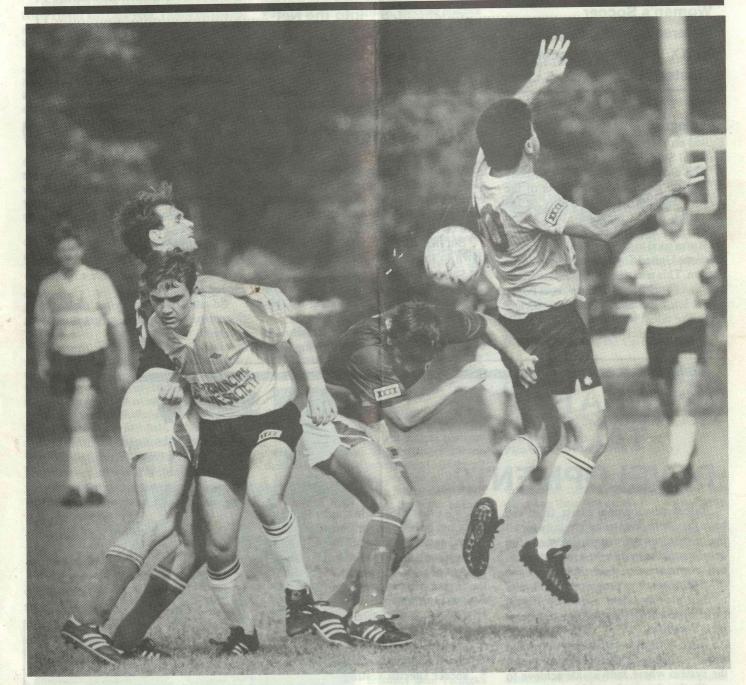


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SOCCER - IT'S HOT

I.E.A. INTER-CITY SERIES

Wednesday, April 8

6.45 pm Brisbane North v Ipswich 8.30 pm Gold Coast v Toowoomba at Brisbane Lions Soccer Club

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Congratulations to Brisbane United on their sixth-place finish in the National Soccer League.

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This outstanding result was testimony in itself to the talent and efforts of the players, and the strategic ability of the coaching staff, headed by Miron Bleiberg.To all concerned, well done!

It was good to see Steve Bullock named Brisbane United Supporters' Player of the Season. This was despite the Prime Minister's well-publicised feelings about Poms.

At least Brisbane United supporters recognise talent when see it and after all, that's what "sport" and "support" is all about.

Editorial

With the return of Brisbane United players to XXXX League competition over the next few weeks, it will be interesting to see what effect those players have on the various clubs' performances.

But like all team sports, it will come down to the complete team effort when the chips are down.

On a social and financial note, clubs would be wise to start planning for this season's Miss Soccer quest.

The quest is a great opportunity for clubs to raise funds as well as giving itself

a unified social focus.

Selby

The final will be staged at the Greek Club in South Brisbane on August 22.

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That will be a night not to be missed. Make sure you put that evening aside.

This gala evening will be the largest ever staged by the Queensland Soccer Federation, and numbers are expected to exceed 600.

So start planning your club's Miss Soccer quest campaign and get your tables reserved.

WHAT IS TALENT DEVELOPMENT?

Talent development starts from the basis that there must be opportunity for all junior soccer players to participate in fun development activities, and to pursue excellence in areas of their choice.

If juniors are to progress to the limits of their playing talent, then they should experience a broad base of skill development activities.

Identifying talented soccer players at an early stage is an attempt to improve on the system where individuals achieve to an elite level more by accident than design. Coaches responsible for talent development must understand the advantages of the various talent identification procedures.

The central aim of talent identification is prediction. Reliable methods of exact prediction of top performance capability in soccer are continually being sought. There is evidence that only very general predictions of those most likely to succeed can be made for young children and that success in soccer skill activity can be better identified after certain crucial ages (usually not before about 12 years of age), and by looking at the development of performance capability during the first one to two years of specific development training.

For reliability, talent identification should include elements of:

- * competition performances
- * coach observation and intuition
- soccer specific testing

Talent selection must take into account all parameters which will help identify individuals who appear suitable for inclusion in the appropriate level of a high performance soccer training program.

The talent selection scheme must be linked into an overall soccer development scheme. A possible linkage system is shown.

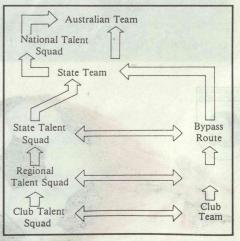
The bypass route is included because there will always be talented individuals who will for various reasons miss out on selection. The biologically immature 'late developer' is a common example.

It is desirable to allow for re-selection within a participant group over a number of years. This depends on:

- * the age at which top performances is normally achieved
- the period of training required for top performance.

Jim Selby State Director of Coaching

Says



Development Linking System

XXXX SOCCER LEAGUE The Week in Review - Round 2

Grange Thistle 2 V Lutwyche United 0 Half Time: 0 – 0 Scorers:

Grange Thistle: P Schloss, P Redmond

In the local derby between next-door neighbours Thistle and Lutwyche, Thistle picked up maximum points in their first home game of the season.

It was a match that never really reached any great heights, but after a scoreless first half, and a few well chosen words from coach Iain Fagan, Thistle came out full of running and took the game up to Lutwyche and succeeded in putting away two goals in this second stanza.

For Lutwyche, they are finding life in the top league is a bit more difficult than they thought it would be, with the first three games against Brisbane City, Grange Thistle and this weekend, the Premiers Brisbane Lions, ensuring they are given a good welcome.

No-one ever said it would be easy, and coach Mauro Saftich undoubtedly is taking copious notes for the long weekends ahead.

Coalstars 1 V Brisbane Croatia 0 Half Time: 0 – 0 Scorer: Coalstars: M, Brusasco

In exceedingly hot and humid conditions, the only day match in the XXXX League over the weekend, resulted in a win for Coalstars, thus making them the only team to gain maximum points after two rounds of fixtures.

Both sides had good opportunities to open their account in the first half, but these were spurned by many players with probably the best opportunity coming to Coalstars from mid-fielder Brenley Jefferd. He drove a shot four cautions, but it certainly wasn't vicious or a dirty match, probably the excessive heat conditions played a part in the frustrations encountered by not only the players, but many of the spectators. For Coalstars, an almost unaccustomed position at the top of the table, whilst for Brisbane Croatia, shooting practice is most definitely required. Joe Stipancic did not live up to his 1991 good form, and needs more motivation on the field.

Mt Gravatt 1 V North Star 2 Half Time: 0 – 2 Scorers: North Star: A. Watson, S. Haddow Mt Gravatt: D. Stowers

Reinstated keeper for North Star, beanpole Noel Lord, helped earn his team their first premiership points for the season by producing a number of top saves, as well as saving a penalty. For the losing side, they were not helped by the suspension of former State keeper Stuart Woodruffe through his indiscretion the previous week, but this did not prevent the Hawks from launching waves of attack upon North Star, with only one goal to show for their efforts.

For North Star, some honour was saved after their crushing home defeat the previous week, whilst for Mt Gravatt, any score line would have to be better than the one they experienced in Round 1.

Brisbane City 0 V Taringa Rovers 0

Taringa were fully expecting to continue their good work from the previous week when they put five past the usually sound Mt Gravatt

defence, but at Spencer Park, frustration appeared to get the better of their forwards, as in the first half, they completely dominated, with at least eight good scoring chances being wasted through inaccurate shooting.

This was a first half that was most entertaining with end to end football, Taringa definitely having the upper edge, but a combination of poor accuracy from Taringa's forwards, and good keeping from City's Wayne Evans resulted in no score at the break.

City then came out full of fire, but based on this performance, they are sorely in need of a good striker, as it could be many more matches before they start to score goals.

For Taringa, any one of six players had a shot at goal with both Danny Britton and Steve Roche probably standing out. For City, newcomer Carlos Espinoso worked hard with little reward, whilst defender Martin Jennison had probably the busiest game that he will have for many a day. Goals may be hard to come by for City, but if Taringa hit their straps again, there could be another avalanche from the Indooroopilly side.

Brisbane Lions 1 V Eastern Suburbs 1 Half Time: 1-0 Scorers: Brisbane Lions: C. Priddy Eastern Suburbs: O.G.

Youngster Craig Priddy for Lions continues to impress in every outing to date as he continued his goal scoring feats from the Pre-Season Tournament to again net for Lions early in the match.

These are two teams that are fully committed to attack these days, and as a consequence it was no surprise when Billy McDermott's shot took a deflection to give the equalising goal. The Tigers' are having a dream start to the year for new coach Tommy Pike, and it's an even bet that Easts will be up in the top half of the table for most of the season, particularly after these early performances.

For those who think goal scorers get cheated out of their goals at times, the referees are the final adjudicators on just who does score at the end of the match, hence the new initials for Billy McDermott at the top of this column.

Pine Rivers 1 V Rochedale Rovers 3 Half Time: 0 – 2

Goal Scorers:

Rochedale: R. Stewart (Penalty), K. Cooper, S. Hart

Pine Rivers: N. Carroll (Penalty)

Rochedale Rovers, another team expected to dominate the early part of the season, also picked up their first points with a good away win over one time entertainers, Pine Rivers.

Rivers are now in danger of losing their entertaining tag, as on their last few performances, they are not pushing the ball around as prolifically and as easily as they once did. Taringa is now fast getting this new nickname attached to them.

Honours were even in the second half with a 1-1 score line, however the early goals for Rochedale gave them the breathing space they required, and with the number of new purchases Rochedale have made, it's fairly clear that they will be up in the top three-four places over the coming weeks, whilst it could well be a long winter ahead for Pine Rivers.

COMMENT

The table at present has a decidedly odd look about it, with a number of clubs facing problems already in the goal scoring department, as well as defensively. Is it possible the early season transfer flurry will continue for another few weeks, or will coaches have faith in their existing squad of players. Watch this space!



Aaron Jefferd of Coalstars in last Saturday's match against Brisbane Croatia

that was goal bound, but took a deflection from the keeper at the last moment, this resulted in a 0-0 scoreline at half-time. Brisbane Croatia's Harry Makridakis was one of many that was wayward in his shooting, before Mark Brusasco scored the only goal midway through the second half, after a good lead-up from Darren Petie.

It was a match that had one send-off and

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BRISBANE NORTH

The Brisbane North and Districts Association had a great start to the season with some top games being played in the Under 15s and Junior Colts.

Round 1 produced some surprises as well as some good results.

Round 2 was interrupted by a good downpour but the youngsters shone through to produce some top football.

The under 15s are motoring along well and everyone is looking forward to the acrossthe-river contests.

Action Against Foul Language

The only unfortunate aspect of an otherwise excellent start to the season has been several instances of foul language.

FIFA laws clearly identify foul and abusive language as an action which will result in the offending player being dismissed from the field of play.

Coaches and referees should understand that there are ladies and other youngsters in the stands and on the sidelines, and they come to watch good football. They do not go to the football to hear those with a very limited vocabulary exercise their lack of creative expression.

For the sake of the game, please play your part in stamping out foul language.

Season Opening at Pine Rivers

The season opening will take place on Saturday at Pine Rivers.

The club is expecting a good roll-up of past and present players, including those from the victorious Brisbane United.

Why not spend a little of your time and come along on Saturday at 9am, to meet the Brisbane North committee, representative players and coaches, and the hard-working people at Pine Rivers who have put the day together.

You will also have the opportunity to watch some good football

Be there or miss out!

Delegates Meeting

There is a delegates meeting on Tuesday, April 7, at 7.15pm at Perry Park. After the first round, there should be some interesting discussion.

BRISBANE SOUTH

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The 1992 Junior season on the southern side of the river commenced last Sunday, with the under 15s and Colts playing their first games in the Brisbane Combined competition.

Brisbane South fielded 14 teams in the Under 15 age group and 15 teams in Colts.

Fixtures for the Under 7 to Under 14 age groups start on Saturday.

This season Under 7s to Under 9s will play modified rules with no results published by the Association or clubs. Under 10s to Under 14s will play for premiership points.

Representative squads are continuing to train and will play trial games in preparation for the State titles in June.

The BSDJSA committee wishes all clubs and players an enjoyable and successful 1992 season.





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This is your chance to have fun while improving your game at the same time. The clinics will be conducted throughout Queensland during the Easter Vacation. In Brisbane there will be Strike Force Clinics conducted on the North and South sides, so you don't have to travel too far.

Brisbane South: Brisbane North:	* Acacia Ridge* Kenmore Rangers	* Mt. Gravatt * Mitchelton	* Logan City Kings* Caboolture	* Coalstars
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- * Your own Strike Force Clinic T-Shirt.
- * A Queensland Soccer Federation Strike Force Certificate.
- * Visits through the week from National Soccer League Players and National Youth Players.



Women's Soccer

With the final round of the Atlanta Cup over, the semi-finals will kick off at Geebung on Sunday.

This pre-season grading competition has helped many coaches assess the strengths and weaknesses of their teams, before fixtures begin the weekend after Easter.

In Fourth and Fifth divisions, the semifinals will feature Slacks Creek v Souths and Deception Bay v Kingsridge respectively.

Second and Third divisions will be Souths v Brisbane City and North Star v Acacia Ridge. In First division, Coalstars will be up against Brisbane City and Easts take on Newmarket.

Finals of this competition will be played on April 12 at Atlanta Field, Geebung and fixtures will begin after the Easter break.

BRISBANE V IPSWICH

An Ipswich v Brisbane women's game will be the curtain-raiser to the Brisbane v Sunshine Coast men's clash at Goodna this week. Both Brisbane and Ipswich coaches are

TO KO CUP FINAL Undefeated Murgon Women made sure of place in the South Burnett Association's Knockout Cup Women's final this weekend with a 4-0 win over Nanango at Kingaroy last

Saturday. Wide Bay School Girls rep Vicky Grant started Murgon's first half goal onslaught with a chip over Nanango keeper Jackie Iverach, in the first minute.

Iverach had a first half she would like to forget but her second half effort was outstanding.

In the third minute, Murgon went 2-0 up when Grant combined with long-striding Sally Woods for Woods to beat Iverach again.

new to women's soccer in Queensland and will be looking at this match as a preview to their meeting at the State titles.

While this is only the beginning of the season, most of the girls have been training for some time and should turn on a fast and skilful game.

DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP

A development forum for women's soccer, "Kick-start to Soccer", was held in Canberra last weekend.

The Australian Women's Soccer Association has now formulated new plans to achieve a series of goals over the next four to five years.

The forum was addressed by the ASRF's Carl Thayer, ASF Development Officer Steve Darby, Steve Keilan of the Australian School Sports Association and National Executive Director of AWSA, Heather Reid.

Issues such as increased player participation, increased funding, higher profile for our elite players and skills development were addressed and goals have been set for 1995.

UNDEFEATED MURGON

Nanango had no answer to the rolling Murgon attack despite Murgon being down to 10 players, after losing Therese Bolger in the seventh minute, with a leg muscle tear.

Daughter Rachel, more than made up for mum's loss, when she engineered two goals from 30m strikes for a half-time score of 4-0.

To Nanango's credit they tightened up their defence in the second half to keep Murgon scoreless.

Murgon's 4-0 win allowed Kingaroy through to the final because of their first round 2-0 defeat of Nanango.

Scores: Murgon 4 (Woods 2, Grant, R.Bolger) d Nanango Nil

FIFA DIRECTIVES

One of the statutory aims of FIFA is to control football by taking every possible measure to prevent breaches of the Laws of the Game published by the International Football Association Board.

We therefore wish to remind you of some special instructions intended to deal effectively with certain unlawful practices which harm our sport and undermine the spirit of fair play. Considering that Soccer is virtually the showcase of international football, FIFA insists that the directives given below are implemented. The directives are as follows:

1. If a player, who is heading straight for the opponents'goal without anything in his way and with an obvious chance of scoring a goal, is stopped in his tracks by unlawful means (being held back by his shirt or arm etc.) either by the goalkeeper or another opponent, the referee will interpret the infringement as a serious foul. He will therefore send the offending player off, in accordance with Law XII

Refereeing with Des Miles

2. If, during a free kick ordered by the referee against one of the teams, an opponent positions himself in front of the ball with the intention of delaying the free kick being taken and enabling his team to arrange their defensive positions, the referee will caution the offending player immediately without further ado.

3. If a player is bleeding badly as a result of injury, the referee will order the player in question to be treated off the field of play and will not allow him back on the pitch until he has been treated adequately.

4. Players are required to be respectably dressed. If the referee notices, for example, that a player's shirt is hanging out of his shorts or that he has let his socks down, he must order the player to adjust his clothing. The player may be stopped from playing on until he has complied with the referee's request.

5. After a goal has been scored, the player

Resulta of Atlanta Cup as at March 22, 1992

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SUNSHINE COAST WOMEN'S SOCCER

Seven teams will again contest the Sunshine Coast Women's competition, after Caboolture stepped into the spot vacated by Woombye.

It was a bitter blow for Sunshine Coast soccer when Woombye, narrowly beaten grand finalists in 1991, were forced to fold.

The Coast this year will be out to maintain their strong 1991 form in the Watson Shield, when they brought home the Consolation Cup with a win over North Star in the final. The Coast had won this trophy once previously, in 1982

The visit to the Sunshine Coast by Australian Women's captain, Anissa Tann, proved an outstanding success. The likeable Tann conducted two coaching clinics - one at Buderim and the other at Caloundra - and also visited four coast high schools to give talks and demonstrations on soccer skills for girls.

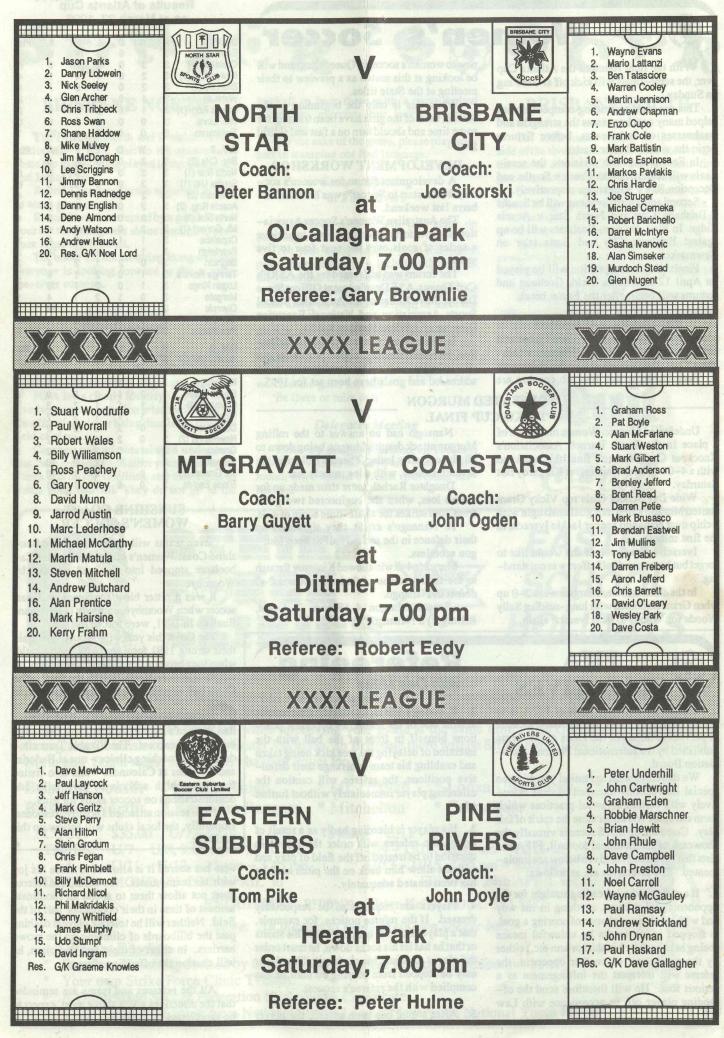
Each session attracted a positive response. Hopefully, the local clubs will follow up this initiative.

who has scored it is allowed to share his joy with his team-mates. However, the referee must not allow them to spend an inordinate amount of time in their opponents' half of the field. Neither will he tolerate players dashing past the billboards of climbing up the crowd barriers. In either of these last two cases, he will caution the offending players.

All the referees and teams are reminded that the directives given above must, expect to be sanctioned.

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Success Rate	37.5%	42%	50%	50%
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1992 I.E.A. **INTER-CITY SERIES**

GROUP A **Brisbane South** Toowoomba **Gold Coast**

GROUP B Brisbane North Ipswich Sunshine Coast

DRAW

Wednesday April 1 - 8.00 pm at Goodna District Soccer Club Ipswich v Sunshine Coast

Wednesday April 8 at Brisbane Lions Soccer Club 6.45 pm - North Brisbane v Ipswich 8.30 pm - Gold Coast v Toowoomba

> Wednesday April 15 Gold Coast v Brisbane South at Palm Beach Soccer Club.

Tuesday April 28 at Eastern Suburbs Soccer Club Toowoomba v Brisbane South

Wednesday April 29 Sunshine Coast v Brisbane North Buderim Wanderers Soccer Club

Wednesday May 13 at Perry Park Final - Winner Group A v Winner Group B

The two squads of players to represent Brisbane in the forthcoming I.E.A. Inter-City Series is as listed below:

Brisbane (North)

W Evans (Bris. City); M Kirsopp, D Docherty (Grange); S Haddow, N Seeley, D Lobwein, L Scriggins (North Star); P Underhill, J Cartwright, G Eden, M Greer, J Preston (Pine Rivers); S Glockner, S Cranney (Taringa).

Brisbane (South)

J Stipancic (Bris. Croatia); J Lucas, J Schiavo, J Lombardo, W Hinton, C Collins (Bris. Lions); R Stewart, J Stewart, K Cooper (Rochedale); S Woodruffe, D Stowers, J Austin (Mt. Gravatt); S Grodum, M Geritz, B McDermott (Eastern Suburbs).

The following squad of fourteen players have been selected to represent Ipswich in the forthcoming I.E.A. Inter-City Series.

Coalstars: G Ross, M Gilbert, B Jefferd, B Read, D Petie, B Anderson, P Boyle. St. Helens: C Riemers, J Finlayson, A Niven, N O'Sullivan, J Malone, G Gibb, P Vogler. **Team Officials:** Coach - John Ogden, Manager - Jeff O'Sullivan, Strapper - Mark Madden

THE PRESENT

It's Saturday morning. My son has just asked me if he's to play soccer this weekend.

"No," I reply "You're not wanted in the team anymore. Your coach says that you are not good enough."

He is now trying to work on a jugsaw puzzle. It's a little hard. His heart is broken. His glasses

keep on fogging up. I suggested that he may be allowed to play by another club.

Pity that his friends won't be there.

What's more important - the game or the friendship?

He's been with the same club and some of the same players for four years. This was to have been his fifth.

He's been loyal to that soccer club.

Thursday night.

Your son is 50% the player that others are.

I'm not in it to win.

I have fifteen players.

Only need thirteen.

But he can play for another team - higher age group. Friday night.

Sorry, we can't fit him into a higher age group. You can have your club membership and player's registration fees back.

Saturday morning again.

He's still trying to work on the jugsaw puzzle. He's wondering what he did wrong.

Nothing - it's just that you are not a champion player.

We're not in it to win?

Life's pretty hard when you are eleven year old. By the way. His birthday was Thursday. Happy Birthday Peter.

Name and address supplied

THROUGHOUT THE STATE

SUNSHINE COAST

Night games have been incorporated into the SCSA First division premiership to cater for 10 teams playing three complete rounds.

The first of these took place on Monday, March 23, at Buderim, where the home team cruised to a comfortable 4-1 win over Maroochydore. Buderim, although losing a couple of key players, have found adequate replacements in new signings Jeff Haydon and Alan Beasley.

Tuesday night saw games at four venues. At Coolum, Woombye scored their first victory in almost a year when they spanked the home side 3-0. David Currie and Steve Gray (2) were the goalscorers.

tussle against Nambour 2-1 with new signings Dave Marcon and Ken Neill doing the damage. Nambour's goal came from Leon Harris Beegees and Noosa fought out

a dour 0-0 draw at Glasshouse with former Buderim goalie Marty Barr, making his debut for Beegees. Beegees coach David Payen has been forced to rebuild his defence after substantial player losses. Kawana proved too strong for

newcomers, Maleny, 5-0.

Sunshine Coast played host to Vanuatu at Buderim last week, with the visitors turning on a scintillating display of speedy soccer. They defeated the Coast 5-0 and amazed Caloundra won an entertaining the spectators with their skills.

has been included in the Australian

squad, a good example for all

The TJSA expects to have well

MARYBOROUGH AND HERVEY BAY

Soccer in the Maryborough and Hervey Bay area is riding high on the success of local products Mark Geritz (Easts), Andrew Hobbs (Rochedale) and Shane Haddow (North Star) in the XXXX League.

No representative matches were played last year, however in 1990 we had creditable draws with both Bundaberg and Rockhampton in the Ampol Cup.

Doonvilla finished third in the Central Queensland League, and started the season off in fine style with a 4-1 thrashing of League champs Across the Waves of Bundaberg.

Our ground improvement program should have a third senior playing field ready later this season.

In addition, underground drainage has been completed on field one and lighting improvements have been installed.

On the playing scene, one of the major bonuses is our entry into the main draw of the Ampol Cup.

We are also looking forward to hosting XXXX League teams in Maryborough.

At the end of the season we will be hosting an Over 35s carnival as

BUNDABERG

One of the code's finest supporters has again stepped into the fray to sponsor Bundaberg Soccer Federation's senior competition.

Wide Bay Brickworks, a major sponsor of the Brisbane United team which fired so well in the NSL, has reinforced its commitment to soccer in the Bundaberg area.

Managing Director, Sante Troiani has had a long association with Bundaberg soccer and the Federation is looking forward to continuing this most fruitful partnership.

Preparations are under way for this year's Under 16 Coca Cola Talent Identification Series.

Bundaberg is proud to have again been chosen and centres throughout the State will thoroughly enjoy their week commencing June 28.

The Juniors had their first fixtures last week-end with 105 teams taking part and playing numbers rising for the second consecutive vear.

With an intensive schools skills program taking place during this period with the RDOC it is hoped part of Maryborough Masters Games. More details of this event will be given later in the year.

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C.Q. League: Doonvilla 6 (C. Bassett 2, E Berry 2, M Prove, R Cullen) d Diggers 0. 1st Division: Tinana 6 (S Brunkie 4, R Bedford, P Kropp, A Souvlis) def Granville 0. Doonvilla 8 (M Belton 3, S Berry 3, D Faulkner, D Barwick) d Wests 1 (M Jefferies). Hervey Bay 1 (D Cupitt) d Olympians 0. 2nd Division: Doonvilla No 1 - 6 (W Britton 2, S Carvolth, S Barnes, G Prove, C Baker) def Wests 0. Doonvilla Colts 3 (J Warren 2, R Lunney 1) d Heritage City 1 (R Lindsay). Granville 3 (S Gilchrist, J Halley, C Murtagh) d Tinana 0. Hervey Bay 6 (A Crowthers 3, C Phillpot 3) def Olympians 0. Doon Villa No 23 drew with Hervey Bay No 2 3).

Women: Tinana 4 d Olympians No 2 - 0. Tinana Terrors 8 d Olympians No 1 – 1. Hervey Bay 4 d Doon Villa 0.

Soccer 92 apologises for the typo in Issue 2. Unfortunately incorrect results were published - Doonvilla def Across the Waves 4-1 is the correct result. Ed.

this trend will continue. Last weekend's games in the Central Queensland League saw teams travelling to and from Rockhampton for the first time, after a string of local derbies over the opening two weeks.

At Rockhampton, Across the Waves drew with Rockhampton's Bluebirds 0-0; and Aston Villa outpointed the young talented Berserker 3-1. Locally, Bingera were upset 4-0 by last year's grand final winners Frenchville and newcomers Eagles again showed they will be no push over with a well earned 1-0 victory over Rockhampton side Nerimbera. Doon Villa defeated Bundaberg's Diggers 6-0 to remain undefeated although they have a game in hand.

Points after 3 rounds: Eagles 7 (B), Doon Villa 6 *(M), Frenchville 6 (R), Aston Villa 4 *(B), Bingera 4 (B), Bluebirds 4 (R), Berserker 3 (R), Clinton 3 *(G), Nerimbera 3 (R), A.T.W. 2 (B), Diggers 0 (B).

(R) Rockhampton, (B) Bundaberg, (G) Gladstone, (M) Maryborough. * Games in hand.

TOOWOOMBA

Toowoomba sides got off to a mixed start to QSF fixtures, with Willowburn scoring two wins and St Albans suffering two losses.

A good crowd should see a strong encounter at the Stan Maker Field this Sunday in the first "local derby".

Locally, the senior season kicks off this weekend with the junior season officially starts on May 2.

The Juniors have a pre-season carnival on April 11, with 99 teams vying for the "Bill Taylor Trophy".

On May 4, the annual SWQ v WEQ clashes in Under 12, 13, 14 and 15 will be played at the Captain Cook complex.

Congratulations from all soccer enthusiasts to Chay Hews who

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Wests Regain KO Cups

Wests restored the First and Second division Knockout Cups to the trophy shelves of the Kingaroy Hotel last weekend, when they defeated Wondai (1-0) and Murgon (3-1) respectively.

Wests' narrow win over Wondai in the First division may not have eventuated had Wondai's firstminute strike by Alan Wier escaped the outstretched fingers of Mick North.

Wests made the most of that let-off and midfield dynamo Ben Wood found the net in the ninth minute

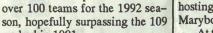
He combined with left wing Dominic Savage to force a corner which Thomas Sidney stroked into the goal mouth for a quick Wondai clearance straight to Wood, who slammed a 30m shot into the top of the net

Wondai came out from lemons a revitalised side. For the next 20 minutes they held possession, created half-chances and frequently cut out Wests last passes.

But Wests hung on tenaciously and took charge 10 minutes from time as Wondai started to run out of steam.

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we had in 1991.



Roo-Ball has been adopted for Under 6 to Under 8 teams, with 40 sides competing.

The energetic committee led by Kathy Bird (Pres), Rod Duck (Sec), Ruth Duck (Asst Sec) Keith Condon (VP), Peter Tyson (Jun. VP), Linda Wardell (Treas), Don Stanzer (Reg) and Christine Hazlehurst (Fixtures Officer) have everything under control for what should be an exciting, entertaining and very competitive season.

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Though doing little to grab supporters' attention in the first half, the second 45minute session in the division Two match between ACACIA RIDGE and OLYMPIC last Saturday night was action-packed.

Final scoreline of 3–0 favoured the Ridge who, despite losing some quality players following their demotion from the XXXX League, put some good moves together and could easily have doubled their goals tally.

Club stalwarts are hoping a good working relationship between Coach-player Dave Richardson and Reserves Coach, the wily Fred Robins will bring the BLUES back to their glory days.

GRANGE LOTTO got an unexpected boost last Friday night when QSF Committee person with a reputation for short arms and long pockets took out a couple of entries.

Must have been tempted by the steadily growing jackpot which this weekend stands at \$2,720!

Name: Tony Bellino

Club: Lutwyche Date of Birth: 18.6.68 Star sign: Gemini Height: 184 cm Weight: 86kg Marital status: Single "Bellisimo" Nickname: Favourite food: Pasta Favourite drink: Jim Beam Favourite TV show: Italian Soccer Favourite musician/band: The Jam Preferred position: Goalkeeper Junior Club played: Annerley, Mt. Gravatt, Valley Trident Senior Playing history: Brisbane City, The Gap, Lutwyche Representative team: Queensland Youth 83-85 Most Influence on sporting career: Father Biggest Disappointment: Losing 1984 Youth Grand Final Greatest Moment: Winning 1985 Youth Title, helping Lutwyche gain promotion in 1991. **Other Sports:** Squash, Golf & Tennis Favourite Pastimes: Relaxing

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Into the Net

The GRANGE THISTLE trifecta, 7–8–9, are a class trio, and along with an improving No 1 'keeper could do a lot for Coach Iain Fagan's premiership aspirations. Check GT's player list in the centre pages to match numbers to names.

Though the visit by VANUATU caused no great flurry on the local soccer scene, the players, Coach TERRY O'DONNELL and Vanuatu F.A. President KALMAN KIRI made the most of it on a very steep learning curve. A great bunch of fellows, they were greatly appreciative of Queensland's hospitality and assistance.

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FRANK FARINA on the move on loan from Italian Club Bari to English division one Club Notts County, currently languishing in the danger (relegation) zone.

Most attention-grabbing transfer to date would have to be regular XXXX League player CAMERON BELL who has moved down the freeway from Mt Gravatt to Annerley. If the players around him can lift their game to match Cameron, Annerley could be promotion-bound come season's end.

With the close of BRISBANE UNITED's great Summer of Soccer last Sunday, several local Clubs are eagerly anticipating the return of their players. Don't be too disappointed folks, if some of the lads take a well-deserved break from the round ball game before pulling on the boots for a XXXX League team.

FIFA Officials were in Brisbane last weekend inspecting grounds for the 1993 World Youth Championships. After a business meeting at Perry Park on Sunday morning, the officials stayed to watch Brisbane United's final National League game of the season.

The XXXX League is the flag ship of the competition in Brisbane and as such it's fully expected that Clubs would act in a professional manner.

In some instances this does in fact occur; however, on at least three occasions over the last two weekends, phone calls to clubs requesting results from interested spectators have resulted in either a "funny" score-line or a sarcastic comment of "there's no-one here". This professionalism has to be extended off the field, as well as on.

It's time Club executives passed on these professional views to the people manning their telephones.

Just how thorough are clubs with their checking of fplayers' eligibility.

At least two prominent clubs have put players on the park with carry-over suspensions from last year.

Loss of match points and fines are imminent. Clubs should be more diligent with their pre-season book-work.



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