597	338	24	9	3	0	6	368	330	6	21	15	0	6	927	706	221	30	+6
8	Sheffield	13	12	1	0	574.5	438.5	25	15	2	1	12	694	476	5	28	14	2	12	1050.5	1132.5	-82	30	+4
9	Halifax	17	13	1	3	769.5	553.5	27	12	0	1	11	550	385	1	29	13	2	14	1154.5	1103.5	51	28	-6
10	Poole	13	11	1	1	573	440	23	11	2	1	8	484	372	5	24	13	2	9	945	924	21	28	+2
11	Leicester	14	12	0	2	592	498	24	14	2	0	12	633	456	4	28	14	0	14	1048	1131	-83	28	0
12	Bristol	12	11	0	1	532	402	22	14	1	0	13	621	465	2	26	12	0	14	997	1023	-26	24	0
13	White City	16	8	1	7	629	610	17	16	3	1	12	694.5	548.5	7	32	11	2	19	1177.5	1304.5	-127	24	-8
14	Swindon	15	9	2	4	593	575	20	15	1	0	14	722	441	2	30	10	2	18	1034	1297	-263	22	-8
15	King's Lynn	13	8	1	4	565	447	17	15	1	0	14	674	493	2	28	9	1	18	1058	1121	-63	19	-7
16	Reading	12	7	1	4	493	440	15	15	1	0	14	673	495	2	27	8	1	18	988	1113	-125	17	-7
17	Birmingham	11	7	0	4	447	410	14	13	0	0	13	609	404	0	24	7	0	17	851	1019	-168	14	-8
18	Hackney	13	6	0	7	516	495	12	14	0	0	14	683	406	0	27	6	0	21	922	1178	-256	12	-14
19	Wolverhampton	11	4	1	6	407	448	9	13	0	0	13	588	425	0	24	4	1	19	832	1036	-204	9	-13

Birmingham Brummies v Poole Pirates Monday 4th September 1978 (Gulf British League)

Birmingham Brummies 39

1. Ray Wilson	3	3	3	3
2. Alan Emerson	0	1	1	1
3. Phil Herne	3	3	3	1
4. Ari Koponen	E	0	1*	0
5. Richard Greer	2	2	2	0
6. Finn Jensen	1	0	0	
7. Ted Howgego	3	0	3	0

TOT BP

12	0
3	0
10	0
1	1
6	0
1	0
6	0

Poole Pirates 39

1. Malcolm Simmons	2	3	2	3
2. Mike Curoso	1*	1	2	1*
3. Christer Sjosten	2	2	3	1*
4. Martin Yeates	3	2	0	2*
5. Neil Middleditch	1	1*	2	2
6. Andrzej Tkocz	0	0	0	
7. Colin Gooddy	2	1*	0	

TOT BP

10	0
5	2
8	1
7	1
6	1
0	0
3	1

Ht. 01: Wilson, Simmons, Curoso, Emerson, 60.6

Ht. 02: Howgego, Gooddy, Jensen, Tkocz, 62.6

Ht. 03: (rerun) Yeates, Greer, Middleditch, Howgego, Koponen (exc, tapes), 61.9

Ht. 04: Herne, Sjosten, Gooddy, Jensen, 61.8

Ht. 05: Simmons, Greer, Curoso, Koponen, 61.6

Ht. 06: Wilson, Sjosten, Emerson, Tkocz, 61.8

Ht. 07: Herne, Yeates, Middleditch, Jensen, 62.1

Ht. 08: Howgego, Curoso, Emerson, Gooddy, 62.3

Ht. 09: Sjosten, Greer, Koponen, Tkocz, 62.5

Ht. 10: Wilson, Middleditch, Emerson, Yeates, 61.8

Ht. 11: Herne, Simmons, Curoso, Howgego, 61.6

Ht. 12: Wilson, Middleditch, Sjosten, Koponen, 62.3

Ht. 13: Simmons, Yeates, Herne, Greer, 62.5

3	-	3	3	-	3
4	-	2	7	-	5
2	-	4	9	-	9
3	-	3	12	-	12
2	-	4	14	-	16
4	-	2	18	-	18
3	-	3	21	-	21
4	-	2	25	-	23
3	-	3	28	-	26
4	-	2	32	-	28
3	-	3	35	-	31
3	-	3	38	-	34
1	-	5	39	-	39

Belle Vue Aces v Birmingham Brummies Saturday 9th September 1978 (Gulf British League)

Belle Vue Aces 20

TOT BP

1. Peter Collins R/R				
2. Chris Turner	0	3		
3. Chris Morton	3	3		
4. Steve Finch	2	0	2	
5. Les Collins	3	0		
6. Robert Maxfield	0	1	1	0
7. Jim Brett	2			
8. David Butt	<i>Did not ride</i>			

3	0
6	0
4	0
3	0
2	0
2	0

Birmingham Brummies 22

TOT BP

1. Ray Wilson	3	3		
2. Alan Emerson	1	1		
3. Phil Herne	2	2		
4. Richard Greer	2	2		
5. Ari Koponen	1*	1*		
6. Finn Jensen	1	EF		
7. Ted Howgego	3	EF		

6	0
2	0
4	0
4	0
2	2
1	0
3	0

Ht. 01: Wilson, Finch, Emerson, Turner, 76.6

2 - 4 2 - 4

Ht. 02: Howgego, Brett, Jensen, Maxfield, 79.6

2 - 4 4 - 8

Ht. 03: L. Collins, Greer, Koponen, Finch, 77.0

3 - 3 7 - 11

Ht. 04: Morton, Herne, Maxfield, Howgego (ef), 77.4

4 - 2 11 - 13

Ht. 05: Wilson, Finch, Emerson, L. Collins, 77.0

2 - 4 13 - 17

Ht. 06: Turner, Herne, Maxfield, Jensen (ef), 78.2

4 - 2 17 - 19

Ht. 07: Morton, Greer, Koponen, Maxfield, 78.0

3 - 3 20 - 22

Meeting abandoned after heat 7 - rain.

Birmingham Brummies v Halifax Dukes Monday 11th September 1978 (Gulf British League)

Birmingham Brummies 57

							TOT	BP
1. Ray Wilson	FN	N	N	N			0	0
2. Alan Emerson	2*	1	1*	0			4	2
3. Phil Herne	2*	2	3	2*			9	2
4. Ari Koponen	2*	2*	2*	2*			8	4
5. Richard Greer	3	3	3	3			12	0
6. Finn Jensen	1	3	1*	3	3		11	1
7. Ted Howgego	3	3	3	2	2*		13	1

Halifax Dukes 21

								TOT	BP
1. Mike Lohmann	FX	TS	TS	N				0	0
2. Mitch Graham R/R									
3. Ian Cartwright	1	2	3	1	1			8	0
4. Mick McKeon	1	1	3	2	1	1		9	0
5. Eric Broadbelt	FN	N	N	N	N			0	0
6. Klaus Lohmann	1	0	0	0	EF			1	0
7. Ian Robertson (<i>guest</i>)	2	0	0	0	TS	1*	0	3	1
8. Mick Blaynee (<i>loanee</i>)	0	0	0					0	0

Ht. 01: Howgego, Emerson, K. Lohmann, M. Lohmann (f, exc), Wilson (f, ns), Broadbelt (f, ns), 62.7

Ht. 02: Howgego, Robertson, Jensen, K. Lohmann, 62.4

Ht. 03: Greer, Koponen, McKeon, Robertson, 62.9

Ht. 04: Jensen, Herne, Cartwright, Robertson, 62.3

Ht. 05: Greer, Koponen, McKeon, Blaynee, 62.6

Ht. 06: Howgego, Cartwright, Emerson, K. Lohmann, 62.8

Ht. 07: McKeon, Herne, Jensen, Robertson, 62.6

Ht. 08: Cartwright, Howgego, Emerson, Blaynee, 62.3

Ht. 09: Greer, Koponen, Cartwright, K. Lohmann, 62.3

Ht. 10: Jensen, McKeon, Robertson, Emerson, 61.8

Ht. 11: Herne, Howgego, McKeon, Blaynee, 63.4

Ht. 12: Jensen, Koponen, Cartwright, K. Lohmann (ef), 61.9

Ht. 13: Greer, Herne, McKeon, Robertson, 63.0

5 - 1 5 - 1

4 - 2 9 - 3

5 - 1 14 - 4

5 - 1 19 - 5

5 - 1 24 - 6

4 - 2 28 - 8

3 - 3 31 - 11

3 - 3 34 - 14

5 - 1 39 - 15

3 - 3 42 - 18

5 - 1 47 - 19

5 - 1 52 - 20

5 - 1 57 - 21

Hackney Hawks v Birmingham Brummies Friday 15th September 1978 (Gulf British League)

Hackney Hawks 45

					TOT	BP
1. Keith White	3	2	3	3	11	0
2. Bobby McNeil	1	1*	3	0	5	1
3. Barry Thomas	1*	3	3	3	10	1
4. Bo Petersen	1	2	1	1	5	0
5. Roger Johns (<i>guest</i>)	0	1*	3	2*	6	2
6. Vic Harding	3	2	0		5	0
7. Malcolm Shakespeare	2*	1	0		3	1

Birmingham Brummies 33

					TOT	BP
1. Alan Emerson	0	0	TS	0	0	0
2. Ray Wilson R/R						
3. Phil Herne	3	3	2	2	12	0
4. Ari Koponen	3	2	1*	1	7	1
5. Richard Greer	2*	1*	2	0	5	2
6. Finn Jensen	0	0	N		0	0
7. Ted Howgego	1	0	2	0	3	0
8. Bengt Jansson	2	3	FX	1*	6	1

Ht. 01: White, Jansson, McNeil, Emerson, 62.8

4 - 2 4 - 2

Ht. 02: Harding, Shakespeare, Howgego, Jensen, 64.2

5 - 1 9 - 3

Ht. 03: Koponen, Greer, Petersen, Johns, 63.6

1 - 5 10 - 8

Ht. 04: Herne, Harding, Thomas, Howgego, 63.2

3 - 3 13 - 11

Ht. 05: Jansson, Petersen, Johns, Emerson, 63.6

3 - 3 16 - 14

Ht. 06: Herne, White, McNeil, Jensen, 64.0

3 - 3 19 - 17

Ht. 07: Thomas, Koponen, Greer, Harding, 62.8

3 - 3 22 - 20

Ht. 08: McNeil, Howgego, Shakespeare, Jansson (f, exc), 64.6

4 - 2 26 - 22

Ht. 09: Johns, Herne, Petersen, Howgego, 64.2

4 - 2 30 - 24

Ht. 10: White, Greer, Koponen, McNeil, 64.0

3 - 3 33 - 27

Ht. 11: Thomas, Herne, Jansson, Shakespeare, 64.4

3 - 3 36 - 30

Ht. 12: White, Herne, Petersen, Greer, 64.0

4 - 2 40 - 32

Ht. 13: Thomas, Johns, Koponen, Emerson, 64.4

5 - 1 45 - 33

Birmingham Brummies v Leicester Lions Monday 18th September 1978 (Gulf British League)

Birmingham Brummies 43

						TOT	BP
1. Alan Emerson	2*	0	0	0		2	1
2. Ray Wilson R/R							
3. Phil Herne	2	1*	3	N		6	1
4. Ari Koponen	1*	2*	2*	2		7	3
5. Richard Greer	2	3	3	1		9	0
6. Finn Jensen	0	0	N			0	0
7. Ted Howgego	3	2	2	2*	3	12	1
8. Bengt Jansson	3	2	1*	1		7	1

Leicester Lions 35

						TOT	BP
1. John Boulger	1	1	1	TS		3	0
2. Tom Godal	F	0	0	N		0	0
3. Ila Teromaa	3	1	0	1	2	7	0
4. Kevin Hawkins (guest)	0	N	N	0		0	0
5. John Titman	3	3	3	3	3	15	0
6. Steve Wilcock (guest)	1*	TS	1			2	1
7. John McNeill	2	1	0	3	2* EF	8	1

Ht. 01: Jansson, Emerson, Boulger, Godal (fell), 62.3	5	-	1	5	-	1
Ht. 02: Howgego, McNeill, Wilcock, Jensen, 62.1	3	-	3	8	-	4
Ht. 03: Titman, Greer, Koponen, Hawkins, 62.3	3	-	3	11	-	7
Ht. 04: Teromaa, Herne, McNeill, Jensen, 61.8	2	-	4	13	-	11
Ht. 05: Greer, Koponen, Boulger, Godal, 62.7	5	-	1	18	-	12
Ht. 06: Titman, Jansson, Teromaa, Emerson, 62.9	2	-	4	20	-	16
Ht. 07: Titman, Howgego, Herne, McNeill, 62.5	3	-	3	23	-	19
Ht. 08: McNeill, Howgego, Jansson, Godal, 63.0	3	-	3	26	-	22
Ht. 09: Greer, Koponen, Wilcock, Teromaa, 62.8	5	-	1	31	-	23
Ht. 10: Titman, McNeill, Jansson, Emerson, 63.0	1	-	5	32	-	28
Ht. 11: Herne, Howgego, Boulger, McNeill (ef), 63.2	5	-	1	37	-	29
Ht. 12: Titman, Koponen, Teromaa, Emerson, 62.5	2	-	4	39	-	33
Ht. 13: Howgego, Teromaa, Greer, Hawkins, 62.6	4	-	2	43	-	35

Cradley Heath Heathens v Birmingham Brummies Saturday 23rd September 1978 (Gulf British League)

Cradley Heath Heathens 57

					TOT	BP
1. Steve Bastable	3	2*	3	3	11	1
2. Phil Collins	2*	3	3	2*	10	2
3. Alan Grahame	3	3	3	3	12	0
4. Kristian Praestbro	2*	EF	3	1	6	1
5. Bruce Penhall	3	3	2*	2*	10	2
6. Pekka Hautamaki	3	2*	1	2*	8	2
7. James Moore	0	F	N		0	0

Birmingham Brummies 20

						TOT	BP
1. Alan Emerson	0	2	0	1	0	3	0
2. Ray Wilson R/R							
3. Phil Herne	EF	N	TS	N		0	0
4. Richard Greer	1	2	1	1	1	6	0
5. Ari Koponen	EF	0	0	0		0	0
6. Finn Jensen	1*	0	TS			1	1
7. Ted Howgego	2	1	1	2	2	8	0
8. Bengt Jansson	1	EF	1*	0		2	1

Ht. 01: Bastable, Collins, Jansson, Emerson, 65.4 (ETR)	5	-	1	5	-	1
Ht. 02: Hautamaki, Howgego, Jensen, Moore, 66.9	3	-	3	8	-	4
Ht. 03: Penhall, Praestbro, Greer, Koponen (ef), 65.9	5	-	1	13	-	5
Ht. 04: Grahame, Hautamaki, Howgego, Herne (ef), 66.5	5	-	1	18	-	6
Ht. 05: Penhall, Emerson, Praestbro (ef), Jansson (ef), 66.5	3	-	2	21	-	8
Ht. 06: Collins, Bastable, Howgego, Jensen, 65.6	5	-	1	26	-	9
Ht. 07: Grahame, Greer, Hautamaki, Koponen, 67.4	4	-	2	30	-	11
Ht. 08: Collins, Howgego, Jansson, Moore (fell), 65.7	3	-	3	33	-	14
Ht. 09: Praestbro, Penhall, Greer, Emerson, 67.2	5	-	1	38	-	15
Ht. 10: Bastable, Collins, Greer, Koponen, 66.2	5	-	1	43	-	16
Ht. 11: Grahame, Hautamaki, Emerson, Jansson, 67.3	5	-	1	48	-	17
Ht. 12: Bastable, Howgego, Praestbro, Koponen, 66.0	4	-	2	52	-	19
Ht. 13: Grahame, Penhall, Greer, Emerson, 67.3	5	-	1	57	-	20

Birmingham Brummies v Cradley Heath Heathens Monday 25th September 1978 (Gulf British League)

Birmingham Brummies 38

1. Alan Emerson	1*	1	0	1
2. Ray Wilson R/R				
3. Phil Herne	3	1	2*	3
4. Ari Koponen	0	1*	3	EF
5. Richard Greer	2	2	2*	0
6. Finn Jensen	0	2*	0	
7. Ted Howgego	1	1	3	
8. Bengt Jansson	2	3	3	1

TOT BP

3	1
9	1
4	1
6	1
2	1
5	0
9	0

Cradley Heath Heathens 40

1. Steve Bastable	3	3	1	1*
2. Phil Collins	0	0	2	0
3. Alan Grahame	0	2	1	2*
4. Kristian Praestbro	1	2*	3	2
5. Bruce Penhall	3	3	2*	3
6. Pekka Hautamaki	3	0	0	
7. David Shields	2*	1	0	

TOT BP

8	1
2	0
5	1
8	1
11	1
3	0
3	1

Ht. 01: Bastable, Jansson, Emerson, Collins, 61.0

3 - 3 3 - 3

Ht. 02: Hautamaki, Shields, Howgego, Jensen, 62.8

1 - 5 4 - 8

Ht. 03: Penhall, Greer, Praestbro, Koponen, 62.4

2 - 4 6 - 12

Ht. 04: Herne, Jensen, Shields, Grahame, 62.4

5 - 1 11 - 13

Ht. 05: Bastable, Greer, Koponen, Collins, 61.6

3 - 3 14 - 16

Ht. 06: Jansson, Grahame, Emerson, Hautamaki, 62.6

4 - 2 18 - 18

Ht. 07: Penhall, Praestbro, Herne, Jensen, 61.8

1 - 5 19 - 23

Ht. 08: Jansson, Collins, Howgego, Shields, 62.6

4 - 2 23 - 25

Ht. 09: Koponen, Greer, Grahame, Hautamaki, 63.0

5 - 1 28 - 26

Ht. 10: Praestbro, Penhall, Jansson, Emerson, 62.2

1 - 5 29 - 31

Ht. 11: Howgego, Herne, Bastable, Collins, 63.4

5 - 1 34 - 32

Ht. 12: Penhall, Grahame, Emerson, Koponen (ef), 62.6

1 - 5 35 - 37

Ht. 13: Herne, Praestbro, Bastable, Greer, 62.4

3 - 3 38 - 40

Belle Vue Aces v Birmingham Brummies Saturday 30th September 1978 (Gulf British League)

Belle Vue Aces 49

					TOT	BP
1. Chris Morton	3	3	3	3	12	0
2. Chris Turner	F	0	0	N	0	0
3. Peter Collins	3	3	3	2*	11	1
4. Steve Finch	1	2*	1	2*	6	2
5. Les Collins	3	3	3	3	12	0
6. Robert Maxfield	3	1	0	0	4	0
7. Jim Brett	2*	1	1		4	1

Birmingham Brummies 29

							TOT	BP
1. Alan Emerson	2	0	1*	2	0		5	1
2. Ray Wilson R/R								
3. Phil Herne	2	2	3	2	0		9	0
4. Ari Koponen	0	1*	2*	1*	0	1	5	3
5. Richard Greer	1*	2	1	2	2	1	9	1
6. Finn Jensen	0	TS	0				0	0
7. Ted Howgego	1	0	TS				1	0
8. Bengt Jansson	<i>Did not ride</i>							

Ht. 01: Morton, Emerson, Greer, Turner (fell), 73.6	3	-	3	3	-	3
Ht. 02: Maxfield, Brett, Howgego, Jensen, 75.6	5	-	1	8	-	4
Ht. 03: L. Collins, Greer, Finch, Koponen, 74.0	4	-	2	12	-	6
Ht. 04: P. Collins, Herne, Maxfield, Howgego, 74.6	4	-	2	16	-	8
Ht. 05: L. Collins, Finch, Greer, Emerson, 74.8	5	-	1	21	-	9
Ht. 06: Morton, Herne, Emerson, Turner, 74.2	3	-	3	24	-	12
Ht. 07: P. Collins, Greer, Koponen, Maxfield, 75.2	3	-	3	27	-	15
Ht. 08: Herne, Koponen, Brett, Turner, 74.8	1	-	5	28	-	20
Ht. 09: L. Collins, Herne, Finch, Jensen, 73.6	4	-	2	32	-	22
Ht. 10: Morton, Greer, Koponen, Maxfield, 75.0	3	-	3	35	-	25
Ht. 11: P. Collins, Emerson, Brett, Koponen, 74.8	4	-	2	39	-	27
Ht. 12: Morton, Finch, Greer, Herne, 75.6	5	-	1	44	-	28
Ht. 13: L. Collins, P. Collins, Koponen, Emerson, 73.0	5	-	1	49	-	29

Note: This match was the second half of a double header.

Gulf British League Table

Up to and including Saturday 30th September

		Home						Away						Overall										
		P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS	P	W	D	L	F	A	DIFF	PTS	+/-
1	Coventry	17	17	0	0	795	527	34	16	9	0	7	616	628	18	33	26	0	7	1423	1143	280	52	+18
2	Belle Vue	15	14	0	1	677	493	28	17	10	0	7	668.5	656.5	20	32	24	0	8	1333.5	1161.5	172	48	+18
3	Hull	17	17	0	0	818	504	34	17	4	2	11	736	588	10	34	21	2	11	1406	1240	166	44	+10
4	Wimbledon	17	15	0	2	784	536	30	18	6	1	11	728	676	13	35	21	1	13	1460	1264	196	43	+9
5	Ipswich	17	16	0	1	772	552	32	15	3	1	11	614	554	7	32	19	1	12	1326	1166	160	39	+5
6	Cradley Heath	17	16	0	1	789	536	32	14	2	1	11	587	501	5	31	18	1	12	1290	1123	167	37	+3
7	Sheffield	16	15	1	0	700.5	545.5	31	17	2	1	14	789	537	5	33	17	2	14	1237.5	1334.5	-97	36	+4
8	Exeter	15	14	0	1	747	422	28	11	3	1	7	451	402	7	26	17	1	8	1149	873	276	35	+5
9	Leicester	17	15	0	2	744	580	30	17	2	0	15	773	550	4	34	17	0	17	1294	1353	-59	34	0
10	Poole	16	13	1	2	706	541	27	15	2	2	11	646	522	6	31	15	3	13	1228	1187	41	33	+1
11	Bristol	15	14	0	1	675	493	28	17	2	0	15	744	576	4	32	16	0	16	1251	1237	14	32	+2
12	Halifax	17	13	1	3	769.5	553.5	27	18	0	2	16	842	561	2	35	13	3	19	1330.5	1395.5	-65	29	-5
13	King's Lynn	16	11	1	4	704	542	23	18	2	0	16	796	605	4	34	13	1	20	1309	1338	-29	27	-5
14	White City	18	9	2	7	709	686	20	18	3	1	14	788.5	610.5	7	36	12	3	21	1319.5	1474.5	-155	27	-9
15	Reading	15	10	1	4	618	547	21	16	2	0	14	709	537	4	31	12	1	18	1155	1256	-101	25	-5
16	Swindon	17	10	2	5	672	652	22	16	1	0	15	768	473	2	33	11	2	20	1145	1420	-275	24	-10
17	Birmingham	15	9	1	5	624	545	19	16	0	0	16	760	486	0	31	9	1	21	1110	1305	-195	19	-11
18	Hackney	18	9	1	8	724	677	19	17	0	0	17	824	499	0	35	9	1	25	1223	1501	-278	19	-17
19	Wolverhampton	15	7	1	7	569	598	15	17	1	0	16	757	568	2	32	8	1	23	1137	1355	-218	17	-13

Birmingham Brummies v Hackney Hawks Monday 2nd October 1978 (Gulf British League)

Birmingham Brummies 37

									TOT	BP
1. Ted Howgego	3	3	1	1	3				11	0
2. Ray Wilson R/R										
3. Phil Herne	2	1	1	2	N				6	0
4. Ari Koponen	0	0	N	N					0	0
5. Richard Greer	1	3	3	0	1*	X			8	1
6. Alan Emerson	2	X	0						2	0
7. Bengt Jansson	0	3	3	0	TS	2*	2		10	1

Hackney Hawks 41

									TOT	BP
1. Keith White	2	2	3	3					10	0
2. Vic Harding	0	1*	2	0					3	1
3. Barry Thomas	1	2	2	1					6	0
4. Bo Petersen	1*	2*	3	1					7	2
5. Finn Thomsen	2	3	2*	X					7	1
6. Bobby McNeil	1	0	N						1	0
7. Malcolm Shakespeare	3	3	0	1*					7	1

Ht. 01: Howgego, White, Greer, Harding, 62.8

4 - 2 4 - 2

Ht. 02: Shakespeare, Emerson, McNeil, Jansson, 63.5

2 - 4 6 - 6

Ht. 03: Greer, Thomsen, Petersen, Koponen, 63.5

3 - 3 9 - 9

Ht. 04: Shakespeare, Herne, Thomas, Emerson (exc), 63.8

2 - 4 11 - 13

Ht. 05: Greer, White, Harding, Koponen, 63.4

3 - 3 14 - 16

Ht. 06: Howgego, Thomas, Herne, McNeil, 62.6

4 - 2 18 - 18

Ht. 07: Thomsen, Petersen, Herne, Emerson, 62.8

1 - 5 19 - 23

Ht. 08: Jansson, Harding, Howgego, Shakespeare, 62.7

4 - 2 23 - 25

Ht. 09: Jansson, Thomas, Shakespeare, Greer, 62.8

3 - 3 26 - 28

Ht. 10: Petersen, Thomsen, Howgego, Jansson, 63.3

1 - 5 27 - 33

Ht. 11: White, Herne, Greer, Harding, 63.2

3 - 3 30 - 36

Ht. 12: Howgego, Jansson, Thomas, Thomsen (exc), 63.2

5 - 1 35 - 37

Ht. 13: White, Jansson, Petersen, Greer (exc), 63.0

2 - 4 37 - 41

Birmingham Brummies v Coventry Bees Monday 9th October 1978 (Gulf British League)

Birmingham Brummies 41

					TOT	BP
1. Ted Howgego	1*	1*	1*	N	3	3
2. Alan Emerson	2	2	1*	2	7	1
3. Phil Herne	2*	3	2	3	10	1
4. Ari Koponen	1*	0	2	0	3	1
5. Richard Greer	2	2	0	0	4	0
6. Finn Jensen	3	3	1	3	10	0
7. Bengt Jansson	1	2	1*		4	1

Coventry Bees 37

						TOT	BP
1. Ole Olsen	3	3	3	3	2	14	0
2. Mick Bell	0	TS	0	0		0	0
3. Mitch Shirra	1	3	3	1	2	10	0
4. Jiri Stancl	0	0	3	1*		4	1
5. Alf Busk	3	1	2	FX	1*	7	1
6. Dave Mortiboys	2	0	TS			2	0
7. Pip Lamb (<i>guest</i>)	0	0	TS			0	0

Ht. 01: Olsen, Emerson, Howgego, Bell, 60.3	3	-	3	3	-	3
Ht. 02: Jensen, Mortiboys, Jansson, Lamb, 61.1	4	-	2	7	-	5
Ht. 03: Busk, Greer, Koponen, Stancl, 62.1	3	-	3	10	-	8
Ht. 04: Jensen, Herne, Shirra, Lamb, 60.6	5	-	1	15	-	9
Ht. 05: Olsen, Greer, Busk, Koponen, 61.8	2	-	4	17	-	13
Ht. 06: Shirra, Emerson, Howgego, Mortiboys, 61.7	3	-	3	20	-	16
Ht. 07: Herne, Busk, Jensen, Stancl, 61.4	4	-	2	24	-	18
Ht. 08: Shirra, Jansson, Emerson, Bell, 62.0	3	-	3	27	-	21
Ht. 09: Olsen, Koponen, Shirra, Greer, 61.8	2	-	4	29	-	25
Ht. 10: Stancl, Emerson, Howgego, Busk (f, exc), 62.2	3	-	3	32	-	28
Ht. 11: Olsen, Herne, Jansson, Bell, 61.4	3	-	3	35	-	31
Ht. 12: Jensen, Shirra, Busk, Koponen, 61.5	3	-	3	38	-	34
Ht. 13: Herne, Olsen, Stancl, Greer, 61.6	3	-	3	41	-	37

By avoiding a heavy defeat, Coventry secure the Gulf British League title.

Gulf British League Table

Up to and including Monday 9th October

		Home						Away						Overall										
		P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS	P	W	D	L	F	A	DIFF	PTS	+/-
1	Coventry	17	17	0	0	795	527	34	18	9	0	9	697	702	18	35	26	0	9	1497	1224	273	52	+18
2	Belle Vue	17	15	0	2	757	569	30	18	10	0	8	720.5	682.5	20	35	25	0	10	1439.5	1289.5	150	50	+16
3	Hull	18	18	0	0	867	533	36	17	4	2	11	736	588	10	35	22	2	11	1455	1269	186	46	+10
4	Wimbledon	18	16	0	2	826	572	32	18	6	1	11	728	676	13	36	22	1	13	1502	1300	202	45	+9
5	Ipswich	17	16	0	1	772	552	32	18	4	1	13	747	655	9	35	20	1	14	1427	1299	128	41	+7
6	Cradley Heath	18	17	0	1	829	573	34	14	2	1	11	587	501	5	32	19	1	12	1330	1160	170	39	+3
7	Sheffield	17	16	1	0	750.5	573.5	33	18	2	1	15	831	573	5	35	18	2	15	1323.5	1404.5	-81	38	+4
8	Bristol	17	16	0	1	782	542	32	18	2	0	16	788	609	4	35	18	0	17	1391	1330	61	36	+2
9	Exeter	15	14	0	1	747	422	28	13	3	1	9	546	463	7	28	17	1	10	1210	968	242	35	+5
10	Poole	17	14	1	2	751	574	29	16	2	2	12	688	558	6	33	16	3	14	1309	1262	47	35	+1
11	Leicester	17	15	0	2	744	580	30	18	2	0	16	813	587	4	35	17	0	18	1331	1393	-62	34	0
12	Halifax	17	13	1	3	769.5	553.5	27	18	0	2	16	842	561	2	35	13	3	19	1330.5	1395.5	-65	29	-5
13	King's Lynn	16	11	1	4	704	542	23	18	2	0	16	796	605	4	34	13	1	20	1309	1338	-29	27	-5
14	Reading	16	11	1	4	662	580	23	17	2	0	15	764	560	4	33	13	1	19	1222	1344	-122	27	-5
15	White City	18	9	2	7	709	686	20	18	3	1	14	788.5	610.5	7	36	12	3	21	1319.5	1474.5	-155	27	-9
16	Swindon	18	11	2	5	714	688	24	17	1	0	16	817	502	2	35	12	2	21	1216	1505	-289	26	-10
17	Wolverhampton	17	9	1	7	662	660	19	17	1	0	16	757	568	2	34	10	1	23	1230	1417	-187	21	-13
18	Birmingham	17	10	1	6	702	623	21	16	0	0	16	760	486	0	33	10	1	22	1188	1383	-195	21	-13
19	Hackney	18	9	1	8	724	677	19	18	1	0	17	861	540	2	36	10	1	25	1264	1538	-274	21	-15

Poole Pirates v Birmingham Brummies Wednesday 11th October 1978 (Gulf British League)

Poole Pirates 53

					TOT	BP
1. Malcolm Simmons	3	3	3	3	12	0
2. Mike Curoso	2*	1	3	EF	6	1
3. Christer Sjosten	3	F	3	2*	8	1
4. Kelvin Mullarkey	0	1	0	1	2	0
5. Neil Middleditch	3	3	2	3	11	0
6. Martin Yeates	3	2*	3		8	1
7. Andrzej Tkocz	2*	2*	2*		6	3

Birmingham Brummies 25

						TOT	BP
1. Ted Howgego	1	0	1	0	1	3	0
2. Ray Wilson R/R							
3. Phil Herne	1	2	3	2		8	0
4. Ari Koponen	1*	1*	2	0	0	4	2
5. Richard Greer	0	2	2	TS	TS	4	0
6. Alan Emerson	F	0	TS			0	0
7. Bengt Jansson	1	0	0			1	0
8. Finn Jensen	2	1	1*	1		5	1

Ht. 01: Simmons, Curoso, Howgego, Greer, 68.6	5	-	1	5	-	1
Ht. 02: Yeates, Tkocz, Jansson, Emerson (fell), 70.4	5	-	1	10	-	2
Ht. 03: Middleditch, Greer, Koponen, Mullarkey, 69.6	3	-	3	13	-	5
Ht. 04: Sjosten, Yeates, Herne, Jansson, 69.6	5	-	1	18	-	6
Ht. 05: Middleditch, Jensen, Mullarkey, Howgego, 69.6	4	-	2	22	-	8
Ht. 06: Simmons, Herne, Curoso, Emerson, 70.2	4	-	2	26	-	10
Ht. 07: Yeates, Greer, Koponen, Sjosten (fell), 70.6	3	-	3	29	-	13
Ht. 08: Curoso, Tkocz, Jensen, Jansson, 70.2	5	-	1	34	-	14
Ht. 09: Herne, Middleditch, Howgego, Mullarkey, 71.0	2	-	4	36	-	18
Ht. 10: Simmons, Koponen, Jensen, Curoso (ef), 70.6	3	-	3	39	-	21
Ht. 11: Sjosten, Tkocz, Jensen, Howgego, 70.4	5	-	1	44	-	22
Ht. 12: Simmons, Herne, Mullarkey, Koponen, 70.2	4	-	2	48	-	24
Ht. 13: Middleditch, Sjosten, Howgego, Koponen, 70.4	5	-	1	53	-	25

Exeter Falcons v Birmingham Brummies Friday 13th October 1978 (Gulf British League)

Exeter Falcons 52

					TOT	BP
1. Scott Autrey	3	3	3	3	12	0
2. Steve Koppe	1	1	X	2*	4	1
3. Reidar Eide	3	3	3	2*	11	1
4. Peter Prinsloo	1	3	2*	2*	8	2
5. Vaclav Verner	3	2*	3	3	11	1
6. Mike Ferreira	1	1	0		2	0
7. Les Rumsey	3	1	0		4	0

Birmingham Brummies 26

									TOT	BP
1. Alan Emerson	0	1	1	1*	1				4	1
2. Ray Wilson R/R										
3. Phil Herne	2	2	3	1	1				9	0
4. Ari Koponen	0	1*	0	N	0				1	1
5. Richard Greer	2	2	2	2*	TS	N			8	1
6. Finn Jensen	0	0	TS						0	0
7. Bengt Jansson	2	R	0	TS	E	2	0		4	0
8. Kevin Lock (<i>loanee</i>)	<i>Did not ride</i>									

Ht. 01: Autrey, Greer, Koppe, Emerson, 69.6	4	-	2	4	-	2
Ht. 02: Rumsey, Jansson, Ferreira, Jensen, 71.4	4	-	2	8	-	4
Ht. 03: Verner, Greer, Prinsloo, Koponen, 71.1	4	-	2	12	-	6
Ht. 04: Eide, Herne, Ferreira, Jansson (ret), 70.4	4	-	2	16	-	8
Ht. 05: Prinsloo, Verner, Emerson, Jansson, 69.9	5	-	1	21	-	9
Ht. 06: Autrey, Herne, Koppe, Jensen, 69.1	4	-	2	25	-	11
Ht. 07: Eide, Greer, Koponen, Ferreira, 70.4	3	-	3	28	-	14
Ht. 08: Herne, Greer, Rumsey, Koppe (exc), 71.3	1	-	5	29	-	19
Ht. 09: Verner, Prinsloo, Herne, Koponen, 70.3	5	-	1	34	-	20
Ht. 10: Autrey, Koppe, Emerson, Jansson (exc, tapes), 69.9	5	-	1	39	-	21
Ht. 11: Eide, Jansson, Emerson, Rumsey, 72.0	3	-	3	42	-	24
Ht. 12: Autrey, Prinsloo, Herne, Jansson, 70.3	5	-	1	47	-	25
Ht. 13: Verner, Eide, Emerson, Koponen, 70.3	5	-	1	52	-	26

Cradley Heath: Express & Star Three Team Trophy, 2nd Leg Saturday 14th October 1978

Cradley Heath Heathens 54

					TOT	BP
1. Steve Bastable	3	3	3	3	12	0
2. Phil Collins	1	2*	2*	1	6	2
3. Alan Grahame	3	3	3	3	12	0
4. Pekka Hautamaki	F	1	2*	2*	5	2
5. Bruce Penhall	2*	3	1	2*	8	2
6. Kristian Praestbro	3	2*	3	3	11	1

7. John Hack (*reserve*)

Did not ride

Birmingham Brummies 27

					TOT	BP
1. Ted Howgego	2	2*	0	1	5	1
2. Phil Herne	0	3	3	EF	6	0
3. Ari Koponen	EF	1	1	2	4	0
4. Richard Greer	1	0	0	1*	2	1
5. Bengt Jansson	1	1*	0	2*	4	2
6. Alan Emerson	0	2	1	3	6	0

7. Finn Jensen (*reserve*)

Did not ride

Wolverhampton Wolves 27

					TOT	BP
1. Hans Nielsen	2	FX	2	3	7	0
2. Edgar Stangeland	1*	1	1*	0	3	2
3. Dave Morton	2*	2	0	1	5	1
4. Hasse Danielsson	3	0	1	0	4	0
5. Jim McMillan	1	3	EF	2	6	0
6. Brian Woodward	0	F	2	0	2	0

7. Dave Trownson (*reserve*)

Did not ride

Ht. 01: Bastable, Howgego, Collins, Herne, 63.9 (NTR)

Ht. 02: Danielsson, Morton, Greer, Koponen (ef), 67.4

Ht. 03: Grahame, Nielsen, Stangeland, Hautamaki (fell), 66.8

Ht. 04: Praestbro, Penhall, Jansson, Emerson, 66.2

Ht. 05: Herne, Howgego, McMillan, Woodward, 66.5

Ht. 06: (awar) Bastable, Collins, Stangeland, Nielsen (f, exc), no time

Ht. 07: Penhall, Praestbro, Koponen, Greer, 66.5

Ht. 08: McMillan, Emerson, Jansson, Woodward (fell), 67.6

Ht. 09: Grahame, Morton, Hautamaki, Danielsson, 67.7

Ht. 10: Bastable, Collins, Emerson, Jansson, 67.1

Ht. 11: Herne, Nielsen, Stangeland, Howgego, 66.5

Ht. 12: Praestbro, Woodward, Penhall (f, rem), McMillan (ef), 67.4

Ht. 13: Grahame, Hautamaki, Koponen, Greer, 67.8

Ht. 14: Emerson, Jansson, Danielsson, Morton, 68.7

Ht. 15: Bastable, McMillan, Collins, Woodward, 68.1

Ht. 16: Grahame, Hautamaki, Howgego, Herne (ef), 66.9

Ht. 17: Nielsen, Koponen, Greer, Stangeland, 68.1

Ht. 18: Praestbro, Penhall, Morton, Danielsson, 68.1

Aggregate Score (after Leg 2 of 3): Cradley Heath 102, Wolverhampton 62, Birmingham 54

Cr	Bi	Wo
4	2	
	1	5
3		3
5	1	
	5	1
5		1
5	1	
	3	3
4		2
5	1	
	3	3
4		2
5	1	
	5	1
4		2
5	1	
	3	3
5		1

Cr	Bi	Wo
4	2	
4	3	5
7	3	8
12	4	8
12	9	9
17	9	10
22	10	10
22	13	13
26	13	15
31	14	15
31	17	18
35	17	20
40	18	20
40	23	21
44	23	23
49	24	23
49	27	26
54	27	27

Birmingham Brummies v Wolverhampton Wolves Monday 16th October 1978 (Gulf British League)

Birmingham Brummies 41

					TOT	BP
1. Ted Howgego	1*	2	3	2	8	1
2. Alan Emerson	2	1*	3	1	7	1
3. Phil Herne	3	3	1	3	10	0
4. Ari Koponen	2	1*	1	EF	4	1
5. Richard Greer	1*	2	0	FX	3	1
6. Finn Jensen	3	0	0		3	0
7. Bengt Jansson	1	2*	3		6	1

Wolverhampton Wolves 37

					TOT	BP
1. Hans Nielsen	3	3	2*	2 2	12	1
2. Edgar Stangeland	0	0	1	0	1	0
3. Dave Morton	2	3	3	1	9	0
4. Jim McMillan	3	2	2	3 1*	11	1
5. Hasse Danielsson	0	1*	0	TS	1	1
6. Brian Woodward	2	0	TS		2	0
7. Dave Trownson	0	1*	0		1	1

Ht. 01: Nielsen, Emerson, Howgego, Stangeland, 60.5	3	-	3	3	-	3
Ht. 02: Jensen, Woodward, Jansson, Trownson, 61.3	4	-	2	7	-	5
Ht. 03: McMillan, Koponen, Greer, Danielsson, 61.3	3	-	3	10	-	8
Ht. 04: Herne, Morton, Trownson, Jensen, 62.3	3	-	3	13	-	11
Ht. 05: Nielsen, Greer, Koponen, Stangeland, 61.3	3	-	3	16	-	14
Ht. 06: Morton, Howgego, Emerson, Woodward, 62.2	3	-	3	19	-	17
Ht. 07: Herne, McMillan, Danielsson, Jensen, 61.1	3	-	3	22	-	20
Ht. 08: Emerson, Jansson, Stangeland, Trownson, 62.8	5	-	1	27	-	21
Ht. 09: Morton, Nielsen, Koponen, Greer, 62.7	1	-	5	28	-	26
Ht. 10: Howgego, McMillan, Emerson, Danielsson, 61.4	4	-	2	32	-	28
Ht. 11: Jansson, Nielsen, Herne, Stangeland, 62.0	4	-	2	36	-	30
Ht. 12: McMillan, Howgego, Morton, Koponen (ef), 61.5	2	-	4	38	-	34
Ht. 13: (rerun) Herne, Nielsen, McMillan, Greer (f, exc), 61.4	3	-	3	41	-	37

Birmingham: Express & Star Three Team Trophy, 3rd Leg Friday 20th October 1978

Birmingham Brummies 35

					TOT	BP
1. Ted Howgego	3	3	1	2	9	0
2. Phil Herne	1	2*	0	1*	4	2
3. Ari Koponen	3	2	0	1	6	0
4. Alan Emerson	1	1*	1	0	3	1
5. Finn Jensen	1*	0	1*	2*	4	3
6. Bengt Jansson	2	2	2	3	9	0
7. Andy Grahame (<i>reserve</i>)	<i>Did not ride</i>					

Cradley Heath Heathens 46

					TOT	BP
1. Steve Bastable	0	2	3	2*	7	1
2. David Shields	2	1*	1	3	7	1
3. Alan Grahame	3	3	3	3	12	0
4. Pekka Hautamaki	2*	1	2*	1	6	2
5. Kristian Praestbro	3	2	2*	3	10	1
6. Dave Perks	EF	1*	3	EF	4	1
7. John Hack (<i>reserve</i>)	<i>Did not ride</i>					

Wolverhampton Wolves 26

					TOT	BP
1. Hans Nielsen	EF	EF	N	N	0	0
2. Edgar Stangeland	2	EF	2	2	6	0
3. Dave Morton	EF	3	2	N	5	0
4. Brian Woodward	1	0	1*	1	3	1
5. Jim McMillan	3	3	3	3	12	0
6. Hasse Danielsson	0	EF	0	0	0	0
7. Terry Freeman (<i>reserve</i>)	0	0	0		0	0

Ht. 01: Howgego, Shields, Herne, Bastable, 65.1

Ht. 02: Alan Grahame, Hautamaki, Woodward, Morton (ef), 65.1

Ht. 03: Koponen, Stangeland, Emerson, Nielsen (ef), 66.5

Ht. 04: Praestbro, Jansson, Jensen, Perks (ef), 65.9

Ht. 05: McMillan, Bastable, Shields, Danielsson, 62.7

Ht. 06: Howgego, Herne, Nielsen (ef), Stangeland (ef), 65.1

Ht. 07: Alan Grahame, Jansson, Hautamaki, Jensen, 64.1

Ht. 08: McMillan, Praestbro, Perks, Danielsson (ef), 62.4

Ht. 09: Morton, Koponen, Emerson, Woodward, 64.4

Ht. 10: Perks, Praestbro, Howgego, Herne, 63.4

Ht. 11: Bastable, Stangeland, Shields, Freeman, 64.0

Ht. 12: McMillan, Jansson, Jensen, Danielsson, 63.2

Ht. 13: Alan Grahame, Hautamaki, Emerson, Koponen, 64.1

Ht. 14: Praestbro, Morton, Woodward, Perks (ef), 63.8

Ht. 15: McMillan, Howgego, Herne, Danielsson, 62.2

Ht. 16: Shields, Bastable, Koponen, Emerson, 65.2

Ht. 17: Alan Grahame, Stangeland, Hautamaki, Freeman, 63.7

Ht. 18: Jansson, Jensen, Woodward, Freeman, 64.6

Final aggregate score: Cradley Heath 146, Birmingham 89, Wolverhampton 88

Bi	Cr	Wo
4	2	
	5	1
4		2
3	3	
	3	3
5		0
2	4	
	3	3
3		3
1	5	
	4	2
3		3
1	5	
	4	2
5		1

Bi	Cr	Wo
4	2	
4	7	1
8	7	3
11	10	3
11	13	6
16	13	6
18	17	6
18	20	9
21	20	12
22	25	12
22	29	14
25	29	17
26	34	17
26	37	20
29	37	23
30	42	23
30	46	25
35	46	26

Birmingham: Midland Fours Monday 23rd October 1978

Birmingham Brummies 25

1. Phil Herne	3	2	2	EF	TOT	BP
2. Ted Howgego	3	2*	1	2	7	0
3. Bengt Jansson	2*	1*	FX	0	8	1
4. Alan Emerson	0	3	3	1	3	2
5. Ari Koponen (reserve)	Did not ride				7	0

Coventry Bees 35

1. Mitch Shirra	3	3	3	3	TOT	BP
2. Alan Molyneux	2	3	3	1	12	0
3. Jiri Stancl	1	2*	1	3	9	0
4. Alf Busk	1*	2*	2*	2*	7	1
5. Finn Jensen (loanee) (reserve)	Did not ride				7	4

Stoke Potters 11

1. John Harrhy	1	1	0	0	TOT	BP
2. Tony Lomas	0	1	0	1	2	0
3. Frank Smith	0	0	1	2	2	0
4. Ian Robertson	3	0	1	0	3	0
5. Andy Grahame (loanee) (reserve)	Did not ride				4	0

Wolverhampton Wolves 25

1. Jim McMillan	2	3	3	3	TOT	BP
2. Dave Morton	1*	1	2	2*	11	0
3. Edgar Stangeland	0	0	2*	3	6	2
4. Brian Woodward	2	0	0	1	5	1
5. Mick Blaynee (loanee) (reserve)	Did not ride				3	0

Ht. 01: Howgego, Molyneux, Busk, Emerson, 62.4

Ht. 02: Robertson, Woodward, Morton, Lomas, 63.3

Ht. 03: Herne, Jansson, Harrhy, Smith, 63.1

Ht. 04: Shirra, McMillan, Stancl, Stangeland, 61.5

Ht. 05: Emerson, Howgego, Lomas, Robertson, 62.7

Ht. 06: Molyneux, Busk, Morton, Woodward, 62.8

Ht. 07: McMillan, Herne, Jansson, Stangeland, 62.5

Ht. 08: Shirra, Stancl, Harrhy, Smith, 62.2

Ht. 09: Emerson, Morton, Howgego, Woodward, 63.1

Ht. 10: Molyneux, Busk, Robertson, Lomas, 62.9

Ht. 11: Shirra, Herne, Stancl, Jansson (f, exc), 62.4

Ht. 12: McMillan, Stangeland, Smith, Harrhy, 63.3

Ht. 13: Stancl, Busk, Emerson, Jansson, 63.0

Ht. 14: Stangeland, Smith, Woodward, Robertson, 63.7

Ht. 15: McMillan, Morton, Lomas, Harrhy, 63.6

Ht. 16: Shirra, Howgego, Molyneux, Herne (ef), 63.1

Bi	Co	St	Wo
3	3		
		3	3
5		1	
	4		2
5		1	
	5		1
3			3
	5	1	
4			2
	5	1	
2	4		
		1	5
1	5		
		2	4
		1	5
2	4		

Bi	Co	St	Wo
3	3		
3	3	3	3
8	3	4	3
8	7	4	5
13	7	5	5
13	12	5	6
16	12	5	9
16	17	6	9
20	17	6	11
20	22	7	11
22	26	7	11
22	26	8	16
23	31	8	16
23	31	10	20
23	31	11	25
25	35	11	25

Birmingham: Second City Trophy Monday 30th October 1978

						TOT	POS
1. John Louis (<i>Ipswich</i>)	3	3	3	2	3	14	1st
2. Richard Hellsen (<i>King's Lynn</i>)	2	1	3	3	3	12	3rd
3. Ted Howgego (<i>Birmingham</i>)	1	2	3	1	2	9	
4. Pekka Hautamaki (<i>Cradley Heath</i>)	0	2	2	EF	0	4	
5. Ales Dryml (<i>Exeter</i>)	0	F	2	2	1	5	
6. Hans Nielsen (<i>Wolverhampton</i>)	2	3	0	1	3	9	
7. Ari Koponen (<i>Birmingham</i>)	1	0	0	3	1	5	
8. Alan Emerson (<i>Birmingham</i>)	3	1	2	1	1	8	
9. Vaclav Verner (<i>Exeter</i>)	1	1	1	2	0	5	
10. Finn Jensen (<i>Birmingham</i>)	0	0	3	0	2	5	
11. Finn Thomsen (<i>Hackney</i>)	2	3	1	2	2	10	
12. Bengt Jansson (<i>Birmingham</i>)	3	EF	1	1	0	5	
13. Alf Busk (<i>Coventry</i>)	2	2	1	0	1	6	
14. Kristian Praestbro (<i>Cradley Heath</i>)	1	2	0	0	3	6	
15. Keith White (<i>Hackney</i>)	X	1	0	3	0	4	
16. Mike Lohmann (<i>Halifax</i>)	3	3	2	3	2	13	2nd
17. Andy Grahame (<i>Birmingham</i>) (<i>reserve</i>)	<i>Did not ride</i>						
18. Mick Blaynee (<i>Birmingham</i>) (<i>reserve</i>)	<i>Did not ride</i>						

Ht. 01: Louis, Hellsen, Howgego, Hautamaki, 62.4

Ht. 02: Emerson, Nielsen, Koponen, Dryml, 63.3

Ht. 03: Jansson, Thomsen, Verner, Jensen, 64.3

Ht. 04: Lohmann, Busk, Praestbro, White (f, rem) (exc, outside assistance), 63.3

Ht. 05: Louis, Busk, Verner, Dryml (fell), 62.7

Ht. 06: Nielsen, Praestbro, Hellsen, Jensen, 62.8

Ht. 07: Thomsen, Howgego, White, Koponen, 63.3

Ht. 08: Lohmann, Hautamaki, Emerson, Jansson (ef), 63.5

Ht. 09: Louis, Lohmann, Thomsen, Nielsen, 62.2

Ht. 10: Hellsen, Dryml, Jansson, White, 62.8

Ht. 11: Howgego, Emerson, Verner, Praestbro, 63.7

Ht. 12: Jensen, Hautamaki, Busk, Koponen, 63.1

Ht. 13: Koponen, Louis, Jansson, Praestbro, 63.1

Ht. 14: (rerun) Hellsen, Thomsen, Emerson, Busk, 62.6

Ht. 15: Lohmann, Dryml, Howgego, Jensen, 63.4

Ht. 16: (rerun) White, Verner, Nielsen, Hautamaki (ef), 63.8

Ht. 17: Louis, Jensen, Emerson, White, 62.7

Ht. 18: Hellsen, Lohmann, Koponen, Verner, 62.8

Ht. 19: Nielsen, Howgego, Busk, Jansson, 63.1

Ht. 20: Praestbro, Thomsen, Dryml, Hautamaki, 63.3

Gulf British League Final Table

		Home						Away						Overall										
		P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS	P	W	D	L	F	A	DIFF	PTS	+/-
1	Coventry	18	18	0	0	840	560	36	18	9	0	9	697	702	18	36	27	0	9	1542	1257	285	54	+18
2	Belle Vue	18	16	0	2	809	595	32	18	10	0	8	720.5	682.5	20	36	26	0	10	1491.5	1315.5	176	52	+16
3	Hull	18	18	0	0	867	533	36	18	4	2	12	792	610	10	36	22	2	12	1477	1325	152	46	+10
4	Wimbledon	18	16	0	2	826	572	32	18	6	1	11	728	676	13	36	22	1	13	1502	1300	202	45	+9
5	Cradley Heath	18	17	0	1	829	573	34	18	4	1	13	749	648	9	36	21	1	14	1477	1322	155	43	+7
6	Ipswich	18	17	0	1	816	583	34	18	4	1	13	747	655	9	36	21	1	14	1471	1330	141	43	+7
7	Exeter	18	17	0	1	902	501	34	18	3	1	14	768	630	7	36	20	1	15	1532	1269	263	41	+5
8	Sheffield	18	17	1	0	793.5	608.5	35	18	2	1	15	831	573	5	36	19	2	15	1366.5	1439.5	-73	40	+4
9	Bristol	18	17	0	1	823	579	34	18	2	0	16	788	609	4	36	19	0	17	1432	1367	65	38	+2
10	Poole	18	15	1	2	804	599	31	18	2	2	14	780	622	6	36	17	3	16	1426	1379	47	37	+1
11	Leicester	18	15	0	3	781	621	30	18	2	0	16	813	587	4	36	17	0	19	1368	1434	-66	34	-2
12	Halifax	18	14	1	3	810.5	589.5	29	18	0	2	16	842	561	2	36	14	3	19	1371.5	1431.5	-60	31	-5
13	King's Lynn	18	12	2	4	786	616	26	18	2	0	16	796	605	4	36	14	2	20	1391	1412	-21	30	-6
14	Reading	18	11	2	5	739	659	24	18	2	1	15	803	599	5	36	13	3	20	1338	1462	-124	29	-7
15	White City	18	9	2	7	709	686	20	18	3	1	14	788.5	610.5	7	36	12	3	21	1319.5	1474.5	-155	27	-9
16	Swindon	18	11	2	5	714	688	24	18	1	1	16	856	541	3	36	12	3	21	1255	1544	-289	27	-9
17	Wolverhampton	18	10	1	7	707	693	21	18	1	0	17	798	605	2	36	11	1	24	1312	1491	-179	23	-13
18	Birmingham	18	11	1	6	743	660	23	18	0	0	18	865	537	0	36	11	1	24	1280	1525	-245	23	-13
19	Hackney	18	9	1	8	724	677	19	18	1	0	17	861	540	2	36	10	1	25	1264	1538	-274	21	-15

Birmingham 1978 - Requirements													
Ref #	Date	Home	Away or Meeting Title	Event	YB #	Rider	YB entry			My entry			Requirement
							R	P	B	R	P	B	
145	12/04/1978	Poole	Birmingham	KOC									Birmingham #8
226	27/04/1978	Ipswich	Birmingham	BL									Birmingham #8
370	22/05/1978	Birmingham	King's Lynn	BL									King's Lynn #8
443	03/06/1978	Swindon	Birmingham	BL									Ht 13: time
613	03/07/1978	Birmingham	Skol Masters Trophy	IND									2nd meeting reserve
939	27/08/1978	Wolverhampton	Birmingham	BL	21	Ari Koponen	4	3	2	3	3	2	Ht 13: Koponen exc, tapes?
1160	02/10/1978	Birmingham	Hackney	BL									Birmingham #8

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