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This week, grassroot sides up and down the country face fixture congestion after weeks of postponements due to the weather. Also earn your side £100 with MWR Solicitors.

Elsewhere, the Glazer family consider selling Old Trafford and Jeff Stelling returns to his former school to open up a state of the art pitch.

Grassroot sides face fixture pile up

The cold weather, which is still wreaking havoc on sporting events, has left amateur and junior football sides all over the country facing a huge fixture pile up with many clubs failing to play a game since early December.



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Law firm offers chance to earn £100 for your club

A Lancashire based solicitors is helping out clubs by giving players, family and friends the chance to earn £100 for their chosen team with their Funds4Clubs scheme.



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Stelling returns to open £600,000 artificial pitch

Sky Sports and Countdown presenter Jeff Stelling has returned to his old school to officially open a new £600,000 artificial grass pitch, floodlit by Abacus Lighting, which will support the development of youth football across Winchester.



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FTD appoint Business Development Executive

The Football Trade Directory is delighted to welcome Chris Rowe to the company as their new Business Development Executive.



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Manchester United may sell Old Trafford

Manchester United may sell and lease back both Old Trafford and their Carrington training ground according to the prospectus for their £500m bond issue



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Also this Week

Sheffield FA agree partnership with Wednesday

Sheffield & Hallamshire FA have agreed a partnership with Sheffield Wednesday to deliver a number of community projects over the next two years including health initiatives, coaching and education.

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Row into alcohol sponsorship continues

The row into alcohol sponsorship continues with The European Sponsorship Association (ESA) claiming the government's Health Committee Report on Alcohol misrepresents the complete picture of the alcohol sponsorship landscape and "fails to acknowledge self-regulation activity by rights-holders".

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Ricoh Arena set for £3 million investment

The Ricoh Arena is set for a £3 million investment that will see the southern side of the venue transformed, although it will not increase the outdoor capacity of the stadium.

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Orange to continue as Africa Cup of Nations sponsor

Orange are set to continue to be the headline sponsor of the Africa Cup of Nations despite the controversy surrounding the tournament.

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