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Queensland should not raise its hopes of gaining extra players in the Socceroo training squad despite the heroic 1-0 win over New South Wales at Perry Park last weekend.

It seems the Maroons will be prejudiced again under the "not better than what we have got" syndrome. Frank Arok used the excuse last year when he dismissed the likes of Alan Hunter and John Stewart and his assistant Eddie Thomson, who watched last week's game, touched on it again. In assessing Queensland midfielders John and Russell Stewart, Thomson described them as "good club players who did a good job for Queensland", but went on to add, "But they're not better than what we have got in the squad at the moment."

Why do Queenslanders have to be better than those selected to gain inclusion in Australian squads? Why can't our players gain selection from the outset like everyone else and given the opportunity to push for team inclusion along with other players?

If Queenslanders were given the chance from the outset they might prove to be just as good as anyone else. It is considerably easier for a player within the national squad to be seen to be doing his job than it is for a player outside of the squad to prove he is better. Last Sunday's game was Queensland's sole Socceroo trial — and the magnificent 1-0 win highlighted that we trialled well.



Jim Morton (right) was described as "brilliant" by Socceroo assistant coach Eddie Thomson after last Sunday's interstate challenge. Morton is brought down here by Socceroo left back Graham Jennings. Morton's left wing raids were a highlight of the match.

State coach, Bruce Stowell, the brilliant tactician behind the victory, called for the inclusion of another three Maroons to join the Stewarts and a Dnny Wright in the Socceroo squad. That seems highly unlikely, and if Thomson's assessments are an indication, the Stewarts may be cut at the first trimming. That would be unfair. They should at least be given a match to show their ability.

But the situation is not all grim. Steve Jackson and John Ogden impressed Thomson and even if they don't gain a call-up this time, at least they are players the national assistant coach now knows. He will be able to put faces to names and if he reads of future good performance by either, he will know who they are. Apart from highlighting the Queenslanders are of national team standard, last weekend's match also underlined how well, for once, both national league clubs have bought this season. Imports Kieran Cooper, Jim Morton and Frank Liddell were outstanding and added real class to the Maroon effort.

And finally, a special tribute to captain-for-the-day, Alan Niven who bowed out the best way possible.

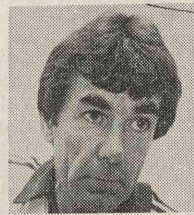
Queensland midfielder John Ogden, one of his side's best, challenges NSW keeper Mike Gigson for the ball during the interstate clash at Perry Park last weekend. After the match, Ogden was touted as a possible Socceroo training squad addition.



'Quote unquote'

Some interesting statements were made following Queensland's 1-0 win over NSW. Here's a selection:

"I wouldn't want a re-match because NSW wants to avenge this defeat. We were not given that chance in the past. I would be all for a re-match if the game was for soccer, not for NSW to save face,"—Queensland coach, Bruce Stowell



STOWELL

"Kosmina and Farina did not play badly, they were contained by better players. Please, please don't say they had off days. They were beaten and outplayed by better players,"—Stowell.

"If we don't add another three or four to the three already there (in the Socceroo training squad) then I think people have got to walk away and say they are not interested in Queensland,"—Stowell.

"The lack of preparation was not an excuse. The majority of them are experienced players and the odd players with a lot of experience were not among our best today,"—NSW coach Alan Vest.

"After watching this match some people now may realise why I am an ardent admirer of Bruce Stowell. It was a very fine effort and obviously the players responded to you."—QSF President, Ald. Ian Brusasco



BRUSASCO

"We have had John and Russell Stewart and people like this pushed down our throats and, well, I think they lack mobility. They're good club players and did well for Queensland but they're not better than what we've got,"—Socceroo assistant coach Eddie Thomson.

"The chance of a re-match is now more of a possibility than if we had won again,"—NSWSF president, John Constantine.

POINTS TO PONDER . . .

You just never know who is going to see you. A very prominent QSF official spotted an equally well-known former NSL club president trotting into Ballymore for the Rugby Union Test last weekend. One would have thought the interstate soccer would have been his prime interest.

Local soccer scribe has now been dubbed "Weasel" following rather unsavoury incidents in after-match dressing room. But the weasel has vowed to get the last laugh.

Those who attended the Ampol Cup double headers at Inala City last weekend are still talking about the professional way the club organised the day. Parking spaces were even set aside for referees. Understandably the field was a little below what some have come to expect in the higher leagues, but the hospitality more than compensated.

Well-known soccer media personality celebrated his 50th in fine style recently. His family had secretly organised a surprise party with guests including many of the players he had coached as juniors. Some of the North Star stayers finally departed in the early hours of the following morning. Needless to say considerable scotch was drunk — and spoken.

Nice gesture from the Queensland Soccer Federation. The players involved in last weekend's great win over New South Wales were given their strips after the match, only about the third time in living memory that the generosity had been extended. Sabre are now being enlisted to come up with a new Maroons outfit and Trish Rogers already has several ideas which she says will outdo even this year's good-looking jerseys.

Which XXXX League club is far from happy with the recent on-field behaviour of one of its more experienced players. The player concerned came out on the wrong end of a confrontation with a former team-mate.

Which QSF official won the double at the interstate game last weekend? It was the same one who recently won the raffle at a Perry Park game.

GO SOCCER EDITORIAL

By Editor, GEOFF STEAD

Interstate rivalry aside, soccer was the winner at Perry Park last Sunday.

The match was a highly entertaining affair, with both sides demonstrating that soccer can, and should be played with attack being the best form of defence. Past interstate matches have been dour affairs, but last weekend, thanks to the commitment from the coaches and their players, no-one could have left soccer headquarters not enjoying what they had watched.

Some of the best players in Australia were on display, and the standard of football reflected that. But that in itself proves a point. Assistant Soccerero coach Eddie Thomson described the game as enjoyable and entertaining. But he also conceded that some of the bigger name players in the NSW side, had not performed to their full ability.

Does that not mean then that the Queenslanders were responsible for the brilliant footballer spectacle? On that point, there can be no doubt. Why then was Thomson so hesitant in naming Queenslanders who may

be added to the Soccerero squad? And why did he proceed to criticise Danny Wright and John and Russell Stewart?

What does Queensland have to do to get just recognition?

The Maroons played with commitment and skill. If Adelaide can get seven players in the Soccerero training squad then surely a similar number from Queensland should also be involved. No-one is asking for Queenslanders to be added to the Australia team. What we want is for Queenslanders to gain the same opportunities to push for selection as enjoyed by southern players.

Queensland beat a NSW side, which by their own admission was at full strength. NSW is supposed to be the centre of Australian soccer. The point has been proven. We are the interstate champions and unless Soccerero selections reflect that, then all we have claimed in the past with respect to Frank Arok and his ways will be proved to be true.

ACROSS MY DESK . . .

By QSF Secretary, ALAN VESSEY

Two lessons can be learned from Queensland's tremendous 1-0 win over New South Wales last weekend.

The first is that finally people may now realise that the Queensland side is a good team capable of holding its own in any company. That is a lesson we should never forget. The other lesson is the need to put Queensland into as many competitive situations as possible. This is something the Queensland Soccer Federation will be examining in the near future.

Last weekends win was great for soccer, here in Queensland and throughout Australia.

The 1-0 scoreline was a reflection

of the work the players, coaches and everyone associated with the team put into the preparations and on the day. The object was not only to stage a representative match, but also to show the best in Queensland. And the players certainly didn't let us down.

One would hope that our State now gains just recognition. By that we are not demanding that players be added to the Australian team, but given the same opportunities to push for selection. A one-nil victory is more than good enough.



THE 1986 AMPOL KNOCKOUT CUP

The City qualifying round of the \$16,000 Ampol Cup competition is moving towards cliffhanger finishes in nearly every group.

Shock results in the first two rounds of matches have thrown several groups wide open and fears of dead ties eventuating next week are certain to be proved ill-founded. In fact, some groups could be decided on goal difference.

The winner of each of the five groups will advance to the quarter-finals where they will be joined by the three country qualifiers. An out-of-the-hat draw will then take place to determine the quarter-finals.

City qualifying matches continue at various grounds next week. Go Soccer last week carried the entire draw although three venue changes have been made following rulings on ground lights.

The matches scheduled for Heath Park on May 28 now will be played at Richlands on Thursday, June 5. Richlands will also host the Heath Park games set down for June 11. They will be played at Lions on the same night.

The group standings after the first two rounds of matches were:

GROUP A	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Lions	2	2	—	—	10	1	4
Easts	1	1	—	—	3	0	2

Mitchelton	2	1	—	—	6	7	2
Redcliffe	1	—	—	1	0	5	0
Newmarket	2	—	—	2	0	6	0
GROUP B	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Wynnum	1	1	—	—	4	1	2
North Star	1	1	—	—	4	1	2
Valley Trident	1	1	—	—	2	1	2
Acacia Ridge	1	—	—	1	1	2	0
Inala City	2	—	—	2	1	7	0
GROUP C	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Taringa Rovers	2	1	1	—	4	3	3
Rochedale	1	1	—	—	3	1	2
Annerley	2	1	—	1	3	4	2
Ipswich U.	2	—	1	1	2	3	1
Sunshine C.	1	—	—	1	2	3	0
GROUP D	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Mt. Gravatt	2	1	1	—	5	3	3
Sunnyside	1	1	—	—	2	0	2
Olympic U.	2	—	2	—	3	3	2
Gold Coast	1	—	1	—	0	0	1
Redlands	2	—	—	2	0	4	0
GROUP E	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Pine Rivers	1	1	—	—	2	0	2
Nerang	1	1	—	—	1	0	2
Brisbane City	2	1	—	1	4	4	2
Grange Thistle	2	—	—	2	2	5	0
Coalstars	—	—	—	—	—	—	—



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Eric Thompson



IT'S THOMMO TALKING

Queensland's win over New South Wales further finghlights my original suggestion that the time is ripe for a soccer Sheffield Shield-type competition.

And the ball is firmly in Mr. Brusasco's court. He is our Australian Soccer Federation delegate and he must be the one who must immediately raise the proposal at national level.

I am sure with the right lobbying he could gain enough support to get the competition growing. I would be very surprised if non-NSL States like West Australia and Tasmania and the threatened areas like South Australian and Northern NSW did not support the idea. That in itself is almost enough votes to get the proposal through.

And the benefits would be enormous. The competition doesn't have to be a strict home and away league. But as long as each State plays each other once, Australian soccer can only benefit.

The title of interstate champions would quickly become a coveted one. And the Australian team could only benefit from the best players in every State meeting on a very visible forum.

It is the perfect solution to breaking the Melbourne-Sydney stranglehold on Australian soccer.

Until the competition was established in its own right, I think guest players would have to be an important part of the first few years.

Some fans may be reluctant to watch say Queensland against Tasmania, particularly if one or both teams were not

doing that well in the competition.

But what if it was Queensland and Charlie Nicholas against Tasmania and Jesper Olsen.

Sure players of that calibre cost money, but State Federations could spread the costs much more than a club could in bringing out a guest player. And I am sure any outlay would come flooding back. A June-July competition would be ideal to attract top British players.

I can understand Bruce Stowell's reasons for being a little sceptical of a return clash with New South Wales, but the match has got to go ahead.

And it's got to be billed as a revenge affair. That's how the State of Origin of Rugby League series has gained such popularity.

I reckon we should get a poster made of all the Queensland team laughing at the cockroaches. Send that to them and ask them what are they going to do about it?

Full marks to Bruce Stowell for motivating his team to their great win. It was done on skill, determination, concentration and 11 big hearts.

And in the wash-up, if there's going to be only one Queensland representative in the national league next year, we now know who the coach should be and Lions know which two players they have to buy at the end of the season.

NOT JUST BLACK AND WHITE

THE REFEREES' POINT OF VIEW . . .

By "WHISTLER"

It is interesting to note the attention the refereeing panel is attracting in Mexico during the current World Cup.

An extensive medical and training program has featured in pre-tournament news with failure to meet all requirements and standards meaning an early trip home.

Two interesting bits of news came to light during the first game. FIFA has apparently decided that the player nearest the referee in a defensive wall that won't retire the required distance is the player to be cautioned.

The governing body also appears to have changed its mind on a professional foul that stops a scoring opportunity and is now recommending the referee sends off the player. It remains to be

seen if this attitude becomes a directive to all referees.

A top game from referee Erik Fredrickson in the opening World Cup game follows on from an equally faultless performance in a recent European final. He would have to be an early favourite for the final.

I am sure all soccer followers wish the best of fortunes to Australian referee Chris Bambridge who had an unenviable baptism in the Brazil-Spain game. Hopefully the controversy surrounding the disallowed goal will not affect his performances during the entire tournament.

AMPOL CUP ROUNDS

Rochedale 3 v Annerley 1

ANNERLEY

Once again unlucky to be down 2-0 at half time. Annerley resumed after the break with determination and team work not seen for some time. A cheeky Ivan Frkovic goal put the Rochedale side in panic mode and the continuous pressure applied by Annerley kept Rochedale in that mode until towards the end of the game when Annerley conceded a penalty.

Rochedale converted and won the game but undoubtedly will be a worried side when they next meet Annerley.

Annerley 2 v Ipswich U. 1

Confident after their solid second half performance against Rochedale, the new-look Annerley side took to

the park determined to prove that it has the potential to be among the top in their league.

Full effort by the whole team. An early Ivan Frkovic goal and continuous solid soccer entertained both Annerley's and other fans in the first half. Only a brief lapse in concentration by the Annerley defence gave Ipswich a chance to equalise 10 minutes before half time.

After the break Annerley continued to pressure Ipswich and made several scoring chances.

Six minutes from full time a Chris Morrison header gave Annerley their winning goal and a chance to be in the running for the Cup.

Valley Trident proved that their earlier victory over Acacia Ridge in the League was no fluke when they defeated the Blues by the same 2-1 scoreline in an Ampol Cup match on Saturday.

VALLEY TRIDENT

Despite the inclusion of Irishman Roy Smythe and Norm Bell back from Lions, Acacia Ridge seemed more easily contained than in the previous encounter. Peter Carey opened the account with a finely taken angled shot but Acacia Ridge equalised following a free kick on the edge of the penalty area.

Honours were fairly even then until Dando Ivica produced some magical skills on the left side of the box to put Carey away.

His sharp turn deceived the Ridge defence and they were forced to contain him anyway they could. Peter Tyson calmly put away the resulting penalty and despite a late surge by the Ridge, the Valley's defence coolly marshalled by Ian Runcie, ensured that Valleys would take both points.

With several more experienced players now playing for Valley Trident, often overlooked is a younger player, Enzo Cupo, who has blossomed into maturity this season and must be considered one of the most promising players in the league. An ex-Brisbane City junior, Cupo's strengths include a very determined attitude, endless stamina and an appetite for work and involvement.

Although few forwards can escape his terrier-like tackles, he has developed greater attacking qualities this year and is increasingly wrong-footing defenders and beating them with quick turns. With the guidance and example of such players as Peter Tyson and Ian Runcie on hand, this could prove a very big year for young Enzo.

STATE TITLES

The Women's State championships this weekend will be played for the first time under a 'region-of-origin' basis.

The move means that despite where a player is living, or playing her club football, she is only eligible for selection in the region where she first signed on.

This has thrown a new light on the titles which will continue over the long weekend at Atlanta Field, Geebung.

MITCHELTON STABLETALK

AMPOL CUP: Mitchelton 5 d Redcliffe 0.

A rescheduled Fourth Division game at home at 7.30 p.m. and this game at Lanham Park on the same night gave our supporters some mid-week entertainment and I doubt if they were disappointed.

With two keepers out injured we opted for Dean Tucker, a regular field player to fill the gap, and though seldom really tested he gave a good account. Possession was shared in the early stages, though with the edge we failed to convert a few opportunities before we got our sights adjusted. In the 30th minute Darryl Heiner recorded our first goal after good build-up and before I put my pen down, Garth Moloney had made it 2-0 for the halftime score.

Ten minutes after our first substitution at halftime, Garth made a break on the

left and found Darryl with a lovely cross which beat the keeper and made it 3-0. In the 60th minute their only goal was disallowed for handball.

Good buildup involving a number of players in the 67th minute found Garry Heiner about 25 yards out and his well-timed shot gave their keeper no chance. Further changes were made by both teams in the next 10 minutes and then with only five minutes to go, Garry sent a well-timed floater from well out which dipped in time to make the full time score 5-0 to Mitchy.

AMPOL CUP: Mitchelton 1 v Lions 7.

A very disappointing result for Mitchy. While Lions scored three goals in the first half, we also created three good chances which we failed to convert.

It could well have been 3-3 at lemons. I didn't think there was a great deal of difference in the skill and ability of the players, but there was a difference in each team's discipline on the day. I can only conclude they really believed they were the better team and showed it. I know it's easy to play well when you're in front, but it is just as easy to get complacent in the same situation.

We created so many chances and went so close to scoring on at least five occasions plus the one we did score that they could not afford to relax. It was a

well-contested game which could easily have had a very big scoreline had we had a little luck. Of course there are those who believe we make our own fortune, good or bad.

Top marks to a referee who let the game flow but still retained complete control. There were a couple of incidents he missed. I believe he was unsighted but his linesman should have signalled them. For example when a player nearly passed out from a nasty knock to the head from an elbow.

FOURTH DIVISION: Mitchelton 0 v North Pine 1.

A rescheduled match against their top team always had possibilities and so it proved with the score nil-all at halftime.

A comparatively young fit team wasted no time at letting us know we had a game on our hands and our players

conceded after the match that our visitors deserved their win.

Unfortunately I could only stay for the first half but I was impressed with what I saw. I tip them to finish in the top four if their present form holds.

LISTEN AND WIN ON RADIO 4EB

During the World Cup, Radio 4EB's Soccerworld will run a special competition with the prize being a Puma tracksuit valued at \$80. To win the tracksuit you must answer the question: Name the Australian participating in the World Cup.

Send your entries to Radio 4EB Soccerworld, P.O. Box 57, West End, 4101. Entries close last mail June 24. Listen to 4EB at 7 a.m. on Saturdays for further clues.

TOOWONG

The Toowong Seventh Division team hit top form recently to beat Griffith University 5-0.

All goals came in the first half with the scorers being Mick Peters, Graham Tune, Stuart McRae, Dirk Lootens and an own goal!

The Fourth Division side also played at Griffith Uni. and were held to a goalless draw in a very even game. There was some good work by both defences.

The club would like to thank all who helped with, or attended, our Games Night recently and helped make it such a success.

THE GOOD COACH

WEEK NINE: DRIBBLING

A player who loves to dribble, often can incur the wrath of his coach for being "greedy".

But the good coach will see the difference between the greedy player and a good dribbler and encourage the latter to use and improve his talent.

A good dribbler, who has natural deception and body feints, plays with his head up and can see when he should pass the ball. He uses his skills to help penetrate the defence.

Like many of the skills in soccer, good dribbling only comes through practice. Although some players seem to have a natural flair, the basics to remember include change of pace, screening and using movements to throw the defender off balance.

Defenders can be wrong-footed by the dribbler dropping his shoulder, looking in the same direction and then taking the ball with the outside of the foot to the opposite side. Similarly, the defender can be put off balance by the dribbler moving the ball tantalisingly in front of him. The dribbler should look at the defender's hips to decide when he should play the ball to gain the maximum start.

A good change of pace is vital for a player who does not possess the finer ability of feints and swerves. He must

slow the defender down, hesitate, entice a commitment and then speed past.

Screening is the ability to shield the ball from the opponent by placing your body between him and the ball. The ball must be kept within playing distance or the attacker will be obstructing. The attacker should be sideways on to the defender, controlling the ball with the foot furthest from the defender.

Screening is often vital for the attacker so he may hold the ball until support arrives. The good coach will encourage players to screen until they can play a safe ball to a team-mate, rather than try something which was never on and subsequently lose possession.

The player in possession must look at the space behind the defender as this determines what skill is needed, either close skill and guile or speed.

Exercise: Six players in a grid 30m square. Each player has a ball and begins dribbling around the grid, using feints, changes of pace and screening. The good coach will watch his players carefully, ensuring that rather than turn the exercise into a stroll between the hats, players work at developing their skills and are given encouraging praise for good feints, turns and vision.

HOLIDAY COACHING CAMP

The Queensland Soccer Coaches Association will conduct an intensified coaching camp for 10 to 14 year-old boys at the National Fitness Camp, Tallebudgera, from Monday, June 16 to Friday, June 20, 1986.

Details of the camp are:

- Depart Perry Park at 7.00 a.m. Monday and return 5.00 p.m. Friday, by bus.
- A qualified nursing sister will be in attendance.
- Qualified coaches under the direction of Mr. Tony Lowndes, Q.S.C.A. Director of Coaching.
- Films and supervised evening entertainment provided at the camp grounds.

All participants will undergo a skills development program during the week and at the completion of the camp will receive an official certificate of attendance.

The all-inclusive cost is \$110.00 per

person which includes accommodation and meals.

Anyone interested in attending should telephone Mr. Alan Carey on 267 5315 as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.

ANNERLEY IS HOST CLUB . . .

Annerley Junior Soccer Club has been chosen by the Brisbane Southern Districts Junior Soccer Association to host the Under 15 State Soccer Championships.

The championships will be held from June 19 to June 27.

The opening ceremony will commence at 9.00 a.m. on Thursday, June 19.

GO SOCCER TABLES

XXXX LEAGUE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
East	6	4	1	1	15	7	9
North Star	6	4	1	1	14	9	9
Ipswich Utd.	7	3	3	1	13	11	9
Coalstars	6	3	1	2	10	6	7
Mt. Gravatt	6	3	1	2	15	12	7
Thistle	6	3	1	2	9	6	7
Olympic	6	2	2	2	9	9	6
Taringa	7	1	1	5	15	24	3
Lions	6	1	1	4	3	13	3
Wynnum	6	1	—	5	9	15	2

XXXX COLTS

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Ipswich Utd.	7	6	1	—	20	2	13
Taringa	7	3	3	1	10	7	9
North Star	6	2	3	1	16	13	7
East	6	2	3	1	7	7	7
Thistle	6	2	1	3	12	12	5
Lions	6	2	1	3	9	9	5
Olympic	6	—	5	1	9	12	5
Wynnum	6	1	3	2	9	14	5
Mt. Gravatt	6	2	1	3	6	16	5
Coalstars	6	—	1	5	9	14	1

XXXX RESERVES

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Ipswich Utd.	7	5	2	—	15	7	12
Mt. Gravatt	6	4	1	1	21	8	9
Coalstars	6	3	2	1	10	7	8
East	6	3	2	1	6	5	8
North Star	6	2	2	2	8	5	6
Wynnum	6	2	2	2	12	17	6
Lions	6	1	2	3	10	12	4
Thistle	6	1	1	4	12	14	3
Olympic	6	—	3	3	10	18	3
Taringa	7	—	3	4	8	19	3

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Ipswich Utd.	21	14	6	1	48	20	34
East	18	9	6	3	28	19	24
North Star	18	8	6	4	38	27	22
Mt. Gravatt	18	9	3	6	42	36	21
Coalstars	18	6	4	8	29	27	16
Thistle	18	6	3	9	33	32	15
Taringa	21	4	7	10	33	50	15
Olympic	16	2	10	6	28	39	14
Wynnum	18	4	5	9	30	46	13
Lions	18	4	4	10	22	34	12

LEADING XXXX LEAGUE SCORERS

6 GOALS: Jim McDonagh (Eas.); 5 GOALS: Calvin Daunt (Tar.); 4 GOALS: Mark Brusasco (Coal.), Wayne Corbett (Wyn.), David Currie (Nth. St.); 3 GOALS: Ken Swan (Mt.G.), Billy Williamson (Nth. St.), Richard Morrison (Tar.), Chris Fegan (Oly.), Gavin Stitt (Tar.), Phil Mulvey (Tar.), Brett Kitching (Ips.U.), John Brown (Mt.G.), Phil Redmond (Eas.).

INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Redlands	6	4	2	—	13	6	10
Brisbane City	6	4	2	—	12	6	10
Rochdale R.	6	3	2	1	9	6	8
Mitchelton	6	3	1	2	12	7	7
Acacia Ridge	6	3	—	3	11	6	6
Valley Trident	6	3	—	3	11	8	6
Newmarket	6	2	2	2	9	11	6
Annerley	6	1	1	4	6	10	3
Sunnyside	6	1	1	4	5	13	3
Pine Rivers	6	—	1	5	4	18	1

INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE RES.

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Sunnyside	6	4	2	—	14	2	10
Brisbane City	6	5	—	1	17	8	10
Newmarket	6	4	—	2	14	8	8
Mitchelton	6	4	—	2	15	14	8
Acacia Ridge	6	2	2	2	16	10	6
Valley Trident	6	3	—	3	11	15	6
Annerley	6	2	—	4	9	10	4
Rochdale R.	6	1	2	3	11	14	4
Redlands	6	2	—	4	7	18	4
Pine Rivers	6	—	—	6	3	18	0

YOUR WEEKEND MATCH GUIDE

NATIONAL LEAGUE: Sunday, Richlands, 3.00 p.m. — BRISBANE LIONS v GREEN GULLY
XXXX LEAGUE Saturday, Lanham Park, 7 p.m. — GRANGE T. v NORTH STAR
Sunday, Richlands, 1 p.m. — LIONS v WYNNUM
Sunday, Heath Park, 2.45 p.m. — EASTS v MOUNT GRAVATT
Monday, Bundamba, 2.45 p.m. — COALSTARS v OLYMPIC U.
Monday, Speare Park, 2.45 p.m. — TARINGA v IPSWICH UTD.
INTER. LEAGUE Saturday, Teralba Park, 2.45 p.m. — MITCHELTON v ANNERLEY
Sunday, Proud Field, 7 p.m. — ACACIA R. v BRISBANE C.
Saturday, Underwood Park, 7 p.m. — ROCHEDALE v PINE R.
Sunday, Rocklea, 2.45 p.m. — SUNNYSIDE v NEWMARKET
Sunday, Perry Park, 2.45 p.m. — VALLEY TRIDENT v REDLANDS U.

AMATEUR DIVISION ONE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Nerang	8	6	1	1	18	9	13
Inala City	8	6	1	1	14	5	13
Brighton	8	6	—	2	12	10	12
Redcliffe	8	5	—	3	13	4	10
Goodna	8	4	1	3	13	11	9
Bardon	8	4	—	4	14	9	8
Souths	8	3	1	4	4	11	7
Slacks Creek	8	3	—	5	13	16	6
Darra	8	3	—	5	10	13	6
St. Albans	8	2	2	4	13	18	6
University	8	1	2	5	7	13	4
Kingsridge	7	1	—	7	7	16	2

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Grange Thistle	8	3	3	2	10	11	9
Kenmore	8	2	4	2	12	10	8
Greenbank	8	4	—	4	13	14	8
South Star	8	3	1	4	10	12	7
Fairfield	8	1	2	5	13	22	4
Industrial	8	—	3	5	10	31	3
Logan City	8	—	—	8	5	40	0

AMATEUR DIVISION FOUR

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
North Star	8	8	—	—	28	4	16
Mitchelton	8	7	—	1	22	7	14
North Pine	8	4	2	2	11	6	10
Taringa	8	4	2	2	15	16	10
Newmarket	8	4	1	3	13	11	9
Toowong	8	3	3	2	12	10	9
Westside	8	4	1	3	11	11	9
Griffith Uni.	9	4	1	4	11	15	9
Rochdale R.	8	2	2	4	15	17	6
Bayside	8	2	—	6	12	23	4
Acacia Ridge	8	1	—	7	4	15	2
Centenary	9	—	—	9	6	26	0

AMATEUR DIVISION ONE RES.

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Inala City	8	8	—	—	43	3	16
Darra	8	5	2	1	26	13	12
Redcliffe	8	5	1	2	21	14	11
University	8	4	2	2	24	16	10
Slacks Creek	8	4	1	3	30	16	9
Goodna	8	4	1	3	16	10	9
Souths	8	3	1	4	24	20	7
Bardon	8	3	1	4	17	18	7
Nerang	7	2	1	4	8	17	5
St. Albans	6	2	—	4	14	22	4
Brighton	8	1	—	7	12	29	2
Kingsridge	7	—	—	7	4	60	0

AMATEUR DIVISION FIVE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Inala City	8	6	1	1	25	6	13
Lions	8	6	1	1	27	9	13
East	8	4	3	1	18	6	11
Souths Utd.	8	5	1	2	25	17	11
Wynnum	7	4	2	1	23	6	10
Beenleigh	8	5	—	3	30	16	10
University	8	4	1	3	24	11	9
Redlands	8	3	—	5	19	21	6
Grange Thistle	8	2	—	6	10	24	4
Moggill	8	2	—	6	15	29	4
Greenbank	8	1	1	6	7	44	3
South Star	7	—	—	7	4	32	0

AMATEUR DIVISION TWO

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
The Gap	7	6	—	1	25	3	12
Capalaba	7	6	—	1	26	9	12
Beenleigh	7	6	—	1	18	6	12
Albany Creek	7	5	1	1	18	6	11
Eagles	7	3	1	3	16	9	7
Oxley	7	3	1	3	14	12	7
Samford	7	3	1	3	9	10	7
Brothers	7	3	—	4	13	8	6
Pine Hills	7	2	1	4	10	15	5
Virginia	7	1	1	5	10	23	3
Ipswich City	8	1	1	6	9	25	3
RAAF	7	—	1	6	5	45	1

AMATEUR DIVISION SIX

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Newmarket	8	7	1	—	50	7	15
Ipswich United	8	6	1	1	31	8	13
Rochdale	8	6	1	1	24	5	13
Deception Bay	8	6	—	2	40	8	12
North Star	8	5	1	2	28	10	11
Goodna	8	5	1	2	27	15	11
Annerley	8	3	1	4	17	27	7
Acacia Ridge	8	2	—	6	14	28	4
Leichhardt	8	2	—	6	11	36	4
Caboolture	8	1	—	7	4	30	2
Fairfield	8	1	—	7	11	39	2
Brighton	8	1	—	7	7	51	2

AMATEUR DIVISION TWO RES.

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Capalaba	8	7	1	—	26	2	15
Beenleigh	8	6	2	—	31	3	14
The Gap	8	6	1	1	31	2	13
Oxley	8	6	—	2	17	16	11
Ipswich City	8	4	1	3	20	18	9
Eagles	8	4	1	3	14	13	9
Pine Hills	8	3	2	3	11	15	8
Albany Creek	8	1	3	4	10	20	5
Brothers	8	1	3	4	13	25	5
Virginia	8	2	1	5	12	27	5
RAAF	8	1	—	7	9	29	2
Samford	8	—	—	8	3	27	0

AMATEUR DIVISION SEVEN

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Coalstars	7	6	—	1	27	5	12
Toowong	7	5	—	2	20	10	10
The Gap	7	5	—	2	23	6	10
Capalaba	7	4	—	2	12	9	10
Kenmore	8	4	1	3	14	16	9
W'ridge Blue	8	4	—	4	23	17	8
University	8	2	3	3	14	12	7
Valley Trident	7	3	—	4	8	18	6
Darra	8	1	3	4	13	24	5
Pine Rivers	7	1	1	5	12	20	3
Griffith Uni.	10	1	2	7	9	38	2

AMATEUR DIVISION THREE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Willowburn	8	8	—	—	36	10	16
Annerley	8	5	3				

BRISBANE SOUTH JUNIOR TABLES

Each fortnight Go Soccer magazine will provide points tables for the competition in the Brisbane Southern Districts Junior Soccer Association. The tables are current up to the fixtures prior to last weekend. The tables are unofficial, and contact should be made with the BSDJSA for confirmation of any points. Follow your junior team, and its rivals, every fortnight in Go Soccer.

UNDER 9: DIV. 1: Coalstars, Redlands 11, Mooroondu, Capalaba, Annerley 9, Clairvaux 6, Kingsridge 5, Olympic 0.

DIV. 2: Inala City, Camira, Rochedale 12, Tudor Rovers 11, Oxley 10, Slacks Ck. 9, Beenleigh 7, Souths 5, Coalstars, Mt. Gravatt 4, Easts 2.

MAGPIES: Centenary 14, Ipswich City 11, Lions 9, Acacia Ridge 8, Dinmore, Goodna 7, Coalstars 5, Camira 3.

HORNETS: Loganholme 14, Rochedale 13, Jimboomba 12, Clairvaux 11, Slacks Ck, Greenbank 10, Tudor Rovers 9, Beenleigh 7, Souths 5, Logan City 3, Kingsridge 0.

ZEBRAS: Mt. Gravatt 12, Slacks Ck. 9, Mooroondu 8, Bayside, Loganholme, Wynnum 7, South 6, Annerley 5, Rochedale, S.S. Eagles 3.

WALLABIES: Annerley, Bayside 13, Souths, Rochedale 10, Clairvaux 6, Capalaba, Salisbury 5, Redlands 3, Centenary 0.

UNDER 10: DIV. 1: Beenleigh, Mt. Gravatt 13, Bayside 8, Annerley, Rochedale, Clairvaux 7, Loganholme 6, Kingsridge 5, Coalstars 3, Oxley 1.

DIV. 2: Slacks Ck., Mt. Gravatt 13, Jimboomba 12, S.S. Eagles 10, Mooroondu 9, Capalaba 8, Souths 7, Easts 5, Kingsridge 4, Annerley 3, Olympic, Lions 2.

VIKINGS: Redlands 14, Wynnum, Rochedale 11, Slacks Ck. 9, Clairvaux 8, S.S. Eagles 7, Capalaba 4, Bayside, Mooroondu 3, Easts 0.

TROJANS: Ipswich City 10, Mt. Gravatt, Rochedale 8, Centenary, Goodna 7, St. Helens, Leichhardt 6, Acacia Ridge 5, Camira 3.

DYNAMOS: Souths (1) 12, Souths (2), Rochedale 10, Beenleigh 9, Redlands 8, Logan City, Slacks Ck. 7, Salisbury 5, Eagleby 2.

UNDER 11: DIV. 1: Capalaba 14, Kingsridge 12, Rochedale 9, Beenleigh 8, Annerley, Slacks Ck. 6, Oxley, Clairvaux 4, Olympic 2, St. Helens 1.

DIV. 2: Souths 13, S.S. Eagles 12, Coalstars, Redlands 9, Loganholme, Ipswich City, Wynnum 8, Capalaba, Bayside 6, Godna 2, Beenleigh 1, Acacia Ridge 0.

CENTURIANS: Beenleigh 9, Rochedale 8, Slacks Ck. 7, Jimboomba 6, Greenbank 6, Souths 5, Tudor Rovers 3.

STALWARTS: Mooroondu 15, Bayside 12, Wynnum 11, Kingsridge 9, Capalaba 8, Slacks Ck., Loganholme 3, Rochedale 1.

WARRIORS: Mt. Gravatt 12, Dinmore 11, Darra 9, Inala City 8, Lions 7, Souths 6, Coalstars 5, Camira, Centenary 4.

UNDER 12: DIV. 1: Coalstars 13, Capalaba 10, Kingsridge, Rochedale 8, Beenleigh, Goodna 7, Clairvaux, St. Helens 4, Souths 3.

DIV. 2: Olympic, Loganholme 13, Mt. Gravatt 11, Coalstars 10, Easts, Lions 9, Slacks Ck., Rochedale, Annerley 8, Capalaba 3.

SPARTANS: Jimboomba, Wynnum, Mt. Gravatt 8, St. Helens, Souths 7, Easts 6, Leichhardt 5, Centenary 3, Clairvaux 0.

RAIDERS: Redlands 15, Rochedale 13, Loganholme 10, Bayside 9, Mooroondu, Tudor Rovers 8, Logan City, Beenleigh 7, Goodna 6, Slacks Ck. 5, Kingsridge 1.

UNDER 13: DIV. 1: Annerley 12, Mt. Gravatt 11, Slacks Ck. 7, Bayside, Rochedale 6, Capalaba 3.

DIV. 2: Redlands 14, Annerley 11, Easts, Clairvaux 10, Souths 9, Loganholme 5, Camira, Sunnyside, Kingsridge 3, Acacia Ridge 2.

BARBARIANS: Salisbury 12, Inala City 11, Bayside, S.S. Eagles, Oxley 10, Capalaba 7, Centenary 4, Rochedale 2.

LEGIONAIRES: Greenbank 14, Beenleigh 12, Mooroondu 10, Slacks Ck. 7, Eagleby, St. Helens 4, S.S. Eagles 3.

UNDER 14: DIV. 1: Goodna 11, Capalaba, Loganholme 10, Annerley 9, Slacks Ck. 8, Clairvaux 7, Kingsridge 5, Mt. Gravatt 2, St. Helens 1.

DIV. 2: Lions 13, Rochedale 11, Coalstars, Easts, Beenleigh, Centenary 7, Souths, Kingsridge 5, Dinmore 4.

DIV. 3: Acacia Ridge 15, Oxley 13, Inala City 12, Leichhardt 10, Logan City 9, Capalaba 8, Ipswich, Jimboomba, Mt. Gravatt 4, Olympic 3, Goodna 0.

UNDER 15: DIV. 1: Mt. Gravatt 14, Souths, Rochedale 9, Bayside 8, Oxley, Annerley 2.

DIV. 2: St. Helens 14, Olympic 13, Sunnyside 12, Acacia Ridge 7, Coalstars 5, Salisbury 4, Capalaba 3, Beenleigh 2.

JUNIOR COLTS: Goodna 15, Inala City 12, Lions 11, Logan City 8, Slacks Ck., Kingsridge, Centenary 4.

OPEN COLTS: DIV. 1: Kingsridge, Ipswich 12, St. Helens 9, Mt. Gravatt 8, Lions 7, Wynnum, Sunnyside 4, Annerley 3, Rochedale 1.

DIV. 2: Souths 14, Greenbank, Coalstars 9, Beenleigh, Clairvaux 7, Jimboomba, Leichhardt 4, Bayside, Dinmore 3.

BRISBANE NORTH TABLES NEXT WEEK

FROM THE EASTERN SUBURBS

We are now into the third season since the restructuring of the QSF competitions. Things have progressed fairly smoothly, and, the scars almost completely healed. New names have emerged in the playing arena, and those clubs which previously dominated the top Division are not now so prominent, maybe temporarily, maybe not.

The time is rapidly approaching when the QSF must begin to make a re-assessment of the criteria formulated to allow entry into the XXXX and Intermediate Divisions. The commitments given by clubs to gain positions in either of those leagues should by now be well and truly fulfilled, or, at the very worst, well on the way to fulfillment. Unfortunately, this is not the case. We have in the XXXX Premier Division a couple of clubs, who never seem to be short of a quid when it comes to buying players, who have done little or nothing to honour the promises made to the restructuring committee.

A recent visit to the ground of one of these clubs, which is by the way the home of the contributor to this magazine who recently gave Grange Thistle a serve for allegedly not having contributed much to the code throughout their history, showed the following shortcomings:

1. A clubhouse most notable for its non-existence;
2. Seating once in existence now removed and not replaced;
3. A gent's toilet which is overcrowded when occupied by only one;
4. Dressing rooms not big enough to swing a mouse in let alone a cat;
5. An entry road which in good weather is almost negotiable by four wheel drive vehicle;
6. A scoreboard which does not comply with the QSF requirement that the name of the visiting team be displayed, not, VISITORS;
7. Lack of proper attention to the scoreboard, which, during my last visit

showed a full time result of one-one, even though the visitors had scored midway through the second half to win the game two to one;

8. A public address system which works only intermittently.

When one compares this situation with the facilities provided at other clubs, one wonders which club has really failed to make its contribution to the code.

After pointing out only some of the negative aspects of one club, it may be pertinent at this time to question the QSF as to what has been, or, is being done to have clubs fulfil their promises at the time of the reformation? Is any action being considered to drop, to a playing level commensurate with their facilities, those clubs who have obviously made no effort to improve the standard of their grounds? If not, then why not? Surely two years and more is sufficient time to have made some readily apparent improvements.

Those clubs having brought facilities to an acceptable level, and those making genuine efforts to do so, are entitled to feel aggrieved, if not betrayed, should the offending clubs not be taken to task. The time has come for the QSF to call in the markers. There are clubs in lower divisions who, as well as having aspirations to improve their status, have improved their facilities to achieve these aims. It may be time to start making arrangements to give them that chance next season at the expense of clubs, such as the one described, who are truly the ones who have contributed nothing to the betterment of the code.

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From the panel of letters **below**, find the words listed (either up, down, diagonal or backwards). From the remaining letters, find the answer to the Clue Question.

BLACKTOWN	OLYMPIC	SUNSHINE
CITY	PENRITH	SYDNEY CITY
GREEN GULLY	PRESTON	WOLLONGONG
LIONS	ST GEORGE (2 words)	

CLUE: All are in this (2 words — 8 & 6).

ANSWER: NATIONAL LEAGUE

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THE XXXX REPORT

WORLD CUP SNIPPETS

Mexico's World Cup organisers exaggerated by about four times, the television audience for the inaugural game, marketing experts have said.

The organising committee claimed two billion people — half the world's population — watched Italy and Bulgaria draw 1-1 in Mexico City's Aztec stadium last weekend.

But a spokesman for the company marketing the Cup for the International Football Federation (FIFA) estimated that the real viewing figure was about 425 million worldwide.

"Our forecasts are the best available and based on previous World Cups, the number of international broadcasts of the game and recent market research in various countries," ISL spokesman Paul Smith said.

Smith said ISL, which has bought the rights from FIFA to sell the Cup to advertisers, estimated that 500 million people would watch the final on June 29.

The 52 games would attract a total television audience of about 12 billion, he added.

Joao Havelange, president of the international soccer body, FIFA, has hinted that warm-up matches at future World Cup competitions might be restricted.

One of his assistants described the matches as "a circus" that devalued the tournament.

"We have gone over this question several times and although teams must be allowed to play test games, the question is to be reconsidered," Havelange told a news conference.

"Perhaps games will no longer be authorised at a certain point in time."

In the days leading up to last weekends start of the 1986 World Cup, most of the 24 teams had scheduled a series of warm-up matches against local Mexican clubs.

Although FIFA rules state that countries can play any number of practice games provided they are not in the same World Cup group, officials in Mexico were clearly unhappy. More than 40 trial matches took place prior to the World Cup kick-off. Most Mexican fans had seen nearly every team at least once.

"I can understand the teams here needing to acclimatise themselves, but quite frankly the thing has become a circus," Joseph Blatter, FIFA general secretary, said.

"All these matches are not good for the promotion of the tournament."

Harry Cavan, FIFA's senior vice president, also criticised the flood of warm-up games within Mexico.

"We are concerned about all these matches being arranged at will against scratch teams," Cavan said.

The Classic Aussie beer

The 13th World Cup finals in Mexico this year promise one of the most fascinating, colourful and evenly-matched tournaments in the history of the competition.

All six former winners of the famous trophy have safely taken their places among the 24 qualifying countries.

Not since the 1954 finals in Switzerland has the event held out the prospect of so much quality and skill. The decline of perennial South American favourites Brazil throws up inviting opportunities for Europe's new wave of imaginative attacking teams.

Brazil, three-times winners of the trophy, are in disorder.

They appear to have no newcomers with the traditional "Samba" skills to follow the glories of Didi, Zagalo, Vava, Garrincha, Pele, Rivelino and Zico, and the way seems clear for an open competition to be lit up by a revived Uruguay or one of the European teams.

But, such is the advantage for teams playing on "home" ground, it is unlikely — even at this early stage — that holders Italy, European champions France or former World Cup winners West Germany and England can become the first Europeans to return victorious from World Cup finals in Latin America.

In the past, Uruguay, Brazil and Argentina have won the finals held in Uruguay, Brazil, Chile, Mexico and Argentina. The demands of Mexico's altitude and heat will add to the odds against a European win this time.

So Uruguay — the first team to qualify after hosts Mexico and holders Italy, and winners in 1930 and 1950 — must be treated as strong contenders for their third World Cup triumph — a feat that would put them level with Brazil and Italy in soccer's hall of fame.

As the South American champions, Uruguay have the pedigree and the players to make an impact.

But despite qualifying as South American group two winners, eliminating Ecuador and Chile with little trouble, there remains a question mark about their temperament on the big occasion.

This was clearly shown during their 2-0 defeat by France in the Intercontinental Championship in Paris in August when their rugged approach resulted in two cautions and several tarnished reputations.

France, on paper, are a team of breathtaking attacking skills built around Michael Platini, whose goalscoring ability has won him universal acclaim as Europe's and arguably the world's top player.

But Platini is now 30 and along with Alain Giresse, 33, Jean Tigana, 30 and Maxime Bossis, 30, may find it tough to last out the finals at his customary standard.

WORLD CUP ROUNDUP

Their age, France's undoing in the away matches as they struggled to qualify as winners of European group four, may be a factor again in Mexico where France will be one of the six top seeded countries.

West Germany, Poland, Brazil, Italy and Mexico are the other top seeds in a line-up which excludes former winners Uruguay, Argentina and England and underlines the strength in depth of the 24 finalists.

West Germany, winners in 1954 and 1974, boast a proud record of four appearances in the final, six in the semi-finals and eight in the quarter-finals, but are currently enduring their worst-ever run of six games without a win.

Manager Franz Beckenbauer has used 32 players in 16 games in a bid to find a winning formula and time may not be on his side as he runs out of options.

Poland, winners of European group one, have been seeded after finishing third in 1974 and 1982 and their consistency makes them likely semi-finalists again.

Italy, World Cup winners in 1934, 1938 and 1982, have had mixed and mostly unimpressive results since triumphing in Madrid but manager Enzo Bearzot remains confident.

In Mexico in 1970, Italy were beaten in a brilliant final by Brazil. They will do well to go so far again, as will the hosts who were Italy's quarter-final victims 15 years ago when they were beaten 4-1.

Argentina, the 1978 winners, failed to live up to their reputation in Spain but under the guidance of the dour Carlos Bilardo are a more durable if less attractive team.

England, the 1966 winners, have also improved but still depend overmuch on captain Bryan Robson for inspiration and the thrust of strikers Gary Lineker and Mark Hateley.

Europe's challenge will also be carried by Portugal, who inflicted West Germany's first defeat in a World Cup qualifier; much-improved Hungary; the emerging Danes; Scotland, making their fourth consecutive appearance in the finals; Belgium; Bulgaria; Northern Ireland; Spain and the Soviet Union — any one of whom could reach the last eight.



BRISBANE LIONS v GREEN GULLY

Richlands, Sunday, 3.00 p.m.

Referee: KEN ADRIAANSEN

Brisbane Lions have a lot to live up to this weekend after being the backbone of the Queensland team which defeated New South Wales last weekend.

Lions coach Col Bennett watched the game and said afterwards: "They have now set a standard for themselves and I will expect no less. There is no reason why Lions cannot play as well as Queensland did. It's just a matter of commitment & application."

Lions played so well in the last home match, defeating Brisbane City 6-1, but were beaten by West Adelaide 2-0 in the last round.

"We didn't play that badly. We were just unlucky and a bit wanting in front of goals," Bennett said.

Green Gully loom as a team Lions should brush aside if they hope to be top five material this year. This weekend will be the real test.



Brisbane Lions striker Danny Wright in action for Queensland last weekend.

TEAMS

LIONS

- 1 ROB FARROW
- 2 STEVE JACKSON
- 3 FRANK LIDDELL
- 4 DAVID HUNTER
- 5 BILL ARMITT
- 6 CLARK ANDERSON
- 7 JOHN STEWART
- 8 JOHN OGDEN
- 9 DANNY WRIGHT
- 10 RUSSELL STEWART
- 11 JIM MORTON
- 12 R. BASS THWAINTE
- 13 ROD VASQUEZ
- 14 NICK MEREDITH
- 15 JARROD AUSTIN
- 16 CRAIG LOW

Coach: COL BENNETT

GREEN GULLY

- 1 LOU DENYS
- 2 DAVID HOGGEN
- 3 C. THEOSODOPOULOS
- 4 SCOTT FRAZER
- 5 STUART CANNELL
- 6 GORDON FLAVELL
- 7 PAUL LEWIS
- 8 LES CARTER
- 9 DANNY WARD
- 10 GEORGE CAMPBELL
- 11 TOMMY CUMMING
- 12 JOE VIZZINI
- 13 STEVE DOUGLAS
- 14 MIKE McLELLAND
- 15 PETER REYNOLDS

Coach: GEORGE MURRAY

OTHER MATCHES

- STH. MELBOURNE v BRISBANE CITY
- ADELAIDE CITY v WEST ADELAIDE
- FOOTSCRAY v BRUNSWICK
- MELB. CROATIA v SUNSHINE GC
- HEIDELBERG v PRESTON
- MONARO v ST. GEORGE
- CANTERBURY v NEWCASTLE
- BLACKTOWN v SYDNEY CROATIA
- MARCONI v LEICHHARDT
- SYDNEY CITY v CANBERRA
- WOLLONGONG v SYDNEY OLYMPIC

NORTHERN

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Wollongong	8	5	2	1	11	5	12
Olympic	8	3	5	—	18	9	11
Syd. Croatia	8	4	2	2	13	8	10
Marconi	8	4	2	2	14	10	10
Blacktown	8	4	2	2	11	10	10
St. George	8	2	4	2	10	8	9
Sydney City	8	2	4	2	13	12	8
Newcastle	8	1	5	2	9	12	7
Canberra	8	2	2	4	8	10	6
Canterbury	8	2	2	4	10	13	6
Leichhardt	8	2	2	4	8	12	6
Inter Monaro	8	—	1	7	4	21	1

SOUTHERN

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Footscray	8	6	1	1	14	13	13
Brunswick	8	5	2	1	16	2	12
Adelaide C.	8	3	4	1	14	8	10
Preston	8	4	2	2	11	5	10
Sunshine G.C.	8	3	4	1	9	6	10
Sth. Melbourne	8	4	—	4	9	9	8
Heidelberg	8	2	3	3	8	11	7
Lions	8	2	2	4	8	9	6
West Adelaide	8	3	—	5	8	11	6
Green Gully	8	1	3	4	7	10	5
Brisbane City	8	1	3	4	9	21	5
Melb. Croatia	8	1	2	5	3	11	4

XXXX LEAGUE — ROUND 7 GRANGE T. v NORTH STAR

Lanham Park, Saturday, 7 p.m.

Referee: JOE KELLER

The Solomon Islands cyclone appeal will be the winner in this northside local derby.

TEAMS

GRANGE THISTLE

- 1 RAY DUNLOP
- 2 JEFF JASCH
- 3 CRAIG SCHNEIDER
- 4 PETER KELLY
- 5 RICK MANTHEY
- 6 GERRY KAY
- 7 DERECK WILLIAMS
- 8 GRANT BEEVERS
- 9 KEITH MARSH
- 10 IAN BROWN
- 11 DAVID PAYNE
- 12 STEVE DOLAN
- 13 JOHN RUSSELL
- 14 TONY SOMMERVILLE
- 15 JEFF DOLAN
- 16 JOHN RIBONE
- 17 JUSTIN KILSHAW
- 20 ROSS SMITH

Coach: KIM COX

NORTH STAR

- 1 DAVE GALLAGHER
- 2 CAMERON PEARSE
- 3 GORDON BUCHANAN
- 4 IAIN FAGAN
- 5 DAVID CURRIE
- 6 DANNY LOBWEIN
- 7 GERRY LINDSAY
- 8 MICK TRIPP
- 9 PAUL FAGAN
- 10 ALAN MARLEY
- 11 BILLY WILLIAMSON
- 12 ROSS SWAN
- 13 JIM CAMERON
- 14 DANNY COX
- 15 MICHAEL BIRON
- 16 STEVE ROWELL
- 17
- 20 NOEL LORD

Coach: IAIN FAGAN

Grange Thistle, who toured the islands several years ago, have put their weight behind the appeal to aid victims of the disastrous cyclone and the flood which followed.

All gate takings from this match, which should draw a big crowd, will go towards the appeal with any other monies raised in fund-raising activities through the night. For that reason alone it is well worthwhile going to Lanham Park, but the prospect of a footballing classic makes the night a must.

Dave Gallagher and Gordon Buchanan will be making their returns to Lanham Park and will be looking for big performances. At the same time the young, enthusiastic Thistle side will be out to prove a point to their more heralded neighbours.

Next Games: Wynnum v Grange T.
North Star v Easts.

Score: H.T. F.T.
Scorers:

LIONS v WYNNUM

Richlands, Sunday, 1 p.m.

Referee: BOB NELSON

TEAMS

LIONS

- 1 WAYNE EVANS
- 2 CRAIG DANGERFIELD
- 3 BOB McSKIMMING
- 4 ROD VASQUEZ
- 5 NICK MEREDITH
- 6 RICHARD VAN WYN
- 7 TOM McGREGOR
- 8 R. B'THWAIGHTE
- 9 JARROD AUSTIN
- 10 LINDSAY DINES
- 11 MICK KELLY
- 12 BRETT DRUERY
- 13 MIKE MULVEY
- 14 CHRIS DANN
- 15 BILL ARMIT
- 16 MARK GOODMAN
- 17 CRAIG LOW
- 20 JASON KEARTON

Coach: PAUL LASLO

WYNNUM

- 1 LEE ALLAN
- 2 GLENN PORTER
- 3 DARREN HINDES
- 4 MICHAEL OVERBYE
- 5 PAT LEATHAN
- 6 RICK McKINLESS
- 7 COLIN SIMPSON
- 8 BILL McDERMOTT
- 9 GEOFF MALTBY
- 10 WAYNE CORBETT
- 11 PETER HOUGHTON
- 12 TONY McKINLESS
- 13 DAVID THOMPSON
- 14 STU RIDDIOUGH
- 15 DON CROMBIE
- 16 DAVE PARK
- 17 WAYNE GRACEY
- 20 A. McKERCHER

Coach: TONY LOWNDES

Lions bounced back into the winners' circle with a resounding 3-2 win over North Star at O'Callaghan Park and will be looking now for a string of victories to climb the ladder.

But there is still a three point gap between the Richlands side and a safe mid-table position. Wynnum are one of the sides Lions must beat if they hope to continue their climb.

The Wolves are currently anchoring the table, but Tony Lowndes' side could count themselves a little unlucky to be on the bottom. Wynnum has lost three of its last four games by a single goal.

The Bayside team plays open attacking soccer, which at times could be its downfall. But the addition of Pat Leathan at the back could add stability. But Wynnum will have to be at their best to hold out the rampant Lions, who have notched some impressive scores in Ampol Cup matches of late.

Score: H.T. F.T.
Scorers:

Next Games: Ipswich U. v Lions
Wynnum v Grange T.

XXXX LEAGUE — ROUND 7 EASTS v MT. GRAVATT

Heath Park, Sunday, 2.45 p.m.

Referee: PETER MURRAY

For the first time in many years, the Tigers have overshadowed their southside rivals in the start to the season.

Easts' John Sime has been a quiet but effective worker at Heath Park and has been building a side which looks more than capable of seriously contesting honours this season. Although the Tigers faltered in their last game, losing to Olympic Utd., in Phil Redmond and Jim McDonagh, they have the strike power to silence any opponent.

Mount Gravatt has slowly been coming good in recent weeks after an indifferent start to the season. Eric Thompson seems to have solved the defensive problems in the side. The last round draw with Thistle was a hiccup, but the Hawks' play was outstanding and this clash with Easts should bring out the best in both sides. There always has been plenty of feeling in matches between Easts and

Next Games: North Star v Easts
Mt. Gravatt v Coalstars.

TEAMS

EASTS

- 1 MARK DAVIS
- 2 GLEN NORTON
- 3 DAVID PICKUP
- 4 TONY KANE
- 5 ALAN MELVILLE
- 6 JEFF HANSON
- 7 STEIN GRODUM
- 8 PHIL REDMOND
- 9 JIM McDONAGH
- 10 PHIL THOMPSON
- 11 ALLAN HUGHES
- 12 BRAD RYAN
- 14 PAUL MYLONAS
- 15 MARTIN GREEN
- 16 ALAN SIMSEKER
- 17 R. CHAMBERLAIN
- 18 PAUL RAMSAY
- 20 CHRIS CARROLL

Coach: JOHN SIME

MOUNT GRAVATT

- 1 MARK PICKUP
- 2 DOMINIC TONEL
- 4 DAVID COSTA
- 5 TOM CARNAVAS
- 6 KEN SWAN
- 7 MARK HAIRSINE
- 8 HARRY STEWART
- 9 LEN POLLOCK
- 10 CRAIG DICKSON
- 11 GARY CARLISS
- 12 JOHN BROWN
- 13 ROSS PEACHEY
- 14 ERIC THOMPSON
- 15 MARTIN KIRSOPP
- 16 BRYSON STANSFIELD
- 17 CRAIG DONSKY
- 20 STU WOODRUFFE

Coach: ERIC THOMPSON

Score: H.T. F.T.

Scorers:

COALSTARS v OLYMPIC U.

Bundamba, Monday, 2.45 p.m.

Referee: BARRY NORTON

TEAMS

OLYMPIC

- 1 GORDON OTTO
- 2 ANDY LAMBI
- 3 S. KONSTANTINOU
- 4 MIKE MILOVANOVIC
- 5 MIKE CERNAKA
- 6 HARRY TSOUMBARIS
- 7 PAUL BARRY
- 8 CHRIS FEGAN
- 9 MIKE MARIDAKKIS
- 10 STEPHEN GLOCKNER
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- 15 ARTHUR PHOTINOS
- 16 GRAHAM WILSON
- 17 BILL MYLONAS
- 20 MICK CALOGERAKIS

Coach: JUAN CUTILLAS

COALSTARS

- 1 BRENT DIFLO
- 2 KEVIN CALDWELL
- 3 ALAN McFARLANE
- 4 MARK McNAUGHTON
- 5 STU WESTON
- 6 JON KITCHING
- 7 MURRAY KITCHING
- 8 ANDY OGDEN
- 9 MARK BRUSASCO
- 10 BRAD KEARTON
- 12 DAVE WHEELER
- 13 BRUCE PENMAN
- 14 MICK LAWSON
- 15 GARTH MITCHELL
- 16 DAVID MANN
- 17 ROB CLARKE
- 20 DUANE WILSON

Coach: BRIAN STYLES

Score: H.T. F.T.

Scorers:

What a difference a change makes. Coalstars discovered that in the last round when Brian Styles' new-look side finally brought home the points.

After using the least number of players for the first five rounds, Styles finally could offer no more chances to some of his players, and made several key changes for the clash against Taringa two weeks ago. A much more inspired and positive Coalstars roared home to win 3-1 against Taringa.

Styles will be looking for the same commitment this weekend.

Olympic United, last round winners could prove a harder nut to crack than Taringa and it will be a true test of the Coalstars defence. But Olympic's backline could be tested itself, particularly if Mark Brusasco continues his current sensational form. This one could be real end-to-end stuff and probably more chances than goals. Olympic just might get up in the odd one in five.

Next Games: Mt. Gravatt v Coalstars
Olympic U. v Taringa.

XXXX LEAGUE — ROUND 7 TARINGA R. v IPSWICH U.

Speare Park, Monday, 2.45 p.m.

Referee: LEE HANNA

This is the third clash between these two sides in the past month — and so far each one has been a thriller.

Ipswich United took the honours in the first game, hanging on to win 4-3 in a classic match at Perry Park. The two sides shared the points in a recent 1-1 Ampol Cup clash.

Taringa have been big improvers in recent weeks, if a little unlucky — although the defence is still a worry.

Ipswich have been hot and cold as their recent Ampol Cup loss to Annerley demonstrated.

Taringa have played some of their best football at home and no doubt will be relishing the chance of a crack at Ipswich on Speare Oval. It is certain to be a tough, uncompromising game and home advantage could be the narrow edge that sees Rovers through. Look for Phil Mulvey to shine.

Next Games: Olympic U. v Taringa
Ipswich U. v Lions

TEAMS

TARINGA

- 1 PETER SPEARE
- 2 MARK GREER
- 3 GREG SWADLING
- 4 MARK GILBERT
- 5 MARK HORNBY
- 6 STEVE WATSON
- 7 DAVID ASH
- 8 FRANK BYRNE
- 9 CALVIN DAUNT
- 10 PHIL MULVEY
- 11 GAVIN STITT
- 12 CRAIG McCOLL
- 13 TODD COOK
- 14 GREG DARRINGTON
- 15 NEIL RAGAU
- 16 DALE DAWES
- 17 ROB KIRBY
- 20 ANDREW LAPA

Coach: IAIN KESSON

IPSWICH UNITED

- 1 JOHN BENNETT
- 2 DAMIEN BUTLER
- 3 MARK ATMORE
- 4 WAYNE WARREN
- 5 BRETT KITCHING
- 6 RANDALL McKEAND
- 7 JEFF DANN
- 8 BEVAN BOHAN
- 9 PETER VOGLER
- 10
- 11 RICHIE BARNARD
- 12 RUSSELL BECKWITH
- 13 DALLAS GRAHAM
- 14 GLEN GIBB
- 15 NEV O'SULLIVAN
- 16 GREG MARTINI
- 17 ANDREW McCLURE
- 20 PAUL McCLURE

Coach: MATT CARSON

Score: H.T. F.T.

Scorers:

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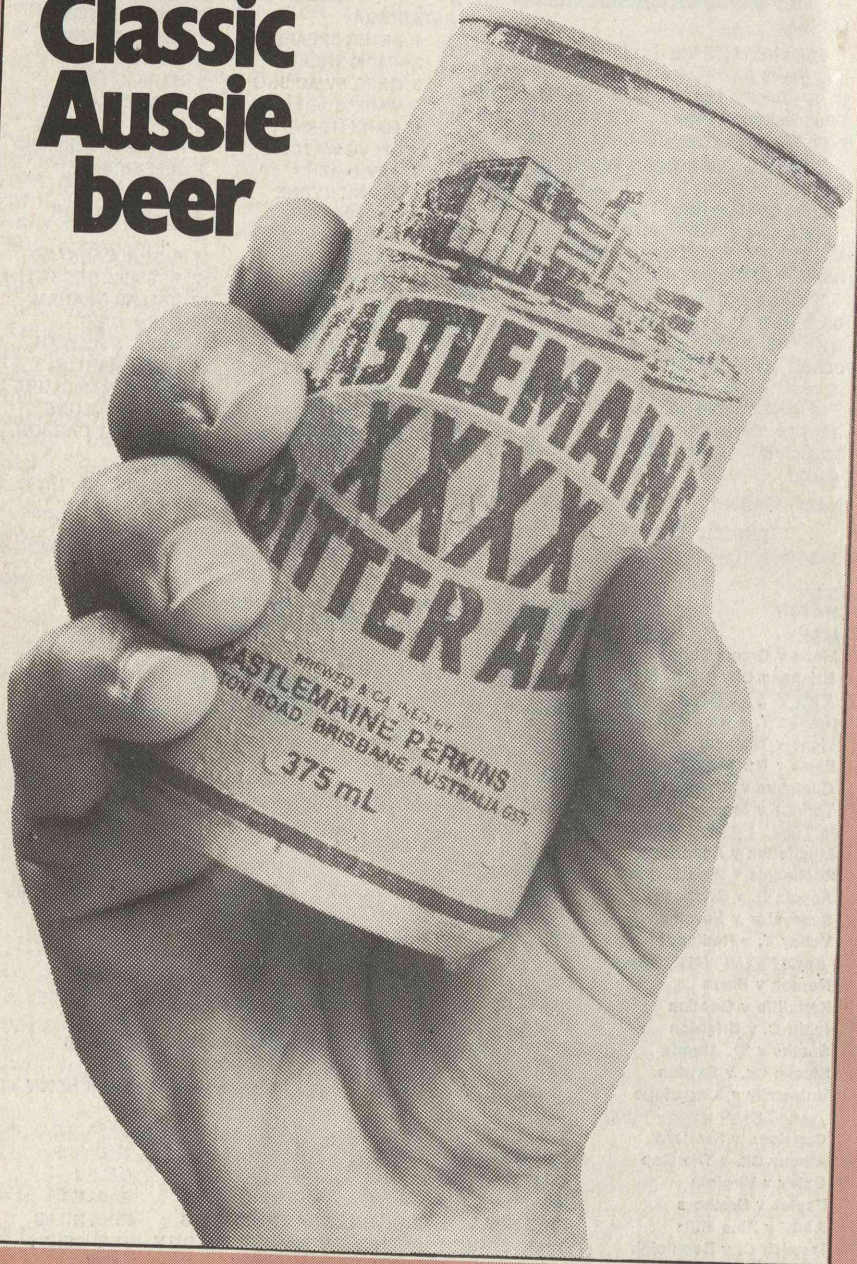
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