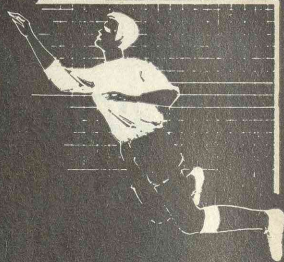




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LIONS' defender or midfielder Roy Drinkwater moves in with his sights on Adelaide City's Socceroo midfielder Agenor Muniz during their recent PSL clash at Perry Park. In the background are Dixie Deans and George Potter.

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SIX SURVIVORS

MELBOURNE — The South Korean Soccer Squad for the World Cup qualifying game against Australia in Sydney this Saturday contains six survivors from the 1973 Asian group final against the Socceros.

They are: Goalkeeper Byoun Ho Young; Right back Kim Ho Kon; Midfielders Cha Bum Keun and Kim Hee Tae; and forwards Kim Jae Han and Kim Jai Koo.

The rest of the 21-man squad is: Kim Whang Ho, Kim Hee Cheon, Kang Byung Chan, Whang Jae Man, Cho Young Jeung, Park Sungh Wa, Hong Fung Ho, Park San Gain, Kim Kang Man, Kim Soung Nam, Cho Kwan Gae, Shin Hyum Ho, Park Joung Whoon and Huh Jung Moo.

The Korea Football Association submitted the squad to the Australian Soccer Federation this week.

South Korea and Australia met three times in 1973 to decide which team would qualify for the World Cup final in West Germany.

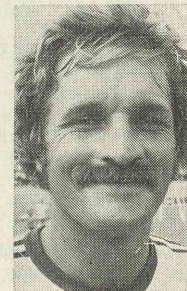
They drew 0-0 in Sydney and 2-2 in Seoul before Australia won the playoff 1-0 in Hong Kong.

South Korea, with three points from two games, is second in the Asian qualifying group behind Iran, which has five points from four games, including the 1-0 win over Australia last Sunday.

Australia, with two points from two games is in third place, followed by Hong Kong, which has lost its three games so far. The other group member, Kuwait has yet to play.

The Coach's Viewpoint

By
Queensland
Director of
Coaching
DENIS FORD



LAST Saturday week Grange-Thistle and St. Helens played an excellent game of football, which ended with Thistle being the first Second Division team to reach the final of the Ampol Cup. How has a Club, who only the previous season finished rock-bottom of the First Division suddenly transformed itself into one of the most talked-about outfits in Queensland Soccer?

The answer is very simple — little talk, plenty of positive action and a ton of hard work. These factors combined with correct policies have certainly assured Thistle of a healthy and rosy future. This is a future based on POSITIVE THOUGHT and ACTION and has resulted in an excellent combination of experience and youth. Their first positive move happened before the start of the season when I was invited by the Club to spend three days at Tallebudgera National Fitness Camp, coaching a mixture of junior and senior players.

It was apparent to me then that the future of this Club was going to be based around the enthusiasm, skill and ambition of their younger players. The Club officials obviously recognised and promoted this fact but realised that quality experienced players were needed to help foster these youngsters.

However, they did not rush out and spend madly on any Tom, Dick and Harry but instead made three excellent acquisitions — Hermiston, Patterson and Dolan, all three of whom are Philips League class and all of whom an excellent attitude to the game and to young players. This was positive action No. 2.

Positive action No. 3 has been the

use of younger players in the first team this season. Mark Aponas, Ken Swann, John Clunas, Malcolm Tuttle, Glenn Huntley are just a few names that spring to mind. Mark Aponas was an extremely young 16 year old at the start of the season but since playing regular first team football has developed into a future Philips League prospect. Ken Swann is a 16 year old who has developed tremendous confidence over the past season and has that look of class about him.

John Clunas was languishing in the Reserve team of a First Division side just three months ago, learning absolutely nothing. He scored the decisive goal in the Ampol Cup semi-final. Malcolm Tuttle and Glenn Huntley are two boys aged 15 and 16 who have been brought down from Bundaberg on Thistle's apprenticeship scheme (which cost a lot of money) and are certain stars of the future.

In fact six Grange-Thistle boys have been selected on merit for the Queensland Under-16 State team. You've only got to talk to these boys to see why Thistle are so successful. They all train with the First team on a good pitch with good floodlighting and first class coaching. They are treated as senior players and in return are responding with senior attitudes. They are made to feel a very important part of the Club. The attitude of "You're a good player but too young for the First team" does not prevail at Thistle. If they are good enough then they play.

Who knows how good a young player is until given the chance? The cornerstone to success in Queensland Soccer has to lie with YOUTH. Thistle have been prepared to channel money and effort in this direction and they have realised that the majority of young players, if given a fair chance, will produce the goods. Positive action No. 4 has been the two courses for coaches held at the Club this season as well as a special coaching course for juniors during the school holidays. Already Club officials are looking to the future by extending the apprenticeship scheme (there are a lot of talented youngsters in the rest of Queensland) and by aiming to acquire another top name overseas player.

Moves are also underway to send two boys to professional Clubs in England. I believe Thistle have managed to get their priorities in the right order. Good training facilities, quality coaches and a combination of top quality senior and top quality

junior players. People may scream that this article smacks of favouritism. Well if giving credit where credit is due is favouritism, then that certainly is the case. Queensland and Australian Soccer could do with a few more Clubs like Grange-Thistle.

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Under 14: Sydney Aug. 27 - Sept. 3

Under 15: Hobart: Aug. 27 - Sept. 3

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KLEM McPHERSON: Brisbane South
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PETER CARTER: Brisbane North
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R. INNIS: Brisbane South
G. MARSHALL: Brisbane North
B. COLLINS: Brisbane North
M. FRANCIS: Brisbane North
K. MARSH: Brisbane North
A. ATHMORE: Brisbane North
I. DICKINSON: Brisbane North
P. O'ROURKE: Far North
R. CUSACK: Far North
J. CROKER: Central Queensland
B. CHARLES: Central Queensland
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Coach: FRED ROBBINS: Brisbane

Manager: PETER COX: Wide Bay

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P. KELLY: Wide Bay
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I would like to stress the value of these coaching courses especially to people who teach juniors and to those who are playing at the present time.

Please help improve the code in Queensland by applying as early as possible.

Many thanks.

Denis Ford,
Regional Director of Coaching

TOOWOOMBA SIDELINES

POOR results for all of Toowoomba's Clubs in the Q.S.F. fixtures last weekend, 14th August, which saw our top rated Club, St. Albans, fall from third to fifth place in the premiership tussle.

Toowoomba fans are looking to St. Albans to carry the banner for this garden city into the grand finals of that Division. Hopes were high that their run of success would continue when they met Rovers, despite Rovers better record for the season.

However, injuries and the August school holidays took their toll of many of the St. Albans players with the result that Saints had their worst week of results for many months. In fact, none of their four teams featured in fixtures last weekend returned home with a favourable result.

The nearest they got to winning was in the T.D.S.F. 3rd Division in which they drew 1-1 with Lockyer United.

Against a team that has only recorded one win the whole season, that was as good as a loss for Saints.

Willowburn, too, faltered in their bid for a higher placing in the Q.S.F. Third Division when they went down to The Gap by a narrow 3-2. Thanks to Darra's hammering of Nerang, Willowburn survived to remain on the fringe of the relegation zone for yet another week. How long this will last is anyone's guess as they turn out against Pine Rivers this weekend. At least Willowburn will have the advantage of the home ground. The frustrating fact about our second top Club is that they have ample individual skills among their players and yet, try as they may, they seem fated not to make the most of those skills in this '77 season, as time and again, they shoot wide and high of their opponents goal. Maybe things will be different this week, we hope.

On the local scene this week we have the semi-finals of the grand final series in both 1st and 2nd Divisions and the preliminary round in the 3rd Division grand finals.

Last week saw a very close game and result being played between top 1st Division Clubs, Wanderers and Willowburn, with Wanderers coming out victors with a score line of 4-3. One goal was all that separated the other preliminary round contestants, too, with Rockville pulling off a 1-0 win over end of season improvers, Rangers. This week, Willowburn and Rockville will meet to decide the team to face Wanderers in the Grand Final, next weekend, 28th August.

Who it will be is anybody's guess. Willowburn have the form and ability but opponents Rockville, have returned to their full side which gave them such a good start to the season and the result could be so close we could see extra time being played.

In the 2nd Division semis, St. Albans meet Wanderers in a game which should, injuries and school vacation permitting, provide Saints with a win.

In the preliminary round, St. Albans were dealt a sound hiding by their old adversaries, Toowoomba United, to the tune of 6-1. Wanderers, on the other hand produced some surprising end-of-season form to knock Willowburn out of the grand final series, by 3-1.

If this form continues for this semi-final round, Saints could have a hard game on their hands. End of season as it may be for Toowoomba and District Soccer Federation fixtures, our top Clubs are far from resting. St. Albans are still having to field four teams, Willowburn, two, Wanderers, three, Toowoomba United, two, and Rockville, two.

Meanwhile, Rangers are still turning out in the Consolation Cup as are Dalby, with two teams and Kingaroy, their one. However, next week, 28th August, brings the Toowoomba season to an end as far as Club fixtures are concerned, with the possible exception of Willowburn and Wanderers who will have to keep in shape to meet Stanthorpe's top two Clubs, in an end-of-season Craven 'A' Cup battle which this season, for the first time in some years, will be played, as originally intended, at the end of the current season.

St. Albans and Willowburn will, of course, have to maintain their fitness, too, for the remaining fixtures in their Q.S.F. premierships and our hopes are still high that both Clubs will be able to retain their teams in their present Divisions in that competition for '78.

Toowoomba Sideline

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GOLD COAST NOTES

PALM BEACH and Athletic exchanged places on the ladder after last weekends fixtures with Athletic moving to within three points of gaining the double chance, the hardest road to follow.

Athletic still have a slim chance of making second spot but it depends on City or Dolphins dropping points and then gaining maximum from the three games left and of the three they have the hardest road to follow of the three games left.

City kept the pressure on league leaders Dolphins by having a good but uninspiring 2-0 win over Palm Beach at Goodwin Park.

Familiar faces such as Ron Taylor and John Wale were missing from the Palm Beach lineup and they were replaced by members of the beaten Second Division Grand Finalists, Palm Beach "Boardriders" team.

There was good football played throughout the first half but the spirit of their earlier encounters was missing. No goals were scored during this period due to some stout defence on both sides.

John Malkin has been a matchwinner for City on the wing but Palm Beach

switched their fastest runner Arthur Hamlyn to full back and by starting off a yard behind Malkin he managed to contain his breakaways.

Trevor Sanders and "Swiftly" Blake were sweeping up everything in defence for Palm Beach and at the other end the battle of the big men, Peter Williamson, City's centrehalf and Andy Fiebig, Palm Beach's bustling centre forward, saw Williamson slightly on top.

The first goal came when Malkin eventually got away from Hamlyn, won a corner and put across a ball that Johnson had no trouble rocketing into the net after moving through the penalty area unmarked.

Palm Beach were not to be denied and kept pressing for the equaliser, but their finishing in front of goal let them down.

Taylor made sure of the game for City when he ran onto a through ball from the midfield and squeezed his shot between Brian Newton, the Palm Beach goal keeper and the post.

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DOLPHINS maintained their position

with a 6.0 win over the fast improving Beaudesert at Beaudesert.

The Beaudesert "correspondent" reports that Dolphins were at full strength but the young Beaudesert team never stopped trying.

The master stroke according to the "correspondent" was the switching of Dave Blake to the back four and Mike Wilson to the mid field.

The "correspondent", who also played in the game, also said it was the cleanest match played all season and left no doubt as to who was the man of the match.

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IN the other games played at the weekend Southport showed a welcome return to form in downing the Dynamos by 4 goals to 2 and Athletic achieved a similar result over woodenspooners, Nerang.

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ON the Brisbane scene, Gold Coast United moved closer to the final four with a win over Redcliffe at Redcliffe, in a game that was described as being suitable for Lang Park.

Twin Towns showed a remarkable return to form with a good 7-1 win over Padua at Goodwin Park and Nerang confirmed there will be a local derby match next season by being whitewashed by Darra 10-0.

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AT an Association level the biggest disappointment will be that St. George Budapest will not now play an exhibition match on the Gold Coast on August 27th prior to their National League game the next day.

Apparently the President of the Club made a verbal offer that they would play for a nights accommodation only, and he did this after the Charlie George deal fell through. Now the Club wants a \$600 fee plus and as this is too much money for the Association to raise at such short notice, the game fell through.

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Spectators at the First Division Grand Final on September 25th will be treated to a football delight as Brisbane and Gold Coast referees will demonstrate the finer skills of the game when they play as a curtain raiser.

POINTS TABLE

FIRST DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
DOLPHINS	18	15	—	3	108	24	30
CITY	18	14	1	3	62	27	29
ATHLETIC	18	12	2	4	51	28	26
PALM BEACH	18	11	2	5	57	28	24
BEAUDESERT	18	6	2	10	37	40	14
DYNAMOS	18	5	1	12	35	75	11
SOUTHPORT	18	3	1	14	20	79	7
NERANG	18	3	1	16	26	95	3

VITAL CLASH

WYNNUM v. Annerley was an important game with the home side needing points to try to avoid relegation and Annerley wanting the win to stay near the top four. Within 8 minutes Wynnum were in trouble as they were down 2 goals to nil, the first coming from a header forcefully put away by young Stan Dunlop and the second from a penalty by Tomlins after Neil Lovell was brought down in the box.

From then until half time play went from end to end at a fast pace with neither side being able to score, although there were plenty of chances, with Lampitt and Fisher prominent for Wynnum.

For 24 minutes of the second half the score remained unchanged until an Annerley breakaway from half way saw Tomlins pass a ground ball from the right wing to Gary Lovell who hit a curling shot over the keeper and just under the cross bar to make it 3-0.

Within a minute, Wynnum pulled one back when Edwards from well out placed a hard ground shot into Annerley's net. Eight minutes later they were in again when Large scored a great goal after good lead-up work from the mid field.

With still a long 12 minutes to go, Annerley had seen their 3-0 lead whittled down to 3-2 and Wynnum were throwing everything into the attack. However with 5 minutes to go, Campbell scored a decisive goal for Annerley to seemingly put it beyond doubt.

There was still some football left in Wynnum though, and they were awarded a penalty with a couple of minutes left. The kick was well taken by Wilkins, but Ferguson brought off a great save and the game finally ended on this spectacular note at 4-2 to Annerley.

Good for the visitors were Oakes, Dunlop, Grundy and Neil Lovell, while Carpenter, Lampitt, Fisher and Edwards tried everything for Wynnum.

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Facing Up To The Facts

by MATT CARSON, Coach of Southside Eagles

IN a recent Points to Ponder in GO SOCCER it was pointed out that in a television interview I had made no constructive suggestions re the First Division sides in Brisbane.

I don't think anyone could say anything in about 1½ minutes that WOULD mean anything. To answer your point I will explain my thoughts through your fine magazine. When I tell Clubs to get with it I mean just that.

The structure of many Clubs in Brisbane leaves a lot to be desired, in fact many of them get just what they deserve, i.e. poor committees, bad coaches, sub-standard players and a bleak future.

Professionalism is a word which is tossed around Brisbane like a dirty rag. Professionalism is also a tough, dirty, ruthless way of life. To live in that environment you have to live that way. Survival is No. 1 priority.

The set-up at the moment is of course two Philips League Clubs, First Division, Second Division and all those many Clubs below that are all competing against each other for a share of any spectator support they can muster. Ask anyone of those Clubs about professionalism and they'll all say that somewhere in their setup that there is such a thing —or else a lack of it.

Sometime in the near future there will be a show of hands, or the moment of truth if you like. I wonder how many will come out of it unscathed. Getting back to the First Division and problems associated with it, let me point out my position clearly and without fear or favour. My thoughts are mine. I don't press them on anybody and I don't intend boring people by repeating them over and over.

You can agree or disagree. Good luck to you. Firstly, I am a professional coach. I have been a professional player (senior) since March, 1955. I am currently employed by Southside Eagles. My job is to motivate Eagles to be the top Club in the highest sphere of football available to my Club in Queensland.

I have an excellent committee, the Club's future is bright and team performances will always be open for improvement.

I have made suggestions re improvement to long term planning. We are one of the lucky ones. Unfortunately I am being asked to compete unfairly with Philips

League. I say unfair because I am not being allowed to compete with Philips League in any way.

I am told our "two" Clubs represent Queensland football. I think it would be nearer the mark to say Lions represent Lions and the same with the other Club. Before you start jumping up and down read the first part of my letter again. I am a pro.

Fact — Philips League attendances vary between two and five thousand each week.

Fact — State game v. Overseas team, etc. over the past 10 years have drawn attendance of between 2 and 21 thousand.

That to me means a lot of people DON'T watch Philips League. That means there is a market for a good professional Club to capture spectator interest. It means I will use every dirty trick, ruse or whatever to get that market for Eagles. That's fair competition to me — that's survival to me.

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porters, talk to interested people and find that by playing at the top of Mt. Coot-tha at midnight on a Sunday we will get good gates, then that is when we should play. The point is quite obvious. If I can improve my Club by playing on Sundays, then it must be so. I represent Eagles not Philips League. If you disagree by saying Eagles couldn't survive playing against Philips League then we'll collapse and die. Or would you say Philips League wouldn't survive without our support. If that's the case they don't deserve to be there.

I can live with Philips League. Given fair competition rights I'll make those two Clubs work for every success they get. As a spectator I would like to choose where I spend my money and not be forced to watch something I may not want to watch. That's competition, that's professionalism, that's survival.

To all other Clubs, whether First Division or otherwise, the ball is in your court. Face up to facts, and by doing your own thing a little bit more professionally we can all make this sport of ours, without any doubts, No. 1 in Australia.

LINESMAN'S VIEW

LAST weekend a bombshell was exploded in Brisbane soccer, one which had not only everyone in our own code at loggerheads, but started questions being asked in other codes as well. The bombshell was caused by an obviously prepared press release concerning resolutions made at the second presidents' meeting and these resolutions appeared to be as follows.

1—No blue form (or professional) player will receive more than \$15 reimbursement.

2—No transfer fee will be greater than \$2,000.

3—Any team or Club found in breach of these figures will be fined \$2,000.

The Presidents who made these decisions were from first and second divisions only, plus the management committee but if we are to discuss this matter we must assume they mean for the whole code from First Division down.

Hopefully the people concerned have taken into consideration the fact that without the support of Third Division Clubs downwards the resolutions are doomed to failure. It is a well known fact that the First two Divisions have voting strength but what would happen if a Club in the third Division, hopeful and keen for success stated their intention of paying players \$30 a match. All hell would break loose, so we will assume the intention is for all and it can be squeezed through the necessary legislation.

What is this legislation going to achieve. The hopes described in the press were extremely dubious to say the least and didn't really convince anyone. The old story of poor honorary Club members working to pay players is not a feasible one, for most of us have and are, working quite willingly for Clubs, and let's be honest it is these self confessed workers who set the wages that are paid to players. So if it be a fact that wages are too high

whose fault is it, nobody but the people who set the wages, so can they complain?

Transfer fees have been pegged and that isn't really a bad thing, but why peg them, why not abolish them altogether. If the reader thinks about it the pegging of a transfer fee is only a signal for every Club to say every player is worth that figure and what then has been achieved, nothing other than telling everyone that you put \$2,000 on every player you want to, or have to, sell.

What will definitely be achieved is Clubs will save some money. Let's examine what they could save. Taking a prominent first Division Club of the present who have given their wages structure for comparison, their position in the league (wins, draws and losses) indicate they have paid up to \$6,100 in players wages. If we are to substitute the basic weekly \$15 in lieu, they would have paid out \$3,990 so this massive piece of legislation would save this particular Club \$2110 in a season. Hardly shattering savings.

What else will this legislation achieve. It will send our semi professional game back so far that in the years it takes to make up the gap, Philips League will be so far ahead (if it still exists) as to be completely unattainable. Experienced players, being told they have been lechers for years will give the game away and our youngsters will be left without the all-important guiding hand. The same people who are doing this only last year voted for a move that allowed these same experienced players to play in Colts Division for just this reason.

No, this legislation acting in itself, is anti-progress, anti-everything that is needed by our soccer code at the moment. We will go on to discuss what could be achieved by some more legislation.

An intermediate standard of soccer is needed in order that

- 1—Pressure be kept on PSL Clubs.
- 2—Young players can bridge the gap between PSL and the present low standard
- 3—Incentive is direct from PSL to the lowest Division.

There can be many arguments put for these statements but we cannot think of one single argument against them. Everyone agrees that First Division soccer is at its lowest ebb for years and many Clubs are already "on the breadline", so welcoming the ceiling wage and transfer fee limit. Let's leave these Clubs to sort out their problems but in doing so why should we allow the game to become self destructive through the points made previously. Also, why should we retard Clubs or groups of Clubs who may want to get themselves out of the present mire by holding them to figures with which they can never hope to attract the right kind of player with the right kind of dedication required to get them and him to the top.

What could be done is that the present Management Committee should state their intention of creating a premier league for truly semi-professional Clubs. Entry into this league should be by examination only, Clubs having to prove their ability to "live" in this environment. They would have to have their own ground, have liquid assets, a healthy bank balance, the ability to employ full, or part-time administrators as well as coaches, and most important have the managerial and administrative ideals to "go places."

Of course a substantial "bond of intent" would have to be lodged. Clubs given entry into this league would not be allowed to field teams anywhere else and would only be allowed to field two teams, the other being an under-age side. They could pay players a maximum wage of say, \$60 and a minimum of \$20, all players receiving the money whether they play or not, in essence they would be paid for applying themselves to the Club's requests.

If this simple step were taken the means and wherewithal would be there for Soccer to forge ahead at all levels. Philips League is a success, the juniors now appear to have got their house in order and are doing wonders with the kids, even doing what they said couldn't be done three years ago.

The only area where soccer has been going backwards is at senior level, let's do the obvious and get things moving in the right direction. The public has warned us this season, do we deserve another chance? Let us hope so. Act now for the good of soccer.

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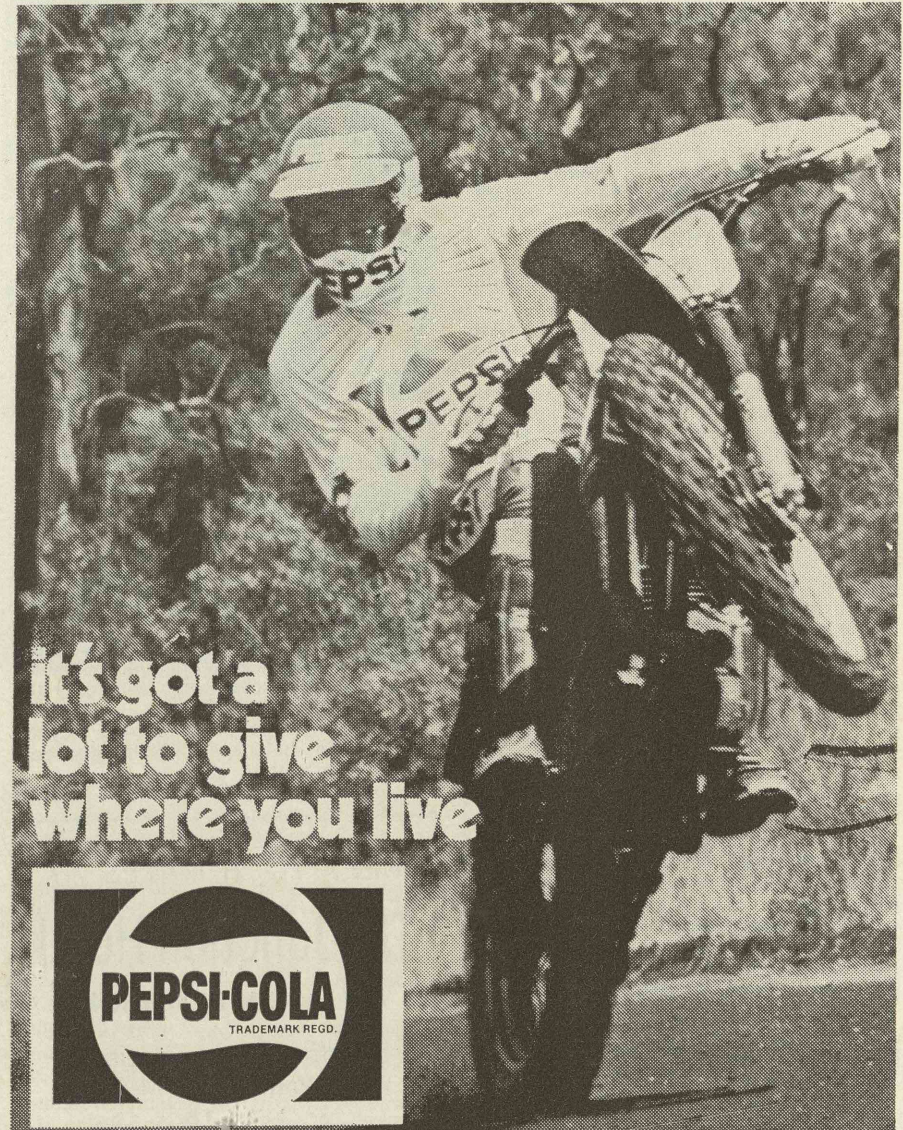
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SYDNEY — A master stroke by Irish International Bertie Lutton set Eastern Suburbs on the way to a deserved 3-0 victory over Mooroolbark at Wentworth Park.

Lutton spent much of the season in the Reserve team, but grabbed his chance to demonstrate his capabilities.

In the 26th minute he bore down on a free kick, chipped across field by John Stevenson and his left foot volley proved unstoppable for Mooroolbark's valiant goalkeeper Terry Hawke.

The win brought Easts to within a point of leader Marconi, who were topped by Brisbane Lions, with five matches remaining.

After the goal, Mooroolbark's rhythm dropped away, and they were forced into last ditch saves as the pressure mounted.

With two minutes remaining, replacement forward Bob McGuinness nudged the ball home after right back Kevin Mullen crossed from a right wing position.

Then, just before the end, Murray Barnes came with a great scoring header that made up for a narrow miss ten minutes before.

Each side had two close shaves in the scoreless first half.

For Mooroolbark Peter Vaughan's free kick and a 45th minute Paul Ontong snap shot were almost in.

Barnes just pushed wide for Easts in the 14th minute and eight minutes later Stevenson broke through for a solo run but he guided his shot right to the advancing keeper.

Hawke gave a brave display and could not have been expected to cope with the three balls that beat him.

Easts came out strongly in the second half with many of the buildups being created by Stevenson, Lutton and Alec Robertson.

Both Wingers, Joe Watson and Hilton Silva, performed well and Mullen was a constant source of danger as he sped into the attack along the right flank.

Easts' coach Gerry Chaldi assessed his chances well to bring on attacker McGuinness after half time for defender Steve O'Connor.

It was that extra drive that finally broke the backs of the hardworking Mooroolbark side.

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ADELAIDE — Adelaide City returned to winning form with a decisive 2-0 success over South Melbourne at Olympic Sports Field.

After a lean six match run, during which they gained only one win, Adelaide City has begun to look like the side which was unbeatable at the start of the season.

City clinched the match with goals in the last 15 minutes after South Melbourne looked set for a point.

South Melbourne played without Soccerero Peter Ollerton, who was dropped just before the match.

No explanation was given for his absence by South Melbourne officials.

Adelaide City played without Scottish Striker Dixie Deans, who is recovering from flu.

Their problems were compounded later in the game when they lost Captain Frank Lister and goal keeper Roger Romanowicz.

Lister injured his right elbow and Romanowicz clashed heavily with a South Melbourne player just before halftime.

Adelaide City had a slight edge during the first half and had the first scoring opportunity when John Perin hit a ten metre shot which goal keeper Jack Reilly turned around the post.

Eight minutes later South Melbourne defender Arthur Xanthopoulos came close to scoring but his shot from just outside the penalty area flew past the far post.

Adelaide moved into top gear after half time but they were denied the opening vital goal until the 75th minute when Leane picked up a rebound from Reilly and drove it past him.

Six minutes later South Melbourne defender Margueritis Hatzimanoul looked set to equalise but kicked wide with only the keeper to beat.

Brian Northcote put the issue beyond doubt when he headed brilliantly past Reilly from a tight angle.

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COCA-COLA PLAYER OF THE MONTH



AFTER fighting to hold his position early in the season, Lions' hard-working mid fielder Iain Fagan has now become virtually a permanent member of the side, and few would disagree there are not many more players in the Philips League who would propel as much effort into 90 minutes of football.

Fagan (seen here challenging Brisbane City's Frank Pimblett) scored the winning goal in Lions' magnificent 1-0 win over Marconi in Sydney last weekend.

At the beginning of the month, he performed a similar trick by slamming home a Paul Laslo pass to give the Lions a 2-1 last minute victory over Fitzroy United at Perry Park.

Fagan's goalscoring feats and his non-stop work in the middle for Les Scheinflug earn him the title of the GO SOCCER — COCA-COLA Player of the Month for August. He will be presented with his Coca-Cola kit bag by a Lions Official before this Sunday's match against St George.

MELBOURNE — Two first-half goals gave Fitzroy a 2-1 victory over Sydney Olympic in the Philips League match at Olympic Park.

Fitzroy should have had five goals, such was their dominance in a game that lived up to its star billing.

The win put Fitzroy into fifth place on the points table over West Adelaide, who went down to St. George.

Fitzroy's first goal came from the penalty spot. The second scored by Gary Cole, was pure gold.

Sydney Olympic's approach work shone in the opening stages with the 19 year old former Ipswich professional, Alex Jamieson, in magical form.

However, their attack lacked bite and the only awkward moment for Fitzroy goalkeeper, Peter Blasby, came when he needed a second bite to salvage a shot from Dave McIntosh.

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READERS' FORUM

Dear Sir,

I'd like to answer the criticisms of Mr. Roy Peebles, Readers Forum last week, who in not so many words made me out to be some sort of devil's advocate for Philips League. Criticism, the constructive kind, I love, this rubbish I will treat in kind.

Mr. Peebles criticised an article written by me in the July 29th issue, but despite using phraseology like "incredible remarks" and "jaundiced viewpoints" it was noticeable he did not use quotes in his letter but chose to build his arguments around two small excerpts, taken out of context, twisting and turning them until they began to give the reader an indication of the writer's true colours, that of tangerine and white.

Mr. Peebles, yours is the viewpoint that is narrow, jaundiced and so incredible that it took me three re-readings of my article to find some semblance of your working logic. However I suppose I must explain as obviously you were interested enough to get upset.

When writing an article this writer uses the rules of debate attempting to put himself in the place of a listener hearing two sides of an argument and then putting to print the outcome with a view to holding the reader's interest. This article was wholly aimed at highlighting a position that Brisbane City had allowed themselves to drift into, and how dangerous it was to soccer overall if they allowed it to continue.

Whether you like it or not Mr. Peebles, Brisbane City are, at the time of writing, Brisbane's premier soccer team and so far ahead are they that your side, Thistle, have had to fight bravely to play their reserve team in a cup final. More readers of GO SOCCER are interested in the goings on of Philips League than Second Division hence the space disparagement between the two. These are simple facts Mr. Peebles, not to be ignored, just accepted.

Obviously you missed the complete aim of the article so it has to be assumed that somewhere in the debate over the auxiliary point, that of dual registration, something was said that offended.

Divorce yourself from Grange Thistle for a moment Mr. Peebles. You mention the ethics the game is built on. One of these ethics, or rules, has always been

that no player can play legally with two Clubs week in, week out, another of these rules is that there can be no conditions on a transfer, that is, if a loan fee is paid the player reverts to the paying Club for the said period.

These rules have been bent, twisted or even ignored by the A.S.F. this season during the advent of Philips League. Far from straying from these ethics Mr. Peebles I want them reinforced. Just imagine Thistle paying Eagles \$2,000 for the loan of Tony Brennan and then Eagles coming along and saying you can't have him for the next three weeks.

You'd be happy? I think not. Remember Thistle chose *not* to tell the public of the terms of the loan, how much better had they done so at the time.

So to you Mr. Peebles I say, read the articles very carefully and in full context, take off the tinted spectacles, and who knows you may even find a barb or two aimed at the very Clubs you accuse me of favouring, for believe me if they fail soccer will go back thirty years.

Such is my concern for this great game of ours that should they falter this pen will be the first to blast forth in print. I think if you care to search the back issues of GO SOCCER you will find they have copped more than their share.

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POINTS to PONDER

AFTER two reasonably well attended meetings of First and Second Division presidents two resolutions are forthcoming a maximum wage of \$15 and a maximum transfer fee of \$2,000 with a huge fine if they are not adhered to. From all reports the real ideas being put forth are being voted down. Oh well, they say beings are the only known species that commit suicide willingly. We're not so sure there isn't another breed around at the moment. These steps are not steps of progress they are steps of fear. An admission of failure.

—oOo—

THE press barons must feel their ears burning just a little. In these days of jet travel news and views are carried inter country easier than inter town. One of the world's most respected soccer brains has been quoted in British dailies as being absolutely astounded at the way the Soccercoos are treated by the Australian media. In the same article Jock Stein gives away his views on Australian soccer by saying his team won't have a harder game this season! Praise indeed that will be noted by every soccer identity in the world for Stein doesn't say things lightly. Ronnie Glavin, the Celtic midfielder really rubbed salt in the wound when asked how Australia would do in the World Cup Finals (these two already have us there). He replied, "They'll do well . . . if ever the people over there get to read about it." What an indictment on our media made internationally!

—oOo—

MERTON, who a few short weeks ago were being written off by the experts having sold their only class player Stevie Dolan, have never looked back and have now become a definite top four chance. Good work Mal Bland who coaches the young side and took over as Dolan's successor in midfield.

—oOo—

GEORGE Fraser, Bardon's clown prince of soccer reckons, that after Bardon's second goal put nail on North Brisbane's coffin, crowd went wild and the police were forced to arrest all two of them! Fraser reckons it's his first game ever in First Division when there were more people on the park than around it.

—oOo—

FUNNY thing about Bardon their last four matches have seen them knock

Annerley out of the top four (5-0), North Brisbane out of the top four (2-0), lose narrowly 1-0 to outright leaders St. George and lose 1-0 to other top four contenders Redlands. Pity team left their run so late.

—oOo—

WITH two matches to play First Division resembles game of musical chairs with only St. George and Eagles sure of places in top four and one of them sure of collaring the premiership. A negligible six points cover the next nine places down to the hapless Bardon. Mt. Gravatt who are at present third bottom could finish season with 22 points, in past years enough to get a team in the top four.

—oOo—

SOME players being surveyed by their Clubs not too happy about \$15 maximum wage being passed for next year. Not surprised as this action alone is surely the death knell of semi-professional soccer in Brisbane and the Philips League Clubs must surely be worrying about the long term effects. Or are they?

—oOo—

THISTLE really set the seal for the season by "murdering" one of their nearest rivals Coalstars 9-0. Boys must be out for their "ton" of goals now with 82 in the kitty and three matches to get necessary 18. Go to it lads, that's what the fans want to see.

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HOWEVER another aspect to be considered is when Thistle, who have proved themselves the equal of most First Division Clubs in the Ampol Cup, (beating two mid leaguers 1-0) have cast serious doubts over level of standard when they can beat third placed side by such a massive score.

—oOo—

SYD Tucker, North Brisbane's coach joined the ranks of the unemployed after losing game to Bardon. Wonder what happened to the money that came in from selling Shortman and Steele, maybe could have been used to replace them and the veteran Koprek. Club may then have stayed in top four?

—oOo—

RUMOURED that Matt Carson may be "reprieved". Urgent message sent to team

Philips League Report

TWO similar score lines last weekend took us from the depths of despair to the heights of ecstasy in about five minutes. Such are the fortunes of having two teams to support in the Philips League.

The first "trip" was taken when City who, despite going through a lean spell, haven't been playing at all badly, saved it all up for the one day and served it up to the public. Canberra, who we all saw stealing two points from Lions early in the season, came to Brisbane and, despite having Adrian Alston, didn't look to have improved one little bit. Alston for twenty minutes looked the class player he undoubtedly is, he is sharper and faster than ever he was before, but soon he sank down to his team mates level and we, the fans watched City pound away at the goal, and pound, and pound.

Soon they were doing their darndest to match their Canberra counterparts and all over the field mistake followed mistake, culminating in a half time whistle when everyone heaved a huge sigh of relief.

Hope springs eternal they say and the news at half time was that our other half, Lions, were leading the league leaders Marconi 1-0 in their own den. Our fingers slowly crossed. Brisbane started the second half like tornadoes but the same old problem existed — nobody remotely looked like scoring and suddenly strange things began happening at the back of all places.

Tokesi started to go forward behind Hermiston who again was trying to

selector, absent in North Queensland, when Matt finally hit the score sheet against Italy.

NO truth in the story that Matt has asked Eagles to consider buying "Flash" Buchanan back into football as a striker.

—oOo—

MANY fans have asked for a "league table" of the mini-international series.

Here it is—							
ENGLAND	2	1	1	0	2	0	3
SCOTLAND	3	1	1	1	3	2	3
AUSTRALIA	1	0	1	0	0	0	1
GERMANY	1	0	1	0	0	0	1
ITALY	1	0	0	1	0	3	0

Holland are not included as they did not comply with the rules in the first match. It is hoped to remedy this shortly when a challenge may be taken up. Hungary are challengers.

"gee-up" a midfield sadly lacking in drive. Captain Rathmell also was getting "in the act" and we had John Lavelle screaming at players to stay with him as he was man to man with a very smart mover, Bourke, quite capable of doing and Stoddart who broke away and ran thirty yards to steal the points from Lions last time he was here.

Nobody listened. Suddenly Bourke repeated the act and we were shown what was worrying Lavelle as he nearly ripped the shirt off Bourke's back and then scythed him to the ground to prevent a sure goal. Still nobody listened. Five minutes later Alston found himself standing all alone, with Ian Rathmell, who incidentally was playing him onside by at least three yards, claiming he was offside, twenty yards away.

The big man doesn't look gift horses in the mouth and Johnny Warren sat back and cracked his first smile of the day. How naive he must think we Queenslanders are, falling for the oldest trick in the book.

That was it. Finito. No more should be said of this game other than single out Brian Kibbey who tried his heart out and who on the day had to be described as the best man on the field. Where Nereo Saftich goes from here is a huge problem.

We all just went on our way rather sadly. Then it came through, Lions had done the needful and suddenly again there was a bit more jauntiness in the step, a gleam in the eye. That's Philips League for you. Roll on next Sunday.

BAARTZ ON VERGE OF COMEBACK

FORMER Socceroo Ray Baartz was appointed team manager of the Newcastle Soccer Club formed last night, and may stage a comeback.

Baartz represented Australia 48 times until he was seriously injured in an international match in Sydney in 1974.

He said last night that he was "seriously considering" coming out of retirement.

Baartz is keen to have Newcastle represented in the Philips Soccer League.

The Newcastle Soccer Club was formed at a meeting convened by the Northern N.S.W. Soccer Federation last night.

It will make formal application to the Philips Soccer League for membership in the competition next season.

Northern Federation coach Alan Vest was appointed coach.

Baartz, who now runs a sporting goods shop in Newcastle, accepted the position of team manager.

Mr. Max Talbot, former secretary of the Northern N.S.W. Federation and a former member of the Australian Soccer Federation executive, was elected chairman.

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Baartz said there were no doubts about his fitness, and he had completely overcome the effects of an injury which paralysed him in the Australia-Uruguay clash in Sydney in 1974.

"I think my main concern would be for my wife because of what she had to go through after I was badly injured," Baartz said.

"Otherwise I feel quite OK and I am seriously considering pulling on the boots for Newcastle."

Baartz said he was still tied to Sydney Club Hakoah but Hakoah's president had said the Club would not stand in his way if he wanted to make a comeback.

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CLASSIC BLUNDER

ONE of our readers, D. R. Crowe of Bennett St., Toowong, writes to tell us "congratulations on GO SOCCER, there's always something interesting to read in it."

Mr. and Mrs. Crowe asks if we could write a piece explaining how the disciplinary system works in the Philips League. Earlier in the year we did set out the points "awarded" by referees to players for various offences.

Here are the penalty points again:

4—Deliberate tripping; Dissent; Dangerous play including going over the ball; Foul Tackle from behind.

3—Deliberate obstruction; Persistent infringement of the laws; Shirt pulling; Encroachment within 10 yards at a free kick.

2—Deliberate handling; Ungentlemanly conduct; Wasting time; Goalkeeper wasting time; Moving arms about to obstruct opponent; Gesticulating in front of a player taking free kick; Encroachment by either an attacker or defender; Gesticulating in front of a player taking a throw-in.

1—Entering or re-entering the field of play without the referee's permission; Player using shoulders of a colleague to assist in heading of the ball.

When a player accumulates 12 points for any of these offences he is automatically suspended for one week. The same applies to a player dismissed from the field of play.

But in some cases, a player may receive more than a weeks suspension, depending on the gravity of the offence listed in the referee's report to Sydney. This situation occurred when West Adelaide striker Graham Honeyman was suspended for the rest of the season after being sent off by Jack Wood against Brisbane City.

The "Classic Blunder" part referred to in our heading applies to the second part of the letter from Mr. and Mrs. Crowe, who included a clipping from a suburban newspaper on the western side of the City.

The item refers to Willie Henderson being a guest speaker at the Taringa Rovers Soccer Club and says he hails from the Club in Scotland called CELTIC RANGERS.

Our writer reckons this must rate with a recent story in our afternoon newspaper which referred to Jim Hermiston as one of the top centre FORWARDS in the country.

POINTS TABLES

FIRST DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
ST. GEORGE	20	12	4	4	37	20	28
EAGLES	20	11	4	5	48	32	26
ANMERLEY	20	6	10	4	30	27	22
RICHLANDS	20	8	5	7	37	29	21
MERTON	20	9	3	8	27	25	21
NORTHS	20	8	4	8	35	28	20
ST. HELENS	20	8	4	8	30	29	20
REDLANDS	20	9	2	9	38	39	20
S. PARK UTD.	20	8	3	9	34	31	19
MT. GRAVATT	20	7	4	9	27	39	18
WYNNUM	20	4	8	8	27	41	16
BARDON	20	3	3	14	22	52	9

RESERVE GRADE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
NORTHS	20	13	4	3	54	20	30
REDLANDS	20	12	6	2	44	24	30
ST. HELENS	20	14	1	5	53	32	29
EAGLES	20	11	4	5	39	29	26
ANMERLEY	20	10	1	9	45	35	21
RICHLANDS	20	8	3	9	47	38	19
S. PARK UTD.	20	8	3	9	28	42	19
MT. GRAVATT	20	5	7	8	28	33	17
WYNNUM	20	7	3	10	30	37	17
MERTON	20	6	2	12	26	38	14
BARDON	20	4	2	14	28	60	10
ST. GEORGE	20	3	2	15	18	52	8

SECOND DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
THISTLE	19	15	4	—	82	18	34
SUNNYSIDE	19	14	1	4	49	16	29
COALSTARS	20	10	5	5	40	38	25
TARINGA	20	9	4	7	31	34	22
TRIDENT	20	9	3	8	33	34	21
GOLD COAST	20	8	3	9	28	32	19
SOUTHS	20	6	4	10	33	43	16
AC. RIDGE	20	5	5	10	29	45	15
FORT. VALLEY	20	7	1	12	39	66	15
OXLEY	20	5	5	10	23	41	15
REDCLIFFE	20	6	2	12	32	43	14
MITCHELTON	20	4	5	11	29	38	13

SECOND DIVISION RESERVES

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
THISTLE	19	12	4	3	44	21	28
AC. RIDGE	20	13	1	6	52	42	27
GOLD COAST	20	11	3	6	46	31	25
SOUTHS	20	11	3	6	42	38	25
MITCHELTON	20	11	1	8	35	32	23
SUNNYSIDE	19	10	2	7	44	27	22
TARINGA	20	8	6	6	29	24	22
COALSTARS	20	7	6	7	49	43	20
REDCLIFFE	20	6	2	12	35	50	14
OXLEY	20	4	4	12	36	46	12
TRIDENT	20	4	3	13	29	58	11
FORT. VALLEY	20	3	3	14	27	56	9

THIRD DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
DARRA	20	15	3	2	77	26	33
ROVERS	20	13	3	4	40	21	29
PINE RIVERS	20	11	4	5	52	39	26
THE GAP	20	10	4	6	36	26	24
ST. ALBANS	20	10	3	7	43	26	23
GROVELY	20	7	6	7	42	38	20
NEWMARKET	20	8	2	10	34	36	18
NORTH STAR	20	7	4	9	27	30	18
ANMERLEY	20	7	1	12	32	48	15
NERANG	20	5	3	12	25	55	13
WIL'BURN	20	4	4	12	26	52	12
BOOVAL	20	3	3	14	21	58	9

FOURTH DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
SALISBURY	20	15	1	4	55	20	31
INALA	20	13	3	4	57	24	29
OLYMPIC	20	13	3	4	62	33	29
AC. RIDGE	20	13	2	5	59	28	28
BRIGHTON	20	12	3	5	55	40	27
DARRA	20	11	1	8	53	34	23
THE GAP	20	7	3	10	40	33	17
UNIVERSITY	19	7	3	9	43	42	17
TOOWONG	19	5	5	9	32	34	15
ROVERS	20	6	3	11	27	51	15
NEWMARKET	20	2	1	17	23	51	5
LOGAN	20	1	—	19	10	126	2

FIFTH DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
GOODNA	20	16	2	2	64	16	34
TWIN TOWNS	20	15	2	3	70	21	32
PINE RIVERS	20	12	4	4	52	32	28
UNIVERSITY	20	8	4	8	33	28	20
WYNNUM	20	8	4	8	43	41	20
NTH. STAR	20	8	3	9	38	31	19
INDUSTRIAL	20	8	3	9	31	45	19
PADUA	20	7	4	9	37	54	18
EAGLES	20	6	4	10	38	38	16
TARINGA	20	7	2	11	24	40	16
ST. ALBANS	20	5	2	13	30	48	12
TOOWONG	20	2	2	16	15	81	6

SIXTH DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
KINGSRIDGE	19	15	3	1	104	27	33
ROCHEDALE	18	13	2	3	82	25	28
BAYSIDE	17	13	2	2	53	18	28
DINMORE	17	11	3	3	53	18	25
NORTHSIDE	18	6	4	8	45	77	16
MITCHELTON	18	6	3	9	36	40	15
GROVELY	18	6	2	10	39	51	14
MT. GRAVATT	18	6	1	11	41	58	13
WACOL	18	5	2	11	37	60	12
OLYMPIC	19	4	2	13	28	66	10
ST. MICHAELS	18	1	2	15	13	91	4

SEVENTH DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
ADAMS PARK	20	15	2	3	71	32	32
RAAF	20	14	3	3	63	17	31
SALISBURY	20	13	1	6	68	37	27
RICHLANDS	19	12	—	7	70	43	24
SOUTHS	20	9	3	8	46	35	21
ALBANY CK.	20	8	4	8	51	51	20
GOODNA	19	9	2	8	37	46	20
NEW WORLD	20	8	2	10	50	50	18
NTH. BRIS.	20	7	2	11	35	36	16
NORTH STAR	20	7	2	11	35	58	16
THE GAP	19	2	4	13	29	56	8
NORTH PINE	19	1	1	17	12	106	3

EIGHTH DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
ANMERLEY	20	17	1	2	99	20	35
REDCLIFFE	20	12	5	3	67	24	29
MERTON	19	13	2	4	69	23	28
ROCHEDALE	20	13	1	6	68	31	27
ST. GEORGE	18	11	4	3	46	20	26
BRIGHTON	20	13	—	7	53	41	26
INALA	20	8	1	11	36	61	17
PINE RIVERS	20	5	3	12	42	65	13
POLICE	20	3	7	10	37	64	13
ADAMS PARK	19	4	3	12	26	59	11
SALISBURY	20	3	3	14	26	74	9
BAYSIDE	20	—	2	18	17	104	2

COLTS DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
NORTH BRIS.	27	20	2	5	73	31	42
COALSTARS	25	18	5	2	115	32	41
THISTLE	27	17	6	4	85	26	40
MERTON	27	17	4	6	56	32	38
MITCHELTON	27	14	5	8	54	44	33
GOLD COAST	27	13	6	8	77	46	32
RICHLANDS	27	13	6	8	70	44	32
NEWMARKET	27	12	5	10	66	62	29
ST. HELENS	25	11	5	9	58	48	27
REDCLIFFE	27	10	6	11	65	58	26
MT. GRAVATT	27	6	9	12	33	45	21
ST. GEORGE	25	8	3	14	42	82	19
REDLANDS	27	7	4	16	47	77	18
THE GAP	26	4	3	19	25	92	11
ROCHEDALE	27	4	1	22	40	108	9
VIRGINIA UTD	26	2	2	22	33	112	6

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- 3 GEORGE POTTER
- 4 COL BENNETT
- 5 ALAN NIVEN
- 6 ROY DRINKWATER
- 7 IAIN FAGAN
- 8 PAUL LASLO
- 9 JOHN NEALE
- 10 RON HARLAND
- 11 ALAN HUGHES
- 14 ALAN VENABLES
- 15 IAN PARK
- 16 GEOFF MORRIS
- 17 EDDIE SPEARRITT
- 18 TOM MURRAY
- 19 WILLIE HENDERSON
- 20 PHIL DANDO

Coach: LES SCHEINFLUG

ST. GEORGE

- 1 MARTIN COE
- 2 GEORGE HARRIS
- 3 DOUG UTJESENOVIC
- 4 JOHN O'SHEA
- 5 HARRY WILLIAMS
- 6 BRENDAN GROSSE
- 7 MARK JANKOVICS
- 8 WILLIE HAMILTON
- 9 NEVILLE MORGAN
- 10 RUDI GNAVI
- 11 PHIL O'CONNOR
- 12 PETER TERRY
- 13 ROBERT O'SHEA
- 15 PETER HENSMAN
- 20 DAVE McQUIRE

Coach: ILLEY TAKACS

NEXT WEEKEND'S LEAGUE MATCHES

- Eastern Suburbs v. Brisbane Lions
- Footscray v. Fitzroy United
- Brisbane City v. Sydney Olympic
- Marconi v. Western Suburbs
- St. George v. Canberra City
- South Melbourne v. West Adelaide
- Adelaide City v. Mooroolbark

PHILIPS LEAGUE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Marconi	21	12	6	3	33	17	30
E. Suburbs	21	10	9	2	45	26	29
Adelaide City	21	10	6	5	33	20	26
W. Suburbs	20	9	6	5	32	21	24
Fitzroy	20	8	7	5	32	29	23
St. George	21	5	12	4	29	27	22
W. Adelaide	21	6	9	6	28	23	21
Footscray	21	8	5	8	26	27	21
Sth. Melbourne	21	6	7	8	21	26	19
Syd. Olympic	21	7	4	10	22	30	18
Lions	21	7	4	10	22	34	18
Brisbane City	21	6	5	10	22	28	17
Canberra City	21	4	5	12	18	32	13
Mooroolbark	21	3	5	13	20	43	11