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SPORTS

Liverpool Draw Bournemouth as EFL Cup Quarter-Final Line-Up Is Set

ENGLAND, October 28, 2026 – Liverpool will host Bournemouth in the EFL Cup quarter-finals, while giant-killers Fleetwood Town will face either Everton or Newcastle United, after the last-eight draw was made on Wednesday night in England.

The Premier League confirmed the line-up on its official X account and website, noting that five Premier League sides had already booked their places in the quarter-finals. The full draw is:

According to the Premier League, the quarter-final ties will be played in the week commencing December 14, 2026. The draw took place shortly after the final whistle of Wednesday's five fourth-round ties, around 10:30pm GMT (6:30am Malaysia time on Thursday), and was shown live in the UK on Sky Sports and ITV1, according to LiveScore.

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Liverpool Edge Chelsea 6-5 on Penalties to Reach EFL Cup Quarter-Finals

Liverpool beat Chelsea 6-5 in a dramatic penalty shootout at Anfield to reach the EFL Cup quarter-finals, after the fourth-round tie finished 1-1 in normal time on Wednesday night in England.

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SPORTS

Rulli Saves Man City as Sunderland and Palace Reach EFL Cup Last Eight

Goalkeeper Geronimo Rulli was the hero for Manchester City as they edged Brighton & Hove Albion 4-3 on penalties to reach the EFL Cup quarter-finals, on a night when Sunderland and Crystal Palace also booked their places in the last eight.

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ENTERTAINMENT & MUSIC

Netflix Shares New Look At Dolly Alderton’s Pride and Prejudice Starring Emma Corrin And Jack Lowden, Premiering December 3

October 28, 2026 – Netflix has shared a new look at Pride and Prejudice, the six-part series adaptation of Jane Austen’s classic novel written by bestselling author Dolly Alderton, and reminded fans that it premieres on December 3, 2026.

Posting a new video clip on its official X account, Netflix opened with the novel’s famous first line, “It is a truth universally acknowledged…”, before confirming that Emma Corrin and Jack Lowden “star in Pride and Prejudice, a series by Dolly Alderton. Premieres December 3.”

Corrin plays the quick-witted Elizabeth Bennet, while Lowden takes on the role of the proud Mr. Darcy. According to Netflix’s Tudum site, the story follows the five Bennet sisters as wealthy bachelors arrive in their neighbourhood and they must navigate love, family and society’s expectations to secure their futures. Jane falls for the charming Mr. Bingley, while Elizabeth clashes with Bingley’s proud friend Mr. Darcy, until unexpected encounters and family scandals force her to reconsider her feelings.

The series is directed by Euros Lyn, best known for Heartstopper, and is produced by Lookout Point, a BBC Studios company. Alderton and Lyn also serve as executive producers. Netflix has said that each generation deserves its own adaptation of Austen’s 1813 novel, and Alderton gave a first look at the characters at the Jane Austen Festival in Bath, England, where she also announced the release date.

Joining the two leads at Longbourn and beyond is an impressive ensemble. Oscar winner Olivia Colman plays Mrs. Bennet, with Rufus Sewell as Mr. Bennet. Freya Mavor plays Jane Bennet, Rhea Norwood plays Lydia, and newcomers Hopey Parish and Hollie Avery make their screen debuts as Mary and Kitty Bennet.

Daryl McCormack is Mr. Bingley, Louis Partridge plays the charming Mr. Wickham, Jamie Demetriou is Mr. Collins and Siena Kelly is Caroline Bingley. Fiona Shaw plays the formidable Lady Catherine de Bourgh, with Anjana Vasan and Sebastian Armesto as Mr. and Mrs. Gardiner, and Isabella Sermon as Georgiana Darcy. The wider cast also includes Rosie Cavaliero, Saffron Coomber, James Dryden, Justin Edwards, James Northcote and Eloise Webb.

Pride and Prejudice remains one of the most loved novels in the English language, and it has been adapted many times for film and television. Alderton, the author of Everything I Know About Love, brings her own voice to the story, and the pairing of Corrin, known for The Crown and Nosferatu, with Lowden, known for Slow Horses and Benediction, has already drawn strong interest from fans since the first teaser was released in February.

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