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Cover: Gold Coast and Wynnum played out a 0-0 draw in last Sunday's clash at Glennon Park, Nerang. But it was far more entertaining than the scoreline would suggest with both sides producing competitive football.

Editorial

I noted with interest on perusing the tables this week that, as we pass the mid point of the season, the XXXX Premier League seems to be beginning to sort itself out with a top four starting move out.

Brisbane City continue to get the results while Taringa appear to be becoming the primary threat.

Lions are still in the hunt, particularly if their catch up game on Wednesday went as form would suggest and Rochedale's victory at the weekend has allowed them to take fourth spot outright.

Ipswich remain within distance but is becoming harder to see anyone else having a major impact on proceedings in the remainder of the regular season.

In other news, those people who have addressed correspondence to me in the past few weeks will be pleased to hear that hopefully, our *Letter to the Editor* segment returns next week.

However, just a reminder that no letter will be published without names and postal details. (This information will be withheld on request)

Another less savoury point which I feel requires comment is the increase in the use of profane language on the field.

I attended a match on the weekend and fielded no less than five complaints on the language being used by several players on the field.

The Queensland Soccer Federation has strict guildines stipulating that the use of offensive language is a send off offence. Several seasons ago, referees were instructed to enforce this regulation to the letter and it made a huge difference to the manner in which players conducted themselves on the field. Perhaps it is time to see closer monitoring of this problem reintroduced to the referee's brief.

This issue does have a lighter side however with Brisbane Lions Michael Brockwell winning the inaugural *Eye on Soccer* Butter-Wouldn't-Melt-in-his-Mouth Award.

Following a fairly ordinary cross during a match, Michael uttered the words "Shhhh....pooh"! Congratulations on great restraint.

XXXX League back on track

This weekend proved to be another one of surprises with several unexpected victories and a couple of comprehensive results.

On Saturday night Rochedale travelled to Richlands to face third placed Lions and on form recent weeks it was perhaps expected that a home win would follow.

But Rochedale didn't have 5 players in the recent Queensland squad for nothing and seemed to have found renewed confidence following their dramatic midweek Cup win over Toowoomba in Golden Goal extra time.

In fact, the homeside were never really in the hunt. First half goals to Steve Fitzsimmons and Clayton Koch put the visitors in a comfortable position before Brad Ditton completed a fine debut for his new club with a neat finish through the legs of Lions keeper Rob Farrow.

Lions did find an equaliser through Steve Jackson, but he was the only player from the homeside to really influence proceedings and it was a case of too little, too late.

Next up was a fairly disappointing scoreline for Ipswich Knights, the boys from Bundamba dominating their match at Mt Gravatt but unable to find the net.

Even the inclusion of Brisbane Strikers Kasey Wehrman for a 30 minute spell couldn't

put a dent in the homeside's defence.

Rather it was Mt Gravatt's Mark Bland who was the star, the keeper pulling off a string of fine saves to give new Player/ Captain/Coach Danny Cox his first league victory at the helm.

Brisbane City not surprisingly made light work of the struggling Beenleigh with another comprehensive win.

Scorers in the 4-1 victory were Scott Elliott, Damian Waugh and Chris Slater, who found the net twice to take his season tally to a staggering 17 from 14 games.

Taringa played some of the best football of their season in a 4-0 drubbing of Bundaberg. Martin Matula and Scott Robertson both scored braces to give the Rovers a result few sides have equalled since Bundaberg joined the competition.

The final game of the round was a 0-0 result between Gold Coast and Wynnum but it was a more entertaining match than the scoreline would suggest.

There were chances at either end as Wynnum battled hard to secure an away point. For the Gold Coast it was perhaps a case of lacking a dominant presence up front, the loss of Andy Brayshaw after going under the knife earlier in the week, proving an important factor in the Premier League match.

PREMIER PREVIEW - ROCHEDALE ROV v MT GRAVATT

Rochedale Rovers host neighbours Mt Gravatt on Saturday Night at Underwood Park in what promises to be a highly entertaining clash.

In years past, there have been some classic derbys between Rochedale and Beenleigh but, with the later club struggling to make an impression this year, Mt Gravatt are determined to challenge Rovers for southern supremacy.

Rochedale return home to Underwood Park following a comprehensive victory over old foe Brisbane Lions on the weekend.

The 3-1 scoreline has put the Rovers firmly back in the frame for a finals berth.

The win and Ipswich's loss to Mt Gravatt has put them in outright fourth place on the table and just a pont adrift of third placed Lions.

Rovers Coach Peter Bannon said he felt his side had gone through a rough patch and had some wretched luck but, a Cup win in Toowoomba followed by this result may have been a turning point.

"Sometimes you play well and lose but we played bloody awful (against Toowoomba) and won," he said. "I feel like we've turned the corner in the last couple of games.

Steve Fitzsimmons and Clayton Koch got their names on the scoreboard in the match, as did another recent acquisition to the club in the form of Brad Ditton.

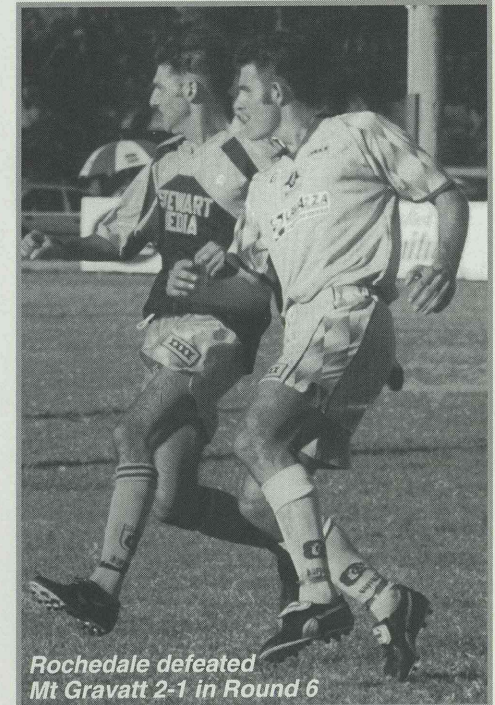
Ditton has been plying his trade with Beenleigh this year but was evidently frustrated with the going's on at that club and is a welcome addition for Bannon.

"We signed him during the week and put him straight in at the weekend," he said.

But none of these players made Bannon's man of the match, that honour going to one of the club's outstanding workhorses.

"I thought Michael Lane had a superb game at the back for us", he said.

The match against Mt Gravatt will be a tough one with the boys from Chris Green Park still a sniff of making the finals and in a derby game, you never know what might happen.



Rochedale defeated Mt Gravatt 2-1 in Round 6

ROCHEDALE ROV v MT GRAVATT

Underwood Park, Rochedale
Saturday June 6, 7.00 pm

ROCHEDALE ROVERS	MOUNT GRAVATT
1 Elvis Guzic	1 Mark Bland
2 (Not Allocated)	2 David Pryor
3 Ross Davidson	3 Peter Georgiou
4 Michael Lane	4 Danny Cox (c)
5 Damian Harris	5 Wayne Srhoj
6 Alun Evans	6 Stu Collins
7 Steve Fitzsimmons	7 Robin Gosney
8 Michael Legg	8 Anthony McCullough
9 Wade Baldwin	9 Wayne Knipe
10 Clayton Koch	10 Anthony Roche
11 John Weatherby	11 Andy Garw. Gowers
12 David Pilic	12 Steve Morris
13 Brad Ditton	13 Darren Stachowicz
14 Paul Grugan	14 Nathan Carlos
15 Glen Kolpak	15 (Not Allocated)
16 Matt Olley	16 (Not Allocated)
17 Gary Brattan	17 (Not Allocated)
18 Andy Monement	18 (Not Allocated)
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PREMIER PREVIEW - BRISBANE CITY v BUNDABERG

Bundaberg Waves this week make the daunting trip down south, to play at Spencer Park against league leaders Brisbane City.

The Waves met the league's second placed side Taringa at Thabeban Sports Complex last week and were trounced 4-0. John Ogden's band of youngsters giving them a footballing lesson.

The Waves have now conceded 28 goals in 14 games while managing to find the net on just 17 occasions, not exactly the sort of statistics which make a finals berth appear likely.

Bundy coach Aldo Baretta, will be looking for a vast improvement this week and they will need it against the outstanding team in the competition.

City were not surprisingly untroubled at Beenleigh pulling off a 4-1 win, the only real surprise for many pundits was that the margin wasn't greater.

City appear to be cruising to the premiership at the midway point with it looking increasingly unlikely that anyone can stop them securing the double for what would be their second consecutive year.

Following the Beenleigh result, City have scored a superb 38 goals from their 14 matches.

Although a significantly better record than any other team in the league, defensively City have conceded 11 goals, not exactly a concern given their return at the other end of the park, but it does give some hope to opposing sides that they can be scored against.

When City made the trip North to Bundaberg in Round 6, they returned home with maximum points after a 2-0 win.

Scorers on that day were Warren Cooley and Chris Slater, the latter continued his rampant form with a brace last week and will be all but impossible for Bundaberg to contain.

Last week Bundaberg conceded four while City added four to their goals for column. While it would be a brave call to suggest there will be a similar margin this week, on form it is hard to see Bundaberg leaving Spencer Park with much to show for their efforts.



Damon Voss

BRISBANE CITY v BUNDABERG

Spencer Park, Newmarket
Sunday June 7, 2.45 pm

BRISBANE CITY	BUNDABERG
1 Daniel Duke	1 Michael Bainbridge
2 Warren Cooley	2 Andrew Donnison
3 Damon Voss	3 Andrew Packer
4 Mark Bennett	4 Altan Ramadan
5 Wayne Strange	5 John Giovannoni
6 Scott Elliott	6 Tony Roebuck (vc)
7 Barry Wilkinson	7 Luke Graham
8 Chris Slater (c)	8 Craig Hawkins
9 Damien Waugh	9 Nick Maas
10 Danny Wright	10 Royce Brownlie
11 Shane Haddow	11 Jason Chapman
12 Robert Kidd	12 Chris Wilson
13 Daryl Anderson	13 Gary Blackford
14 Mark Battistin	14 Peter Bock
15 Mark Luburic	15 Tony Giovannoni
16 Mark Jenkins	16 Paul Fagan (c)
17 Damon Tune	17 Michael Giovannoni
18 Mark Dessi	18 Matthew Barritt
19 (Not Allocated)	19 Jimmy Cudd
20 Adriano Taraborrelli	20 Cale Driver

PREMIER PREVIEW - Ipswich Knights v Beenleigh

Round 15 of the competition sees the Ipswich hosting the season's strugglers Beenleigh at Eric Evans Reserve.

It was not a happy round 14 for the Knights, going down by a goal to nil to Mt Gravatt.

Mt Gravatt went into the match under a cloud of uncertainty following the unceremonious dumping of coach Steve Faulkner after the last fixture and the drama which has followed.

But they were able to put these concerns out of their minds to take maximum points, much to the frustration of Ipswich coach Mike Mulvey.

Mulvey was clearly annoyed by his team's efforts but conceded that Mt Gravatt had played a well orchestrated spoiling game.

"Mt Gravatt defended resolutely and we just didn't take our chances," he said.

He said it was one of those games where his side clearly lacked the rub of the green.

"We had no luck," he said. "It was one of those games where we had chances cleared off the line or the keeper just got a finger to it".

The Knights can expect some demanding training sessions during the week as Mulvey was in no doubt that they had thrown away, for the time being at least, the chance to make a real impression on the competition.

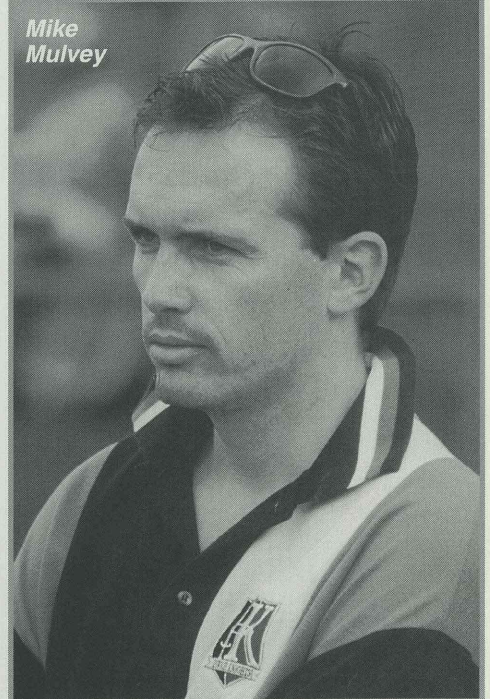
"We squandered the opportunity to take the points," he said. "We've played them (Mt Gravatt) twice now for two losses and haven't managed to score against them".

Mulvey, while frustrated by his strikers inability to put chances away, did concede their was one player who stood out for Mt Gravatt.

"Mark Bland was the standout player in the match by a country mile," he said.

Th Mt Gravatt custodian has had a few disappointing performances this season but his call up to the Queensland squad recently seems to have done his confidence a world of good.

Ipswich's opposition for the upcoming game Beenleigh, continued their wretched form this season on the weekend, going down 4-1 to Brisbane City.



Mike Mulvey

IPSWICH KNIGHTS v BEENLEIGH

Eric Evans Res, Bundamba
Sunday June 7, 2.45 pm

IPSWICH KNIGHTS	BEENLEIGH
1 Barney Smith	1 Chris Roche
2 Andrew King	2 Kieren Galloway
3 Nick Seeley	3 Michael Lipscombe
4 Reg Davani	4 Brett Jones
5 Pat Boyle	5 Steven Forshaw
6 (Not Allocated)	6 Wayne Hinton
7 Brenley Jefferd	7 Fotis Skordou
8 John Clark	8 Jarrod Austin
9 Damien Conquest	9 Brett Druery
10 Peter McKendrick	10 Bradley Ditton
11 Craig Collins	11 Alan Spiers
12 David Guest	12 Jason Ecott
13 Kasey Wehrman	13 Daniel Stowers
14 Kevin Meacock	14 Michael Bettridge
15 Clint Scott	15 Lee Preston
16 Ken Caldwell	16 Michael Kalic
17 Wayne Adams	17 Paul Lederhose
18 Neville O'Sullivan	18 Marc Lederhose
19 Peter Vogler	19 Cori Fisher
20 Sam Ferguson	20 David Iliff

PREMIER PREVIEW - WYNNUM DISTRICT v BRISBANE LIONS

Sunday sees the Wynnum Wolves hosting Brisbane Lions, with each side desperate for points after disappointments on the weekend.

Wynnum made the trip to the Gold Coast on Sunday determined to take maximum points and push themselves further away from a prospective end of season battle with Beenleigh to avoid the wooden spoon.

The Gold Coast were also out for the three points but the two sides cancelled each other out with neither able to find the net in a drab 0-0 encounter.

Lions meanwhile, will be stinging after they were shellshocked in a 3-1 loss to Rochedale on Saturday evening.

Lions have an imposing squad with no shortage of talent (what other club in the competition could afford to have players of the calibre of Warren Allen and Michael Brockwell start the match on the bench).

Lions swept aside all before them in winning the double in 1996 but in the majority of the past few seasons, they have had perhaps the outstanding squad in the league and yet failed to fully deliver on the field.

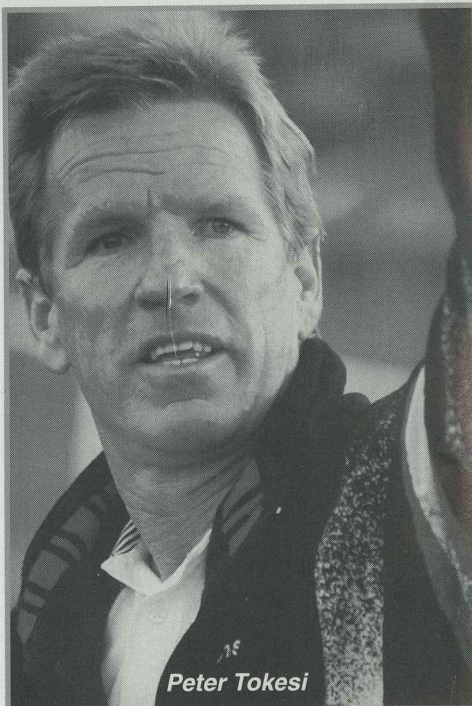
1998 is starting to look as though it may prove to be another season of what might have been for the Lions faithful.

Miron Bleiberg's team are at the crossroads of their season.

They are currently 12 points adrift of league leaders City but they have a game in hand, a washed out match from earlier in the season against Beenleigh from which they should reap maximum points.

Bleiberg commented earlier in the season on how he had been inspired by the way in which Arsenal had faced a similar deficit in the English Premier League only to roar home past Manchester United to take the title in style.

This weekend signifies Round 15 of a 27 round competition and if Lions are to make a serious attempt at the title it must start with a win this weekend.



Peter Tokesi

WYNNUM v BRISBANE LIONS

Carmichael Park, Tingalpa
Monday June 8, 2.45 pm

WYNNUM DISTRICT	BRISBANE LIONS
1 Kevin Tatton	1 Jason Lucas
2 Luke Adair	2 David Lonsdale (c)
3 (Not allocated)	3 Darren Sime
4 Nigel McClure	4 Steven Starr
5 Ricky McKinless	5 Paul Worroll
6 Tony McKinless (c)	6 Mark Geritz
7 Matt Campion	7 Steve Jackson
8 Paul Wilkins	8 Frank Mengotti
9 Mark Wilkins	9 Anthony Brown
10 Ben Wood	10 Michael Brockwell
11 Nick Hadland	11 Marc Flemington
12 Darrell Grundy	12 Roy Huth
13 (Not Allocated)	13 Craig Rogers
14 Stuart Popplewell	14 Cameron Watson
15 Andrew Davidson	15 Warren Allen
16 Shane Gilroy	16 (Not Allocated)
17 Calvin Gnech	17 (Not Allocated)
18 Damien Rogers	18 Greg Di-Losa
19 Bill McDermott	20 Darren Hillier
20 Garth McCulloch	Rgk Robert Farrow

PREMIER PREVIEW - TARINGA ROVERS v GOLD COAST

Taringa will go into this match on a high following an extremely fruitful trip to Bundaberg last week.

The Rovers thumped their hosts 4-0 on Saturday and by all accounts, the margin may have been still greater.

Coach John Ogden was extremely pleased with the effort of his side saying he felt they had played very well.

Bundaberg at home have been more than a test for visiting sides since their inclusion in the XXXX Premier League competition last year and Ogden said that made such a comprehensive result all the more pleasing for the Taringa outfit.

"Their very tough up there but, on the night, we were too quick, too sharp and if a few decisions had gone our way, we might have had a few more," he said.

Since Ogden took over from Juan Cutillas at Taringa, he has been slowly weaning some of the dazzling array of younger talent at the club into first team football.

A slow start to the season had some people questioning the wisdom of this strategy but, in recent weeks, the blend of youth and experience has begun to pay dividends.

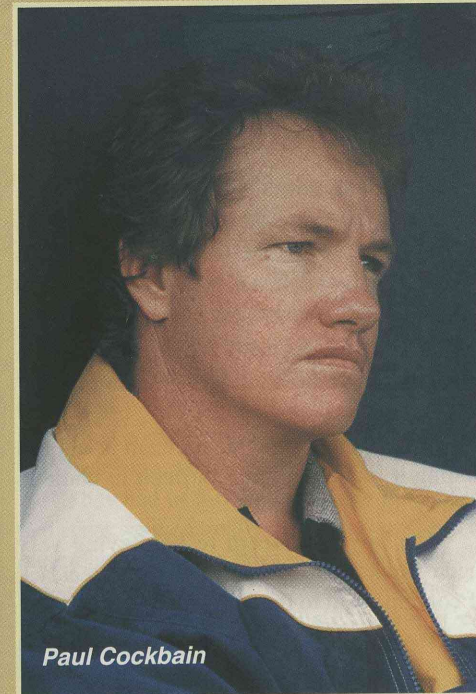
Des Hughes shone for Queensland against Auckland in the Muldoon Cup and Scott Gyuat and Scott Robertson have been among the other notables in the past few games.

Add these players to the experience of the likes of Demetri Theochari and Richard Hilli and they have the makings of a formidable lineup.

The development of Taringa's young stars has become more evident in recent weeks, culminating in the result in Bundaberg and Ogden is clearly not afraid to bank on them to do the job for him.

"We had five midfielders out there (against Bundaberg) under the age of 18," he said.

There opposition this week are the Gold Coast who travel to Taringa off the back of what would have been a disappointing 0-0 draw at home to Wynnum.



Paul Cockbain

TARINGA ROVERS v GOLD COAST

Jack Speare Park, Indooroopilly
Monday June 8, 2.45 pm

TARINGA ROVERS	GOLD COAST CITY
1 Scott Higgins	1 Martin Simpson
2 Scott Robertson	2 Tom Protuder
3 (Not Allocated)	3 Adam Hayward
4 Scott Guyett	4 Mick Richardson
5 Joel Hale	5 Trevor Wood
6 (Not Allocated)	6 Brett Adams
7 Des Hughes	7 Col Phelan
8 Demetri Theochari	8 Jade Flack
9 Robert Laslo	9 Troy Greenwood
10 Richard Hilli	10 Peter Grierson
11 Brett Allan	11 Aaron Bristow
12 (Not Allocated)	12 Rob Boxall
13 Craig Slaughter	13 Stuart Stevenson
14 Clinton McDermott	14 Matthew Packer
15 Aaron Bakker	15 Trevor Elliott
16 Shaun Molenda	16 Martyn Carter
17 Cameron Williamson	17 Pat Casey
18 Martin Matula	18 Adam Evans
19 Jason Poggi	19 Lee Vernon
20 Brett Dickens	20 Matt Miner

NORTHERN SEMIPROS AND CONS

Fagan at loss over Mitchy drought

Mitchelton coach Iain Fagan is at a loss to explain his side's dramatic drop in form, following another loss, this time to The Gap.

Mitchy went down 3-2 against Mauro Saftich's men, after trailing 3-0 at half time.

And the disappointed Fagan can not put a finger on where his team has gone wrong over recent weeks.

"I don't know what the problem is and I'm finding it more and more difficult to come to terms with," Fagan said.

"The boys just seem to be playing very inconsistent football and are showing a real lack of commitment to the cause.

"We were down 3-0 at half time and then we brought it back to 3-2. The way we played in the second half, we could've won the match, but again the boys just didn't start well and they didn't finish well."

Fagan said there was little more he could do about the situation as a coach, instead putting the onus on the players to turn things around.

"It's a tough one because the ability is certainly there," the Mitchy coach said.

"They can turn things around because they have the ability, but whether they do or not is entirely up to them.

"It's out of my control when a player walks onto the park with a distinct lack of commitment. It really is up to some of the players to take a good hard look at themselves individually."

Fagan said his side had the perfect opportunity to do just that, when they take on Grange Thistle this Sunday, and with no injuries or suspensions, he maintained his team had few excuses.

"We're starting to lose touch with the leaders, so we must win this one," Fagan said.

Students good run comes to end

The University of Queensland's undefeated run came to a halt last weekend, when the side was beaten 2-1 by top of the table Eastern Suburbs.

After a disappointing start to the season, Uni had gone through the entire second round of the competition undefeated, to charge up the semi-pro north ladder.

In fact, their last loss was in the corresponding match with Easts in the first round, which seems to indicate that the Tigers may be the students' bogey side, although Uni coach Keith Officer doesn't think so.

"It was a very good game," Officer said. "They scored in the first 10 minutes and from there we were playing catch up football, which isn't easy to do against the top side.

"But to our credit we came back and equalised before half time. However they came out in the second half and put on 20 minutes of absolutely brilliant football, and that's where they beat us."

Despite the loss, Officer said there were plenty of positives his side could draw from the match.

"I felt we were very competitive, if not just as good as them," the Uni coach said.

"But even more pleasing was the obvious maturity our side has gained over the season, and I think that will hold us in good stead against The Gap this weekend."

Officer said he watched The Gap down Mitchelton over the weekend and was impressed with what he saw.

"There's no doubting they're a good side," the Uni coach said. "They played very well in the first half of the match and then fell asleep in the second, and to be honest, that would suit us down to the ground.

NORTHERN SEMIPROS AND CONS

N'market ready to bounce back

Newmarket are looking to bounce back from a shock 3-0 loss to Grange Thistle, with an impressive performance over Pine Rivers this weekend.

Coach Peter Carey was less than satisfied with his side's performance against Thistle, and indicated changes would be made now that he has his full squad back on deck.

"We were absolutely disgraceful against Grange, but in saying that, they played quite well and fully deserved their victory," Carey said.

"But it certainly was a shock to us, especially after our good results against Wynnum and Easts the previous week.

"The positive to all of this however is that I'll have a full squad to choose from for this weekend's game against Rivers, so I've got a few more options."

Carey attributed last weekend's loss to a poor attitude from some of his players. He said some of the team had lost faith in themselves following a recent form slump.

"We need to get a bit of confidence back in the camp and once that happens I think the guys will stop trying to force the play and we'll begin to see a drop in our unforced errors," the Newmarket coach said.

"The turnaround will happen once they start to believe in themselves a little more."

Carey said he would not be underestimating Frank Pimblett's Pine Rivers outfit this weekend, particularly after their shock victory over Easts in last week's catch up fixture.

"After that victory they'll believe they can get a result in any match," Carey said.

"They'll be hungry and Frank Pimblett will have them all fired up to make the top four, so I'm expecting a very tough encounter this weekend," he concluded.

Stars looking to steal a point

North Star coach Michael McEvoy is hoping his side can take a point off semi-pro north leaders Eastern Sunburbs, when the two sides meet at O'Callaghan Park.

McEvoy's side has been a little out of sorts in recent times, and last week's 3-0 loss to the ever improving Albany Creek, was no exception.

"They completely outclassed us in the first half," McEvoy said.

"They had us 3-0 down at half time and by that stage we were really out of the hunt. But to our credit, the young boys in the side dug deep in the second half and got their act together.

"Our defence tightened right up and we showed that we could be competitive."

But that's little consolation to a team that has struggled to take any competition points in the last month or so.

McEvoy blames his side's recent string of failures on a lack of playing personnel, with several key players still injured.

Simon Eslick and Adam Marley are still sidelined with knee problems, Shane Ritchie has left the club because of work commitments, and Stuart Houlston has defected to Mitchelton.

"This has caused big disruptions to the side," McEvoy admitted. "We've had to replace these guys with younger less experienced fellows, who are still a couple of games away from doing the job properly."

The North Star coach is under no illusions about this weekend's match against the competition leaders. He knows it will be a tough ask to knock Easts over, but he is reluctant to concede defeat just yet.

"Anything can happen in these sort of matches, especially when you have a team of young enthusiastic players," McEvoy said.

EYE ON SOCCER TABLES

XXXX LEAGUE	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
BRISBANE CITY	14	11	2	1	38	11	35
TARINGA ROVERS	14	8	3	3	24	13	27
BRISBANE LIONS	13	7	2	4	27	22	23
ROCHEDALE ROV	13	7	1	5	21	18	22
IPSW KNIGHTS	13	6	1	6	20	27	19
MT GRAVATT	14	4	5	5	25	20	17
GOLD COAST	14	4	5	5	17	19	17
B'BERG WAVES	13	4	1	8	17	28	13
WYNNUM	13	3	2	8	18	27	11
BEENLEIGH	13	2	0	11	17	39	6

XXXX RESERVES	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
BRISBANE LIONS	14	10	2	2	43	22	32
TARINGA ROVERS	14	8	2	4	42	20	26
GOLD COAST	14	8	2	4	44	29	26
ROCHEDALE ROV	13	7	1	5	36	21	22
MT GRAVATT	14	7	1	6	34	35	22
BRISBANE CITY	14	5	3	6	26	35	18
BEENLEIGH	14	6	0	8	27	41	18
IPSW KNIGHTS	13	5	2	6	31	24	17
WYNNUM	13	3	2	8	21	27	11
B'BERG WAVES	13	1	1	11	19	69	4

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BRISBANE LIONS	10	7	0	3	28	18	21
MT GRAVATT	12	6	2	4	39	29	20
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WYNNUM	10	3	3	4	18	16	12
IPSW KNIGHTS	11	3	2	6	20	27	11
BEENLEIGH	11	2	2	7	12	32	8

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Brisbane Lions	37	24	4	9	98	62	76
Taringa Rovers	39	21	8	10	97	57	71
Brisbane City	40	20	6	14	87	76	66
Rochedale Rovers	35	20	3	12	82	59	63
Mt Gravatt	40	17	8	15	98	84	59
Ipswich Knights	37	14	5	18	71	78	47
Gold Coast City	28	12	7	9	61	48	43
Wynnum District	36	9	7	20	57	70	34
Beenleigh	38	10	2	26	56	112	32
Bundaberg	26	5	2	19	36	97	17

SEMIPRO DIVISION 1 NORTH	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
EASTERN SUBS	13	9	3	1	25	12	30
UNI OF QLD	12	6	2	4	16	13	20
THE GAP	11	5	4	2	25	21	19
ALBANY CREEK	13	5	3	5	23	15	18
MITCHELTON	13	5	3	5	21	23	18
NORTH STAR	12	4	2	6	18	18	14
PINE RIVERS UTD	11	3	5	3	10	10	14
GRANGE THISTLE	11	2	2	7	11	21	8
NEWMARKET	12	1	4	7	10	26	7

SEMIPRO DIV 1 N RES	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
UNI OF QLD	12	7	3	2	24	12	24
PINE RIVERS UTD	11	7	2	2	23	13	23
GRANGE THISTLE	11	6	1	4	26	20	19
NEWMARKET	12	6	1	5	21	23	19
MITCHELTON	13	5	3	5	13	13	18
EASTERN SUBS	13	4	5	4	18	15	17
THE GAP	11	3	3	5	18	17	12
NORTH STAR	12	3	2	7	18	22	11
ALBANY CREEK	13	1	4	8	15	41	7

SEMIPRO DIVISION 1 NORTH YTH	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
MITCHELTON	13	10	1	2	49	23	31
THE GAP	11	8	1	2	40	14	25
PINE RIVERS UTD	11	6	1	4	33	17	19
NORTH STAR	12	6	1	5	32	26	19
UNI OF QLD	12	6	0	6	30	30	18
ALBANY CREEK	13	4	2	7	25	30	14
NEWMARKET	12	3	3	6	26	39	12
GRANGE THISTLE	11	3	1	7	13	50	10
EASTERN SUBS	13	2	2	9	20	39	8

SEMIPRO DIVISION 1 SOUTH	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
TOOWOOMBA UTD	13	12	1	0	43	9	37
ROCKLEA UTD	12	8	1	3	34	19	25
CAPALABA	12	7	2	3	29	16	23
REDLANDS UTD	11	5	0	6	22	33	15
OLYMPIC UTD	13	4	2	7	24	28	14
ACACIA RIDGE	12	4	1	7	20	28	13
INALA CITY	13	4	1	8	19	34	13
SOUTHS UTD	11	1	6	4	14	19	9
SLACKS CREEK	13	2	2	9	15	34	8

SEMIPRO DIVISION 1 SOUTH RES	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
TOOWOOMBA UTD	13	9	2	2	50	13	29
OLYMPIC UTD	13	8	2	3	42	22	26
SOUTHS UTD	11	8	1	2	39	16	25
ROCKLEA UTD	12	7	1	4	34	22	22
CAPALABA	12	6	4	2	30	22	22
REDLANDS UTD	11	5	3	3	36	18	18
SLACKS CREEK	13	3	0	10	23	43	9
ACACIA RIDGE	12	2	1	9	15	44	7
INALA CITY	13	0	0	13	7	76	0

SEMIPRO DIVISION 1 SOUTH YTH	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
TOOWOOMBA UTD	13	13	0	0	84	11	39
CAPALABA	12	10	0	2	75	12	30
SOUTHS UTD	11	8	0	3	51	17	24
OLYMPIC UTD	13	6	3	4	39	31	21
ROCKLEA UTD	12	5	2	5	46	27	17
REDLANDS UTD	11	4	2	5	35	27	14
INALA CITY	13	2	1	10	11	68	7
ACACIA RIDGE	12	2	1	9	17	97	7
SLACKS CREEK	13	0	1	12	13	81	1



Simply a Kick in the Grass...



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AMATEUR DIVISION 1	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
NORTH PINE	12	9	0	3	32	14	27
ANNERLEY	11	8	2	1	33	6	26
MOGGILL UTD	12	7	2	3	24	16	23
BROTHERS UTD	12	6	0	6	33	26	18
LATROBE	12	5	2	5	20	28	17
S'SIDE EAGLES	12	4	3	5	16	13	15
SOUTH STAR	11	4	2	5	16	19	14
MARGATE	12	4	2	6	18	22	14
REDCLIFFE	11	4	2	5	18	24	14
DARRA UTD	11	3	4	4	19	22	13
BAYSIDE UTD	12	3	2	7	14	33	11
GOODNA	12	1	3	8	13	33	6

AMATEUR DIVISION 1 RES	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
MARGATE	12	11	1	0	41	12	34
S'SIDE EAGLES	12	10	1	1	47	4	31
NORTH PINE	12	10	0	2	53	15	30
BAYSIDE UTD	12	6	3	3	25	23	21
ANNERLEY	11	5	1	5	30	24	16
MOGGILL UTD	12	5	1	6	24	20	16
BROTHERS UTD	12	5	1	6	28	27	16
DARRA UTD	11	4	1	6	33	30	13
REDCLIFFE	11	4	1	6	21	27	13
SOUTH STAR	11	2	3	6	17	35	9
GOODNA	12	1	1	10	12	32	4
LATROBE	12	0	0	12	9	91	0

AMATEUR DIVISION 2	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
JIMBOOMBA	11	7	3	1	44	10	24
SAMFORD	10	7	1	2	24	13	22
IPSWICH CITY	10	5	3	2	22	11	18
OXLEY UTD	10	6	0	4	24	22	18
PARK RIDGE	11	5	2	4	18	20	17
BETHANIA	9	5	1	3	22	11	16
PINE HILLS	10	4	4	2	21	15	16
CLAIRVAUX	11	4	2	5	20	23	14
ARCHERFIELD	10	2	1	7	20	42	7
KINGSRIDGE	10	1	3	6	10	33	6
GREENBANK	10	0	0	10	7	32	0

AMATEUR DIVISION 2 RES	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
SAMFORD	7	6	1	0	23	7	19
PARK RIDGE	8	5	1	2	18	9	16
BETHANIA	7	4	2	1	16	8	14
PINE HILLS	9	4	2	3	21	32	14
JIMBOOMBA	9	4	1	4	18	16	13
CLAIRVAUX	9	2	3	4	18	22	9
OXLEY UTD	8	2	3	3	12	17	9
KINGSRIDGE	8	2	1	5	19	17	7
IPSWICH CITY	9	0	2	7	7	24	2

PREMIER LEAGUE LEADING SCORERS

- 17 Goals Chris Slater (Brisbane City)
- 9 Goals Richard Hilli (Taringa Rovers)
- 8 Goals Trevor Evans (Mt Gravatt)
- 6 Goals John Clark (Ipswich Knights)
- 6 Goals Clayton Koch (Rochedale Rov)
- 6 Goals Steve Jackson (Brisbane Lions)
- 6 Goals Damian Waugh (Brisbane City)

AMATEUR DIVISION 3	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
LOGAN CITY KINGS	10	9	0	1	50	13	27
MOOROONDU	11	9	0	2	25	11	27
NORTH PINE	11	7	1	3	49	16	22
WOODRIDGE	11	7	1	3	41	19	22
ANNERLEY	11	7	0	4	34	19	21
SAMFORD	11	5	0	6	30	28	15
MOGGILL UTD	10	5	0	5	37	36	15
MARGATE	10	4	0	6	26	23	12
BAYSIDE UTD	11	2	0	9	18	57	6
PARK RIDGE	10	1	0	9	11	42	3
OXLEY UTD	10	1	0	9	9	66	3

AMATEUR DIVISION 4	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
TARINGA ROVERS	11	10	0	1	47	10	30
IPSW KNIGHTS	12	10	0	2	33	16	30
ACACIA RIDGE	12	8	1	3	39	22	25
CAPALABA	11	7	2	2	36	18	23
SLACKS CREEK	12	7	1	4	36	27	22
BRISBANE LIONS	12	5	3	4	30	28	18
EASTERN SUBS	11	4	2	5	38	31	14
MITCHELTON	12	3	3	6	16	24	12
NEWMARKET	11	2	2	7	16	48	8
THE GAP	10	1	1	8	17	36	4
NORTH STAR	10	1	1	8	16	39	4
ALBANY CREEK	10	1	0	9	13	38	3

AMATEUR DIVISION 5	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
WYNNUM	12	11	1	0	61	6	34
MT GRAVATT	12	10	1	1	50	7	31
UNI OF QLD	12	9	0	3	49	11	27
SOUTHS UTD	12	8	1	3	41	22	25
GRANGE THISTLE	12	6	1	5	25	30	19
BRISBANE CITY	12	5					

ACTION REPLAY



Semi Pro Matches (Round 15)

Saturday June 6

North Star v Eastern Suburbs
7.00pm - O'Callaghan Park

Newmarket v Pine Rivers
7.00pm - McCook Park

Capalaba v Rocklea Utd
7.00pm - John Fredericks Park

Sunday June 7

Mitchelton v Grange Thistle
2.45pm - Teralba Park

Uni of Qld v The Gap
2.45pm - Oval 3 Uni Campus

Acacia Ridge v Slacks Creek
2.45pm - Ron Proud Field

Olympic Utd v Souths Utd
6.00pm - Goodwin Park

Monday June 8

Inala City v Redlands Utd
2.45pm - Top Oval

QUEENSLAND CUP DRAW

ROUND 3

(Dates & Venues TBA)

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| Mt Gravatt | v | Inala City |
| Grange Thistle | v | Albany Creek |
| Capalaba | v | Ipswich Knights |
| Rocklea Utd | v | Brisbane City |
| Annerley | v | Rochedale Rov |
| Pine Rivers | v | Taringa Rovers |
| Wynnum Dist | v | Bundaberg |
| Uni of Qld | v | Brisbane Lions |

SOUTHERN SEMIPROS AND CONS

Ridge coach confident of win

Acacia Ridge coach Frank Campbell remains supremely confident of beating Slacks Creek this weekend, despite his side coming off a 5-0 loss to Toowoomba.

Campbell's side downed Creek 5-0 in their first round encounter and Campbell believes there is nothing stopping his side from repeating the dose this weekend.

"That win was on their park, and I think once we get on our own park, which suits our style of play a lot better, I think we'll be too strong for them," Campbell said.

"We'll also have Nathan Cobb back from injury and Jarrod Williams, whom I believe to be the best centre-back in the competition, is not far off either."

Campbell said his side's 5-0 loss to Toowoomba last week was not a true indication of the game.

"We didn't have a good first half and it was no surprise that we were down 3-0 at half time.

"But we played very well in the second half. The boys showed plenty of commitment, however they let a couple of goals in with just five minutes of play remaining, and that blew the score right out," Campbell said.

The Acacia Ridge coach said his biggest concern was his team's lack of scoring over recent weeks.

"We haven't scored in our last three fixture matches and it is starting to get a little frustrating," Campbell said.

"With the amount of chances that we've been creating we should have a much better finishing rate than we currently have.

"I think we're just going through a bit of a bad patch at the moment, and if we can start to finish some of our chances, then I think the confidence levels of the players will lift a bit also," Campbell concluded.

Inala City set to bounce back

A string of pleasing results over the past few weeks has given Inala City coach Derek Crawford plenty of confidence coming into this weekend's match against Redlands.

Despite dropping last week's game against the highly rated Rocklea outfit 3-2, Inala has come away with some outstanding results in recent times, including a big win against Acacia Ridge and draw with Capalaba.

"It's a much different Inala side to the one that played in the first round," Crawford said.

"We've been getting some good results and playing with a lot more confidence, and that's extremely pleasing from a coach's point of view.

"And I think if we play the way we have been playing against Redlands this weekend, we'll be too strong for them."

They seem like bold words for a side coming off a loss and taking on a team that downed Olympic 3-2 over the weekend.

However, Crawford played down his team's weekend defeat, suggesting the side was a touch unlucky not to come away with something.

"It was a very good game, until we lost our goalkeeper midway through the second half," Crawford said.

"We had to put Brett Wilkins back in goals and that seemed to disrupt the side a little. In any case, I think it was a game we definitely could have won.

"We did everything right and ripped the heart out of them, but once again our finishing let us down. We could've won the game 7-2 if we'd put our chances away."

Crawford said he was not concerned by his side's first round loss to Redlands. He believes the side he has on the paddock now is a much more committed team to the one that lost 1-0 to Redlands in the first round.

SOUTHERN SEMIPROS AND CONS

Tough task for new Utd coach

New Olympic United coach Noel Wrigley admits he has quite a task on his hands to get his side's title aspirations back on track, although he believes it can be done.

Olympic has gone through a particularly tough patch in recent weeks, highlighted by their performances on the field, which included a 7-1 drubbing by XXXX League strugglers Bundaberg in the Queensland Cup.

Among the club's misfortune was the death of one of the senior players girlfriends, and then the recent resignation of coach Tibor Hagymas.

Both incidents disturbed the club deeply and now Wrigley has the job of putting those things to one side and getting the team back on track.

"It's obviously going to be a challenge to get the players motivated and wanting to train and play again, but that's what a coach's job is and I'm happy to give it a go," Wrigley said.

"It won't be easy, but I think once the players do start to give their all again, there won't be a team in the competition who won't find us hard to beat."

And Wrigley should know. He's coached the Reserves at Olympic for the past two years, and has had coaching stints at Mount Gravatt, Newmarket and Mitchelton.

Now he has the job of guiding both the first team and the reserves at Olympic, another challenge in itself.

"It's a big role and I'm hoping the club will find someone to give me a bit of a hand, but in the meantime, I don't think I'll have too many dramas," Wrigley said.

As for this weekend's clash with Souths, Wrigley believes this is the game which could see a turnaround in fortunes for his club.

"I've got no doubt we'll be extremely competitive against Souths," the new Olympic coach said.

Bulldogs after second spot

Capalaba coach Alan Prentice is confident of securing outright second place on the southern ladder when his side meets Rocklea this weekend.

With Toowoomba now way out in front, the focus has turned to the all important second spot on the ladder, with this weekend's encounter set to decide which club will hold down that spot... for another week anyway.

"It's a very important game for us," Prentice said. "I think both Allan Hughes and myself would agree that catching Toowoomba is now a very tough proposition, therefore the second position is really what we must aim for now.

"Whoever finishes highest at the end of the regular season will get a first up crack at Toowoomba, so second spot is very important."

The Bulldogs coach said his side was still hurting after their loss to Toowoomba a fortnight ago, however he said there were also plenty of lessons learned from that match.

"It was ten minutes of pure madness that lost us the match, and the guys realise that and are still disappointed by it," Prentice said.

"But I think since that loss, we've settled down a little and I can see that we've learned a great deal from our mistakes.

"We've developed a different approach to things and I think our attitude has changed for the better, so on our home patch I think we'll be very hard to beat this weekend.

"We won't be doing anything special, we'll just play to our tactics and I think that will be good enough for us to beat Rocklea."

Prentice said he was not too concerned about his side's 2-1 first round loss to Rocklea. The Capalaba coach said he had the side to turn things around from that first round result, and he believed Rocklea had no one that posed a major threat to his team's chances this weekend.

Brisbane North & District Junior Tables

These tables are unofficial and are yet to be verified by the BNDJSA. Some results were not available at time of printing

U11 Division 1	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	Pine Rivers	6	2	2	2	9	8	8
Pine Hills	6	3	2	1	12	7	11	The Gap	6	2	1	3	8	8	7
Albany Creek	6	3	1	2	14	13	10	North Pine	6	1	1	4	14	18	4
Taringa	6	2	3	1	10	9	9	North Star	6	0	2	4	5	15	2
Newmarket	6	2	2	2	17	15	8	U12 Division 2							
Pine Rivers	5	2	1	2	6	7	7	Mitchelton	6	6	0	0	24	2	18
North Star	6	2	1	3	6	10	7	Ridge Hills	6	3	1	2	8	10	10
The Gap	6	2	0	4	9	12	6	Virginia	6	3	1	2	7	12	10
Margate	5	1	2	2	7	8	5	Margate	5	3	0	2	4	7	9
U11 Division 2								The Gap	6	2	1	3	6	6	7
Pine Hills	6	5	1	0	9	1	16	Samford	5	2	1	2	7	10	7
Kenmore	6	3	3	0	5	0	12	Pine Hills	6	2	0	4	6	15	6
Bardon Latrobe	6	4	0	2	8	5	12	U12 Division 3							
The Gap	6	3	2	1	6	4	11	Moggill	6	6	0	0	43	1	18
Pine Rivers	6	3	0	3	6	3	9	Toowong	5	3	1	1	10	7	10
Albany Creek	6	2	2	2	2	3	8	Deception Bay	5	3	0	2	14	13	9
Samford	6	0	0	6	0	20	0	North Pine	5	2	1	2	9	10	7
U11 Division 3								Albany Creek	5	1	3	1	6	14	6
Margate	6	6	0	0	22	3	18	Brighton	6	1	2	3	8	14	5
Moggill	6	4	0	2	24	6	12	Taringa	6	0	3	3	4	21	3
Grange Thistle	6	4	0	2	23	11	12	Pine Rivers	6	0	2	4	3	17	2
Taringa	5	3	0	2	17	5	9	U12 Division 4							
Bribie Island	6	3	0	3	18	10	9	Narangba	6	5	0	1	13	4	15
North Pine	6	1	1	4	9	23	4	New Farm	6	5	0	1	12	6	15
Deception Bay	5	1	1	3	5	20	4	Bardon Latrobe	6	4	0	2	9	4	12
Samford	6	0	0	6	1	41	0	Northern Subs PCYC	5	3	0	2	8	10	9
U11 Division 4								The Gap	6	2	1	3	4	6	7
Narangba	6	5	1	0	24	3	16	Grange Thistle	6	2	0	4	4	11	6
Ridge Hills	6	4	2	0	18	2	14	North Star	5	1	1	3	1	10	4
North Star	6	4	1	1	18	3	13	U12 Division 5							
Virginia	6	2	2	2	14	7	8	Bribie Island	6	5	1	0	25	2	16
Mitchelton	6	2	1	3	16	15	7	Kenmore	6	5	0	1	26	7	15
Newmarket	6	2	0	4	7	26	6	Brisbane City	6	4	2	0	22	10	14
Bardon Latrobe	6	0	2	4	1	15	2	Margate	6	3	0	3	16	10	9
Redcliffe PCYC	6	0	1	5	5	32	1	Redcliffe City	6	2	2	2	16	12	8
U11 Division 5								Ridge Hills	6	2	1	3	12	15	7
Nudgee Junior	8	8	0	0	28	2	24	Bardon Latrobe	6	0	0	6	5	28	0
Taringa	8	6	0	2	27	16	18	Virginia	6	0	0	6	2	40	0
Albany Creek	8	5	2	1	32	4	17	U12 Division 6							
Pine Hills	8	5	2	1	26	8	17	Mitchelton	7	6	1	0	26	1	19
Grange Thistle	8	2	2	4	15	14	8	Newmarket	7	4	1	2	22	10	13
Bribie Island	8	2	2	4	17	17	8	Nudgee Junior	7	4	1	2	18	23	13
Moggill	7	2	0	5	5	25	6	The Gap	7	2	3	2	8	11	9
Kenmore	7	1	2	4	5	12	5	Pine Hills	7	1	1	5	10	26	4
The Gap	8	1	1	6	3	31	4	Redcliffe PCYC	7	0	1	6	7	20	1
Bardon Latrobe	8	1	1	6	4	33	4	U11 Division 6							
U11 Division 6								North Pine	7	6	1	0	28	0	19
North Pine	7	6	1	0	28	0	19	Margate	7	4	2	1	14	6	14
Margate	7	4	2	1	14	6	14	Pine Rivers	8	4	2	2	14	8	14
Pine Rivers	8	4	2	2	14	8	14	Pine Hills	8	4	2	2	16	19	14
Pine Hills	8	4	2	2	16	19	14	Westside	8	3	4	1	15	8	13
Westside	8	3	4	1	15	8	13	Narangba	8	4	0	4	18	19	12
Narangba	8	4	0	4	18	19	12	Albany Creek	7	3	2	2	17	14	11
Albany Creek	7	3	2	2	17	14	11	Northern Subs PCYC	7	3	1	3	7	8	10
Northern Subs PCYC	7	3	1	3	7	8	10	North Star	9	1	0	8	5	26	3
North Star	9	1	0	8	5	26	3	U12 Division 1							
U12 Division 1								Redcliffe City	6	4	1	1	12	7	13
Redcliffe City	6	4	1	1	12	7	13	Albany Creek	6	3	3	0	11	4	12
Albany Creek	6	3	3	0	11	4	12	Pine Hills	6	3	1	2	12	11	10
Pine Hills	6	3	1	2	12	11	10	Bardon Latrobe	6	3	1	2	9	9	10
Bardon Latrobe	6	3	1	2	9	9	10	U12 Division 2							
U12 Division 2								Pine Hills	8	6	2	0	33	8	20
Pine Hills	8	6	2	0	33	8	20	Samford	8	4	3	1	18	9	15
Samford	8	4	3	1	18	9	15	Narangba	7	4	2	1	12	7	14
Narangba	7	4	2	1	12	7	14								

The Gap	7	4	1	2	19	8	13	U15 Division 3							
Kenmore	6	3	2	1	12	9	11	Ipswich Knights	9	9	0	0	50	8	27
Deception Bay	8	3	2	3	12	13	11	Loganholme	7	5	1	1	44	16	16
Taringa	7	3	2	2	9	13	11	Slacks Creek	8	5	1	2	43	19	16
Bribie Island	7	2	0	5	9	30	6	Samford	9	5	0	4	44	24	15
Pine Rivers	8	1	0	7	5	32	3	North Star	8	5	0	3	28	13	15
U13 Division 3								Annerley	7	4	1	2	32	15	13
Albany Creek	7	6	0	1	30	10	18	Taringa	9	2	0	7	11	73	6
Newmarket	7	5	0	2	34	17	15	Beenleigh	8	1	1	6	13	41	4
The Gap	6	4	1	1	21	11	13	Kenmore	7	1	0	6	13	38	3
Westside	6	2	2	2	16	15	8	The Gap	8	1	0	7	10	41	3
Narangba	6	2	1	3	9	10	7	U15 Division 4							
Pine Hills	6	2	1	3	12	21	7	Goodna	9	8	0	1	69	6	24
Grange Thistle	6	0	2	4	7	21	2	Redcliffe PCYC	9	6	0	3	24	25	18
Redcliffe PCYC	6	0	1	5	4	28	1	Clairvaux	8	5	1	2	21	22	16
U14 Division 1								Brisbane Lions	7	5	0	2	20	22	15
Albany Creek White	6	6	0	0	22	7	18	Park Ridge	8	4	1	3	26	17	13
North Star	6	4	0	2	30	9	12	Bribie Island	9	4	0	5	18	28	12
The Gap	6	3	0	3	16	10	9	S'ide Eagles	8	3	2	3	23	31	11
Albany Creek Red	5	2	2	1	12	6	8	North Star	8	2	0	6	11	27	6
Margate	7	2	2	3	13	18	8	Albany Creek	7	2	0	5	7	41	6
Brisbane City	6	2	1	3	12	23	7	Junior Colts Division 1							
Pine Rivers	6	2	1	3	8	19	7	Taringa	7	6	1	0	34	8	19
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U14 Division 2								Pine Rivers	8	4	1	3	24	18	13
Pine Hills	7	6	0	1	32	6	18	Brisbane City	7	4	1	2	20	15	13
Westside	7	5	0	2	27	8	15	Margate	7	3	2	2	19	17	11
Bardon Latrobe	7	4	0	3	18	20	12	Rochedale	8	2	4	2	16	12	10
The Gap	7	3	1	3	23	19	10	Mt Gravatt	7	3	1	3	16	15	10
Mitchelton	6	3	1	2	15	12	10	The Gap	8	2	1	5	11	16	7
Toowong	6	2	0	4	13	15	6	Wynnum	8	1	0	7	11	31	3
Margate	7	2	0	5	8	20	6	Redlands	9	1	0	8	10	45	3
Virginia	7	1	0	6	7	43	3	Junior Colts Division 2							
U14 Division 3								Ipswich Knights	9	7	1	1	28	10	22
Redcliffe City	7	7	0	0	53	6	21	Capalaba	8	6	1	1	34	15	19
Narangba	7	4	2	1	37	14	14	Park Ridge	8	5	0	3	34	16	15
Ridge Hills	6	3	2	1	21	9	11	Souths Utd	8	5	0	3	27	15	15
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Samford	7	3	1	3	13	30	10	Brisbane Lions	8	3	1	4	15	22	10
North Star	6	3	0	3	23	16	9	Beenleigh	8	3	0	5	21	24	9
Taringa	7	1	0	6	5	67	3	Mitchelton	9	3	0	6	19	36	9
U15 Division 1								North Star	8	2	0	6	11	27	6
Mt Gravatt	7	7	0	0	48	4	21	Bardon Latrobe	7	1	0	6	10	30	3
Capalaba	8	6	0	2	25	11	18	Junior Colts Division 3							
Brisbane City	9	6	0	3	23	16	18	Taringa	9	7	0	2	21	12	21
The Gap	9	5	2	2	26	21	17	Rochedale	9	6	2	1	24	10	20
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Brisbane Lions	8	2	3	3	16	27	9	Redlands	9	5	1	3	22	17	16
Taringa	8	2	1	5	16	32	7	Ipswich Knights	9						

Tigers shun top of table coaches - Quinn & Young

Semi-Pro North leaders Eastern Suburbs have unceremoniously sacked their first team coach Jim Quinn.

The bombshell was dropped on Quinn late last week, immediately after his side's first fixture loss of the year, to Pine Rivers.

For Quinn, who had coached at the club for the past two and a half years, it was a bitter pill to swallow.

"I was stunned," he said. "I couldn't believe after the season we'd been having that a decision like that had been made by the board.

"It took me a few days to get over the personal shock of it all, but then on the Sunday I phoned our president Lex Donsky to tell him exactly what I thought of the situation, and that wasn't easy either because Lex and I are friends."

With the club undefeated up until last Wednesday night, questions remain over the reason for Quinn's sacking.

It was no secret that Quinn and his second in charge Ian Young did not get along, and although that did not seem to be affecting the side's performances on the field, it appears that was the reason for the sacking.

"The club said that because they hired us as a team, then they would have to fire us as a team also," Quinn said.

But the irony doesn't stop there. Quinn said that immediately after their sacking, reserves coach Frank Burn was asked to step into the top position, while Quinn and Young were then asked by Easts management if they would like to take on the colts and reserves jobs. Quinn said no... Young said yes.

The sacked coach, who maintained he had a good rapport with his players, said he would now take a rest from coaching responsibilities for a little while.

However he feels cheated by a club, to whom he believes he gave a lot of time and effort over the past two and a half years.

"When I took over, the club was scratching for players and struggling to stay in the second division," Quinn said.

"I put all of my spare time into the club and enticed many former Easts juniors back and there's no doubt that's the reason the club is doing so well at the moment.

"I certainly don't think I deserved to be sacked for one, and I don't think the club handled the situation well at all. I think they hit the panic button when they really had no need to."

Meanwhile there's been more coaching movement in the southern conference, with Olympic coach Tibor Hagymas stepping down from his position.

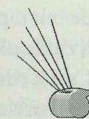
In his place comes former Mount Gravatt, Newmarket and Mitchelton coach Noel Wrigley, who has been in charge of Olympic's reserves for the past two years.

Reports from the club say that there was no ill feeling between Hagymas and the club, but that the young coach believes he just was not getting the right level of commitment from his players.

The former Olympic coach was in fact seen playing for the club's reserves last weekend.

The change at Olympic is the second this season for club's in the southern conference, with Brian Hastings recently taking over from Eric Thompson at Redlands.

BEFORE THE WHISTLE



With
Jim
Gilbert

The evening was cool and the ground was heavy with dew. The spectators were stamping their feet and rubbing their hands to keep warm, I found one of the few dry patches on the dew-laden seats and waited for the match to commence.

I could barely see the middle of the pitch due to the thick fog, let alone the benches on the far side of the park. The players took to the field and appeared and disappeared through the fog that enveloped the ground. The referee commenced the match and at times, due to the lightness of his uniform, disappeared from sight!

For us spectators the only part of the players that was visible, were the black shorts worn by one team and only when the ball was kicked high was it completely visible, alas when it came to ground it disappeared from sight.

Where was this game played, in foggy old England? No, it was played last Friday at Wynnum (Division 5 match against Mt Gravatt.)

Visibility of spectators just reached the middle of the field and hardly at any stage, could we see the far side. The referee, Doug Henry, controlled the game exceedingly well under the circumstances and as he knew visibility was reasonably limited he kept up with the play, no easy task in the slippery conditions. He was by himself with no official assistants, he may have been able to see the unofficial linesmen's flags, but we certainly couldn't. It was a top of the table clash with no score at half-time. However the home side weathered the conditions better and scored a couple of quick early goals. This cemented their lead at the top of the table with a final score of 4 - 0. Although the conditions were very slippery, both sides did exceedingly well and despite the cold penetrating all the way through my bones, I enjoyed the match.

We are now past the halfway mark, however when we start to play the catch ups, the tables will take on a different look. In the Semi Pro divisions, Easts still have a 10 point lead despite

their mid week loss to Pine Rivers, while Toowoomba retained their 12 point lead in their division, and there is now a distinct top three and middle four to this table!

Amateur 1 is fast developing in to a three horse race, with the all important return leg between North Pine and Annerley in ten days' time taking on monumental proportions

Semi Pro Div 1 North

In the two Saturday night matches it will be crucial for the home teams. Both had devastating losses last week and the respective coaches will need to repair morale. North Star's hosting of Easts will be difficult given the visitors' ten point lead, North Star normally fare better at home, and if the desire is strong enough they could preserve a point. Newmarket's home match to Pine Rivers is even more crucial as the hosts are now propping up the table. The visitors have to win if they have aspirations to play Semis and another draw is quite on the cards.

In the Sunday games University now only have a one point lead over The Gap, and a loss in this one could drop them out of top four contention given the matches being played this weekend, however Uni will do enough to preserve honour at the end of the day. The other match is between Mitchelton and Grange and a few weeks ago this would have been a sinecure for a home win, however Grange's morale boosting win last week will do them a power of good, I still don't think they'll take any points.

Semi Pro Div 1 South

A top match in prospect on Saturday night between Capalaba and Rocklea as outright second is at stake. These two are the only teams with a chance of catching Toowoomba but most importantly, to remain in touch would be their aim. Capalaba are very strong at home and Rocklea struggled last week, I think a home win.

On Sunday a disappointing Acacia Ridge host Slacks Creek with both sides in the doldrums. It may be trite to say they are only

playing for pride but it probably goes a little deeper than that. A difficult match to predict a result, but as the Creek are more desperate to move from the bottom of the table, an away win is possible. The remaining match on Sunday sees Olympic playing their last evening fixture home to Souths Utd, with the hosts now having slipped out of the top four for the first time in weeks. This could be make or break for the Goodwin Park outfit to cement their top four aspirations and Souths certainly will not let them off lightly, an away win is entirely possible.

Remaining match is on Monday between Inala and Redlands and if last week's form is any guide the visitors should win.

Amateur Div 1

Bayside who are struggling to get away from the bottom, will have a difficult match when they visit back in form Annerley, a trip the baysiders will not relish, points to remain with the hosts. Hot and cold Darra host the other Premiership aspirants North Pine, Darra are capable of taking a point but if the Dakabin team have serious aspirations on the title they can't drop any. Bottom marker Goodna host Latrobe with both teams badly out of sorts, Goodna are now five points adrift at the bottom while Latrobe are slipping down the table, if desperation is strong enough a rare win for the Ipswich team is possible. The other Saturday afternoon game is between Redcliffe when they host Southside Eagles and now with only one point separating them, anything is possible. If Redcliffe can retain their impetus, they could claim a top four position. One match at night between Moggill and Brothers, if last week's form is any criteria it's a moral the points will remain at Bellbowrie.

On Sunday another team out of sorts, Margate, make the trip to Willawong where the hosts picked up an excellent away win last week. Neither side setting the table on fire and as Stars now have their nose in front, they should win.

Amateur Div 2

Archerfield v Jimboomba now takes on gigantic proportions, the visitors are still well in the lead at the top but Archerfield have now

picked up a second win, no easy task down at Park Ridge, and they will be choc-a-bloc with confidence, a draw is possible but the visitors will know they had a tough match come 4.30pm. Midtable teams Clairvaux and Bethania also meet on Saturday with the visitors now out of the top four and having an alarming drop in form in recent weeks, they should get back on track in this one, but Clairvaux's hot and cold season surely can't last much longer. The remaining day match is between Kingsridge and Greenbank with Kingsridge expected to win but Greenbank's loss margin is getting smaller, it can't be long before they break through for their first points of the season, this is one match they could pick up at least one point. In the only night match Samford have neighbours Pine Hills as visitors, Hills were once title contenders and have slipped of late and are now mid table, a far cry from the early days, a win to Samford.

Remaining game is on Monday between Ipswich City and Park Ridge with City now enjoying their highest position for many a year. I can't see them dropping points in this one, despite the lofty position of their visitors.

Amateur Div 3

On Friday night, match points should remain with Margate sending Park Ridge home with their metaphorical tail between their legs, on Saturday North Pine should cement third placing with maximum points over hosts Moggill, similarly Logan City Kings should continue sitting in pole position at the expense of Bayside. In the Monday games Woodridge should be winners over Samford similarly Mooroonda will keep the pressure on Logan City with maximum points over bottom markers Oxley.

Amateur Div 4

Four matches have been scheduled for Friday night, which will make for an interesting long weekend for those participants. The Knights should get back on track after a hiccuping midseason collapse with maximum points over bottom markers Albany Creek, Slacks Creek should enjoy their trip to O'Callaghan Park, Brisbane Lions should take maximum away from Newmarket whilst

Capalaba will have a tougher task with Eastern Suburbs but should still do enough at the final whistle to retain all three points.

On Saturday Acacia Ridge host Taringa and if the Ridge wish to have a tilt at top spot they will have to take all three points in this one, but somehow I think the visitors will be too good, the last match should see Mitchelton retain all three points from their neighbours from over the hill, The Gap.

Amateur Div 5

Again we have four matches scheduled on Friday with the remainder left till Monday, in the early Friday game at Bundamba the Knights should be successful over Albany Creek, Thistle should retain midtable status with all the points at Pine Rivers, another home win is on the cards for Souths over Samford, whilst the best match of the weekend is left till last between Mt Gravatt and University, with the Hawks' loss last week that's enabled Uni to close the gap somewhat, another loss here could see the Hawks drop out of top two contention, despite

University's strong climb to the top of the table, I think this will be beyond them.

On Monday Brisbane City, whose confidence will be skyhigh after last week's win, host Slacks Creek, both sides sitting comfortably midtable but knowing the scoring capabilities of the visitors, that's why I think the points will head, the last match of the weekend should see sole leaders Wynnum preserve their lead at the top with maximum points over Capalaba.

Amateur Div 6

Again the majority of matches are being played on Friday, with Beenleigh expected to pick up a win on the road to North Star, Newmarket will have no joy with leaders University and Capalaba should retain their unbeaten tag with three points over Easts. The fly in the ointment could well be Taringa picking up maximum points at Richlands Stadium.

One game on Sunday should see Ipswich Knights victorious over Annerley whilst Redlands United may also pick up a rare win on the road over Queensland Uni.

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Brisbane Southern District Junior Tables

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'READ' between the LINES

With Brent Read

Rochedale's acquisition of former National League midfielder Bradley Ditton and Fijian international Esala Masi could provide the success-starved club with the ammunition they need for a late run at Brisbane City.

Taringa are breathing down City's neck, but Rochedale are set to be the big improvers as the season closes.

With Masi and Queensland duo Clayton Koch and Glen Kolpak, goals shouldn't be too hard to come by.

Masi played some games with the club last year but was constantly battling injury and didn't really make an impact. But the big Fijian has had a good season with Wollongong and, from all reports, his start for Rochedale was fairly impressive.

He'll be looking to makeup for last year's disappointment with some eye-catching games over the coming weeks. That spells trouble for XXXX Premier League defences.

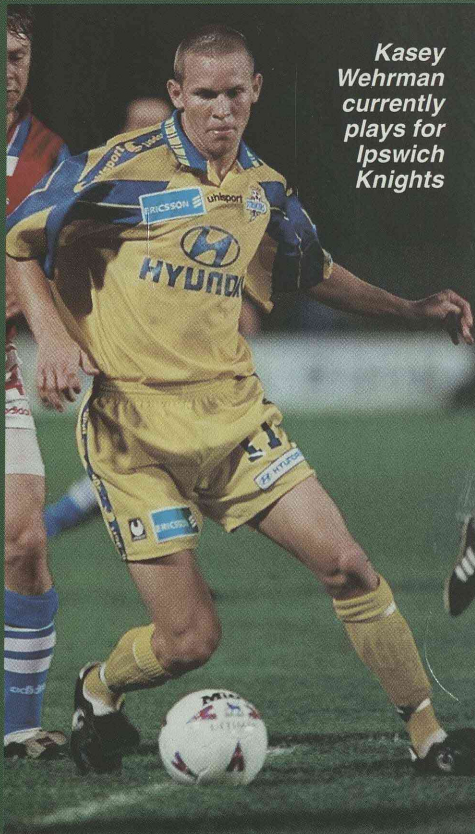
Taringa's big win in Bundaberg on Saturday night was a tremendous night for the club. Rumour has it the boys celebrated in a big way at one of Bundy's better nightspots after the game.

They deserved it. The Taringa lads are among the league's form sides and are keeping Brisbane City honest.

They have the strongest defence in the competition and are keeping clean sheets on a regular basis.

Martin Matula, who's had more clubs than Jack Nicklaus, chimed in with a couple of goals. Marty, who bears a striking resemblance to Fabio, and his striking partners are playing so well Queensland striker Richie Hilli has had to make his way back into the team off the bench.

Hilli's chances of overhauling Chris Slater on the scoring charts haven't been helped by injury and the good form of the Taringa strikers.



Kasey Wehrman currently plays for Ipswich Knights

But he's too good a player to be left out of the side for an extended period. He'll be back and scoring goals before you know it.

The other team to watch in the final round is the Ipswich Knights. Hot on the heels of their signing of Craig Collins is the acquisition of Kasey Wehrman. By all reports, Wehrman made an impact off the bench in the club's loss on Saturday night.

Mt Gravatt player/coach Danny Cox should buy himself a lottery ticket this week after the Knights battered their goal. Keeper Mark Bland showed his Queensland form to keep the ambitious Knights scoreless.

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts								
U15 Div 3								Wynnum	8	1	0	7	11	31	3
Ips Knights	9	9	0	0	50	8	27	Redlands	9	1	0	8	10	45	3
Slacks Creek	9	6	1	2	45	19	19	Colts Div 2							
Loganholme	7	5	1	1	44	16	16	Capalaba	9	7	1	1	43	17	22
Samford	9	5	0	4	43	24	15	Ips Knights	9	7	1	1	28	10	22
North Star	8	5	0	3	28	13	15	Park Ridge	8	5	0	3	34	16	15
Annerley	8	4	1	3	32	17	13	Souths Utd	8	5	0	3	27	15	15
Taringa	9	2	0	7	11	73	6	Pine Hills	9	4	1	4	19	23	13
Beenleigh	8	1	1	6	13	40	4	Brisbane Lions	9	3	1	5	17	32	10
Kenmore	7	1	0	6	13	38	3	Beenleigh	8	3	0	5	21	24	9
The Gap	8	1	0	7	10	41	3	Mitchelton	9	3	0	6	19	36	9
U15 Div 4								North Star	8	2	0	6	12	27	6
Goodna	9	8	0	1	69	6	24	Bardon Latrobe	7	1	0	6	10	30	3
Redcliffe PCYC	9	6	0	3	24	25	18	Colts Div 3							
Clairvaux	8	5	1	2	21	22	16	Taringa	9	7	0	2	21	12	21
Brisbane Lions	7	5	0	2	20	22	15	Rochedale	9	6	2	1	24	10	20
Park Ridge	8	4	1	3	26	17	13	Mt Gravatt	9	6	0	3	19	14	18
Bribie Island	9	4	0	5	18	28	12	Centenary	8	5	1	2	22	11	16
S'side Eagles	8	3	2	3	23	31	11	Redlands	9	5	1	3	22	17	16
North Star	8	2	0	6	11	27	6	Ips Knights	9	4	3	2	22	17	15
Albany Creek	7	2	0	5	7	41	6	Albany Creek	8	3	1	4	19	18	10
U15 Div 5								Olympic	7	1	0	6	9	29	3
Ipswich City	9	7	0	2	44	13	21	North Star	7	1	0	6	3	33	3
Acacia Ridge	9	7	0	2	24	15	21	Colts Div 4S							
Jimboomba	9	6	0	3	19	9	18	Jimboomba	11	8	1	2	49	18	25
Capalaba	9	3	1	5	12	25	10	Mooroonda	11	8	1	2	39	16	25
Redlands	9	1	2	6	13	29	5	Eastern Subs	10	7	0	3	48	11	21
Wynnum	9	1	1	7	8	29	4	Slacks Creek	10	7	0	3	43	16	21
Colts Div 1								Park Ridge	11	7	0	4	48	24	21
Brisbane Lions	8	6	2	0	21	5	20	Ipswich City	9	7	0	2	29	18	21
Taringa	7	6	1	0	34	8	19	Clairvaux	11	6	0	5	30	24	18
Brisbane City	8	4	2	2	22	17	14	Kingsridge	11	3	0	8	39	44	9
Pine Rivers	8	4	1	3	24	18	13	Capalaba	10	3	0	7	23	44	9
Margate	7	3	2	2	19	17	11	Brisbane Lions	11	2	0	9	11	41	6
Rochedale	8	2	4	2	16	12	10	Wynnum	10	2	0	8	17	67	6
Mt Gravatt	7	3	1	3	16	15	10	Inala City	11	2	0	9	12	65	6
The Gap	8	2	1	5	11	16	7								

World Cup fever reaches Mitchelton - Scotland v Brazil

Mitchelton Soccer Club are getting into World Cup mode, with an International match of a different kind taking place this Sunday.

To celebrate the opening fixture of this year's World Cup, which begins next week in France, Mitchelton is putting on a celebrity match between Scotland and Brazil.

The match is being organised by the club's two senior coaches, Iain Fagan formerly of Scotland, and Brazilian, Roberto Lettieri.

The match is set to draw many of Queensland's and Australia's former greats out of the woodwork, with the two Mitchelton

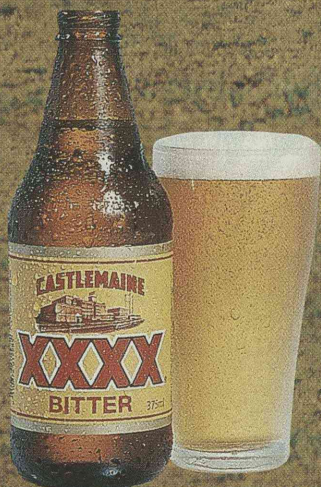
coaches putting their heads together to come up with a Scottish and a Brazilian side.

Some of the names that will take part in the match include Jim Hermiston (senior), Allan Hughes, Matt Jackson, Gordon Mackie, Ron Kidd, John Paterson, Fagan, and Lettieri.

The match will be played at 2pm this Sunday at Mitchelton, and act as curtain raiser to the club's SemiPro North fixture against visitors Grange Thistle.



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