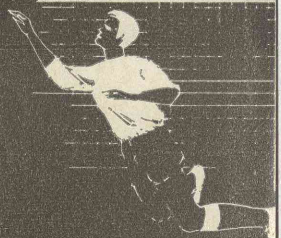




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Brisbane City's Karl Herdle tangles with Marconi skipper Jim Rooney during last weeks Philips League action at Perry Park.

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TO say something has "come of age" is to employ a pretty well-worn cliché.

But it seems the only appropriate expression to apply to last Sunday's opening Philips League round.

A big crowd, one which hopefully will remain a regular feature of the competition, must have been one of the most pleasing aspects.

But has anyone noticed, unlike crowds which attend other codes, are almost silent in their support of the home team. At one stage, City team manager Martin Cirino even had to walk along the fence in front of the crowd, urging it to vocally support their side, when they appeared likely to pull off a shock victory.

Promotion wise, City need to pull their socks up. Marconi provided an example of the sort of activities which appeal to the crowd, but readers of GO SOCCER express their opinions on this matter elsewhere in this edition.

City, with all the money already outlaid, probably could have spent a few dollars on advertising during the week. The Federation was inundated with telephone calls from people wanting to know if there was a curtain-raiser scheduled for Sunday.

It's no good relying solely on newspaper coverage. There are people called sub-editors who some times cut those particular items out of stories. Playing wise, City do not deserve enough credit. Players, who many people thought would be outclassed in the League threw that criticism back with a vengeance. Players like Peter Takesi, Peter Nielsen and Ian Johnston.

As for the performance of Jim Hermiston the applause from the crowd for several of his feats on a number of occasions speaks for itself.

Finally, the League itself went on show last Monday night with the first Top Soccer programme, which was professionally presented on Channel 0. Commentary was well handled and everybody obviously has learned well from the Big Match presentation.

Bearing in mind the demonstration against referee Des Miles after the City match, it was interesting to note Soccer writer Jim Barker's comment that neutral referees should be used at ALL games, thereby eliminating any future claims of bias about every referee engaged in the competition.

And we certainly hope that supporter from South Melbourne swallows his blasted trumpet before the next Top Soccer goes to air.

MATCH OF THE DAY EASTER MONDAY

Perry Park, 3 p.m.

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READERS' FORUM

Dear Sir,

In reference to the letter in GO SOCCER (25th March) about the lack of media coverage of games I too am frustrated by the inadequate promotion and publicity of local soccer.

April 3, the date set for the much-awaited Philips League to begin, is now a reality. On our performances in the first round we have given southern teams something to think about. The 'wooden-spooner' State is going to stir up more attention down south in the future as well.

Psychological barriers have built up from previous games. One of the greatest assets for our players now is to believe in themselves and their abilities and not to pre-judge the ability of the opposing team.

On paper and from other media reports, Marconi appeared to be a difficult opponent who many considered were a class above us because they came from Sydney. They played anything but the open style of football that many expected to see. It was Brisbane City, with the inclusion of Jim Hermiston that provided the crowd with the more entertaining style of football.

However we are still not at the stage where the game can promote itself, yet. This will come in time I hope. We, (supporters, players, officials and administrators) can not sit back and wait for the media to come to us. Even though they will now have to show more interest in the game, we still have to compete with rugby league in particular.

It was most disappointing that there was not an effective build up to the game. Where it should have been a 'glamorous' occasion, it was like another game at Perry Park, only with a few more people. Marconi showed us up by at least handing out hats and T shirts as a gesture of goodwill. It wasn't only the kids that raced down to get them, either.

Let's hope that the organisers have realised the necessity for some added attractions at future Philips League matches.

The other codes, especially league, are in the advantageous position of having those possessing "the power of the pen"

on their side. It is a struggle at times for us to even get a mention.

The most common defence offered is that the papers and media are only meeting the demands of the public. Could it have been that it was the early publicity in the papers that created the initial interest and present demand.

Every effort should be made to arouse the public's awareness and interest in the game. It is not only played on the Big Match and on Star Soccer.

The crucial period, Soccer's turning-point is not tomorrow, or even next year. It is now, today. Therefore anyone that calls him or herself a soccer supporter should do something to establish it as the number 1 game.

You might ask what you as an individual can do. Initiative, Imagination and Common Sense are three words that immediately come to mind. The following are some ways in which we can help:

(1) SUPPORT OF THIS MAGAZINE by
(a) Buying it each week and encouraging others to do so. (b) Contributing stories or points of interest.

If you do not think that you can express yourself as well as you would like to or if you are hesitant to write for some other reason, personally relate your story to the editor. Bruce Waddells' home and work phone numbers are included on page two each week.

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(2) Similarly, your talents could be utilised in some other aspect of the game.

(3) Mention the Philips League and soccer generally in a conversation. For every new person that comes along to a match, others soon follow.

(4) Attend as many games as possible i.e. Club matches, Philips League matches and State matches. Bring the family along and invite the next-door neighbour.

Don't walk around with your ears and eyes shut. If you hear something interesting or amusing share it with other readers of GO SOCCER. If the information is important or if it could get good publicity for the game, contact the media. They are there to be used, and as they are not readily coming to us, we must go to them. By being an involved supporter the game will take on a new meaning and perspective.

Above all *DON'T BE APATHETIC*. This is one of the reasons for the lack of progress in the game. Increased attendances and interest in the game by known sponsors will not go unnoticed, but it requires co-operation and support by all concerned as well.

Soccer must get as much exposure as possible. Not only on the field, but on television where local and not overseas Soccer is shown. Other aspects of the game should also be seen in order to give more depth and understanding to the game. Personalities, as was suggested in the previous GO SOCCER, must be created both on the field and by their exposure by the media.

It is not being idealist to believe that Soccer will be the top code. We have the strength in the 30,000 juniors alone playing club matches in the State. Our future lies in developing these players and giving them reasons to continue playing. The incentives have not been there in the past. How many players have lost interest and dropped out of the game because their efforts have seemed futile to them. While many of the "drop-outs" may have not been up to standard anyway, there may have been some who were or could have been great players.

To do well at anything you need the motivation and some goal to work towards. There needs to be something that pushes you to do better than the next person. We should be trying to produce quality players which only comes with

quality coaches. The situation here has improved with a good response to coaching courses.

To achieve all or any of the points I have suggested is possible. As the saying goes, "Nothing is impossible, it only takes a little longer."

Karen Grega, Soccer Supporter

Dear Sir,

This letter is not so much a complaint but more of a request. It has been stressed that we must have big crowds at the Philips League games to make sure of its success. And as my family and myself are strong Soccer supporters we very much want to be there at all games played at Perry Park.

The problem is that my eldest son plays in the under 16's and their first game is timed for 2.05 p.m., Sunday, April 17 and I have been informed that this fixture time will be repeated on most Sundays.

There will be 26 boys involved in these matches and I estimate that one third of the families would like to be at Perry Park. I would say that at least \$100 in gate money will be lost because we cannot get there.

My request is — would it be at all possible for their kick off times to be changed to say, around 11 a.m. on Sunday morning so that we can all arrive at the big match in good time.

Brian Watson,

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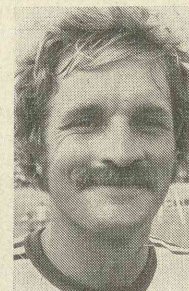
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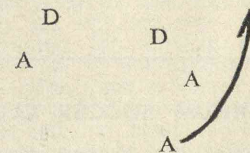


WATCHING Brisbane City against Marconi at the weekend once again highlighted the need for players to act and think positively.

It seemed as though the City players went out on the field with a lack of belief in their own ability, both as individuals and as a team. This was apparent in the first half when on numerous occasions a City player would be left with a one versus one in a flank position.

This was an ideal opportunity to either attack the man with the ball and go for goal or force the man inside, in order to create space for an overlap down the wing. See Fig 1.

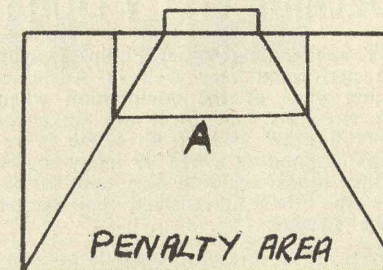
FIG 1.



In not one instance did either the man with the ball act positively and take his defender on or players behind the ball work hard to get in advanced attacking positions. Inevitably ball possession was lost without City achieving a strike at goal. Players must have confidence in their own abilities and at least attempt to do the right thing at the right time, whether or not they are successful.

Another way for players to act positively, especially midfield players, is to get in and around the penalty area when a cross is about to be centred. The majority of goals in football are scored in the area A in Fig 2.

FIG. 2



The usual number of players we see in Brisbane in that particular section is at most three and more often than not, only one or two. If we assume the winger is centring the ball and a team is playing 4-3-3 then it is obviously the midfielders who must make the effort to arrive in there at the right time in order to ensure that 4 or 5 men are in that area.

I thought that with a more positive attitude, Brisbane City could have beaten Marconi. However, at the same time I thought that City gave a very creditable performance and none more so than Jim Hermiston, who played quite superbly and showed what professionalism is all about.

Also Peter Tokesi impressed and he grew in confidence and stature throughout the game. Peter is going to develop into a really excellent centre half.

Last, but not least, congratulations should go to the referee Des Miles, who gave one of the best displays I've seen in Queensland football.

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LAST weekend our other Philips League team performed very well in Adelaide. At this stage of the competition when team strengths and form are unknown factors a draw away from home is regarded as good as a win by many soccer pundits. Lions achieved this and so became the first Queensland point-getter in the League.

From all reports our Adelaide counterparts set out to make the Philips League match a "big time" affair and according to Lions president John Morcus the result was a colourful spectacle with all district schools being represented by a junior soccer team dressed in their colors, banners, balloons and an enthusiastic 7,000 crowd right behind their boys.

From the way John spoke to GO SOCCER I think there may be some big presentation ideas coming to us from Richlands for he was obviously impressed by the overall presentation in Adelaide. GO SOCCER hopes Lions can do this sort of thing bigger and better than any of the southern counterparts.

On the field Lions fielded a side of McKenzie, Wilson, Potter, Bennett, Niven Laslo, Drinkwater, Fagan, Harland, Neale, Hughes.

and these boys did what was asked of them, keeping possession and making sure nothing was given away until coach Les Scheinflug could better assess the opposition.

After half time Gerry Walker substituted for Ron Harland and Ian Lawrie replaced Iain Fagan who had run himself into the ground.

These tactical changes almost stole the game for Lions as John Perrin our old South Australian adversary was subdued by Walker and Lawrie almost did the trick with seven minutes left when he unleashed one of his howitzers from thirty yards and almost fractured the cross bar.

The Adelaide goalkeeper brought off a superb reflex save from Alan Hughes attempt at the rebound. So it was not to be, as Scheinflug said "We cannot expect two points if we don't score a goal" but somehow one got the impression he was a satisfied man.

No doubt the crowd at Perry Park this Sunday will mirror Lions success just by turning up and welcoming these boys in their thousands. See you Sunday at Perry Park.

Coming & Going

THERE is a constant tide of players and personalities in Brisbane Soccer. This week is no exception. Last Sundays match had as a spectator Alan Marley, the St. George and Queensland striker back from his overseas trip. No doubt, Gordon Mackie and Denis Ford were bubbling over with enthusiasm at Alan's return. Wonder if the same effervescence caused a stir out at Spencer Park or Richlands!

Other spectators in from the West this time were "old time" Bardon favourites Jim McCall and Bob Gordon. Jim has been working in Perth for four years and last Sundays game was his first visit to Perry Park for four years. Bob, who played with Oxley, Bardon and a few others around the State is one of Soccer's characters.

Nice to see them back. Probably one of the finest pound for pound value givers in the city soccer scene left us on Friday, little John McGinley returned to his wife's native England to live. John, everyone's pal gave the Brisbane Soccer public everything he had during ninety minutes and you can't get any more than that.

GO SOCCER wishes John and his family all the best of everything on his return to England, the game is poorer for his leaving.

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LINESMAN'S VIEW

PERRY Park came to life last Sunday despite all the feudin' fightin' and fussin' that had gone before, no doubt to be reopened on Monday but then that's the way it should be, at the moment of truth everyone in Brisbane has to get behind the two standard bearers in the Philips League. The official crowd was given as 5,000 and how nice it was to see the place relatively busy again. What was even nicer for the spectators was the showing put up by Brisbane City in their Philips League debut and the master stroke was undoubtedly the piece of co-operation at the eleventh hour between Grange Thistle and City over the use of Jim Hermiston.

This player is an outstanding tradesman and what a job he did for City, Brisbane and himself. The difference he made to City's backline especially young Peter Tokesi who we know is a promising talent, had to be seen to be believed.

Aided and abetted by this man's skill and professionalism the defence became an impenetrable wall (well almost).

For their defensive work alone City deserved a point. Another outstanding capture is Harry Gaffney who held his head high among such esteemed company as Rooney, Byrne and Richards, internationals all, in fact one could have been forgiven for thinking Harry was the holder of an international peg such was the calibre and extent of his work-rate. However it is not good at this time to single out too many individuals for the display was a mighty team effort and anyone who complained about the fare served up should go back and watch juniors, he is not ready for Philips League.

It would be nice to say everything on the field went well, this would not be true. Ian Kesson has a job to convert this team into a winning combination and he is very near. One or two of his boys will have to watch their step in the south when they tackle.

Referees in the south will hammer a lot of what went on yesterday under the guise of "ball winning". Many players lifted their games to new heights, and this is as it should be, but a few still do not show the composure and understanding required for patient build up.

No doubt Ian's little black book will be full of examples but once again I commend the offenders to the example of Hermiston who mis-passed two balls in 90 minutes and lost possession once on the run. Marconi got their goal at a heartbreaking time for City and I'm afraid a few players on City's side gave the impression of "throwing the towel". The boys must learn that that's the time to drag something from somewhere if success has to be attained at Philips League level.

Rale Rasic is a seasoned campaigner who no doubt went back to Sydney with what he came for, two points, but Kesson and his men can take heart even in defeat. In two weeks time when next they play at Perry Park the question to be answered will be "Did the fans enjoy it enough to come back?"

Of this there is no doubt and that is success at this stage of the embryo Philips League.

Off the field of play I felt a lot was left wanting and in the area of game presentation I'm afraid City got no marks at all. When will the administrators of soccer in Brisbane realise they are in the big time entertainment field. What happened on Sunday? People sat from 2.15 watching a nice green patch of grass in front of them. At 2.50 Marconi took the field and to the delight of the crowd handed out hats (with a sponsor's message).

They handed over a gift to City and then the usual boring and nondescript presentation began. Ho Hum, Ho Hum.

Let's not fall into a trap of complacency. The opportunity is there to sell soccer to an inquisitive public. Both Lions and City have experienced the ballyhoo and razzamatazz of recent Grand Finals and these present Philips League matches are bigger and more important than any cup final of the past.

It is imperative that every type of entertainment and gimmick is used to make these occasions the big time events they are.

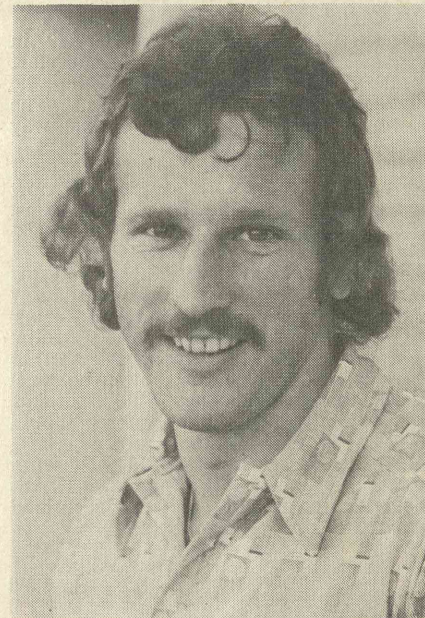
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The award for March goes to one of Queensland's most consistent strikers, the Lions skipper John Neale.

Playing for Queensland against the A.C.T. last month, John scored two magnificent goals to contribute in a major way to the home side's outstanding and overdue 4-1 win.

John, the Courier-Mail Best and Fairest winner last year, will be in action for Lions against Canberra City in the Philips League match at Perry Park this Sunday.

Before the match, at 3 p.m., John will be presented with the first award, a Coca-Cola football gear bag, which we hope he can utilise during future League matches this year.

people come to Perry Park. The Management Committee also should become involved in this as anything that is done is good for the game in common.

It is also necessary that the crowd be got "on side" with the locals, the visiting team must feel they are playing 6,000 people not only eleven. This is big time soccer and is what our boys will face in the south.

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 (own goal)

Dear Sir,

The Philips League got underway in Brisbane last Sunday with a bad start by the local referee showing a definite slant towards the visiting team. The crowd at large disapproved of the way he handled the game.

It will be very disturbing if the local referees keep this up, in order to show they are not favouring the visiting teams. A referee should make clear cut decisions, not favouring any side.

Recently when Queensland played the A.C.T. a southern referee displayed how a game should be handled. It was pleasing to watch and there was no booing from the crowd. I firmly believe that to keep Soccer on the right footing no local referee should handle any Philips League matches in Brisbane and a referee should be brought up from the south.

Our local referees should go south with the same rules applying. If the above matter is not applied Queensland teams will not get a fair go.

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CANBERRA CITY PEN PICTURES

RON TILSED (24): Goalkeeper. English born player who was one of City's imports from South Africa this year.

DAVE LINRENMEYER (16): Only a youngster but has great promise. Was the reserve keeper in A.C.T. match against Queensland last month.

STEVE KOJSZA (30): Defender. Hungarian born and has been playing around the world. Has had a price tag of \$13,000 placed on his head by Australian first division club Admira.

DANNY MOULAS (16): Defender. Another extremely young player who is a local lad and obviously rated highly by coach Johnny Warren.

TONY HENDERSON (23): Very reliable player and is another of the club's English born South African imports.

NICK BOSKOV (27): Defender. Has had plenty of experience in interstate football and a member of the A.C.T. side which recently played in Brisbane.

JOHN STODDART (27): Midfielder. Rated the top City player in his position and could be under a cloud following his dismissal against West Adelaide last weekend.

JOHN DAVIES (26): Midfielder. Is involved in a transfer wrangle with South Sydney. Captain of recent A.C.T. visiting side and one of the team's key players.

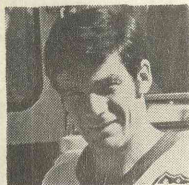
LOUIS SALGADO (23): Midfielder. Comes from Argentina and has impressed strongly in early matches.

OSCAR LANGONE (23): Another import from South America and is an aggressive and worthwhile contribution to the side.

JOHN BROWN (27): Scottish player who has played recent football in South Africa. Very experienced and a player to watch.

IVAN GRUICIC (27): Midfield-striker. Local A.C.T. player but like Stoddart is under cloud because of send-off last weekend.

BRIAN STODDART (25): Striker. Brother of John and has come here this



A.C.T. Coach
JOHNNY WARREN

season from South Africa. Like his countrymen, has been a strong force in early games.

KEN KAWALEVU (24): Striker. Played on the right wing for A.C.T. against Queensland and got through a good deal of constructive work in attack. Has a lot of pace.

GREG WILLETT (16): Striker. Another very young player who is a local boy and A.C.T. junior rep.

REFEREES' REPORT

by John Folling

I FINISHED my last article by saying I'd give more details on referees' training.

As you know we are always on the lookout for new referees. Anyone interested can get in touch with our secretary, Ron Richmond on 275 2993 or just come to Perry Park on Tuesdays, our training night.

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Training continues throughout the season, once a week, but everyone must do a minimum of two nights a month. At the end of every six weeks another fitness test is held. On the second and fourth Tuesday of the month, after training there is a coaching programme. And on the third Tuesday we hold a general meeting.

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LIONS PEN PICTURES

ROD MCKENZIE: Top class import goalkeeper from Northern Ireland and is making debut in front of his "home crowd". Had an outstanding match against Adelaide City last Sunday.

PHIL DENDO: Goalkeeper recently signed by Lions after being member of this year's New Zealand World Cup squad.

LEON WILSON: Former Eagles defender who has matured greatly with Lions and an ideal safe, attacking right fullback.

COL BENNETT: The iron man of the Lions defence and the current Australian World Cup centre half. Few players in Australia are as cool as this man under pressure.

ALAN NIVEN: Usually plays at left fullback and also not averse to moving down the flank in support of his midfield and strikers. Received head injury against Adelaide City last week.

GEORGE POTTER: Has made a big impression on supporters since coming from England. Only slightly built but gets through plenty of the heavy work at the back. Also injured last Sunday.

ALAN VENABLES: Back up defender who is playing a major role in club's first division campaign with Richlands. Steady tackler.

ROY DRINKWATER: Another of the New Zealand World Cup squad players and made his debut in opening League match. New to the Brisbane crowds.

GERRY WALKER: Former Sydney midfielder who was used as a replacement last week. Should get a run at some stage this week and very enterprising in attack.

GEOFF MORRIS: Only arrived in Brisbane this week although signed some time ago. Great experience as professional in English third division and looks a great acquisition.

IAN PARKS: One of the key men of the New Zealand World Cup squad and will be key man in League campaign. Expected to arrive from Auckland during the week.

LASLO KORAKNAI: Having one of best seasons in Brisbane as the key midfielder in Lions' first division side.

Has a lot of experience and is in top form.

RON HARLAND: Came from Marconi in Sydney and is a hard-running, forceful midfielder player. One of the regular members of the team.

IAN LAWRIE: Young local born player who has a great career, which is already blossoming, ahead of him. Probably will be used at some stage in the midfield lineup.

IAN FAGAN: Has a great work rate and lived up to his reputation against Adelaide City. Never stops trying and sure of giving 100% in attack and defence for the full 90 minutes.

PAUL LASLO: Stocky and creative striker who is good finisher of Lions' attacking moves. Possesses forceful right foot shot and needs constant attention by opposing defenders.

ALAN HUGHES: One of the club's more recent imports and has not played a bad game since coming to Brisbane. Sure to be one of the original selections in the forward line on Sunday.

JOHN NEALE: One of Queensland's most effective strikers. Scored two magnificent goals for Queensland last month and has a great turn of speed.



ALAN HUGHES

POINTS TABLES

PHILIPS LEAGUE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
W. Suburbs	1	1	—	—	5	0	2
Sth. Melbourne	1	1	—	—	2	0	2
Marconi	1	1	—	—	1	0	2
W. Adelaide	1	1	—	—	3	1	2
E. Suburbs	1	1	—	—	3	1	2
Lions	1	—	1	—	0	0	1
Adelaide City	1	—	1	—	0	0	1
St. George	1	—	1	—	0	0	1
Footscray	1	—	1	—	0	0	1
Fitzroy	1	—	—	1	1	3	0
Canberra City	1	—	—	1	1	3	0
Brisbane City	1	—	—	1	0	1	0
Syd. Olympic	1	—	—	1	0	2	0
Mooroolbark	1	—	—	1	0	5	0

FIRST DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
EAGLES	4	3	1	—	21	6	7
RICHLANDS	4	2	2	—	8	3	6
S. PARK UTD.	4	3	—	1	14	8	6
ST. GEORGE	4	2	1	1	9	4	5
NORTHS	4	2	1	1	11	6	5
ST. HELENS	4	2	1	1	7	8	5
REDLANDS	4	2	—	2	9	10	4
ANNERLEY	4	1	2	1	5	6	4
WYNNUM	4	1	2	1	5	7	4
MERTON	4	—	1	3	2	8	1
BARDON	4	—	1	3	5	20	1
MT. GRAVATT	4	—	—	4	1	11	0

RESERVE GRADE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
NORTHS	4	3	1	—	9	2	7
ANNERLEY	4	3	1	—	8	3	7
EAGLES	4	3	1	—	11	6	7
REDLANDS	4	2	2	—	12	5	6
RICHLANDS	4	2	—	2	16	6	4
MT. GRAVATT	4	1	2	1	9	10	4
ST. HELENS	4	1	1	2	10	8	3
WYNNUM	4	1	1	2	5	7	3
BARDON	4	1	—	3	7	15	2
MERTON	4	1	—	3	4	12	2
S. PARK UTD.	4	1	—	3	4	12	2
ST. GEORGE	4	—	1	3	4	13	1

SECOND DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
MITCHELTON	1	1	—	—	2	0	2
SOUTHS	1	1	—	—	2	0	2
THISTLE	1	1	—	—	6	2	2
SUNNYSIDE	1	1	—	—	3	1	2
OXLEY	1	1	—	—	3	2	2
COALSTARS	1	—	1	—	3	3	1
AC. RIDGE	1	—	1	—	3	3	1
FORT. VALLEY	1	—	—	1	2	3	0
TARINGA	1	—	—	1	1	3	0
REDCLIFFE	1	—	—	1	2	6	0
GOLD COAST	1	—	—	1	0	2	0
TRIDENT	1	—	—	1	0	2	0

SECOND DIVISION RESERVES

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
MITCHELTON	1	1	—	—	3	1	2
SUNNYSIDE	1	1	—	—	2	1	2
THISTLE	1	1	—	—	4	2	2
FORT. VALLEY	1	1	—	—	3	2	2
SOUTHS	1	1	—	—	3	2	2
COALSTARS	1	1	—	—	6	4	2
ACACIA RIDGE	1	—	—	1	4	6	0
GOLD COAST	1	—	—	1	2	3	0
OXLEY	1	—	—	1	2	3	0
REDCLIFFE	1	—	—	1	2	4	0
TARINGA	1	—	—	1	1	2	0
TRIDENT	1	—	—	1	1	3	0

THIRD DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
ROVERS	1	1	—	—	2	0	2
NORTH STAR	1	1	—	—	1	0	2
DARRA	1	1	—	—	7	1	2
ST. ALBANS	1	1	—	—	5	2	2
WIL'BURN	1	—	1	—	4	4	1
GROVELY	1	—	1	—	4	4	1
NERANG	1	—	1	—	1	1	1
NEWMARKET	1	—	1	—	1	1	1
ANNERLEY	1	—	—	1	2	5	0
BOOVAL	1	—	—	1	1	7	0
THE GAP	1	—	—	1	0	1	0
PINE RIVERS	1	—	—	1	0	2	0

FOURTH DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
DARRA	1	1	—	—	6	0	2
INALA	1	1	—	—	3	0	2
OLYMPIC	1	1	—	—	1	0	2
AC. RIDGE	1	1	—	—	6	2	2
THE GAP	1	1	—	—	2	1	2
SALISBURY	1	—	1	—	0	0	1
TOOWONG	1	—	1	—	0	0	1
BRIGHTON	1	—	—	1	1	2	0
UNIVERSITY	1	—	—	1	2	6	0
ROVERS	1	—	—	1	0	1	0
NEWMARKET	1	—	—	1	0	3	0
LOGAN	1	—	—	1	0	6	0

FIFTH DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
PINE RIVERS	1	1	—	—	3	0	2
WYNNUM	1	1	—	—	2	0	2
PADUA	1	1	—	—	8	1	2
GOODNA	1	1	—	—	8	2	2
TWIN TOWNS	1	1	—	—	3	2	2
ST. ALBANS	1	—	1	—	1	1	1
UNIVERSITY	1	—	1	—	1	1	1
NTH. STAR	1	—	—	1	2	3	0
EAGLES	1	—	—	1	2	8	0
TOOWONG	1	—	—	1	1	8	0
TARINGA	1	—	—	1	0	2	0
INDUSTRIAL	1	—	—	1	0	3	0

SIXTH DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
DINMORE	1	1	—	—	1	0	2
ROCHEDALE	1	1	—	—	7	1	2
KINGSRIDGE	1	1	—	—	4	1	2
MITCHELTON	1	1	—	—	4	1	2
ST. MICHAELS	1	—	1	—	1	1	1
NORTHSIDE	1	—	1	—	1	1	1
MT. GRAVATT	1	—	—	1	1	4	0
BAYSIDE	1	—	—	1	1	4	0
OLYMPIC	1	—	—	1	1	7	0
GROVELY	1	—	—	1	0	1	0

SEVENTH DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
RAAF	1	1	—	—	7	0	2
GOODNA	1	1	—	—	4	1	2
SOUTHS	1	1	—	—	3	1	2
ADAMS PARK	1	1	—	—	5	2	2
THE GAP	1	1	—	—	4	3	2
SALISBURY	1	—	1	—	4	4	1
NEW WORLD	1	—	1	—	4	4	1
NORTH STAR	1	—	—	1	3	4	0
ALBANY CK.	1	—	—	1	2	3	0
NTH. BRIS.	1	—	—	1	1	3	0
NORTH PINE	1	—	—	1	1	4	0
RICHLANDS	1	—	—	1	0	7	0

EIGHTH DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
MERTON	1	1	—	—	5	0	2
REDCLIFFE	1	1	—	—	4	0	2
ROCHEDALE	1	1	—	—	4	0	2
ANNERLEY	1	1	—	—	9	1	2
INALA	1	1	—	—	4	1	2
ST. GEORGE	1	1	—	—	4	1	2
PINE RIVERS	1	—	—	1	1	4	0
BRIGHTON	1	—	—	1	1	4	0
BAYSIDE	1	—	—	1	1	9	0
POLICE	1	—	—	1	0	4	0
SALISBURY	1	—	—	1	0	4	0
ADAMS PARK	1	—	—	1	0	5	0

COLTS DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
RICHLANDS	5	4	1	—	25	5	9
THISTLE	5	4	1	—	19	3	9
GOLD COAST	5	4	—	1	26	5	8
NTH. BRIS.	5	3	2	—	8	3	8
COALSTARS	4	3	1	—	30	5	7
ST. HELENS	5	3	1	1	21	9	7
MERTON	5	3	1	1	12	7	7
REDCLIFFE	5	2	1	2	11	9	5
MITCHELTON	5	2	1	2	11	9	5
THE GAP	5	1	1	3	7	14	3
MT. GRAVATT	5	1	1	3	4	13	3
REDLANDS	5	—	2	3	4	23	2
ST. GEORGE	4	—	1	3	4	23	1
VIRGINIA UTD	5	—	—	5	5	22	0
ROCHEDALE	5	—	—	5	2	36	0

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