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Swansea v Chelsea
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Bologna v Cagliari

Live from 4:30pm

Roma v Sampdoria
Live from 7:30pm
Pescara v Inter Milan
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SONY ESPN HD
Serie A

AC Milan v Udinese

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SONY SIX
La Liga
Sporting Gijon v Leganes
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Granada v Eibar

Live from 10:00pm

Deportivo v Athletic Bilbao
Live from 12:30am (Monday)
TEN 1
US Open Final
Men's Singles
Live from 2:00am

TEN 1 HD

US Open Final
Women's Doubles
Live from 10:00pm

'They didn't give me what I wanted'

AGENCIES, Manchester



Manchester United manager Jose Mourinho has admitted he would have picked a different team in hindsight after their 2-1 home defeat in the derby against Manchester City yesterday.

Mourinho opted to pick Henrikh Mkhitaryan and Jesse Lingard as wide players, while leaving out Anthony Martial and Juan Mata. Both Mkhitaryan and Lingard were substituted off at half-time after lacklustre displays while City dominated in a classy display.

Mourinho said: "Honestly, I had two or three players in the first half who, if I knew what I know now, I don't play them. But this is football. Sometimes players disappoint managers. Sometimes they give great surprises."

"They didn't give me what I want. It's their fault and it's my fault because I'm the manager."

Discussing the match, Mourinho added: "In the first half, they were much better. We started the game badly. Some players were really below their normal level. We needed to be sharp. The team paid for it."

"The second half was completely different. When they brought on Fernando so soon, it's because they felt we were in control, much more dangerous."

Mourinho also said referee Mark Clattenburg should have awarded penalties for an incident in which Bravo took down Rooney and an alleged handball by City centre-back Nicolas Otamendi.

"Mark made two big mistakes," he said. "Claudio Bravo is a penalty and a red card."

"If one of my players do that in the middle of the park it's a red card and a free-kick."



Manchester City midfielder Kevin De Bruyne (L) celebrates his opening goal against Manchester United during their Premier League encounter at Old Trafford yesterday. He also set up the second goal as Manchester City won 2-1.

PHOTO: REUTERS

Iheanacho delighted

AFP, Manchester

Kelechi Iheanacho said it was "a dream come true" after his goal gave Manchester City a 2-1 victory at Manchester United in Saturday's derby.

The 19-year-old Nigerian striker played a hand in both City goals, flicking the ball on for Kevin De Bruyne's 15th-minute opener and tapping in the second after De Bruyne's shot had hit the post.

"It means a whole lot to me. It's a dream come true to play in the Manchester derby and score the winning goal," Iheanacho told Sky Sports.

Iheanacho's 36th-minute strike ensured that City manager Pep Guardiola enjoyed victory over his former nemesis Jose Mourinho in their first encounter since 2013.

Iheanacho came into the team in place of Sergio Aguero, who is serving a three-game ban for elbowing West Ham United's Winston Reid.

WHAT THEY SAID



Manchester City goalkeeper Claudio Bravo was slated on Twitter for his costly mistake that allowed Zlatan Ibrahimovic to score for Manchester United in the Manchester derby yesterday.

Claudio Bravo is too good with his feet

#Bravohart

Bravo and welcome to The Premier League-

- Peter Schmeichel

Breaking News: Joe Hart's loan to Torino to be cut short!

- Gary Lineker

@ManCity too quick for @ManUtd in the 1st half. A lifeline from #Bravohowler. A penny for Joe Hart's thoughts right now! #MUFCvsMFC

- Alan Shearer

Great game, City deserved to win, some spell-binding football, but Bravo should have been sent off & conceded pen. Come back Joe Hart

- James Ducker

Claudio Bravo is terrible.

- Ian Wright

If Pep had simply stacked 20 Million Pounds cash in front of the net, would offer more protection than Claudio Bravo.

- Men In Blazers



Manchester City goalkeeper Claudio Bravo (C) fumbles the ball after bumping into teammate John Stones in the build up to Manchester United's first goal at Old Trafford yesterday.

PHOTO: AFP

Pep defends goalkeeper



AGENCIES, Manchester

Pep Guardiola defended Claudio Bravo after Manchester City's 2-1 derby win over Manchester United, claiming his goalkeeper produced one of the "best performances I've ever seen."

Bravo was at fault for the goal on his debut following his £15m move from Barcelona as he failed to collect a free-kick from the right and spilled the ball.

The Chilean looked uncertain throughout, made a number of mistakes and could have seen red for a challenge on Wayne Rooney as well.

But Guardiola, who as coach of Barcelona and Bayern Munich has overseen some of the defining performances in European football over the past 10 years, says he was in awe of Bravo's display.

"What Claudio did today was one of the best performances I've ever seen," the City boss said.

"I like the keepers to play in front, but after [the goal] he continued playing and that means a lot for me, the personality, because when you make a mistake it's how you react."

"It was unlucky the situation, it sometimes happens, it's football, but the reaction is more important for me."

Derby delight for Guardiola

AFP, Manchester



Pep Guardiola enjoyed victory over his old nemesis Jose Mourinho as his Manchester City side won 2-1 at Manchester United in Saturday's eagerly anticipated derby at Old Trafford.

First-half goals by Kevin De Bruyne and Kelechi Iheanacho put City in control and despite new goalkeeper Claudio Bravo's gaffe allowing Zlatan Ibrahimovic to hit back for United, City held firm.

It was the first encounter between Guardiola and Mourinho, former El Clasico sparring partners, since 2013 and gave the former Barcelona coach an eighth win in 17 encounters with the ex-Real Madrid manager.

City's win, their 50th in competitive derby matches, saw them end United's perfect start to the season.

It left Guardiola's side and Chelsea, who visit Swansea City on Sunday, as the only teams in the Premier League with 100 percent records.

But Mourinho will have been angered by referee Mark Clattenburg's decision not to award the home side a penalty after Bravo caught Wayne Rooney with a wild challenge inside the City area.

The United manager made two surprising changes to his team, awarding Henrikh Mkhitaryan his full debut and bringing in Jesse Lingard in place of Anthony Martial and Juan Mata.

But it was a move that backfired as City immediately took a grip on the game and went ahead in the 15th minute.

Aleksandar Kolarov's high ball was flicked on by Iheanacho -- in for the suspended Sergio Aguero -- and De Bruyne beat Daley Blind to the ball before clinically wrong-footing David de Gea.

United had barely had a kick and Rooney's frustration showed as he grappled with Guardiola for the ball at a throw-in before catching Ferdinand late.

There was worse to come for the United skipper

as City made it 2-0, Iheanacho tapping in from six yards after De Bruyne's low curler struck the base of the left-hand post.

Mourinho wore a face of thunder on the touchline, but Bravo gifted his side a lifeline three minutes before half-time.

The Chilean allowed Rooney's deep free-kick to slip from his grasp and Ibrahimovic produced an athletic volley to spear the loose ball into the net.

It was an unexpected foothold for the hosts and they finished the first half strongly.

Rooney crossed for Ibrahimovic to head at Bravo and the Swedish striker then saw an effort blocked by John Stones after the City goalkeeper failed to field a stray ball.

Mourinho repaired his error at half-time, introducing Ander Herrera and terrace darling Marcus Rashford for Mkhitaryan and Lingard.

Bravo's jitteriness gave the home fans renewed belief and he was extremely fortunate to avoid conceding a penalty in the 56th minute.

In turning away from Ibrahimovic, he overran the ball and launched himself into a lunging challenge on Rooney.

Rooney was left writhing in pain, but Clattenburg waved play on, apparently deeming Bravo to have won the ball cleanly.

Guardiola responded to Mourinho's changes by bolstering his own midfield, with Fernando and debutant Leroy Sane coming on and De Bruyne taking up a central forward role.

A beautifully poised game swung from end to end thereafter.

United had a goal disallowed when Rashford's shot clipped Ibrahimovic, who was standing in an offside position, and beat Bravo.

De Gea then saved in quick succession from Ferdinand, Nicolas Otamendi and Fernando before Sane teed up De Bruyne for a shot that hit the right-hand post and rolled across the goal.

The hosts procured one last chance, but Ibrahimovic's stoppage-time shot was deflected just wide.

Farah was fixing fantasy team

AGENCIES, London

Mo Farah has revealed what he was doing just minutes before walking onto the track to make Olympic history - and it's not what you think.

He wasn't 'visualising' or disappearing into 'the zone' with his headphones clamped on.

Instead the mad-keen Arsenal fan was thinking about football.

"I shouldn't be saying this but before my final I was trying to do my fantasy football team," he said.

"It wouldn't let me do it due to the time difference. I didn't start it in the end. I missed two weeks of it and I thought, 'I can't do it now!'."

"I'm just a normal person so obviously you listen to the radio, listen to music, check out Twitter. You always do the normal things." Farah became Britain's most successful ever track Olympian as he defended his 5,000m and 10,000m titles in Rio, the first man to achieve that feat since the legendary Lasse Viren.

CR7 scores on return

AFP, Madrid



Cristiano Ronaldo took just five minutes to score on his return from a three-month injury layoff as Real Madrid continued their 100 percent start to the season with a 5-2 rout of Osasuna on Saturday.

Antoine Griezmann kicked-started Atletico Madrid's La Liga campaign with two goals and an assist as a 4-0 hammering of Celta Vigo gave them a much-needed first win of the season.

Champions Barcelona will attempt to join Real at the top of the table on nine points at home to Alaves later.

Ronaldo was making his first appearance since limping off in tears during the Euro 2016 final, but was handed the perfect return on a plate by Gareth Bale as the Welshman squared for Ronaldo to tap into an unguarded net.

Despite failing to hit top gear Real comfortably matched a club record of 15 straight La Liga wins as Danilo's low drive and a towering header from Sergio Ramos extended the lead before half-time at the Bernabeu.

Osasuna goalkeeper Nauzet Perez meekly turned Pepe's header into his own net for Real's fourth before Luka Modric's fiercely struck shot from outside the box made it 5-0.

Ronaldo was withdrawn to a standing ovation to make way for Karim Benzema with one eye on Wednesday's clash with his

first club, Sporting Lisbon, in the Champions League.

However, Real's defensive deficiencies were exposed in the second-half as Oriol Riera and David Garcia cut Osasuna's deficit, whilst Roberto Torres saw a penalty saved by Kiko Casilla.

Earlier, Griezmann handed Atletico a much-needed boost after being held by promoted Alaves and Leganes in their opening two league games.

Koke met Griezmann's fine cross eight minutes into the second-half in Vigo to give the visitors the lead before Euro 2016's top scorer Griezmann headed home his first two goals of the season in the final 20 minutes.

Angel Correa added a fourth two minutes from time.

In an uncharacteristic outburst, Griezmann had claimed after the 0-0 stalemate at Leganes two weeks ago that Atletico would be "fighting against relegation" rather than challenging Barca and Madrid for the title if they did not improve fast.

However, he apologised for those comments after coming alive in the second-half against Celta Vigo.

"We needed a game like this," Griezmann told BeIn Sports Spain.

"I apologise, I shouldn't have said what I did publicly. It was in the heat of the moment, but I am very happy with what we did as a team today."

"I am still getting back into my rhythm (after the Euros) and still have a way to go, but I am giving my all and I'm very happy to get the goals and the assist."

Mario butters up teammates

AGENCIES, Nice

Mario Balotelli reportedly tried to win over his new OGC Nice teammates by giving them €15,000 worth of gifts.

The striker arrived on essentially a free transfer from Liverpool and was eager to get everyone on side.

According to La Gazzetta dello Sport, SuperMario turned up to training with presents for all his teammates. They were mainly designer clothing to the tune of at least €500 each for a total spend of around €15,000.

Lewandowski lifts Bayern

AFP, Berlin

Robert Lewandowski and Joshua Kimmich struck late goals in Bayern Munich's 2-0 win at Schalke in the Bundesliga on Friday.

Lewandowski struck his fourth goal in two games nine minutes from the end to put Bayern ahead, before setting up Kimmich in stoppage time.

L'pool rout Leicester

AFP, London



In front of the biggest Anfield crowd since May 1977, 53,000 fans watched Liverpool mark the unveiling of their extended main stand with a ruthless demolition of Claudio Ranieri's champions.

Roberto Firmino opened the scoring with a clinical finish in the 13th minute and Sadio Mane increased Liverpool's advantage with a close-range effort in the 31st.

Liverpool midfielder Lucas, playing out of position in central defence, gave Leicester a lifeline with a terrible 38th-minute backpass that Jamie Vardy drilled into the empty net.

But Adam Lallana's rocket in the 56th minute and Firmino's second in the 89th minute wrapped up Liverpool's second win of the season and left Leicester contemplating a lacklustre start to their title defence.

At the Emirates Stadium, Arsenal left it late to ease the pressure on Gunners boss Arsene Wenger, who has been questioned over his transfer dealings and the team's slow opening to the season.

The critics were sharpening their knives when Arsenal fell behind in the 18th minute through a Petr Cech own goal from Dusan Tadic's free-kick. But Arsenal equalised 11 minutes later thanks to a spectacular overhead kick from Laurent Koscielny.

And Santi Cazorla secured Arsenal's second win of the season when the Spaniard stroked home a controversial penalty awarded for Jose Fonte's tackle on Olivier

Giroud in the 94th minute.

Tottenham swept to a 4-0 victory at bottom-of-the-table Stoke as South Korea midfielder Son Heung-Min sparked on his first appearance of the season.

Son volleyed Tottenham in front just before half-time and netted again with a fine finish from 16 yards in the 56th minute. Dele Alli bagged Tottenham's third and Harry Kane sealed the rout with his first goal of the season in the 70th minute.

Watford staged a superb recovery to beat West Ham 4-2 and secure Italian manager Walter Mazzarri's first win since taking charge in the close season.

The Hammers looked in control after Michail Antonio scored with a pair of headers in the fifth minute and 33rd minute at the London Stadium.

RESULTS

Man United 1 (Ibrahimovic 42) **Man City** 2 (De Bruyne 15, Iheanacho 36)
Arsenal 2 (Koscielny 29, Cazorla 90+4-pen) Southampton 1 (Cech 18-og)
Bournemouth 1 (Wilson 79) West Brom 0
 Burnley 1 (Defour 72) Hull 1 (Snodgrass 90+5)
 Middlesbrough 1 (Ayala 38) **Crystal Palace** 2 (Benteke 16, Zaha 47)
 Stoke 0 **Tottenham** 4 (Son 41, 56, Alli 59, Kane 70)
 West Ham 2 (Antonio 5, 33) **Watford** 4 (Ighalo 41, Deeney 45+2, Capoue 53, Holesbas 63)
Liverpool 4 (Firmino 13, 89, Mane 31, Lallana 56) Leicester 1 (Vardy 38)