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The QSF this week will begin a blitz on team-sheets to ensure the new rules in relation to team stacking are adhered to as clubs begin the run into the semi-finals.

The issue of "stacking" has always been a contentious one, and in the past it has not only been difficult to legislate against, but also difficult to detect. The matter has been raised at the past three QSF annual general meetings, but until last year, always fell short of being included in the constitution when debate unearthed a loophole.

But last year, after much discussion with players, referees and club officials, a water-tight ruling was formulated which should prevent the unsavoury and unsporting practice of stacking.

The rule is: "If a team has three or more players who have participated in the two immediately previous consecutive fixture matches in a higher division, the team shall be deemed guilty of stacking." The offending players shall be deemed ineligible and the result will be awarded 3-0 in the opponents favour.

The QSF office has yet to invoke the new rule, but stacking usually is a late season practice as clubs attempt to get certain teams into the

finals, knock particular opponents out, or win crucial relegation battles.

"There have been many verbal complaints in the past, but it has always been difficult to prove as it has been a case of one club's word against another's," a QSF spokesman said.

"But the rules have now been set and publicised, so there can be no excuses. We will act on any complaints and will be keeping an eye on the teamsheets ourselves.

"Stacking is unsporting and really is bringing the game into disrepute. Now we have the rules we will crack down on any offenders."

As the semi-finals approach, clubs should also be mindful of the rules relating to player eligibility. To participate for a certain team in the semi-finals, a player cannot have participated in more than three of the last five fixtures in a higher division.

Some clubs have been caught out before, and coaches should be mindful of selections from Round 18 onwards.

AMPOL A CLASSIC CUP FINAL AMPOL

Olympic will be playing in their first Ampol Cup final in the 28-year history of the competition when they line-up against Coalstars next month.



Coalstars goalkeeper Kim Wishart denies Alan Marley a chance during the Ampol Cup semi-final last week.

Both clubs regard the Ampol Cup as their last chance to take home a trophy from the 1987 season and the competition for the honour promises to be more than intense.

Although Mike Milovanovic's Olympic combination won their way into the final he was not entirely pleased with their performance last week and will use this weekend's XXXX League fixture against Coalstars, a preview of the big clash on August 23, to test some new ideas.

No doubt he will look to his own experience in the backline and that of Cheetah Vosuga in midfield and Steve Glockner in attack to set Olympic on another winning streak that could see them win the silver cup.

Coalstars coach Brian Styles stated the finishing in attack was the key to their win over North Star and he will look to gain the same performance from his forward combination of Mark Brusasco and Dave Richardson for the final.

NEWS REPORT



Qld. Coach Bruce Stowell will head for England next month for a "coaching holiday" and is hoping to gain a going away present from the Australian Soccer Federation.

Stowell is taking a well-earned rest with a month's holiday in the UK, but typical of the man, he intends to use the opportunity to further his coaching knowledge. Stowell intends to visit the English FA School of Excellence at Lilleshall and also intends to meet up with Maroons guest player Bryan Robson, who will host him for several days at Old Trafford.

And the present Stowell is hoping to get to make it a memorable holiday, is the Australian Under 16 coaching position for 1939. For the past two tournaments Stowell has been in a co-coach role with NSW's Vic Dalgleish. The appointment was largely a political one so as to appease several factions of the ASF. As awkward as the roles have been, Stowell and Dalgleish have worked well and deserve tremendous credit for getting Australia to the quarter-finals in Canada. But at times Stowell's firm professional approach was starkly opposite to Dalgleish's simplistic manner of coaching and the Queenslanders became frustrated he could not head the team in the direction he felt it should go. Stowell's benefit to the 16's was never more highlighted than in the match against Brazil. After watching the Brazilians twice, Stowell devised a system which virtually negated the Brazilians undoubted skill advantage. His thinking man's approach to coaching also was lapped up by the Aussie Kids who were always keen to learn.

The ASF is expected to name the new national under 16 coach within a month as he will be required to attend the forthcoming Australian under 14 national championships to begin picking a squad to prepare for the 1989 Junior World Cup in Scotland.

While in England Stowell also expects to renew old contacts with club officials which could open the way for young Queenslanders to gain trials in the UK. Already Stowell has opened doors for Jason Polak and Stu Woodruffe. And Australian Under 16 representative Darren Freiberg could be heading to Barnsley later in the season.

During the Junior World Cup, Frei-

berg was locked in a battle with Sydney's Lou Triantafyllou for the rightback position. Freiberg got a short run late in the match against Brazil, but played most of the game in the 1-0 quarter-final loss to Nigeria when Triantafyllou was stretched off with a suspected broken leg. Freiberg proved to be an able replacement and highlighted that Coalstars have been wasting his talents by using him as a winger. Against the Nigerians he gave a solid and skilful performance at rightback and even had a chance to snare a late equaliser. The 16-year-old from Townsville dribbled the ball from the Australian penalty box to within 25m of the Nigerian goal, but he ran out of legs and his final shot lacked the venom to beat the Nigerian keeper.

POINTS TO PONDER...

Keep an eye for Miss Taringa who will be doing her own personal gymnastics display at Speare Park just before kick-off in their next home game. The word is she recently lost a bet and she is blaming it all on one of the soccer scribes.

One XXXX League club secretary must be red-faced after refusing permission for his players to take part in the Rochedale versus the XXXX media select match last weekend.

Five of the club's players turned up unheralded to play and had leading roles in the team's 4-0 win.

Who knows the truth? One leading light at Coalstars reckoned the team rehearsed their set move tactics at the races last weekend.

FRONT COVER: Midfielder Richard Bassingthwaight (right), of Lions, and North Star's Gerry Lindsay in action earlier this season. The two clubs clash in the President's Cup final at Perry Park next Wednesday night.

GO SOCCER EDITORIAL

By JUSTIN COMMBER



The success of the Australian team at the under 16 World Championships in Montreal creates the ideal foundation for the code's further penetration into all parts of the media.

Not only are the newspapers giving reports of the team's performances prominently but the electronic media is also coming to the party. Last weekend an item on the tour was given the leading space in the sports news of one radio station at prime listening time, which is something soccer has not featured in for some time.

People who have given downgraded opinions of Australian soccer in general would have to acknowledge the victories as major breakthrough for Australian soccer, somewhat akin to the success tasted in the 1974 World Cup and the 1981 World Youth Cup.

This momentum created by the Aussie Kids must be maintained. It has vindicated the coaching system for juniors throughout Australia and especially that of Queensland senior coach and director of coaching Bruce Stowell who had had a large part to play in the success of the Aussie Kids.

The wheel is slowly turning in soccer's direction away from the other codes when we see examples like a very one-eyed rugby league supporter who recently remarked on how well the Australians were doing at Montreal after they had beaten Brazil.

It seems a shame that Australian teams have to beat nations that are

traditionally known as being among the best in world soccer before they can get any recognition in the country they most deserve it.

One interesting sideline to the Junior World Championships is the new throw-in rule undergoing its first test in Canada. The big question is what will happen when the referees are asked to implement the new rule in local soccer next season?

The new rule states that the ball will be forfeited to the opposing team if a player moves down the sideline from where the ball went out. This situation could slow the game down a lot more with stops and starts every time the ball goes out while referees and players argue over the exact spot where it went out of play and could also lead to an unnecessary rash of bookings when tempers flare on both sides of the fence.

Players here are accustomed to either getting away with creeping down the sideline when they take a throw-in or merely being told to go back to where they started and it will take nothing short of a compulsory meeting between referees and club officials and players to get the situation straight before the season starts next year.

ACROSS MY DESK . . .

By QSF Secretary, ALAN VESSEY

The benefits of QSF marketing are beginning to flow back to the code and those who made the commitment to back the scheme are reaping the rewards.

The growth of the marketing scene can be seen by the example of the Queensland Junior Soccer Council alone. The returns from QSF marketing to the QJSC in the 12 months to October last year were 70 percent greater than the returns for the same period the previous year.

And providing the clubs continue to support QSF marketing, the benefits can only continue to grow. A healthy marketing scheme assists in the overall development of the code, in every area from juniors to women and seniors, as the income generated through buying goods of need eases

the financial burdens in other areas.

Clubs and their officials should always ask for QSAF marketing endorsed products and services when lodging orders.

And unlike schemes in other codes, QSF marketing offers choices. In strips and clothing the endorsed products are Attack, Sabre and Fourex while the Euro-Aussie, Umbro-Uhl-sport and Mitre Balls are also endorsed. QSF marketing also recommends HS Jewellery in Taree for medals and trophies and Queensland sport and pharmaceutical supplies.



Eric Thompson

IT'S THOMMO TALKING

People who find this column as being sour grapes can think what they like because these comments are only made from a deep love of the game and I see the refereeing problem as being the major hurdle that needs to be conquered before we can go ahead as a code.

The biggest problem I can make out with the standard of refereeing in Brisbane is the lack of consistency that is demonstrated every weekend.

I try to avoid being negative when talking about football but enough is enough and it is now time to come out and join the steady flow of criticism that has been building because of refereeing inconsistencies demonstrated this season. Last weekend in the Ampol Cup semi-finals we saw a glaring inconsistency in the interpretation of the rules where one referee allowed a goal when a linesman had indicated off-side and another ruled no goal because a linesman had his flag up.

This is ridiculous. Surely the referee in the centre should have enough willpower to stand by his own decisions and should not be swayed by his counterpart running the line.

Within the space of one hour we can't have one referee giving one decision and the other giving an entirely different decision on a carbon copy situation. Does this mean if we'd had Bill Monteverde instead of Ken Adriaansen we would have equalised on the weekend?

It is extremely frustrating to find out there was only an hour between the two entirely different decisions given by different referees. Sixty minutes was all it took to see the totality of their black and white decisions.

In the case when one person gives the goal and the other doesn't there is an obvious discrepancy in the interpretation of the rules and they should be examined in greater detail.

I don't know if there is someone in charge of referees who does a job similar to the director of coaching here but they sure don't discuss the interpretations of the laws of the game.

I don't know where the game is going when players who have been around the local soccer scene for many years start to think they

would be better off spending their weekends doing something other than soccer because of the bad run they have had recently with the men in black.

I can't blame them and I must say I don't think the game will ever be able to go forward if we have to put up with referees like we have got. The most annoying aspect of their performances seems to be their attitude that refereeing is a team situation . . . an "us and them" mentality which does no-one any good. This frame of mind was ably demonstrated last weekend when a linesman made a clear-cut mistake and the referee chose to stand by the decision and not to use his own discretion.

It is situations like that which really gall the people who put a lot of time and effort into their soccer.

Frustration is the key to the whole thing. It's frustration that has seen three separate incidents of coaches and players striking referees this year. It's frustration that has seen just about every XXXX League coach come out in arms against referees this season. What's even more disturbing is what I hear about town that the referees are a body unto themselves. Here we have a problem that can have really bad effects on the game and the QSF management committee are just sitting in their glass room doing nothing about it.

Most of the clubs around town are bettering their facilities, their lights, their playing staff and their coaching and we have got a damn good director of coaching, but the refereeing is not improving.

My dad James Thompson has watched football for 45 years and is chairman of his local league in England. He came here about one year ago and said we had great back up with the work being done with kids, we had OK grounds, the lighting was reasonable, the facilities overall were OK, but the referees were totally useless.

CSR Gyprock

The Plasterboard

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Croatia was unable to capitalise fully on its game plan against Nerang on Sunday, and only stretched its lead to two points at the top of the table following a 1-1 draw.

With a number of changes in the team, through injury and suspension. Croatia seemed somewhat unbalanced and had difficulty in converting their dominance of the game into goals.

Mick Gerritsen came close in the 38th minute when he was denied by the cross bar, and this was as close as either side got.

The second half was a lot faster and more exciting as Croatia went all out to get ahead.

They did this through Dean Morgan in the 58th minute after he lobbed the Nerang keeper. This lifted Croatia and they pressed forward more and were almost rewarded five minutes later, but Mick Gerritsen's dipping shot was superbly saved.

Nerang stunned Croatia and their supporters by equalising in the 68th minute following a defensive error.

Tragedy then struck just 10 minutes later, when Croatia's keeper Brett Beves was dismissed. However Croatia fought hard with 10 men and came out with a 1-1 draw.

The reserves netted early through Alan Marselleck, and looked as if they would embarrass Nerang with a huge score. This did not eventuate though as Croatia wasted chance upon chance, although Zedenko Leko and Marselleck added to the tally to make the final score 3-0.

The thirds could have had a field day against the youthful Nerang side, but were unable to score from dozens of good chances and to add to their frustration they even missed a penalty which typified their day. The final score, a dismal 0-0.

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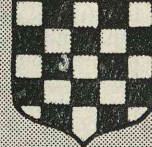


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UNIFORMITY IS THE CALL FOR REFEREES TO HEED

During the last two decades 'uniformity' has been the basic slogan in most national and international referees' courses and it is the main request voiced by the media, team officials, national and international authorities.

Has refereeing moved towards uniformity as a result of these efforts? The answer is: yes, but the progress achieved was relatively small.

What is the reason? Are the referees unwilling to follow the instructions? Or are the methods used to reach this objective insufficient? The answer to both questions is no. The approach is wrong because means and ends are being mixed up.

Some uniformity in refereeing is, no doubt, necessary. But it cannot be achieved by repeatedly appealing to the referees to be uniform. Referees are individuals and cannot fulfill such a request. If two referees are blamed — which is often the case — for lack of uniformity, for acting differently, which of the two should feel responsible? And for what?

The lack of uniformity is most apparent in the case of the already mentioned infringements of the Laws such as rough play, foul, unsporting beha-

Continuing our series on the referees' role in world football as seen by Hungarian Dr. Gyorgy Szilagy, who is a member of the FIFA Panel of Instructors for refereeing courses.

viour or time wasting. And these are just the points in which the Laws are not as specific as in other instances. Instead of specifying the offences, it is left to the referee to judge according to his opinion. The Laws of the Game are full of many examples but the most striking one is the provision of Law XII: "A player shall be sent off the field of play, if, in the opinion of the Referee, is guilty of violent conduct or serious foul play . . .". It is obvious that the opinion of a referee may differ from the one of this colleague.

In the context of the term ". . . in the opinion of the referee . . .", mention has to be made that the Laws of the Game are only basic instructions and shall serve the referee as a support in his decisions. This procedure has worked well for decades. But now it appears that the recent developments in our sport require more specific instructions.

DID YOU KNOW?

The first "Referees' Chart" was published in 1896. One could buy that guide for one penny and up to this very day it is still being published at the beginning of every season. It not only contains the complete regulations aimed at the referees but it also lists the official announcements of the Board, instructions for the club secretariats as well as instructions for the actual football players.

PART THREE — NEXT WEEK

"The Conclusions"



Even the world's greatest player, Diego Maradona, has problems with referees.

GO SOCCER TABLES

XXXX LEAGUE

	P	W	D	L	F	A Pts.
Lions	15	13	—	2	46	13 26
North Star	15	11	4	—	33	12 26
Azzurri B.C.	15	8	5	2	30	14 21
East	15	9	2	4	33	20 20
Rochedale	15	5	4	6	24	35 14
Olympic Utd.	15	6	1	8	22	28 13
Mt. Gravatt	14	4	4	6	23	24 12
Coalstars	15	4	4	7	22	24 12
Ipswich Utd.	15	3	5	7	21	23 11
Redlands Utd.	14	3	4	7	19	36 10
Grange T.	15	1	5	9	6	26 7
Taringa R.	15	3	—	12	18	42 6

XXXX RESERVES

	P	W	D	L	F	A Pts.
Lions	15	10	2	3	35	11 22
North Star	15	10	2	3	23	10 22
Grange T.	15	7	5	3	21	18 19
Mt. Gravatt	14	6	5	3	19	19 17
Taringa R.	15	7	2	6	29	18 16
Ipswich Utd.	15	5	5	5	20	22 15
East	14	5	4	5	16	18 14
Azzurri B.C.	15	5	4	6	18	22 14
Redlands Utd.	14	3	6	5	21	27 12
Rochedale	13	3	5	5	17	23 11
Olympic Utd.	15	1	6	8	12	27 8
Coalstars	15	3	1	11	14	29 7

XXXX LEAGUE LEADING SCORERS

10 goals: Kieran Cooper (ABC), Erett Druery (Lio.), David Wheeler (Lio.). **8 goals:** Alan Marley (Nth. St.), Calvin Daunt (Tar.), Len Pollock (Mt.G.), Peter Vogler (Ips. U.), Phil Redmond (E.). **7 goals:** Richard Barnard (Ips U), Martin Kirsopp (Mt G), Ross Swan (Nth St), Jim Morton (Lio.). **6 goals:** Chris Fegan (Eas), Stephen Glockner (Oly U), Michael Mulvey (Nth St), Phil Mulvey (Nth St).

The leading scorer at the end of the fixtures will receive a weekend for two at the Rocks Resort at Currumbin, courtesy of Barrie Roberts. In the event of a tie, the winner will be decided on a countback of the most goals scored in one game.

XXXX THIRDS

	P	W	D	L	F	A Pts.
East	15	11	1	3	33	11 23
Grange T.	15	8	5	2	26	10 21
Rochedale	14	8	4	2	32	16 20
Ipswich Utd.	15	9	2	4	23	21 20
North Star	14	8	2	4	26	14 18
Olympic Utd.	15	7	3	5	39	26 17
Coalstars	15	5	4	6	28	26 14
Taringa R.	14	5	3	6	26	33 13
Redlands Utd.	14	4	3	7	20	34 11
Lions	15	3	3	9	21	35 9
Azzurri B.C.	15	2	2	11	21	40 6
Mt. Gravatt	15	1	2	12	10	39 4

XXXX COLTS

	P	W	D	L	F	A Pts.
Lions	15	11	3	1	36	6 25
North Star	15	11	1	3	40	23 23
Grange T.	15	9	3	3	38	14 21
Rochedale	15	7	2	6	22	22 16
Ipswich Utd.	15	5	6	4	17	18 16
Taringa R.	15	4	7	4	22	24 15
Azzurri B.C.	15	5	4	6	28	27 14
East	15	3	8	4	20	21 14
Mt. Gravatt	15	4	5	6	22	33 13
Redlands Utd.	15	4	1	10	20	39 9
Coalstars	15	2	3	10	16	31 7
Olympic Utd.	15	2	3	10	15	38 7

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

	P	W	D	L	F	A Pts.
North Star	59	40	9	10	122	59 89
Lions	60	37	8	15	138	65 82
East	60	28	15	17	101	67 71
Grange T.	60	25	18	17	91	68 68
Ipswich Utd.	60	22	18	20	81	84 62
Rochedale	59	24	14	21	94	98 55
Azzurri B.C.	60	20	15	25	97	103 52
Taringa R.	59	19	12	28	95	117 50
Mt. Gravatt	58	15	16	27	74	115 46
Olympic Utd.	60	16	13	31	88	119 45
Redlands Utd.	57	14	14	29	80	136 42
Coalstars	60	14	12	34	80	110 40

The leading club in the overall club championship at the end of the fixtures will win a set of strips from Attack Sports Pty. Ltd. and a \$1000 voucher from Insurance Exchange of Australia Pty. Ltd.

YOUR WEEKEND MATCH GUIDE

XXXX LEAGUE

Saturday — Showgrounds, 2.45 pm: Redlands v Nth Star
Lanham Pk, 6 pm: Grange T v East
Perry Pk, 7 pm: Mt Gravatt v Taringa R.
Sunday — Goodwin Pk, 2.45 pm: Olympic U v C's stars
Ebbw Vale, 2.45 pm: Ipswich U v Lions
Spencer Pk, 2.45 pm: Azzurri v Rochedale

Saturday

Elder Pk, 6 pm: Annerley v Croatia
Sunday — Maramba Std, 2.45 pm: Wynnum v N'market
Freeman Rd, 2.45 pm: Inala C v Goodna
Glennon Pk, 2.45 pm: Nerang v Acacia R.
Benina O, 2.45 pm: Juventus v M'chelton
Bowman Pk, 2.45 pm: Bardon v Pine R.

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DIVISION TWO

	P	W	D	L	F	A Pts.
Croatia	15	9	4	2	29	13 22
Acacia Ridge	15	9	2	4	28	16 20
Inala City	15	8	4	3	25	20 20
Pine Rivers	15	9	1	5	41	24 19
Wynnum	15	8	3	4	35	22 19
Juventus T.	15	7	5	3	29	21 19
Nerang	15	4	5	6	23	23 13
Mitchelton	15	6	1	8	29	33 13
Bardon L.	15	5	3	7	19	29 13
Newmarket	15	3	5	7	22	23 11
Goodna	15	3	2	10	15	33 8
Annerley	15	1	1	13	9	47 3

DIVISION TWO RESERVES

	P	W	D	L	F	A Pts.
Acacia Ridge	15	11	2	2	32	11 24
Croatia	15	10	4	1	30	15 24
Inala City	15	9	2	4	28	13 20
Pine Rivers	15	8	3	4	40	23 19
Mitchelton	15	8	3	4	27	30 19
Bardon L.	15	8	1	6	20	29 17
Juventus T.	15	6	3	6	21	23 15
Wynnum	15	5	4	6	25	16 14
Goodna	15	4	3	8	14	20 11
Annerley	15	4	2	9	25	30 10
Newmarket	15	1	2	12	13	32 4
Nerang	15	—	3	12	8	41 3

DIVISION TWO THIRDS

	P	W	D	L	F	A Pts.
Annerley	15	12	1	2	47	18 25
Inala City	15	9	3	3	32	13 21
Croatia	15	7	5	3	45	24 19
Wynnum	15	9	1	5	45	24 19
Goodna	15	7	4	4	45	29 18
Acacia Ridge	15	7	2	6	32	17 16
Pine Rivers	15	7	1	7	34	30 15
Juventus T.	15	6	2	7	21	33 14
Newmarket	15	5	3	7	29	30 13
Mitchelton	15	3	3	9	18	44 9
Bardon L.	15	3	2	10	24	57 8
Nerang	15	—	3	12	4	57 3

DIVISION THREE

	P	W	D	L	F	A Pts.
The Gap	15	8	7	—	29	13 23
University Q.	15	8	4	3	22	15 20
St. Albans	15	6	7	2	27	14 19
Kingsridge	15	7	4	4	34	22 18
Oxley Utd.	15	7	3	5	28	18 17
Slacks Creek	15	7	3	5	24	21 17
Capalaba	15	6	4	5	20	27 16
Beenleigh	15	6	2	7	24	23 14
Redcliffe C.	15	5	3	7	18	24 13
Souths Utd.	15	2	6	7	19	26 10
Brighton	15	2	5	8	10	31 9
Darra Utd.	15	1	2	12	13	34 4

DIVISION THREE RESERVES

	P	W	D	L	F	A Pts.
The Gap	15	11	2	2	46	5 24
Darra Utd.	15	10	3	2	34	12 23
St. Albans	15	9	4	2	46	11 22
University Q.	15	9	—	6	37	21 18
Oxley Utd.	15	7	3	5	29	19 17
Beenleigh	15	6	5	4	25	17 17
Souths Utd.	15	6	5	4	28	23 17
Kingsridge	15	4	6	5	21	28 14
Redcliffe C.	15	4	4	7	22	35 12
Slacks Creek	15	2	4	9	17	41 8
Capalaba	15	—	5	10	17	46 5
Brighton	15	1	1	13	8	72 3

DIVISION FOUR

	P	W	D	L	F	A Pts.
Lutwyche Utd.	15	13	2	—	66	16 28
Willowburn	15	11	2	2	49	15 24
Kenmore R.	15	7	5	3	40	19 19
S. Eagles	15	8	3	4	30	17 19
Albany Creek	15	7	4	4	29	23 18
Samford R.	15	6	5	4	35	30 17
Virginia Utd.	15	7	2	6	36	31 16
Br. Makedonia	15	5	4	6	24	25 14
RAAF	15	3	4	8	23	35 10
Pine Hills	15	4	1	10	30	33 9
Ipswich City	15	2	—	13	15	63 4
Greenbank	15	1	—	14	6	76 2

DIVISION FOUR RESERVES

	P	W	D	L	F	A Pts.
Kenmore R.	14	13	—	1	68	11 26
Albany Creek	14	12	1	1	46	9 25
Samford R.	14	9	2	3	31	19 20
Willowburn	14	8	1	5	40	23 17
Lutwyche Utd.	14	8	1	5	36	21 17
S. Eagles	14	7	1	6	21	16 15
Pine Hills	14	5	1	8	24	24 11
Ipswich City	14	4	2	8	17	53 10
Virginia Utd.	14	2	3	9	14	31 7
RAAF	14	1	2	11	13	43 4
Br. Makedonia	14	1	2	11	18	70 4
Greenbank	4	1	—	3	3	11 2

DIVISION FIVE

	P	W	D	L	F	A Pts.
Leichhardt E.	15	11	1	3	40	17 23
Moggill Utd.	14	10	2	2	47	20 22
Logan City	15	9	3	3	47	27 21
Toowong	15	9	2	4	33	21 20
Griffith Uni.	14	7	4	3	32	24 18
Westside	15	7	1	7	34	35 15
Salisbury R.	15	4	5	6	28	35 13
Nth. Pine Utd.	15	5	3	7	21	37 13
Western Subs.	15	6	—	9	32	37 12
Yugal Ind.	15	4	2	9	34	39 10
South Star	15	1	4	10	17	49 6
Bayside Utd.	15	1	3	11	15	39 5

DIVISION SIX

	P	W	D	L	F	A Pts.
The Gap	15	11	2	2	31	11 24
University Q.	15	9	3	3	42	18 21
Salisbury R.	15	8	3	4	43	24 19
Wynnum	15	7	4	4	50	28 18
Newmarket	15	7	4	4	31	20 18
Caboolture	15	8	2	5	34	27 18
Decept. Bay	15	7	3	5	46	28 17
Capalaba	15	6	2	7	32	31 14
Capalaba	15	6	1	8	27	30 13
Souths Utd.	15	4	3	8	21	46 11
Beenleigh	15	1	2	12	22	68 4
Annerley	15	1	1	13	19	

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: Kingsridge 19, Oxley 18, Ipswich City 16, Clairvaux 12, Mt. Gravatt 11, Beenleigh 10, Capalaba 8, Annerley 7, Mooroondu 5, Redlands 2.

DIV. 2: Coalstars 17, Camira 16, Rochedale, Slacks Ck. 15, Olympic 14, Loganholme 11, Bayside 7, Jimboomba, Kingsridge 5, Capalaba 4.

TAIPANS: Souths Utd. 22, Annerley 17, Rochedale 16, S. S. Eagles 15, Bayside 11, Wynnum 10, Clairvaux 9, Easts 4, Mooroondu 2.

COBRAS: Salisbury 18, Bayside, Rochedale 15, Slacks Ck. 14, Clairvaux 13, Mt. Gravatt 12, Kingsridge 9, Easts 5, Loganholme 2, Souths Utd. 1.

SERPENTS: Souths Utd. 21, Acacia Ridge 18, Loganholme 17, Rochedale 16, Salisbury 13, Olympic 9, Beenleigh 6, Tudor Rovers, Slacks Creek 4.

VIPERS: Dinmore 20, Souths Utd. 16, St. Helens 14, Centenary 12, Ipswich City, Coalstars 10, Leichhardt 7, Camira 4.

ADDERS: Souths Utd. 25, Lions 22, Logan City 15, Acacia Ridge 13, Darra 10, Centenary 9, Rochedale 6.

UNDER 10: DIV. 1: Annerley 19, Clairvaux 17, Loganholme 15, Rochedale, Coalstars 12, Redlands, Slacks Ck. 11, Inala City, Mooroondu 5, Olympic 1.

DIV. 2: Beenleigh 20, Camira, S. S. Eagles, Capalaba 15, Kingsridge, Bayside 14, Tudor Rovers, Mt. Gravatt 6, Centenary 4, Oxley 0.

DYNAMOS: Souths Utd. 22, Rochedale 17, Easts 15, Wynnum 14, Annerley 10, S. S. Eagles, Clairvaux 9, Slacks Creek 7, Redlands 5.

VIKINGS: Jimboomba 21, Slacks Creek 18, Souths Utd. 16, Greenbank 12, Logan City, Capalaba 10, Beenleigh, Loganholme 8, Rochedale 7, Kingsridge 0.

STALWARTS: St. Helens 25, Souths Utd. 20, Acacia Ridge 15, Coalstars 14, Goodna 13, Clairvaux 10, Centenary 7, Annerley 0.

UNDER 11: DIV. 1: Beenleigh 18, Slacks Creek 17, Rochedale 16, Annerley 14, Bayside, Mt. Gravatt 11, Kingsridge 10, Jimboomba 7, Loganholme 4, S. S. Eagles 2.

DIV. 2: Souths Utd. 20, Coalstars 16, Mt. Gravatt, Mooroondu 14, Redlands 12, Capalaba 8, Easts, Wynnum 7, Goodna 6, Rochedale 2.

WARRIORS: Beenleigh 19, Slacks Ck. 15, Clairvaux 13, Acacia Ridge, Rochedale, Ipswich City 12, Camira 9, Centenary 8, Coalstars, Leichhardt 4.

RAIDERS: Beenleigh 19, Souths Utd. 15, Rochedale, Kingsridge 14, Logan City, Salisbury 11, Easts 8, Redlands, Mooroondu 5, Mt. Gravatt 4.

UNDER 12: DIV. 1: Capalaba 15, Beenleigh, Coalstars 14, St. Helens, Kingsridge 12, Rochedale 9, Wynnum 5, Souths Utd. 4, Slacks Creek 3, Oxley 0.

DIV. 2: Darra 19, S. S. Eagles 17, Redlands 14, Loganholme, Olympic 12, Clairvaux 10, Wynnum 9, Mooroondu 6, Annerley 5, Rochedale 2.

SPARTANS: Lions 22, Loganholme 21, Beenleigh, Bayside 19, Kingsridge 17, Capalaba 15, Jimboomba 10, S. S. Eagles 9, Souths Utd., Tudor Rovers 7, Slacks Creek 6.

CENTURIANS: Mt. Gravatt 26, Dinmore 20, Ipswich City 16, Camira 15, Centenary, Annerley 14, Inala City, Goodna 13, Beenleigh 9, Lions 4.

UNDER 13: DIV. 1: Goodna 17, Rochedale, Capalaba 12, Coalstars 11, Clairvaux, Slacks Creek 8, Mt. Gravatt 3, Olympic 2.

DIV. 2: St. Helens 24, Wynnum 19, Beenleigh 18, Loganholme 17, Annerley 15, Lions 14, Rochedale 12, Kingsridge 10, Jimboomba 7, Redlands 4, Goodna 3, Easts 1.

BARBARIANS: Slacks Creek 23, Loganholme 21, Mt. Gravatt 18, Capalaba, Bayside 15, Kingsridge 11, Rodelu, Acacia Ridge 12, Souths Utd. 10, Logan City 7.

UNDER 14: DIV. 1: Redlands 21, Lions 16, Mt. Gravatt 15, Slacks Creek 11, Rochedale 10, Inala City, Bayside, Souths Utd. 9, Easts 8, Goodna, Annerley 6.

DIV. 2: Clairvaux 19, Wynnum, Loganholme 15, St. Helens 12, Capalaba, S. S. Eagles 10, Beenleigh 8, Mooroondu 7, Croatia 6, Annerley 0.

DIV. 3: Acacia Ridge 24, Camira 20, Salisbury 13, Oxley 8, Centenary 6, Logan City 3.

UNDER 15: DIV. 1: Loganholme 16, Capalaba 14, Annerley, Kingsridge 13, Goodna, Easts 10, Acacia Ridge 9, Oxley 6, Olympic 0.

DIV. 2: Mt. Gravatt, Leichhardt 18, Rochedale 17, Bayside 16, Inala City 14, Rodelu 12, Coalstars 11, Kingsridge 4, Jimboomba 2, Ipswich City 0.

OPEN COLTS DIV. 1: Inala City 23, Mt. Gravatt 17, St. Helens 16, Lions 12, Souths Utd. 9, Logan City 4.

DIV. 2: Croatia 24, Salisbury 20, Coalstars 18, Kingsridge, Beenleigh, Olympic 10, Acacia Ridge 6.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Soccer is our game and the ball is kicked by the feet,

And if the referee is trustworthy your opposition is beat.

The team's players are agile and fleet of foot too,

But unless the ref's consistent, players become black and blue.

The supporters all come, to the games with their kids,

But with bad conduct abounding, they really wave their lids.

With a four team comp, playing for points each week,

Why play over two days? The support's "up the creek,"

In a time where finance, is really very short,

Let's play them on one day and be a real sport!!

If soccer wants to be number 1, not the four,

Then clean up our games and our teams will be sure,

That the supporters will come in droves not just a few,

Our game of soccer will regain its pride And our enthusiasm will renew!!

The referees are killing what is the world's No. 1 sport and if Queensland soccer doesn't do something very soon, we will slip further behind the other football codes.

POET, BUNDAMBA
(Name and address supplied)

Dear Sir,

As a retired soccer coach, referee for 20 years in England, South Australia and Brisbane and from the same county as Don Revie, Brian Clough, George Hardwick and the greatest centre forward of all time, Wilf Hannon (who the great Stanley Matthews once said was the best of all the partners he had played with for England), I believe I can make some comments which should help the game here.

We should allow kids to develop their skills. Skills are sadly lacking in British football, because of regimentation of some standards of coaching, all from manuals, some of it excellent, but not allowing natural skills to develop. This robot type of coaching makes players much the same as each other. Today many players have poor control of the basics. How many players do you see killing the ball dead? Tackling today is shocking and it is evident most players are not shown the proper methods. And shooting at goal is terrible — high and wide.

Every player on the park should be capable, he is supposed to be a footballer, not a team of stoppers, blind kickers or balloonists.

Having been away from local soccer for some time, I am not happy with the standard of refereeing. I recently saw a goalkeeper penalised for taking five and a half quick steps when he genuinely was trying to release the ball quickly. And linesmen tend to watch the line of forwards and are not aware of when the ball was played. It is OK a referee passing his course, but he should maintain that same standard and not let his standards drop.

BERNIE C., DAISY HILL

WHAT THE EXPERTS THINK . . .

MATCH	GEOFF STEAD	JUSTIN COOMBER	FLOYD NANGREAVE	MARK BRIGDEN
XXXX LEAGUE				
Redlands v North Star	NORTH STAR	NORTH STAR	NORTH STAR	NORTH STAR
Olympic U. v Coalstars	COALSTARS	DRAW	OLYMPIC Utd.	DRAW
Mt. Gravatt v Taringa	TARINGA R.	MT. GRAVATT	MT. GRAVATT	MT. GRAVATT
Ipswich U. v Lions	LIONS	LIONS	LIONS	LIONS
Grange T. v Easts	EASTS	EASTS	EASTS	EASTS
Azzurri v Rochedale	AZZURRI	AZZURRI	AZZURRI	AZZURRI
DIVISION TWO				
Wynnum v Newmarket	DRAW	WYNNUM	WYNNUM	WYNNUM
Annerley v Croatia	CROATIA	CROATIA	CROATIA	CROATIA
Inala C. v Goodna	INALA C.	INALA C.	GOODNA	INALA C.
Nerang v Acacia Ridge	DRAW	ACACIA R.	DRAW	ACACIA R.
Juventus v Mitchelton	JUVENTUS	MITCHELTON	JUVENTUS	DRAW
Bardon v Pine Rivers	PINE R.	PINE R.	PINE R.	PINE R.
DIVISION THREE				
Slacks Ck. v Brighton	SLACKS CK.	SLACKS CK.	SLACKS CK.	SLACKS CK.
Oxley v Souths Utd.	OXLEY	OXLEY	OXLEY	OXLEY
The Gap v St. Albans	THE GAP	THE GAP	DRAW	THE GAP
Beenleigh v Darra	BEENLEIGH	BEENLEIGH	BEENLEIGH	BEENLEIGH
Redcliffe v University	DRAW	UNIVERSITY	DRAW	UNIVERSITY
Kingsridge v Capalaba	KINGSRIDGE	KINGSRIDGE	KINGSRIDGE	DRAW
DIVISION FOUR				
Ipswich C. v Albany Ck.	ALBANY CK.	ALBANY CK.	IPSWICH C.	ALBANY CK.
Lutwyche v Brothers	LUTWYCHE	LUTWYCHE	LUTWYCHE	LUTWYCHE
Pine Hills v S. Eagles	EAGLES	EAGLES	EAGLES	EAGLES
Kenmore v Samford	KENMORE	DRAW	DRAW	KENMORE
Virginia v Greenbank	VIRGINIA	VIRGINIA	VIRGINIA	VIRGINIA
Willowburn v RAAF	WILLOWBURN	WILLOWBURN	WILLOWBURN	WILLOWBURN
SUCCESS RATE	44%	45%	47%	37%

BRISBANE NORTH TABLES NEXT WEEK

PRESIDENT'S CUP

PERRY PARK, WEDNESDAY, JULY 29

NORTH STAR v LIONS

KICK-OFF: 8.30 p.m.

REFEREE:

NORTH STAR

- 1 DAVE GALLAGHER
- 2 STEVEN ROWELL
- 3 G. BUCHANAN
- 4 B. WILLIAMSON
- 5 DANNY LOBWEIN
- 6 ROSS SWAN
- 7 GERRY LINDSAY
- 8 MICK MULVEY
- 9 ALAN MARLEY
- 10 PHIL MULVEY
- 11 PAUL FAGAN
- 12 JARROD AUSTIN
- 13 PAUL MARSHALL
- 14 SHANE HADDOW
- 15 CLIVE JENKINS
- 16 HOWARD BULL
- 17 PAT LEATHAM
- 20 NOEL LORD

Coach: Iain Fagan



LIONS

- 1 JASON KEARTON
- 2 KEITH MARSH
- 3 M. MALLET
- 4 FRANK LIDDELL
- 5 ALAN NIVEN
- 6 R. B'WAIGHTE
- 7 G. LIGHTBOWN
- 8 JOHN OGDEN
- 9 DAVE WHEELER
- 10 R. STEWART
- 11 JIM MORTON
- 12 DAVID HUNTER
- 13 NICK MEREDITH
- 14 BRETT DRUERY
- 15 BILL ARMIT
- 16
- 17 B. McSKIMMING
- 20 MARTIN COE

Coach: G. Arrowsmith

Scores: H.T. F.T.

Scorers:

INTERMEDIATE CUP

JUVENTUS T. v CROATIA

KICK-OFF: 6.30 p.m.

REFEREE:

JUVENTUS TRIDENT

- 1 F. MONTEVERDE
- 2 TONY IOVENITTI
- 3 PAUL SCHIAVO
- 4 SHANE RIDEOUT
- 5 A. SALVATORE
- 6 ENZO CUPO
- 7 DAVE MELIA
- 8 JOHN SCHIAVO
- 9 PETER CAREY
- 10 CLARK ANDERSON
- 11 CARL MUSUMECI
- 12 P. MICALIZZI
- 13 Z. SPITALERI
- 14 SAM DEAN
- 15 M. PAOLUCCI
- 16
- 17 JOHN GORZA
- 20 PAUL ANTONELLI

Coach: Joe Bella



CROATIA

- 1 BRETT BEVES
- 2 GUIDO MOLTONI
- 3 TONY BAILO
- 4 DAMIR IVICA
- 5 TONY NOVACK
- 6 DANIEL KASTELLO
- 7 MICK GERRITSEN
- 8 GEORGE CAIRD
- 9 MARK ATMORE
- 10 CHARLIE RUNJE
- 11 JOHN RUSSELL
- 12 STEVE PERKOVIC
- 13 DEAN MORGAN
- 14 KEN NUGENT
- 15 L. MEJIAS
- 16 J. STIPANCIC
- 17
- 20 MAL LEKO

Coach: Zjelko Bambic

Scores: H.T. F.T.

Scorers:

● In both games, if the scores are level after 90 minutes, **THERE WILL BE NO EXTRA-TIME.** Penalties, in accordance with FIFA rules will be taken.

XXXX LEAGUE — ROUND 16

REDLANDS U. v NORTH STAR

Showgrounds, Saturday, 2.45 p.m.

Referee: BARRY POWER

TEAMS

Redlands picked up their first point in the XXXX League when they drew 3-3 with North Star in the first round.

Unfortunately for Steve Perry's side, it was not a sign of bigger things to come, and although they won their first match a fortnight later, the Baysiders were to stay anchored at the bottom of the table for the next month. But Redlands form has shown signs of improving in recent weeks and they could fancy themselves to stage an upset in this match.

The draw at the Showgrounds no doubt was a disappointing result for North Star, and the brightest aspect of the game was the Man of the Match performance by their sweeper Billy Williamson. Williamson's form eventually earned him a Maroon jumper and he could still yet win the Rothman's medal he is keenly eyeing.

Next games: Coalstars v Redlands
North Star v Grange T.

REDLANDS UTD.

- 1 R. HARRISON
- 2 P. MITCHELL
- 3 MARK CURRAN
- 4 STEVE PERRY
- 5 JASON BURNS
- 6 BEVAN BOHAN
- 7 RICHARD VAN WIN
- 8 S. MEULEN
- 9 RON MILLMAN
- 10 STEVE PARSONS
- 11 BARRY KELSO
- 12 P. HULL
- 13 D. HAWTHERNE
- 14 K. SCHIMKAT
- 15 MICK ROBERTS
- 16 R. LAYCOCK
- 17 D. PARSONS
- 20 M. HASTINGS

Coach: Steve Perry

NORTH STAR

- 1 DAVE GALLAGHER
- 2 STEVEN ROWELL
- 3 G. BUCHANAN
- 4 B. WILLIAMSON
- 5 DANNY LOBWEIN
- 6 ROSS SWAN
- 7 GERRY LINDSAY
- 8 MICK MULVEY
- 9 ALAN MARLEY
- 10 PHIL MULVEY
- 11 CLIVE JENKINS
- 12 JARROD AUSTIN
- 13 PAT LEATHAM
- 14 SHANE HADDOW
- 15 ANDY WATSON
- 16 HOWARD BULL
- 17 PAUL MARSHALL
- 20 NOEL LORD

Coach: Iain Fagan

Scores: H.T. F.T.

Scorers:

GRANGE THISTLE v EASTS

Lanham Park, Saturday, 6 p.m.

Referee: GORDON NICHOLSON

TEAMS

The first round clash between these two teams was played in atrocious conditions at Perry Park, with the Tigers just winning 1-0.

Thistle showed a lot of character in keeping the high-riding Easts scoreless for nearly 80 minutes. Jim McDonagh was the player who eventually broke through and scored the winner.

McDonagh has not hit as many goals as he probably would have liked this season and could be out to bag a few in this match. With that in mind, Thistle could put their tough young stopper, Scott Walker, in close attendance.

A win here will be just as important for the two coaches involved as the players. Easts' John Sime and Thistle's Joe Gilroy are both competitive Scotsmen and relish success.

It is yet again another big task for Thistle.

Next games: North Star v Grange T.
Easts v Ipswich U.

GRANGE THISTLE

- 1 ROSS SMITH
- 2 JOHN RIBONE
- 3 SCOTT WALKER
- 4 J. HERMISTON
- 5 JASON BURR
- 6 STEVE DOLAN
- 7 COLIN AINSLIE
- 8 ALISTAIR PAGAN
- 9 SCOTT RACKLEY
- 10 R. CHAMBERLAIN
- 11 ROB MARINOV
- 12 ROB CLARKE
- 13 CRAIG MILLS
- 14 TONY BAILEY
- 15 STEVEN KLUSS
- 16 PAUL RAMSAY
- 17 GARY HEINER
- 20 GREG MARSHALL

Coach: Joe Gilroy

EASTS

- 1 S. LINDSAY
- 2 PAUL MYLONAS
- 3 KEN GORDON
- 4 CARL SCOTT
- 5 ALAN MELVILLE
- 6 SCOTT PLAYLE
- 7 STEIN GRODUM
- 8 PHIL REDMOND
- 9 JIM McDONAGH
- 10 PHIL THOMPSON
- 11 CHRIS FEGAN
- 12 TONY KANE
- 13 COLIN PHELAN
- 14 WAYNE CORBETT
- 15 BRUCE REHBOKK
- 16 BRAD RYAN
- 17 GREG TUCKER
- 20 MARK DAVIS

Coach: John Sime

Scores: H.T. F.T.

Scorers:

XXXX LEAGUE — ROUND 16 MT. GRAVATT v TARINGA R.

Perry Park, Saturday, 7 p.m.

Referee: TONY SLATER

Mount Gravatt posted their biggest win of the season when they slammed five goals past Taringa in the corresponding first round clash.

Two of the Hawks five were scored by the state midfield ace Martin Kirsopp, one from the penalty spot. It has been a chequered season by the tiny midfield dynamo. He has gone from the heights of starring for the Maroons to the indignity of a three weeks suspension.

Although the Rothman's medal is now beyond him for this season, Kirsopp is certain to want to finish the year on a high note with strong showing in the final fixtures. And that could mean bad news for Taringa if the wee-man fires in this match.

After a promising start Taringa have slowly slipped through the table and now must concentrate on survival. A point here would be as good as a win.

Next games: Rochedale v Mt. Gravatt
Taringa v Olympic U.

TEAMS

MOUNT GRAVATT 1 MARK PICKUP 2 JOHN DENHAM 3 A. BALDASSI 4 DAVID COSTA 5 TOM MCGREGOR 6 CAMERON BELL 7 MARK HAIRSINE 8 HARRY STEWART 9 LEN POLLOCK 10 CRAIG DICKSON 11 MICK SINN 12 DARREN CORBETT 13 ROSS PEACHEY 14 DAMIEN BUTLER 15 MARTIN KIRSOPP 16 DOMENIC TONEL 17 GLENN REES 20 J. MIDDLETON Coach: Eric Thompson	TARINGA R. 1 PETER SPEARE 2 MARK GREER 3 MARK HORNBY 4 STEVE WATSON 5 CRAIG MCCOLL 6 MARK GILBERT 7 DAVID ASH 8 GREG SWADLING 9 CARL PETERSON 10 M. RATCLIFFE 11 CALVIN DAUNT 12 C. WILKINSON 13 G. DARRINGTON 14 M. FAIRCLOUGH 15 MARK GILROY 16 17 20 ANDREW LAPA Coach: Iain Kesson
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Scores: H.T. F.T.

Scorers:

XXXX LEAGUE — ROUND 16 OLYMPIC U. v COALSTARS

Goodwin Park, Sunday, 2.45 p.m.
Former Coalstars goalkeeper Jon Petie will be keen to keep a clean-sheet for Olympic against his old club.

Referee: PETER MURRAY

Petie switched to Goodwin Park earlier in the season and has consolidated a place in the Olympic side. He was in goals in the nil-all draw between these two clubs in the first round and will be looking to keep Coalstars scoreless again.

When they met in round five, both these teams were languishing at the bottom of the table. Olympic began to fire shortly afterwards and their draw with Coalstars was the beginning of a nine-match undefeated run.

Coalstars took somewhat longer to find their form but are looming as the big improvers of the second round. Both clubs are chasing two points in this clash and a scoreless draw is unlikely to satisfy either.

But whether Petie, or Coalstars' Kim Wishart, can be beaten remains to be seen.

Next games: Taringa R. v Olympic
Coalstars v Redlands.

TEAMS

OLYMPIC UTD. 1 JON PETIE 2 ANDREW LAMBI 3 BILL MYLONAS 4 MICK CERNAKA 5 M. MILOVANOVIC 6 CHEETHA VOSUGA 7 A. PHOTINOS 8 PAUL BARRY 9 S. GLOCKNER 10 GRAHAM WILSON 11 NICK MORIC 12 14 M. MAKRIDAKIS 16 JIM BELLAS 17 JIM ESLAO 19 H. TSOUMBARIS 20 ELMER BEDIA 21 JOHN SPATHIS Coach: M. Milovanovic	COALSTARS 1 KIM WISHART 2 KEVIN CALDWELL 3 IAN LAWRIE 4 STU WESTON 5 ALAN MCFARLANE 6 FRANK BYRNE 7 DALE DAWES 8 ANDREW OGDEN 9 MARK BRUSASCO 10 D. RICHARDSON 11 D. FREIBERG 12 BRAD KEARTON 13 BRUCE PENMAN 14 JOHN COUSIN 15 GARY CARROLL 16 E. MCCAFFERY 17 MARK PETIE 20 ASTON BELL Coach: Brian Styles
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Scores: H.T. F.T.

Scorers:

IPSWICH U. v LIONS

Ebbw Vale, Sunday, 2.45 p.m.

Referee: BILL MONTEVERDE

TEAMS

IPSWICH UTD. 1 JOHN BENNETT 2 BRETT KITCHING 3 DALLAS GRAHAM 4 WAYNE WARREN 5 S. BRADFORD 6 R. McKEAND 7 JEFF DANN 8 R. BECKWITH 9 PETER VOGLER 10 MICK KELLY 11 BRIAN MacNICOL 12 GLEN GIBB 13 R. BARNARD 14 KEITH BROOM 15 MARK GOODMAN 16 NEV O'SULLIVAN 17 ANDREW McCLURE 20 PAUL McCLURE Coach: Matt Carson	LIONS 1 JASON KEARTON 2 KEITH MARSH 3 M. MALLETT 4 FRANK LIDDELL 5 ALAN NIVEN 6 R. B'WAIGHTE 7 G. LIGHTBOWN 8 JOHN OGDEN 9 DAVE WHEELER 10 R. STEWART 11 JIM MORTON 12 DAVID HUNTER 13 NICK MEREDITH 14 BRETT DRUERY 15 BILL ARMIT 16 17 B. McSKIMMING 20 MARTIN COE Coach: G. Arrowsmith
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Scores: H.T. F.T.

Scorers:

Ipswich United will go into this match with a psychological edge over Lions.

Mat Carson's side staged the first upset of the season when they downed the previously undefeated Lions 4-2 at Richlands in round five. It was a well deserved victory for United as they outclassed Lions in every department.

Unfortunately for their season's aspirations, Ipswich United have not been able to produce the same form each week and their inconsistent showing have earned them a solid mid-table position. But memories of that first round success could spark United into some form this weekend.

Lions will still be smarting from the defeat and cannot afford to drop any points in this match. Many of the Lions players are familiar with Ebbw Vale, having played for Brisbane in the intercity game there, and will be looking for another win.

Next games: Easts v Ipswich U.
Lions v Azzurri B.C.

AZZURRI B. C. v ROCHEDALE R.

Spencer Park, Sunday, 2.45 p.m.

Referee: KEN ADRIAANSEN

TEAMS

AZZURRI B.C. 1 WAYNE EVANS 2 N. GREENHALGH 3 GLENN ARCHER 4 ROD VASQUEZ 5 F. MENGOTTI 6 A. CHAPMAN 7 KEN SWAN 8 R. LETTIERI 9 KIERAN COOPER 10 ALF CATALANO 11 JON BURGESS 12 IBRO CAHUT 13 F. GUGLIEMINO 14 M. MEJIAS 15 MARTIN NUGENT 16 SAID SALEK 17 JOHN FIGILIANO 20 STU WOODRUFFE Coach: Juan Cutillas	ROCHEDALE R. 1 BOBBY COX 2 DANNY MCGRAIN 3 GERRY McMAHON 4 STEVE DONALD 5 KEVIN COLEMAN 6 BILL WALLACE 7 JOHN FOX 8 S. ARMSTRONG 9 COLIN SIMPSON 10 JIM KELLY 11 CRAIG LOW 12 JOHN McDAID 13 JOHN McNAIRN 14 M. CLARKSON 15 ALAN HUGHES 16 GARY ELWOOD 17 20 STEVE ELWOOD Coach: Alan Hughes
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Scores: H.T. F.T.

Scorers:

Azzurri's eight goal effort against Rochedale at Underwood Park in April has been the best scoring effort of any team so far this season.

A hat-trick from Kieran Cooper (which included two penalties), a pair from Frank Mengotti and goals from Ken Swan, Robert Marinov and Andy Chapman set up the City win. But such goal-scoring flurries have been more the exception than the rule for Juan Cutillas' side and he no doubt would be delighted if his side could score eight again this weekend.

But it should be remembered the result was 8-3, and not 8-0. City obviously left holes open at the back when they pushed forward which enabled Gary Ireland to score three. Rochedale will be looking for those holes again this weekend.

It will be a return to Spencer Park for Rochedale coach Alan Hughes, who played with City in the NSL.
Next games: Lions v Azzurri
Rochedale v Mt. Gravatt

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