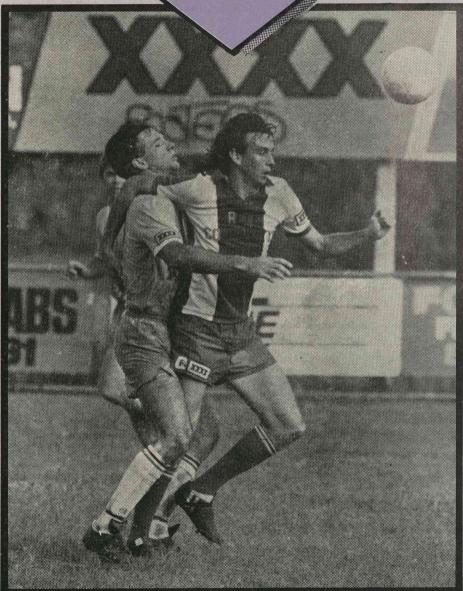
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GO SOCCER

The QSF Council of Clubs next month will be asked to vote on yet another crucial notice of motion which could ensure, or risk, the stability of the code's flag-bearer competition.

The growing likelihood of Brisbane Lions being relegated from the National League has prompted the QSF management committee to proceed with its resolution of December 1 last year, which was later ratified by the Council of Clubs.

The foreshadowed notice of motion, which will now be put to a special general meeting on Tuesday, July 12, calls for an alteration of Section 3, Clause 11 of the Constitution, dealing with promotion and relegation.

The focus will be on the insertion of: "In any year where Queensland has a team in the National Soccer League or any other National League competition conducted by the Australian Soccer Federation and that team is relegated or decides to withdraw from the National competition or the competition ceases to exist, then teams finishing eleventh and twelfth place in Division One in that year shall be relegated. When Queensland is not at any time represented by a team in a National competition then only

IN THE FACE OF A TIGER ATTACK



Action from last weekend's Speare Park clash between Taringa Rovers and Easts which ended in a 1-1 draw. Rovers' keeper Andrew Lapa grabs the ball ahead of the Tigers' striker, Wayne Corbett. The former Wynnum player netted his team's and is in hot pursuit of Brisbane City's Kieran Cooper for the leading scorer title.

the twelfth placed team in Division One shall be relegated".

The move by the QSF management committee, criticised by some as belated, is an attempt to best deal with a delicate situation of which there are many more possible outcomes than most realise. The management committee has attempted to take action to cause the minimum disruption to all competitions. The critics should realise that the management committee is caught in the middle of the alternatives, over which it has no control.

Consider, should Lions be relegated and the XXXX League premiers contest and win the NSL promotion play-offs, the need to relegate two from the XXXX League will not be required. Should the XXXX League premiers contest and win the NSL promotion play-offs, and Lions escape NSL relegation, an EXTRA XXXX League team will have to be found. And the new NSL club would want a Division Two place for its second team!

QSF executive director Alan Vessey has called on the Council of Clubs to vote "with commonsense" at the special general meeting. "It is impossible to write into the constitution every possible outcome," he said.

"If the notice of motion is not accepted and Brisbane Lions happen to be relegated, the constitution will have to be applied as it stands and that will result in a 13-team XXXX League. The commonsense approach is to keep it to 12 teams like all other divisions."

For the notice of motion to become constitutional at the special general meeting it will need 75 percent acceptance. There are 24 full member clubs that together have 48 votes while the 41 other clubs have a vote each. Should all clubs attend and vote, the notice of motion will require 67 votes to become constitutional. Its opponents would need to muster 23 votes to block it.

NEWS REPORT

NEWCOMERS EYE FIRST AMPOL CUP

Six of the eight teams which will play Ampol Cup quarter-finals over the next week have never won the statewide knockout competition.

But the two that have, Brisbane City and North Star, are fast looming as the sides to meet in this year's final. Like all Cups, the Ampol Cup has a tradition of upsets and the quarter-finals are always where the remaining minnows finally get found out, or put up a performance which suggests they could go all the way.

The quarter-final draw is: Saturday: Nth. Queensland Fed. v Brisbane City (Murray Street, Townsville, 7.30 p.m.); Sunday: Toowoomba Fed. v Gold Coast Fed. (Willowburn, Toowoomba, 2.30 p.m.); Wednesday: North Star v Brisbane Croatia (Perry Park, 6.30 p.m.). Nerang v Mt. Gravatt (Perry Park, 8.30 p.m.).

North Star won the Ampol Cup in 1984 and 1985 and were losing finalists to Coalstars in 1986. Brisbane City's last Cup win was in 1977 (then under the name Spencer Park United while the club also lifted the silverware in 1969, 1971, 1974 and 1976.

The Cup has gone to North Queensland twice, but was not won by the federation team. State League side Townsville became the first team outside of south-east Queensland to win the Ampol Cup when it was successful in 1980. Townsville proved the win was no fluke when it won the Cup again in 1982.

Oxley United were the first club to win the Ampol Cup in 1959 and the sponsorship by Ampol Petroleum (Qld) since makes the competition one of the longest continually sponsored statewide knockout competitions in any sport.







If the tip is right, the soon-tocommence Brisbane City marketing man will not be totally unknown to local soccer people.

Were the rumours true that one XXXX League coach's job was on the line if his team didn't win last weekend? They drew.

Don't write Wynnum off yet for the Division Two premiership. In their last four games, the club has scored 51 goals in its three grades — that's an average of more than four a game for each team! In its last four, the Wolves' first team has scored 4, 4, 6 and 5.

Reports are filtering north of NSL club meetings being held without any pre-advice or reports being given to Lions. When it comes to the crunch, they just don't want us in their competition.

Yet another prominent young player is learning a costly lesson about blue forms and contracts. The former state youth rep. is finding a lot of clubs interested, but at this stage of the season, certainly not at the price the selling club is asking.

It was all Irish when the QSF office girls processed the first three appeals which came in last week. The girls started wondering where they were when in quick succession appeals were lodged for Paddy Dillon (Brlsbane City), Roy Smyth (Acacia Ridge) and Sean Armstrong (Rochedale).

Taringa's entrant in this year's Miss Soccer has already caught the eye of a few and is well on the way to ensuring she is one of the biggest fund-raisers.

FRONT COVER: Coalstars' Alan Mc-Farlane (left) and Olympic United's Stephen Glockner clash during the recent double header at Spencer Park. Coalstars on Sunday host the match of the weekend when they play North Star.

EDITORIAL

By Go Soccer Editor GEOFF STEAD

To reject the notice of motion to be put to the special general meeting next month will be an act of suicide.

While ultimately there may be one club which loses its XXXX League status for next season, to vote against the moves aimed at restricting the State's top competition to 12 teams would be a vote against the interests of the code.

If anything, the special general meeting should have been asked to consider reducing the size of the XXXX League.

It has become painfully obvious this season that there are not enough quality players to support a top class 12-team competition in Brisbane. By spreading what is available, unfortunately we are not raising the standard of the others, but dragging down or scaring away the few top-line players we have.

That is not an indictment of the system, but a realisation of overambition. In the re-structuring of several years ago, those administrators involved secretly admitted that an eight-team top league was the best possible solution. But in the pressures which prevailed at the time, they went for a larger league in the

hope that some clubs would realise the ambitions they outlined.

Sadly, that has not happened. There are players getting regular games in XXXX League this season who just a few years ago would have battled to hold a reserve grade place at many top clubs. Furthermore, there are some clubs that have done no more to their ground facilities than the basic maintenance to keep them from being condemned.

Promotion and relegation is a system we have brought on ourselves. While it works fine in the lower divisions where financial outlays are at a minimum, sport of the 80's is an expensive business in the top leagues. And Queensland soccer is in no state to be asking 13 or 14 clubs to make that commitment next year.

It was QSF president Ian Brusasco who five years ago asked the clubs to abandon promotion and relegation in the top division. He was howled down. The management committee once again has given the clubs a chance to at least head the code in the right direction.

By QSF Executive Director ALAN VESSEY

ACROSS MY DESK

The Miss Queensland Soccer quest is underway again and looms as a tremendous fund-raising opportunity for all clubs.

Clubs can use prizes from the federation's sponsors, Qantas and Australian Airlines, as incentives to run their own quests to select an entrant to represent them at the finals.

Each club has been levied \$200 but any funds raised in excess of that is to the club's credit. In a recent Miss Soccer quest, the Newmarket entrant raised more than \$12,000. Last year's winner was North Star entrant, Miss Kim Fulton, who has proved to be a

fine representative for the code.

With the 1988 Miss Queensland Soccer to be named at the Italo-Australian club on August 27, now is the time to become involved.

Any club which requires further information about the quest, or anyone who would like to be involved, is urged to contact the QSF office.

The Miss Soccer quest can be a lot of fun and can prove profitable for a club as well.

FACE FACE

WITH BRISBANE LIONS SECRETARY, LAWRENCE OUDENDYK

GO SOCCER: Given that your side is now five points short of safe ground, what hope does the club still hold of avoiding relegation and are steps being taken to avoid the drop?

LAWRENCE OUDENDYK: While we have eight games remaining there is still some hope. The critical games are ahead of us, against Apia on Friday night and away to Preston. If we can win both those matches, and they are four-pointers, then we may have some chance of avoiding the drop. However, if we don't obtain four points this weekend, I don't think it is feasible anymore. All the steps we could take have been taken. The signing of Frank Cole and John Lowey were our last shots for this season. With the transfer deadline approaching, and not being in a financial enough position to make any more signings, what's there now is it.

GS: How much tougher was it to come back into the NSL after a year in the XXXX League; what mistakes have been made and what have you learned?

LO: It was very tough to come back in. We were surprised by the litting of the standard in the NSL from the two division 1986 format. The League has strengthened incredibly, with even the weaker teams in past years like say Footscray have strengthened quite dramatically. The biggest mistake we made was, in hindsight, going in with a squad that was too light, number-wise. We went in with 15 or 16 players of NSL standard when perhaps we should have had 20 or 21. We found that when the injuries came, and we had a lot of injuries this year and particularly to key players, we didn't have the adequate cover.

GS: The traditional reaction of unsuccessful clubs has been to sack their coach. Is Juan Cutillas' job in any danger and what is the club's policy with regard to next year's coaching position?

LO: We have never considered removing Juan Cutillas this year. We consider he has done the best job he could given the players that were available to him, and the injuries which hit the squad. We have a one-year agreement with him which expires at the end of the season, so we will review next year's position at the end of this year.

GS: To what extent will the club go to retain its talented younger players next year, particularly if you lose NSL status?

LO: Naturally, we would like to keep most of our players, particularly the younger ones. We have to look to the future. But things will be dependent on our financial position at the time and the club's aims.

GS: If Lions are relegated, would the club mount another bid to win its way back into the NSL or do you believe another method of Queensland participation must be found?

LO: It's a very difficult question at this stage of things. Certainly our results have been disappointing this season, and so too have our crowds. Speaking personally, if we do go back into the National League it has to be under a different format to what we had this year and in the past. We must be a broader based team that will appeal to a greater cross-section of the soccer fraternity. But with our history in the National League, I guess we would try to fight our way back.

GS: As a foundation member and a participant for 11 of its 12 years, is Summer Soccer the answer for the NSL, or is a nationwide Australian soccer competition no longer feasible?

LO: I think Summer Soccer will be an assistance to the National League. Our own crowd figures indicate that with the early start this year in January that our crowd figures were up almost double in January, February and March. Once the XXXX League started our crowds halved. It indicates to us that if people are available to watch a match, they will come along and watch one. But if they are involved with their clubs on a weekend, they won't watch NSL. We encouraged the move to Summer Soccer and believe it is a move in the right direction. Whether an NSL is viable in Australia has yet to be shown in 12 years, but you keep plugging away in the hope that it will work.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Sir,

Regardless of the result of the recent interstate clash, the match has left a bitter taste in the mouths of the Caboolture players.

Why does the QSF insist on allocating clubs a set number of tickets and billing them in advance? Does the QAFL, QRU or QRL do this for their showpiece

Small clubs such as ours survive by the hard work of the committee and players. By billing us for interstate match tickets in advance, any unsold tickets are therefore paid for by the club. In our case, this match will cost us the proceeds of four night's raffle sales at the local hotel. Because our club comprises a high proportion of self-employed persons, students and shift workers, it is not always possible to attend these showpiece matches, yet we still have to pay for unused tickets.

The QSF would do well to follow the strategies of the promoters of the Super 6 indoor tournament and offer clubs generous discounts for group bookings, or even offer commissions to clubs for

selling tickets.

It appears as though the smaller clubs again are disadvantaged by the ridiculous practices of the QSF. When the QSF starts to encourage clubs rather than crucify them, maybe we can start to talk about the success of their promotions. Until then it is a case of do as we tell you, or else. Are there any other clubs in the same situation as us? Write to Go Soccer, ROSS WALLACE,

on behalf of the players, Caboolture and Districts Soccer Club.

Dear Sir, Soccer Club.

Despite all the bad publicity which seems to have surrounded soccer lately with the spotlight on hooligans, I have been able to enjoy some top soccer over the past two months which has restored my faith that the game is bigger than a few troublemakers.

I spent six weeks in Northern Ireland and cheered the Old Glens onto a win in the Irish Cup and the League plus two other trophies. A friend of mine who is a great follower of Derry City took me down to see them but unfortunately they were beaten 1-0 by Dusdalk. The match was played in Dublin and was one of the most colourful I have seen in years. What pleased me the most was to see the Derry supporters clapping Dusdalk as they rounded the field after winning. That is the type of sportsmanship which will eventually make the hooligans realise soccer does not want them.

I also saw on TV the Cup finals between Arsenal and Liverpool and Wimbledon which I thought were good results for soccer. But it disappointed me to see in both matches goal-keepers moving long before a penalty was taken. I also saw Ireland v England with England wasting a lot of chances, which showed up again in this week's

European championships.

I didn't get to Perry Park to see Queensland beat NSW, but well done the Maroons. When I saw in the paper the next day the Irish trainer on his knees, I thought it was a picture of Frank Arok. Calling NSW cockroaches is not far wrong. When Mr. Arok can leave Danny Wright and Russell Stewart out of his Australian team, I guess its a bit like the England team — it's time for a new coach, SAM McGREGOR, Inala

P.S.: Sorry I had to remind those at Acacia Ridge that the Glens only won four trophies this year!

Dear Sir.

Why is it whenever Brisbane City do something wrong it is highlighted in your magazine as was the recent paragraph about the supporters giving cheek to Ian Brusasco.

Brisbane City has copped this type of treatment for years. The other week at a carnival against North Star, we were humiliated by remarks from supporters like "Wogs go back home" and "Mafia". How are we expected to behave at matches? When we get called names nobody says anything, but when we say something it is in the papers. It causes us to rebel against teams.

The sooner they stop, then we will stop.

R. LATTANZI

XXXX REPORT RATINGS - ROUND 4

NORTH STAR 3 v BRIS. CROATIA 2 (1-0) at O'Callaghan Park SCORERS: North Star: Paul Fagan, Phil Muivey, Paul Graham.

Bris. Croatia: Mick Kelly, Joe Stipancic

MAN OF THE MATCH: Ken Swan (North Star)

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

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

Referee: Gordon Nicholson 7.

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with ERIC THOMPSON

TALKING

Step right up folks, step right up . . . the annual soccer merry-go-round is about to start up again.

Just when you thought some kind of stability was creeping into the code, off we go again next month with meetings and more upheavals. And if the past is any indication it will again be bigger than Dallas.

A place will have to be found for Lions because they're history. But I'll tip the QSF's well-meaning notice of motion which would have breezed through at a special general meeting at the beginning of the season will next month get rolled.

After that there will be the cries of anguish and all the usual armwaving and head shaking.

And once again soccer will be left to look Queensland sport's real dills.

In trying to find the best way to take Lions back, the QSF management committee is only doing its job. But altering the constitution is only temporarily solving the problem.

The core of the whole dilemma is that Queensland should not be represented in the National League by a club side. I have said it in this column so many times before and I'll say it again, the only chance of ever making a success of the NSL is to have a united Brisbane team.

If our NSL side was a separate entity, then we could plan our XXXX League for the next decade. While it would naturally feed into the NSL team squad, its format would never need to change.

And with Summer Soccer now proposed, the whole thing would work even better.

If we are going to have an NSL team, then as I have said before, we have got to have the best players and the best coach — and that's Bruce Stowell The sooner he gets into a coachmanager situation with Brisbane NSL team, the sooner Queensland soccer will start heading in some kind of positive direction.

Brisbane City president Sam Pappalardo holds the future of Queensland NSL soccer in his hands.

Brisbane City are kidding themselves if they think they can succeed where Lions have failed.

If Brisbane City can win Queensland an NSL place then Pappalardo should hand that place over to the united Brisbane team.

We must have an NSL team next year or by 1990 we will be so far behind we will never catch up. I know only days remain before the transfer deadline, but maybe the QSF and a few clubs can do some fast-footwork and ensure City has access to players to make certain it wins that 1989 NSL place for Queensland soccer.

We must start taking positive steps to decide our own destiny and not become pawns in the larger game of Australian soccer. The way things are this year, even I am starting to get dis-illusioned with the game at certain levels. And when that starts happening there must be a lot of people very, very disgruntled.

Perhaps we didn't hear Lions properly when they asked us to switch our match against Inala City at Proud Field this Friday night to Richlands to be the NSL curtain-raiser. It would have made a lot more sense to play the NSL game as a teaser to the real clash of the night between the Ridge and Inala. They're quite welcome to come down, because either way, we'll still have the biggest crowd.

Linesmen have got to show a little more commonsense when policy offside.

I understand the rules and how they have to be applied. But surely if a player is making a genuine attempt to get back onside and does not come into the play, then there should be no reason to stop an attacking move.

Commonsense prevailed in such a circumstance in the Netherlands-Ireland game last week and was pleasing to see.

DIVISION TWO:

Wynnum 4 v Valley Trident 1:

The game started with end to end play, but in the 15th minute Mohammed Rafiq was injured in Wynnum's half in a heavy tackle from which they gained possession. The referee allowed play to continue with our players appeals going onto deaf ears. While we were disorganised, Wynnum scored. The referee then allowed the player to be treated after which Rafiq was replaced

TOOWONG

By The Phoenix

A sweeping end-to-end move started and superbly finished by Irish newcomer Barry Moran highlighted Toowong's 2-1 victory over Logan C.

Even though Logan led 1-0 at halftime, Toowong controlled play for most of the match and would have won by a much wider margin but for missed chances and a series of excellent saves by the vistors' goal-keeper.

Moran's goal, soon after half-time, was followed within 10 minutes by the winner, scored by sweeper Greg Mesh after a neat dummy by Moran from a free kick floated into the Logan penalty area by midfielder Nigel Wood.

Wood's strong running in midfield, backed by the solid defence of Mesh, John Elliott, Stuart McCrae, Kirk Williams and substitute Nathan McDonald, ensured that Logan had few chances to get back into contention.

Honours for the week, however, went to the reserves for an outstanding effort against Albany Creek's Division 4 team in the Qantas Cup.

In a 100 percent team effort, every Toowong player deserved praise for a performance that had onlookers wondering at times which side was the reserve grade outfit. However, special mention must be made of goalkeeper Sandy Jenner, whose many fine saves helped keep Albany Creek scoreless until the closing stages of a 2-0 defeat.

The team maintained its improved form three days later in a comfortable 3-1 premiership win over Logan, with John Green nettting twice to add to an own goal scored by a Logan defender under pressure from Robert Apolloni.

VALLEY TRIDENT

by Renato Iovenitti. In the 33rd minute Iovenitti nipped in and latched onto a back pass to the keeper but his shot went wide of the goalmouth. With a minute remaining before halftime, Wynnum received a freekick outside of the box and Valley Trident received three yellow cards for not giving 10 yards. The freekick was taken by Geoff Maltby and he beat our wall and the keeper.

Ten minutes into the second half Wynnum got their third. In the 58th minute Paul Antonelli was injured when he received a kick in the kidneys, but the ref did not see that one. Frank Monteverde replaced Antonelli and Valley Trident started stringing together passes between Dave Melia, Lenny Manakus and Shane Rideout chiming in from the back four. But as always the case, with defenders committed into attack, we were caught on the break. In a oneone with Michael Stephenson the Wynnum player outpaced him and beat the keeper for their fourth goal. In the 73rd minute Rideout, who was among those booked in the wall, was sent-off for his tackle was deemed to be foul. Wynnum with an extra man broke through our weakened defence but Frank made a great save. In the 75th minute we received a penalty when the overlapping Stephenson came into the box and was flattened by a Wynnum defender. But the referee didn't see that one either. Manakus put the spot kick into the righthand corner. In the 85th minute Wynnum received a penalty which Monteverde saved brilliantly.

RESERVES:

Valley Trident 0 v Wynnum 4:

The opening stages were tough. In the 44th minute broke our defence to score. Seven minutes into the second half a 30m shot gave Robbie Pagac no chance. Valley Trident attacked in numbers and paid dearly when Wynnum counter-attacked and scored their third goal. Wynnum scored their fourth when Nick Gjokmarkovic, playing sweeper, changed the direction of the ball off a corner and it fell for an oncoming Wynnum player to put into the net.

THIRD GRADE:

Valley Trident 1 v Wynnum 5:

Valley Trident opened the scoring through Michael Scroy but by halftime they were down 1-2. From then on Wynnum outplayed Valley Trident and added another three goals.

DIVISION TWO:

Mitchelton 3 v Nerang 4:

Signs of what we can do were shown in the 14th minute when Garth Moloney chased and intercepted a backpass midfield, crossed to Brett McDonald on the left and his drive found the inside of the far netting after crossing the goalmouth past their keeper. Although it took another 16 minutes, they were able to equalise when they miskicked and still had time to recover and put it away. Changed tactics by Nerang in the second half saw them pumping long balls through right and left to players running wide.

A good cross from their right eight minutes after lemons was taken off our keeper's fingertips and put away to put them in front. Twenty-one minutes later they converted another long ball and yet another one 10 minutes later to make it look like a walkover. However, with only two minutes to go, we came back and a high cross from the left found Moloney who was in to make it 2-4. He made it 3-4 one minute into injury time, but even though we pressed hard for the equaliser, we ran out of time.

RESERVES:

Mitchelton 1 v Nerang 1

We failed to convert a corner in the second minute and put a shot wide in the fifth and by the 15th minute our defence seemed dis-organised under pressure. We did get one shot in before lemons which was well saved and Grant Bryant was called on for a good save three minutes before the break. Four

DIVISION FOUR: Pine Hills 2 v S. Eagles 1

Another fine performance as Pine Hills surge up the table. At the moment everything is going our way and lets hope this trend continues. It was a display characterised by consistency, aggression and determination which earned us the points in this match. Whichever team gave in first was going to lose. Gilbert Bechart opened the account for us when he seized an opportunity to lob the keeper. Fine work in the forwards kept up the pressure on Eagles, but they managed to equalise through a well-driven cross which was neatly put away.

The game became tense for both sides as they frequently attacked each others goals. Alan Boan proved his value up front and scored a fine goal midway through the second half — a goal which still separated the two teams at fulltime. John Atkinson was voted man of the match.

In the next round we have another hard game —against Logan City. Can

MITCHELTON STABLETALK

minutes after the re-start, he was called on again and palmed their penalty shot over the bar. Ten minutes later Graham Edmunds put us in front but Nerang equalised from their right wing with only three minutes to go.

THIRD GRADE: Mitchelton 4 v Nerang 2:

Nothing like a bit of comedy to start a game and a Mitchy official had to be in it, of course. It appears he is the only one who counts heads before the kickoff and the referee ignored his call and started the game with 12 Nerang

players on the park.

In the first 10 minutes, we had one shot just wide of the upright, one over the bar and their keeper bravely took the ball off the runners foot twice. The first goal came in the 16th minute when Richie Puttock put away a rebound and then put away the second three minutes later. In the next 10 minutes we missed two and they broke away to score their first with a good goal. Six minutes later they equalised when a flick converted a good cross. We went to lemons six minutes after Adrian Mancini put us ahead again with a good shot. The only goal in the second half was scored by replacement Darren Hale in the 62nd minute, while we missed another three including a penalty, well saved by their keeper.

PINE HILLS

we repeat our past performances and make it three in a row? I believe we can.

RESERVES:

Pine Hills 1 v S. Eagles 1:

Once again a disappointing performance. It is unfortunate that we seem to play good soccer at training, but not during the match. In my opinion, we need to be more disciplined, we should think about what we should do during the match and strive to fulfill that thought with determination. We need more consistency, constructive talk on the field was rare and the ball was being played in the air instead of the feet on the ground. We can play soccer, lets show it. Get enthusiastic, get aggressive, get motivated. We can win, but only if our minds are willing. Nevertheless, congratulations must go to Gavin Steele for a fine goal and Geoff Nicholson Jnr., who earned man of the match.

GO SOCCER TABLES

XXXX LEAGUE

XXXX RESERVES

	P	W	D	L	F	A	PIS.
Brisbane City	11	9	1	1	30	12	28
North Star	11	8	1	2	28	17	25
Coalstars	12	7	2	3	30	18	23
Easts	12	6	3	3	25	15	21
Taringa R.	13	5	2	6	26	21	17
Olympic U.	11	5	1	5	12	9	16
Grange Thistle	13	4	4	5	16	21	16
Mount Gravatt	12	4	3	5	20	23	15
Bris. Croatia	13	4	1	8	15	31	13
Rochedale R.	12	3	2	7	12	20	11
Redlands U.	13	3	2	8	13	29	11
Ipswich U.	13	2	4	7	18	29	10

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Grange Thistle	12	9	3	-	31	7	30
Brisbane City	10	8	1	1	34	9	25
Coalstars	11	7	1	3	35	16	22
Redlands U.	13	6	4	3	23	29	22
Taringa R.	12	5	2	5	21	22	17
Ipswich U.	13	5	2	6	20	23	17
Rochedale R.	12	5	1	6	20	25	16
North Star	10	5	_	5	23	13	15
Mount Gravatt	12	5	_	7	17	21	15
Olympic U.	10	3	2	5	15	20	11
Easts	12	2	3	7	16	29	9
Bris. Croatia	13	_	ĭ	12	5	46	1

XXXX LEAGUE LEADING SCORERS

13 goals: Kieran Cooper (Bris C); 11 goals: Wayne Corbett (Eas); 8 goals: Jim McDonagh (Nth St) Calvin Daunt (Coal); 7 goals: Mark Brusasco (Coal), Mark Gilroy (Tar), Scott Rackley (G This); 6 goals: Stephen Glockner (Oly U), Gary F. Ireland (Red), Michael Clarkson (Roch), Lindsay Dines (Tar), B. Kitching (Ips U); 5 goals: Glen Gibb (Ips U), Mick Kelly (B Cro), Bill McDermott (Eas), Chris Fegan (Tar); 4 goals: Paul Fagan (Nth St). Simon Ireland (Mt Gr), Tom McGregor (Mt Gr).

XXXX THIRDS

	P	W	D	L	F	AI	Pts.	
Grange Thistle	11	9	2	_	44	3	29	
Easts	13	9	1	3	32	16	28	
Rochedale R.	12	7	3	2	32	12	24	
Taringa R.	12	7	2	3	33	23	23	
North Star	12	6	4	2	41	11	22	
Redlands U.	13	5	4	4	24	24	19	
Coalstars	12	5	2	5	23	18	17	
Mount Gravatt	12	4	4	4	25	19	16	
Brisbane City	12	3	3	6	13	24	12	
Bris. Croatia	11	1	1	-9	8	51	4	
Olympic U.	12	2	1	9	10	40	7	
Ipswich U.	12	_	1	11	14	57	1	

XXXX COLTS

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Brisbane City	12	10	2	_	41	11	32
North Star	13	10	_	3	40	13	30
Bris. Croatia	12	6	2	4	24	21	20
Mount Gravatt	12	5	4	3	25	19	19
Grange Thistle	12	5	3	4	21	13	18
Coalstars	13	4	5	4	18	23	17
Redlands U.	11	4	2	5	13	14	14
Taringa R.	13	3	4	6	24	23	13
Ipswich U.	11	3	2	6	10	24	11
Easts	12	2	4	6	17	35	10
Rochedale R.	12	2	3	7	10	33	9
Olympic U.	13	2	3	8	20	34	9

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.	
Brisbane City	45	30	7	8	118	56	97	
Grange Thistle	45	27	12	9	111	44	94	
North Star	46	29	5	12	132	54	92	
Coalstars	48	23	10	15	106	75	79	
Taringa R.	50	20	10	20	104	89	70	
Easts	49	19	12	19	89	96	69	
Redlands U.	50	18	12	20	73	96	66	
Mount Gravatt	49	18	11	19	87	82	65	
Rochedale R.	49	17	9	20	74	88	60	
Olympio U.	46	12	7	27	57	102	43	
Ipswich U.	49	10	9	30	62	133	39	
Bris. Croatia	49	11	5	33	51	149	38	

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 \$1,000 voucher from Bain Dawes Insurance Pty. Ltd.

The leading scorer at the end of the fixtures will receive a prize as to be announced soon by the Queensland Soccer Federation. In the event of a tie, the winner will be decided on a countback of the most goals scored in one game.

WHERE TO GO THIS WEEKEND

NATIONAL LEAGUE: LIONS v STH. MELB., RICHLANDS, SUNDAY, 2.30 p.m.

XXXX LEAGUE - AMPOL CUP:

SATURDAY ---

U'wood Pk, 8 pm: Rochedale v Mt Gravatt

Bundamba, 2.45 pm: Coalstars v Nth Star Willowburn, 2.30 pm: Toowoomba v Gold Cst **DIVISION TWO:**

ERIDAY -

Proud Fld, 8.30 pm: Acacia R v Inala C

Glennon Pk, 2.45 pm: Nerang v The Gap

DIVISION TWO

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Pine Rivers	13	9	2	2	36	12	29
Acacia Ridge	11	8	3	_	22	4	27
Wynnum	13	6	2	5	29	19	20
Bardon	13	6	1	6	13	16	19
Inala City	11	5	3	3	15	8	18
Nerang	12	5	3	4	20	17	18
Newmarket	13	4	5	4	20	19	17
Lions	12	5	2	5	26	26	17
The Gap	12	4	4	4	16	19	16
Valley Trident	13	3	3	7	15	28	12
Mitchelton	13	3	2	8	16	28	11
Capalaba	12	1	_	11	5	37	3

DIVISION TWO RESERVES

	P	VV	U	L		AI	15.
Inala City	11	11		_	45	7	33
Acacia Ridge	11	9	2	_	33	6	29
Wynnum	13	6	4	3	22	17	22
Pine Rivers	13	5	5	3	31	37	20
Newmarket	13	5	4	4	28	23	19
The Gap	12	6	1	5	25	21	19
Nerang	12	5	2	5	21	17	17
Lions	12	4	4	4	21	23	16
Bardon	13	4	2	7	13	19	14
Mitchelton	13	1	4	8	10	23	7
Valley Trident	13	1	4	8	13	33	7
Capalaba	12	_	2	10	9	45	2
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DIVISION TWO THIRDS

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.	
Wynnum	12	10	2		51	6	32	
Lions	12	9		3	41	20	27	
Mitchelton	13	7	3	3	31	22	24	
Inala City	12	6	4	2	30	12	22	
Acacia Ridge	12	6	2	4	26	15	20	
The Gap	12	6	_	6	22	17	18	
Newmarket	13	4	3	6	21	28	15	
Pine Rivers	13	4	2	7	21	32	14	
Valley Trident	13	3	3	7	20	34	12	
	12	3	1	8	15	38	10	
Capalaba	12	3		9	19	39	9	
Nerang	12	3		9	12	46	9	
Bardon	12	3			12	-10		
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Kingsridge	13	8	1	4	33	13	25
Willowburn	11	8	1	2	23	12	25
Lutwyche U.	13	7	4	2	21	11	25
Annerley	12	5	3	4	16	19	18
Beenleigh	13	6		7	17	23	18
St. Albans	12	5	2	5	22	22	17
Souths U.	12	5	2	5	23	25	17
Redcliffe C.	13	4	4	5	24	21	16
Goodna	11	4	4	3	20	21	16
Slacks Creek	13	4	2	7	18	24	14
University Qld.	11	3	1	7	11	14	10
Oxley U.	12	1	2	9	11	34	!

DIVISION THREE RESERVES

DIVIDION	P	W	D	L	F	AI	Pts.
Souths U.	12	8	3	1	33	13	27
St. Albans	12	8		4	31	13	24
Slacks Creek	13	7	2	4	26	16	23
University Qld.	11	7	2	2	24	6	23
Beenleigh	13	6	5	2	21	17	23
Willowburn	11	7	1	3	25	13	22
	13	6	2	5	21	17	20
Kingsridge	12	6	1	5	14	12	19
Annerley	11	3	2	6	12	16	11
Goodna	12	2	2	8	9	24	8
Oxley U.		1	1	11	7	30	1
Redcliffe C.	13	The Park of the Park	1	11	9	55	-
Lutwyche U.	13	1	1	11		00	
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These tables are unofficial and independently compiled. Errors may occur and any queries regarding placings or tallies should be made to the QSF office, which compiles the official tables.

DIVISION FOUR

	P	W	D	L	F	AI	ots.
Darra	12	10		2	43	17	30
Toowong	12	8	1	3	24	16	25
Kenmore R.	12	7	2	3	26	17	23
Brothers U.	13	7		6	18	19	21
Albany Creek	- 13	7	1	5	27	19	22
S'side Eagles	12	6	2	4	25	18	20
Logan City	12	6	1	5	24	25	19
Pine Hills	12	5	1	6	20	23	16
RAAF	13	3	4	6	19	24	13
Samford U.	13	3	1	9	18	28	10
Moggill U.	12	3	1	8	17	29	10
Loichhardt F	12	2		10	13	39	6

DIVISION FOUR RESERVES

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Darra	12	11	1	_	79	5	34
Pine Hills	12	8	4		33	8	28
Albany Creek	13	6	5	2	29	13	23
Kenmore R.	12	6	2	4	26	15	20
Toowong	12	5	2	5	21	20	17
S'side Eagles	11	5	2	4	12	14	17
Samford U.	12	4	3	5	17	32	15
Moggill U.	12	3	4	5	13	30	13
Brothers U.	12	3	1	8	9	44	10
Logan City	12	3	_	9	16	38	9
RAAF	13	2	3	8	19	43	9
Leichhardt E.	12	2	2	8	12	22	8

DIVISION FIVE

	P	W	D	L	F	AF	ots.
South Star	12	9	2	1	37	14	29
Annerley	13	9	2	2	25	12	29
Western Subs.	12	9	1	2	36	14	28
Salisbury	12	7	3	2	22	9	24
Ind. Yugal	12	7	-	5	43	25	21
Griffith Uni.	11	6	1	4	26	14	19
Virginia	12	6	1	5	22	24	16
Brighton	13	4	2	7	19	36	14
North Pine	12	3	3	6	20	21	12
Ipswich City	13	3	2	8	28	52	11
Westside	13	1	3	9	22	28	6
Bayside U.	13		2	11	7	58	2

DIVISION SIX

	P	W	D	L	-	A	13.
Deception Bay	12	12	_	_	65	15	36
Caboolture	12	10		2	40	21	30
Salisbury	12	10	-	2	41	24	30
University Qld.	12	7	1	4	36	22	22
Wynnum	12	6	2	4	37	34	20
Beenleigh	13	6	7 -20	7	37	28	18
Virginia	12	4	2	6	22	30	14
Newmarket	10	3	2	5	15	29	11
Souths U.	11	3	_	8	13	26	9
Woodridge R.	13	2	3	8	24	50	9
Goodna	12	1	2	9	16	32	5
Kingsridge U.	13	1	2	10	14	49	5

DIVISION SEVEN

	P	W	D	L	F	A	ts.
Acacia Ridge	13	13	_		83	9	39
Darra U.	12	9	1	2	42	13	28
Inala City	12	7	_	5	26	18	21
Ind. Yugal	12	6	2	4	27	24	20
Loganholme	12	5	1	6	36	40	16
Lions	12	4	_	8	18	42	12
Dinmore B.	13	3	_	10	17	65	9
Caboolture	12		1000	12	11	49	0

DIVISION EIGHT

	P	W	D	L	-	A	IS.	
Grange Thistle	12	10	1	1	47	14	28	
North Star	12	7	3	2	39	12	24	
Slacks Creek	12	7	1	4	35	26	22	
Annerley	13	6	3	4	17	25	21	
University Qld.	12	4	1	7	25	32	13	
Oxlev U.	13	4	1	8	20	33	13	
Rochedale R.	12	3	3	6	14	23	12	
Griffith Uni.	12	-	3	9	14	46	3	

BRISBANE NORTH 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: Albany Ck. 13. Newmarket 12. Pin R. The Gap 9. Kenmore 8. Nth. Star 6. Westsid 4. Caboolture 3. DIV. 2: Deception B. 15. Samford 13. Azzurri 11. Redcliffe C. 7. Bardon, Mitchelton 6, Nth. Star 4, Nth. Pine 2. DIV. 3: Pine H. 16, Virginia, Sandgate 10, Pine R. 9. The Gap 8. Moggill 7. Kenmore, Taringa 5. Bracken R., Newmarket 4. DIV. 4: Bribie Is. 14, Margate 13, Redcliffe PCY. Westside 10. Nth. Star 8, Grange T., Mitchelton 7, Cabooltur 5, Albany Ck. 4, Nth. Pine 2. DIV. 5: The Gap 15, Pine H. 13. Taringa, Kenmore 8. Margate 7. Deception B., Brighton 5, Bardon 3, DIV. 6: Samford 13, Pine R. 11, Westside, Bracken R. 10, Albany Ck. 7, Redcliffe PCYC 6, Caboolture 3. DIV. 7: Nth. Star 15. Bardon 13, Virginia 11, Pine H. 8. Mitchelton 7. Kenmore 5. The Gap 3, Mogaill 2.

UNDER 10 DIV. 1: The Gap 15, Pine R. 10, Newmarket, Caboolture 9, Nth. Star 8, Kenmore 6, Albany k. 5, Bracken R. 0.DIV. 2: Westside 15, Tarigna 13, Mitcheton 11, Pine H. 8, Azzurri 7, Grange T. 6, Nth. Pine 4. DIV. 3: Margate, Redcliffe PCYC 14, Nwmarket 9, The Gap 7, Nth. Star, Bardon 6, Samford 5, Westside 1. DIV. 4: Pin R. 14, Bribie Is. 11, Deception B. 8, Toowong, Sandgate, Caboolture 7, Margate 6, Bracken R. 2. DIV. 5: Moggill, Kenmore 14, Albany Ck. 12, Lutwyche 9, Mitchelton, Pine H., Taringa 5, New Farm 16, The Gap 13, Bardon 10, Redcliffe PCYC 9, Westside 6, iPne R. 5, aboolture 3.

UNDER 11 DIV. 1: Caboolture 4, Nth. Star 13, The Gap 10, Newmarket, Pine R. 9, Nth. Pine 6, Grange T. 5. DIV. 2: Deception B 14, Albany Ck. 12, Nth. Star 11, Westside 9, Pine H., Moggill 8, Taringa 2. DIV. 3: Margate 15. Bardon 13. Mit-

chelton 10, The Gap 8, Bracken R., Redcliffe PCYC 6, Newmarket, Azzurri 2. **DIV. 4:** Kenmore 14, Virginia 12, Bribie Is. 11, New Farm, Toowong 10, Redcliffe C. 8, Samford 7, Nth. Pine 4, Albany Ck. 3, aboolture 1. **DIV. 5:** Redcliffe PCYC 13, Nth. Star 12, Brighton 10, Moggill, The Gap. Bardon 7, iPne H., Westside 4.

UNDER 12 DIV. 1: Newmarket 12, aboolture, Westside 11, Nth. Star 9, Moggi,ll Pine H. 8, Pine R. 5. DIV. 2: Deception B. 14, Nth. Star 12, Samford 10, Kenmore, Westside 9, The Gap, St. Pauls 3, Taringa 2. DIV. 3: Toowong 14, Nth. Pine 12, Newmarket, Virginia 11, Mitchelton 10, Ablany Ck. 8, Moggill 7, Pine H. 4, Pine R. 3. DIV. 4: Redcliffe PCYC 14, Sandgate 13, Redcliffe C. 10, aboolture 8, Westside, Samford 6, Bracken R. 5, St. Pauls 0.

UNDER 13 DIV. 1: Pine R. 14, Nth. Star, Azzurri 12, Grang T. 8, The Gap 6, Westside, Caboolture 4. DIV. 2: Margate 14, Samford 11, Nth. Star 9, Bardon, Pine R. 8, Virginia, Mitchelton 6. DIV. 3: Albany Ck. 14, Newmarket, Redcliffe PYC 11, Pine H. 9, Bardon 6, Bribie Is. 5, Brighton 2, The Gap 1.

UNDER 14 DIV. 1: Azzurri, Newmarket A 13, Nth. Star 11, Bardon, Newmarket B 9, Albany Ck. 6, Pine R. 2, Redcliffe C. 1. DIV. 2: Nth. Pine 15, Virginia 14, Kenmore, Pine H. 12, Margate 10, Albany Ck. 9, Westside 8, Taringa, Redcliffe . 6. Bracken R. 4, aboolture 2.

UNDER 15 DIV. 1: Taringa, Nth. Star 14, New-market 10, Albany Ck. 6, Redcliffe C. 4, West-side 0. DIV. 2: Caboolture 17, Azzurri, Deception B. 14, iPne H. 13, Bracken R. 10, Bardon 9, Grange T., Samford 7, Lutwyche 6, Sandgate 3. Westside 2.

BRISBANE SOUTH TABLES NEXT WEEK

MARCHING ALL THE WAY HOME

Marching time caught up with England, Denmark and Spain at the European championship finals which conclude this week.

They returned home after a first round illuminated by the younger legs, faster minds and technical artistry of Italy. The Danes, semi-finalists in 1984 when they were aclaimed as a team of outstanding promise, trailed away to start a new era. England needs to rebuild after a devastating failure overshadowed again by holigan followers, while Spain has to find fresh legs to challenge for the 1990 World Cup finals.

Of the eliminated teams, only Ireland, beaten by the Netherlands when it was just eight minutes from a place in the last four, had cause for celebration. In their first appearance in the finals of a major tournament, the Irishmen supplied romance, excitement and drama as heroic underdogs.

Italy, with a team designed for 1990 by Azeglio Vicini, ousted the Netherlands and hosts West Germany as the chief attraction of the opening round with their skilful, adveturous and accomplished soccer.

TIGERS' FAREWELL

Farewell drinks will be held at Heath Park this Friday night for Tigers players Scott Playle and Phil Redmond.

Playle on Sunday return to Scotland to resume laying with Glasgow Rangers, where he had great success after an Easts-organised trial last year. Redmond is moving soon to Perth, where he has been transferred in his job. Easts officials invite all club members, fellow players and friends of the pair to attend the casual evening.

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The match against Rochedale last Sunday was a game of two halves with Croatia being very dominant in the first half and Rochedale taking control after the break.

Croatia appeared to feel the pressure of playing three games in eight days and in the second half especially showed weary legs. The game commenced at a blistering pace, with Croatia settling into a pattern of controlled and skilful ground play.

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In the 23rd minute, Croatia took the lead through an excellent execution by Mick Kelly who outpaced the Rochedale defence and from 14m out drove the ball into the back of the net.

The Phillipine dynamo Jimmy Eslao and Mick Geritsen worked tirelessly all day and Brett Beves again proved to be a tower of strength in the last line of defence.

At the interval, Croatia led 1-0, however after the resumption of play, Rochedale found a new lease of life and in the 52nd minute levelled the score with a Michael Clarkson goal.

The goal spurred the visitors on and they pressured Croatia for a 20 minute period. But some good defensive work by Drazen Bozic prevented Rochedale from adding to its score.

Croatia's new dressing room facilities are now completed and are a credit to the club and the Community Centre.

The club wishes to extend its best wishes to Joe Cairney who is to undergo a cartilage operation this week. Hope all goes well for you Joe and we look forward to having you back in the team in five weeks.

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THE XXXX REPORT

REDLANDS UTD. 0 v COALSTARS 5 (0-2) at Showgrounds

SCORERS: Coalstars: Mark Brusasco 2. Chris Slater. Dale Dawes. Murray Kitching

MAN OF THE MATCH: Andy Ogden (Coalstars)

REDLANDS UTD: Harrison 6, P. Laycock 7, D. Parsons 6, Perry 7, D. Corbett 5, (White 7), Millman 5 (Hawthorne 7), Carson 5, Bpurns 6, G. F. Ireland 5, Curran 5, Davidson 6. Coach: Steve Perry.

COALSTARS: Wishart 7, Byrne 7 (M. Kitching 6), McFarlane 8, Gilbert 7, (Cranney 6), Dawes 7, Ogden 8, Slater 7, Daunt 7, Brusasco 8, Penman 7, Barnard 7. Coach: Brian Styles.

Referee: Roger Marshall 5.

BRIS. CROATIA 1 v ROCHEDALE R. 1 (1-0) at Dunn Road

SCORERS: Bris. Croatia: Mick Kelly

Rochedale R.: Michael Clarkson

MAN OF THE MATCH: Michael Clarkson (Rochedale R.)

BRIS. CROATIA: Beves 8, Moltoni 6, Dean 7, D. Valle 7, Bozic 7, C. Valle 8, Gerritsen 6, Tankosic 5 (Burovanov 5), Stipancic 6, M. Kelly 8, Eslao 6.

Coach: Tony Ecimovic.

ROCHEDALE R.: S. Elwood 7, S. Greer 8, Gooding 6, Blakely 7, Donald 7, P. Grocott 8, I. Grocott 6, Cootes 7 (Bearman 5), Low 7, J. Kelly 7, Clarkson 8. Coach: John Reid

Referee: Frank Torrisi 6.

MOUNT GRAVATT 2 v BRISBANE CITY 3 (1-3) at Dittmer Park

SCORERS: Mount Gravatt: Attilio Baldassi, Michael Mulvey pen.

Brisbane City: Roberto Lettieri, Kieran Cooper, Lee Howells

MAN OF THE MATCH: Wayne Evans (Brisbane City)

MOUNT GRAVATT: Dunlop 7, Hairsine 7, Butler 6, Peachey 6, Tonel 6, Dickson 6 (Boyd 5), M. Mulvey 6, Baldassi 8, Costa 6, Pollock 6, MacNicol 6.

Coach: Ian Steele. BRISBANE CITY: Evans 8, Archer 6, Vasquez 6, Grenhalgh 7, Guglielmino 6, Burgess 7, Howells 7, Lettieri 6, Catalano 7, Cahut 6, Cooper 6. Coach: Matt Carson.

Referee: Gordon Nicholson 6.

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

SCORERS: Taringa R.: Mark Gilroy Easts: Wayne Corbett

MAN OF THE MATCH: Bill McDermott (Easts)

TARINGA R.: Lapa 7, Schlotterbach 7, Ash 6 (Peterson 7), Savage 7, Watson 6, Austin 6, Fegan 6, Fairclough 7, Swadling 7, Svoboda 6, Gilroy 7.

Coach: Glenn Davis.

EASTS: Mewburn 7, Melville 6 (Geritz 6), Scott 7, Stein 0, Grodum 7, Phelan 7,

W. Corbett 8, McDermott 8, Kane 7 (Redmond 6), P. Thompson 7, Freiberg 6. Coach: John Sime

Referee: Tony Slater 7.

IPSWICH UTD. 2 v NORTH STAR 4 (1-2) at O'Callaghan Park

SCORERS: Ipswich Utd.: Glen Gibb 2 (2 pens.)

North Star: Paul Fagan 2, Alan Marley, Jim McDonagh

MAN OF THE MATCH: Ross Swan (North Star)

IPSWICH UTD.: P. McClure 6, Broome 5, J. Dann 7, McKenna 6, Graham 6, O'Sullivan 5, McKeand 5 (B. Smith 5), Beckwith 6, Bradford 5, Vogler 7, Gibb 7. Coach: Fred Robins.

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

Referee: John Contoudios 6.

GRANGE THISTLE 0 v OLYMPIC UTD. 0 (0-0) at Lanham Park

MAN OF THE MATCH: Ross Smith (Grange T.)

GRANGE THISTLE: R. Smith 6, Ribone 7, G. Heiner 8, Walker 7, D. Heiner 8, Jasch 7, Ayiub 7 (Anthony Somerville 5), Rackley 7, Moli 7 (Ramsay 5), Mather 7.

OLYMPIC UTD.: Petie 7, B. Mylonas 7, Tsoumbaris 7, Cernaka 7, Moric 7, Barry 8, G. Wilson 7, Struggar 7 (H. Makridakis 5), Vosuga 8, Glockner 7, Bredahl 6 (P. Makridakis 5), Coach: Ian Johnston.

Referee: Bill Monteverde 7.

The Classic Aussie beer

This week's guest tipster is Queensland squad and Brisbane Croatia goalkeeper Brett Beves, Last week's guest, Lions' Russell Stewart, scored a success rate of 50%. The record high is held by Steve Perry (64%), the record low by Phil Mulvey and Stein Grodum (29%). The success rate, including that in the guests' column, is a progressive average. *****************

WHAT THE EXPERTS THINK . . .

MATCH XXXX LEAGUE Rochedale v Mt. Gravatt Coalstars v Nth. Star	GEOFF	FLOYD	MARK	BRETT
	STEAD	NANGREAVE	BRIGDEN	BEVES
	MT. GRAVATT	ROCHEDALE	MT. GRAVATT	MT. GRAVATT
	COALSTARS	NTH. STAR	DRAW	DRAW
AMPOL CUP Nth. Qld. v Bris. City Toowoomba v Gold Coast	BRIS. CITY	BRIS. CITY	BRIS. CITY	BRIS. CITY
	GOLD COAST	GOLD COAST	GOLD COAST	GOLD COAST
DIVISION TWO Acacia R. v Inala C. Nerang v The Gap	ACACIA R.	INALA C.	ACACIA R.	ACACIA R.
	NERANG	NERANG	NERANG	NERANG
DIVISION THREE Goodna v Uni Qld.	GOODNA	DRAW	GOODNA	UNIVERSITY
DIVISION FOUR Kenmore v Toowong S. Eagles v Logan C. Leichhardt v Moggill	TOOWONG	KENMORE	DRAW	KENMORE
	DRAW	LOGAN CITY	DRAW	LOGAN CITY
	MOGGILL	MOGGILL	MOGGILL	MOGGILL
DIVISION FIVE Ind. Yugal v Salisbury South Star v Virginia Griffith U. v Nth. Pine	SALISBURY	DRAW	SALISBURY	DRAW
	STH. STAR	VIRGINIA	STH. STAR	STH. STAR
	GRIFFITH U.	GRIFFITH U.	GRIFFITH U.	GRIFFITH U.
DIVISION SIX Wynnum v Souths Virginia v Salisbury Goodna v University Caboolture v Newmarket	CABOOLTURE	DRAW VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY NEWMARKET 40%	WYNNUM SALISBURY UNIVERSITY CABOOLTURE 37%	WYNNUM SALISBURY DRAW NEWMARKET
SUCCESS RATE	50%			CONTRACTOR OF THE PARTY OF THE

Former Brisbane Lions, Coalstars and now Acacia Ridge striker Dave Richardson will be the special guest on Radio 4EB's Soccerworld this by MARK BRIGDEN Saturday morning. and BOB BUTCHARD

Not only will Dave help us review the previous night's Proud Field Look who will give us all the latest clash between the Ridge and Inala City, but he also will discuss Acacia Ridges 25th anniversary celebrations which include a big dinner on Saturday night.

Dave can be heard in the hour-long program which kicks-off at 9.30 a.m. and is the only 60 minutes of radio soccer in Brisbane.

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On this weekends show we also will have top junior soccer official Don tom of the table.

information on the many junior carnivals around the state, including this weeks Ampol Under 14s at Rochedale and the Harry Linning tournament at Pine Rivers.

We will take a look at this weekends crucial Ampol Cup quarterfinals and the two XXXX League catch-up matches which are set to directly affect the top and the bot-

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TEAMS

STH. MELBOURNE LIONS J. KEARTON B. MacLAREN

- A CHMMINGS F. MENGOTTI F LIDDELL
- A. NIVEN D. HUNTER
- J. OGDEN D. CLARKSON F COLF
- G LIGHTBOWN LIOWEY B. DRUERY
- R. STEWART N. MEREDITH
- R B'WAIGHTE D WHEELER
- B. FARROW

Coach: J. CUTILLAS Coach: B. GARVEY

	P	W	D	L	F	AP	ts.
Syd. Croatia	20	13	2	5	31	23	28
Sth. Melb.	20	10	6	4	29	25	26
Marconi	19	9	7	3	35	17	25
Wollongong	19	9	6	4	27	23	24
Sunshine	19	9	4	6	27	26	22
Melb. Croatia	20	8	5	7	24	22	21
Olympic	20	6	7	7	22	19	19
Adelaide C.	20	6	7	7	28	30	19
Footscray	20	5	8	7	31	28	18
St. George	19	7	3	9	31	27	17
Leichhardt	19	6	4	9	22	29	16
Preston	20	3	10	7	20	29	16
Lions	18	4	3	11	21	36	11
Brunswick	19	3	4	12	19	33	10

LEADING SCORERS

13 goals: F. Farina (Mar.); 12 goals: W. Spink (Foot.); 11 goals: P. Lewis (Melb. Cro.); 10 goals: S. Maxwell (Adel. C.); 9 goals: Z. 10 goals: S. Maxwell (Adel. C.); 9 goals: Z. Nastevski (Marc.), G. Arnold (Syd. Cro.); 8 goals: M. Lamond (Syd. Cro.), S. Ollerenshaw (S. Geo.); 7 goals: C. Egan (Brun.), J. Palatsides (Brun.), H. Phillips (Leich.), J. Kosmina (Syd. Oly.), M. Dimovski (Foot.), A. Postecoglou (Sth. Melb.); 6 goals: R. Easthorpé (Woll.), N. Meredith (Lio.).

The match between Lions and Apia-Leichhardt set down for Friday. June, 24, will now be played at Richlands on Friday, July 1.

BRAZIL TO BRING THEIR BEST The Brazilians have pledged their

commitment to the \$156,000 Bicentennial Gold Cup, which kicks-off next month, with a firm statement from the president of the Brazilian Football Confederation (CBF), Mr. Octavio Pinto Guimaraes.

His official statement, released by the Australian Soccer Federation, said:

"We are coming to Australia to win the Bicentennial Gold Cup with a team of our best talents which will be the nucleus of our team to win the gold medal at the Seoul Olympics and, apart from Careca and Julio Cesar, our team to win our fourth World championship in Italy in 1990.

Brazilian football has an enormous capacity to produce many new and great talents with a variety of formations which always produce attractive and winning football. We are coming to Australia, not with old, decayed, veteran players, but with our team for the 1990 World Cup which is just two years away and which we believe we can win.

We are not about to surrender the splendid opportunity to prepare our team against such opposition as world cup holders Argentina, the Saudis, who we know plenty about and Australia

FOR GOLD CUP

with a meaningless team

The team which Carlos Alberto Silva brings to your country will get the applause of the Australian public the same as it did when we won the Sir Stanley Rous Cup in Britain last year beating Scotland 2-0 at Hampden Park with 60,000 spectators and drawing 1-1 against England at Wembley Stadium with 92,000 fans. The world has always been telling the C.B.F. it is not producing its "best" team and that we play "unknown" players in our national selec-

Without our "best" team and "unknown" players we have won the World Cup three times, the world youth championship twice, the Bicentennial Cup in the United States of America, the Silver Medal at the last Olympics and the Fair Play trophy twice at the World Cup. Brazil was crazy, we were told, to take an "unknown" 17 year old to the 1958 World Cup in Sweden - Pele.

I repeat we are coming to Australia with our best selection and intend, as we did in the United States in 1976, to win the Bicentennial Gold Cup."

XXXX LEAGUE POSTPONED FIXTURES

ROCHEDALE R. v MOUNT GRAVATT

Underwood Park, Saturday, 8 p.m.

Rochedale collected a heartening point against fellow battler Brisbane Croatia last weekend and could easily have walked away with three

The young Rovers side finished strongly and a number of players and good opportunities to snatch a winner. While the point was a welcome consolation, it did little to alleviate Rochedale's plight. And with the threat of two being relegated. Rovers are a long way from safe

A week ago, Mount Gravatt were pushing from the top five, but should they lose this one, the Hawks too could find themselves in a desperate scramble to get away from the bottom. Mount Gravatt are playing some good football, but have got to start scoring. If they show ineptitude in front of the net like they did last weekend against City. Rochedale will have a real chance.

Referee: PETER MURRAY

TEAMS

ROCHEDALE R MT GRAVATT

1 NIGEL LOWNDS 2 S. ARMSTRONG 3 DUNCAN BLAKELY 3 A. BALDASSI 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

6 M. MULVEY 7 MARK HAIRSINE 8 CRAIG DICKSON 9 LEN POLLOCK 10 TOM McGREGOR 11 DOMENIC TONEL 12 MARK BOYD 13 ROSS PEACHEY 15 BRIAN MacNICOL

1 RAY DUNI OP

2 NOFL DAVIS

4 DAVE COSTA

5 DAMIEN BUTLER

20 STEVE EL WOOD 20 MARK PICKUP Coach: John Reid Coach: Ian Steele

Scores: H.T. F.T. Scorers:

COALSTARS v NORTH STAR

Bundamba, Sunday, 2.45 p.m.

TEAMS

COALSTARS NORTH STAR 1 KIM WISHART 1 D. GALLAGHER

2 FRANK BYRNE 2 MARK GREER 3 ALAN McFARLANE 3 G. BUCHANAN 4 M. McNAUGHTON 4 B. WILLIAMSON 5 STU WESTON 6 MARK GILBERT 7 DALE DAWES

8 ANDY OGDEN 9 CHRIS SLATER 10 CALVIN DAUNT 11 MARK BRUSASCO 11 PHIL MULVEY 13 BRUCE PENMAN 12 KEN SWAN

14 JON KITCHING

20 BRENT DIFLO

6 DANNY LOBWEIN 7 ROSS SWAN 8 PAUL FAGAN 9 ALAN MARLEY 10 JIM McDONAGH 13 S. HUMPHRIES

14 JUSTIN KILSHAW 16 CRAIG THOMPSON15 W. McCAULEY 17 TROY CRANNEY 16 18 RICHIE BARNARD 17

20 NOEL LORD Coach: Brian Styles Coach: Jain Fagan

Scores: H.T. F.T. Scorers: Referee: TONY SLATER

This is the match that will sort out whether either of these teams are a serious threat to Brisbane City's early claims for the premiership.

Both sides have lurked the middle of the table in the first round, because of unplayed fixtures in North Star's case and a slow start for Coalstars, but if they are going to make a charge they must begin now. Once this game is played, both teams will find themselves having played more games than City. To be still well behind in points would be a disaster.

With that in mind, a draw is out of the question for both teams. It must be win at all cost. North Star played in Ipswich last weekend and netted four times, although a late goal made the 4-2 scoreline more convincing than the performance. This match will be just as tough.

Next games: Nth. Star v Bris. Croatia (Ampol Cup) Nth. Star v Rochedale

Coalstars v Grange T.

AMPOL CUP QUARTER-FINALS - QANTAS CUP

TOOWOOMBA S.F. v GOLD COAST S.F.

Referee: JOHN JAMES

TEAMS

A. ATKINS

D. EDWARDS

D BROWLEY

M SEDANO

D BRUGGY

L. HOSIER

P. DWYER

R LUMB

R. UNDERWOOD

D. ROBERTSON

P. COCKBAIN

J. GEORGEFF

.... M. TREBILCOCK

T deGROOT

Q. TAYLOR

A. FRASER

S. CLARK

TOOWOOMBA S.F. GOLD COAST

- J MAROULIS A. TOLPUTT
- A PHILP B CRONIN
- D KILPATRICK ROBINSON A. KNOBLOCH
- G. CARTER J. ABEL F TUDIC
- A. BLACK S TOLPUTT
- B. CAHLER B. WORLAND D. JONES
- G. SCOTT
- Coach: Ron Wilson Coach: Jim Selby

Scores: H.T. F.T.

Scorers:

Willowburn, Sunday, 2.30 p.m.

These two teams are on the brink of their best-ever Ampol Cup campaign and to advance to the semifinals would be a tremendous achievement for both regional federation

There can be only one winner and that will ensure a thrilling Cup finaltype atmosphere. Most expected Gold Coast to do well after their bold showing in the intercity match against Brisbane but Toowoomba have been the Cup darkhorses.

Their early season preparation in inviting XXXX League teams to Toowoomba for mid-week matches is now paying off but this is their biggest test to date. The home ground and the local support will give Toowoomba a boost but Gold Coast showed in the intercity series and in the early rounds of the Cup that they are a big game side.

There's no second prizes in this match and that should make it a classic.

The Qantas Cup lower division knockout competition is now in full swing with round one and two completed.

Surprisingly, despite the draw pitting teams from varying divisions against each other, there were few outright thrashings and most games were close and sporting affairs.

The biggest early round winners were Darra Division Four who beat Mudgeeraba 8-1 while Kingsridge Division Three Reserves downed Woombye 7-0 and Slacks Ck. Div. 3 Reserves ousted Southside Eagles Div. 4 Reserves 6-0. One match went to penalties, with West Wanderers eliminating Goodna Division Three Reserves 4-3 in the shootout after a 1-1 scoreline.

The early round results were:

Albany Ck. Div. 4 d Toowong Div. 4 Res (2-0): RAAF Div. 4 d Sunshine Cst. Colts (5-2); Uni Old, Div. 3 d Beerwah G. (2-1); Noosa d Uni Old Div 3 Res. (1-0); Grange T. Thirds d Logan C. Div. 4 (2-1); Caboolture Div. 6 d RAAF Div. 4 Res. (5-3); Slacks Ck. Div 3 d Darra Div. 4 Res. (2-0); Darra Div. 4 d Mud-geeraba (8-1); Samford Div. 4 d Salisbury Div. 5 (2-0); Maroochydore d Wynnum Thirds (2-0); Slacks Ck. Div. 3 Res. d Southside Eagles Div. 4 Res. (6-0); Virginia Div. 5 v Broad-beach (not played); Souths Div. 3 d Pine H.



Div. 4 (4-3): Caloundra d Mt. Gravatt Colts (2-1); Goodna Div. 3 d Kenmore Div. 4 (2-0); Bethania d Valley T. Thirds (3-1); Moggill Div. 4 d The Gap Div. 2 (3-0); Redcliffe Div. 3 d Mt. Gravatt Thirds (5-2); Albany Ck. Div. d Res. d Salisbury Div. 6 (2-0); Twin Towns d Toowong Div. 4 (5-0); Kingsridge Div. 3 Res. d Woombye (7-0); Rochedale R. Thirds d Acacia R. Thirds (1-0); Rochedale R. Colts d Taringa Thirds (4-1); Nth. Star Colts d Beenleigh Div. 3 Res. (2-0); Nth. Star Thirds d Beenleigh Div. 3 (1-0); Southside E. Div. 4 d Goodna Div. 6 (4-0); West Wanderers d Goodna Div. 3 Res. (1-1: 4-3 on pens); S'port d Easts Thirds (4-0); Kingsridge Div. 3 d Tumbulgum (4-1); Ind. Yugal Div. 5 d Oxley Div. 3 (3-2); Rockville R. d Musgrave H. (2-0); Annerley Div. 3 d Souths U. Div. 6 (4-1); Souths U. Div. 3 Res. d Inala C. Thirds (2-1); Nth. Pine Div. 5 d Nth. Star Div. 8 (3-2); Deception B. Div. 6 d Oxley U. Div. 3 Res. (3-1); Brighton Div. 5 d Uni. Qld. Div. 6 (2-1); Nambour Reds d Oxley U. Div. 8 (4-0).

The pairings for the next round of matches, to start on Wednesday, July 6, will be published next week.

AMPOL CUP QUARTER-FINALS

NORTH STAR v BRIS, CROATIA

Referee: ALAN KIBBLER

TEAMS

BRIS. CROATIA

1 BRETT BEVES

2 GUIDO MOLTONI

3 STEVE PUSELJ

5 DANNY VALLE

8 MICK KELLY

10 JIM ESLAO

11 SAM DEAN

12 JOE CAIRNEY

13 TOM NOVACK

14 V. BUROVANOV

15 DRAZEN BOZIC

20 MI ADEN LEKO

4 CLAUDIO VALLE

6 MICK TANKOSIC

9 JOE STIPANCIC

7 MICK GERRITSEN

NORTH STAR

1 D GALLAGHER 2 MARK GREED

- 3 G BUCHANAN 4 B. WILLIAMSON
- 6 DANNY LOBWEIN 7 ROSS SWAN 8 PAUL FAGAN
- 9 ALAN MARIEY 10 JIM McDONAGH
- 11 PHIL MULVEY 12 KEN SWAN
- 13 S. HUMPHRIES 14 JUSTIN KILSHAW
- 15 W. McCAULEY
- 20 NOEL LORD
- Coach: Iain Fagan

Coach: Tony Ecimovic

Scores: H.T. F.T.

Scorers:

Perry Park, Wednesday, 6.30 p.m.

This is a replay of the 1985 Ampol Cup final which North Star won 5-0.

Brisbane Croatia, who then played under the name Sunnyside United. will be keen to avenge that defeat and go onto the semi-finals and win the Cup they hoped to lift three years

But in North Star they could not have struck a harder tie. The O'Callaghan Park side are Cup-tie experts and their run of consecutive Cup finals was only broken last year after three finals on the trot.

The lure of the silverware will lift Stars again, but for Croatia the Cup looms as possibly their only chance of glory this season. Croatia let North Star off the hook at O'Callaghan Park a week ago and may have learned from that lesson.

NERANG v MOUNT GRAVATT

Perry Park, Wednesday, 8.30 p.m.

Nerang are the last remaining true giantkillers in this year's Cup competition.

The regional teams were all expected to give a strong account and have far more resources to draw on than those available to Nerang coach Walter Tamandl at the modest Division Two club. To get as far as Gold Coast Federation has been an extra bonus and by kick-off time, Nerang will know whether they too have to get to the semis to match their neighbours.

Mount Gravatt's league form has slipped in recent weeks and despite playing some good football against City last weekend the Hawks now find themselves in the bottom half of the table. The Cup may be their only chance of salvaging some pride this season.

But, it has never been a lucky competition for Mount Gravatt. Will a Hawks' head join the Tiger skin now on the Nerang clubhouse wall?

Referee: GORDON NICHOLSON

TEAMS

MT. GRAVATT

1 RAY DUNI OP

2 NOEL DAVIS

3 A. BALDOSSI

6 M. MULVEY

4 DAVE COSTA

5 DAMIEN BUTLER

7 MARK HAIRSINE

8 CRAIG DICKSON

10 TOM McGREGOR

11 DOMENIC TONEL

15 DRIAN MacNICOL

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Coach: Ian Steele

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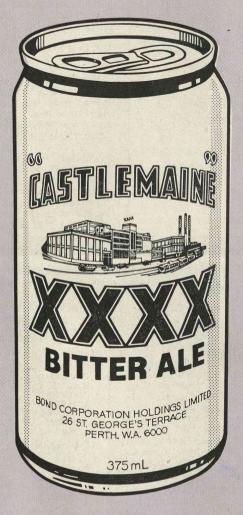
NERANG B. YEATES

- T. WOOD R. DUCK F. STONE
- A. GEROS M. FALKINER
- A SHAW G. WARMAN S. FRANCIA
- M. LEAKE G. HALL P. CURTIS
- S. REARDON K. CLARK
- C. DRUCE

Coach: W. Tamandl

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