## KICKOFF () NATIONAL PREMIER LEAGUES NSW MEN'S



#### **ROUND 19**

TYLTD

Sunday 21 JULY 2019 4.30pm

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## **CLUB WELCOME**

Today we welcome the players and officials of Blacktown City to our spiritual ground that is the Ilinden Sports Centre for this round 19 National Premier Leagues NSW Men's fixture.

After a week's break, the club is hoping to return to the winner's circle in the hope of landing a finals series finish.

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Here's to a valuable victory tonight. Come on you Suns!

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3	Mick	Neill
4	Trent	McClenahan
5	Jake	Trajkovski
7	Alec	Urosevski
8	Aleksandar	Canak
9	Jonathan	Grozdanovski
10	Nikola	Taneski
11	Leigh	Egger
12	ldris	El Hafiane
14	Brayden	Sorge
15	Nicholas	Petrillo
16	Alex	Malfara
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: Nick Porreca

Assistant Coach: Matthew Ribarovski Goalkeeper Coach: Jose Bella Migo Team Manager: Spiro Parametis Gear Steward: Jovan Ckorovski 1 Tristan Prendergast 3 Daniel Collins 4 Yianni **Spyrakis** 5 Grant Lynch 6 Matt Lewis 7 Devante Clut 8 Daniel Arauio 9 loev Gibbs 10 Demetriou lames 11 Mani Gonzalez 12 Lachlan Campbell Henry Davies 14 15 Mason Versi 16 Dale Howarth 17 Dakota Askew 18 loshua Bartolotto 19 Adam Berry 20 Dvlan Niski 21 William Mutch 22 Leroy Jennings 23 Daniel Bradd 24 lackson Bandiera

Coach: Mark Crittenden Assistant Coach: Matthew Bingley Manager: Graham Crawhall Assistant Manager: Ross Bourke Physio: Rebecca Gonzalez Strength & Conditioning: David Maiolo, Joshua De Rooy

Referee: Assistant Referees: Fourth Official: H. Jomaa J. Adabjou, D. Horstead C. Wright

**\*TEAM LISTINGS SUBJECT TO CHANGE** 

## **MATCH PREVIEW**

A desperate Rockdale City Suns outfit will be determined to keep their season alive when they host third placed Blacktown City at llinden Sports Centre on Sunday.

The Suns have slumped massively since the midway point of the competition suffering through a run of humiliating defeats.

However, their early season success has them still with a slim chance of making the finals but they'll need a huge turn around and fast.

One positive for the Suns is the return of experienced defender Trent McClenahan after a lengthy stint on the sidelines. He return couldn't come at a better time with Rockdale's defence screaming out for a leader to help end the constant leak of goals. While there may be a chance Panny Nikas may return to the field this Sunday after recovering from a long injury lay-off.

Their opponents Blacktown City have quietly been going upon their business this season and are starting to find their groove when it matters most.

Coach Mark Crittenden has a knack for getting the most from his players and he has done that again this season especially after losing so many of his regular starters in the off-season. Defence has been the corner stone of Blacktown's success this campaign and they will rely on stars Grant Lynch and Matt Smith to help marshal the back line.

Striker Joey Gibbs is starting to rediscover his eye for goal after a lean start and he will play a big role moving forward.

Blacktown go in favourites for this clash and should take home the points if Rockdale is unable to shake off their recent struggles.



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

POS	TEAM	Р	W	D	L	F	А	GD	PTS
1	Wollongong Wolves FC	18	13	3	2	45	14	31	42
2	APIA Leichhardt Tigers FC	18	10	5	3	35	23	12	35
3	Blacktown City FC	18	9	4	5	24	19	5	31
4	Sydney United 58 FC	18	7	6	5	24	27	-3	27
5	Sydney Olympic FC	18	7	5	6	29	27	2	26
6	Marconi Stallions FC	18	7	2	9	35	27	8	23
7	Manly United FC	18	6	5	7	22	27	-5	23
8	Rockdale City Suns FC	18	7	2	9	21	33	-12	23
9	Sutherland Sharks FC	18	5	7	6	25	23	2	22
10	Mt Druitt Town Rangers FC	18	5	6	7	31	39	-8	21
11	Sydney FC	18	5	2	11	28	43	-15	17
12	Hakoah Sydney City East FC	18	3	1	14	10	27	-17	10

## **1ST GRADE REVIEWS**

#### Sydney FC 3 – Rockdale City Suns 1 at Lambert Park

Sydney FC have dealt a crushing blow to Rockdale City Suns FC finals hopes with a Marco Tilio brace led 3-1 success tonight at a wet Lambert Park.

The victory was the Sky Blues first since Round 12 when they downed Hakoah Sydney City East.

The Young Sky Blues were made to work for it, coming back from a goal down with a pair of highlight reel strikes from Marco Tilio. Substitute Benjamin Koop added a late chip to confirm the result as they move to 17 points for the season.

Tonight was a tough result for Rockdale City Suns FC. The Suns had the lead through a first half injury time strike from Aleksandar Canak but some errors in the second half have them on the edge of elimination.

#### Blacktown City 1 – APIA Leichhardt Tigers 1 at Lily Homes Stadium

A second half Grant Lynch goal has helped Blacktown City claim a 1-1 draw against APIA Leichhardt Tigers at Lily Homes Stadium on Sunday.

The City central defender fired home from the penalty spot after 71 minutes to ensure the Mark Crittenden coached side took home a point from a hard fought contest.

Franco Parisi helped give APIA the lead when he delivered a perfect pass to set up Josh Symons for the opener just after the restart.

However, it didn't last for long with Mason Versi taken down in the penalty area soon after to set up Lynch for the equaliser.

Despite the result APIA and Blacktown City maintain their second and third positions on the ladder.



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 FIFA Anti-Doping Regulations



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34	Jacob	Botic	(GK)
35	Noah	Botic	
38	Samuel	Shainfeld	
39	Alexander	Fadel	
40	Gabriel	Cole	
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Coach: Steve Zoric Assistant Coach: Gary Deprato Manager: Jack Bulis

26	Alen	
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29	Daniel	
31	Stuart	
32	Carlos	
33	Anthony	
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Coach: Andy Montgomery Assistant Coach: Daniel Lownds Manager: Dean Montgomery

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

POS	TEAM	Р	W	D	L	F	А	GD	PTS
1	Blacktown City FC	18	11	5	2	38	15	23	38
2	Sutherland Sharks FC	19	10	4	5	28	21	7	34
3	Sydney FC	20	9	6	5	31	19	12	33
4	Rockdale City Suns FC	18	9	4	5	37	28	9	31
5	Sydney Olympic FC	19	8	4	7	22	25	-3	28
6	APIA Leichhardt Tigers FC	17	7	5	5	22	15	7	26
7	Marconi Stallions FC	18	6	5	7	23	29	-6	23
8	Mt Druitt Town Rangers FC	18	6	4	8	33	38	-5	22
9	Wollongong Wolves FC	18	7	1	10	22	30	-8	22
10	Manly United FC	18	6	3	9	27	32	-5	21
11	Hakoah Sydney City East FC	18	4	4	10	26	40	-14	16
12	Sydney United 58 FC	17	2	3	12	20	37	-17	9

## **U20'S MATCH PREVIEW**

Rockdale City Suns should be confident of finishing their season among the top five, but the next three weeks will be crucial to their season.

Rockdale have three matches at home to see out the regular season, including fixtures against Wollongong Wolves and Sutherland Sharks. This weekend, they welcome Blacktown City to Ilinden Sports Centre; an opponent clear in first place but struggling for form as the finals approach. Blacktown have won just one of their last five matches, a run which includes three draws and a shock defeat to Sydney FC. Still, the leaders are four points clear of second-placed Sutherland Sharks and have a game in hand.

These sides drew 1-1 when they met at Lilys earlier in the season, with Daniel Colosimo and Noah Botic trading goals.









## **TOP GOAL SCORERS**



LACHLAN SCOTT WOLLONGONG WOLVES

NAME & CLUB	GOALS SCORED
Thomas James (Wollongong Wolves)	19
Chris Payne (APIA Leichhardt Tigers)	16
Alejandro Sanchez (Sydney Olympic)	11
Lachlan Scott (Wollongong Wolves)	11
Fabricio Fernandez (Mt Druitt Town Rangers)	10
Mirjan Pavlovic (Mt Druitt Town Rangers)	10
Marko Jesic (Marconi Stallions)	10
Jeremy Cox (Sutherland Sharks)	9
Mitchell Mallia (Marconi Stallions)	8
Peter Simonoski (Sydney United 58)	8
Brendan Cholakian (Manly United)	8



## U18'S TEAM LISTS



Matty Marrum Kris lovanovski Mrencevski Tony Daniel Geroski Dion Ikonomopoulos Zachary Kisur Lachlan Dick loel Hollingdale Jayden Anevski Ryan Velovski Nathan Thome James Nikolovski Christian Aneski Dimitri Gremos

Coach: Jane Talcevski Assistant Coach: Patrick Hooper

1	Zane	Cunico
2	Corey	Smith
3	Ryan	Duffy
4	Blake	Richards
6	Ryan	Attard
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
30	Daniel	Zahra
50	Daniel	Zallia

Coach: John Carnevale

## U18'S - NPL NSW MEN'S

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POS	TEAM	Р	W	D	L	F	А	GD	PTS
1	Blacktown City FC	18	15	2	1	49	13	36	47
2	Mt Druitt Town Rangers FC	18	11	5	2	45	29	16	38
3	Sydney FC	18	10	3	5	39	25	14	33
4	Sydney United 58 FC	17	9	3	5	41	28	13	30
5	Rockdale City Suns FC	18	8	3	7	30	26	4	27
6	Hakoah Sydney City East FC	18	8	2	8	34	29	5	26
7	Manly United FC	18	6	5	7	27	30	-3	23
8	Sutherland Sharks FC	18	7	2	9	29	34	-5	23
9	Wollongong Wolves FC	17	5	3	9	23	34	-11	18
10	Marconi Stallions FC	18	5	3	10	18	32	-14	18
11	APIA Leichhardt Tigers FC	17	2	4	11	19	45	-26	10
12	Sydney Olympic FC	18	2	3	13	12	38	-26	9

## **CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP**

CLUB	PLAYED	U18'S	U20'S	1 <b>ST</b>	TOTAL
Blacktown City FC	54	47	76	124	247
Wollongong Wolves FC	54	18	44	168	230
APIA Leichhardt Tigers FC	52	10	52	140	202
Rockdale City Suns FC	54	27	62	92	181
Sutherland Sharks FC	55	23	68	88	179
Sydney Olympic FC	54	9	56	104	169
Mt Druitt Town Rangers FC	54	38	44	84	166
Sydney FC	55	33	60	68	161
Manly United FC	54	23	42	92	157
Marconi Stallions FC	54	18	46	92	156
Sydney United 58 FC	52	30	18	108	156
Hakoah Sydney City East FC	54	26	32	40	98

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NATIONAL PREMIER LEAGUES

> WOLLONGONG WOLVES FC VS SUTHERLAND SHARKS FC 6:00 PM / SAT 20 JUL WIN STADIUM

MARCONI STALLIONS FC VS MT DRUITT TOWN RANGERS FC 7:00 PM / SAT 20 JUL MARCONI STADIUM

APIA LEICHHARDT TIGERS VS SYDNEY OLYMPIC FC 3:30 PM / SUN 21 JUL LAMBERT PARK

**ROCKDALE CITY SUNS FC VS BLACKTOWN CITY FC** 4:30 PM / SUN 21 JUL ILINDEN SPORTS CENTRE

HAKOAH SYDNEY CITY EAST FC VS MANLY UNITED FC 5:00 PM / SUN 21 JUL HENSLEY ATHLETIC FIELD

**SYDNEY UNITED 58 FC VS SYDNEY FC** 5:00 PM / SUN 21 JUL SYDNEY UNITED SPORTS CENTRE

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rcsfc.com.au ROUND 3 **ROUND 4** v Hakoah Sydney City East FC v Mt Druitt Town Rangers FC 0-3 0-2 **ROUND 6 ROUND 7** v Sydney Olympic FC v Sydney FC 2-1 2-1 **ROUND 9** ROUND 12 v Sydney United 58 FC v Manly United FC 2-1 2-3 **ROUND 13 ROUND 16** v Marconi Stallions FC v APIA Leichhardt Tigers FC 2-5 1-5

**ROUND 22** 

Sunday, 11 August - 3pm

v Sutherland Sharks FC

ROUND 19 Sunday, 21 July - 4.30pm v Blacktown City FC

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v Wollongong Wolves FC



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