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CLUB WELCOME



Placktown City FC (BCFC) welcomes its members, supporters, families and players to our first home game of the 2018 season. We would also like to welcome Bonnyrigg White Eagles FC to our home ground Lily's Homes Stadium for today's 3rd round match.

There has been some change on and off the field at BCFC in our NPL squads during the off-season but one thing remains constant is our commitment to football with quality.

1st Grade Coach Mark Crittenden and his team have worked hard to assemble a strong squad again this year. Returning to the field after a long injury lay-off is Danny Choi which is a welcome sight for the club and its supporters. A huge welcome to the returning families and also to our new 1st Grade players Devante Clut, Daniel Bragg (former BCFC junior), Charles Mendy, Stevan Savicic, Yianni Spyrakis & Mason Versi and their families.

BCFC would like to pay special mention to our 2018 Platinum, Gold, Silver & Bronze corporate

partners. We welcome back LBF Concrete as our front of shirt sponsor this year along with CSG, Millars Doors & Timbers, Astro Electrical and Kennards Hire who also appear on our 1st Grade shirt. We also thank our U20's major sponsors Lily Homes & Tolson Plumbing & the U18's major sponsors Marvel Ceramics and Toro Scaffolding.

If you are looking for a drink or after match meal the club highly recommends heading to Lilys Restaurant Bar & Function Centre which is just a short walk from the ground.

Finally, best wishes for the season to all our NPL, Boys Youth, Girls Conference League and SAP teams that have been working hard during the off season.

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Brian Dene General Manager/Head of Football





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Under 6 to Under 12 Boys and Girls

Week 1: April 16, 18 & 19 (Monday, Wednesday and Thursday) Week 2: April 23, 24 & 26 (Monday, Tuesday and Thursday)

Time: 9am to 12pm

Venue: Ashley Brown Reserve, Seven Hills

\$150 for 1 week or \$270 for both weeks (includes training shirt)

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TEAM LISTS



- 1 TRISTAN PRENDERGAST
- 3 GIORGIO SPERANZA
- 4 ROBERTO SPERANZA
- **5 GRANT LYNCH**
- 6 MATT LEWIS
 7 DEVANTE CLUI
- 7 DEVANTE CLUT8 DANIEL ARAUJO
- 9 JOEY GIBBS
- 10 CONNOR EVANS
- 11 DANNY CHOI
- 12 CHARLES MENDY

- 14 MITCH MALLIA
- 16 MARK RODIC
- 17 DAKOTA ASKEW
- 18 MASON VERSI
- 19 ZACH CAIRNCROSS
- 20 STEVAN SAVICIC
- 22 YIANNI SPYRAKIS
- 23 DANIEL BRAGG

COACH: MARK CRITTENDEN ASSISTANT COACH: LUKE ROODENBURG MANAGER: GRAHAM CRAWHALL ASSISTANT MANAGER: ROSS BOURKE S & C COACH: SHANNON CODD PHYSIOTHERAPIST: REBECCA GONZALEZ



- 1 JAMES CHRONOPOULOS (GK)
- 21 DAVID BRADASEVIC (GK)
- 2 ARRON AVERY
- 3 DAVID VRANKOVIC
- 4 NIKOLA KRLJAR
- 5 ADAM JENNER
- 6 NIKOLA ZONIIC
- 7 TYNAN DIAZ
- 8 IACOB OTT
- 9 AARON PETERSON
- 10 SHERVIN ADELI
- 11 ASMIR KADRIC

- 12 DEAN BEREVESKOS
- 13 JAMES MCKENZIE
- 14 BRADIE SMITH
- 15 RAY MILLER
- 16 SAM GALLAWAY
- 17 JAMES O'ROURKE
- 18 MUN-SOO GIL
- 19 GREG KONDEK
- 20 BEN TOSI
- 22 JAE WOOK

COACH: BRIAN BROWN ASSISTANT COACH: MILAN SUSAK MANAGER: IAN ARNOTT

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1ST GRADE MATCH PREVIEW

It's business as usual at Blacktown City with Mark Crittenden's side starting the season undefeated through their first two games.

The side will be determined to keep the streak alive when they host Bonnyrigg White Eagles on Saturday.

Rugged midfielder Connor Evans stole the show in his side's previous game with a sumptuous chip to score the winner against Sydney United 58.

Crittenden will expect more from his attackers this week as new additions Devante Clut and Charles Mendy get in sync with veteran club frontman Joey Gibbs.

Another positive sign for Blacktown City was the return of Danny Choi who played a 35 minute cameo in the second half.

Their opponents, Bonnyrigg come into the

game on the back of a hard-fought 1-1 draw with Marconi Stallions.

It was the first competition point of the season for Brian Brown's team but they will need to find another level if they are to secure victory against Blacktown.

Jewook Woo once once again the main source of opportunity for the White Eagles and will likely shoulder the playmaking load once again.

David Bradasevic has looked like a shrewd signing by Brown and will make it difficult for the Blacktown strikers.

Games between Blacktown and Bonnyrigg never lack excitement and that is expected to continue on Saturday night.

1ST GRADE - NPL NSW MEN'S

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

MATCH REVIEWS



Sydney United 58 0 – Blacktown City FC 1 at Sydney United Sports Centre

Blacktown City FC has produced a stout defensive performance to claim their first three points of the National Premier Leagues NSW season as they triumphed 1-0 against Sydney United 58 FC at Sydney United Sports Centre.

A classy chipped finish from Blacktown midfielder Connor Evans was the difference as the visitors clung on despite a fast finishing United 58.

The Reds had a perfect chance to level the scores from the penalty spot just before half time but were denied but a spectacular save from Tristan Prendergast.

Sydney United 58 FC poured on the attack in the second half, straining for an equaliser but a resolute Blacktown City FC defence held firm to open their tally for the new season.



Bonnyrigg White Eagles 1 – Marconi Stallions1 at Bonnyrigg Sports Club

Bonnyrigg White Eagles have fought back to clinch their first point of the National Premier Leagues NSW 2018 season after a 1-1 draw with Marconi Stallions at Bonnyrigg Sports Club on Sunday night.

A Jewook Woo strike on the cusp of halftime ensured Brian Brown's side avoided a second straight defeat after Marko Jesic gave Marconi the lead from the penalty spot only six minutes into the match.

Unlike their first round victory, Marconi's early advantage wasn't enough to make it two wins from as many games as Bonnyrigg found their form in the later stages of the clash.

Bonnyrigg will be disappointed to have not found a winner after a dominant second 45 minutes but late heroics from Marconi's shot stopper Nenad Vekic kept the scoreline locked at the final whistle.





TEAM OF THE WEEK



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 - FIFA Anti-Doping Regulations
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- National Code of Conduct
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 - Match-Fixing in Sport
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BLACKTOWN CITY 2018

MALLIA THE MALTESE WARRIOR

Placktown City FC are set to have a fully-fledged Maltese international on their hands as live-wire attacker Mitchell Mallia has won selection into head coach Tom Saintfiet's squad for two upcoming friendly matches later this month.

Mallia was called up by Malta for games against Luxembourg on the 22nd of March in Malta and Finland on the 26th of March in Turkey.

Currently ranked 185th on the FIFA World Rankings, Mallia isn't the first Australian with Maltese heritage to win a spot in the national team.

John Hutchinson and Manny Muscat were two other notable figures that donned the Maltese cross a couple of years ago.

Mallia will link up with former Melbourne City striker and the most decorated Maltese football in the history of the sport in Michael Mifsud. At 36, the striker has won an incredible 128 caps and has scored 40 goals.

The 25-year-old has had a memorable year thus far as he won himself a short-term contract with Hyundai A-League outfit Perth Glory where he made six appearances and scored a goal before returning to Lily Homes Stadium to take part in the 2018 NPL NSW Men's top tier competition.



A former Australian youth international who was also an Under 17's Joey and Under 23's Young Socceroo, Mallia will see this call up as an ideal opportunity to possibly pursue a career overseas in the not too distant future.



TEAM LISTS - U20'S





24 Jack Stewart

25 Ben Parkinson

26 Lachlan Campbell27 Samuel Hamilton

27 Samuel H 28 John Azar

30 Malcolm Ward

31 Lachlan Rose

32 Will Salinas

34 Jarrod Dodds

35 George Panayi

36 Anthony Gallo

38 Lewis Fraser

39 Adolph Koudakpo

41 Cooper Coskerie

Coach: John Carnevale Manager: Mitch Hendry



23 Amar Adilovic

24 Michael Borg

25 Taylor Cambaz

26 Jordan Cracknell 27 Damian Cupac

28 Peter Kim

29 Nikola Kremenovic

30 Daniel Krkovski

31 Dean Krkovski

33 Francesco Terranova

34 Alexander Zarafetas

35 Milan Parenta

37 Ishtiyak Shah

38 Tanweer Shah

40 Max Rowston (GK)

Coach: Hamis Brown

U20'S - NPL NSW MEN'S

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| 4 | Bonnyrigg White Eagles FC | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| 5 | Sydney FC | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 7 | -3 | 3 |
| 6 | Manly United FC | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 7 | Hakoah Sydney City East FC | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 4 | -2 | 1 |
| 8 | Rockdale City Suns FC | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 4 | -2 | 1 |
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U20'S MATCH PREVIEW

Blacktown City finds itself at the bottom of the table after two rounds and needing a win when Bonnyrigg White Eagles arrive at Seven Hills on Saturday afternoon.

After beginning the campaign with defeats to Wollongong Wolves and Sydney United 58 the pressure is on John Carnevale's side to get off the mark against the White Eagles but they'll have to overturn both a barren run of form and a poor recent history against Bonnyrigg to do so.

Blacktown's two defeats to start the year mean City haven't won a league fixture since round eighteen of last season, meaning another defeat may begin to send alarm bells ringing for one of the competition's heavyweights.

City have also lost their past four fixtures against Bonnyrigg over the last two seasons which will provide the visitors with a great amount of confidence heading into the contest.

With last Sunday's round two clash with Marconi postponed Bonnyrigg have had an extra week to recover from a gruelling opening day victory over Sydney Olympic in which Milan Parenta's penalty gave them a 1-0 win.



TEAM LISTS - 18'S





- Alen Aganovic
- 2 Suleyman Bangura
- 3 Matthew Caisley
- 4 Carlos De Oliveira
- 5 Ryan Duffy
- 6 William Gafa
- 7 **Jack Hutchings** 8 Kai McLoughlin
- Coach: Andrew Montgomery Manager: Trevor Keayes

Dylan Niski

- 10 Dean Pelekanos
- 11 Alexander Purves
- **Blake Richards** 12
- 13 **Kye Soares**
- Bradley Tapp Samuel Webb 14 15
- 16 Luka Zanko



- 65 **Bao Nguyen**
- Ljubisav Bogicevic 66
- Joshua Bourke 67
- 68 Ngor Deng
- 69 Pavle Drca
- 70
- Peter Harb 71 Jayden Whittle
- 72 Lachlan Hancock

Coach: Ray Mandic Manager: Tom Vucicevic

- Connor Evans (GK)
 - Marko Krljar
- 75 Joseph Leto

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- 76 Max Rowston (GK)
- 77 Michael Martone 78 **Nenad Romic**
- 80 Nikola Stegnjaic
- 81 Callum Garrett

18'S - NPL NSW MEN'S

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| 2 | Blacktown City FC | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 6 |
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CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

| CLUB | U18'S | U20'S | 1ST | TOTAL |
|----------------------------|-------|-------|-----|-------|
| Wollongong Wolves FC | 3 | 12 | 16 | 31 |
| APIA Leichhardt Tigers FC | 0 | 0 | 24 | 24 |
| Blacktown City FC | 6 | 0 | 16 | 22 |
| Sydney FC | 3 | 6 | 12 | 21 |
| Hakoah Sydney City East FC | 6 | 2 | 12 | 20 |
| Sutherland Sharks FC | 0 | 8 | 12 | 20 |
| Rockdale City Suns FC | 3 | 2 | 12 | 17 |
| Marconi Stallions FC | 0 | 0 | 16 | 16 |
| Sydney United 58 FC | 3 | 12 | 0 | 15 |
| Bonnyrigg White Eagles FC | 3 | 6 | 4 | 13 |
| Sydney Olympic FC | 0 | 0 | 12 | 12 |
| Manly United FC | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 |

| CLUB | PLAYED | WINS | DRAWS | LOSSES | TOTAL |
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| Sydney FC | 6 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 21 |
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| Sutherland Sharks FC | 6 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 20 |
| Rockdale City Suns FC | 6 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 17 |
| Marconi Stallions FC | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 16 |
| Sydney United 58 FC | 6 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 15 |
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| Manly United FC | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 2 |

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ROUND 7 Saturday 21st April @ 19:00 Marconi Stallions FC ROUND 8 Saturday 28th April @ 19:00 Hakoah Sydney City East FC ROUND 10 Saturday 12th May @ 19:00 Sydney FC

ROUND 12 Sunday 27th May @ 15:00 Wollongong Wolves FC ROUND 13 Sunday 3rd June @ 15:00 Sydney United 58 FC ROUND 15 Sunday 17th June @ 15:00 APIA Leichhardt Tigers FC

ROUND 17 Sunday 1st July @ 15:00 Sydney Olympic FC ROUND 20 Sunday 29th July @ 15:00 Rockdale City Suns FC ROUND 22 Sunday 12th August @ 15:00 Sutherland Sharks FC

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