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# Page Three

It was a hot day, so Alena, Anna and Vanessa were in shorts behind the bar in the Waterhole.



It was a lot cooler outside when I took this photo of Ewa and Sigourney in Players, but they're still hot!



Can't believe it's over a year since Emilia and Julia were last in the Stun together, so I'm glad I bumped into them in Susie's Saloon.



It's been a while since our last solo photo of Ria behind the bar of the Magpie too!

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# The Editor's Bit

After last month's cover featuring a statue of Rembrandt, I decided to go with a statue again; there are plenty around Amsterdam to choose from, so it might become a regular feature. It's also a good opportunity to have another **Cover Competition**; all you have to do is tell me (contact details on page 2) where the statue on this month's cover is located by Friday 30th August. I forgot to ask around for a prize, so any correct entries will get an Honourable Mention in this column next month. I'll try to get a proper prize for the next Cover Competition!

Something that has got a 'proper' prize is our annual Premier Predictions League competition, where you can win 2 x €30 vouchers for food & drinks at Coco's Outback. Full details are on page 23 and you can see how the Stun's very own football expert thinks the season will finish in "Being Frank On Football" on pages 21 & 22.

Last season's competition was won by Jude, who moved back to Ireland a few years ago, but he still enters the Stun's Premier Predictions League every year. He's got no plans on coming back soon, so he asked me to give his prize to his good friend Aileen, who's planning a visit to Coco's Outback with

her daughter and best friend, who were also friends of Jude.



A while ago, somebody asked if I'd seen Luke around. I said no because I hadn't seen him in ages but he was in Susie's Saloon when I dropped in recently. Emilia (see Page Three) took this photo of us after he bought me a pint... followed by a tequila...



This photo doesn't link to anything, but it was my birthday, Jelena was in Susie's Saloon and Louise was behind the bar; that needed a photo!

All of our usual stuff is here this month, plus photos from Janet's birthday and Del Bhoy's leaving party, so enjoy your August Stun.

*Andy*



# Congratulations

Happy Birthday Adrian, Al, Alan, Albert, Amy, Andrew, Andy, Ann, Arthur, Astrid, Billy, Blom, Bo, Brian, Bruno, Chuara, Danny, Dave, David, Deirdre, Elaine, Els, Finny, Floor, Gary, Gregg, Hans, Hennie, Hester, Jack, James, Jamie, Jasmina, Jesse, Jim, Joep, John, Joop, Judit, June, Jurrien, Justin, Ken, Kiz, Len, Lenore, Leny, Lesley, Marie, Mary, Matilde, Michelle, Mick, Mike, Nicole, Patrick, Paul, Phil, Polly, Ray, Rebecca, Rikki, Roland, Ron, Rory, Ruben, Ryan, Sheila, Singh, Susanne, Sylvia, Tamira, Tim, Tommy, Torre, tRAcY, Trudy, Vicky, Virginia, Wendy, Zoe.

Happy anniversary Paddy & Petra, Nic & Harriet, Cathy & Chick, Nick & Tina, Gareth & Suzana.

## SAME AS IT EVER WAS

The brooding silence of Amsterdam greets me like a long lost friend, happy to see my slumbering spirit pacing beneath its moonlit sky as I stroll along, listening to the silence and looking for non-existent monuments.

There's a small plaque on the spot where the trumpeter Chet Baker landed when he propelled himself from his hotel window in a dope fuelled depression, and no monument at all for the Dutch rocker Herman Brood who jumped off a high building, or even a sign on the highway where his hearse broke down on the way to the graveyard.

I feel safer wandering from bridge to bridge, looking for the spot where Napoleon Bonaparte stood and relieved himself.

The daylight has always been an enemy to be dispatched as soon as possible. While I don't exactly shrivel in the sunlight like a vampire in some director's imagination, I've always had the sense to avoid the sun.

Cities are all the same when the sun goes down. My Manhattan roots follow me like a mobile comfort zone.

It's safer to prowl the night now that the powers that be have chased away the outlaws so they can feel secure in their tittering boredom, and secretly envy the people who made the twilight interesting.

Romantic and silent, and once dangerous, now tepid pavement echo my footfalls, as I mumble words in cadence with my footsteps as I walk short distances between mixing songs and typing a story that you may or may not ever read.

Time was always a luxury and I've used it well. Comfortably avoiding the daylight and walking in solitude through the darkened streets where the crowded city hasn't yet conquered the night... or me.

*Terry Mann*

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### Weekly

20:00, **Durty Nelly's**, Live Music, *with Dave & Friends*  
21:30, **Maloe Melo**, Acoustic Session, *with Peter Lavell & his Gritmoaners*  
22:00, **Bourbon Street**, Magic Monday, *Open Jam hosted by Mosquito*  
22:00, **The End**, Karaoke, *over 40,000 English/Dutch songs to choose from. Open til 3*

**12th August 2019**

**The Waterhole**, Indie Night, *with...*

20:00, Callum Gardner (UK), *Acoustic Pop*  
21:30, Embrace the Emperor, *Indie-Rock*  
23:00, **The Waterhole**, Potaporceo, *Ska, Reggae*

**19th August 2019**

**The Waterhole**, Indie Night, *with...*

20:00, Subterranean Street Society, *Acoustic Pop*, *Rock*

21:00, The Bernhard (Swi), *Indie-Rock*  
22:15, Arcades (UK), *Britpop*  
23:45, The Rin Tins (UK), *Gypsy-swing*

**26th August 2019**

**The Waterhole**, Indie Night, *with...*

20:00, LOOL,  
22:15, Trongate Rum Riots (Sco), *Speedfolk*  
23:45, Buenasysantas (Arg), *Reggae*

## Tuesday

### Weekly

20:00, **Café de Koe**, Open Mic Night, *hosted by The Amsterdam Songwriters Guild*  
20:30, **The Waterhole**, Waterhole Jam with Rene Kipuw, *Pop, Rock*  
21:30, **Maloe Melo**, Acoustic Session, *with Kevin Chapman & Friends*  
22:00, **The End**, Karaoke, *over 40,000 English/Dutch songs to choose from. Open til 3*

**6th August 2019**

19:30, **Rock On!** Karaoke, *Come and sing your favourite rock songs out LOUD! (or cheer the ones on that dare!)*

20:00, **Boom Chicago**, Amsterdam Magic Show, *The best international magic and comedy acts in the heart of Amsterdam. Tickets are €25 online / €30 at the door. Book tickets now as the shows tend to sell out well in advance. Use Promotional Code STUN for a 10% discount!*

**13th August 2019**

19:30, **Coco's Outback**, International Pub Quiz, *Entry price: €2.50, maximum 5 persons to a team. Great Prizes!*

19:30, **Rock On!** Trivia Pub Quiz, *If you like Trivial Pursuit, you will like this quiz! In Dutch and English, €5 p.p., max. 4 players per team*

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## Tuesday

**20th August 2019**

19:30, **Rock On!** Karaoke, *Come and sing your favourite rock songs out LOUD! (or cheer the ones on that dare!)*

**27th August 2019**

20:00, **The Poolbar**, Pub Quiz, €5 per person, max. 5 in a team. First place wins 80% of the pot, second gets 20%

**3rd September 2019**

20:00, **Boom Chicago**, Amsterdam Magic Show, *The best international magic and comedy acts in the heart of Amsterdam. Tickets are €25 online / €30 at the door. Book tickets now as the shows tend to sell out well in advance. Use Promotional Code STUN for a 10% discount!*

## Wednesday

**Weekly**

20:30, **The Waterhole**, Wednesday Rock n' Roll Jam Night, *Pop, Rock*

22:00, **Cafe Pollux**, Jukebox Rockola Jam Session,  
22:00, **The End**, Karaoke, *over 40,000 English/Dutch songs to choose from. Open til 3*

**7th August 2019**

21:30, **Maloe Melo**, Rei Satoshi's Music Night, *Bring your instruments*

**14th August 2019**

21:30, **Maloe Melo**, Franklin Madjid's Music Train,

**21st August 2019**

21:30, **Maloe Melo**, Rock Session, *with Rock n Roll Nico*

**28th August 2019**

21:30, **Maloe Melo**, Blues Session, *with Magic Sem*

## Thursday

**Weekly**

21:00, **Het Hok**, Mosquito Unplugged, *Latin Pop Rock*

22:00, **Coco's Outback**, Karaoke Competition, *Get a FREE shot before singing and be in with a chance of winning a nice prize!*

22:00, **The End**, Karaoke, *over 40,000 English/Dutch songs to choose from. Open til 3*

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AUG**

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**TUE  
13  
AUG**

**PUB QUIZ**

19:30 - If you like Trivial Pursuit, you will like this quiz!  
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**SUN  
18  
AUG**

**POP & ROCK MUSIC QUIZ**

16:00 - listen to the music and name that tune!  
5 euro p.p., max. 4 players per team

**TUE  
20  
AUG**

**ROCK ON! KARAOKE**

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## Thursday

**8th August 2019**

20:00, **The Waterhole**, Lucky 13, *Rock*  
 21:30, **Maloe Melo**, Rock Session, *with Kim Stevens*  
 22:30, **The Waterhole**, JB-3, *Pop, Rock*

**15th August 2019**

20:00, **The Waterhole**, Paul & Pelle, *Acoustic Pop*  
 21:30, **Maloe Melo**, Rock Session, *with Kim Stevens*  
 22:30, **The Waterhole**, 2hot2funk, *Pop, Rock*

**22nd August 2019**

20:00, **The Waterhole**, Township Rebellion, *Rock*  
 21:30, **Maloe Melo**, N.S.A., *Student night*  
 23:30, **The Waterhole**, Mad Lee & the Mothercovers, *Pop, Rock*

**29th August 2019**

20:00, **The Waterhole**, Dean & the Moonboys, *Rock n Roll*  
 21:30, **Maloe Melo**, Blues Session, *with Lamar Chase*  
 23:30, **The Waterhole**, Liquid Spirit (UK),

**5th September 2019**

20:30, **De Nieuwe Anita**, Nutty Anita's Comedy Night, *with Stephen Bell, Nicole Huber and more tba. Hosted by Ken Parsons with his trademark mix of daft headtrips and even dafter songs!* €7

## Friday

**Weekly**

21:00, **The End**, Karaoke, *over 40,000 English/Dutch songs to choose from. Open til 3*

**9th August 2019**

21:00, **The Waterhole**, Adam Tobit, *Acoustic Pop*  
 22:30, **Maloe Melo**, Live Music, *band(s) tba* €5  
 23:00, **The Waterhole**, Cover Up, *90's Rock*

**16th August 2019**

21:00, **The Waterhole**, Edo Sparks, *Acoustic Pop, Ed Sheeran-tribute*  
 21:00, **Rockclub The Cave**, Filhos de Inacio (BR), *Lets Kiss The Queen Tour*  
 22:30, **Maloe Melo**, Live Music, *band(s) tba* €5  
 23:00, **The Waterhole**, cover band, *tba*

**23rd August 2019**

21:00, **The Waterhole**, Koecks & friend, *Acoustic Pop, Rock*  
 21:00, **Rockclub The Cave**, DeadFire, *Boozy Rock n Roll band from Aberdeen, Scotland*  
 22:30, **Maloe Melo**, Saltwater Jinx, *Americana, Country, Roots from Helsinki* €5  
 23:00, **The Waterhole**, Local Boyzz, *Partyrock*

**30th August 2019**

21:00, **The Waterhole**, Steven de Geus Unplugged, *Pop, Rock*  
 22:30, **Maloe Melo**, Live Music, *band(s) tba* €5  
 23:00, **The Waterhole**, The First Resort, *Rock*

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## Saturday

### Weekly

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### 10th August 2019

20:00, **The Waterhole**, Rock-A-Oke, *Live-band Karaoke. Grab the mic!*

22:30, **Maloe Melo**, Arna Rox and the Truckstops, *Blues from Melbourne* €5

23:00, **The Waterhole**, cover band, *tba*

### 17th August 2019

21:00, **The Waterhole**, Andrew Laureth, *Acoustic Pop, Rock*

22:30, **Maloe Melo**, Live Music, *band(s) tba* €5

23:00, **The Waterhole**, Smuk, *Pop, Rock*

### 24th August 2019

21:00, **The Waterhole**, Subterranean Street Society, *Acoustic Pop*

22:30, **Maloe Melo**, Picaflor feat Ramiro, *Latin Rhythms, Rock* €5

23:00, **The Waterhole**, Altitude, *Pop, Rock*

### 31st August 2019

21:00, **The Waterhole**, Waste Unplugged?

21:00, **Rockclub The Cave**, Deadsquad, Viscral, *Two Indonesian death metal bands on "The Devourer European Tour"*

22:30, **Maloe Melo**, Xtreme Blues Dog, *one-man band, + Gilletjes, Bumberleo* €5

23:00, **The Waterhole**, Spit, *Hard-hitting 90's Rock*

## Sunday

### Weekly

21:30, **Maloe Melo**, Acoustic Session, *Open podium*

22:00, **The End**, Karaoke, over 40,000 English/  
Dutch songs to choose from. Open til 3

### 11th August 2019

19:00, **The Waterhole**, Chris Alain & Friends, *Acoustic Soul, Pop*

19:30, **Cafe Langereis**, Gianluca Pagliaricci, *Covers pop and classic*

21:30, **The Waterhole**, De Zeevruchtjes, *Allround Rock*

## Sunday

### 18th August 2019

16:00, **Rock On!** Pop & Rock Music Quiz, *listen to the music and name that tune! €5 p.p., max. 4 players per team*

19:00, **The Waterhole**, Edo Sparks, *Acoustic Pop*

19:30, **Cafe Langereis**, Arthur Ebeling, *one of our local guitar heroes; rock n roll, blues, jazz and more*

22:30, **The Waterhole**, Grooveplate, *Pop, Funk*

### 25th August 2019

17:00, **Rock On!** Live Music: Jessamine (AU), Planet Zerpo (SE/FI/NL), The Overdue's (UK/FR/NL), *Pop-Rock, Cosmic Rock & Cigar Box guitar vibes, all in one afternoon! - free entrance*

19:00, **The Waterhole**, Continental Breakfast, *Pop, Rock*

19:30, **Cafe Langereis**, Sunday Sessions, *With a different act every week*

22:30, **The Waterhole**, The Bentleys, *50/60's Rock n Roll*





It was still daylight when I arrived at Hotel Torenzicht and Hak was at his favourite table.

# ROUND T

Now that Remco and Dirk are in the Blauwe Druif on Haarlemmerstraat, I'm sure I'll drop in more often; it's on my route into town!



Just another Wednesday night in Excalibur, with Willem, Hoeke and Skip.



Bob and Steven were unwinding after a hard day in Molly's with a beer in H. Murray's.



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Former residents Joan and Bernadine (in white) were back in town and met up with locals Josie and Sharon for a drink in Café Oporto.



DJ R@yden (Raymond to his friends) was behind the decks on a Saturday night in the Three Sisters Pub.



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Luis, Dan and Sam were outside Het Hok before their gig as The Music Collectors in Bourbon Street on singer Steven's birthday.



Miguel, Buddy, Gregorio and Marcos were taking a break between sets as the house band at the Wednesday Jam in the Waterhole.



Magic Sem and Chris used to do acoustic sessions together in Maloe Melo, but I hadn't seen Chris perform in ages, until this night.

# BEHIND MORE



Pam from Colchester loved Susie's Saloon when she was in town and the staff loved her too, so she posed behind the bar with Steve, Louise and Hide.

For the first time this year, Jesse wasn't in the last Stun, but he's back, along with his Waterhole colleagues Jasmine and Vanessa.



There's another Lars in Susie's Saloon, but this one is younger, bigger, and I'm not sure if he speaks Danish.

Jurrien and John Thomas were behind the bar for Janet's 60th in Café Oporto



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# BARS

Tom in H. Murray's is a big fan of the "Old Masters" so he posed in the style of a Rembrandt painting.



Just because he's wearing an England T-shirt doesn't make Lee in the Magpie a Brexit fan.



Jur was wearing a very colourful shirt in Maloe Melo; a Hawaiian theme bar had just opened next door.



Rijk and Max were behind the bar when I dropped into the Poolbar.

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# Janet's 60th

Janet celebrated her 60th birthday in Café Oporto with the help of fellow Scousers Janice, who's bar it is, and Fiona, who did the food.



Elvis couldn't make it, but once the Karaoke machine was going, the party really took off.

Janet's son Michael dropped in, although he didn't stay long; who can blame him!



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# around **LIVE** AMSTERDAM

Gregorio will be at the Wednesday Jam in the Waterhole throughout August, either as session leader or member of the house band.



Dave was recently joined by Gianluca, Jina and Tomas for his live music night, every Monday in Durty Nelly's.



## In The Poolbar

*Photos by Rob*



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# JOKES

"Darling, I have a confession to make," said Mrs Newlywed to her slightly dense husband. "Before I met you, I was engaged to a boy with one leg called Albert."

"Oh, really", said her husband. "What was his other leg called?"

\*\*\*\*\*

"I suppose I should have told you before," she said. "I can't cook."

"That's all right, little girl" consoled the bridegroom, "I have a confession to make, too. I'm an out-of-work musician and there won't be anything to eat."

\*\*\*\*\*

An elderly couple had dinner at another couple's house, and after eating, the wives left the table and went into the kitchen. The two gentlemen were talking, and one said, "Last night, we went out to a new restaurant and it was really great. I would recommend it very highly."

The other man said, "What's the name of the restaurant?"

The first man thought and thought and finally said, "What is the name of that flower you give to someone you love? You know... The one that's red and has thorns."

"Do you mean a rose?"

"Yes, that's the one," replied the man. He then turned towards the kitchen and yelled, "Rose, what's the name of that restaurant we went to last night?"

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Annie gets home from school after her first sex education lesson at school. Her mother, very interested, asks, "How did it go?"

"I died of shame!" She answers. "Tom from over the road says that the stork brings babies, Sally next door said you can buy babies at the orphanage and Pete in my class says you get babies at the hospital."

Her mother answers laughingly "But that's no reason to be ashamed!"

"No, but I can't tell them that we were so poor that daddy had to make me himself!"

A woman and a baby were in the doctor's examining room, waiting for the doctor to come in for the baby's first examination. The doctor arrived, and examined the baby, checked his weight, and being a little concerned, asked if the baby was breast-fed or bottle-fed.

"Breast-fed," she replied.

"Well, strip down to your waist," the doctor ordered. She did. He pinched her nipples, pressed, kneaded, and rubbed both breasts for a while in a very professional and detailed examination. Motioning to her to get dressed, the doctor said, "No wonder this baby is underweight. You don't have any milk."

"I know," she said, "I'm his Grandma, but I'm glad I came."

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A petrol station owner in Dublin was trying to increase his sales, so he put up a sign that read 'Free Sex with Fill-Up'.

Paddy pulled in, filled his tank and asked for his free sex. The owner told him to pick a number from 1 to 10. If he guessed correctly, he would get his free sex. Paddy guessed 8, and the proprietor said, "You were close, the number was 7. Sorry, no sex this time."

A week later, Paddy, along with his friend Mick, pulled in for another fill-up. Again he asked for his free sex. The proprietor again gave him the same story and asked him to guess the correct number. Paddy guessed 2. The proprietor said, "Sorry, it was 3. You were close, but no free sex this time."

As they were driving away, Mick said to Paddy, "I think that game is rigged and he doesn't really give away free sex at all."

Paddy replied, "No it's genuine enough Mick, my wife won twice last week."

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According to my wife, putting a wasp's nest inside the kid's piñata wasn't remotely funny.

# BEING FRANK ON FOOTBALL

The new Premier League season is rapidly approaching and after extensive crystal football gazing, here is how I think it might all end...

**20. Sheffield United:** They have recruited poorly to date and the only real name that most of us will be familiar with is probably ageing Phil Jagielka. The writing is on the wall for the Yorkshire club's brief flirtation with the top flight of English football.

**19. Brighton:** The Seagulls have done nothing in pre-season to convince me that they won't struggle again in the Elite League. Portuguese defender Bruno has retired and Glen Murray's contract has expired. Not good news.

**18. Norwich City:** This Norfolk outfit have played yoyo for many years, bouncing from the Championship to the Premier on a regular basis. The good news is that central striker Teemu Pukki has signed a new three year deal! The bad news is that there is no more good news.

**17. Watford:** They have struggled over the last few seasons but always seen to find a way of keeping their heads above the water. Keeper Gomes has signed a new deal and they have signed Craig Dawson from W.B.A. It might

just be enough to see them over the line but it will be a close run thing in my view.

**16. Aston Villa:** Dean Smith will have his work cut out to keep this lot in the top flight. They have however made some astute signings - especially in defence where they have brought in Mings, Konsa and Targett, and it might just be enough to see them home.

**15. Bournemouth:** This club have been playing with fire since their Premier League baptism but have defied the odds repeatedly. Eddie Howe has done a magnificent job to date, and striker Callum Wilson sums up their mentality when he says he thrives on proving those doubters wrong. They are a small club with big ambitions and have enough quality in their squad to endure another season in the top flight.

**14. Southampton:** The Saints have had a few indifferent seasons in the Premier of late, and I see this continuing. Too good to go down but not good enough to make any serious inroads into the top half of the table.

**13. Crystal Palace:** Under 'pensioner' Roy Hodgson, this club always provide the Prem with entertaining football because this is the ethos of their manager. Jordan Ayew has signed from Swansea City but there is very little else to shout about at this early stage of the season although they are good enough to stay up.

**12. West Ham United:** I am not convinced that this London outfit will do much more than hold their own this term, and the lack of investment has to be a concern.

**11. Everton:** This will be a hugely disappointing season for the boys in blue. By 2023, they will have a brand new stadium that will rise from the docks but in the meantime,

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mediocrity will dominate their league form, and finishing as low as this, will be seen as a massive failure.

**10. Newcastle United:** Finishing in the top half of the table will be seen as progress for this famous old club. Steve Bruce is not the best loved person in town but he is vastly experienced and although I don't think he will be there at the end of the season, he has a squad of players that are good enough. They have also signed striker Joelinton from German club Hoffenheim for around 40 million, which is a club record!

**9. Burnley:** Sean Dyche is arguably the best home grown manager in the top flight - although Eddie Howe would come close. The Turf Moor club baffle to deceive but their European exploits last term distracted them from the job in hand, which of course is Premier League survival. I think they have enough in the tank to surprise people again next season, as long as they start well.

**8. Wolverhampton Wanderers:** This club excelled last season as they returned to the top flight of English football. The second season is always more testing however and a top half finish will be seen as more than satisfactory, given the company they are keeping.

**7. Chelsea:** The loss of talisman Eden Hazard to Real Madrid is a huge gap to fill. They have spent very little in the transfer market to date to compensate, and I think that they are in for a very disappointing league campaign, to the detriment of their loyal fans.

**6. Leicester City:** For new incumbent Brendan Rodgers, a sixth place finish in the elite league would be more than satisfactory. He has inherited a good squad of players and the introduction of Ayoze Perez will enhance their chances of some European football again.

**5. Arsenal:** They are a club in transition, and there is nothing I have seen in their summer transfer dealings to suggest that they are any better since Arsene Wenger left the club under a cloud.

**4. Tottenham Hotspur:** They had a great season last term, reaching the Champions League final and finishing fourth in the Premier League table. We can expect the same again I think but with a relatively small squad and no blockbuster signings, a repeat performance in the league would be a more than satisfactory outcome.

**3. Manchester United:** I think we will see steady improvement from this club this season but it may not be under the stewardship of Ole Gunnar Solskjaer, who I suspect will be one of the early managerial casualties.

**2. Manchester City:** Now I know what you are thinking! How can I back against the invincibles? Well, simply because lightning does not strike thrice. Last season, they clawed their way back to win the title, thanks to that mega strike from Vincent Kompany against the Foxes. Time in good Kompany is over and Liverpool won't make the same mistake again, but it will be a close run thing. Roles in fact might be reversed, with City winning the Champions League and how ironic that would turn out to be!

**1. Liverpool:** the Champions League winners will be more determined than ever to lift the Premier League title for the first time since 1989! Jurgen klopp will have learned a lot from last season's disappointment, when they lost just one game all season, and yet still failed to win to lift the Premier League title!

*Frank Weston*



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# Del's Departure

Del Bhoys only started working in Durty Nelly's to help them out between jobs in his actual trade, spray-painting. It took nearly 10 years, but he's finally found one that can tempt him away from bar work. He couldn't leave without a party with his friends and former colleagues, like Franky, Dave, Hadi and Rory...



Charlotte and Francisca.



Phoebe, Daniel, Naoise and Hadi were behind the bar that evening.



Now that Del's working 'normal' hours, Melanie, and her mum Burgitte, will get to see him a lot more often.

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