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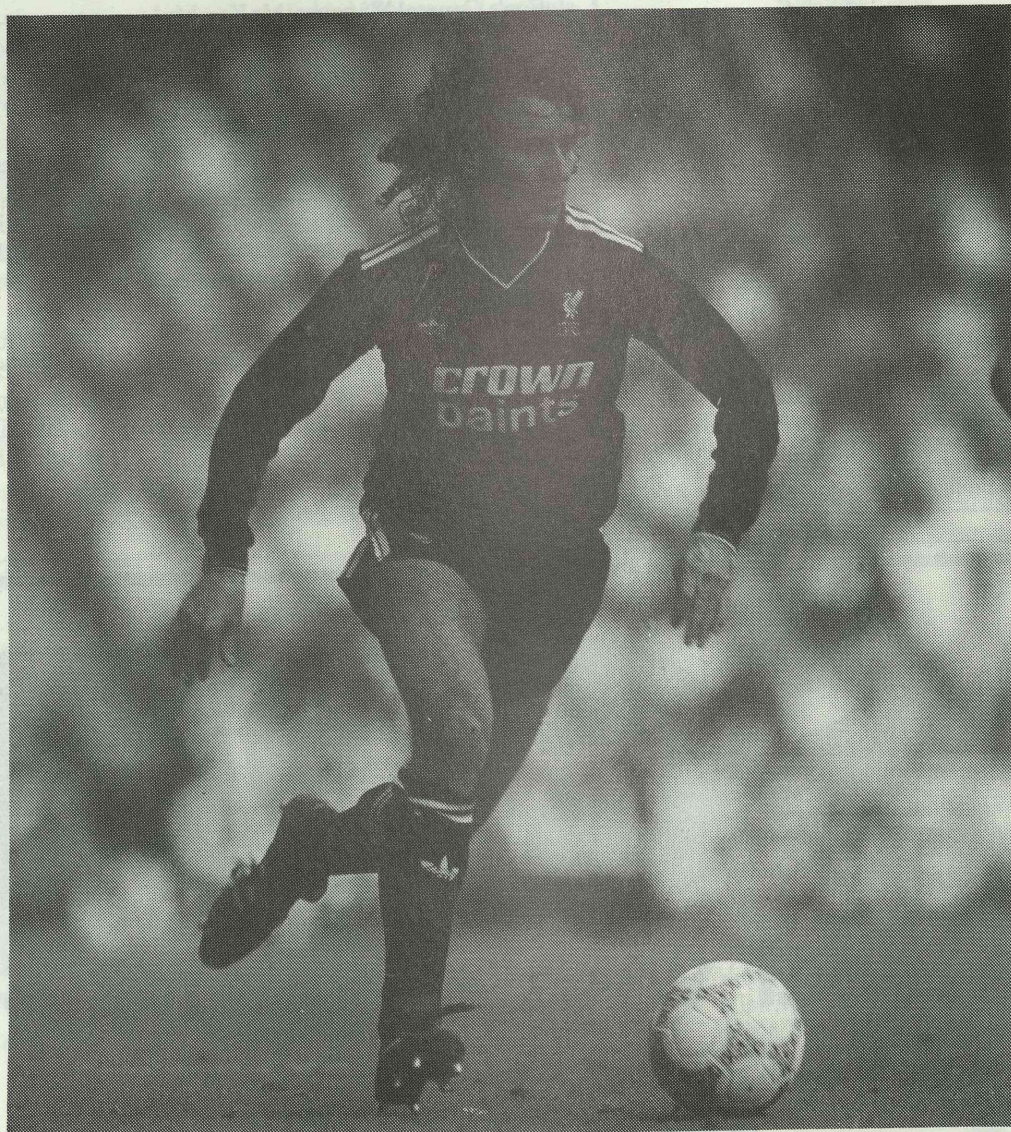
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COVER: Craig Johnson in Brisbane last weekend for a Soccer Clinic.

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EDITORIAL:



It's good to hear that Radio Station 106.9 QFM will be sponsoring this year's Gold Medal Award for the Brisbane Competition's Best and Fairest player.

The Queensland Soccer Federation through its support of the Quit the Habit campaign has been without a sponsor for this prestigious event for the last 12 months.

QFM, the newest FM radio station in Queensland and based in Ipswich, has obviously recognised the benefits of becoming involved with Queensland's largest participant sport.

At the media launch last week the station's General Manager, Mr Ken Mulcahy, stated the association between 106.9 QFM and the QSF would be an ongoing commitment.

This is great news for our sport.

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Spectators are the real winners as the bottom teams fight for their very survival in the XXXX League.

During the past couple of weeks there has been a series of do-or-die struggles and this trend likely to continue through the remaining three fixture rounds to the season's end.

The fate of four clubs currently hangs in the balance - Acacia Ridge, Coalstars,

Olympic United and Mt Gravatt.

It is a must win situation for these four clubs if they wish to stay in the XXXX League next season.

At least they must endeavour to salvage draws and keep the points table ticking over if they are avoid possible relegation.

For some spectators it's heart-wrenching stuff as tradition goes on the chopping block.

Smelling salts must be at the ready as Queensland soccer stands ready for the arrival of two new teams into the XXXX soccer league for 1991.

In Second Division Nerang looks certain to be one of the new teams elevated to First Division status.

Inala City and Brisbane Croatia are trying desperately to string the wins together to gain the other admission spot in the premier Brisbane league.

The decision on which of these two teams will be promoted from Second Division will no doubt go down to the final fixture round. Trying to pick a winner is like picking the winner of this year's Melbourne Cup.

But like all good sports watchers we will just have to wait and see.



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ROCHEDALE ROVER Soccer Club

Rochedale Rovers Soccer Club was founded in 1973, however it was back in 1972 that an Irishman named Tom Vance began teaching the gentle art and skills of Soccer to the children at the Rochedale School Sports field.

He had a discussion with the parents of these children regarding the formation of a Soccer Club and subsequently a notice was inserted in the local newspaper on November 23, 1972.

ALBERT NEWS - NOVEMBER 23, 1972
Tom Vance of 17 Delsia Street, Rochedale is anxious to form a junior soccer club in the Rochedale area.
Any persons interested in assisting can do so by contacting him at the above address or by ringing him at Brisbane 99-2122 during office hours.

On February 25, 1973 a public meeting was held and Rochedale Rovers Soccer Club was duly formed.

The club strip was determined as Gold shirt, dark green shorts and dark green socks. In 1977 the socks were changed to gold.

The Glen Hotel donated the use of a cow paddock, complete with cows behind the hotel for Rochedale's use.

The clubs first season commenced with three teams, Under-7's, Under-9's and Under-10's.

The 1974 season fielded 10 junior teams, with a tent being pitched each game to use as our canteen.

By 1975 Rochedale Rovers boasted eighteen junior teams and two Senior teams.

In 1975 our club purchased a parcel of land from the Local Council, at Underwood Park and earth works commenced for the existing four fields.

In 1976 we fielded 27 teams and our Seventh Division senior side was promoted to Sixth Division.

The Underwood Park grounds were officially opened on March 5, 1977 with a game between then National League teams Brisbane Lions and Brisbane City. On September 3, 1983 QSF president Ian Bruscasco officially opened Rochedale Rovers Clubhouse.

Rochedale Rovers Soccer Club won promotion into the XXXX League in 1987 and today we field five teams in this league from 1st Division to 8th Division.

In 1989 the XXXX Colts presented the club with their first Grand Final win.

Vic Phillips the first Club Secretary is still serving the club as Club Delegate to the QSF whilst Steve and Gary Elwood, Ian and Paul Grocott and John Hansen, who started on our original Under-7 team, are still playing Seniors today.



Steve Visser, who recently was promoted to the XXXX First Team also began playing in the Under-8 team in 1978.

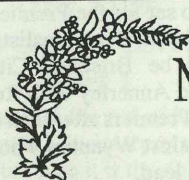
Since 1974 the Junior teams have really grown with the growth of the area.

In 1990 we fielded 28 Junior Teams from under-6's to Junior Colts.

Up and coming juniors including Wayne Murray, Shannon Scott, Steve Maher (Under 16 Rep players for Qld) will ensure the strength will stay for years to come.

Rochedale Rovers Soccer club are proud to boast one of the best, if not the best, facilities in Queensland Soccer.

The committee along with future committees have the commitment to continue to further the aims of the first committee of Rochedale Rovers "To Foster Soccer in Rochedale and Surrounding Areas".



Miss Queensland Soccer Quest



Miss North Pine
Michelle Gordon



Miss Deception Bay
Sandrine Jourdan



Miss Far North Queensland
Victoria Marmara



Miss Mt. Gravatt
Tina Andrews

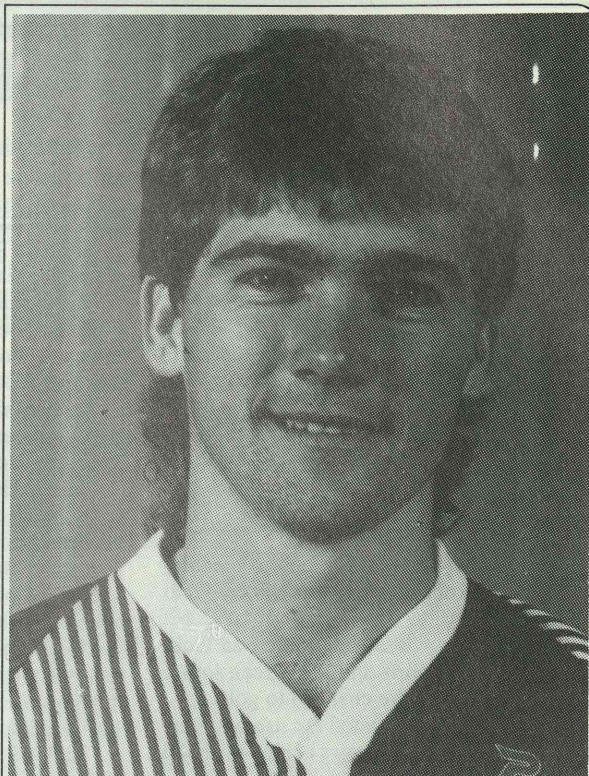
Four more entrants in the Miss Soccer Quest are:

Miss North Pine, Michelle Gordon of Strathpine, Miss Deception Bay, Sandrine Jourdan of Deception Bay, Miss Far North Qld Senior Soccer Federation, Victoria Marmara of Innisfail and Miss Mt. Gravatt, Tina Andrews of Mt. Gravatt.



IN THE SPOTLIGHT

NAME: Clayton Koch
CLUB: Pine Rivers
AGE: 20
STAR SIGN: Cancer
HEIGHT: 181cm
WEIGHT: 75kg
MARITAL STATUS: Single (girlfriend - Tracey)
NICKNAME: "Kochy"
FAVOURITE FOOD: Ice-Cream
FAVOURITE DRINK: Fruit Juice
FAVOURITE TV SHOW: Sports Programs (Rugby League)
FAVOURITE MUSICIAN/BAND: Dire Striats
PREFERRED POSITION: Striker
LAST TEAM PLAYED: Pine Rivers
JUNIOR CLUB PLAYED: Pine Rivers (started playing when I was 5)
REP. TEAMS PLAYED: Qld Under-13 and 14, Youth and Schoolboy, Qld Senior team 1989,1990
FAVOURITE PLAYER/S: Marco Van Basten
MOST INFLUENCE ON SPORTING CAREER: Father and all other Coaches.
BIGGEST DISAPPOINTMENT: Not going on Queensland tour to US in 1989.
GREATEST MOMENT: Playing for Queensland.
OTHER SPORTS PLAYED: Golf
FAVOURITE PASTIMES: Socialising with Friends.
AMBITIONS: Play to my Potential.



WOMEN'S SOCCER

DIVISION 1 - Results as at August 5, 1990

Club	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Redlands	14	13	1	-	44	6	27
Easts	14	12	1	1	55	6	25
Coalstars	14	6	2	6	30	26	14
Nerang	14	5	3	6	28	35	13
Newmarket	14	5	1	8	12	26	11
Under-19	8	4	1	3	15	8	9
Brighton	14	2	4	8	12	37	8
Grange	14	2	3	9	11	42	7
Tiwawarrin	14	2	2	10	10	28	6

DIVISION 2 - Results

Club	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Redcliffe	13	9	3	1	38	8	21
Wynnum	13	9	2	2	24	6	20
Bris. City	14	7	1	6	18	18	15
Annerley	14	5	4	5	13	10	14
Under 16	8	5	2	1	12	5	12
Albany Crk.	14	2	5	7	7	20	9
Pine Hills	13	2	5	6	6	19	9
Kingsridge	14	3	2	9	9	24	8
Coalstars	13	2	4	7	13	30	8

DIVISION 3 - Results

Club	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Souths Utd.	12	8	2	2	27	5	18
Newmarket	12	8	1	3	24	6	17
Olympic	12	8	-	4	17	9	16
Inala	12	6	2	4	17	11	14
Capalaba	12	5	3	4	22	15	13
Rochedale	12	3	1	8	11	45	7
Old Uni.	13	1	2	10	7	21	4
Tiwawarrin	7	1	1	5	5	18	3

DIVISION 4 - Results

Club	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Pine Rivers	13	12	-	1	54	4	24
Deception B.	13	9	1	3	33	16	19
Lutwyche	13	8	3	2	22	9	19
Taringa	13	7	1	5	22	12	15
Beenleigh	13	4	3	6	19	19	11
Pine Hills	13	3	1	9	6	32	7
Westside	13	2	2	9	5	31	6
S'side Eagles	12	2	1	11	3	41	3

DIVISION 5 - Results

Club	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Brighton	13	10	2	1	26	5	22
Bayside	13	9	1	3	41	8	19
Beenleigh	13	6	4	3	20	19	16
Mt. Gravatt	13	5	5	3	25	11	15
Oxley	13	6	2	5	23	14	14
Pine Rivers	13	3	1	9	8	34	7
Deception B.	13	1	4	8	4	39	6
Coalstars	13	1	3	9	6	23	5

PLAYER OF THE YEAR

Last Friday night at the Italo Australia Club in Windsor the Women's Soccer Player of the Year was announced.

At a function attended by the press representatives for the first time in many years, 12 girls were nominated for this award.

The nominees were Helen Browne, Sharon Wass, Stephanie McMahon, Tanya Corbett and Sue Clayton from Redlands, Michelle Sawyers and Kaylene Janssen from Coalstars, Kerry Millman, Joanne Millman and Marie Grant from Easts, Kerrie Rowe from Nerang and Klara Szabo from Newmarket.

The winners were:

Player of the Year 1990 was Michelle Sawyers of Coalstars.

Division 2: Mia Thompson - Annerley

Nominees: Jodi Schaeche - Pine Hills

Division 3: Lisa Devenport - Rochedale

Nominees: Jacki Cresswell - Capalaba

Most consistent:: Jacki Cresswell

Division 4: Nicole Shepherd - Westside

Nominees: Marella Lombardo - Southside

Eagles

Most Consistent: Nicole Shepherd

Division 5: Michelle Andrews - Bayside

Nominees: Anne Boie - Oxley

Most Consistent: Anne Boie

THE RACE TO THE SEMI-FINALS

1st Division: The four teams to make the semi-finals in 1st Division look like being

Easts, Redlands, Coalstars and Nerang. Redlands look to set for the Premiership.

2nd Division: Semi finalists in this division should be Brisbane City, Redcliffe, Wynnum and Annerley with Redcliffe looking to be the Premiers after their exciting game last week against Wynnum who were chasing them for the lead.

However they hung on to beat Wynnum and hopefully clinch the Premiership.

3rd Division: This Division is much closer with five teams fighting for the top four positions.

South and Newmarket should be safely through with Inala, Capalaba and Olympic trying to make it into the final two spots.

This division has been very even in competition all through the season.

4th Division: Semi-final spots should go to Pine Rivers, Deception Bay, Lutwyche and Taringa.

Competition between these four teams has been very close with Lutwyche knocking off previously undefeated Pine Rivers at the Divisional Day at Geebung.

5th Division: The top four spots should go to Brighton, Beenleigh Bayside and Mount Gravatt.

Competition between some teams in this division has been hard and in a lot of cases very spiteful.

This is the learning division where a lot of the players are playing Association football for the first time and learning to use skills they never thought they had.

Perhaps some teams should think of the FIFA directive towards fair play and having fun.

FRANKLY SPEAKING

with Frank Liddell



I read with interest about the inquiry from Melbourne National Soccer League Club Sunshine George Cross to buy young Pine Rivers striker Clayton Koch.

I'm sure the step up to National League is the right one for Clayton as it would certainly improve his soccer.

However having said that, it would not be a wise move for him to go to Sunshine.

They are one of the struggling sides in the National Soccer League and always will be because they are not a settled club and are always changing coaches or committees when things go wrong.

I am told Sunshine George Cross offered \$3000 for Clayton which was an insult not only to the player but to the Pine Rivers club.

Especially when Rivers have nurtured players like Koch through from junior level.

If I was Clayton and Pine Rivers were willing to let me go to National League I would be making a few enquiries with other clubs before I committed myself to a club like Sunshine George Cross.

There was an article in the Sunday Mail recently when a well-known soccer reporter talked about transfer fees.

He congratulated Pine Rivers for agreeing to sell Clayton Koch to a club like Sunshine Gorge Cross for less than \$10000 and then went onto say the same club would not let him return to Brisbane for less than \$50,000 unless there was a maximum in his contract.

The only thing I agree with is that transfer fees should be at a reasonable level.

But why should we in Brisbane be the first to drop our prices to suit National League Clubs.

Last season in Sydney there were players not as good as Koch who were being sold for anything up to \$50,000.

Is it because we believe we are second class citizens wanting to be sold off cheaply to Sydney and Melbourne clubs?

Nick Meredith is lucky to have a maximum of \$11,000 in his contract, because Marconi are interested in him for this coming season.

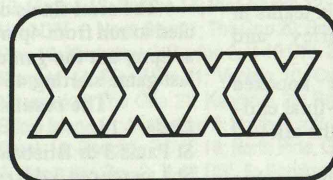
Marconi would be laughing all the way to the bank to get a player of his calibre for that price.

Maybe it's about time some members of the Brisbane media stopped underestimating the ability of our players and their value.

On a brighter note it is great to see a man like Craig Johnston travelling around Australia holding coaching clinics for juniors.

For a professional who has reached the heights he has and then given it up for family and personal reasons he must be commended for his input back into the sport that was so good to him.

And what a great thrill for these kids to be learning the game from such a true professional.



REFEREEING INTO THE 90's with DES MILES

OFF SIDE

by Stanley Lover

Part 1

The purpose of the off-side law is discussed in chapter 2. Its interpretation requires special study because it is the only law which is concerned with the tactical formation of players when the ball is in play.

For easy reference the terms of Law 11 are quoted below in full, together with the sole International Board decision relating to this law:

Law 11 - Offside:

A player is off-side if he is nearer his opponents' goal-line than the ball at the moment the ball is played unless-

- (a) he is in his own half of the field of play
- (b) there are two of his opponents nearer to their own goal-line than he is.
- (c) he receives the ball direct from a goal kick, a corner kick, a throw-in, or when it was dropped by the referee.

Punishment:

For an infringement of this law, an indirect free shall be taken by a player of the opposing team from the place where the infringement occurred.

A player in an off-side position shall not be penalized unless, in the opinion of the

referee, he is interfering with the play or with an opponent, or is seeking to gain an advantage by being in an off-side position.

International Board Decision (1956):

1) Off-side shall not be judged at the moment the player in question receives the ball, but at the moment when the ball is passed to him by one of his own side.

A player in an off-side position when one of his colleagues passes the ball to him or takes a free kick does not therefore become off-side if he goes forward during the flight of the ball. The basic questions are simple:

- 1) Fact Is the player in an off-side position at the moment the ball is played by a colleague? (Only if he is, do the next questions arise.)
 - 2) Opinion Does his position influence the play or an opponent? or Is he intending to gain an advantage?
- There are five features of this law which should be studied:

1) Timing:

Question: When does the judgement of fact start?

Answer: At the moment the ball is played by a colleague.

2) Position:

Question: What is an off-side position?

Answer: The player must be in front of the

ball in his opponents' half with one or no opponent between himself and the goal-line.

3) Interfering:

Question: How can interfering be judged?

Answer: The International Board decided in 1924 that if a player who is in an off-side position advances towards an opponent or the ball and, in so doing, causes the play to be affected, he should be penalized.

4) Seeking advantage:

Question: How does the referee judge seeking to gain an advantage?

Answer: By the same reasoning as applies to judgement of intention to commit an infringement.

5) Exceptions:

Question: If a player is in an off-side position, when should he not be penalized, even though he is interfering or seeking an advantage?

Answer: When he receives the ball direct from a goal kick or a corner kick or a throw-in or when the ball is dropped by the referee.

Next Week, Part 2 - Problems of Interpretation.



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JUNIORS IN THE LIMELIGHT

BRISBANE SOUTH

All players who qualify to play Under-11's this year should have received their form for the Under-11 Talent Identification Training Course which commences on the August 19.

Applications should be forwarded to the Association Secretary immediately, if they wish to be included.

The JACK WILLIAMS MEMORIAL TROPHY is STILL MISSING.

It was played for by the Under-13 age group in 1986.

Could all clubs check their trophy cases as we urgently require it to be found.

For anyone interested in being a referee, the next course is at Perry Park starting Tuesday August 21.

It will run Tuesday and Thursday nights for 7 or 8 nights. Cost is \$10-00 and they'd love to see you there.

Beenleigh Soccer Club conducted their Yatala Mechanical Under-7/8 Carnival on Sunday July 29.

A record nomination of 20 teams played some top soccer ending with two Inala teams in both semi-finals against Annerley and Kingsridge.

In the first semi-final Inala knocked Kingsridge out with the second semi-final ending equal on goals and corners after the allotted extra time.

With the final still to be played the coaches took the option of penalty shootout or a toss of the coin to see who went through. In true world cup fashion the youngsters took penalties, which saw Annerley go on to the final.

What a treat that was - a fine performance from both teams, with only a couple of corners deciding the winner - Inala.

Well done boys, Soccer was truly the winner of the day. Beenleigh wish to thank all teams and clubs who participated on the day and helped to make a most successful day.



Q.S.S.S. FEDERATION

The Independent Schools Soccer Association (ISSA) runs a competition titled the ISSA Cup.

This is a competition involving Open and Under-14 teams from the independent schools.

On Wednesday August 1 the semi finals were played at Perry Park under lights.

Three of the four open quarter finals were decided on penalties as were two in the Under-14s.

In the open category Villanova drew 1-1 with Gregory Terrace before winning 4-2 on penalties, St Lawrences College and Redeemer Lutheran College drew 1-1 with Redeemer winning on penalties, St Pauls and Brisbane Boy's College played a 1-1 draw before St Pauls won on penalties and Brisbane Grammar School defeated St Peter's Lutheran 3-0.

In the Under-14s St Pauls defeated St Columbans, Brisbane Grammar School defeated Brisbane Boy's College 5-3 on penalties, St Lawrences defeated John Paul College 2-1 and Redeemer Lutheran defeated St Edmunds 3-1 on penalties.

The semi finals on Wednesday were scheduled to run from 4pm through to a final kick-off at 8pm, but the games ran behind time with the last game starting 45 minutes late.

The results were as follows:

Under-14:

St Pauls 3 dr Brisbane Grammar 3
St Lawrences 3 d Redeemer Lutheran 1.

Open:

Villanova 0 dr Redeemer Lutheran 0
St Pauls 3 d Brisbane Grammar 2.

In the Under-14s the first game went to penalties and was eventually won by Brisbane Grammar who had equalised in the last minute of the game to make it 3-all.

St Lawrences scored twice in the last 10 minutes to win their game against Redeemer.

In the Open division the Villanova, Redeemer Lutheran game went to penalties with Villanova triumphing 4-2. It is a shame when two teams play so well as to finish even at the end that one has to go home the loser as was the case several time during this competition.

In the last game of the night St Pauls started with a vigorous first 10 minutes which resulted in a very well taken goal slotted into the net.

But Grammar came back repeatedly in the next 30 minutes and only some good work by the keeper kept them from scoring more than the two goals they had in the first half.

St Pauls showed a lot of heart to come back in the second half and score twice despite a barrage of shots from Grammar early in the half.

It was good to see a large group of spectators at the game, though judging by the noise most of them were St Pauls parents.

I would like to thank Messrs Fullagher and Hagymas of Iona College who made me aware of this event and supplied me with the results.

The final is to be played on August 22 at Perry Park at 5pm following on from the Metropolitan Finals for Secondary Schools which runs all day for year 8, 9, Under-15 and Open boys.

The girls are playing at Atlanta Field at Geebung on the same day. Roger Holcroft.

THE UNDER-10's CHALLENGE CUP

Rochedale Rovers Soccer Club will be holding a soccer carnival for Under-10's from August 19 to 25.

The carnival is being called "The Under-10's Challenge Cup". The Challenge Cup will involve Under-10 teams from all areas of Brisbane.

The Cup will be run over three days and has the theme "DRUG-FREE, EVERYONE'S A WINNER."

Round one - Sunday August 19, 1990.

Round two - quarter finals - Wednesday evening August 22, 1990.

Grand final & group finals - Saturday evening August 25, 1990.

Entry fee is \$15.00 per team, for an information and registration kit call Clo Weaver 341 0600, contact your club secretary or write to Under-10 Challenge Cup, P.O. Box 641, Springwood Qld 4127. Nominations close on Friday July 27.

Challenge Cup major sponsors - "Drug-Arm", Sportsco, Plastics (Aust) Pty Ltd, Asable Removals and Rochedale Rovers Soccer Club. Keep reading this column over the next coming issues for further information.

REPRESENTATIVE TEAM

Brisbane South Under-12 South South

The team went to the Harry Linning Championships in very high spirits and they came back in the same manner, although things did not turn out as they anticipated, they all gave 100% in the games they played.

When the team took to the park they played skillful and very entertaining football which kept the spectators enthralled.

The only thing that dampened the championships was a deluge of rain on the Sunday night.

The team lost the first game, drew the second and lost the third, lost the play-off for the finals in extra time and won their round for the positional play-off in the finals.

During the opening ceremony Mr Harry Linning made the comment "there are 2 zones names that do not appear on my trophy, in an endeavour to have these names on the trophy I have trained some magpies to lift the back of the net so the referee's are unable to see the ball in the goal."

Except for the last game that this team played, I think Mr. Linning's magpies were working overtime.

Harry Linning Cup Competition 1990 Maryborough



Brisbane South South

Back Row: Gary Bidgood (Manager), David Shaw, Matthew Bidgood, Andrew Hale, Nathan Taylor, Iain McGill, Dominic Pole, Ashley Densmore, Liam Gleeson, Mike Mulvey (Coach).
Front Row: Joshua Hancock, Graham McLean, Matthew O'Byrne, Sean Carey, Troy Wickstein, Ryan Wandschneider, Alan Gordon, Travis Craven.

JUNIOR POINTS TABLE

BRISBANE SOUTH (W/E: 29.7.90)

U-9 DIV. 1: Acacia Ridge 23; Coalstars 22; Inala City 21; Annerley 16; St. Helens 13; Centenary, Mt. Gravatt 12; Lions 9; Jimboomba 6; Camira 3. **U-9 DIV. 2:** Loganholme 20; Redlands 19; Beenleigh, Capalaba 18; Souths United 16; Kingsridge 14; Slacks Creek 11; Wynnum 9, Rochedale 5; S.S. Eagles 4. **U-9 DIV. 3:** Clairvaux 25; Tudor Rovers 24; Oxley 17; Acacia Ridge 16; Souths United, Olympic 15; Centenary 10; Mt. Gravatt 9; Annerley 3; Inala City 2. **U-9 DIV. 4:** Loganholme 27; Mooroondu 22; Capalaba 16; Bayside 14; Beenleigh, Easts, Redlands 13; Rochedale, Wynnum 7; Slacks Creek 4. **U-9 DIV. 5:** S.S. Eagles 26; Loganholme 20; Souths United, Capalaba 18; Mooroondu 16; Clairvaux 14; Beenleigh 13; Jimboomba 8; Salisbury 5. **U-9 DIV. 6:** Kingsridge 21; Souths United, Loganholme (B) 16; Capalaba 11; Bayside, Rochedale 8; S.S. Eagles 7; Loganholme (A) 1. **U-9 DIV. 7:** Ipswich City 25; Oxley (A), St. Helens 21; Coalstars 19; Lions 15; Oxley (B), Goodna 13; Leichhardt 4; Greenbank 0. **U-10 DIV. 1:** Capalaba 27; Clairvaux 24; Souths United 22; Mt. Gravatt 21; Lions 13; Rochedale 12; Slacks Creek 6; Centenary 5; Easts 3; Wynnum 2. **U-10 DIV. 2:** Coalstars 19; Kingsridge 16; Ipswich City 15; Mooroondu 13; Loganholme 12; Redlands 10; S.S. Eagles 3; Bayside 2. **U-10 DIV. 3:** Oxley 24; Beenleigh 20; Annerley, Mt. Gravatt 12; Souths United 9; Capalaba 7; Clairvaux 4. **U-10 DIV. 4:** Camira 28; Inala City 24; Jimboomba 21; St. Helens 19; Ipswich City 13; Rochedale 12; Mooroondu 11; Centenary 8. **U-10 DIV. 5:** Coalstars 18; Acacia Ridge 16; Beenleigh 12; Slacks Creek, Oxley, Camira 10; S.S. Eagles 7; Redlands 5. **U-11 DIV. 1:** Loganholme 26; Rochedale 21; Capalaba, Wynnum 17; Mt. Gravatt 15; Centenary, Souths United 13; Lions 7; Redlands 6; Slacks Creek 5. **U-11 DIV. 2:** Rochedale, Acacia Ridge 23; Coalstars 22; Clairvaux 15; Easts 14; Beenleigh, St. Helens 9; Bayside, Loganholme 8; Mooroondu 5. **U-11 DIV. 3:** Centenary 19; Souths United 17; Camira 16; Redlands 14; Annerley 13; Tudor Rovers 10; Capalaba 5. **U-11 DIV. 4:** Rochedale 24; Souths United 16; Slacks Creek 14; Wynnum 13; Mooroondu 10; Redlands 9; S.S. Eagles 6. **U-11 DIV. 5:** Dinmore 22; Inala City 18; Coalstars 17; Jimboomba 14; Lions 9; Clairvaux 7; Oxley 5; Goodna 0. **U-12 DIV. 1:** Rochedale, Coalstars, Souths United 18; Bayside 11; Mt. Gravatt 8; Acacia Ridge 4; Slacks Creek 2; Redlands 1. **U-12 DIV. 2:** Coalstars 27; Souths United 20; Loganholme 18; Olympic 17; Camira 16; Clairvaux 13; Centenary 11; Tudor Rovers 8; Beenleigh 6. **U-12 DIV. 3:** Souths United 19; Jimboomba, Croatia 15; Ipswich City 13; St. Helens 11; Easts 9; Coalstars 6. **U-12 DIV. 4:** Bayside 25; Annerley 24; Capalaba 22; Acacia Ridge 20; Kingsridge 15; Centenary 11; Redlands 10; Loganholme 7; Mooroondu 6. **U-13 DIV. 1:** Coalstars 20; Souths United 19; Mt. Gravatt 18; Rochedale 15; Camira, Kingsridge 13; Clairvaux 12; S.S. Eagles 10; Slacks Creek 9; Bayside 4. **U-13 DIV. 2:** Loganholme, Capalaba 19; St. Helens 18; Jimboomba 14; Beenleigh 9; Acacia Ridge, Centenary 7; Mt. Gravatt 1. **U-13 DIV. 3:** Goodna, Lions, Olympic 23; Clairvaux 20; Coalstars 14; Souths United, Oxley 11; Slacks Creek 10.

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BRISBANE NORTH (3.8.90)

U-9 DIV. 1: The Gap 24; Caboolture 18; Brisbane City 14; Pine Rivers 13; Mitchelton 11; North Star 8; Deception Bay 6; Albany Creek 2. **U-9 DIV. 2:** Grange Thistle 22; Kenmore 19; The Gap 14; Pine Hills 13; Taringa 10; Deception Bay 9; Moggill 6; North Star 3. **U-9 DIV. 3:** Bardon 20; Brighton 19; North Pine 16; Westside 14; Caboolture, Newmarket 9; Samford 6, Mitchelton 3. **U-9 DIV. 4:** Margate 20, Pine Rivers, Redcliffe City 18; Albany Creek 13; Redcliffe PCYC 9; Bribie Island, Caboolture 7; Bracken Ridge 4. **U-9 DIV. 5:** Virginia 22; The Gap 21; Pine Hills 15; Mitchelton 12; Kenmore, Brighton 9; North Star 5; Grange Thistle 3. **U-9 DIV. 6:** Sandgate, Redcliffe City 16; Albany Creek, Newmarket, Margate 14; The Gap 10; Westside, Taringa 6. **U-9 DIV. 7:** New Farm 20; Pine Hills 16, Kenmore 15; Samford, Sandgate 14; North Star 12; Mitchelton 5; Moggill 0. **U-9 DIV. 8:** Caboolture 21; New Farm 19; Virginia 16; Bardon 14; Pine Rivers 12; Albany Creek 8; The Gap 6. **U-10 DIV. 1:** North Star 21; The Gap 20; Brisbane City 15; Pine Rivers 12; Caboolture, North Pine 10; Mitchelton 6; Bardon 2. **U-10 DIV. 2:** Redcliffe City 19; Moggill 18; Albany Creek 17; Margate 14; Pine Hills 11; Virginia 10; Caboolture 5; Taringa 2. **U-10 DIV. 3:** Samford, Newmarket, The Gap 21; Kenmore 20; Bracken Ridge 18; Westside 15; Pine Rivers 12; Bribie Island 11; Mitchelton 9; North Star 2. **U-10 DIV. 4:** Pine Hills 28; Toowong 24; Albany Creek 19; Redcliffe PCYC 18; North Pine, Grange Thistle 15; Taringa, Margate 10; Brighton 7; Deception Bay 2. **U-10 DIV. 5:** Sandgate 23; Kenmore 20; Samford 14; New Farm 13; Westside 10; Caboolture 9; Albany Creek 7. **U-10 DIV. 6:** Redcliffe PCYC 19; Moggill, Pine Rivers 16; The Gap 14; Bardon 11; Mitchelton 9; Pine Hills 7. **U-11 DIV. 1:** Albany Creek 23; The Gap 19; Pine Hills 16; Pine Rivers 15; North Star 11; Deception Bay 7; Caboolture 3; Mitchelton 2. **U-11 DIV. 2:** Taringa 22; Samford 18; Kenmore 14; Bribie Island 12; Bardon 11; Margate 10; North Pine 7; Westside 2. **U-11 DIV. 3:** Newmarket 21; The Gap 20; Brisbane City 14; Albany Creek, Virginia 13; North Star 11; Moggill 4. **U-11 DIV. 4:** Grange Thistle, Bracken Ridge, Brighton, Pine Hills 18; Caboolture 11; Pine Rivers 8; Samford 3; Redcliffe PCYC 2. **U-11 DIV. 5:** The Gap 21; Westside, Mitchelton 17; Taringa 12; Kenmore 11; Redcliffe PCYC 10; Deception Bay 8; Albany Creek 0. **U-12 DIV. 1:** North Star 20; North Pine 17; The Gap 14; Mitchelton 13; Grange Thistle 10; Pine Rivers 9; Kenmore 6; Albany Creek 5. **U-12 DIV. 2:** Newmarket 18; Caboolture 17; Brisbane City 16; Taringa, Westside 15; Bardon 9; Redcliffe PCYC 6; Moggill 0. **U-12 DIV. 3:** The Gap 18; Pine Hills, Samford 17; Margate 14; Deception Bay 13; North Star 9; Bribie Island 8. **U-12 DIV. 4:** Kenmore 21; New Farm 19; Mitchelton 17; Taringa 16; Bracken Ridge 12; Pine Rivers 7; Caboolture 4. **U-12 DIV. 5:** Bardon 19; Taringa 16; Westside 14; Mitchelton 13; Pine Hills, Redcliffe PCYC 5. **U-13 DIV. 1:** North Star 21; Newmarket 19; Redcliffe City 13; The Gap 10; Albany Creek 6; Pine Rivers 1. **U-13 DIV. 2:** North Star 18; Virginia, Brisbane City 17; Brighton 10; Pine Hills 9; Bribie Island 1. **U-13 DIV. 3:** Bardon 17; Westside 14; Albany Crk 12; Pine Hills 5. **U-14 DIV. 1:** Pine Hills 22; Caboolture 21; North Star 16; North Pine, Pine Rivers 12; Westside 7; Deception Bay 6. **U-14 DIV. 2:** Toowong 25; Caboolture 21; Pine Hills 20; Samford 19; Redcliffe PCYC 16; North Star 9. **U-14 DIV. 3:** North Pine 12; Westside 11; Kenmore 10; The Gap 9; Mitchelton 4.

NB: Teams participating in Brisbane North and South competitions please make sure your points are phoned in to your Zones as early as possible after games, so that this POINTS TABLE can be as up to date as possible.



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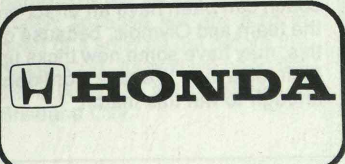
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THIS WEEK'S GAMES THIS WEEK'S GAMES THIS WEEK'S GAMES

<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Andrew Hobbs 2. John Ribone 3. Jason Burr 4. Garry Heiner 5. Keith Marsh 6. Darryl Heiner 7. Anthony Sommerville 8. Mohammed Aiyub 9. David Melville 10. Jacob Moli 11. Nigel Mather 12. Darren Bender 13. Scott Walker 14. Trevor Smith 15. Scott Rohweder 16. David King 17. Keiren Galloway 20. John Beevers 		<p>at W.J. Dann Oval Friday, 8.30pm</p> <p>Referee N. Bennett</p> <p>GRANGE THISTLE MT GRAVATT</p> <p style="font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold;">V</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div data-bbox="423 654 791 883" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Coach's Comment: Iain Fagan – We hope to defeat Mt Gravatt. We really must win to keep ourselves in this competition for next year. Last week's defeat will be an inspiration for our team to achieve a win in this game.</p> </div> <div data-bbox="823 654 1183 883" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Coach's Comment: Dick Mitchell – It's like any other game, we just have to win. This match is so critical for the survival of the Mt Gravatt club in the XXXX Soccer League. It is also vitally important for them, but we need the points and plan to take them.</p> </div> </div>		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Martin Coe 2. Stuart Holmes 3. Atillio Baldassi 4. Mark Curran 5. Michael Kerr 6. Alan Niven 7. Phillip Makridakis 8. David Glenn 9. Roy Smyth 10. Paul Georgiou 11. Danny Stowers 12. Chris Cootes 13. Ross Peachey 14. Brett Hamlet 15. John Ingram 16. Andrew Armitage 17. Pete Robertson 20. Stuart Woodruffe
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<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Carl Spruce 2. Colin Burley 3. Gavin Stutz 4. Paul Davidson 5. Andrew Butchard 6. Michael Butchard 7. Cameron Bell 8. David Richardson 9. Darren Spence 10. David Crane 11. Nigel Mclure 12. Andrew Hill 13. Terry McCrory 14. Norman Bell 15. Vinnie Defazio 16. Marc Flemington 17. David Bearman G/K Keith McLeish 		<p>at Proud Oval Saturday, 7.00pm</p> <p>Referee I. Young</p> <p>ACACIA RIDGE TARINGA ROVERS</p> <p style="font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold;">V</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div data-bbox="423 1308 791 1538" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Coach's Comment: Eric Thompson – Taringa are desperate to retain their top-five position. We are confident of doing well in this game. We have been undefeated in the last two games which is a big recovery from our mid-season slump. We are anxious to stretch this record to three matches.</p> </div> <div data-bbox="823 1308 1183 1538" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Coach's Comment: Glenn Davis – A win here is vital. And although Acacia Ridge are relatively safe from relegation they won't be any easy beats on their home ground, but I have full confidence in my team which has done the job this season.</p> </div> </div>		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Jeff Keating 2. Glenn Gwynne 3. John Kowtan 4. Domenic Tonel 5. Mark Hornby 6. Mick Gerritsen 7. Mark Bennett 8. Greg Swadling 9. Sean Cranney 10. Steve Glockner 11. David Munn 12. Shane Tollenare 13. David Ash 14. Danny Britton 15. Jarrod Austin 16. Matt Schlotterbach 17. Steve Morrissey G/K Peter Speare
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<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Peter Underhill 2. John Cartwright 3. Graham Eden 4. George Caird 5. Brian Hewitt 6. Todd Whisson 7. John Rhule 8. Bob Hamilton 9. John Preston 10. Clayton Koch 11. Noel Carroll 12. John Drynan 13. Paul Haskard 14. Mark Shepherdson 15. John Schiavo 16. Paul Ramsay 20. Peter Howe 		<p>at Wendy Allison Park Saturday, 7.00pm</p> <p>Referee D. Monteverde</p> <p>PINE RIVERS UNITED OLYMPIC UNITED</p> <p style="font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold;">V</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div data-bbox="423 1963 791 2192" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Coach's Comment: Bobby Hamilton – I don't see any problem at all with Olympic. A new coach can often have an effect on the team and Olympic, because of this, may have some new tricks up their sleeves. We are confident enough to win this match.</p> </div> <div data-bbox="823 1963 1183 2192" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Coach's Comment: Walter Tamanol – I still have a problem sorting the players out. There is always a chance. If we can put some wins together it would be nice. We must tighten up our mid-field and our speed around the ground must improve.</p> </div> </div>		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Graham Ross 2. Anthony Carbone 3. Jimmy Bellas 4. Michael Cerneka 5. Steve Konstantinou 6. Roberto Lettieri 7. Michael Makridakis 8. Cheetha Vosuga 9. Michael Kelly 10. Nick Contoudios 11. Harry Makridakis 12. Simon Murdoch 13. John Papas 14. Artie Photinos 15. Elmer Bedia 16. Milos Strugar R.K. John Papavasiliou
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 SOCCER
 LEAGUE

	at Perry Park Sunday, 2.45pm Referee A. Kibblers	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Brett Beves 2. Gary Toovey 3. Ian Simpson 4. Sean Armstrong 5. Noel Greenhalgh 6. Scott Davis 7. John Stewart 8. Colin Simpson 9. Ken Stead 10. Tom McGregor 11. Micheal Clarkson 12. Brett Druery 14. Arthur McHugh 15. John Fox 16. John Gooding 20. Steve Elwood 	ROCHEDALE ROVERS V BRISBANE CITY	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Wayne Evans 2. Glenn Archer 3. Stuart Greer 4. Frank Cole 5. Rod Vasquez 6. Lee Howells 7. Fraser Cuba 8. Frank Pimblett 9. Kieran Cooper 10. Paddy Dillon 11. Mark Battistin 12. Danny Lobwein 13. Phillip Calabrese 14. Guy Rigby 15. Craig Geerssen 16. Demetri Theochari 20. Mark Pickup
<p>Coach's Comment: John Stewart - We are in a no-lose situation and because relegation is not a factor we will be going all out to win this game. We owe them for the 6-1 defeat earlier in the season and the team won't need any real motivation.</p>	<p>Coach's Comment: Juan Cutillas - The game will be very difficult. Rochedale have nothing to lose, but everything to gain by defeating us. We must play harder than last week and I'm looking for more commitment from the players. I will be making some changes to help us win.</p>	

	at Heath Park Sunday 2.45pm Referee P. Hulme	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dave Mewburn 2. Paul Laycock 3. Steve Wilson 4. Mark Geritz 5. Steve Perry 6. Paul Petersen 7. Stein Grodum 8. Craig Collins 9. Col Phelan 10. Billy McDermott 11. Richard Nicol 12. Tony Kane 13. David Stewart 14. Chris Fegan 15. Warren Lowth 16. Brad Ryan 17. Chris Jones Res. Keeper. Ricky Allen 	EASTERN SUBURBS V COALSTARS	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Darren McGrath 2. David O'Leary 3. Allan McFarlane 4. John Ogden 5. Mark Gilbert 6. Andrew Ogden 7. Jason Turner 8. Peter Vogler 9. Michael Babic 10. Phil Kerr 11. Darren Petie 12. Mark Brusasco 13. Stu Weston 14. Glen Van Der Ryken 15. Brad Van Der Ryken 16. Brentley Jefferd 17. Glen Timperley 18. Chris Barrett
<p>Coach's Comment: Phil Thompson - We always have a real tussle against Coalstars. The game will be difficult, but we have home ground advantage and we intend to capitalise on it. We need more premiership points if we are to graft our way into second spot on the ladder.</p>	<p>Coach's Comment: John Ogden - We are going all-right at the moment and this one should be a good game. Phil Thompson has Easts firing well, and we are out to notch up another win. We still need points to secure our position.</p>	

	at Lions Stadium Sunday 2.45pm Referee B. Power	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert Farrow 2. David Hunter 3. Pat Vidgen 4. Frank Mengotti 5. Arno Bertogna 6. Andrew Stowell 7. Chris Slater 8. Nick Meredith 9. John Lowey 10. Dean Milosevie 11. Brendan Eastwell 12. Justin Playle 13. Stewart McLeod 14. David Lonsdale 15. Wayne Hinton 16. Jason Keepence 18. Angus Smith 19. Steven Fulton 20. Kevin Tatton 	BRISBANE LIONS V NORTH STAR	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Noel Lord 2. Phil Mulvey 3. Nick Seeley 4. Billy Williamson 5. Mark Greer 6. Shane Haddow 7. Ross Swan 8. Geoff Maltby 9. Jim McDonagh 10. Mick Mulvey 11. Kenny Swan 12. Justin Kilshaw 13. Steve Rowell 14. Paul Fagan 15. Danny English 16. Chris Tribbeck 17. Paul Graham 18. Andrew Hauck 20. Jason Parkes
<p>Coach's Comment: Frank Liddell - I'm looking forward to this game after playing our last few matches against teams battling for relegation. North Star will come out and attack us and really make a game of it. Jim McDonagh is the dangerman. If we contain him, we will win.</p>	<p>Coach's Comment: Billy Williamson - It will be a top game. We will be out to win this match because we are also in need of a solid hit out before the Ampol Cup. As well we need the three points to put us ahead of Brisbane City.</p>	

THE TIPSTERS

WHAT THE EXPERTS THINK

MATCH Week 21	ROB BLACK	FRANK LIDDELL	MAL BLAND	GARRY LEGG	SOCCER BOY
Success Rate	The Sun 40%	Soccer 90 42.5%	R.D. Coach 32%	Courier Mail 40%	47%
XXXX LEAGUE Round 20 Rochedale R. v Bris City Acacia Rdg v Taringa Rov. Eastern Subs v Coalstars Grange Thistle v Mt. Gravatt Bris. Lions v Nth Star Pine Rivers v Olympic Utd	Draw Draw East Grange Thistle Bris. Lions Pine Rivers	Rochedale Draw East Draw Bris. Lions Pine Rivers	Bris. City Acacia Rdg. East Mt. Gravatt Bris. Lions Pine Rivers	Rochedale Draw East Grange Thistle Nth Star Pine Rivers	Bris. City Taringa R. East Grange Thistle Nth. Star Pine Rivers
DIVISION 2 Round 20 The Gap v Willowburn St. Helens v Mitchelton Nerang v Inala City St. Albans v Goodna Newmarket v Redlands Wynnum v Bris. Croatia	The Gap St. Helens Nerang St. Albans Newmarket Bris. Croatia	The Gap St. Helens Nerang St. Albans Newmarket Bris. Croatia	The Gap St. Helens Nerang St. Albans Newmarket Bris. Croatia	The Gap St. Helens Nerang St. Albans Redlands Wynnum	The Gap St. Helens Nerang St. Albans Redlands Bris. Croatia
DIVISION 3 Round 19 Latrobe v Slacks Crk. Kingsridge v Darra Brothers v Lutwyche Uni of v Qld v Beenleigh Annerley v Oxley Souths Utd v Redcliffe	Draw Darra Lutwyche Beenleigh Annerley Souths	Latrobe Darra Lutwyche Beenleigh Annerley Souths	Latrobe Kingsridge Lutwyche Beenleigh Annerley Souths	Draw Darra Lutwyche Draw Annerley Draw	Slacks Crk. Darra Lutwyche Beenleigh Annerley Draw
DIVISION 4 Round 19 Western Subs v Samford Capalaba v South Star Leichhardt v Pine Hills Deception B. v Kenmore Albany Crk v S'side Eagles Toowong v Griffith	Samford Capalaba Pine Hills Draw Draw Griffith	Wests Capalaba Pine Hills Deception B. Albany Crk. Griffith	Samford Capalaba Draw Deception B. Draw Toowong	Samford Capalaba Draw Kenmore Albany Crk. Draw	Samford Capalaba Pine Hills Deception B. Albany Crk. Griffith

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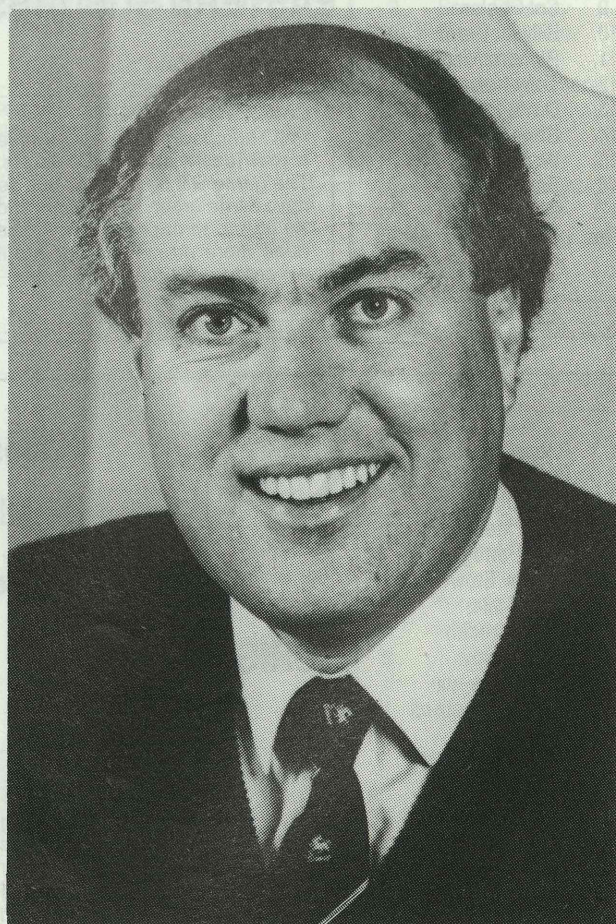
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THROUGHOUT THE STATE

FAR NORTH QUEENSLAND

The status quo at the top of the XXXX FNQ premiership ladder remained intact after last week's results setting up a nail-biting finish to the season.

Edge Hill remain on top of the table, but the club's dreams of securing their first First Division premiership will be decided in the next couple of weeks.

The team faces its closest rivals, Leichhardt and Dimbulah in the next fortnight, matches they must win if they are to take the 1990 trophy.

Last week Edge Hill had a 4-1 win over Stratford, a team once tipped as a likely premiership contender but now looking unlikely to make the final four series.

Their next encounter is against the Leichhardt Lions who signalled that they are back on the scoring road with a 7-0 blitzing of bottom-of-the-table Mossman.

The significance of the goal-line is obvious when we realize that Leichhardt, in the midst of their worst goal drought for four years, only defeated Mossman 1-0 in the last round.

Willy Fulton who has played in the last three premierships, ostensibly as stopper, scored a personal hat-trick but it is the young players new coach Alex Stefanovic has blooded continually in the first team who hold the future of Leichhardt's premiership hopes.

Dimbulah who for so long led the table have struggled in this final third round.

They defeated Innisfail 2-1 who in many ways have been the antithesis of Dimbulah.

Innisfail have promised plenty but never really lived up to that promise whereas Dimbulah especially this year have pushed themselves well beyond our expectations.

Their secret apart from a cohesion and togetherness lies in the experienced midfield of Frank Pozzebon, Frank Tosoni and Steve Zelenika who played a hand in both the Dimbulah goals.

Red McLellan.

FAR NORTH QUEENSLAND JUNIORS

Terrific it's Saturday morning, another day of soccer coming up. I am so glad they asked me to be the District Registrar. Where do I start my day? Right, Firstly we will do the allocation of referees, we only have 90 teams, that's 45 referees required but some can double up.

Gosh it's nearly starting time and we have only eight refs turned up, but what is so different about this Saturday, the older coaches will understand and help out, some can be persuaded and a few will be normally selfish.

What's Margaret Cochrane our Cairns & District President doing refereeing on the next field, something must have gone wrong with our allocation.

There have only been a few hassles on the park today so the collection of scores and reports should be easy, gee who wrote that score down, it's hard to read, I will have to ring up and clarify this and the other ones out. Hey I really enjoy my work.

Last Sunday we had our last round of Zone matches, only 24 games and we scraped through with referees.

Winners of Under-14: Cairns Gold, 2nd - Cairns Blue, 3rd - Johnstone River.

Winners of Under-13: Cairns Blue, 2nd - Johnstone River, 3rd - Tablelands.

Winners of Under-12: Cairns, 2nd - Johnstone River, 3rd - Tablelands.

Winners of Under-11: Cairns Blue, 2nd - Cairns Gold, 3rd - Johnstone River.

Winners of Under-10: Cairns Blue, 2nd - Cairns Gold, 3rd - Tablelands.

John Bomben, the President of Zone 1 Junior Soccer congratulated all the boys for their contribution and also thanked the districts for their assistance and expressed that we hope to secure a Coaching Director for next year to bring the best out of our boys.

A good day was had by all and it was good to see all the representative players dressed up for a large photograph for our zone. John Spilstead.

ROCKHAMPTON

Veteran Berserker striker Warren Jarvis put the brakes on Bluebirds hopes of the Power's Bitter Premier League minor premiership netting the only goal of the game in his team's 1-0 win last weekend.

This loss leaves Bluebirds level with Frenchville on 18 points but second with a much poorer goal difference.

Presuming both sides win their remaining three games then Bluebirds have to make up a 12 goal deficit in their two games against Southside United.

Frenchville are no certainty of winning their remaining games as two of them are against the improving Berserker.

However they also have to play Southside which would boost their goal difference even further should the Southerners hold Bluebirds to a reasonable score in their catch up game.

The games remaining point to the minor premiership being decided after the final round on August 19.

Bluebirds seemed to approach the Berserker game apprehensively realising that a point would probably make sure of the minor premiership.

The result was that they lost some of their fluency and weren't able to string together many passes.

Brad Smith who normally plays up front for Berserker was moved to the backline and this gave them a lot more surety.

At the same time Tony Olson has been moved into the midfield and looked a better player with a free role.

Bluebirds new front runner Darren Mitchell was robbed of an almost certain goal by a brilliant reflex save from Berserker's goalkeeper Barry Caird after only a few minutes.

Reports before the game indicated that Berserker would have to keep the ball on the ground if diminutive strikers Jarvis and Willy O'Neale were going to be able to overcome the height of Bluebirds defenders.

Ironically it was a Jarvis header that brought the goal when he was able to slip away from the normal tight marking.

After the break Bluebirds hit back strongly but weren't able to pierce the strong Berserker defence.

When they went forward they kept playing the ball in the air making it fairly simple for Smith to turn away.

Chris Norton spearheaded a return to form by Nerimbera with four goals in their 7-0 thrashing of Southside.

The first 45 minutes indicated it may well have been Southside's best effort since early in the season.

However after half-time their concentration again lapsed and Nerimbera added five to the two they had scored in the first half.

Other goal scorers were Lance Laphorne 2, and Grant Beevers. Parkana's Premier Grade team were lucky to record a 3-2 win over Frenchville as they didn't seem to concentrate for the entire game.

They jumped ahead 2-0 through goals by Mark Tidbury but then slumped as Frenchville equalised first through an error by stand-in goalkeeper Clayton Rowlands and then from a penalty that didn't have to be given away.

The Frenchville goalscorers were G. Lodge and Greg James.

The Frenchville players seemed to sense that they had Parkana rattled and were unlucky not to get ahead when what appeared to be another penalty wasn't given.

Willy Jensen, a Queensland Under-15 representative in 1989, scored the winner when he rose high above the Frenchville defence to head home a corner.

Saturday afternoon's other Premier Division game saw a 0-0 between Grammar and Berserker.

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THROUGHOUT THE STATE

From previous page

SUNSHINE COAST

The inaugural Ansett NSW Lightning Premiership between Sunshine Coast soccer clubs played earlier this year will become an annual event.

Buderim Wanderers survived a penalty shootout before defeating arch rivals Beegees 1-0 in the final played in June.

Following the tournament Ansett NSW Area Manager Ian Sara announced the competition would become an annual event.

Ansett NSW's sponsorship of the event in conjunction with the Coral Coast Resort will also provide a six day holiday package for two to Cairns for next year's tournament.

The holiday is to be used as a major fund raiser for all Sunshine Coast clubs.

Buderim now remain the only Sunshine Coast side in the Qantas Cup after defeating University Division 3 in a penalty shootout.

The full time score was 1-all and Buderim's hero was keeper Marty Bare who twice saved penalty shots to give his side a 4-2 win.

Buderim now advance to the quarter finals where they will meet Beenleigh Division 3 who accounted for Beegees 2-0.

Maroochydore and Noosa also fought hard before being knocked out of the Qantas Cup by the odd goal.

Annerley Division 3 edged out Maroochydore 2-1 whilst a late goal gave Slacks Creek Division 3 a 1-0 win over Noosa.

SOUTH BURNETT

Wests who sat out round 12 fixtures with a bye, were handed the 1990 South Burnett Soccer League First Division minor Premiership when Easts and Wondai played out a 1-1 draw.

Second placed Easts needed to win on Saturday to keep Wests honest but were lucky to save a point against Wondai, who hotly disputed Easts only goal for what appeared to be offside play.

Easts maintain the all important second spot on the ladder which Wondai or Murgon can capture when they meet in the game of the round at Wondai this week.

Scores: Easts 1 (D. Padget) Drew Wondai 1 (McKay)

Wondai women continued their march at the top of the South Burnett Soccer league ladder with a 3-0 win over Kingaroy last week.

Scores: Wondai 3 (Hockey, Smith, Bleakley) def Kingaroy Nil

Murgon tipped Nanango out of First Division final four contention at Murgon on Saturday in their 3-2 South Burnett soccer league round 13 match after a 1-1 halftime scoreline.

Scores: Murgon 3 (Watt, Cutmore, Moores) def Nanango 2 (Reball Newton)

Nanango women cemented second place on the South Burnett soccer league ladder with a close 1-0 win from a penalty over Murgon last week.

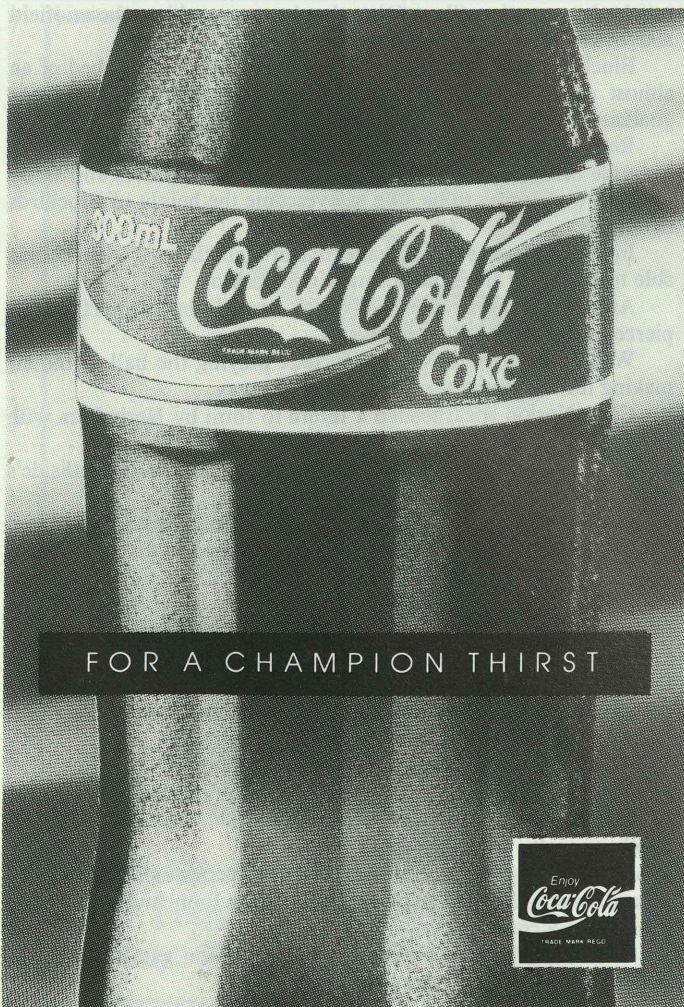
Nanango would not be happy with their results in this match as they have not been dominating the goalscoring department in recent matches having managed nil-all draws with front runner Wondai.

The side would prefer to be putting goals away leading up to their inevitable first semi final against Wondai.

Scores: Nanango 1 (Brown) def Murgon Nil.



ABOVE: Robbie Glover and Brian DeCourcy from the Buderim Wanderers Soccer Club receive the Ansett NSW Lightning Premiership trophy from Sunshine Coast manager of Ansett NSW Ian Sara. Buderim downed rivals Beegees 1-0 in the inaugural event last month having snuck into the final on a penalty shootout over Kawana.



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PLAYING THE GAME RIGHT

with **BRUCE STOWELL**



This week we look at the "HEAD TENNIS GAME".

PREPARATION

Divide the players (any reasonable number) into two equal teams. Mark out a court of appropriate size with cones and discs. Divide each half of the court into two halves and each team into two halves. Make a narrow "no-go" area in the middle instead of a net.

PROCEDURE

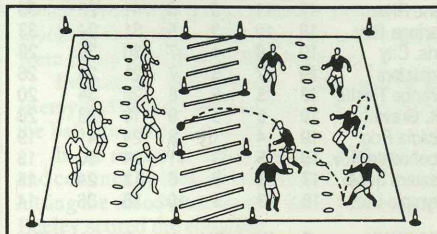
This game is similar to Tennis. Points are scored when the ball bounces twice in an opponents' half or when an opponent returns the ball out of court. The main difference of course is that feet and heads are used instead of racquets.

The ball may be kept in the air any number of times with head or foot by any number of players on their own side of the net (but may only touch the floor once).

It may however only be headed into the opponents' half.

NOTES

- 1) This game often takes time to warm up



as the skill involved and the amount of movement required take a while to sink in so be patient and encourage.

2) The coach needs to be very mobile as this is one of those games which tend to bring out the worst in players' temperaments. Watch particularly the "net" area as there is no limit on height. The idea of this is to produce a variety of headers including dives. This game gives the coach another good chance to stamp some authority on the squad.

3) The game is enjoyable in itself but the coach should look for opportunities to show the players how to set up scoring situations. The way in which a "spike" is set up in Volleyball is very similar to the cross and header in

Soccer.

4) Each phase of the game is started by a player throwing the ball up and heading it from the half-way line.

VARIATIONS

1) Apart from normal scoring, count an extra point if the ball is headed from the back half of one court directly into the back half of the other. The point counts when the ball crosses the plane of the line but the game continues. This added incentive ensures that all players are involved, not just the front halves.

It also makes front players work hard to intercept the ball in this situation. There is no penalty for playing the ball from one half to the other in one's own court.

2) Number the players and move them one at a time from front court to back court each time a point is scored. This ensures that they all get an equal share of the action all round the court.

3) Condition the game so that there are a limited number of touches before the ball must be played back into the opponents' court.

QUEENSLAND Vs INDIA

By *ALAN FOUCHÉ, former Queensland soccer writer.*

What is the most remarkable soccer match to have taken place in Queensland?

No doubt there are many candidates for this honour, but few can match the amazing clash between India and Queensland, played under floodlight at the Exhibition Ground in September 1938.

To start with, only five of the visitors wore boots - the remainder played in bare feet, with their legs covered in cutaway football socks.

The result was that the Queenslanders, accustomed to using studs on their boots, had to make a hasty substitution and switch to leather bars to reduce the risk of injury to their opponents.

From the kick-off, however, the "barefoot wizards" were quick to show that sympathy was the last thing they wanted or expected from the 5,000 crowd who produced gate receipts of about 250 pounds.

Within 12 minutes, Queensland found themselves floundering with a four-goal deficit, prompting the Courier Mail to report next morning: "For sheer trickiness and masterly control of the ball, not better display has been seen from international teams than that provided by the barefooted Rahim, Noor Mohammed, Nandi and Sen, whose agility and remarkable speed completely bewildered the Queensland defence."

Although Queensland managed to pull back a goal, and the Indians suffered the loss of their captain Battacharjee through injury, the match seemed as good as over with a half-time score of 5-1.

Queensland were also handicapped by the absence through an ankle injury of international Lex Gibb, one of the most illustrious members of the renowned Gibb family from Ipswich.

Against their bootless opponents, a further problem for the Queenslanders, lamented the Courier reporter, was an inability to use robust tactics to win possession of the ball.

Nevertheless, a sensational fight-back after half-time conjured up visions of a remarkable victory as Queensland slammed home a series of goals in quick succession to bring the score from 6-1 to 6-5 with 15 minutes left to play.

In a stirring finish, each side scored once more to end a 13-goal scoring bonanza which finished with the startling scoreline of 7-6 to the Indians.

Four goals for Queensland centre-forward C. Brittain showed why he had been selected a few days previously to represent Australia against the tourists, while R. Kitching, another Australian representative that season, was also on the scoresheet. In those days of what would now be regarded as tactical naivety, goals flowed plentifully throughout the Indians' 16-match tour, producing 119 in all.

Apart from the encounter with Queensland, three other games were played in the State, producing scores of 4-4 against Australia, with an official attendance of 10,412 at the Exhibition Ground, 6-2 against Ipswich, and 6-2 against a Queensland XI at Toowoomba.

But few matches could ever have combined the drama produced by half a dozen barefoot players, an explosive four-goal start and a spectacular come-back which led in the end to 13 goals and a cliffhanger finish.

Another point of interest was that the match was refereed by long-time Queensland soccer stalwart Jimmy Perotte, who had himself represented the State as a goalkeeper in the 1920's.

The Queensland team was: R. Neville, H. Seeney, E. Petie, R. Pitcaim, W. Malcolmson, C. Hooper, M. Dale, E. Young, C. Brittain, R. Kitching, T. Parry, Manager: R. Shaylor.

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SOCCER 90 POINTS TABLE

XXXX LEAGUE	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	XXXX RES.	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	XXXX COLTS	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Bris. Lions	19	13	5	1	36	8	44	Bris. Lions	19	12	2	5	50	22	38	North Star	19	5	6	8	31	35	21
Bris. City	19	9	6	4	42	21	33	North Star	18	12	2	4	42	18	38	Eastern Subs	18	9	6	3	26	20	33
North Star	18	8	8	2	45	27	32	Pine Rivers	17	11	3	3	41	23	36	Taringa Rov.	17	9	5	3	28	19	32
Eastern Subs.	18	9	4	5	28	21	31	Taringa Rov.	18	10	3	5	31	24	33	Bris. Lions	18	10	2	6	40	32	32
Taringa Rov.	18	7	7	4	24	22	28	Bris. City	19	8	4	7	30	35	28	Bris. City	19	8	3	8	35	29	27
Rochedale Rov.	19	8	4	7	28	33	28	Coalstars	19	7	5	7	21	24	26	Acacia Rdg.	19	6	7	6	30	26	25
Pine Rivers	19	7	2	7	33	33	23	Grange Thistle	18	5	5	8	29	34	20	Rochedale Rov.	18	5	6	7	27	30	21
Coalstars	18	6	3	9	19	27	21	Mt. Gravatt	19	5	5	9	18	28	20	Olympic Utd.	19	5	6	8	31	35	21
Acacia Rdg.	19	6	2	11	29	42	20	Acacia Rdg.	19	4	7	8	24	41	19	Mt. Gravatt	18	6	2	10	34	36	20
Mt. Gravatt	18	5	1	12	20	28	16	Rochedale Rov.	19	5	3	11	24	30	18	Grange Thistle	19	4	7	8	25	32	19
Grange Thistle	18	3	6	9	20	36	15	Eastern Subs.	17	3	6	8	13	24	15	Pine Rivers	16	5	3	8	25	24	18
Olympic Utd.	18	3	2	13	13	39	11	Olympic Utd.	18	3	5	10	16	36	14	Coalstars	18	4	2	12	14	45	14

XXXX THIRDS	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	DIV. TWO	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	DIV. TWO RES.	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Coalstars	119	14	2	3	54	25	44	Nerang	19	14	3	2	44	16	45	Inala City	19	18	1	-	77	10	55
Acacia Rdg.	19	9	6	4	48	31	33	Bris. Croatia	19	12	3	4	40	18	39	Nerang	18	14	2	2	57	18	44
North Star	19	10	3	6	40	25	33	Inala City	19	9	7	3	43	25	34	Bris. Croatia	19	12	4	3	39	26	40
Bris. Lions	19	10	1	8	39	26	31	St. Albans	19	10	4	5	34	27	34	Wynnum	19	11	4	4	51	25	37
Taringa Rov.	18	9	4	5	33	26	31	St. Helens	19	10	3	6	29	20	33	Willowburn	19	8	3	8	37	54	27
Pine Rivers	19	8	6	5	33	30	30	Wynnum	19	7	6	6	25	23	27	St. Albans	19	8	1	10	27	34	25
Rochedale Rov.	19	8	5	6	33	26	29	The Gap	19	6	6	7	15	17	24	Newmarket	19	7	3	9	40	48	24
Mt. Gravatt	19	8	4	7	25	24	28	Newmarket	19	7	2	10	31	36	23	St. Helens	18	6	4	8	26	30	22
Eastern Subs.	19	5	3	11	32	41	18	Goodna	19	6	3	10	19	28	21	The Gap	19	5	3	11	25	33	18
Grange Thistle	19	5	2	12	32	45	17	Willowburn	19	5	3	11	27	36	18	Goodna	19	5	3	11	25	41	18
Bris. City	19	4	4	11	22	47	16	Mitchelton	19	3	3	13	17	38	12	Redlands	19	2	1	16	18	51	7
Olympic Utd.	18	2	2	14	17	62	8	Redlands	19	1	5	13	14	54	8	Mitchelton	19	1	3	15	15	67	6

DIV. TWO 3rds	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	DIV. THREE	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	DIV. THREE RESP	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Bris. Croatia	18	14	4	-	46	11	46	Annerley	18	9	6	3	35	18	33	Darra Utd	18	13	2	3	53	17	41
St. Albans	19	14	2	3	60	22	44	Latrobe V.	18	9	4	5	31	23	31	Stacks Crk.	17	12	3	2	51	15	39
Inala City	18	12	2	4	47	18	38	Slacks Crk.	17	8	5	4	30	13	29	Beenleigh	17	11	3	3	34	14	36
Newmarket	18	10	2	6	48	29	32	Lutwyche	18	8	5	5	29	28	29	Uni of Old	18	10	2	6	32	21	32
Wynnum	18	10	2	6	45	36	32	Darra Utd.	18	7	7	4	34	27	28	Kingsridge	17	9	4	4	42	26	31
The Gap	17	9	4	4	41	20	31	Souths Utd.	18	7	6	5	28	23	27	Annerley	18	8	5	5	26	20	29
St. Helens	18	6	4	8	27	39	22	Redcliffe	18	6	6	6	17	23	24	Latrobe	18	8	2	8	32	33	26
Willowburn	19	6	-	13	38	51	18	Kingsridge	17	6	5	6	31	27	23	Lutwyche	18	8	1	9	23	33	25
Nerang	18	5	2	11	24	31	17	Beenleigh	17	6	5	6	22	26	23	Souths Utd.	18	6	2	10	27	41	20
Goodna	19	4	2	13	27	45	14	Brothers	16	4	3	9	12	33	15	Redcliffe	18	3	4	11	26	45	13
Redlands	19	3	2	14	27	75	11	Oxley	17	3	4	10	21	31	13	Brothers	16	1	2	13	12	47	5
Mitchelton	19	3	2	14	23	76	11	Uni of Qld	18	1	6	11	16	34	9	Oxley	17	-	2	15	9	54	2

DIV. FOUR	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	DIV. FOUR RES.	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	DIV. FIVE	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Albany Ck.	18	12	5	1	38	14	41	Albany Ck.	18	13	4	1	63	21	43	Virginia	17	14	1	2	56	20	43
Griffith Uni	18	10	2	6	29	21	32	Capalaba	16	14	-	2	53	16	42	Salisbury	18	11	5	2	69	26	38
S'ide Eagle	17	9	4	4	27	18	31	Samford R.	18	12	2	4	68	23	38	North Pine	17	11	4	2	47	15	37
Capalaba	17	7	6	4	40	24	27	Pine Hills	18	10	3	5	39	24	33	Brighton	18	10	4	4	45	14	34
Deception B.	18	8	3	7	33	34	27	Kenmore	18	10	3	5	35	28	29	Ipswich City	17	10	3	4	46	24	33
Pine Hills	18	5	9	4	27	20	24	Pine Hills	18	8	5	5	35	28	29	Woodridge	18	9	1	8	60	46	28
Samford R.	18	6	6	6	27	25	24	Toowong	18	7	6	5	35	30	27	Annerley	18	7	3	8	35	33	24
Kenmore	18	5	8	5	25	26	23	Leichhardt	18	5	5	8	28	43	20	Moggill	17	6	4	7	43	50	22
South Star	18	5	6	7	23	29	21	S'ide Eagles	17	6	1	10	32	33	19	Beenleigh	17	6	1	11	27	52	18
Toowong	18	3	6	9	24	39	15	Griffith Uni	17	5	4	8	28	34	19	Caboolture	18	2	3	13	23	60	9
Leichhardt	18	3	4	11	15	35	13	Deception B.	18	4	3	11	23	49	15	Inala City	17	2	2	13	17	57	8
Western Subs.	18	2	5	11	28	51	11	Western Subs.	18	3	1	14	18	74	10	Ind. Yugal	18	2	-	16	17	88	6

DIV. SIX	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	DIV. SEVEN	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	DIV. EIGHT	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Bayside Utd	16	13	1	2	46	23	40	Virginia	17	11	6	-	42	16	39	Grange Thistle	17	16	1	-	102	13	49
Goodna	16	11	3	2	59	19	36	Uni of Qld	16	12	2	2	69	18	38	Samford	17	12	1	4	37	18	37
Slacks Crk.	17	11	-	6	48	25	33	Salisbury	16	8	3	5	43	31	27	North Star	16	11	2	3	66	20	35
Capalaba	17	9	3	5	41	28	30	Brighton	16	8	3	5	34	24	27	Stacks Crk.	17	11	1	5	40	23	34
Darra Utd.	16	7	4	5	30	27	25	Annerley	17	6	2	9	27	25	20	Taringa R.	16	10	2	4	55	26	32
Dinmore	16	7	3	6	43	33	24	Redcliffe	14	6	1	7	18	26	19	Rochedale	17	8	2	7	34	19	26
Wynnum	17	6	6	5	35	33	24	North Pine	15	3	8	4	18	27	17	Uni of Old	17	7	2	8	35	40	23
Souths Utd.	16	5	-	11	33	42	15	Ipswich City	15	5	2	8	20	32	17	Capalaba	17	5	3	9	20	49	18
Loganholme	16	3	5	8	34	38	14	Moggill	14	5	2	7	22	39	17	Jimboomba	18	3	2	13	23	64	11
Albany Crk.	16	3	3	10	21	45	12	Caboolture	17	3	3	11	18	42	12	Leichhardt	17	3	2	12	21	63	11
Pine Hills	17	-	2	15	12	89	2	Kingsridge	17	2	4	11	26	57	10	Beenleigh	17	3	1	13	16	67	10

XXXX LEAGUE LEADING SCORERS	
at the 5-8-90	
21 goals:	Jim McDonagh (North Star)
17 goals:	Noel Carroll (Pine Rivers)
13 goals:	F. Cuba, K. Cooper (Brisbane City)
	M. Flemington (Acacia Ridge)
11 goals:	C. Koch (Pine Rivers)
9 goals:	Billy McDermott (Eastern Subs.)
8 goals:	N. Meredith (Brisbane Lions)
	C. Fegan (Eastern Subs)
7 goals:	D. Richardson (Acacia Ridge)
6 goals:	D Bender (Grange), A. McHugh, B. Drury (R'dale), A. Armitage (Mt. Gravatt),
5 goals:	G Maltby (Nth Star), J Lowey, J. Playle, (Lions), P Vogler (C'stars), H. Makridakis (Olympic Utd), R. Swan (Nth Star), P. Makridakis (Mt. Gravatt),

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP	
as at 29-7-90	
Club	P W D L F A Pts
Bris. Lions	71 43 9 19 159 85 138
North Star	70 40 14 16 149 84 134
Taringa	67 35 17 15 114 87 122
Pine Rivers	64 30 12 22 128 105 102
Bris. City	72 28 14 30 122 126 98
Acacia Rdg.	72 25 19 28 125 133 94
Rochedale	71 25 16 30 107 115 91
Eastern Sub.	68 24 17 28 95 104 89
Mt. Gravatt	70 23 11 36 94 110 80
Gr. Thistle	70 16 19 35 102 140 67
Olympic Utd	69 13 13 43 73 163 52

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INTO THE NET

HOW TO DROP THE DRAWS.....

Those of you who missed a recent article in THE TIMES newspaper may find very interesting some thought-provoking ideas put forward by readers in Letters to the Editor on how to do away with draws in matches. Most popular idea was the idea of both teams losing one player (or more) in extra time, some stipulating that goal-keepers should go.

Other suggestions included having bigger goal areas, awarding the match to the team committing fewer fouls; wanting either no offside or at least redrawing of this rule; a penalty shootout before the match actually begins- and some with tongue-in-cheek arguing there should be only a penalty shoot-out, thus saving a huge amount of time i.e. allowing the entire World Cup to be played in one day; sudden-death - the first team to score once extra time begins no matter how long (or little) it takes; giving the decision to the team scoring the first goal in the match (difficult if it is a scoreless draw) and a points systems as in boxing which would create a swag of extra officials.

SOCCKER 90 would like to get your views-drop us a line c/- Perry Park.

Nice gesture from CLAYTON KOCH (Pine Rivers) who made time last Saturday to assist Craig Johnston and a couple of local coaches at the AMP Coaching Clinic at Perry Park, then headed back to Strathpine to play and score in Rivers 2-4 loss to the unpredictable Rochedale Rovers.

The roar which went up from the Mt Gravatt supporters at Dittmer Park last Saturday night would have you thinking they had won the Grand Final, instead of drawing with Brisbane Lions, but when you're desperate every point counts. Highlights of the match were some truly stunning runs by Brendan Eastwell (Lions) and good work by both keepers, Kevin Tatton for the Richlands crew, and Stuart Woodruffe who kept the Hawks in the game with a series of heart-stopping saves.

Shock of the week was to learn that one of the codes greatest supporters and a long time hard worker and official of Mt Gravatt, BILL NEWMAN was hospitalised from a heart attack last Saturday. We wish Bill a speedy recovery.

TROY CRANNEY, having now completed his "education" at the Australian Institute of Sport in Canberra, is rumoured to be off to join Sunshine St George Cross in Melbourne. Now where have we heard that Club mentioned recently? Troy was another success story from Brisbane South's full-time representative scheme (abandoned at the start of this year) and figured prominently in both Junior Zone and State rep teams. Troy's brother Sean is the blonde-haired speedster with a powerful shot who is a regular starter in Taringa Rover's XXXX top team.

A good business to be in at the present time would be knife sharpening as the daggers come out as scapegoats are sought for the poor performance of certain teams. Rather than crying "foul" at everyone in sight, now is the time to look at NEXT season. Set out a plan of action for next year which includes reversing the mistakes of this year and get it working NOW so your players and supporters will see a brighter future and have confidence in that future.

MATCH REPORTS

Deception Bay 2 d Pine Hills 1.

Deception Bay scored only minutes into the game after a goalmouth scramble. As the game settled down Hills lacked patience and relied too much on the lone ball through the centre which were easily absorbed by Bays' defence.

Eventually Hills became their own worst enemy and became frustrated as they tried to play the ball around too quickly.

In the second half Hills started to take control and continually looked dangerous in front of goal hitting the woodwork several times before Kevin Beeley scored the equaliser.

As the game progressed both teams became weary which became evident in their play.

It was Deception Bay who found the extra legs and scored on the counter attack leaving Hills back line stunned for the last 10 minutes.

Hills rushed forward once again but couldn't find that final touch. Wayne Dowse who had already played a full reserve grade game and all

but 20 minutes of this game put in a strong effort.

Reserves: Pine Hills 4 d Deception Bay 1

Goals from Hills' Tim Boag and Steven Mclean allowed them to settle the game and play the ball around.

Apart from one or two mid-field players, Deception Bay put up little resistance and it was only Hills bad finishing that left the scoreline respectable. Deception Bay scored their only goal from the penalty spot just before half-time.

Early in the second half Hills continued to push forward but it was a Deception Bay player that got the final touch to score an own goal.

Hills were then content to sit back sensing the game was won. They could have quite easily have paid for their lethargy as Deception Bay had several chances to catch up.

Late in the game Hills new signing Neil Applewell beat the offside trap and finished well lobbing the ball wide of Bay's keeper for Hills fourth goal.

HOT GOSSIP AS THE SEASON HOTS UP

The final scenes of the 1990 soccer season are about to be acted out.

And while the season will end in tears of triumphant joy for some teams, for others it will be tears of grief shed at what could have been.

But before this happens there is still a few weeks of the regular home and away fixtures to be played.

And it is during this time the rumours and speculation run rife on where teams will end the year before the final curtain comes down.

Here's a little look at some of the certainties and not so certainties happening in Queensland soccer at the moment.

The XXXX League First Division Premiership is all over bar the shouting with Brisbane Lions clear on top of the table.

Only one team can possibly stop Lions from taking the crown, but they need a miracle and then some.

The team is North Star, who have to win all their remaining games (by huge margins) and hope Lions lose their remaining games.

Onto the teams who will be relegated to

Second Division. It would be a brave man to pick the two who will go down at this stage of the season.

However, we can say the raffle seems to be between four teams (does that help?).

The Second Division teams who will gain First Division status next year is only a little easier to pick at this stage.

Gold Coast club Nerang will definitely be promoted, but the remaining position is still up for grabs.

Third Division is also a raffle with those clubs to be promoted and relegated to be decided in these final few rounds.

And here are some other interesting facts.

XXXX Third Grade club Coalstars could lose all their remaining games and still take out the premiership.

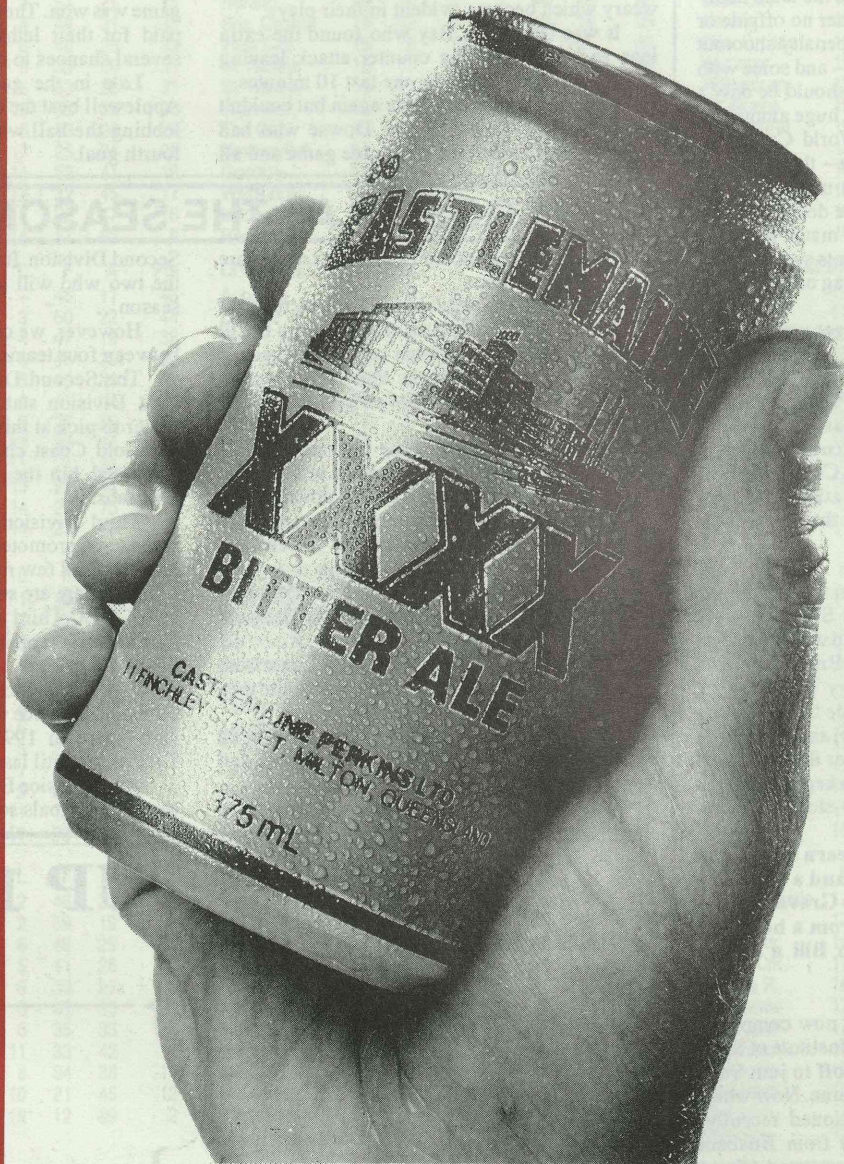
The "Hard-luck" award must go to Redlands Division Two side who will be relegated to Division Three in 1991 after being in the XXXX League up until last year.

And Division Eight club Grange Thistle have scored 100 goals so far this season.

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