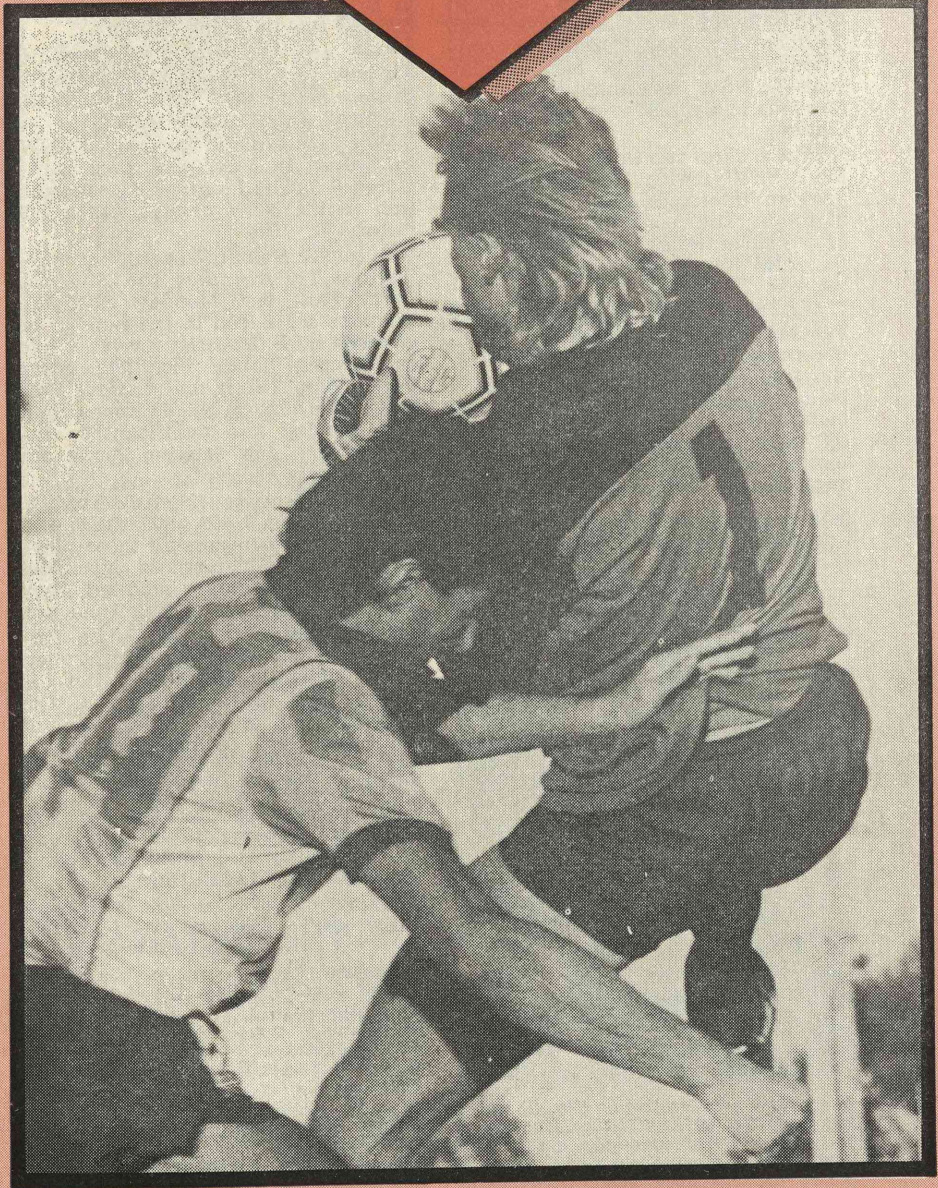


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Queensland could meet New South Wales in Sydney for the first time in 25 years as part of the celebrations now being planned for the 100th anniversary of interstate soccer.

Queensland first played NSW in Sydney in 1890 and NSW Soccer Fed. president Mr. John Constantine confirmed at Perry Park last Monday that the NSW SF wanted to host the Maroons in Sydney to mark the centenary.

That ensures two things for Queensland. Firstly, with NSW anxious to host an interstate game in 1990, to maintain the continuity that has grown since the series revival in 1983, the 1989 interstate clash is all but assured.

And with the Queensland Soccer Federation wanting to continue hosting interstate games at Perry Park, the 1990 centenary series is likely to be a double-header. Constantine, who backed the recent ASF proposal to set aside a weekend for interstate football in future soccer calendars, suggested a Wednesday night game



Queensland's Peter Vogler (No. 3) walks away as NSW players Wally Savor (right) and Jean-Paul de Marigny assess the damage to goalkeeper Tony Franken during the interstate clash. Vogler's non-sense style took the Blues by surprise as Queensland won 1-0.

in Brisbane followed by a return in Sydney the following Sunday.

"We are committed to interstate football and I think it's time the Sydney people saw their state team playing," Constantine said.

When Queensland last played NSW in Sydney in 1964, they were hammered 6-0. The last time Queensland won in the NSW capital was a 5-3 victory in 1956.

Queensland's hard-fought, but well-planned 1-0 win over the Blues at Perry Park last Monday gave the Maroons a 3-2 lead in the number of victories since the series revival. While experienced hands including Steve Perry, Alan Niven and Russell Stewart were among the Maroons best, last Monday was significant in introducing a new exciting young era to interstate football.

Jason Kearton, Nick Meredith, Stein Grodum, Billy McDermott and Peter Vogler were among those playing in their first interstate clash. And their performances suggested they will be around for a long time yet.

For Queensland coach Bruce Stowell, the victory was bitter-sweet. While delighted and proud that his players had yet again proved the statistics and critics wrong, Stowell yet again had to hear southerners say his players were still not good enough to play for Australia.

"It annoys me that the negative comments by some people take away the credibility and praise our players deserve," Stowell said.

THE DETAILS

Queensland 1 (own goal Charlie Yankos 14th) d. NSW 0 at Perry Park. Crowd 4217.

Queensland: Kearton, Mengotti, Perry, Grodum, Niven, Vogler, McDermott (Williamson 58th), Meredith, Stewart, Brusasco (Cooper 76th), Lightbown. Coach: Bruce Stowell.

NSW: Franken, Gomez, Jennings, Bundalo, Wheatley (Rodriguez 78th), Farina, Arnold, Yankos, Slater, Savor, de Marigny. Coach: Alan Vest.

Referee: Gordon Nicholson.

Send-offs: Frank Farina (NSW) 87th minute.

Cautions: Frank Farina (NSW) 43rd minute, Charlie Yankos (NSW) 51st minute.

NEWS REPORT

QUOTE UNQUOTE

Here are some quotes from those involved in the interstate match between Queensland and New South Wales at Perry Park last Monday:

"If any of the Queensland players think they can play for Australia at the moment then they are dreaming" — Alan Vest.

"I can't understand these people that keep saying we have no players good enough to play for Australia. There must have been someone who could play out there today," — Bruce Stowell.

"I have said it before up here and I have to say it again. Any player who wants to live in Brisbane and play in the national team has to be better than anyone else, not just as good" — Alan Vest

"I know they will go back to Sydney and say the ref cost them the game. Just once I would like to see them go back and say they were beaten by a better team" — Steve Perry.

"The send-off was a joke. There should be neutral referees. If they want to have interstate games and have them mean anything, then they have got to get the best referees" — Frank Farina.

"I thought I went okay" — Jason Kearton, who won the George Roberts Memorial award for the best Queensland player.

"I'm claiming the goal. I deliberately played it in-off" — Nick Meredith.

"Now that I have had a taste of interstate football, I want more" — Stein Grodum.

"Of course they want to introduce State of Origin. They can't beat us with what they've got" — Russell Stewart.

POINTS TO PONDER

Alan Niven may have to play on a little longer than next season if he hopes to become the highest capped Queensland player. The story about him closing in on Graham McMillan's 23 appearance record prompted a few to check their records and all agree former state captain Gary Wilkins tops the list with 33 official and confirmed caps.

Which high ranking officials spent much of the interstate game studying a form guide?

A sign of the times? There were still three full XXXX stubbies left in the Queensland dressing room after the NSW win.

Which XXXX League coach was ordered out of the ground at Taringa last Saturday after his harmless dog spent a penny on the park prior to a match? A linesman accused the dog of doing more, and although no evidence could be found, the well-known coach was told people who could not control their animals were a nuisance and he should leave the park.

One prominent player sent-off at the weekend wasted no time in drowning his sorrows. He was spotted in the bar at halftime.

Was that Wynnum Division Two coach Tony Lowndes giving Mount Gravatt's Ian Steele some mid-match sideline tips at O'Callaghan Park last Saturday night?

Which North Star player opted to go watch the Broncos ahead of the Queensland-NSW game?

FRONT COVER: Queensland keeper Jason Kearton takes the ball despite some aggressive attention from Socceroo captain Charlie Yankos. Kearton, 18, making his state debut, won the George Roberts Memorial award for the best Queensland player in the annual interstate clash.

EDITORIAL

By Go Soccer Editor
GEOFF STEAD

Queensland soccer has long been searching for personalities and a number burst onto the scene in the Maroons' 1-0 win over NSW at Perry Park last Monday.

In Jason Kearton, Queensland probably has the next Socceroo keeper and at just 18, a player who certainly will be around in the top level for many years to come. Nick Meredith oozes personality, and with a bit of off-field style as well, could be a real asset in promoting the game.

Peter Vogler, already unique in being the first baseball-soccer state representative, plays with no fear and could impress even the most aggressive sporting fans. With the nickname "Yowie", Vogler is a promoter's dream. All three are rough diamonds that in the right hands could be polished to become soccer's answer to the likes of Leroy Leggins, Wally Lewis or Warwick Capper. That is not to sell out loyal Queensland soccer servants like Alan Niven, Steve Perry and Russell Stewart. They will form the backbone of future interstate victories.

But it is important now to recognise that players like Kearton, Meredith and Vogler can spark interest in Queensland soccer. The likes of Lewis, Gene Miles and others did not just

stay in Queensland because they liked the sunshine. The QRL was heavily involved in helping retain their games stars.

Obviously the QSF could never hope to present local players the same packages as those offered to the rugby league stars, but Queensland soccer cannot afford to let its new stars go the same way as Frank Farina, Danny Wright, Alan Hunter and Steve Jackson.

The talent drain will continue to flow unless someone inserts a plug. If we ever expect big crowds at soccer and enthusiastic media coverage, we have got to have personalities. It will be no use demoaning in three years time when Kearton has a blinder for NSW.

The QSF, in its association with its clubs, must act now to keep its top players. A program must be mapped out to sell these new stars to the Queensland sporting public.

By next week, Queensland's win over NSW will be just a record book entry. Turning our young stars in sporting personalities will be the real legacy of the victory.

By QSF Executive Director
ALAN VESSEY

ACROSS MY DESK

I am disappointed by the attitude towards the annual interstate clash taken by Tom Anderson in last Tuesday's Sydney Daily Mirror.

In this report of the game, Tom refers to the match as the "Clayton's" interstate clash and said the game should not have taken place. I would suggest Tom note the comments of Socceroo and NSW fullback Wally Savor in the Sydney Daily Telegraph on Wednesday, June 8. Savor said of the interstate match: "This is one game I desperately want to win".

Tom should also consider the com-

ments of Robbie Slater in the April 20 edition of ASW. Slater said his immediate aim was making the NSW team for the interstate clash. "It's always a tough game, especially up there because they love to put one over us," Slater said.

Perhaps Tom should ask players whether they want to play interstate matches before criticising the concept.



WITH ASF VICE-PRESIDENT
and NSW SF PRESIDENT, JOHN CONSTANTINE

GO SOCCER: Queensland and NSW have battled to keep the interstate series going since 1983 despite opposition from the NSL and its clubs. What is your stance regarding the match and what will be your future commitment to it?

JOHN CONSTANTINE: The concept of playing an interstate match is good. It's good for the development of the game and we support it. But some changes have to be put in place if the series is to continue. The ASF executive at its second last meeting considered the matter at length and it was resolved that there will be one week set aside for interstate fixtures where all other fixtures, State League matches and NSL matches, will be stopped. It is hoped in that week either single matches or tournaments can be organised or where a State fixture can be played either as a one-off or a home and away.

GS: You have been suggested as among the contenders to take over from ASF president Sir Arthur George. Are you interested and what hurdles are ahead for the person who aspires to Australian soccer's top job?

J.C.: That's a question that I have been asked many times. Those who know what is happening at the ASF would readily admit that there are many more important things to be resolved at the ASF than the question of president. It is not an issue that is heavily resting on my mind at the moment. We have put a submission to the executive about how the future executive should be run. We want some responsibility for actions taken and that submission is at this moment under full consideration. The meeting of the full executive of last month has been adjourned to this month and some decision must be made. NSW has taken the position that the ASF's business should be defined. Basically we think the three national teams, the seniors, the under 20's and the under 16's, a national league concept and internationals are the business of the ASF and an executive independent of the State Federations or National League Clubs should be put in place to carry out that business. Unless such an independent board is put in place, then quite frankly there is no position presently at the ASF that I would particularly aspire to.

GS: The QSF's Ian Brusasco and Alan Vessey have been touted as possible candidates for ASF positions. What role

do you see both playing in the running of Australian soccer over the next few years?

J.C.: To take the two issues separately. I understand Alan Vessey is a candidate for the chief executive position. He obviously is a person who is highly qualified and has experience behind him and I would think that he would make a worthwhile appointment. Having said that, I understand there are many others who are also interested and until such time that applications are called and all the applicants are known, I couldn't make any comment. As far as Ian Brusasco is concerned, he has served for a long time and contributed greatly to the ASF and in the latter years particularly as far as the national under 16 team is concerned. I see Ian has a continuing contribution to make. I also know at Queensland level he has had a heavy burden of making and implementing changes and obviously the man has contributed greatly. I see that continuing at a Queensland and at an ASF level.

GS: What is your opinion and view of the NSL and what direction do you think the organisation should take?

J.C.: The concept of a national competition is good. I believe that we have moved a little bit early in that we should have had strong viable State competitions from which sides could have been drawn into a national competition. Most of the other codes are going national but it seems we have probably gone too early. I see a continuation of a rational concept even if it's not on a full national basis. It is something that certainly must be looked at very seriously. But the bottom line is whatever concept we put in place, it must be a viable competition otherwise you will drain clubs and they slowly will die away. I believe that some sort of regional competition with national or semi-national play-offs would be the way to go. When a competition has difficulty in meeting its basic commitments in as far as travel and basic administrative expenses, to me the warning is there that it is not a viable competition. It is difficult to leave the soccer politics out of it, but it is something all people concerned must do if we are going to be serious about improving our soccer competition at the top level. That is one of the challenges facing the ASF, simultaneously with its own restructure. It's something that has to be seriously challenged. I believe we are at the stage now where we can no longer put it off. Changes will be needed for 1989.

CONGRATULATIONS MAROONS

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Sir,

I would like to congratulate Bruce Stowell and his excellent squad on their very impressive performance against NSW last Monday.

It was an extremely entertaining game played at a very high standard by professional sportsmen from both sides of the border.

What a pity the efforts of the Queensland players went unnoticed by the southern power-brokers.

Perhaps the only disappointing aspect of the game was that Queensland will never be given the recognition their fine victory deserved.

Maybe in the future we can gain additional credibility from our southern counterparts if we can engage neutral officials. This is not intended to downgrade our own referees, but merely a strategy to record future Queensland victories indelibly on the minds of officials who make the decisions when it comes to selecting national teams.

Congratulations Bruce Stowell and your fine squad,

**ROSS MELVILLE,
MacGregor**



NSW goalkeeper Tony Franken palms away another Queensland attempt during the interstate clash at Perry Park last Monday. The Maroons won 1-0.

KIWIS TO 'STEAL' SAUDIS?

Queensland's hopes of playing the exciting Saudi Arabia team before next month's \$156,000 Gold Cup may be thwarted by the New Zealand Football Association.

The NZFA is awaiting a final decision from the Saudi Arabian team on whether it wants to play the All Whites in two matches.

The Saudis are currently based in Melbourne preparing for Gold Cup tournament which also features the Soceroos, Argentina and Brazil.

The QSF has issued an invitation for the Saudis to play Queensland in a warm-up game, pending the finalisation of financial aspects of their trip north.

But New Zealand also is keen to play Saudi Arabia and the NZFA international committee has put a proposal to the Middle East team, although it is understood the arrangements ensure the NZFA little financial risk.

Meanwhile, the NZFA international committee is expected to report to the NZFA council meeting in Auckland with its new international calendar.

The calendar is expected to include matches against Australia in the annual Winfield Trans-Tasman series and the World Cup round fixtures.

With a series against Brazil having been cancelled, the NZFA is looking at alternative fixtures leading up to the All Whites' home and away series against Papua New Guinea in the World Cup qualifying rounds at the end of the year.

NORTH COLTS WIN

Brisbane North Colts beat Brisbane South Colts 1-0 in the curtain-raiser match prior to the interstate game at Perry Park last Monday. In an exciting match which featured some of Brisbane's most promising young players, North dominated and could have finished the game with a much healthier winning margin.

THOMMO



with
ERIC THOMPSON

TALKING

There were just three highlights in the interstate clash with New South Wales last week that in their own way, just about summed up the whole day.

Jason Kearton's save off Farina in the 86th minute, the best of many fine efforts by the 18-year-old during the match, surely proved to NSW coach Alan Vest, who will report back to Frank Arok, that the Lions youngster is the best goal-keeping prospect in Australia.

That's great for Kearton, but won't do Queensland any good, when Lions get relegated at the end of the season. Frank Arok will invite Kearton into an Australian squad and then tell him if he hopes to retain the place he will have to move to another NSL club. And I'll bet Frank might just have a St. George contract in his back pocket.

The biggest cheer of the match came when Mark Brusasco was substituted.

That highlighted two things. Many people at the game are totally ignorant of the game, or just ignorant for the matter, and they were bored.

To jeer Brusasco just because he is someone's son is pointless and gutless. If they are not happy with Ian Brusasco, then he can quite easily be removed at the annual general meeting. Abusing his son is nothing more than a cheap shot.

The fact that Brusasco's substitution produced the loudest roar of the game showed that the fans were bored. They had nothing to cheer about, and Queensland were winning! It seems to me the whole point of the exercise has been lost and the interstate game has now become a nothing affair. We could have won 10-0 last Monday and most in Australian soccer, and many in Queensland soccer for that matter couldn't have cared less.

The idea of interstate football is right, but the promotion and point of the exercise has to be urgently reviewed.

The final highlight was the send-off of Frank Farina.

That was the last straw in a display of crazy officialdom, and Gordon Nicholson was not the only one at fault. At one stage I thought Bill Monteverde had lost his flag.

If we expect to gain any credibility from interstate games, we have got to have the best officials. And if they are from Sydney or Melbourne, then so be it.

Last year, I missed the interstate game because I stayed home to mow the lawn. Unless things change, I think that's what I'll do next year.

For the many who are now thoroughly disillusioned with the standard of this season's XXXX League, the best football entertainment this weekend will be at Proud Field on Saturday night when the Ridge host Pine Rivers. It will be a rare chance to see two sides who want to play football.

Just what kind of competition is the National League running?

First we learn that the 14 clubs have got to pay \$7000 each to meet debts, which means they must be at least \$100,000 in the red and now they can't even decide when to play matches.

Last week the NSL demanded Lions play Leichhardt on Wednesday or Thursday of this week then at the last minute, we find that because of unsuitable flight bookings, the match is off and now will be played on Friday, June 24. I would have expected the smart thing to do would have been to check everything before announcing when the game would be played.

Lions wouldn't have got anyone to Richlands on a Thursday night anyway, but how are fans expected to turn up if the NSL keeps them guessing as to when the games are really on.

CSR Gyprock

The Plasterboard

MAJOR SPONSORS OF CROATIA SOCCER CLUB

Croatia was soundly defeated in all XXXX grades against Coalstars with the Third team losing 1-5, the Colts 1-3, the Reserves 0-5 and the first team going down 0-3 to the powerful and motivated home side.

This was by far the worst display of the season by Croatia with evidence of lack of commitment or will to win.

It would appear Croatia first team players must have all been up the previous night watching the European championship matches as their attitude was one of no running. Had it not been for Brett Beves, the score could have been at least double.

The game was played at a rapid pace with Coalstars taking the lead in the 20th minute through a corner which was nicely filcked on by Mark Brusasco for Calvin Daunt to head home from close range. Croatia made a few chances with near misses by Sam Dean and Joe Stipanovic in the 43rd minute Coalstars were awarded a penalty and Daunt made no mistake, giving the home team a 2-0 halftime lead.

There were sharp words at the interval by the Croatia coach and in the second half the Croatia team came out with an improved attitude. However the powerful Coalstars were impregnable.

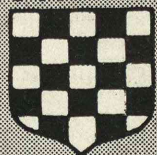
In the 86th minute Brusasco scored a fine goal after good headwork by Daunt inside the Croatia penalty area. Young Chris Slater and Andy Ogden supported the two powerful Coalstars strikers well all day.

Our best wishes to Mal Leko, the Reserves keeper, who broke his leg under somewhat dubious circumstances last weekend. Every one wishes Mal a speedy recovery.

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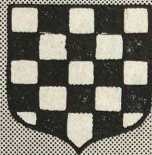
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club news

KINGSRIDGE

Kingsridge Division Three played host to the University of Queensland at home last Saturday, fresh from a midweek 4-1 win over Tumbulgum in the first round of the 1988 Qantas Cup.

A favourable result from the preceding night's fixture when Souths defeated Lutwyche 2-1 meant Kings knew they had to win to go clear leaders in the League.

Kings started well and 10 minutes into the game it appeared Tom Watson

had opened the scoring. However the ball had gone only inches wide and into the side netting.

From then on Uni were out to repeat their first round win and spoil Kings' normal free-flowing and attacking game. They did, and there was no score at the break.

Twelve minutes into the second half, Mick Preston scored for Kingsridge when he headed a Watson freekick past the keeper and into the net. Kings kept the pressure on for the rest of the half but could not add to the score. With only minutes to go, and the players and crowd thinking Kings had done enough to get full points, some poor marking let Uni in to grab an equaliser.

Coach Mickey Rooney said after the game: "We only deserved the point we got".

In the early game, Billy MacFarlane scored both goals in Kings' 2-1 win. The Reserves are also through to the next round of the Qantas Cup following their 7-0 win over Woombye last Wednesday.

On Sunday against Uni, the Kings Division Six came back from three goals down at halftime to go down fighting 3-2 and were unlucky not to salvage a draw.

Kingsridge United Senior Soccer Club laments the passing of their late vice-president, Mr. Terence Leworthy, last Thursday. Terry was a loyal and hard-working member of the "Kingsridge Sporting Community", being a past vice-president of the Kingsridge Sports Club and a life member and past committee member of the Kingsridge Junior Soccer Club. He worked tirelessly and will be sadly missed, the committee and players wish to extend their deepest sympathies to his wife Elizabeth, son Richard and daughters Kim and Kerry.

BAYSIDE'S 27 IS A RECORD

The Bayside United Junior Colts team have re-written the club record books following a 27-0 victory last weekend.

In beating Albany Creek the Bayside Colts bettered the record number of goals in any match featuring one of the club's team. Bayside's record win was a 20-0 victory (then under the club's previous name Wondall) while the record loss is a 0-17 defeat.

The 27-0 victory took the Bayside Colts to equal top in their division and helped celebrate the club's move to their new ground and the opening of their new clubhouse.

Those that featured prominently in the goal-scoring included Brendan Smith, who netted five times and Shaun Lizosain and Mark Draper who got four each. Only two players in the Bayside team missed out on scoring.

TOOWONG

By The Phoenix

Self-inflicted problems figured largely in a 3-2 defeat against Southside Eagles, Toowong's fourth loss in five matches.

These included slack marking which helped Eagles skip to an early 2-0 lead, and fullback Richard Baker's second send-off of the season, at a crucial stage just after half-time with the score 2-1 and Toowong in search of an equaliser.

In addition, Toowong lost flu victim Greg Mesh after 20 minutes and had a 30-metre "goal" by Trevor Bray first awarded by the referee, then disallowed after he had consulted an Eagles club linesman.

On the credit side, Toowong's 10 men staged a tremendous finish and could easily have snatched an equaliser to go with the goals scored by Gary Bray and newcomer Bobby Rushen, who made an impressive debut.

At the other end, the best of several fine second-half saves by goalkeeper Kosy Varfis was a magnificent full-length dive to stop a firmly struck penalty.

The reserves, battling to keep alive their flickering top-four hopes, overcame the shock of conceding an early goal to fight back for a 1-1 draw.

Sparked by John Green's second-half equaliser, as well as solid performances by midfielder Terry Kearney and substitutes Dirk Lootens and Max Magnussen, Toowong finished strongly and were a shade unlucky not to clinch three points.

In midweek, the top side made an early exit from the Qantas Cup with a 5-0 loss to Twin Towns. This time there were no excuses against opponents who were simply far too good on the night.

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 the 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: Loganholme 13, Annerley, Slacks Ck. 10, Mooroondu 7, Capalaba, St. Helens 6, Mt. Gravatt, Lions 5, Ipswich C. 4: Coalstars 2. **DIV. 2:** Rochedale, Redlands, Beenleigh 10, Sths. Utd., Slacks Ck. 8, Loganholme, Kingsridge 6, Capalaba, Easts 3, Leichhardt 2. **WALLABIES:** Wynnum 12, Souths Utd., Bayside 10. **WALLABIES:** 9, Camira 8, Loganholme 6, S.S. Eagles 4: Annerley, Capalaba 3, St. Helens 1. **VIPERS:** Loganholme 13, Bayside (2) 11, Beenleigh, Tudor R. 10, Mooroondu 6, Rochedale 5, Slacks Ck., Bayside (1) 4, Redlands 3. **TAIPANS:** Bayside 14, Rochedale 11, Souths Utd. 9, Capalaba 8, Wynnum 7, Clairvaux, Mooroondu 6, Loganholme 3, Redlands 2. **COBRAS:** Centenary 14, Souths Utd. 12, Acacia Ridge, Oxley 10, Clairvaux, Mt. Gravatt 7, Coalstars 5, Jimboomba 3, Salisbury 1, Kingsridge 1. **ADDERS:** Centenary (1) 14, Goodna 13, Darra, Dinmore, Coalstars 9, Lions 6, Ipswich C., Centenary (2) 4.

UNDER 10 DIV. 1: Souths Utd. 13, Kingsridge 12, Ipswich C. 11, Slacks Ck. 8, Olympic, Beenleigh 6, Coalstars, Rochedale, Mt. Gravatt 4, Annerley 2. **DIV. 2:** Loganholme 14, Salisbury 11, Clairvaux 10, Capalaba 8, Kingsridge, Rochedale, Lions, Mooroondu 5, Redlands 3, Souths Utd. 2. **VIKINGS:** Souths Utd., Loganholme 11, Tudor R., Beenleigh 9, Rochedale, Clairvaux 8, Jimboomba 6, Kingsridge 5, Slacks Ck. 3. **STALWARTS:** Bayside 14, S.S. Eagles 11, Olympic, Clairvaux 10, Slacks Ck. 8, Logan City, Loganholme 5, Souths Utd. 4, Easts 2. **DYNAMOS:** Acacia Ridge 14, Camira 13, St. Helens 8, Ipswich C. 7, Dinmore 6, Centenary 2.

UNDER 11 DIV. 1: Kingsridge 13, Beenleigh, Clairvaux 10, Slacks Ck. 8, Rochedale 7, Redlands 6, Coalstars, Souths Utd. 5, Annerley, Jimboomba 3. **DIV. 2:** Camira 17, Capalaba 15, St. Helens 12, S.S. Eagles 10, Bayside, Inala C. 8, Loganholme 7, Tudor R., Mooroondu 6, Slacks Ck., Easts 4, Rochedale 3. **RAIDERS:** Mt. Gravatt 18, Olympic 16, Centenary 12, Coalstars 11, Goodna 9, Oxley 8, Capalaba 7, Clairvaux, Rochedale 6, Camira, Annerley 4, Greenbank 1. **WARRIORS:** Centenary 14, Capalaba, Kingsridge, Wynnum 10, Redlands 8, Slacks Ck., Souths Utd. 7, Coalstars 4, Beenleigh 0.

UNDER 12 DIV. 1: Beenleigh 12, Slacks Ck., Souths Utd. 10, Rochedale, Coalstars 9, Mt. Gravatt 8, Olympic 6, Jimboomba 4, Kingsridge 2, Annerley 0. **DIV. 2:** Mt. Gravatt, Beenleigh, Redlands 12, Rochedale, Wynnum 8, Slacks Ck. 6, Easts, Salisbury 5, Mooroondu 2. **SPARTANS:** Clairvaux 13, Capalaba, Beenleigh 12, Loganholme 10, Mt. Gravatt 7, Logan C. 6, Kingsridge, Souths Utd. 4, Slacks Ck. 2. **CENTURIANS:** Acacia R., Camira 13, Greenbank 12, Leichhardt, Coalstars 8, Centenary 7, Lions 4, S.S. Eagles 3.

UNDER 13 DIV. 1: Slacks Ck. 14, Coalstars 11, Kingsridge 9, Beenleigh, Darra 7, St. Helens 4, Capalaba 2. **DIV. 2:** Rochedale 11, Lions, Wynnum 10, Souths Utd., Loganholme 9, Mt. Gravatt 8, Bayside, Mooroondu 5, Redlands 1, Annerley 0. **DIV. 3:** Clairvaux 18, Centenary 15, Beenleigh 14, Kingsridge 9, Loganholme 7, Ipswich C. 5, Inala C. 4.

UNDER 14 DIV. 1: Goodna 13, Mt. Gravatt 9, Coalstars 8, Slacks Ck., Capalaba 7, Beenleigh, St. Helens, Rochedale 5, Lions 2. **DIV. 2:** Clairvaux 17, Annerley, Olympic 14, Loganholme 9, Easts 6, Jimboomba, Mooroondu 5, Mt. Gravatt 2. **DIV. 3:** Centenary 18, Bayside, Goodna 13, Capalaba 10, Souths 11, Logan C. 4, Acacia R. 3.

UNDER 15 DIV. 1: Slacks Ck. 12, Mt. Gravatt, Clairvaux 9, Souths 8, Wynnum 7, Rochedale 6, Lions 4, Bayside 2, Acacia R. 1. **DIV. 2:** Capalaba 14, Coalstars 12, Kingsridge, Croatia 9, Loganholme 8, Lions 7, Beenleigh 6, Redlands 3, Centenary 2.

COLTS DIV. 1: Lions 13, North Pine 12, North Star 10, Pine Hills 9, Kingsridge 6, Mt. Gravatt 5, The Gap 4, Inala C. 2. **DIV. 2:** Olympic 11, Grange T. 10, Beenleigh 8, Virginia 7, Rochedale, Taranga, Brisbane Azzurri 6, Albany Ck. 4, Pine R. 2, St. Helens 0. **DIV. 3:** Bayside 12, Capalaba 11, Coalstars, Rodelu 9, Westside 7, Kenmore 6, Bardon, Albany Ck. 4, Greenbank 2, Newmarket 0.

AMPOL GETS U14's GOING

Big things are happening at Rochedale Rovers this coming weekend when the club, in conjunction with the Brisbane Southern Districts Junior Soccer Association will host the 1988 AMPOL under-14 State championships on behalf of the Queensland Junior Soccer Council.

Opening day events start at 9 a.m. with a band-led March past of the nine representative teams taking part, plus squads of Club players.

Radio 4EB's Soccer World programme will be broadcast direct from the grounds commencing at 9.30 a.m. Special guest on the show will be Harry Linning who has been involved in schoolboy and Club Soccer for over sixty years.

The Harry Linning Cup competition starts on Sunday June 19 at Pine Rivers Club. Other entertainment at the under-14 titles will be a competition offering the chance to win six soccer balls plus other prizes.

Junior Championship matches postponed on Sunday June 5 due to wet weather will now be played on Sunday June 19. Teams involved should contact their Club secretaries for any changes to times and field locations.

BRISBANE NORTH TABLES NEXT WEEK

MITCHELTON STABLETALK

DIVISION TWO:

Mitchelton 2 v Valley Trident 2

It took only 52 seconds for Valley Trident to convert a freekick while we seemed to be still in bed. They went further ahead in the 18th minute when a rebound off the post was put away with our keeper wrong footed. An uneven bounce in the 31st minute saw our first real chance following good pressure, but the shot hit the upright. Five minutes later Brett McDonald ran onto a good through ball and made no mistake. They had the misfortune to see a red card shown but as it was only one minute before lemons, the pressure was not so great, and their audible halftime talk left no doubt what their coach wanted.

Four minutes after the restart, "Macca" came close to chipping their keeper but finger-tip control denied the equaliser. Three yellow cards were shown in 12 minutes to mar the middle of the second half and another finger-tip save by their keeper denied John Russell a headed goal in the 68th minute. We were again denied by a good save in the 71st minute. The sides were evened up in injury when we had a player sent off.

Garth Moloney converted a spotkick three and a half minutes into injury time to make the final score 2-2.

RESERVES:

Mitchelton 2 v Valley Trident 1

This game was considerably extended by injuries with almost six minutes extra time in the first half. The first goal came

DIVISION TWO:

Valley Trident 2 v Mitchelton 2

In this game we took the initiative and in the third minute from a freekick Dave "The Doog" Melia squared the ball for Paul Borg, whose shot was saved. But the rebound fell to the oncoming Peter Carey who gave the keeper no chance. This was the best start we have had this season, and with everyone running hot, we were able to go further ahead when Carey's shot hit the post and Borg slotted away the rebound for his first goal in his first team debut. In the 40th minute Paul Antonelli took a goalkick which went short and the Mitchy left winger had little trouble beating our stranded defence and the keeper to score.

With only a minute remaining to half-time, Enzo Cupo was sent-off for what I consider the first of the referee's bad decisions. This particular incident in my opinion deserved a yellow card at the worst and certainly not a send-off.

In the second half the 10 men came out

in the 28th minute after a re-start. A good ball to their right with our keeper drawn and a low shot to the far corner found the net well. Nine minutes later good build up in midfield put David Wallace away and with good control he beat their keeper to equalise. What had been a fairly even struggle was decided by Graham Edmunds pouncing on a bad back pass to put away the winner with only five minutes to go.

THIRD GRADE:

Mitchelton 7 v Valley Trident 0

A third minute infringement in the box saw Ron Kidd put away a good penalty to open our account. Five minutes later a snap shot from 30 yards caught Ian Walsh but quick reflexes saw him palm it away for a corner. Another five minutes and Mark Cruse received from good build-up and put it low left under their keeper's hand. Kevin Jones put our third goal over the keeper with three minutes to lemons.

Two minutes after the re-start Gary Simpson received a good ball with the keeper off his line and an easy chip made it 4-0. An attack on our left wing in the 71st minute was centred to Kevin Jones and he put away his second. Four minutes later "Cruiser" received a cross from Simpson and he equalled Jones' tally.

VALLEY TRIDENT

attacking and all they got was hacking. Peter Carey was chopped twice by the same fellow but the referee was either blind or just ignorant because the offending player was not shown a card of any colour. In the 55th minute Antonelli made a great save. The 10-man were quite competitive as they put the pressure on and had a goal disallowed for offside. In the 77th minute our defence was caught and a shot on goal was miraculously saved as was the rebound while their third attempt was cleared off the line. Mitchelton kept the pressure on and in the dying stages of the game John Russell was sent-off for fouling the keeper. In the last minute the referee awarded Mitchelton a very dubious penalty when two players hit our keeper and the ball was chested and cleared of the line. To put so much into the game and then be robbed by a bad decision is what upsets not only the players, but also the spectators.

THE XXXX REPORT

The Classic Aussie beer

NORTH STAR 2 v MOUNT GRAVATT 0 (1-0) at O'Callaghan Park

SCORERS: North Star: own goal, Alan Marley
 MAN OF THE MATCH: Billy Williamson (North Star)

NORTH STAR: Gallagher 7, M. Greer 6, Williamson 8, Lobwein 6, Buchanan 6, R. Swan 6, K. Swan 6, P. Fagan 6, McDonagh 5 (P. Mulvey 5), Marley 7, Lindsay 7.
 Coach: Iain Fagan.

MOUNT GRAVATT: Dunlop 7, Hairsine 5, Peachey 5, Costa 6, Butler 7, Tonel 6, M. Mulvey 6, Baldassi 6, Dickson 6 (Boyd 5), MacNicol 6, Pollock 6.
 Coach: Ian Steele.

Referee: Alan Kibbler 7.

ROCHEDALE R. 0 v IPSWICH UTD. 1 (0-1) at Underwood Park

SCORER: Ipswich Utd.: Glen Gibb
 MAN OF THE MATCH: Nev O'Sullivan (Ipswich Utd.)

ROCHEDALE: S. Elwood 6, I. Grocott 6, Blakely 7, Donald 6, M. McClure 6, (Gooding 6), P. Grocott 6, Clarkson 7, Cootes 6, Low 7, J. Kelly 7, S. Greer 5 (Bearman 5). Coach: John Reid.

IPSWICH UTD.: P. McClure 7, Broome 7, J. Dann 6, McKenna 6, Graham 8, O'Sullivan 8, McKeand 7, Beckwith 7, Bradford 6, B. Smith 6, Gibb 6.
 Coach: Fred Robins.

Referee: Neil Bennett 5.

EASTS 3 v GRANGE THISTLE 1 (3-1) at Heath Park

SCORERS: Easts: Wayne Corbett, Bill McDermott, Tony Kane
 Grange T.: Nigel Mather

MAN OF THE MATCH: Colin Phelan (Easts)

EASTS: Mewburn 7, Melville 7, Scott 7, Stein 7, Grodum 7, Phelan 8, P. Thompson 6, W. Corbett 6, McDermott 7 (Patterson 6), Kane 7 (Redmond 6), Freiberg 6.
 Coach: John Sime.

GRANGE THISTLE: R. Smith 5, Ribone 7, J. Wilson 7, G. Heiner 7, Walker 6, D. Heiner 6, Jasch 5, Ayuib 6, Rackley 7, Sommerville 6 (Moli 6), Mather 6 (Bryant 5). Coach: Steve Dolan.

Referee: Morrie Dellar 6.

COALSTARS 3 v BRIS. CROATIA 0 (2-0) at Bundamba

SCORERS: Coalstars: Calvin Daunt 2 inc. pen., Mark Brusasco
 MAN OF THE MATCH: Alan McFarlane (Coalstars)

COALSTARS: Wishart 7, McFarlane 8, Barnard 7, Weston 6, Penman 7, Slater 7, Oden 6, Gilbert 6, Dawes 8, Daunt 6, Brusasco 6. Coach: Brian Styles.

BRIS. CROATIA: Beves 6, Moltoni 6, Bozic 6, D. Valle 5, Puselj 6, Gerritsen 6, Burovanov 5 (Ivica 5), Dean 6, M. Kelly 6, Stipancic 7, Cairney 5 (Eslao 5).
 Coach: Tony Ecimovic.

Referee: Henry Marron 6.

OLYMPIC UTD. 2 v REDLANDS UTD. 0 (0-0) at Goodwin Park

SCORER: Olympic Utd.: Stephen Glockner 2.
 MAN OF THE MATCH: Stephen Glockner (Olympic Utd.)

OLYMPIC UTD.: Petie 7, Moric 7, Tsoumbaris 7, Cernaka 8 (H. Makridakis 7), Mylonas 3, Barry 6, Wilson 7, Strugar 6, Vosuga 7, Glockner 8, Bredahl 7.
 Coach: Ian Johnston.

REDLANDS UTD.: Harrison 7, P. Laycock 6, D. Parson 7, Coleman 6 (Curran 7), D. Corbett 6, M. Millman 8, Carson 6, Davidson 6, Burns 6, G. F. Ireland 6.
 Coach: Steve Perry.

Referee: John James 7.

TARINGA R. 0 v BRISBANE CITY 1 (0-1) at Speare Park

SCORER: Brisbane City: Paddy Dillon
 MAN OF THE MATCH: Chris Fegan (Taringa R.)

TARINGA R.: Lapa 7, McCullough 4 (Schlotterbach 6), Savage 8, Watson 7, Ash 6, Gilroy 5 (Jones 5), Fegan 8, Fairclough 7, Dines 0, Austin 7, Swadling 7.
 Coach: Glenn Davis.

BRISBANE CITY: Woodruffe 7, Cahut 6, Vasquez 7, Guiglielmino 6, Greenhalgh 8, Catalano 6, Burgess 7, Lettieri 7, Howells 8, Cooper 5, Dillon 0. Coach: Matt Carson.
 Referee: Bill Monteverde 3.

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This week's guest tipster is Queensland and Lions midfielder Russell Stewart. Last week's guest, Queensland and Easts player Stein Grodum, scored a success rate of 29%, equalling Phil Mulvey's record low. The success rate, including that in the guests' column, is a progressive average.

WHAT THE EXPERTS THINK . . .

MATCH	GEOFF STEAD	FLOYD NANGREAVE	MARK BRIGDEN	RUSSELL STEWART
XXXX LEAGUE				
Bris. Croatia v Rochedale	DRAW	ROCHEDALE	CROATIA	CROATIA
Ipswich U. v North Star	NTH. STAR	NTH. STAR	NTH. STAR	NTH. STAR
Mt. Gravatt v Bris. City	BRIS. CITY	BRIS. CITY	DRAW	BRIS. CITY
Taringa v Easts	EASTS	DRAW	DRAW	EASTS
Grange T. v Olympic U.	OLYMPIC U.	OLYMPIC U.	GRANGE T.	OLYMPIC U.
Redlands U. v Coalstars	COALSTARS	COALSTARS	COALSTARS	COALSTARS
DIVISION TWO				
Mitchelton v Nerang	NERANG	NERANG	NERANG	NERANG
Newmarket v Capalaba	NEWMARKET	NEWMARKET	NEWMARKET	NEWMARKET
The Gap v Lions	THE GAP	LIONS	DRAW	THE GAP
Acacia R. v Pine R.	DRAW	PINE R.	PINE R.	ACACIA R.
Wynnum v Valley T.	WYNNUM	VALLEY T.	WYNNUM	WYNNUM
Bardon v Inala C.	INALA C.	DRAW	INALA C.	INALA C.
DIVISION THREE				
Redcliffe v Goodna	GOODNA	GOODNA	REDCLIFFE	REDCLIFFE
Willowburn v Kingsridge	DRAW	WILLOWBURN	DRAW	KINGSRIDGE
University v Slacks Ck.	UNIVERSITY	DRAW	SLACKS CK.	SLACKS CK.
Beenleigh v Souths	BEENLEIGH	SOUTHS	BEENLEIGH	SOUTHS
Lutwyche v Oxley	LUTWYCHE	OXLEY	LUTWYCHE	OXLEY
Annerley v St. Albans	ST. ALBANS	ANNERLEY	DRAW	ST. ALBANS
DIVISION FOUR				
RAAF v Leichhardt	RAAF	DRAW	RAAF	RAAF
Albany Ck. v Samford	DRAW	SAMFORD	DRAW	ALBANY CK.
Moggill v Darra	DARRA	MOGGILL	DARRA	DRAW
Brothers v Kenmore	KENMORE	KENMORE	KENMORE	KENMORE
Pine H. v S. Eagles	S. EAGLES	S. EAGLES	DRAW	S. EAGLES
Toowong v Logan C.	TOOWONG	LOGAN CITY	DRAW	TOOWONG
SUCCESS RATE	41%	37%	36%	40%

RADIO RAVINGS . . .

It's time for the Queensland junior soccer titles again and this week's show takes to the road to join the opening of the under 14 competition at Rochedale Rovers ground, Underwood Park.

Join us live as we talk with one of Queensland junior soccer's living legends, Harry Linning — a man who has seen just about every young representative player make their debuts on the way to the big time in the Harry Linning trophy — the annual under 12 carnival for Southern Queensland.

by MARK BRIGDEN and BOB BUTCHARD

Soccer World will have all the latest pickings from our overseas grapevine including snippets from this week's exciting European championships.

We also will review last Monday's interstate soccer win.

Also this weekend, keep up-to-date with the local scene when talk with Rochedale Rovers XXXX League player-coach John Reid. As usual 4EB

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XXXX LEAGUE — ROUND 4 (DEFERRED)

NORTH STAR v BRIS. CROATIA

Referee:

O'Callaghan Pk., Thursday, 8.30 p.m.

TEAMS

NORTH STAR

- 1 D. GALLAGHER
- 2 MARK GREER
- 3 G. BUCHANAN
- 4 B. WILLIAMSON
- 5
- 6 DANNY LOBWEIN
- 7 ROSS SWAN
- 8 PAUL FAGAN
- 9 ALAN MARLEY
- 10 JIM McDONAGH
- 11 PHIL MULVEY
- 12 KEN SWAN
- 13 S. HUMPHRIES
- 14 JUSTIN KILSHAW
- 15 W. McCAULEY
- 16
- 17
- 20 NOEL LORD

Coach: Iain Fagan

BRIS. CROATIA

- 1 BRETT BEVES
- 2 GUIDO MOLTONI
- 3 STEVE PUSELJ
- 4 CLAUDIO VALLE
- 5 DANNY VALLE
- 6 MICK TANKOSIC
- 7 MICK GERRITSEN
- 8 MICK KELLY
- 9 JOE STIPANCIC
- 10 JIM ESLAO
- 11 SAM DEAN
- 12 JOE CAIRNEY
- 13 TOM NOVACK
- 14 V. BUROVANOV
- 15 DRAZEN BOZIC
- 16
- 17
- 20 MLADEN LEKO

Coach: Tony Ecimovic

Scores: H.T. F.T.

Scorers:

Most coaches agree points on the board are better than games in the hand and now North Star faces the tough task of picking up the three pointers in its stockpile of unplayed matches.

And a win in this match will carry the added bonus of all but assuring North Star a place in the President's Cup final against Brisbane City.

The backlog of matches and their good run in the Ampol Cup will mean a hectic time for North Star and will fully test the squad's depths should any injuries be sustained.

But many of the Stars players are seasoned campaigners who will thrive on the tough programme.

Croatia will be looking for this match to get back to winning form after they slumped into old habits in losing to Coalstars last weekend.

Next games: Ipswich U. v Nth. Star
Bris. Croatia v Rochedale.

LIVERPOOL SEE RED

Australia's Craig Johnston believes he is hopeful Liverpool will not go ahead with legal action against him for breach of contract.

But the English champion's chief executive Peter Robinson said: "It appears to be a clear breach of agreement."

Johnston, 27, said last month, a few days before the FA Cup final, he had "fallen out of love" with soccer and wanted to retire from the game and return to Australia, where he grew up.

He said this week he could "not believe" Liverpool may take legal action against him.

"I'm still going home, the thing is I would have been home by now but I haven't sold my house," he said. "I'm putting my family welfare above football not just above Liverpool, but above football, I'm convinced I'm doing the right thing."

Johnston still has a year of his contract to run with Liverpool, who this year comfortably won the English First Division championship.

In the last week Liverpool and Johnston have met to try to resolve the situation.

"We're hoping he will be persuaded to fulfil his contract but if he does not,

contracts are two-sided," Mr. Robinson said. "If on our side we decided not to pay him he would sue us, wouldn't he?"

Robinson said he did not know if Liverpool could claim financial compensation from Johnston.

NSL TABLE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Syd. Croatia	12	2	5	29	23	26	
Marconi	9	6	3	33	15	24	
Sth. Melb.	9	6	4	27	25	24	
Wollongong	9	5	4	26	22	23	
Sunshine	9	4	5	26	23	22	
Melb. Croatia	8	5	6	24	20	21	
Footscray	5	8	6	29	25	18	
Olympic	6	6	7	21	18	18	
Adelaide C.	5	7	7	25	28	17	
Leichhardt	6	4	8	22	27	16	
St. George	6	3	9	28	26	15	
Preston	3	9	7	18	27	15	
Lions	4	3	10	21	33	11	
Brunswick	2	4	12	16	33	8	

LEADING SCORERS

13 goals: F. Farina (Mar.); 11 goals: P. Lewis (Melb. Croa.); W. Spink (Foot.); 8 goals: G. Arnold (Syd. Cro.); M. Lamond (Syd. Cro.); S. Maxwell (Adel. C.).

The Lions-Apija Leichhardt match set down for Thursday, June 16 has been postponed to Friday, June 24 at Richlands.

XXXX LEAGUE — ROUND 13

BRIS. CROATIA v ROCHEDALE R.

Dunn Road, Sunday, 2.45 p.m.

Referee: FRANK TORRISI

TEAMS

BRIS. CROATIA

- 1 BRETT BEVES
- 2 GUIDO MOLTONI
- 3 STEVE PUSELJ
- 4 CLAUDIO VALLE
- 5 DANNY VALLE
- 6 MICK TANKOSIC
- 7 MICK GERRITSEN
- 8 MICK KELLY
- 9 JOE STIPANCIC
- 10 JIM ESLAO
- 11 SAM DEAN
- 12 JOE CAIRNEY
- 13 TOM NOVACK
- 14 V. BUROVANOV
- 15 DRAZEN BOZIC
- 16
- 17
- 20 MLADEN LEKO

Coach: Tony Ecimovic

ROCHEDALE R.

- 1 NIGEL LOWNDS
- 2 S. ARMSTRONG
- 3 DUNCAN BLAKELY
- 4 STEVE DONALD
- 5 NEV GOODING
- 6 PAUL GROCOTT
- 7 M. CLARKSON
- 8 CHRIS COOTES
- 9 JIM KELLY
- 10 CRAIG LOW
- 11 KAI SCHIMKAT
- 12 STUART GREER
- 13 DAVE BEARMAN
- 14 IAN GROCOTT
- 15 NIGEL McCLURE
- 16 JOHN REID
- 17
- 20 STEVE ELWOOD

Coach: John Reid

Scores: H.T. F.T.

Scorers:

Both these teams seemed to have a foot on safe ground until results last weekend.

Rochedale's loss to Ipswich United allowed the Ebbw Vale to climb on level points as Rovers while Croatia's defeat by Coalstars meant their climb away from the danger area came to an abrupt halt. A win in this match would allow the victors some respite from the pressures of the bottom of the table.

Rochedale won the first round clash between these two clubs 3-1, one of their best wins of the season and will be looking to repeat that performance. But Croatia have played some of their best football at home and will not be easy to toss. A draw will do neither team any good, so both have to go for the three points.

Next games: Nth. Star v Croatia (Ampol Cup, June 29)
Redlands v Croatia (July 2)
Rochedale v Mt. Gravatt (June 25)

IPSWICH UTD. v NORTH STAR

Ebbw Vale, Sunday, 2.45 p.m.

Referee: JOHN CONTOUDIOS

TEAMS

IPSWICH U.

- 1 PAUL McCLURE
- 2 NEV O'SULLIVAN
- 3 DALLAS GRAHAM
- 4
- 5 D. McKENNA
- 6 R. McKEAND
- 7 B. KITCHING
- 8
- 9 MATT VOGLER
- 10 PETER VOGLER
- 11 R. BECKWITH
- 12 MARK GOODMAN
- 13 GLEN GIBB
- 14 GEOFF LINDSAY
- 15 K. BROOME
- 16 S. BRADFORD
- 17
- 20 D. POTTER

Coach: Fred Robins

NORTH STAR

- 1 D. GALLAGHER
- 2 MARK GREER
- 3 G. BUCHANAN
- 4 B. WILLIAMSON
- 5
- 6 DANNY LOBWEIN
- 7 ROSS SWAN
- 8 PAUL FAGAN
- 9 ALAN MARLEY
- 10 JIM McDONAGH
- 11 PHIL MULVEY
- 12 KEN SWAN
- 13 S. HUMPHRIES
- 14 JUSTIN KILSHAW
- 15 W. McCAULEY
- 16
- 17
- 20 NOEL LORD

Coach: Iain Fagan

Scores: H.T. F.T.

Scorers:

There now appears light at the end of the survival tunnel for Ipswich United, but they must keep collecting the points.

The much needed three points on top of a couple of consecutive draws has seen Ipswich claw themselves from a distant last to within striking distance of passing last-place onto someone else. But this match looms as a real test of United's ability. While Ipswich United are chasing survival, North Star are chasing Brisbane City and cannot afford to drop points.

Mount Gravatt handed North Star three points on a platter last weekend, but Ipswich United are unlikely to be so charitable. United youngster will be going for his fourth goal in as many matches and could be one to watch.

Next games: Nth. Star v Olympic U. (June 22)
Nth. Star v Croatia (Ampol Cup, June 29)
Bris. City v Ipswich U. (July 3)

MOUNT GRAVATT v BRIS. CITY

Referee: GORDON NICHOLSON

Dittmer Park, Sunday, 2.45 p.m.

TEAMS

MT. GRAVATT	BRISBANE CITY
1 RAY DUNLOP	1 WAYNE EVANS
2 NOEL DAVIS	2 GLENN ARCHER
3 A. BALDASSI	3 IBRO CAHUT
4 DAVE COSTA	4 ROD VASQUEZ
5 DAMIEN BUTLER	5 N. GREENHALGH
6 M. MULVEY	6 LEE HOWELLS
7 MARK HAIRSINE	7 A. CHAPMAN
8 CRAIG DICKSON	8 ALF CATALANO
9 LEN POLLOCK	9 KIERAN COOPER
10 TOM MCGREGOR	10 PADDY DILLON
11 DOMENIC TONEL	11 R. LETTIERI
12 MARK BOYD	12 JON BURGESS
13 ROSS PEACHEY	13 F. GUGLIELMINO
14	14 PHIL KERR
15 BRIAN MacNICOL	15 MARCO MURA
16	16 LEE SCRIGGINS
17	17
20 MARK PICKUP	20 STU WOODRUFFE
Coach: Ian Steele	Coach: Matt Carson

Scores: H.T. F.T.

Scorers:

Both these teams showed a lack of fire power up front in their fixtures last weekend.

Mount Gravatt had much of the possession against North Star but never threatened the goal. They gave away an own goal then got caught on the break for a second. Brisbane City's Paddy Dillon scored a good goal after a fine pass by Lee Howells, but then missed a penalty and in the second half could easily have conceded an equaliser against Taringa.

The Hawks' Ian Steele and City's Matt Carson will undoubtedly be looking for better performances this weekend. A vastly-different looking Mt. Gravatt were unlucky to walk away with nothing against City in the first round and at home are likely to take the game to the visitors. This one could be a footballing feast, if both teams play to their strengths.

Next games: Nerang v Mt. Gravatt (Ampol Cup, June 29)
Nth. Qld. v Bris. City (Ampol Cup, June 25)

TARINGA R. v EASTS

Speare Park, Sunday, 2.45 p.m.

Referee: TONY SLATER

TEAMS

TARINGA R.	EASTS
1 ANDREW LAPA	1 DAVE MEWBURN
2 CHRIS BRAY	2 ALAN MELVILLE
3 DAVID ASH	3
4 MICK SAVAGE	4 CARL SCOTT
5 STEVE WATSON	5 ROD STEIN
6 CARL PETERSEN	6 SCOTT PLAYLE
7 CHRIS FEGAN	7 STEIN GRODUM
8 M. FAIRCLOUGH	8 PHIL REDMOND
9 GREG SWADLING	9 COLIN PHELAN
10 LINDSAY DINES	10 WAYNE CORBETT
11 MARK GILROY	11 B. McDERMOTT
12 R. McCULLOUGH	12 TONY KANE
13 SCHLOTTERBACH	13
14 J. ROBERTSON	14 CRAIG COLLINS
15 J. AUSTIN	15 PAUL MYLONAS
16	16 MARK GERITZ
17	17
20 PETER SPEARE	20 S. BOARDMAN
Coach: Glenn Davis	Coach: John Sime

Scores: H.T. F.T.

Scorers:

For entertainment value, Taringa's last home game against Bris. City was one of the best matches this season.

The match swung from end to end and although City should have sealed the game early on, Taringa showed great determination and fighting qualities to threatened for an equaliser right to the final whistle. Rovers have six of the remaining matches at home and against City they showed that few teams will leave Speare Park with many points.

Easts have hit a purple patch of late, scoring seven goals in two games with the former Wynnum boys Wayne Corbett and Bill McDermott finding the net. The Tigers are well placed to make a real challenge for the title should City drop a few points and this is one game from which the Tigers will be hoping to take maximum points.

But Taringa showed last weekend they never give up, and anything Easts take home, they will have to earn.

GRANGE T. v OLYMPIC UTD.

Referee: BILL MONTEVERDE

Lanham Park, Sunday, 2.45 p.m.

TEAMS

GRANGE T.	OLYMPIC U.
1 ROSS SMITH	1 JON PETIE
2 JOHN RIBONE	2 TSOUMBARIS Snr
3 JOHN WILSON	3 GRAHAM WILSON
4 GARRY HEINER	4 MICK CERNAKA
5 SCOTT WALKER	5 NICK MORIC
6 DARRYL HEINER	6 PAUL BARRY
7 JEFF JASCH	7 ELMER BEDIA
8 A. MOHAMMAD	8 C. VOSUGA
9 PAUL RAMSAY	9 LARS BREDAHL
10 SCOTT RACKLEY	10
11 JACOB MOLI	11 S. GLOCKNER
12 A. SOMMERVILLE	12 A. PHOTINOS
13 JASON BURR	13 M. STRUGAR
14 ANTHONY LEON	14 H. MAKRIDAKIS
15 NICKY BRYANT	15 ANDY LAMBI
16 JOHN RACKLEY	16 BILL MYLONAS
17 PETER FLEMING	19 M. MAKRIDAKIS
20 ANDREW HOBBS	20 M. CALOGERAKIS
Coach: Steve Dolan	Coach: Ian Johnston

Scores: H.T. F.T.

Scorers:

After a bright and promising start to the season, Grange Thistle have come back to the field after two hefty losses in as many weeks.

Steve Dolan's young side is still learning about football at the top level and were never expected to stay among the more experienced pace-setters. But now they must call on all they learned in the first round to ensure their slide does not continue.

Grange Thistle won the corresponding first round fixture 1-0 and this weekend's match probably will be just as close. Olympic's form has been erratic all season but they picked up a much-needed three points last weekend with Stephen Glockner doing all the damage again.

The big striker is looming as an early favourite for the Rothman's medal and no doubt will be chasing goals and three points for his team and himself from this match.

REDLANDS UTD. v COALSTARS

Showgrounds, Sunday, 2.45 p.m.

Referee: ROGER MARSHALL

TEAMS

REDLANDS U.	COALSTARS
1 ROB HARRISON	1 KIM WISHART
2 PAUL LAYCOCK	2 FRANK BYRNE
3 STEVE MITCHELL	3 ALAN McFARLANE
4 D. PARSONS	4 M. McNAUGHTON
5 KEVIN COLEMAN	5 STU WESTON
6 STEVE PERRY	6 MARK GILBERT
7 R. VAN WIN	7 DALE DAWES
8 DARREN CORBETT	8 ANDY OGDEN
9 DON HAWTHORNE	9 CHRIS SLATER
10 RON MILLMAN	10 CALVIN DAUNT
11 IAN CARSON	11 MARK BRUSASCO
12 R. LAYCOCK	13 BRUCE PENMAN
13 GARY IRELAND	14 JON KITCHING
14 STEVE PARSONS	15
15 MARK CURRAN	16 CRAIG THOMPSON
16 STEVE MUELEN	17 TROY CRANNEY
17	18 RICHIE BARNARD
20 NEIL OLIVE	20 BRENT DIFLO
Coach: Steve Perry	Coach: Brian Styles

Scores: H.T. F.T.

Scorers:

This season is fast turning in a repeat of last year for Redlands United with the battle to avoid relegation stretching to the final fixture.

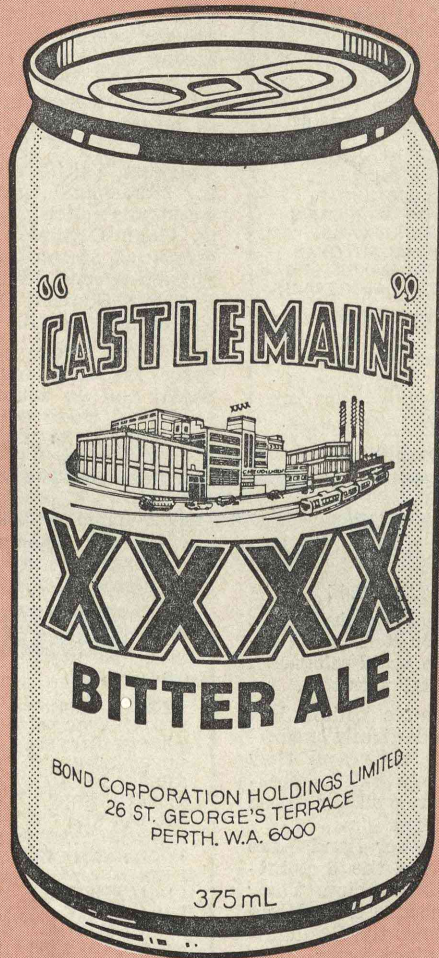
Their loss to Olympic United last weekend kept Redlands firmly entrenched in the danger zone and they must start winning to avoid the prospect of being leapfrogged by those few teams below them.

Coalstars on the other hand have been quietly collecting the 3 pointers and in convincing fashion. Their defence has not conceded a goal and in the past three games the Bundamba side has netted eight times. That looms as real premierships form.

The much-maligned Calvin Daunt is once again ignoring many of his critics and silencing them, as he has done in past season, with an impressive tally of goals and he looks on target to break double figures again.

Next games: Redlands U. v Bris. Cro. (July 2, Perry Park)
Coalstars v Nth. Star (June 26)

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