

KICKOFF

ROUND 2
CROMER PARK



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SUNDAY
19TH MARCH 2017



FIRST GRADE
3.30PM

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PS4
NATIONAL
PREMIER LEAGUES

FROM THE CLUB

In what promises to be an enticing Sunday afternoon clash on the northern beaches, both teams will be desperate to secure three points.

Warren Grieve's Manly United started their campaign well last Saturday night, beating Sutherland 3-2 at Seymour Shaw Reserve.

Scott Balderson scored a 'bomb' from 25 yards early on, with new boys Dylan Macallister and Matt Fletcher also finding the back of the net.

The White Eagles, who so often have lowered Manly's colours over the years, will be keen to bounce back after they were beaten 2-0 by Sydney Olympic FC on home soil.

Deadly striker Robbie Younis may have retired, but the visitors are never short of attacking threats in the final third.

United's Sasa Macura's didn't miss a beat on debut last weekend after joining the club from Blacktown City FC.

His battle with Ray Miller in the centre of the park promises to be absorbing.

Also look for Bonnyrigg young gun Luke Ivanovic to leave his mark on the contest.

At just 16 he plays with maturity beyond his years and is an undoubted star of the future.

See you at the game, with kick-off at 3.30pm.

Go you mighty Manly United FC!



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FIVE MINUTES WITH BRENDAN CHOLAKIAN

What is the collective aim of the Manly United squad this year?

We have set some lofty goals as a group. Gone are the days where Manly is a mid-table team who cause the occasional upset. This year we want to push for the title (top two), challenge for the two Cups (FFA and Waratah) and also make Cromer Park a place where opposition teams hate coming to play.

Players to watch?

Definitely Sash Macura, his passing game is on another level. Also Dylan Macallister – he offers so much experience and gives us something in the final third we have lacked previously – grunt.

Other title contenders?

Rockdale have assembled a good squad, they will be hard to beat. Then you have the usual

suspects – Sydney United 58 FC, Bonnyrigg and Blacktown City FC.

Manly United's x-factor?

For me, it is our right back Kieren Paull. He is so consistent and ready to take his game to the next level. You always know what you are getting to get with him, he never has a bad game and is a crucial player for us.

Why will 2017 be a successful year on the pitch for Manly?

Putting it simply – desire. Yes last year was great, but it means nothing if we don't back it up. We are fit and ready to go for round one (against Sutherland). Warren Grieve (club Technical Director and interim coach) has been great for us as well, the transition (with Paul Dee leaving) has been fantastic.





S	B	#	NAME	
■	■	1	MITCHELL	Dylan
■	■	2	PAULL	Kieren
■	■	3	LOBB	Jamie
■	■	4	OUGHTRED	Travis
■	■	5	WILLIAMS	Rhys
■	■	6	FERGUSON	Dominic
■	■	7	COOPER	Travis
■	■	8	MACURA	Sasa
■	■	9	MACALLISTER	Dylan
■	■	10	CHOLAKIAN	Brendan
■	■	11	TANESKI	Nikola
■	■	12	EGGER	Leigh
■	■	13	BALDERSON	Scott
■	■	14	PANDUREVIC	Dejan
■	■	15	GALBRAITH	Hamish
■	■	16	BERTI	Sipan
■	■	17	FLETCHER	Matthew
■	■	18	BALNEAVES	Todd
■	■	19	SARIC	Daniel
■	■	20	CATLIN	Shaun
■	■	21	FOX	Joseph
■	■	22	SPIERS	Rory
■	■	24	WILSON	Samuel

Coach: Warren Grieve
Assistant Coach: Robert Catlin and
Andrew Christiansen



S	B	#	NAME	
■	■	1 GK	CHRONOPOULOS James	
■	■	2	MANSUETO	Alexander
■	■	3	VRANKOVIC	David
■	■	4	SUSAK	Milan
■	■	5	JENNER	Adam
■	■	6	MACKENZIE	Zachary
■	■	7	KONDEK	Gregory
■	■	8	DANASKOS	Troy
■	■	9	PETERSON	Aaron
■	■	10	LO	Martin
■	■	11	SPRUCE	Benjamin
■	■	12	GIL	Mun-Soo
■	■	13	MCKENZIE	James
■	■	14	MCDONALD	Taylor
■	■	15	MILLER	Raymond
■	■	16	GALLAWAY	Samuel
■	■	17	FARIA	Leon
■	■	18	KADRIC	Asmir
■	■	19	SHAW	Thomas
■	■	20 GK	SAVICIC	Stevan
■	■	21	JALLOH	Hassan
■	■	36	ZONJIC	Nikola

Head Coach: Brian Brown
Assistant Coach: Cliff Pointer
GK Coach: Jose Bel Amigo
Team Manager: Ian Arnott

Referee: K. Ams
Assistant Referees: J. Park & R. Osborne
4th Official: J. Mcfarlane

MATCH PREVIEW

Manly gave departing coach Paul Dee a winning farewell in the opening round with a 3-1 victory on the road against Sutherland Sharks.

They must now prepare for life without their influential gaffer starting this week against Bonnyrigg.

Manly have brought in a number of quality signings this season including Dylan Macallister, Sasa Macura and Nikola Taneski. All three made an impact in their first game for the club as the boys from the Northern Beaches overpowered Sutherland.

Bonnyrigg continue to battle an injury crisis and will again be forced an understrength side.

The White Eagles looked far more functional in the second half of last week's match after extensive tactical changes by coach Brian Brown at the break.

With a better understanding of his injury struck squad, Brown and his team will be a more difficult team to break down.



1ST GRADE - PLAYSTATION 4 NPL NSW MEN'S

POS	TEAM	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Wollongong Wolves FC	1	1	0	0	3	1	2	3
2	Sydney Olympic FC	1	1	0	0	2	0	2	3
3	Manly United FC	1	1	0	0	3	2	1	3
4	Rockdale City Suns FC	1	1	0	0	2	1	1	3
5	APIA Leichhardt Tigers FC	1	1	0	0	2	1	1	3
6	Hakoah Sydney City East FC	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	1
7	Blacktown City FC	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	1
8	Sutherland Sharks FC	1	0	0	1	2	3	-1	0
9	Sydney United 58 FC	1	0	0	1	1	2	-1	0
10	Sydney FC	1	0	0	1	1	2	-1	0
11	Parramatta FC	1	0	0	1	1	3	-2	0
12	Bonnyrigg White Eagles FC	1	0	0	1	0	2	-2	0

REVIEWS

Sutherland Sharks 5-2 Manly United, 4.30pm at Seymour Shaw

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Sutherland Sharks opened their 2017 account in style by putting five past Manly United at Seymour Shaw.

There were debut goals for Matthew Stewart, Jake Borromeo and Lachlan Everett as Sutherland put Manly to the sword with Patrick O'Shea and Matias Da Silva Santos completing the 5-2 rout.

Manly's Sipan Berti and Hamish Galbraith forced replies for the 2016 Premiers but it was a day to forget for United who begin the campaign at the foot of the table.

Sutherland will aim to build on their big victory when they host Blacktown City at Seymour Shaw next weekend while Manly United welcome Bonnyrigg to Cromer Park



Bonnyrigg White Eagles 1-3 Sydney Olympic, 5.00pm at Bonnyrigg Sports Club

A Nikita Andricopoulos brace has given Sydney Olympic the perfect start to their title defence after defeating Bonnyrigg 3-1 at Bonnyrigg Sports Club.

Andricopoulos struck twice for the reigning champions alongside a Sebastian Malfara effort to dispose of the White Eagles, who netted in consolation through Jayden Whittle.

Bonnyrigg will look to pick themselves up next round in a tough visit to Cromer Park to face fellow competition heavyweights Manly United, while Olympic will target another three points when they face Wollongong Wolves in Belmore.



TEAM OF THE WEEK



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FOOTBALL NSW LAUNCHES PLAYSTATION 4 NPL 2017 SEASON

The PlayStation®4 (PS4™) National Premier Leagues NSW 2017 Season was launched by Football NSW at Waterview in Bicentennial Park on Wednesday where media and representatives from the NPL community attended.

A cocktail function for 150 guests with Master of Ceremonies and Fox Sports' very own Simon Hill took control of proceedings which also included representatives from all Football NSW National Premier League Clubs, FFA, Hyundai A-League and W-League clubs, Major Sponsors, and Managing Director of Sony Interactive Entertainment Australia, Michael Ephraim, celebrated the fifth year of the National Premier Leagues in NSW.

There were also cameo appearances from a couple of ex-Socceroos with Paul Okon, Ante Covic, David Zdrilic and Gerry Gomez on hand to support the competition as well as former Socceroos coach from the famous 1974 World Cup squad, Rale Rasic.

The 2017 season will again see the National Premier Leagues benefit from the association

with PlayStation4 with the powerhouse sponsor throwing its full support behind grassroots football in Australia.

"I've often been quoted as stating PlayStation's passion for football has always lived both on and off the field and it is true – whether it be literally by strapping on a pair of boots, or picking up a controller," commented Michael Ephraim, Managing Director, Sony Interactive Entertainment Australia.

"This year, we are celebrating three years of partnership with FFA and we're incredibly proud to see how the strength of our collaboration has contributed to the growth of the PS4 NPL into a true breeding ground of Australian football talent," Ephraim concluded.

Two special panels took place on the evening as the first took centre stage from all five NPL competitions with Rockdale City Suns' prized new signing Ante Covic, Sydney University inspirational captain Elizabeth Grey, Marconi Stallions' master midfielder Peter Triantis, Nepean FC's talented skipper Desiree Vassallo and charismatic Gladesville Ryde Magic's



Kiriakos Tohouroglou all promoted the key role the NPL has played with the continual development of the world game in NSW.

The second panel saw the Central Coast Mariners' Blake Powell, a former Sutherland Sharks and APIA Leichhardt Tigers product, Sydney FC's Westfield W-League star and current Macarthur Rams player Leena Khamis as well as Western Sydney Wanderers' Lachlan Scott, a former Wollongong Wolves and APIA Leichhardt product, chat about their involvements with the NPL.

Football NSW interim Chief Executive Officer Stefan Kamasz stated that the event accomplished its intention in celebrating the launch of all PlayStation 4 National Premier Leagues NSW competitions.

"I'm thrilled to be able to enjoy the launch of this season with so many of those that champion this competition. The PS4 NPL in New South Wales is a very important part of the football landscape and player pathway in Australia, and in the room tonight are the heroes of our game that ensure it continues to be so.

"Season launches are wonderful occasions to come together socially and catch up with old friends, and even adversaries, but in football terms they are a time for optimism, for positivity, for anticipation, for expectation and hopefulness for the coming season.

"I would like to thank the league sponsors PlayStation4, especially Micahel Ephraim, who is not just a sponsor but a wonderful friend of football. Michael's enthusiasm for PlayStation4 and football is infectious and it is a delight having such an individual involved with our wonderful sport.

"I would like to wish all the clubs the best of luck and we look forward to seeing another



NSW club being honoured as the National Premier League Champions following in the footsteps of Sydney United 58 FC (2013, 2016) and Blacktown City FC (2015)."

The PS4 NPL NSW Men's commences on Saturday the 11th of March as Sutherland Sharks host Manly United, Bonnyrigg White Eagles take on Sydney Olympic, Parramatta FC tackle Wollongong Wolves and the new kids on the block Sydney FC battle Rockdale City Suns. Two matches will then take shape on Sunday to conclude Round 1.

The PS4 National Premier Leagues 2 NSW Men's competition kicks off this Saturday the 4th of March while the PS4 National Premier Leagues Women's (Sunday 2nd April), Women's 2 (Sunday 9th April), and Men's 3 (Saturday 11th March) conclude the PS4 NPL competition openers in NSW.

Don't forget to tune in each and every Thursday's at 6pm, kicking off on Thursday 9th of March as a brand new show the PS4 NPL Live Show takes off hosted by Srine Demachkie.



24	Aidan	HANCOCK
25	George	FIRTH
26	Charlie	BAKER
27	Brandon	LEMAY
28	Mitchell	ROOKE
29	Nathan	SEPAROVIC
30	Marley	PETERSON
31	Edward	RINALDI
32	Sheldon	TWEEDIE
33	Jamie	GLOVER
34	Jacob	CABAN
36	Lachlan	MCGRATH
37	Finn	ASHTON
38	Kye	CONNA
35	Jesse	PIRIZ
39	Hayden	TUCKER
	Tristen	Van RHOON

Coach: Warren Grieve
Assistant Coach: Milos Malatinec



22	Harrison	BAGOT
23	Jordan	CRACKNELL
24	Damian	CUPAC
32	Luke	DEBROT
72 GK	Jordan	GEDDES
25	Michael	GUSE
26	Anthony	HADDAD
27	Luke	IVANOVIC
21	Hassan	JALLOH
28	Nikola	KRLJAR
29	Andrija	MANDIC
34	Alex	MOOY
77 GK	Maxwell	ROWSTON
20 GK	Stevan	SAVICIC
30	Carl	SKOBLA
31	Alexander	ZARAFETAS

Head Coach: Stephen Sigmund
Assistant Coach: Hamish Brown

UNDER 20s - PLAYSTATION 4 NPL NSW MEN'S

POS	TEAM	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Sutherland Sharks FC	1	1	0	0	5	2	3	3
2	Blacktown City FC	1	1	0	0	3	1	2	3
3	Sydney Olympic FC	1	1	0	0	3	1	2	3
4	Sydney FC	1	1	0	0	3	1	2	3
5	Sydney United 58 FC	1	1	0	0	2	0	2	3
6	Parramatta FC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	Wollongong Wolves FC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	Hakoah Sydney City East FC	1	0	0	1	1	3	-2	0
9	Bonnyrigg White Eagles FC	1	0	0	1	1	3	-2	0
10	Rockdale City Suns FC	1	0	0	1	1	3	-2	0
11	APIA Leichhardt Tigers FC	1	0	0	1	0	2	-2	0
12	Manly United FC	1	0	0	1	2	5	-3	0

MATCH PREVIEW

Premiers Manly United started the 2017 in disastrous fashion with a 5-2 away defeat to Sutherland Sharks and it won't get much easier for the Cromer Park side when they host Bonnyrigg White Eagles.

The two teams provided some of last campaign's most entertaining matches and it will undoubtedly be another intriguing encounter when they meet again on Sunday.

The Bonnyrigg defence will need to be wary of Manly United attacker Sipan Berti who got off the mark in last Saturday's defeat, while Alex Mooy could prove to be the main goal threat for Bonnyrigg after arriving from relegated Blacktown Spartans in pre-season.





1	Samuel	BENTON
2	Ben	VARVARESSOS
3	Nicholas	SIMPSON
4	Mattias	ZERVAS
5	Samuel	WILLIAMS
6	Luca	CAVALIERI
7	Rhys	VORILLAS
8	Tallon	ZAHRA
9	Oscar	CASTEIGT
10	Jake	CHIDIAC
11	Mathew	EVANS
12	Matthew	CAISLEY
13	Benjamin	BURTON
14	Ryan	CHAMBERS
15	Oliver	KOVARIK
16	Alec	VINCI

Coach: Adam Griffiths

Assistant Coach: Marty Judge



65	Ljubicav	BOGICEVIC
66	Daniel	BOROVINA
67	Michael	DEMIRGELLIS
68	Ethan	DOSANJH
69	Pavle	DRCA
70	Brendan	FICARRA
71	Luca	FRASCA
72 GK	Jordan	GEDDES
73	Sherwan	ISMAEEL HASAN
74	Hayden	JAMER
75	Milan	PARENTA
81	Avit	PRASAD
76	Gliso	PRLIC
77 GK	Max	ROWSTON
78	Justin	SMITH
79	Brian	SUTOMO
80	Francis	TSIPONIS

Head Coach: Dejan Lukic

Team Manager: Neven Cupac

UNDER 18s - PLAYSTATION 4 NPL NSW MEN'S

POS	TEAM	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Blacktown City FC	1	1	0	0	3	0	3	3
2	Manly United FC	1	1	0	0	3	1	2	3
3	Sydney FC	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	3
4	Sydney United 58 FC	1	0	1	0	3	3	0	1
5	APIA Leichhardt Tigers FC	1	0	1	0	3	3	0	1
6	Bonnyrigg White Eagles FC	1	0	1	0	2	2	0	1
7	Sydney Olympic FC	1	0	1	0	2	2	0	1
8	Wollongong Wolves FC	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
9	Parramatta FC	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
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12	Hakoah Sydney City East FC	1	0	0	1	0	3	-3	0



HOME FIXTURES

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South Creek Rd, Dee Why



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ROUND 02 VS Bonnyrigg White Eagles FC	SUN 19TH MARCH	15:30
ROUND 04 VS Sydney FC	SUN 2ND APRIL	15:00
ROUND 06 VS Sydney Olympic FC	MON 17TH APRIL	15:00
ROUND 07 VS Rockdale City Suns FC	SUN 23RD APRIL	15:00
ROUND 09 VS APIA Leichhardt Tigers FC	SAT 6TH MAY	19:00
ROUND 11 VS Hakoah Sydney City East FC	SAT 20TH MAY	19:00
ROUND 12 VS Sutherland Sharks FC	SUN 28TH JUNE	15:00
ROUND 14 VS Wollongong Wolves FC	SAT 10TH JUNE	19:00
ROUND 16 VS Parramatta FC	SAT 24TH JUNE	19:00
ROUND 19 VS Blacktown City FC	SUN 23RD JULY	15:00
ROUND 21 VS Sydney United 58 FC	SAT 5TH AUGUST	19:00

Fixtures subject to change.
Check NPLNSW.com.au for the latest information.



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THE MANLY UNITED BUSINESS CLUB HAS BEEN SPECIFICALLY DEVELOPED TO PROVIDE SMALL TO MEDIUM BUSINESSES WITH A RANGE OF EXCLUSIVE BENEFITS THROUGHOUT THE NPL SEASON.

Would you like to connect with other small-medium sized business owners who are also passionate supporters of Manly United? We want to support you to build awareness of your brand and generate connections with like-minded business owners.

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10% discount on MUFC merchandise	•	•	•
Invitations to MUFC corporate networking events throughout the year	•	•	•
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One (1) field sign on Cromer Park (field 1)**		•	•
Front of shirt branding on a MUFC Youth or SAP team			•
Discounted rate card for advertising on MUFC website			•
Sponsored youth team squad photo			•
Opportunity to promote your business to the MUFC Business Club database			•

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