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NSW MEN'S



ROUND 03

Sunday
24 MARCH 2019
4.30pm

ILINDEN SPORTS CENTRE



CLUB WELCOME

Welcome everyone to the Ilinden Sports Centre for this round 3 NSW NPL clash against Hakoah Sydney City East.

This is our first home game of the year in what is our 50th anniversary year. It is a wonderful time for the Club as we look to celebrate this wonderful milestone. Part of our celebrations will include our 50th anniversary gala ball to be held at Doltone House, Jones Bay Wharf on Friday 24 May 2019. Tickets are selling fast for this special event so if you would like to reserve a table, please contact one of the event co-ordinators. See the flyer later in this program.

Onto football, and it has been a solid start to the season.

Our new boys have settled in well and we are starting to put together a strong team with players returning from both suspension and injury.

Our first two games were tough away fixtures against Sydney United and Marconi. The United game was a gritty draw played in hot conditions and with 10 men for most of the game. Last weekend in round 2, we travelled to Marconi and came away with a fantastic come from behind 2-1 win in equally as tough conditions. Goalscorers for the Marconi game being Pani Nikas and Matthew Lecce.

It is great to be back at home at the Ilinden Sports Centre for this clash with Hakoah. Hakoah are a tough team who will be confident following a win last weekend over Sutherland. So all the ingredients are there for a great game of football.

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3	Mick	Neill
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17	Matthew	Lecce
18	Sasa	Macura
19	Patrick	Savor
20	Howard	Fondyke
21	Blake	Currey
22	Max	Rowston
23	Pani	Nikas
45	Jordan	Figon

Coach: Paul Reid

Assistant Coach: Matthew Ribarovski

Goalkeeper Coach: Jose Bella Migo

Team Manager: Spiro Parametis

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1	Ryan	Norval
2	Connor	Shaddock
3	James	Coombes
4	Bradley	Walker
5	Steven	Katsionis
6	Dominic	Cox
7	Addison	Sayan
8	Oliver	Green
9	Shohei	Okuno
10	Nathan	Roberts
11	Jack	Green
12	Steven	Chester
13	Robert	Ezekiel
14	Jordan	Koton
16	Christian (Kiki)	Tomanovski
17	Harry	Jones
23	Brad	Paikin
24	Amaury	Gauthier
25	Max	Ephraim
60	Taka	Noji

Head Coach: Gavin Rae

Assistant Coach: Zlatco Arambasic

Goal Keeping Coach: Trinity Allen

Head Physio: Andrew Hughes

Manager: Brian Ree

Manager: Alex Robertson

Referee:

T. Danaskos

Assistant Referees:

M. McOrist, R. Osborne

Fourth Official:

N. Ryan

MATCH PREVIEW

Rockdale City Suns will be hoping to keep their unbeaten streak alive when they host Hakoah Sydney City East this Sunday.

Paul Reid's side have shown why they will be a team to watch out for this season with two solid results to start the season including last week's 2-1 win on the road against Marconi Stallions.

Big name star Panny Nikas has slowly worked his way into the team after returning from a serious knee injury and scored his maiden goal for his new club last week.

Matthew Lecce, a former Wanderer, has arguably been the club's best performer in the two games played and the young gun is hoping to put in another huge performance against Hakoah.

Last ound Hakoah showed a tonne of heart to win 1-0 against Sutherland Sharks.

The Eastern Suburbs based side had a tough defeat in week one but a courageous performance from shot stopper Ryan Norval and an impressive goal from Jack Green helped the Gavin Rae coached side claim all three points.

Rae will want his side to show that same spirit this week as they take on the biggest test they have faced this season so far.



1ST GRADE - NPL NSW MEN'S

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

1ST GRADE REVIEWS

Marconi Stallions 1 v Rockdale City Suns 2

Rockdale City Suns took out its first victory of the 2019 NPL NSW Men's campaign and condemned the Marconi Stallions to its second successive loss with a come from behind 2-1 victory at Marconi Stadium on a soggy Saturday evening in Sydney's West.

The game oscillated in the first half and in the 7th minute, after a scramble near the box, Anthony Frangie had the ball in the back of the net for Marconi, but it was disallowed for offside.

Marconi opened the scoring from virtually nothing in the 22nd minute.

A free-kick made its way forward until it reached Richie Cardozo who beautifully chipped the goalkeeper off his line much to the delight of the home crowd.

Rockdale City Suns got their equaliser in the 68th minute when the ball drifted across to Panny Nikas who was unmarked and the prolific scorer showed that he had lost none of his midas touch as he drilled home and opened the scoring for the visitors.

It sparked a revival for Paul Reid's men as they found a winner late in the second half.

In the 85th minute the Suns rocked the Stallions when an Alec Urosevski cross from the right reached an unmarked Lecce who, with a powerful diagonal header, beat all and sundry to give the visitors the lead much to the frustration of the Marconi bench.

It proved to be the winner much to the delight of the traveling Suns fans as the Stallions spectators looked on in despair.



Sutherland Sharks 0 v Hakoah Sydney City East 1

A solitary Jack Green strike proved the difference for Hakoah Sydney City East against Sutherland Sharks in a tight encounter at Seymour Shaw on Saturday night.

In an end-to-end contest that could well have produced more goals, both sides were at times wasteful in the final third.

The defining moment of the night arrived six minutes into the second half as Hakoah fullback Jack Green won the ball back on halfway and marauded into the Sharks' penalty area, before lashing home a thunderous half-volley at the front post.

Whilst the hosts tried as they might to conjure a response, they were repeatedly denied thanks to an outstanding display from their former shot-stopper Ryan Norval.

The result signaled a turnaround in fortunes for both clubs: the hosts were ultimately unable to replicate the form that saw them topple reigning premiers Sydney Olympic last time out, while Hakoah recorded their first victory of the campaign following a disappointing Round 1 display against Sydney FC.





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

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U20'S TEAM LISTS



26	Joshua	Jenicek
27	Jackson	Angelou
28	Caleb	Bartier
29	Vinko	Gacic
30	Nathan	Manno
31	Mouhamed	Hamdache
32	Mohamed	Ahmed
33	James	Cakovski
34	Jacob	Botic (GK)
35	Noah	Botic
37	George	Medakovic
38	Samuel	Shainfeld
39	Alexander	Fadel
40	Gabriel	Cole
41	Gabriel	Contigiani
44	Daniel	Maras

Coach: Steve Zoric
Assistant Coach: Gary Deprato
Manager: Jack Bulis

26	Jay	Hirschowitz
27	Peter	Turrall
28	Hesan	Soufi
29	Ryan	Rooke
30	Mitch	Knight
32	Daniel	Salinas
33	Anthony	Pedavoli
34	Samuel	Shepherd
35	Christian	Berkay
36	Ellis	Bellos
37	Ben	Burton
38	Julio	Mushaba
39	Tom	Sutters
57	Cameron	Szyszkza

Head Coach: Neil (Jabba) Jablonski
Goal Keeping Coach: Trinity Allen
Head Physio: Andrew Hughes
Manager: Dave Shaddock
Manager: Jordan Divertie

U20'S - NPL NSW MEN'S

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

U20'S MATCH PREVIEW

Rockdale take on Hakoah Sydney City East on Sunday, after their Round 2 match against Marconi Stallions was washed out last weekend.

The visitors come into their match at Ilinden Sports Centre on the back of a 2-1 defeat to Sutherland Sharks, with last year's champions able to hold off a spirited Hakoah outfit.

They travel to Rockdale to play for their first win of the year, while the hosts could potentially move into first place depending on results elsewhere. It ended 3-2 to Hakoah when these sides met in 2018, and it would seem similarly difficult to predict one way or the other.





U18'S TEAM LISTS



Matty	Marrum
Kris	Jovanovski
Tony	Mrencevski
Daniel	Geroski
Dion	Ikonomopoulos
Zachary	Kisur
Lachlan	Dick
Joel	Hollingdale
Kane	Arduin
Jayden	Anevski
Ryan	Velovski
Jaymee	Trenkovski
Nathan	Thome
James	Nikolovski
Christian	Aneski

Coach: Jane Talcevski

Assistant Coach: Patrick Hooper

40	Aaron	Gabriel
41	Tom	Rozman
42	Billy	Borton
43	Ariah	Michel
44	Keanu	Harris
45	Luca	Gool
46	Simon	Kalinauskas
47	Thomas	Quilligan
48	Adam	Strasser
49	Ethan	De Melo
50	Zachary	Sapsford
51	Fox	Bengsston
52	Henry	Bickerstaff
53	Jakob	Sperber
54	Zach	Pillemer
55	Mario	Rebollo
56	Marco	Arambasic

Head Coach: Donato (Deano) D'agrosa

Goal Keeping Coach: Trinity Allen

Head Physio: Andrew Hughes

Manager: Steve Sapsford

U18'S - NPL NSW MEN'S

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

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

CLUB	PLAYED	U18'S	U20'S	1ST	TOTAL
Wollongong Wolves FC	5	3	6	24	33
Blacktown City FC	6	3	12	12	27
Sydney FC	6	6	2	16	24
Rockdale City Suns FC	4	0	6	16	22
Sutherland Sharks FC	6	3	6	12	21
Sydney United 58 FC	6	3	0	16	19
Hakoah Sydney City East FC	6	3	2	12	17
APIA Leichhardt Tigers FC	4	3	0	12	15
Manly United FC	6	0	6	4	10
Sydney Olympic FC	3	0	6	0	6
Marconi Stallions FC	3	3	0	0	3
Mt Druitt Town Rangers FC	3	3	0	0	3

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 3

Sunday, 24 March - 4.30pm
v Hakoah Sydney City East FC

ROUND 4

Sunday, 31 March - 4.30pm
v Mt Druitt Town Rangers FC

ROUND 6

Sunday, 14 April - 4.30pm
v Sydney Olympic FC

ROUND 7

Sunday, 21 April - 4.30pm
v Sydney FC

ROUND 9

Sunday, 5 May - 4.30pm
v Manly United FC

ROUND 12

Sunday, 26 May - 4.30pm
v Sydney United 58 FC

ROUND 13

Sunday, 2 June - 4.30pm
v Marconi Stallions FC

ROUND 16

Sunday, 23 June - 4.30pm
v APIA Leichhardt Tigers FC

ROUND 19

Sunday, 21 July - 4.30pm
v Blacktown City FC

ROUND 21

Sunday, 4 August - 4.30pm
v Wollongong Wolves FC

ROUND 22

Sunday, 11 August - 3pm
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