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## POLONIA AND AZZURRI SCRAPE THROUGH TO CUP FINAL

*Thistle goalkeeper, KEITH RIGBY wins this duel with Polonia's flying inside right ROGER CLARK in the early Qld. Ampol Cup semi-final at Heath Park on Sunday. Halfback DAVE STEWART, who replaced OWEN LANE is backing Rigby up in defence. Polonia and Thistle drew 2-2, but Polonia won the match by a corner kick to nil in extra time.*

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## FEATURE PAGE — CONTINUATION OF MEMORANDUM ON LAWS OF THE GAME

A memorandum entitled "Application of the laws of the Game" was circulated to all National Associations by F.I.F.A. on the 9th February of this year in an attempt to bring about greater uniformity in the understanding of the laws by Coaches, players, Referees and of course, the Spectator, who is usually the first to complain.

### 3. OFFSIDE

If the ball is in play and has been last played by or has touched an opponent before it reaches a player in an offside position, this player CANNOT be given offside. This is laid down in the law. Referees are advised that when the ball is played forward to the zone of play where a player is in an offside position, they should WHISTLE IMMEDIATELY and not await the outcome of the pass.

### III. OTHER CONSIDERATIONS

#### 6. USE OF ADVANTAGE

When a referee refrains from whistling for an offence it is important that he should indicate clearly by voice and gesture that he is using 'advantage' so that everyone may know that the offence has not escaped his notice. The use of advantage does not absolve him from the responsibility of dealing with the offending player at the first opportunity if the offence deserved disciplinary action, for failure to take such action

often leads to retaliation from the offended player.

### 7. DROPPING OF THE BALL

Referees are reminded that 'dropping the ball' means holding it at waist level and removing the hand so that the ball drops to the ground; it should not be thrown down in any way.

### 8. PENALTY KICKS

8. 1. The player taking the penalty-kick must remain inside the penalty area or ten-yard arc until the signal is given for the kick to be taken; after the signal he may then go outside the arc in order to take a longer run at the ball, though he cannot demand that opponents give him a clear path to do this.

8. 2. A player taking the penalty kick may try to deceive the goalkeeper as to his intentions, and such action is allowed. This is quite different from 'trickery' when the player stops his kicking action in order to make the goalkeeper move in one direction and then

kicks it in the other. This is quite contrary to the spirit of the game and the player at fault should be cautioned and the kick re-taken if a goal has resulted.

### 9. FREE KICKS

When free-kicks are taken there is usually a number of players involved with no limitations imposed on the defenders except that they shall be ten yards from the ball, and free kick situations are often tactical manoeuvres between attackers and defenders. It is therefore considered that deceiving tactics by the players taking the kick are just as acceptable as they would be in the general run of the game.

### 10. SPIRIT OF THE GAME

The following was first issued by the International Board in June, 1957, the need for observing its contents is even greater now than it was then, and it is therefore repeated in its entirety.

"The laws of the game and the rulings of the International Board and F.I.F.A. cannot of themselves bring about the exemplary code of behaviour, which is so often referred to as 'the spirit of the game'. If football is to continue to be one of the great and most popular games in the world then those who take part in it must keep up its great tradition. Everyone wishes to win, and there is often much temptation to win at all costs, but true sportsmen can find small satisfaction in a victory won by unfair means. The spirit of the law must be observed as well as the letter of the law.

(Continued next week)

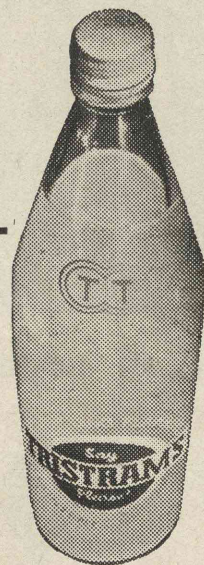
### RECORD

The individual goal-scoring record in international matches is held by G. Fuchs who scored 10 goals for Germany v. Russia in the Consolation Tournament of the Olympic Games of 1912. Germany won 16-0.

### WORLD CUP HISTORY

1930 Uruguay 4, Argentina 2 (Uruguay) 90,000; 1934 Italy 2, Czechoslovakia 1 (Italy), 50,000; 1938 Italy 2, Hungary 1 (France), 45,000; 1950 Uruguay 2, Brazil 1 (Brazil), 199,850; 1954 West Germany 3, Hungary 2 (Switzerland), 60,000; 1958 Brazil 5, Sweden 2 (Sweden), 49,737; 1962 Brazil 3, Czechoslovakia 1 (Chile), 68,679; 1966 England 4, West Germany 2 (England), 93,000. 1970 to be played in Mexico.

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### THIRD DIVISION

## Mt. Gravatt Draw Bardon

By BOB HOGG

In a fairly mediocre game, MT. GRAVATT came from behind to snatch a point from BARDON, with a final result of 2-2.

However, Mt. Gravatt were to be the aggressors early in the game, when they went to a 1-0 lead after 15 minutes following a close "in" shot from John Quinn after lead up work from Andy Leebody.

The "greens" were full of fire and vitality, however setting up work by Syd Maidment, Peter Deane and Mike Quinn went astray frequently in the forward line and cost them valuable first half goals.

Johnny Miller for Bardon came into the scoring game before half time and within five minutes and from two free kicks had the "Reds" in the lead 2-1.

The second half was to prove disastrous to both teams.

Five minutes after the start Bardon lost the services of its player-coach, Gordon Arrowsmith following a disagreement with the Referee and had to play out the other 40 minutes with only 10 men.

Some fifteen minutes later Mt. Gravatt were awarded a penalty — taken by Syd Maidment — in the net, but disallowed because of a player in the area.

On the penalty re-take, Syd, obviously a little upset by the goings on, sent the ball outside the post.

Then, with only seven minutes to go, neither team looking like scoring (and me sitting on a 2-1 double) — Steve Pollard dashed my \$6 hopes with a good shot from a smart low cross by Barry Bryce, to level the scores and share the points.

Mt. Gravatt are a smart, nippy, 'swinging team' — they swing that ball around, on the ground and in the air, utilise every inch of space and, I feel, They make use of their wingers and on the day were unlucky not to take home two points.

Bardon on the other hand, whilst improved from the week before — showed more enthusiasm but often little initiative in the goalscoring department. Their forwards are lacking in aggressiveness (within the laws of the game), tenacity and 'power-drive' to beat the defence and score.

They showed one thing however to their credit — the game psychology to overcome the morale deficit of one player for most of the second 45.

### East's topple leaders

Well, it had to happen I suppose, wooden spooners EASTS, looking for

points, thought who better to start with than TARINGA for a win of 1-0.

There is no other way of describing Taringa's play on the day than shocking — a disjointed forward line that could not have found the goal if it had been 8 yards wide and 4 yards high. Easts however were determined and took advantage of this — although not until the second half was well gone.

Greg McDonald starred for Easts, the midfield section directing this part with the only goal of the match, whilst Mal Wild — yes Mal — was there in the midfield section directing this part of the play.

Congratulations Easts — Matt Carson tells me he has more surprises in store — like man, some other teams may soon go west.

### University rap Gap

University's rapped Gap's goal five times last Saturday to come out 5-0 victors.

The Gap lads, I believe, had quite a piece of the action but had no finish up front, whilst Uni. were more decisive and took their advantages.

Gap got on the attack from the start but 10 minutes after first whistle, little Frank Di Muro slipped through a neat pass to Dennis Fellows who left footed an angle shot to open Uni's account.

Midfield play at this stage was constant and Uni's Keith Bimrose and 'Mr.' Ali in the backline handled anything the Gap were able to dish out.

First half score of 2-0 came from a 10 yard, splendid drive from Fijian lad Schri Naidu.

Uni. were now well and truly in the game with Di Muro and Ian Doherty gaining possession more frequently and using this for good through passing.

Willie Arundel scored Uni's No. 3 and shortly after set up Jacque Monty for a beautiful header.

At this stage Gap were awarded a penalty, however with the shot straight to keeper Brian McCulloch, the score remained at 4-0.

Dennis Fellows was again starting to make his presence felt, and after sending in a few stray shots, he picked up a cross from Willie Arundel and finished the game off at 5-0.

Come on Gap, the time for experimenting is over — how about settling down and getting in the winner's circle again?

Look behind you — Easts are starting to catch up.

### Redlands still shaky

REDLANDS "Bay of Tranquility" was disturbed again when they only managed a 2-1 win over the WYNNUM boys alst week-end.

On the excellent Wynnum home ground the pace was rapid from the start and Bert Hone gave the Redlands supporters plenty of thrills when he rocked the goal posts and cross bar with several skimmers.

However it was to be 'Menace' Morris who opened the account with a penalty and Doug Troy followed this up with a cross goal shot for 20 at half time.

Second time round was far from tranquil with Wynnum doing their fair share of attacking and it was during one of these attacks that one of the Redlands backs chested in Wynnum's only goal.

Ray Schultz played a good game for Redlands in the halves — but the backline was a little bit indecisive and shaky at times.

### Predictions . . .

I suppose you all realise that while you were playing your hearts out last week-end Redcliffe were sipping cool beer and without even putting on a pair of boots, slipped into 3rd position on the points table. So — what are you going to do about it?

Redcliffe v. Forrest — Man Forrest, if you are going to win any more — what about today — I'll back you.

Gold Coast v. Gap — Hardly worth the trip, is it Gap?

University v. Wynnum — Uni. again. Mt. Gravatt v. Easts — How about Easts?

Redlands v. Bardon — No hesitation here — with what I know it's got to be Bardon.

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## JUNIOR JOTTINGS

by Ken O'Donnell

**PINE RIVERS STAGE A CARNIVAL:** Six teams took part in the Under 10 Carnival organised by the Pine Rivers United Soccer Club recently, and the standard of play was such that with one exception all the matches were decided by just one goal.

The teams taking part, Easts Aston Villa, Wynnum, Latrobe, Annerley, Grange Thistle and, of course, the Pine Rivers, put on a display which was a treat to watch, and held the interest of the spectators from start to finish. The final match between Latrobe and Gr. Thistle had to be decided on corner kicks, as both teams were 1-1 after extra time.

Even then it was only a difference of one corner kick that gave the trophy to Latrobe. Well done lads and thanks for a good day's sport. Popular goalkeeper of the Pines U11B team, Jeffrey Haines is in hospital through illness and will be out of soccer for the remainder of the season. Hard luck Jeffrey, but get well soon and the rest of the team will keep up the good work during your absence.

**MT. GRAVATT:** On Saturday, July 12, the U15A had a victory over Easts. Easts won the first encounter 6-3 but Mt. Gravatt played the better football in the return match and ran out winners 2-1. The U16B are still holding the top position on the table, and still with only 10 players. U10A These lads lost their top position, but when the chips are down, these boys never fail to come good. One poor coach can't see how his team can score the second of only two goals scored against a Gap team, and still be beaten 10-1. Apparently Coach and boys are proud of their one goal. (This coach is U7 Bill Matthews.) 19.7.69. Mt. Gravatt recorded 9 wins 9 losses and 4 draws. U8A had a good day, Lindsay Stewart had a good game and centre forward Andrew Van-Brugh collected his normal quota of four goals in their 4-nil win over South Coast United.

**SOUTH COAST UNITED:** U9 South Coast recorded a nil all draw with division leaders Mt. Gravatt. This game was just as exciting as the first round and Mt. Gravatt won. Garry Thomas was awarded Best and Fairest for South Coast and B Davis for Mt. Gravatt. U11 stayed on top by defeating Redcliffe at Woody Point 3-1 and new boy Kevin Neilson played well in his first game and Goalkeeper Glen Parella kept the opposition down to 1 goal.

**TARINGA:** The U15 showed great improvement in beating Mt. Gravatt 4-2 and in the U13 game Chris Speare stood out in defence and Andrew Venning

played well in his team's 0-0 draw. U9 Neville Heuser scored the only goal in the 1 nil win over Gap, and in the U7 game the little fellows romped home with an 8-nil win over Pine Rivers.

**GRANGE THISTLE:** On Saturday last this Club had 5 wins and 2 draws from 11 matches. U7 went down to Annerley at home 1-0, whilst U7C defeated Newmarket Postals 1-0. The goal being a first ever for Master Meech. U8 forced a thrilling 1-1 draw with Coalstars, when Craig Armstrong scored in the last minute of the match, and the U8B, also at Lanham Park, had a 3-1 victory over Annerley with goals by Roger Forbes two and Glen Watson one. The U9 did everything but score against Azzurri in a match which resulted in a 0-0 draw, and the Grange boys played their best football to date. U9B: Down to Holandia 0-5 at Darra and the U10B maintained their premiership lead with a 1-0 win over Annerley. Two goals by David Chalmers enabled the U11B to record a 2-0 win over Clairvaux, whilst the U11C went down 1-0 against Mt. Gravatt. The U14C continued on their winning way with a 2-0 win over Acacia Ridge, the goals coming from Chris Serton and Graham Rosenstreter, whilst the U15A with several of their top players absent through illness, went down 1-4 to Mt. Gravatt.

Sunday, August 3, will be a Red Letter Day for the 140 Juniors from Grange, all of whom will be travelling to the Gold Coast, for matches with South Coast Broadbeach, in all grades. Venue will be the beautiful Broadbeach oval at Chelsea Ave., and with football, picnic lunches and probable visits to the beach. This will be a great day out for the families. South Coast Broadbeach will make a return visit to Lanham Park for matches against the Thistle boys later on in August.

**BARDON:** U7 Bardon v. Merton. A fine game by both sides, and Bardon still improving, drew 1-1. John Currie scored the goal for Bardon and Douglas Lockhardt and Gary Copeland also played well. U8: A very tough game against Merton, with play see-sawing from one end of the field to the other. Merton opened the eye first and then a really good goal by Lin Melton put

Bardon back into the game. Bardon eventually ran out winners of a hard match 2-1. Damien Griffin, Damien Kiely and Greg Kennish helped keep Merton out in the second half.

U9: Bardon defeated Wandal 4-0, giving them a hat trick in three matches, and this team must be hard to beat in the final. Peter Curtis, Robert Bergman, Mark Pickham and Chris Kalis were well to the fore. U11: Bardon played much better this week and won a tight one against Azzurri 1-0. Steve Gunderson, Brian Griffin and Peter Lossberg played well and all players are lofting the ball nicely, and showing the result of good coaching.

U12: These lads went down 1-0 to Mitchelton and the administration will have to do more for this team next season. Stewart Hall won the Best and Fairest Award. U13: Bardon had every chance to score, particularly in the second half, but Pine Rivers ran out winners 3-1. At least four attempts at goal by the Bardon boys went over the bar. Best and Fairest for Bardon, Nino Di-Marco. Make sure of your opportunities boys, especially near the goal-mouth.

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## 2nd DIVISION

# LATS CUT MITCHIE TO RIBBONS

By Vic. Marshall

**In a shock score this week Latrobe took advantage of Mitchelton's lethargy and systematically cut them to pieces. After only six minutes Scotty Jamieson crossed to Derek Carpenter who slipped it to Ray Thaw for a tap in.**



Ten minutes later Mitchie's right half under pressure, attempted to head the ball to the keeper and Derek Carpenter was on the spot to convert. At the 40 minute mark Ray Thaw made it three-nil and again two minutes after the half way mark the same player put one through the keeper's hands for a gift.

Mitchelton then scored a perfect goal with a classy run down the left side by Barry Anderson who crossed on to the head of Barry Johnston for the placement. Barry Johnston was to get a second goal, however, squeezed between four more from Derek Carpenter plus a penalty by Jimmy Lamb, and the score sheet read a humiliating 9-2 victory against Mitchelton.

Lats played really well and deserved to win. Drew McDonald, one of Mitchelton's stalwarts this season, was injured in the second period, and taken to hospital, however I am pleased to report no breaks and he's home.

Bronco Radenovic between the sticks for the greens won't forget this one in a long time and this goes for the greater percentage of Mitchelton players.

### OLD FOX BROWN

Wynnum, at home to Dnipro, performed extremely well, even though they were without the services of two of their stars, Bill Webb and Eddie Wilkins.

The old fox, coach Henry Brown, had a run in the middle and left the field with a hat trick. In fact his first goal showed he still possesses all the old guile when he beat the centre half, drew the keeper and scored with a placement. At half time Wynnum led 2-0 and in the second half they really gained the ascendancy and ran out the most comfortable of winners at 6-1.

The seaiders played with a lot more zip today and reliable Frank Sowden scored twice and Johnny Hales scored the goal of the match.

Arthur Creighton as always turned in a solid performance as did Pete Edwards at left back.

With only two weeks to go to the big one that could be the decider Wynnum appear to have cleared the doldrums although they have had a spate of setbacks at a crucial time.

### ANNERLEY NOW THIRD

Annerley, whom I mentioned last

week as skirting the perimeter of the top four, closed in no uncertain manner and superseded both Mitchelton and Budapest to run into third place on the premiership ladder.

In a match that broke no records in the first half except maybe a piece of smart keeping by Annerley's Bill Busby who had a particularly good game, neither team penetrated the opposition defence for a scoreless period.

After a stern chat from coach Ron White centre half Geoff Gault must have got the message because it was left to him to open the scoring and act as pathfinder to his forwards. Mick Armstrong, who regularly appears in Annerley's list of scorers, went in with a quarter hour to go and not many minutes later Ian Graham sealed the fate of the game. Annerley lifted their standard of play in the last half and Budapest although they had a ton of opportunities found Bill Busby too safe.

These two points give Annerley a great chance of maintaining their position in the top four whilst Mitchelton and Budapest vie for the only other berth available.

### EASTS UP WITH INJURIES

Easts were at home to Newmarket last week and found themselves with only ten men at first whistle against the Postal boys.

Kenny Osborne levelled the numerical strength of both teams midway through the first half when he lost a verbal battle with the ref. and took no further active participation in proceedings.

At half time Easts held a slender 1-0 lead, however with a full complement in the second stanza against the Newmarket team's depleted forces and with injuries the boys from Heath Park gradually took command and at the final whistle had won well within themselves at 4-1, Nicky Pastinov scoring two for the winners and Steve Amos and Lee Fett one apiece.

Roy Mitchell, playing right half in the latter stages, scored the lone goal for Newmarket in the last minute of play.

### GAP'S PLIGHT SERIOUS

Willowburn further highlighted the seriousness of the Gap's situation when they defeated the locals 5-2 at the Walton Bridge oval.

Up to half time the Gap were still a chance when they trailed the Too-

woomba boys by the odd goal in three. On the resumption Willowburn ran to 4-1, the Gap replied at 4-2 and the Magpies added a fifth for the final score.

Alan Green and Ian Woods were the home team scorers and if the Willowburn boys played as per their team sheet order the scorers as given me by Bob Brown of the Gap were A. Black 3, J. Bygrave 1 and D. Wederich 1. Willowburn keeper Dave Bernard caught the eye with another good display.

Two of the Gap veterans, in Graham Simpson and Murray Anderson, played their hearts out again, and if their position on the points table does not take an upward trend it certainly will not rest on the shoulders of these fellows.

### COAST 'COAST' IN

Toowong this week had the home game against South Coast and the latter's centre forward Clive Hutchinson opened proceedings with a goal in the first 10 minutes. After the same period Toowong found themselves level when in a goalmouth scramble they accepted a donation through a miskick by a southside defender.

Don Heals, playing right wing, lobbed firmly from the wing and deceived the Toowong keeper for a 2-1 half time lead.

In the second stanza it was South Coast all the way with further goals by Clive Hutchinson, showing plenty of dash, two more, and one each through Don Heals and Jimmy Watson for a comfortable 6-1.

For the winners Peter Cox at centre half and link men Wayne Lyons and Jim Watson gave good displays whilst Bob Maynard along with Steve Johnston caught the eye.

Toowong's new keeper, Stan Poulton, showed some touches after only one training night and a two year lay off.

### TIPS

In next week's round I think Annerley will score a major against South Coast, Wynnum to take Newmarket. Willowburn too strong for Toowong. Mitchelton to prove their form against Lats. Last week to be false at the expense of the Gap. Latrobe should continue on their merry way against Dnipro, and I believe Easts and Budapest will just about split points.

# THISTLE COULD TOPPLE



## Gr. Thistle Hollandia

By  
Harry Mourney

The Scotties great show against Polonia last week in the Ampol Cup semi when they drew 2-2 combined with their 3-3 draw with Hellenic the week before, gives them a great chance to topple the leaders, Hollandia off their pedestal.

Thistle have given a great exhibition of defence lately with the pivot Barry Dann playing at his top. He is receiving excellent support from Keith Rigby, Barry Allison and the non-stop battler 'Blue' Smith.

The inclusion of Owen Lane in the halves has paid off and has let Geoff Cornford go into the attack in an effort to support the goal getting agency, Ritchie 'bomber' Smith.

The much improved Vic Wyer, backed up by newcomer Mike Culhana and Barry Jardine will need all their skill to get the ball past the solid Hollandia backs.

But their chances will depend on the ability of Peter Clemitsen to outmanoeuvre the wily Hugh Montgomery and Peter Steen.

Hollandia must be the unluckiest club about with their string of injuries and it's a credit to their football ability that they still head the table.

Without taking credit from Oxley, their form last match was shocking and the Darra boys will have to do better to hold Thistle.

The defence of Kim Renfers, John Van Klaveren, Ern Deavins and Ben Mollee is a tough proposition for Thistle and could be their downfall.

Their last encounter resulted in a 3-1

win for Thistle but I'm sure Keijo Voutilainen, Nigel McGuckin and Dale Mortimer will be flat out to score more than one goal and give Hollandia sweet revenge.

The key figure here could be Voutilainen who will give Barry Dann and his boys a bad day with his deceptive change of pace, and his ability to make openings for the other forwards.

Overall it looks like a game of solid defence, therefore the goal scoring should be cut to a minimum.

I feel the overall team play by Hollandia could give them the edge, therefore they could win narrowly.

Referee: George Harrison.

THISTLE	HOLLANDIA
1. K. Rigby	1. K. Renfers
2. A. Smith	2. E. Deavin
3. B. Dann	3. P. Steen
4. D. Stewart	4. B. Mollee
5. B. Allison	5. J. Van Klaveren
6. P. Clemitsen	6. W. James
7. L. Culhana	7. D. Wilkins
8. J. Cornford	8. H. Montgomery
9. R. Smith	9. K. Voutilainen
10. V. Wyer	10. N. McGuckin
11. B. Jardine	11. D. Mortimer



## Merton's last chance?

By  
Ron Mitchell

Merton's semi-final prospects will deteriorate further if they lose to Polonia at Prentice Park on Sunday.

Merton are sixth, three points behind the No. 4 team, Azzurri, and two points behind the No. 5 team, Grange Thistle.

Since returning to top company in 1962, Merton have figured in the premierships semi-finals every year except 1967, and won the championship title in 1962, 1964 and 1968.

Their record, and Merton's well-known ability to recover from their almost traditional form slumps, suggest that Polonia may not have it easy on Sunday.

But, this season, Merton lack sting in attack. They have scored only 18 goals in 12 premierships matches. Last season's main goalscorers, Eric Pattison, who netted 21 in the 18 premierships matches, and Trevor Catchpole, who got 20, have scored only six and five respectively in the 1969 premierships, which now has only six matches yet to be played.

Pattison went off injured (shoulder) against Azzurri in the Ampol Cup match on Sunday, and Trevor Catchpole missed the entire match through injury.

In addition, skipper Graham Meagher was hurt, so that Merton's lineup for Sunday is in doubt at the moment.

Polonia, who are second on the points table, are only one point behind Hollandia, and will be all out for full points against Merton.

Polonia scraped in by the narrowest possible margin against Grange Thistle in the Ampol semi-final on Sunday and despite their well balanced side and fairly consistent displays, they are preparing for a tough encounter against Merton.

Polonia's left back, Derek Attwood, is in great form and with Derek Robson, Alan James and the roving Owen Monaghan forming an efficient link with the attack of Syd Tucker, Roger Clark and Wayne Walker, Polonia should set some problems for Merton.

However, in losing 0-1 to Azzurri in the Ampol semi-final last Sunday, Merton gave a determined display with a weakened team and we must not forget that a week earlier Azzurri snatched a draw late in the premierships match in which Merton had staged a great second half recovery.

Last Sunday, goalkeeper Ross Melville, brother Kevin at full back, and centre half Gary Catchpole, who played

# LEADERS HOLLANDIA

a blinder, were a strong Merton trio, Melville could have won by at least five clear goals.

Geoff Green, one of Soccer's most consistent 90 minute players, is another threat to Polonia, but one feels that even with the expected return of State players Harry Stewart and Ron Millman, Merton's weakness in front of goal will swing the result in Polonia's favour.

Merton forward, Tom Barber, could be a menace to Polonia with his sharp thrusts, but will need better support than he got last match, and also improve his own marksmanship.

Referee: Bernie Troy.

POLONIA	MERTON
1. F. Romanowski	1. R. Melville
2. E. Musial	2. G. Meagher
3. D. Attwood	3. K. Melville
4. D. Robson	4. G. Green
5. G. Whittaker	5. G. Catchpole
6. A. James	6. H. Stewart
7. W. Walker	7. J. Gordon
8. R. Clark	8. T. Catchpole
9. A. Lowndes	9. E. Pattison
10. O. Monaghan	10. R. Millman
11. S. Tucker	11. T. Barber



## Azzurri's attack advantage

By  
Bruce Waddell

Azzurri's distinct edge in attack should alone be enough to get them two points closer to the top of the table against Oxley at Dunlop Park on Sunday.

They completely overwhelmed Merton last Sunday and but for some superb defence by Gary Catchpole and Keith

Gerry Schoendorfer and Ian Johnston were the danger boys, but the former missed a bag of sitters. Johnston is playing intelligent football in lead up work but can't be given room to produce his powerful shooting efforts.

Dave Sargent and Clive Dyson are two hard working inside forwards who, with winger David Keen, form a forward line which should be able to crack Oxley's Scott defence.

Peter Nielson is another one of Brisbane's most under-rated players and gets through a tremendous amount of work midfield with Johnny Mengotti.

Matt Hosie at centre half is the pivot of an immaculate defence, which, in conceding 19 goals is the third best (taking that line of reasoning) defence in the competition.

He and full backs Ian Frampton and Bruno Pinto should comfortably contain the Oxley forward thrust, led capably so far by centre forward Trevor Payne.

Payne's inside men will probably be Jock Taylor and the versatile veteran Rex Evans once again.

Dobinson and McEwan are pretty fast wingers and Frampton and Pinto will find it no easy task matching them on that score.

Centre half Roy Scott is obviously the key man in the Dunlop Park defence and his attempt to subdue Johnston will be worth seeing.

Brian Bjorgelund and Eddie Hillier again back the midfield work as half-backs and are backed by rugged full-backs Kev Fredline and Keith Brecht (if he's recovered from a nasty crack on the head against Hollandia two weeks back).

Lastly, there's the promising John Pizzey between the sticks. He's sure to



These players will clash in week-end fixtures — from left Polonia's Syd Tucker and Roger Clark and Merton's Gary Catchpole.

have another good match and is definitely one to follow.

Their first round clash saw Azzurri getting up by the odd goal in three and I'm tipping Sunday's result should be almost a duplicate of that one.

Referee: Ken Lennon.

OXLEY	AZZURRI
1. J. Pizzey	1. D. Neal
2. K. Brecht	2. I. Frampton
3. K. Fredline	3. B. Pinto
4. B. Bjorkelund	4. J. Mengotti
5. R. Scott	5. M. Hosie
6. E. Hillier	6. P. Nielson
7. R. Dobinson	7. G. Schoendorfer
8. J. Taylor	8. C. Ryson
9. T. Payne	9. I. Johnston
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**St. Helens to improve**

By Arthur Bevin

St. Helens have had a very lean period in recent matches and have dropped from fourth position on the points table to the relegation zone.

They are now only three points ahead of tail enders Germania. If Saints do not win this game, they will be in real trouble.

Germania gave the other Ipswich club, Coalstars, the life they needed a fortnight ago when they went down to the local lads at Bundamba.

Germania had very little to offer that day and were never really in the event.

Whether or not St. Helens can emulate Coalstars' performance only Saturday's game at Bulimba will tell.

The way they played in drawing 2-2 twice with Hollandia suggested that Saints would be right there when the whips were cracking in the premiership race. Since then they have been slipping backwards through the field.

With not a great deal of confidence because of form reversals, I am selecting St. Helens to win this one and so improve their position.

Referee: Angus McDougall.

Germania	St. Helens
1. L. Noyes	1. M. Walker
2. D. Bowers	2. G. Bell
3. W. Zimmerman	3. K. Dann
4. R. Maxton	4. R. Dann
5. R. Buchanan	5. B. Vogler
6. L. Willett	6. C. Sander
7. J. Hughes	7. C. Kitching
8. W. Maxton	8. J. Haswell
9. M. Moric	9. J. Verrall
10. Z. Wehner	10. B. Dobbie
11. M. Nestic	11. L. Gibb

**'Old masters' to win**

By Allan Gibb

Hellenic's fast and open football should provide an interesting afternoon's entertainment when they meet the improving Coalstars at Bundamba on Sunday.

The old masters are making a determined bid to reach the top of the premiership table and at the moment are poised within striking distance of the leaders should Hollandia fail against Grange Thistle.

But they should take early warning not to take Coalstars too cheaply as the local Ipswich side has seemed to take a new mental approach to the game, and if their last display is any indication they will be hard to toss.

Half back Lance Petie has added that touch of midfield control that Stars lacked previously and his accurate ball distribution has provided his forwards with a feast of scoring chances.

Much will depend of course on just how well the Coalstars attack can take advantage of their opportunities. Wal Kitching's hat trick in his last game were good efforts and co-forwards Ian Davis, Rob Hughes, Glen Lawrie and Ross Hallett played with more confident understanding than they have shown for some time.

Hellenic's Andy Tsoumbaras and Bill Fagan are getting amongst the goals and their combination with Graham McMilland, Matt Jackson and Alan May should provide a king size headache for Coalstars' defence. Ipswich fans will be watching very closely the form of relative newcomer Tony Murtagh playing for the first time on the Bundamba ground.

Hellenic won the first clash 4-2 and must be considered favourites. However they could only draw last time against Thistle while Coalstars were giving a football lesson to Germania. I'm going for Coalstars in a tight finish.

Referee: John Adams.

Coalstars	Hellenic
1. B. Schreiwies	1. A. McLean
2. B. Burren	2. C. Petridis
3. J. Bell	3. C. Matters
4. B. Parkes	4. M. Papasavas
5. R. Hallett	5. G. Mackie
6. F. Johnston	6. M. Jackson
7. R. Hughes	7. T. Long
8. B. Payne	8. A. Murtagh
9. W. Kitching	9. A. Tsoumbaras
10. I. Davis	10. W. Fagan
11. G. Lawrie	11. G. McMillan

**POINTS TABLES**

FIRST DIVISION		P	W	L	D	F	A	Pt.
Hollandia	.....	12	7	2	3	40	14	17
Polonia	.....	12	7	3	2	28	18	14
Hellenic	.....	12	6	3	3	31	27	15
Azzurri	.....	12	7	4	1	25	19	14
Thistle	.....	12	6	5	1	23	25	13
Merton	.....	12	4	5	3	18	28	11
St. Helens	.....	12	2	4	6	20	20	10
Coalstars	.....	12	4	7	1	23	25	9
Oxley	.....	12	3	7	2	16	26	8
Germania	.....	12	3	8	1	11	33	7

RESERVE GRADE		P	W	L	D	F	A	Pt.
Coalstars	.....	12	10	—	2	49	12	22
St. Helens	.....	12	8	2	2	47	21	18
Merton	.....	11	8	2	1	41	17	17
Polonia	.....	12	4	4	4	19	24	12
Thistle	.....	12	5	6	1	25	27	11
Hellenic	.....	12	4	5	3	28	31	11
Germania	.....	12	5	6	1	18	29	11
Azzurri	.....	11	3	6	2	22	26	8
Oxley	.....	12	2	10	—	14	43	4
Hollandia	.....	12	1	9	2	12	45	4

**FIRST ROUND RESULTS**

- Germania 0 v. St. Helens 0
- Azzurri 2 d. Oxley 1
- Hellenic 4 d. Coalstars 2
- Thistle 3 d. Hollandia 1
- Polonia 2 d. Merton Rovers 1

**LAST WEEK'S CUP RESULTS**

- Polonia 2 v. Thistle 2 (1-1)
- (Polonia won 1-0 on corner kicks)
- Azzurri 1 v. Merton 0 (0-0)

**LEADING GOALSCORERS**

- 14 Keijo Voutilainen (Hollandia)
- 12 Andy Tsoumbaras (Hellenic)
- 9 Roger Clark (Polonia)
- 7 Nigel McGuckin (Hollandia)
- Hugh Montgomery (Hollandia)
- Syd Tucker (Polonia)
- Ritchie Smith (Thistle)
- Ian Johnston (Azzurri)
- 6 Eric Pattison (Merton)
- Tony Lowndes (Polonia)
- David Keen (Azzurri)
- John Verrall (St. Helens)
- Bill Fagan (Hellenic)



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4th DIVISION

# "ANNERLEY SCRAPE IN"

Annerley just managed to gather in the two points against Budapest Grovely in the last minute and half of the game when Andy Mollison put in the only goal of the match.

Frank Robinson stayed on the sideline in the first half to have a look at the boys in action, but it just wasn't their day. Budapest opened well, but were unable to crack the Annerley defence, and by the same token the Annerley boys could not find the net at the other end, and half time came with no score on the board. Frank Robinson saddled up in the second half, but it was not until the last ten minutes of the game that he was able to pull the boys together, and although quite a number of goals were bombed, Annerley were more constructive and pinned Budapest in their own half. In the dying minutes of the game, Annerley pressed continuously, and the tension was eased, when Mollison netted for the Ekibin boys, and so stay well ahead of the field on the premiership ladder.

### Taringa drop another point

In the game against Grange Thistle, Taringa could only manage a 1-1 draw. Neither side penetrated the other's defence, and half time came with no score on the board. Just after commencement of play, John Speare opened the scoring for Taringa, but it wasn't long before Grange equalised with a converted penalty kick, and a share in the points.

### Latrobe lather Mitchelton

Latrobe handed Mitchelton a 7-1 lacing at Prentice Park, six of the Latrobe goals coming in the second half.

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Lats. were first to score when they were awarded a penalty, but not long after Mitchie's winger Arthur Knights crossed a high one to the centre where Ian Kesson headed it in to make the score 1-1 at half time. Latrobe were in again early in the second half, and from then on took the game by the scruff of the neck, and scored as they liked. Garth Goodwin and Harry Green scored two each, Ray Chadwick, Ben Lerkenfeld and Gino Patrune collected the other three between them. Young Mitchelton goalkeeper, Mick Carter, brought off some fine saves and was the pick of the losing side. One thing about this game that amazed me was that referee Woods could not see two glaring infringements in Lats. penalty area, but from the half way line, or in close proximity thereto, could see that an infringement had occurred six inches outside the penalty area, and was able to run up and point to the exact spot.

### Gap get another two

A converted penalty won the game for Gap against South Coast United. South Coast opened the scoring with a goal from Nev Bagnall early in the first half, and Bill McGinn, going well after his holidays, picked up a good through ball, and after a goalmouth scrimmage, the equaliser was posted. The second half was hard and tough, with goalie Terry Haylock, Barry Mears, Kenny Monaghan and J. Longhurst doing well for South Coast.

Towards the later stage of the game, Gap were awarded a penalty and the kick was well astray, but the Referee ruled that South Coast's goalie had moved and ordered the kick retaken, and this time Cliff Green made no mistake. Cliff Green distributed the ball well, and goalkeeper Chris Morelle made some good saves, especially in the second half with the sun in his eyes, but he managed to keep South Coast out and the Gappies helped themselves to two more points.

### 5th DIVISION

#### Annerley get the big '0'

I don't want to say 'I told you so', but — OLYMPIC gave ANNERLEY their first taste of defeat this season when they snatched away two points with a 2-0 win.

This goes to show just what determination, enthusiasm, will to win and 18 players can do.

Eighteen players? — well 11 regular players and Olympic's new all-female go-go squad — with the letters Olympic flashing on the front of their, er, minis.

Have already had an offer from one of the 1st division writers to cover future 5th division matches — no hope. Not going to tell you much about the game — it was a beauty.

Olympic tell me they scored one goal and Annerley scored the other one or them.

But Annerley tell me they (Annerley) scored both goals — and I don't care who scored them and neither does Olympic — they won.

Congratulations Olympic — look forward to meeting the cheer squad soon — and Annerley — watch out this week — you're playing Toowong.

### Toowong first win

Would you believe it — the TOOWONG lads got their first two pointer (in either division) for the season against REDLANDS last Saturday at 4-3.

Another good fast game, in which Redlands were first to score, closely followed by the Toowong equaliser, with a good turn and score ball by Noel Hewitt.

Toowong keeper was having a busy day, but Dick Gouty has had busier ones — and although he was to let two more in — credit must go to him for a brilliant game.

Ken Pugh put away a penalty for Toowong — but the Toowong lads were still down 2-3 at half time.

Both sides went for broke in the second half and it was not long before Ken Pugh was called on to send in his second penalty and level the scores at 3-3.

Then it happened — Toowong were awarded a direct (or was it indirect) free kick, we will never know — however Redlands 'keeper treated it as indirect and the ball sailed in untouched by human hands — for a goal.

No stopping Toowong now — they were unlucky not to score again.

At the other end for Toowong — David Gentle, Ron Bingham and Geoff Wade all earned their \$50 per week board and keep and the bonus goes to Dick Gowty.

### Taringa 'dunk' Gold Coast

TARINGA, after many weeks of poor games and few points, got back in the circle with a very convincing 7-3 win over GOLD COAST.

Chris Dunk had his shooting boots on and notched up four of these and George Damon got two, including the first goal which was a 30 yard high ball drifter.

Crooky sent in a goody to put Taringa's tally at seven.

# Craven Filter Award



Our photographer had plenty of people to choose from for our award photo this week at Heath Park.

The ground was bulging at the seams for the Queensland Ampol Cup semi-finals on Sunday.

These two lucky gentlemen happened to be in the right spot at the right time and can collect their packs of Craven Filter cigarettes from the Queensland Soccer Federation Office in Perry House, Elizabeth Street.

This was a good clean game and Gold Coast were unlucky to be playing a man short some of the time, however this didn't worry the Shaw brothers, who between them scored Coast's trio of goals.

Apart from these 'blues' keeper Alan Eyles performed well when tested.

### Bardon on way up

BARDON, week by week, are pulling away from the relegation zone and with present form could be latecomer candidates for the top four play-off.

Last Saturday they added two more points with a 2-0 win over MT. GRAVATT.

Following a scoreless first half, during which Bardon's Paul Booth at right wing stood out with several clever centres, which would have come off except for the excellent keeping of Geoff Lane, Bardon got into the fray.

With Peter Ross and Richie Ellis continually setting up the Bardon forwards, it was only a matter of time before the 'Reds' got in and it was to be Graeme Taylor, who was to draw first blood, 10 minutes from the start of the second 45.

For the next half hour everybody had chances and I mean chances, but it was not to be Peter Langley or Paul Mercer's day, as the Greens were unable to get anything past Rick Schluter in goals.

With five minutes in hand, Derek Plant sealed Mt. Gravatt's fate, with a little tap goal.

### Acacia back to form?

Tip 'em to lose and they win — sometimes — anyhow that's the way it went last Sunday when ACACIA RIDGE handed out a 7-2 lacing to POSTALS.

Good fast game — Postal opened the score and not long after Ridge equalised — then Postals and then Ridge — no more Postals.

Normie Hunter chalked up four of these, Wally McBurnie got two and one to Charlie Tymon.

I think Acacia are fair dinkum again.

### Predictions . . .

Let's get serious this week — although last week wasn't bad (two out of five) — Toowong did the dirty on me and Acacia and Bardon — still two for me — I'm improving.

Mt. Gravatt v. Acacia Ridge — Mt. Gravatt no risk.

Annerley v. Toowong — Come on fellas — you've got to be reasonable about these things — Blues.

Gold Coast v. Olympic — Are you kidding? — Must be Olympic — don't let me down girls.

Redcliffe v. Taringa — Back to the Red corner.

Redlands v. Bardon — For reputation sake — back the Bardon Ballet.

### TIPSTER'S CORNER

	A. Bevin	I. Brusasco	A. Gibb	R. Mitchell	J. Steel	B. Waddell	R. Hogg	Most Favoured	K. Milmoe
Grange-Thistle v. Hollandia	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	2
Coalstars v. Hellenic	2	x	2	2	1	2	2	2	2
Oxley v. Azzurri	2	2	1	2	2	2	2	1	2
Merton v. Polonia	2	2	x	2	2	2	2	2	2
Germania v. St. Helens	1	2	x	2	2	2	2	2	2

Progress Points: Brusasco 43, Milmoe 42, Mitchell 40, Steel 38, Waddell 37, Hogg 36, Bevan 35, Gibb 34.

### 6th DIVISION

#### Rangers park Redlands

PARK RANGERS didn't get it all that easy when they beat REDLANDS 4-1 last week-end.

This was a good clean game and Rangers exercised the Redlands keeper, president Lew Amiet, no end — they pressed hard from the word go and were 2-0 at the half time break.

Rangers, leading 4-0 with only 15 minutes to go, were shocked to find Redlands getting some of the play, so much so that Alan Roberts banged one in to bring it down to 4-1.

For Redlands Chris Penfold, in his first game for the Reds, paid his way and centre half Steven played solidly.

#### Darra deserved win

With the way DARRA played last Sunday, they deserved their 5-0 win over ACACIA RIDGE.

Since their last meeting Darra were the more improved and polished team and it became a case of not who was going to win, but by how many.

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**NEXT WEEK'S FIXTURES**

**DIVISION 1**

- SATURDAY, AUGUST 2nd—  
Azzurri v. Gr. Thistle (Spencer)  
St. Helens v. Merton (Ebbw Vale)
- SUNDAY, AUGUST 3rd—  
Hollandia v. Coalstars (B'dmba)  
Hellenic v. Germania (Carina)  
Polonia v. Oxley (Prentice)

**DIVISION 2**

- SATURDAY, AUGUST 2nd—  
Gap v. Dnipro (Gap)  
Wynnum v. Latrobe (Maramba)
- SUNDAY, AUGUST 3rd—  
East v. South Coast (Heath)  
New Postal v. Budapest (McCook)  
Toowong v. Mitchelton (Dunmore)  
Annerley v. Willowburn (Ekibin)

**DIVISION 3**

- SATURDAY, AUGUST 2nd—  
Taringa v. Mt. Gravatt (Taringa)  
Gap v. Redcliffe (Gap)\*
- SUNDAY, AUGUST 3rd—  
Bardon v. University (Bowman)  
East v. Redlands (Heath)\*  
Wynnum v. Gold Coast (Maramba)  
Forrest v. Bye

**DIVISION 4**

- SATURDAY, AUGUST 2nd—  
Thistle v. South Coast (Lanham)  
Taringa v. Budapest (Taringa)\*  
Wynnum v. Latrobe (Maramba)\*
- SUNDAY, AUGUST 3rd—  
Annerley v. University (Ekibin)\*  
Gap v. Mitchelton (Gap)  
Newspapers v. Dnipro (Fairfield)

**DIVISION 5**

- SATURDAY, AUGUST 2nd—  
Olympic v. Redcliffe (Dutton)
- SUNDAY, AUGUST 3rd—  
Bardon v. Annerley (Bowman)\*  
Acacia Ridge v. Redlands (A. Ridge)  
N. Postal v. Mt. Gravatt (McCook)\*  
Toowong v. Gold Coast (Dunmore)\*  
Taringa v. Bye

**DIVISION 6**

- SATURDAY, AUGUST 2nd—  
Zillmere A v. P. Rivers (Z'mere)  
Teachers v. Annerley (Kedron)  
Redlands v. Zillmere B (Cleve.)
- SUNDAY, AUGUST 3rd—  
Acacia R. v. Park Rang. (A. Ridge)\*  
Darra v. Newspapers (Darra)  
Forrest v. Coolangatta (Fairfield)

6th DIV. — from page 11  
Acacia lads did their best but just were no match for those five goals that went through.  
Watch out Ranger — Darra's coming through.

**Annerley get the big 'A'**

ZILLMERE A overwhelmed the boys in Blue last Sunday and ANNERLEY counted eight going past to their one.  
Zillmere with seven new players in the last six weeks, got really stuck into it and rattled up four by half time.

After lemons Annerley must have done some attacking because they received a penalty and Ian McNeil put this away for a loner.

Four and four make eight, so needless to say — Zillmere smartened up and sent in four more before full time.

Say — was that Arthur Higgins from Channel 0 on the left wing for Zillmere?

**Forest and Pine Rivers draw**

In a match that promised to be a hum-dinger after the first 20 minutes, fizzled out into a grim battle for the retention of a point by Pine Rivers.

The Strathpine boys, who have a dismal scoring record so far this season, forgot who they were in this first scorching period to find themselves three goals in front without much effort. Goals by Alan Paton, Terry Brock and an own goal placed them in a handy position for the events to come.

Forest then made an impression on the game by securing two goals in the space of five minutes, both hotly disputed by the Rivers defence.

The first was slotted home from an

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obvious offside position and the second from the penalty spot. The taker of the penalty was virtually escorted to the ball by the Forest forwards but the referee would have nothing of it.

A second penalty awarded a few minutes later illustrated the same procedure but as the kick was saved the matter was not pursued any further.

The second half was a stop-go effort with more whistle than play prevailing. Forest striving hard to obtain the equaliser had to wait until the last five minutes of play before they secured their point.



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