## FOOTBALL RG Fantasy League

# Liverpool can break down negative United

#### **Ross Clarke**

Former Liverpool manager Gérard Houllier was in Bermuda last week and said the country could punch above its weight as long as it continues to invest in coaching.

It is worth applying those comments to the English national team, which has consistently underachieved for the past two decades, with the perception being that British managers employ tactics that increasingly bring no chance of success.

In the Premier League, just eight of the 20 teams are managed by Britons. None of those men manage a team in the top six, with seven managing sides in the bottom half of the table.

The last British manager to get a top job was David Moyes at Manchester United and his failure may have ruined the chances of any other ever getting a top

The Football Association has tried to buck this trend by appointing Gareth Southgate as the national coach but the early signs of his tenure are not good, He has the talent at his dis-

posal but does not appear to be able to play the type of football needed to be successful at international level. Here's to another two decades of World Cup disappointment.

#### 11am kick-offs unless stated **Tomorrow**

#### **Manchester United v** Liverpool, 8.30am

Despite coming from two goals behind to win at Crystal Palace on Monday, Manchester United are still stuttering in the league and the home fans are not going to appreciate José Mourinho's

likely defensive tactics here. Liverpool are in flying form at the moment and are fancied to be victorious against their big rivals. Prediction: 1-2

#### **Everton v Brighton & Hove Albion**

Brighton picked up a magnificent win at home to Arsenal last week to ease themselves clear of the battle for relegation but may struggle at Goodison Park. Sam Allardyce's Everton team are woeful on the road but have won their last two home matches. **Prediction: 2-0** 



Photograph by Kirsty Wigglesworth/AP

The wrong one: David Moyes was not a good advert for British managers during his time at Old Trafford

#### **Huddersfield Town v Swansea City**

A win for either of these teams would dramatically improve their chances of avoiding relegation. Swansea's improvement in the league under Carlos Carvalhal has been largely based on their brilliant home form. They have been less consistent on the road and may suffer another defeat here. Prediction: 2-1

#### **Newcastle United v** Southampton

Another big name at the foot of the table, Newcastle are unbeaten at home in the league this vear and can take a huge leap towards safety. **Prediction: 1-0** 

### West Bromwich Albion v **Leicester City**

Media reports in Britain suggest the only reason Alan Pardew has not been sacked as manager of West Brom is because nobody is willing to take the job.

Pardew's team are all but relegated, has lost their last five league games, and will struggle to contain Jamie Vardy and Rivad Mahrez. Prediction: 1-2

#### **West Ham United v Burnley**

West Ham have conceded four goals in their last two matches and are in desperate need of a win to avert an alarming slide down the table.

Burnley look assured of a topeight finish this season, which is an amazing achievement by Sean Dyche, and they can pick up another point here. Prediction:

#### **Chelsea v Crystal Palace**

Antonio Conte may have one eye on the Champions League clash with Barcelona on Wednesday but his team will need to avoid complacency against a Crystal Palace side who threw away victory against Manchester United on Monday. Expect Chelsea to play with at least one striker here in contrast to their pathetic display against Manchester City last week. Prediction: 1-1

## Arsenal v Watford, 9.30am

Arsène, please put everyone out of their misery. You were the Pep Guardiola of your era but you and your team are a laughing stock.

Leave while you have a shred of dignity left. Arsenal will probably win this match comfortably but what does that matter? Prediction: 3-1

## AFC Bournemouth v

**Tottenham Hotspur, noon** Bournemouth have been on a

good run lately but may run into a stumbling block here. Tottenham have lost just once in the league since November and that came away to champions-elect Manchester City. Harry Kane looks pretty much certain to score. **Prediction: 0-2** 

#### Monday Stoke City v Manchester City, 4pm

Stoke's next four matches are against Manchester City, Arsenal, Everton and Tottenham. It's perfectly feasible they will end up with no points during that run and almost certain to be relegated. Prediction: 0-2

# SPORT SCOREBOARD

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## **BERMUDA**

### **BOWLING**

SECOND SPRING SENIORS LEAGUE Drifters 1 New Comers 3 Islanders 1 Blue Angels 3

Old 'N Kickin 3 Pinsplitters 1

Men's Handicap Game: McNeil Simmons 214; Stewart Masters 204; Barry Floyd 203

Men's Handicap Series: Stewart Masters 642; Barry Floyd 641; McNeil Simmons 576

Men's Scratch Game: McNeil Simmons 192; Stewart Masters 132; Ellsworth Bean Sr 131 Men's Scratch Series: McNeil Simmons 153: Ells worth Bean Sr 380; Stewart Masters 364 Women's Handicap Game: Alana Masters 242; Yvonne Joseph 241; Donnamae Masters 223 Women's Handicap Series: Yvonne Joseph 667; Alana Masters 663; Donnamae Masters 631 Women's Scratch Game: Yvonne Joseph 186; Evra Hassell 156: Michelle Simons 153/Donnamae Masters

Women's Scratch Series: Yvonne Joseph 502; Evra Hassell 432; Donnamae Masters 421

Standings
1. Drifters 61; 2. Pinsplitters 58; Old 'N Kickin 53; 4. New Comers 49; 5. Last Minutes 46; 6. Last Pin 451/2; 7. Blue Angels 441/2; 8. Islanders 43

## SQUASH

THE PLATINUM GROUP LTD SERIES **Court House Health & Wellness** Wednesday's results **Junior Gold** 

Team tournament

Semi-finals Alex Southern bt Jasper Forte Matthew Elliot bt Graham Moss

Boasty Boys bt Saunders Soldiers 3 Nuts n a Spanner bt Tee Rex BSRA Barfly bt Platinum Ihab In Charge bt Hiscox Super Hot Fire bt Monument Parkin's Pros bt Odd Shaped Balls

## **OVERSEAS**

## **FOOTBALL**

**EUROPA LEAGUE** Round of 16, second leg Yesterday's results Atlético Madrid 3 Lokomotiv Moscow 0 Borussia Dortmund 1 Red Bull Salzburg 2 CSKA Moscow 0 Lvon 1

AC Milan 0 Arsenal 2 Lazio 2 Dynamo Kiev 2 Marseilles 3 Athletic Bilbao 1 RB Leipzig 2 Zenit St Petersburg 1 Sporting Lisbon 2 Viktoria Plzen 0

Yesterday's result USA Women 1 England Women 0

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| LAUTEN                                                                                                          | w                                    | L                                                   | T                       | Pts                     | GF                                        | GA                                             |
| Philadelphia                                                                                                    | 1                                    | 0                                                   | 0                       | 3                       | 2                                         | 0                                              |
| Columbus                                                                                                        | 1                                    | 0                                                   | 0                       | 3                       | 2                                         | 0                                              |
| New York City FC                                                                                                | 1                                    | 0                                                   | 0                       | 3                       | 2                                         | 0                                              |
| Orlando City                                                                                                    | 0                                    | 0                                                   | 1                       | 1                       | 1                                         | 1                                              |
| DC United                                                                                                       | 0                                    | 0                                                   | 1                       | 1                       | 1                                         | 1                                              |
| Chicago                                                                                                         | 0                                    | 0                                                   | 0                       | 0                       | 0                                         | 0                                              |
| New York                                                                                                        | 0                                    | 0                                                   | 0                       | 0                       | 0                                         | 0                                              |
| Montreal                                                                                                        | 0                                    | 1                                                   | 0                       | 0                       | 1                                         | 2                                              |
| New England                                                                                                     | 0                                    | 1                                                   | 0                       | 0                       | 0                                         | 2                                              |
| Toronto FC                                                                                                      | 0                                    | 1                                                   | 0                       | 0                       | 0                                         | 2                                              |
| Atlanta United FC                                                                                               | 0                                    | 1                                                   | 0                       | 0                       | 0                                         | 4                                              |
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Tomorrow's games Montreal at Columbus, 2pm Colorado at New England, 2.30pm Los Angeles FC at Real Salt Lake, 4.30pm

Sporting Kansas City at Chicago, 7pm Vancouver at Houston, 7pm Portland at New York, 8pm Minnesota United at Orlando City, 8.30pm

Sunday's games
DC United at Atlanta United FC, 4pm LA Galaxy at New York City FC, 6pm

## **BASKETBALL**

NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION **EASTERN CONFERENCE** 

|              | Atlantic Divi | 31011 |      |       |
|--------------|---------------|-------|------|-------|
|              | W             | L     | Pct  | GB    |
| k-Toronto    | 47            | 17    | .734 | _     |
| Boston       | 45            | 20    | .692 | 21/2  |
| Philadelphia | 35            | 28    | .556 | 111/2 |
| New York     | 24            | 41    | .369 | 231/2 |
|              |               |       |      |       |
|              |               |       |      |       |



Job done: Bermuda's cricket team pose with the trophy they won after finishing top of their group at the ICC World T20 Sub Regional Qualifier in Buenos Aires, Argentina, last week. The education minister Diallo Rabain, centre, sports minister Michael Weeks and Lloyd Smith, the Bermuda Cricket Board president, join the squad at the L.F. Wade International Airport yesterday

| 0041                     | W                 | L         | Pct  | GB      |  |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------------|-------------------|-----------|------|---------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Washington               | 37                | 28        | .569 | _       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Miami                    | 34                | 31        | .523 | 3       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Charlotte                | 28                | 37        | .431 | 9       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Orlando                  | 20                | 45        | .308 | 17      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Atlanta                  | 20                | 45        | .308 | 17      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Central Division         |                   |           |      |         |  |  |  |  |  |
|                          | W                 | L         | Pct  | GB      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cleveland                | 38                | 26        | .594 | _       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Indiana                  | 37                | 28        | .569 | 11/2    |  |  |  |  |  |
| Milwaukee                | 34                | 31        | .523 | 41/2    |  |  |  |  |  |
| Detroit                  | 29                | 36        | .446 | 91/2    |  |  |  |  |  |
| Chicago                  | 22                | 42        | .344 | 16      |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Souti                    | nwest Di          |           |      |         |  |  |  |  |  |
|                          | W                 | L         | Pct  | GB      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Houston                  | 51                | 13        | .797 |         |  |  |  |  |  |
| New Orleans              | 38                | 26        | .594 | 13      |  |  |  |  |  |
| San Antonio              | 37                | 27        | .578 | 14      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dallas                   | 20                | 45        | .308 | 31½     |  |  |  |  |  |
| Memphis                  | 18                | 46        | .281 | 33      |  |  |  |  |  |
| North                    | nwest Div         |           |      |         |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5 " '                    | W                 | L         | Pct  | GB      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Portland                 | 39                | 26        | .600 | 41/     |  |  |  |  |  |
| Minnesota                | 38                | 28        | .576 | 1½      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Oklahoma City            | 37                | 29        | .561 | 2½      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Denver                   | 35                | 30        | .538 | 4       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Utah                     | 35<br>cific Divis | 30        | .538 | 4       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Pat                      | W                 | sion<br>L | Pct  | GB      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Golden State             | 50                | 14        | .781 | GB      |  |  |  |  |  |
| LA Clippers              | 34                | 29        | .761 | <br>15½ |  |  |  |  |  |
| LA Clippers<br>LA Lakers | 29                | 35        | .453 | 21      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sacramento               | 29                | 45        | .308 | 30½     |  |  |  |  |  |
| Phoenix                  | 19                | 47        | .288 | 30/2    |  |  |  |  |  |
| I HOGHIX                 | 19                | 71        | .200 | 32      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Today's games            |                   |           |      |         |  |  |  |  |  |

**Southeast Division** 

Atlanta at Indiana, 8pm

Chicago at Detroit, 8pm Houston at Toronto, 8.30pm New York at Milwaukee, 9pm Utah at Memphis, 9pm Washington at New Orleans, 9pm LA Lakers at Denver, 10pm Golden State at Portland, 11pm Orlando at Sacramento, 11pm Cleveland at LA Clippers, 11.30pm

Tomorrow's games Phoenix at Charlotte, 6pm Washington at Miami, 8.30pm Memphis at Dallas, 9.30pm San Antonio at Oklahoma City, 9.30pm Orlando at LA Clippers, 11.30pm

## **BOXING**

## FIGHT SCHEDULE

Today At Costa Mesa, California (ESPN2), Ronny Rios v Azat Hovhannisyan, 10, junior featherweights. **At Deadwood** (San Diego) Mountain Grand (SHO), Regis Prograis v Julius Indongo, 12, for vacant interim WBC super lightweight title; Ivan Baranchyk v Anthony Yigit, 12, junior welterweight eliminator. Tomorrow

At Struer, Denmark, Dina Thorslund v Alicia Ashley, 10, for vacant WBC interim women's junior feather-weight title; Dennis Ceylan v Jesus Sanchez, 10, feath-

At Alamodome, San Antonio (SHO), Sergey Lipinets v Mikey Garcia, 12, for Lipinets's IBF junior welter-weight title; Rances Barthelemy v Kiryl Relikh, 12, for the vacant WBA World super lightweight title; Richard Commey v Alejandro Luna, 12, lightweights; Mario Barrios v Eudy Bernardo, 10, junior welterweights.

At Carson, Calif. (ESPN), Oscar Valdez v Scott Quigg, 12, for Valdez's WBO featherweight title; Andy Vences

## .308 271/2 v Erick DeLeon, 10, junior lightweights

CRICKET

ICC WORLD CUP QUALIFIERS ONE-DAY INTERNATIONALS Papua New Guinea v West Indies

Group A Old Haraians, Harare (PNG won toss): West Indies (2pts) beat PNG (0pts) by six wickets

| rapua New Guillea                                  |       |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|
| FP Ura c Mohammed b Nurse                          | 37    |
| / V Morea run out                                  | 0     |
| A Vala c Hope b Brathwaite                         | 57    |
| Siaka c Holder b Brathwaite                        |       |
| Bau b Brathwaite                                   | 9     |
| M D Dai Ibw b Miller                               | 35    |
| C J A Amini c Holder b Miller                      | 7     |
| JNT Vare c Nurse b Brathwaite                      | 1     |
| C A Soper c Hope b Brathwaite                      | 1     |
| N Vanua c Powell b Williams                        | 35    |
| A Nao not out                                      | 1     |
| Extras (lb 7, nb 2, w 8)                           | 17    |
| Total (42.4 overs)                                 |       |
| Fall of wickets: 1-1, 2-63, 3-63, 4-82, 5-151, 6-1 |       |
| 7-161, 8-162, 9-163, 10-200.                       |       |
| Bowling: Holder 8-0-47-0; Williams 7.4-0-44-1; N   | Nurse |

| 6-0-31-1; Brathwaite 10-2-27 | -5; Samuels 5-0-19-0; |
|------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Miller 6-0-25-2              |                       |
| West Ind                     | ies                   |
| E Lewis run out              | 8                     |
| S O Hetmyer c Vala b Vanua   | 8                     |
| †S D Hope not out            | 49                    |
| M N Samuels c Vala b Nao     | 24                    |
| J N Mohammed Ibw b Amini     | 0                     |
| *J O Holder not out          | 99                    |
| Extras (lb 5, w 8)           | 13                    |
| Total (4wkts; 43 overs)      |                       |
| R Powell, CR Brathwaite, AR  |                       |
| Williams did not bat         | , , , ,               |

Fall of wickets: 1-14. 2-16, 3-53, 4-58 Bowling: Vanua 10-0-36-1; Dai 6-0-32-0; Nao 6-1-16-1; Amini 10-0-51-1; Soper 6-1-40-0; Vala 2-0-6-0;

Umpires: Shaun George (South Africa. Sharfuddoula Reserve Umpire: Simon Fry (Australia) Match Referee: Dev Govindjee (South África)

Scotland defeated Nepal by four wickets, Queens Sports Club (Group B). Nepal 149 all out, 47.4 overs (Paras Khadka 63, Basant Regmi 24 not out; Stuart Whittingham 3-35, Safyaan Sharif 2-21, Alasdair Evans 2-24). Scotland 153-6, 41.3 overs (Kyle Coetzer 88 not out; Basant Regmi 2-26, Sandeep Lamichhane

Hong Kong defeated Afghanistan by 30 runs (DLS Method, target revised to 226 in 46 overs). Bulawayo Athletic Club (Group B). Hong Kong 241-8, 50 overs (Anshuman Rath 65, Babar Havat 31, Nizakat Khan 28, Scott McKechnie 24, Shahid Wasif 21; Mu-jeeb Rahman 3-36, Mohammd Nabi 3-48). Afghanistan 195-9, 46 overs (Dwlat Zadran 40 not out, Mohammad Nabi 38, Najibul Zadran 32, Javed Ahmadi 22; Ehsan Khan 4-33, Nadeem Ahmed 2-37).
The UAE defeated the Netherlands by six wickets,

Harare Sports Club (Group A). The Netherlands 176 all out, 46.3 overs (Wesley Barresi 37, Ryan ten Doeschate 34, Scott Edwards 27, Pieter Seelaar 20; Rohan Mustafa 5-26). UAE 177-4, 40 overs (Chirag Suri 78 not out; Mohamad Usman 36 not out; Ghulam Shabber 27).

Tomorrow's games West Indies v Ireland, Harare Sports Club, Harare

PNG v Netherlands Old Hararians Harare (Group A) Zimbabwe v Hong Kong, Queens Sports Club, Bula wayo (Group B)

Afghanistan v Nepal, Bulawayo Athletic Club, Bulawayo (Group B)

|             | Gr | oup A |   |     |        |  |  |
|-------------|----|-------|---|-----|--------|--|--|
|             | Р  | w     | L | Pts | NNR    |  |  |
| Ireland     | 2  | 2     | 0 | 4   | 1.093  |  |  |
| Windies     | 2  | 2     | 0 | 4   | 1.030  |  |  |
| UAE         | 3  | 2     | 1 | 4   | 0.224  |  |  |
| PNG         | 3  | 0     | 3 | 0   | -0.770 |  |  |
| Netherlands | 2  | 0     | 2 | 0   | -1.358 |  |  |
|             | Gr | oup B |   |     |        |  |  |
|             | Р  | W     | L | Pts | NNR    |  |  |
| Scotland    | 3  | 3     | 0 | 6   | 1.160  |  |  |
| Zimbabwe    | 2  | 2     | 0 | 4   | 1.180  |  |  |
| Hong Kong   | 2  | 1     | 1 | 2   | -0.838 |  |  |
| Afghanistan | 3  | 0     | 3 | 0   | -0.312 |  |  |
| Nepal       | 2  | 0     | 2 | 0   | -1.695 |  |  |
| ICE HOCKEY  |    |       |   |     |        |  |  |

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| NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE<br>EASTERN CONFERENCE |        |       |      |        |     |     |     |  |
| Atlantic Division                            |        |       |      |        |     |     |     |  |
|                                              | GP     | W     | L    | ОТ     | Pts | GF  | G/  |  |
| Tampa Bay                                    | 67     | 46    | 17   | 4      | 96  | 245 | 186 |  |
| Boston                                       | 64     | 41    | 15   | 8      | 90  | 215 | 163 |  |
| Toronto                                      | 68     | 39    | 22   | 7      | 85  | 223 | 195 |  |
| Florida                                      | 64     | 32    | 25   | 7      | 71  | 193 | 204 |  |
| Detroit                                      | 66     | 26    | 29   | 11     | 63  | 175 | 199 |  |
| Montreal                                     | 66     | 25    | 30   | 11     | 61  | 171 | 206 |  |
| Ottawa                                       | 65     | 23    | 32   | 10     | 56  | 177 | 227 |  |
| Buffalo                                      | 67     | 21    | 35   | 11     | 53  | 160 | 219 |  |
|                                              | Metro  | polit | an D | ivisio | on  |     |     |  |
|                                              | GP     | W     | L    | ОТ     | Pts | GF  | G/  |  |
| Pittsburgh                                   | 68     | 39    | 25   | 4      | 82  | 224 | 205 |  |
| Washington                                   | 66     | 37    | 22   | 7      | 81  | 203 | 197 |  |
| Philadelphia                                 | 67     | 34    | 22   | 11     | 79  | 199 | 198 |  |
| New Jersey                                   | 67     | 34    | 25   | 8      | 76  | 199 | 203 |  |
| Columbus                                     | 67     | 34    | 28   | 5      | 73  | 180 | 187 |  |
| Carolina                                     | 67     | 29    | 27   | 11     | 69  | 178 | 204 |  |
| NY Islanders                                 | 67     | 29    | 29   | 9      | 67  | 216 | 241 |  |
| NY Rangers                                   | 67     | 30    | 31   | 6      | 66  | 189 | 212 |  |
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|                                              | Cer    | ntral | Divi | sion   |     |     |     |  |
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|             | GP  | W     | L     | OT   | Pts | GF  | G/  |
|-------------|-----|-------|-------|------|-----|-----|-----|
| Nashville   | 66  | 43    | 14    | 9    | 95  | 216 | 168 |
| Winnipeg    | 66  | 40    | 17    | 9    | 89  | 223 | 175 |
| Minnesota   | 67  | 38    | 22    | 7    | 83  | 210 | 192 |
| Dallas      | 67  | 37    | 24    | 6    | 80  | 195 | 176 |
| Colorado    | 66  | 35    | 24    | 7    | 77  | 206 | 198 |
| St Louis    | 66  | 35    | 26    | 5    | 75  | 180 | 176 |
| Chicago     | 67  | 29    | 30    | 8    | 66  | 190 | 196 |
| •           | Pac | cific | Divis | sion |     |     |     |
|             | GP  | W     | L     | OT   | Pts | GF  | G/  |
| Vegas       | 66  | 42    | 19    | 5    | 89  | 226 | 184 |
| Anaheim     | 67  | 34    | 21    | 12   | 80  | 190 | 183 |
| San Jose    | 66  | 35    | 22    | 9    | 79  | 196 | 184 |
| Los Angeles | 66  | 36    | 25    | 5    | 77  | 192 | 168 |
| Calgary     | 68  | 33    | 25    | 10   | 76  | 193 | 200 |
| Edmonton    | 66  | 28    | 34    | 4    | 60  | 187 | 219 |
| Vancouver   | 67  | 25    | 33    | 9    | 59  | 181 | 219 |
| Arizona     | 66  | 21    | 34    | 11   | 53  | 160 | 214 |

#### Today's games Detroit at Columbus, 8pm

Calgary at Ottawa, 8.30pm Anaheim at Dallas, 9.30pm Minnesota at Vancouver, 11pm Tomorrow's games

Winnipeg at Philadelphia, 2pm Montreal at Tampa Bay, 2pm Vegas at Buffalo, 2pm Chicago at Boston, 2pm Arizona at Colorado, 4pm Washington at San Jose, 5pm St Louis at Los Angeles, 5pm NY Rangers at Florida, 8pm Pittsburgh at Toronto, 8pm New Jersey at Nashville, 9pm

Minnesota at Edmonton, 11pm

## MOTOR RACING

## **FORMULA ONE**

Schedule and standings
April 8 — Bahrain Grand Prix, Sakhir

April 15 — Chinese Grand Prix, Shanghai April 29 — European Grand Prix, Baku, Azerbaijan May 13 — Spanish Grand Prix, Barcelona May 27 — Monaco Grand Prix, Monte Carlo

June 10 — Canadian Grand Prix, Montreal June 24 — French Grand Prix, Le Castellet, Var, July 1 — Austrian Grand Prix, Spielberg

July 8 — British Grand Prix, Silverstone, England July 22 — German Grand Prix, Hockenheim July 29 — Hungarian Grand Prix, Budapest

Aug. 26 — Belgian Grand Prix, Spa-Francorchamps Sept. 2 — Italian Grand Prix, Monza Sept. 16 — Singapore Grand Prix Sept. 30 — Russian Grand Prix, Sochi

Oct. 7 — Japanese Grand Prix, Suzuka
Oct. 21 — United States Grand Prix, Austin, Texas Oct. 28 — Mexican Grand Prix, Mexico City

Nov. 11 — Brazilian Grand Prix, São Paulo Nov. 25 — Abu Dhabi Grand Prix, Yas Marina, UAE

1. Lewis Hamilton

3. Valtteri Bottas ... NASCAR MONSTER ENERGY CUP

Feb. 18 — Daytona 500, Daytona Beach, Florida (Aus Folds of Honor QuikTrip 500, Hampton,

Georgia (Kevin Harvick)
March 4 — Penzoil 400, Las Vegas (Kevin Harvick) March 11 — TicketGuardian 500, Avondale, Arizona March 18 — Auto Club 400, Fontana, California March 25 — STP 500, Ridgeway, Virginia April 8 — O'Reilly Auto Parts 500, Fort Worth, Texas

April 15 — Food City 500, Bristol, Tennessee April 21 — Toyota Owners 400, Richmond, Virginia April 29 — GEICO 500, Lincoln, Alabama May 6 — AAA 400 Drive for Autism, Dover, Delaware May 12 — TBA, Kansas City, Kansas

May 19 - x-NASCAR All-Star Open, Concord, North Carolina May 19 — x-NASCAR All-Star Race, Concord, North Carolina May 27 — Coca-Cola 600, Concord, North

Carolina June 3 — Pocono 400, Lond Pond, Pennsylvania June 10 — FireKeepers Casino 400, Brooklyn, Mich-

June 24 — Toyota/Save Mart 350, Sonoma, California July 1 — Overton's 400, Joliet, Illinois July 7 — Coke Zero 400, Daytona Beach, Florida July 14 — Quaker State 400, Sparta, Kentucky

July 22 — New Hampshire 301 Loudon July 29 - Gander Outdoors 400, Long Pond, Penn-Aug. 5 — GoBowling at The Glen, Watkins Glen, New

Aug. 12 — TBA, Brooklyn, Michigan Aug. 18 — Bass Pro Shops NRA Night Race, Bristol,

Sept. 2 — Bojangles' Southern 500, Darlington, South Sept. 9 — Big Machine Brickyard 400, Indianapolis Sept. 16 - South Point 400, Las Veg

Sept. 22 — Federated Auto Parts 400, Richmond, Virginia Sept. 30 — Bank of America 500, Concord, North Car-

— TBA, Dover, Delaware Oct. 14 — Alabama 500, Lincoln, Alabama Oct. 21 — Hollywood Casino 400, Kansas City, Kansas Oct. 28 — First Data 500, Ridgeway, Virginia

Nov. 4 — AAA Texas 500, Fort Worth Nov. 11 — Can-Am 500, Avondale, Arizona Nov. 18 — Ford Ecoboost 400, Homestead, Florida 1. Kevin Harvick

2. Joey Logano 3. Ryan Blaney **TENNIS** 

## **BNP PARIBAS OPEN**

Indian Wells, California Yesterday's results Women First Round

Amanda Anisimova, United States, bt Pauline Parmentier, France, 6-2, 6-2. Yulia Putintseva, Kazakhstan, bt Alison Van Uytvanck, Belgium, 6-0, 2-6, 6-2.

Caroline Dolehide, United States, bt Shelby Rogers United States, 3-6, 7-6, 6-3. Sam Stosur, Australia, bt Lauren Davis, United States

Belinda Bencic, Switzerland, bt Timea Babos, Hunga ry, 1-6, 6-1, 7-6.

Wang Qiang, China, bt Timea Bacsinszky, Switzerland, 6-0, 4-6, 6-2.

Sachia Vickery, United States, bt Eugenie Bouchard Canada, 6-3, 6-4. Maria Sakkari, Greece, bt Donna Vekic, Croatia, 6-4

Irina-Camelia Begu, Romania, bt Aleksandra Krunic, Kristyna Pliskova, Czech Republic, bt Duan Ying-Ying,

Kaia Kanepi, Estonia, bt Kurumi Nara, Japan, 1-6, 6-4

Sofia Kenin, United States, bt Claire Liu, United States Aryna Sabalenka, Belarus, bt Varvara Lepchenko

United States, 7-5, 6-1. Marketa Vondrousova, Czech Republic, bt Madison Brengle, United States, 6-2, 6-2.

Naomi Osaka, Japan, bt Maria Sharapova, Russia,

Petra Martic, Croatia, bt Tatjana Maria, Germany, 6-3