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### **CLUB WELCOME**



The Sutherland Sharks would like to welcome all spectators, officials and players from Wollongong Wolves to Seymour Shaw tonight. The crowd support for the Shark's first home game was great and no doubt helped the players secure a good win over Sydney FC. We backed that up last week with a "never say die" 2-2 draw with Hakoah despite being reduced to 10 men for the final 20 minutes. Unfortunately Nick Littler will miss tonight's game after a most dubious send off last week. The Wolves are sitting at the top of the competition ladder with the Sharks only one win away.

The game tonight will highlight the experience of many top NPL & ex A-League players like Tratt, Olsen, Norval, Montgomery, Price, Pasfield etc. and the best of some of our young stars in the NPL in Everett, Hughes, Jennings

and Vranic. Mix these players with the overseas players Ryoga, Keisuke, Nozawa & Toshiro and we have the makings of a very exciting game.

Our 20's have scored 12 goals in their last two games and will be looking to keep that fine form going. James Temelkovski and Deren O'Brien are in fine goal-scoring form and benefitting from the great team work from the rest of the squad. The 18's also played well last week but lost to a late goal from Hakoah.

Our SAP players from the U9's will be on show before the 1sts and again at half time. It is great to see many of our players from the youth squads, SAP and SDS attend each week supporting their Senior team. Let's hope we are celebrating a Shark's win tonight.





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## **TEAM LISTS**



- 1 RYAN NORVAL
- 2 IACOB TRATT
- 4 HAYDEN MORTON
- 5 BRADLEY BARTELS
- **6 LACHLAN EVERETT**
- 7 STEPHEN KAYES
- **8 LACHLAN HUGHES**
- 9 ADRIAN VRANIC
- 10 JOSHUA DA SILVA
- 11 HRISTIJAN TONOSKI 12 BLAIR BROWN

- 13 ROBERT WATSON
- 14 LEO MALFARA
- 15 NICK LITTLER
- 16 RYOGA SUYAMA
- 17 LEROY JENNINGS
- 18 JUAN FELIPE ZAPATA
- **20 KEISUKE HAYASHI**
- 21 NICK LOE
- 22 NICK OLSEN

COACH: GRANT LEE ASST: HARRY PARAS MANAGER: JOE RIGGIO
GOALKEEPER COACH: PETR SESTAK PHYSIOS: KIERAN ROONEY & MICHAEL GABRIEL



- 1. **JUSTIN PASFIELD (GK)**
- 2. TAYLOR MCDONALD
- 3. DARCY MADDEN
- 4. MICHAEL ROBINSON
- 5. JAMES BALDACCHINO
  6. NICHOLAS MONTGOMERY
- 7. CHRIS PRICE
- 8. BRENDAN GRIFFIN
- 9. PETER SIMONOSKI
- 10. IOSHUA MACDONALD

- 14. ETHAN KAMBISIOS
- 15. JAMES MARKOVIC
- 16. LUKE KAIRIES (GK)
- 17. RYAN ENSOR
- 21. CAOIMHIN FOWLER
- 23. STEVEN HAYES
- 28. MICHAEL STOJANOVSKI
- 30. YUZO TASHIRO
- 40. TAKUYA NOZAWA

COACH: JACOB TIMPANO ASSISTANT: NICK MONTGOMERY ASSISTANT: ALFREDO ESTEVES MANAGER: ROBERT POSITTI PHYSIO: MATTHEW WHALAN ANALYSIST: JULIO MIRANDA

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## 1ST GRADE MATCH PREVIEW

An incredible comeback last week saved the blushes of Sutherland Sharks but they will need much more than that if they are to get the chocolates this Easter weekend as Wollongong Wolves come to Seymour Shaw.

It has been a mixed start for Grant Lee's Shark's team with a win, draw and loss so far this campaign.

They were played off the park in the opening 45 minutes against Hakoah but discovered their groove in the second stanza to recover a point.

Hristijan Tanoski was the hero at Hensley Athletic Field and will be full of confidence ahead of playing his former side Wollongong.

The Canberra product has been a regular contributor in the National Premier Leagues NSW competition for the past few seasons with Rockdale City Suns and the Wolves and will be out to build a new home at Seymour Shaw.

Wollongong on the other hand have been one of the success stories of the 2018 season after an undefeated start to the campaign.

Jacob Timpano's side is bristling with talent on all three lines including former Central Coast Mariners captain Nick Montgomery, Japanese imports Takuya Nozawa and Yuzo Tashiro as well as veteran shot stopper Justin Pasfield.

While the club has previously struggled away from their WIN Stadium home ground, last week's victory against Sydney FC demonstrated that might not be the case this year.

It is sure to be a tough clash between these Southern rivals with more than just three competition points on the line.

### **1ST GRADE - NPL NSW MEN'S**

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

### **MATCH REVIEWS**



#### Hakoah Sydney City East 2 – Sutherland Sharks 2 at Hensley Athletic Field

Sutherland Sharks FC have delivered an extraordinary finish at Hensley Athletic Field to pull back two goals in added time to snatch an improbable 2-2 draw with Hakoah Sydney City East on Saturday night.

Mitchell Stamatellis broke the deadlock with 15 minutes remaining before Anthony Frangie doubled Hakoah's lead from the spot as Sutherland saw Nicholas Littler sent from the field for a second yellow card.

The game was seemingly beyond the visitors, but Jacob Tratt grabbed what appeared to be little more than a consolation goal in injury time, before Nick Olsen completed the comeback with the final kick of the game.



### Sydney FC 1 – Wollongong Wolves 2 at Lambert Park

Wollongong Wolves produced a spirited comeback to down Sydney FC 2-1 at Lambert Park on a rain soaked Saturday evening.

Hassan Jalloh scored for the second week running to open the scoring for Sydney FC in the second half, only for Wolves to respond minutes later with a Ryan Elsom equaliser.

With shared points looming as a likely outcome Peter Simonoski then came off the bench for the visitors to grab a late winning goal and spark wild celebrations for the boys from the South Coast.

The result made it two wins from three for Wolves who remain undefeated after a bright start to their 2018 National Premier Leagues NSW campaign.





### **TEAM OF THE WEEK**



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### **FEATURE STORY**

### **OLSEN BACK HOME WITH THE SHARKS**

Nick Olsen's return to the Sutherland Sharks is more of a homecoming than most transfers in this season's National Premier Leagues NSW Men's competition.

After playing for Sydney United 58 last season, the 22-year-old midfielder decided to return to the club where he played his junior football and debuted as a 16-year-old.

"I had a chat to [Sharks head coach] Grant Lee and it's home for me – I grew up close to the area, played most of my youth career there and the club looked after me," he said.

"When the opportunity came that they were interested in me coming back, I jumped at it.

"The group of lads that were there also helped me make the decision. I know a lot of the boys there and the football they play is really good."

Olsen is now a six-year veteran of the National Premier Leagues, having also played for the Western Sydney Wanderers junior teams and junior national sides.

After leaving the Sharks in 2014, Olsen went to APIA Leichhardt Tigers for the 2015 and 2016 seasons before shifting to Sydney United 58 last season.

He said he had a "great experience in every club I've been with".

"The decision for me to come home was because I grew up there but I had a lot of good experiences, made a lot of friends and I played good football for every club I've been to," Olsen said.

"I think as a player, playing at different clubs matures you. You get to see different sides and the way that football is played at different clubs and it definitely helps your game."

Olsen has settled back in quickly at the Sharks. Despite a first round loss to the Rockdale City Suns, Sutherland defeated Sydney FC in round two with Olsen scoring the deciding goal in the 2-1 victory.

Olsen said he feels the Sharks are building towards a return to the finals and reclaiming the possession-based football that brought the club success in the past.

It won't be easy, with a tight season already emerging just two rounds into the season.

"This year there have been a lot of really good signings at every club and I don't think that you can really pick who will win each game," Olsen said.

"The competition level is really high this year and I think from the first two rounds, you can't write anyone off and anyone can win. No game's going to be easy, that's for sure."

By Andrew McMurtry



### **TEAM LISTS - U20'S**





- 23 Deren O'brien
- 24 Adam Massoud
- 25 Blake Currey
- 26 Harry Sutherland
- 27 Harrison Quirk
- 28 Noah Chia
- 29 George Vagerakas

30 Joshua Briskoski

- 31 Gabriel Contigiani
- 32 James Temelkovski
- 33 Thomas Papa 38 Jacob Forster

Coach: Nick Dimovski

Assistant Coach: Steven Gordon Manager: Craig Simmons



- 1 Bailey Kubecka
- 2 Louis Connell
- 3 Kyle Senior
- 4 Jack Hooper
- 5 Jared Wiley
- 6 Brodie Clarkson
- 7 Branislav Radmanovic
- 8 James Carli

9 Marcus Bimbilovski 10 Harrison Taranto

- 0 Harrison Taranto 1 Tory Musumeci
- 11 Tory Musumeci12 Jordan Nikolovski
- 13 Nikola Djordevic
- 14 Mitchell Ferraro
- 19 Thomas Dunlop

Coach: James Ford Manager: Robert Positti

## **U20'S - NPL NSW MEN'S**

POS	TEAM	Р	W	D	L	F	Α	GD	PTS
1	Sydney United 58 FC	3	3	0	0	8	1	7	9
2	Sutherland Sharks FC	3	2	1	0	13	5	8	7
3	Sydney FC	3	2	0	1	8	8	0	6
4	Wollongong Wolves FC	3	2	0	1	6	6	0	6
5	Manly United FC	2	1	1	0	4	1	3	4
6	Bonnyrigg White Eagles FC	3	1	1	1	3	5	-2	4
7	Blacktown City FC	3	1	0	2	4	4	0	3
8	Marconi Stallions FC	2	0	1	1	3	4	-1	1
9	Hakoah Sydney City East FC	3	0	1	2	5	10	-5	1
10	Rockdale City Suns FC	3	0	1	2	2	8	-6	1
11	APIA Leichhardt Tigers FC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	Sydney Olympic FC	2	0	0	2	0	4	-4	0

### **U20'S MATCH PREVIEW**

Sutherland Sharks will look to continue their title defence when Wollongong Wolves come to Seymour Shaw this Saturday afternoon.

After back to back wins in which Nick Dimovski's outfit scored six against Sydney FC and Hakoah Sydney City East, Sutherland are moving through the gears rapidly in the early stages of the season.

New striker James Temelkovski is already hitting his stride with six goals in three matches for the Sharks while the likes of Leroy Jennings and Deren O'Brien have also made effective attacking contributions in the season's fledgling weeks.

The form of the Sharks looks ominous for the visiting Wolves who were defeated 4-1 by Sydney FC last weekend after starting the campaign with impressive back to back victories. This should be a great test of character for Wollongong who have displayed great resilience and attacking threat so far this season in the form with Tory Musumeci and Jordan Nikolovski contributing five goals between them.

The visitors will also be buoyed by their 2-0 win at Seymour Shaw last season which stood out as a rare occasion when the Sutherland juggernaut was halted.







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### **TEAM LISTS - U18'S**





- Louis Zabala
- 41 Lucus Camilleri
- 46 Luke Allen
- 39 **Nathan Cupitt**
- 48 laden Casella
- 44 Aidan Dennis
- 42 Benjamin Raatz
- 45 Luke Sauer

Coach: Jane Talcevski Assistant Coach: Nathan Denham Manager: Michael Camilleri

- 13 **Charlie Jones**
- 40 **Bailey Pimentel**
- 52 James Tsokos
- 49 Tristan Maher
- 47 Jacob Gjorsevski
- 38 **Thomas Sutton** 51
  - **Thomas Potts**



- Brendon Krcanoski
- 2 Luke Dav
- 3 Kayne Kotevski
- 4 Joshua Alcorn 5
- Tim Chapman 6 Jordyn Della Vedova
- Jason Pappas
- 8 Brendan Mitrovski

Coach: Richard Lloyd Assistant Coach: Scott Nicholls Manager: Robbie Day

- Joel Starr
- 10 lake Levv 11
- Samuel Miranda 12 Joshua Correia
- 13 Liam Rae
- 14 **Brendan Low**
- 15 **Jarrod Alston**
- 16 Havden Purkiss

### U18'S - NPL NSW MEN'S

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



### **CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP**

CLUB	PLAYED	U18'S	U20'S	1ST	TOTAL
Blacktown City FC	9	9	6	28	43
Wollongong Wolves FC	9	3	12	28	43
Sydney United 58 FC	9	3	18	12	33
Sutherland Sharks FC	9	0	14	16	30
Sydney FC	9	6	12	12	30
Hakoah Sydney City East FC	9	9	2	16	27
APIA Leichhardt Tigers FC	2	0	0	24	24
Sydney Olympic FC	7	0	0	24	24
Rockdale City Suns FC	9	6	2	12	20
Marconi Stallions FC	5	0	2	16	18
Bonnyrigg White Eagles FC	8	3	8	4	15
Manly United FC	7	3	8	0	11

#### **CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP RANKING**

Football NSW will use the following process when ranking the Clubs within each Competition:

NPL NSW Men's, NPL 2 NSW Men's, NPL 3 NSW Men's and Men's State League – senior club championship with points calculated from all Premiership Matches in all grades using the following system;

GRADE	POINTS MULTIPLIER
1st Grade	Premiership Points X 4
U20	Premiership Points X 2
U18	Premiership Points X 1

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ROUND 2 Sydney FC 2-1 ROUND 4 Saturday 31st March @ 18:30 Wollongong Wolves FC

ROUND 5 Saturday 7th April @ 18:30 Sydney United 58 FC

Saturday 21st April @ 18:30 APIA Leichhardt Tigers FC

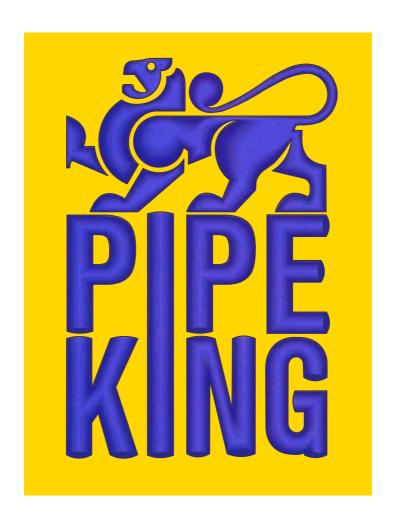
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ROUND 9
Saturday 5th May @ 18:30
Sydney Olympic FC

ROUND 11 Saturday 19th May @ 18:30 Blacktown City FC ROUND 12 Saturday 26th May @ 18:30 Rockdale City Suns FC ROUND 14 Saturday 9th June @ 18:30 Hakoah Sydney City East FC

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