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NSW MEN'S



ROUND 04

**Sunday**  
**31 MARCH 2019**  
**3pm**

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# CLUB WELCOME

Blacktown City FC would like to welcome all players, staff and supporters from the Sutherland Sharks FC to Lily Homes Stadium for the NPL NSW Men's 4th Round fixture.

Blacktown City's first grade team are coming off an exciting 3-3 draw with current champions Sydney Olympic, whilst the Shark's come to Lily's off the back of a hard fought 2-1 loss to APIA Leichhardt Tigers.

The City boys will be looking for a strong performance in front of their home crowd with the likes of Gibbs, Jennings and co. looking to find the back of the net.

Blacktown's 20's will be looking to bounce back after a disappointing loss last weekend, while our

U18's scored an impressive 6-0 win.

BCFC's Youth sides have started the season well as have our SAP sides, and good luck to our young ladies in the GCL who start their competition this weekend taking on Mt Druitt Town Rangers.

Remember, after the 1st grade fixture this weekend, walk across the bridge to Lily's Function centre and meet the players, listen to the Man of the Match interview and enjoy the fine food and beverages on offer.

## **GO THE DEMONS!**

Mark Crittenden  
Head of Football  
Blacktown City FC



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# 1ST GRADE TEAM LISTS



1	Tristan	Prendergast
3	Daniel	Collins
4	Yianni	Spyrakis
5	Grant	Lynch
6	Matt	Lewis
7	Devante	Clut
8	Daniel	Araujo
9	Joey	Gibbs
10	James	Demetriou
11	Mani	Gonzalez
12	Lachlan	Campbell
14	Henry	Davies
15	Mason	Versi
17	Dakota	Askew
18	Joshua	Bartolotto
19	Adam	Berry
20	Dylan	Niski
21	William	Mutch
22	Leroy	Jennings
23	Daniel	Bragg
24	Jackson	Bandiera

Coach: Mark Crittenden  
Assistant Coach: Matthew Bingley  
Manager: Graham Crawhall  
Physio: Rebecca Gonzalez  
Strength & Conditioning: David Maiolo

1	Anthony	Bouzanis
2	Quentin	Cheng
3	Marc	Warren (C)
4	Patrick	O'Shea
6	Lachlan	Everett
7	Juan Carlos	Heras Romero
8	Mateo	Poljak
9	Jeremy	Cox
10	Raul	Beneit Romero
11	Jordan	Morfitis
12	Blair	Brown
15	Thomas	Papa
16	Caoimhin	Fowler
18	Mitchell	Evans
19	Harry	Sutherland
20	Adam	Massoud
21	Tarik	Ercan
23	Deren	O'Brien
25	Brodie	Clarkson
38	Jake	Borromeo

Coach: Terry Palapanis  
Assistant Coaches: Nefta Gonzalez,  
Chris Naumoff and Allan Edmondson  
Manager: Peter Duncan  
Medical: Lee Royston, Michael Gabriel,  
Kieran Rooney, James Pearce

**Referee:** M. Weiner  
**Assistant Referees:** J. Park, C. Wright  
**Fourth Official:** R. Doenau



# MATCH PREVIEW

A thrilling draw to Sydney Olympic last week is sure to be a motivator for Blacktown City this week as they host Sutherland Sharks.

Blacktown were forced to settle for a point at Belmore Oval despite taking a 2-0 lead and it is sure to be seen as an opportunity lost for the Mark Crittenden coached side.

Leroy Jennings has been one of the standouts for City this campaign since joining the side in the offseason from Sutherland Sharks.

His contribution in attack, alongside the performances of Blacktown club veterans Matt Lewis, Joey Gibbs and Grant Lynch will be key to their success on Sunday.

Their opponents this week is a young Sutherland Sharks team who have shown plenty of promise.

A round one win against reigning Premiers Sydney Olympic hinted that the Sharks could be a surprise packed this campaign but back to back defeats has seen the buzz settle a bit.

A win against Blacktown would be the perfect tonic for the boys from the Shire as they set out to bounce back to winning ways.

Former A-League defender Marc Warren has taken on the captaincy duty with aplomb for his new club and has been week in and week out Sutherland's best performer.

If the side's other high profile additions such as Matteo Poljak as well as Spanish duo Juan Carlos and Raul Beneit Romero are able to hit their top form then the Sharks could be ones to watch out for.

Blacktown will go into the game as favourites but Sutherland has the cattle to spring an upset.



## 1ST GRADE - NPL NSW MEN'S

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

# 1ST GRADE REVIEWS

## **Sydney Olympic 3 – Blacktown City 3 at Belmore Sports Centre**

An incredible Sydney Olympic fightback has stunned Blacktown City as the reigning premiers snatched a dramatic 3-3 draw in their National Premier Leagues NSW Men's clash at Belmore Oval on Sunday.

The home side recovered from a two-goal deficit in the early stages of the game to earn a point in the action-packed clash.

Blacktown would've thought they were on their way to a big victory after only 15 minutes as they took a 2-0 lead thanks to goals from Grant Lynch and Leroy Jennings.

However, Olympic found their groove late in the opening stanza and fought their way back into the contest as Nikola Kuleski and Alex Sanchez both scored to level proceedings.

A Joey Gibbs goal early in the second half had the visitors in the drivers seat, but it wasn't to be with Olympic snatching a point thanks to a Jason Madonis goal 19 minutes from full time.

It was a thrilling encounter but is sure to leave both sides with plenty of questions heading into Round 4.



## **Sutherland Sharks 1 – APIA Leichhardt Tigers 2 at Seymour Shaw**

A brace from Chris Payne has powered APIA Leichhardt Tigers return to the winners circle as they edged Sutherland Sharks 2-1 in their National Premier Leagues NSW Men's clash at Seymour Shaw on Saturday.

The win was a brilliant response from APIA who suffered a humiliating 3-0 loss last week with today's three points moving the John Calleja coached side back into the top six.

However, it was Sutherland who started the better of the two sides when Jeremy Cox gave the home side the lead with a nifty finish after only 12 minutes.

Payne levelled the scores midway through the opening stanza with a clinical dispatch from the penalty spot to send the game into the interval locked at 1-1.

The veteran striker was at it again after the break to wrap up the win with a thunderous strike into the back of the net as APIA clung on for a hard earned victory on the road.



 GAUTHIER			 JAMES			 PAYNE		
 FRANGIE		 MADONIS		 CHOLAKIAN		 BICZO		
 PAULL		 WARREN				 SPERANZA		
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

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# U20'S TEAM LISTS



25	Mason	Ingram
26	Alen	Aganovic
27	Alec	Purves
29	Daniel	Colosimo
30	Adolph	Koudakpo
31	Jack	Hutchings
32	Carlos	De Olivera
33	Anthony	Gallo
34	Suley	Bangura
35	Rhett	Desilva

Coach: Andy Montgomery  
Assistant Coach: Daniel Lownds  
Manager: Dean Montgomery

24	Dominic	Brischetto
26	Mario	Aleksic
27	Matthew	Taverniti
28	Richard	Stewart
29	Jarrad	Wiley
30	Gjorsevski	Jacob
31	James	Carli
32	Alexander	Lopez
33	Reece	Kilpin
34	Jones	Charlie
35	Kane	Roberge
36	Harrison	Tarranto
37	Finlay	Hayhurst
45	Luke	Sauer

Coach: Nick Dimovski  
Assistant Coach: Steve Gordon  
Manager: Craig Simmons

## U20'S - NPL NSW MEN'S

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

# U20'S MATCH PREVIEW

Blacktown City will have a chance to avenge their 2018 preliminary final defeat when they take on Sutherland Sharks at Lily Homes Stadium on Sunday afternoon.

Sutherland won 2-0 when these sides met in last year's finals, and while the Sharks had the edge in 2018, Blacktown City should be confident of building on an impressive start to the current season.

This week's hosts sit in second place after the first three rounds, and have scored the most goals across the competition to date.

Still, Blacktown will be keen to make sure last week's defeat to Sydney Olympic was a blip on the record, rather than a marker of something more worrying. A match against one of the competition's best teams should be a reasonable test.





# U18'S TEAM LISTS



1	Zane	Cunico
2	Corey	Smith
3	Ryan	Duffy
4	Blake	Richards
5	Braith	Foxe
6	Ryan	Attard
7	Ethan	Pollard-Smith
8	Bradley	Tapp
9	Connor	Rose
10	Thomas	Bienasz
11	Kai	McLoughlin
12	Ben	Berry
13	Christian	Cirino
14	Tyren	Burnie
15	Caleb	Jackson-Brown
16	Cameron	Veldhuizen

Coach: John Carnevale

38	Thomas	Sutton
39	Jordan	Paull
40	Bailey	Pimentel
41	Peter	Philips
42	Ben	Raatz
43	Jordan	Wang
44	Jay	McGowan
45	Luke	Sauer
46	Luke	Allen
47	Nathan	Adam
48	James	Tenoski
49	Tristan	Maher
50	Jayden	Zabala
51	Jonny	Ress
52	Mitch	Heapy
53	Harry	Skotadis
54	Emmanuel	Tzanakes

Coach: Vince Milcevic  
Assistant Coach: Alex Anagnostiadis  
Manager : Steve Heapy

## U18'S - NPL NSW MEN'S

POS	TEAM	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Sydney FC	3	3	0	0	10	2	8	9
2	Blacktown City FC	3	2	0	1	14	5	9	6
3	Mt Druitt Town Rangers FC	2	2	0	0	7	5	2	6
4	Hakoah Sydney City East FC	3	2	0	1	6	4	2	6
5	Sutherland Sharks FC	3	2	0	1	5	3	2	6
6	Sydney United 58 FC	3	2	0	1	8	9	-1	6
7	Wollongong Wolves FC	3	1	0	2	8	5	3	3
8	APIA Leichhardt Tigers FC	3	1	0	2	4	6	-2	3
9	Marconi Stallions FC	2	1	0	1	3	5	-2	3
10	Rockdale City Suns FC	2	0	0	2	3	9	-6	0
11	Sydney Olympic FC	2	0	0	2	1	8	-7	0
12	Manly United FC	3	0	0	3	4	12	-8	0



# CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

CLUB	PLAYED	U18'S	U20'S	1ST	TOTAL
Wollongong Wolves FC	8	3	12	28	43
Blacktown City FC	9	6	12	16	34
Hakoah Sydney City East FC	9	6	2	24	32
APIA Leichhardt Tigers FC	7	3	2	24	29
Sydney FC	9	9	4	16	29
Rockdale City Suns FC	7	0	12	16	28
Sydney United 58 FC	9	6	0	20	26
Sutherland Sharks FC	9	6	8	12	26
Manly United FC	9	0	12	8	20
Marconi Stallions FC	6	3	2	12	17
Sydney Olympic FC	6	0	12	4	16
Mt Druitt Town Rangers FC	6	6	0	4	10

## 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 1**  
v Mt Druitt Town Rangers FC  
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**ROUND 2**  
v Sydney United 58 FC  
0-1

**ROUND 4**  
Sunday, 31 March - 3pm  
v Sutherland Sharks FC

**ROUND 8**  
Sunday, 28 April - 3pm  
v Rockdale City Suns FC

**ROUND 10**  
Sunday, 12 May - 3pm  
v Marconi Stallions FC

**ROUND 11**  
Sunday, 19 May - 3pm  
v Hakoah Sydney City East FC

**ROUND 14**  
Sunday, 9 June - 3pm  
v Sydney Olympic FC

**ROUND 16**  
Sunday, 23 June - 3pm  
v Manly United FC

**ROUND 17**  
Sunday, 30 June - 3pm  
v Sydney FC

**ROUND 18**  
Sunday, 7 July - 3pm  
v APIA Leichhardt Tigers FC

**ROUND 20**  
Sunday, 28 July - 3pm  
v Wollongong Wolves FC



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